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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
9th April 1864.*

No. 237. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Marine Department:—

Communicating letter from the Collector of Tinnevely forwarding copy of one from the Master Attendant, Tuticorin, reporting the wreck of the Government Schooner Boat "Petril," bound from Cochin to Panambur, for the use of the Superintendent of Operations there. } (Here enter 7th April 1864, No. 60.)

No. 238. ORDER THEREON, 9th April 1864, No. 1,008.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, with reference to his letter No. 2,161, dated 25th March 1864.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
7th April 1864.

No. 7. Read the following letter from J. SILVER, Esq., Collector of Tinnevely, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Tinnevely, 26th March 1864, No. 116.

I have the honor to forward, for the information of Government, copy of a letter to my address from the Master Attendant, Tuticorin, reporting the wreck of the Government Schooner Boat *Petrit*, bound from Cochin to Paumben, for the use of Major Syme, Superintendent of operations there.

From G. A. PHIPPS, Esq., Master Attendant of Tuticorin; to J. SILVER, Esq., Collector of Tinnevely, dated Tuticorin, 24th March 1864, No. 27.

I have the honor to inform you that intelligence was received at this office on the 21st instant, that a Schooner Boat, the property of Government, called the *Petrit*, bound from Cochin to Paumben, had been stranded near Vambar on this coast. Upon receiving the intelligence the writer, in my absence, at once despatched the Guard Boat *Pearl* with an anchor and cable, and also rollers, to endeavour if possible to either get the boat off, or pull the wreck further in shore. I regret to say that upon reaching the scene of the disaster, this was found to have disappeared, a part of the timber, &c., all that remained, was piled upon the beach, in charge of the Sea Custom Superintendent of Vypaur.

This occurrence has been reported to Major Syme, Superintendent of operations at Paumben, for whose Department the boat was intended.

I beg to enclose copy of the deposition given before me by the Syrang in charge of the boat.

(True copy)

(Signed) J. SILVER,
Collector.

No. 8.

ORDER THEREON, 7th April 1864, No. 60.
Communicated to the Department of Public Works.
(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department.

Ed. J. Tulloch.

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