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No. 59. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd March 1864 :—

Read the following letter from J. SILVER, Esq., Collector of Tinnevelly, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated Trichendoor, 26th February 1864, No. 81.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward for the information of the Board and Government, copy of a Telegram from the Superintendent of Pearl Fisheries, Ceylon, which I have just received from the Superintendent of Pearl Banks, Tuticorin. It shows the great uncertainty of finding the Oyster banks in a healthy state, and exemplifies the disappointment we met with last year, regarding the bank off Trichendoor.

Submitted to Government with the request that the postponement of the Ceylon Pearl Fishery may be notified in the Government Gazette.

No. 60. ORDER THEREON, 4th March 1864, No. 393.

Ordered accordingly.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Manaar 23d February 1864

From,

The Superintendent of
Pearl Fishery
Ceylon

To,

Captain Phipps
Master Attendant
Putlam

Immediate - Please circulate information that there will be no Pearl Fishery at Arippoo Ceylon this year. Oysters all dead.

(True Copy)

(Signed) L. Murray
for Assistant in charge.

(Signed) G. A. Phipps
Capt. of Pearl Banks.

(True Copy)

(Signed) J. Lilley
Collector

(True Copy)

J. Thomson
Secretary

Putlam - - -
Ceylon Mid Telegraph Office
24th February 1864

G. A. Phipps
Capt. P. Banks

Encl in the Rep of the Dist
of Revt to the Govt to Govt
A D dated 2 March
1864.

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Copy of a letter from
the Supt Pearl Fishery
Ceylon to the Hon Ar:
Lindsay Tuticorin
dated 23d Feby 1864.
regs Pearl Oysters.

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Copy of Telegram from the Coll
of Tuticorin & under the cir-
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ment of the Pearl Fishery
at Ceylon may be notified
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With our order

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Ordered accordingly.

Fort St. George
4th March 1864.

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