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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
20th July 1875.

No. 210. Read the following letter from Captain J. H. TAYLOR, R.N.R., Acting Master Attendant, Administrative Department, to A. MACGREGOR, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 23rd June 1875, No. 3,943 :—

I HAVE the honor to acknowledge receipt of the Proceedings of Government No. 879 of 7th June 1875. marginally quoted, wherein I am directed to report upon the subject of Mr. Redford's desertion from the S.S. *Margaret Northcote*. I regret it is not in my power either to furnish particulars of the case, or to offer an opinion on the subject. Redford was solely under the orders of Captain Phipps, who did not apply to this department for any funds or advance to meet the ship's expenses, or make advance to his crew.

2. It is a matter for the Board of Revenue, who employed Redford, to consider whether he was entitled to any batta or provisions while at sea and away from the Gulf of Manaar. I knew that he wished to leave the ship, but I did not hear of Redford's desertion till after the vessel left Madras.

No. 211. ORDER THEREON, 20th July 1875, No. 1,089.

Miscellaneous.

THE Board of Revenue will report the terms of Mr. Redford's engagement, and state whether any communication was made by him to the Board after he quitted the vessel.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Erd. F. R. Bantleman.

Administrative Department.

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From

The Acting Master Attendant
Administrative Department
Madras

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Fort Saint George

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No. 210-211.

W. B. Phipps Esq
Requesting the Board of Revenue to report
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after to collect the vessel.

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desertion till after the vessel left
Mexico.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Mexico

Marine Office

23 June 1875

Your Most Obedt Servant

W. L. Taylor
Acting Master Attendant
Administrative Department

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The Board of Med. will report the
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From
Mr. J. G. Water. Attendants
Administrative & Instrument
No. 20. Secretary to Govt.
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State that it is not in the
power of the Government to
interfere with the office of
the subject of Mr. Bedford's
deposition. The Government
has no power to interfere.

No 1089 = 20 July 1875
W. H. M. D. M.