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Narayana Ayyar Avargal, M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur, S., Chief Accountant—Retention
in service after 55 years and grant of leave preparatory to retirement—Sanctioned.
February 29, No. 77 (Ms.).

Narayana Ayyar Avargal, M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur S.—Retention in service after 1st
April 1932—Sanctioned. April 9, No. 136 (Ms.).

Narayanawami, a labourer in the Trust's Traffic Department—Payment of half
wages during the period he was off-duty—Approved. September 5, No. 362 (Ms.).

Natesa Pillai, R.—Late carpenter—Permanent partial disablement—Compensation—
Sanctioned. October 31, No. 441 (Ms.).

Overpayment of leave salary to Mr. G. G. Armstrong, O.B.E., Chairman—
Orders passed. February 25, No. 69 (Ms.).

Payment of gratuity to V. S. Krishnaswami Nayudu, Retrenched Officer of the
Trust—Approved. September 10, No. 367 (Ms.).

Payment of gratuity to three labourers and in similar cases—Orders passed.
October 27, No. 431 (Ms.).

Payment to Messrs. The Imperial Chemical Industries (India), Limited, of Rupees
1,883-15-0 for the damage to their goods stored in the Trust's warehouse—San-
ctioned. March 17, No. 105 (Ms.).

Printing of the Port Trust Work at concessional rates—Sanctioned.
October 3, No. 398 (Ms.).
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- Purchase from Messrs. Best & Co., Ltd., Madras, of one coil of 21" coir rope 720 feet long—Sanctioned. November 16, No. 172 (Ms.).
- Purchase of male bamboos from Mr. A. Narayana Perumal Nadar—Sanctioned. December 22, No. 525 (Ms.).
- Purchase of twigs from Mr. A. Narayanaperumal Nadar—Sanctioned. February 22, No. 58 (Ms.).
- Refunds of overcharges in the case of current account holders of the Trust—Orders passed. April 6, No. 135 (Ms.).
- Remission of the Trust's dues amounting to Rs. 1,054-11-0—Orders passed. July 8, No. 292 (Ms.).
- Repayment of gratuity and provident fund—Money drawn by Mr. B. H. Bennett, launch driver—Sanctioned. June 9, No. 249 (Ms.).
- Representation of the Madras Customs Clearing and Shipping Agents' Association on the Board—Not agreed to. December 2, Nos. 502-3 (Ms.).
- Retrenchment of officers in the Engineering Department—Trusts' proposals approved. September 20, No. 380 (Ms.) (Confdl.).
- Scale of rates—Amendment of—Notified. June 8, No. 248 (Ms.).
- Scale of rates—Amendment of clause 22—Notified. May 19, No. 212 (Ms.).
- Scale of rates—Deletion of clause 26—Notified. May 19, No. 213 (Ms.).
- Scale of rates of harbour dues on petrol or benzine in bulk—Approved and notified. January 20, No. 23 (Ms.).
- Scale of rates of hire of the cradle for handling small boats—Approved and notified. January 20, No. 22 (Ms.).
- Superior Services—Progress of Indianization—Annual statement submitted to the Government of India. May 12, Nos. 191-2 (Ms.).
- Supply of furnace oil—Acceptance by the Madras Port Trust of the draft agreement with Messrs. Burmah-Shell Oil Storage and Distributing Company of India, Limited—Sanctioned. July 28, No. 314 (Ms.).
- Supply of Government standardized forms to the Trust—Sanctioned. December 5, No. 508 (Ms.).
- Supply of Government standardized forms to the trust on payment—Preliminary approval—Accorded. May 12, No. 193 (Ms.).
- Syrang of tugs—Qualification prescribed. November 8, No. 458 (Ms.).
- Temporary labourers retrenched with more than three years' but less than ten years' service—Special gratuity—Sanctioned. April 25, No. 161 (Ms.).
- Trust's quarries at Pallavaram—Exemption from the operation of the Indian Mines Act—Refused. May 10, No. 187 (Ms.).
- Trust's residential buildings—Cost of scavenging—No recovery to be made from employees occupying them rent-free—Trust's proposal—Sanctioned. November 8, No. 459 (Ms.).

Trustee.

- Election of Mr. R. D. Denniston by the Madras Chamber of Commerce—Notified. April 22, No. 155 (Ms.).
- Election of Mr. W. O. Wright and appointment of Mr. C. R. Watkins—Notified. October 26, No. 427 (Ms.).
- Re-election of M.R.Ry. Diwan Bahadur G. Narayanaswami Chetti Garu, C.I.E.—Notified. August 13, No. 333 (Ms.).
- Re-election of Mr. J. M. Smith by the Madras Trades Association—Notified. May 6, No. 178 (Ms.).
- Resignation of Mr. M. A. Angus—Accepted—Madras Trades Association requested to elect a Trustee. April 30, Nos. 175-76 (Ms.).
- Resignation of Mr. G. A. Bambridge accepted—The Madras Chamber of Commerce requested to select another representative. December 19, Nos. 518-19 (Ms.).
- Resignation of Mr. F. Birley accepted—The Madras Chamber of Commerce requested to elect another representative. March 24, Nos. 116-17 (Ms.).
- Trustees of the Port of Madras—Fees for attendance at meetings—Temporary reduction—Approved. January 26, No. 30 (Ms.).

MANDAPAM.

Dredging of an approach channel by the South Indian Railway Company, Limited, to the Dry-Dock—Sanctioned. March 7, No. 91 (Ms.).

MARINE FUNDS.

Conversion of 6 per cent bonds 1932 into $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent loans of 1938-40—Approved. July 28, No. 276 (Ms.).

Five-year Post office Cash Certificates—Continuance for another five years—Approved. March 31, No. 126 (Ms.).

MEMORIAL.

V. Munisami Pillai—Ex-light keeper—Petition for re-employment—Rejected. October 26, No. 428 (Ms.).

MERCANTILE MARINE ADMINISTRATION.

Additional clerk for the Stores section of the Presidency Port office—Proposal negatived. January 13, No. 12 (Ms.).

Contribution from Central Revenues to the Minor Ports Fund on account of office expenses and contingencies in the office of Presidency Port Officer—Government of India letter—Recorded. June 4, No. 239 (Ms.).

Contribution to the Madras Minor Ports Fund on account of contingent expenditure—Enhancement by Rs. 150 for 1932-33—Government of India letter—Recorded. September 16, No. 378 (Ms.).

Establishment in office of the Presidency Port Officer—Retention—Sanctioned. October 27, No. 433 (Ms.).

Establishment for Mercantile Marine work in the office of Presidency Port Officer—Retention—Sanctioned. April 27, No. 168 (Ms.).

Gordon, R.I.M., Commander, B.—Appointed Principal Officer, Madras district—Notification of the Government of India—Published. May 26, No. 218 (Ms.).

Recess of Principal Officer, Mercantile Marine department at Ootacamund—Papers recorded. February 1, No. 34 (Ms.).

See also "Indian Merchant Shipping Act."

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

International convention for the safety of life at sea—Adoption of the direct system of helm orders—Press communiqué of the Government of India, republished. November 29, No. 495 (Ms.).

MINOR PORTS.

Crew for pilot launch—Sanctioned. June 17, No. 263 (Ms.).

Information required by the American Consul, Madras—Forwarded to the Government of India. August 30, Nos. 352-53 (Ms.).

Information required by the German Consul at Colombo—Forwarded to the Government of India. March 12, Nos. 96-97 (Ms.).

Port dues leviable at Ports in the eastern and western groups—Financial effect of reduction—Letter from the Presidency Port Officer—Recorded. November 16, No. 473 (Ms.).

Port of Cocanada—Launch for patrol work—Agreement executed by Messrs. Geo Brunton & Sons, Cochin—Ratified. July 14, No. 296 (Ms.).

Ports of Cuddalore and Porto Novo—Port Rules—Information required by the Consul-General for Germany, Calcutta—Forwarded to the Government of India. July 11, No. 293-4 (Ms.).

Rearrangement of lascar crew—Sanctioned. June 18, No. 264 (Ms.).

Survey—Post of Surveyor—Continuance—Sanctioned. April 12, No. 144 (Ms.).

MINOR PORTS FUND.

Conversion of 6 per cent bonds of 1933-36 into 5 per cent loan of 1940-43—Approved. August 22, No. 344 (Ms.).

NEGAPATAM LANDING AND SHIPPING FUND.

Expenditure in connexion with the visit of His Excellency the Governor to the port of Negapatam—Provision of funds—Sanctioned. October 25, No. 425 (Ms.).

PENSION.

- Commutation—M.R.Ry. J. D. Rozario, retired Head clerk, Port office, Cochin—
Application rejected on medical grounds. July 2, No. 284 (Ms.).
- Cooper Mr. J.—Late driver of the dredger "Nega" at Negapatam—Request for the
grant of pension, negatived. December 2, No. 301 (Ms.).
- Vandurputt, Mrs. C.—Late Port Quarantine nurse—Request for reconsideration of
previous orders refusing pension or gratuity—Negatived. February 10, No. 315 (Ms.).

PORT AND MARINE FUND.

- Financial position for 1930-31—Publication sanctioned. February 2, No. 36 (Ms.).
- Preliminary accounts for 1931-32—Recorded with remarks. August 8, No. 324 (P.).

PORTS AND PILOTAGE.

- Landing and Shipping charges—Supplementary demand for 1931-32—Papers
recorded. March 12, No. 94 (Ms.).

PORT CONSERVANCY BOARD.

Cocanada

- Members for 1932-33—Appointed. March 16, No. 104 (Ms.).
- Resignation of Mr. R. C. Summerhayes and appointment of Mr. J. Lockhart—
Approved. February 2, No. 37 (Ms.).

Cochin.

- Black, Mr. H., appointed member *vice* the late Mr. A. F. Campbell. March 3, No. 87 (Ms.).
- Blake, Mr. H., appointed member *vice* Mr. J. J. McGregor resigned. November 8, No. 455 (Ms.).
- Grant, Mr. W.—Appointed member. April 12, No. 145 (Ms.).
- Janardhanam Pillai, M. L., and Samuel Sabdai Kader, Messrs.—Reappointed
members. November 1, Nos. 443-44 (Ms.).
- Jeffcoat Smith, Mr. O., appointed member. March 1, No. 80 (Ms.).
- Madhavan, Mr. C. O.—Appointed member, *vice* Mr. A. Gopala Menon. June 9, No. 251 (Ms.).
- McGregor, Mr. J. J.—Appointed member. May 10, No. 185 (Ms.).
- Millar, Mr. A. J. F., appointed member *vice* Mr. O. Jeffcoat Smith. November 18, No. 478 (Ms.).
- Milne, Mr. A. G., Executive Engineer, appointed as member *vice* Mr. R. C. Bristow,
Harbour Engineer-in-Chief to Government. November 12, No. 468 (Ms.).
- Mr. Popatlal Goverdhan Lalan—Appointed member. August 12, No. 332 (Ms.).
- The Chief Engineer, Cochin State—Reappointment as member. November 7, No. 453 (Ms.).

Mangalore.

- Jackson, Mr., W. B. and Kunjhammu Sahib Bahadur—Appointed as members. October 3, No. 397 (Ms.).
- Vittal Shetty, Dr. K.—Appointed member. April 27, No. 169 (Ms.).

Negapatam.

- Allotment of seats to the Chamber of Commerce, Negapatam—To be considered by
the Collector of Tanjore. October 29, No. 435 (Ms.).
- Arthur Davies, Mr., appointed member. April 20, No. 153 (Ms.).
- Resignation of Mr. R. E. Oliver and appointment of M.R.Ry. Krishnamurthy
Ayyar—Approved. February 22, No. 56 (Ms.).
- Right of the board to call for information regarding tenders in cases where the
estimate for works exceed Rs. 500—Position explained. May 20, No. 215 (Ms.).

PORT DUES.

- Dues paid by Brig "Shri Anjaneyalu" at Azhikad—Refused—Sanctioned. June 13, No. 257 (Ms.).
- Ships liable to pay port dues under the Indian Ports Act, 1908, on space occupied
by deck cargo—Orders passed. May 19, No. 211 (Ms.).

PORT DUES—*cont.*

Reduction in rates for vessels working small cargoes of below 100 tons at coast ports
—Declined. May 31, No. 234 (Ms.).

PORT HEALTH ADMINISTRATION.

Transfer of Port Health Work at Madras and delegation of powers of inspection
over mufassal ports to Assistant Directors of Public Health—Approved.
February 22, No. 61 (Ms.).

PORT OFFICERS.

Application of the Communal rule to the port service—Not necessary—Papers
recorded. December 5, No. 506 (Ms.) (Confdl.).
Balmforth, Mr. J. M.—Posting to Cuddalore—Ordered. April 20, No. 154 (Ms.).
Johnston, T.—Posting to Negapatam—Notified. October 10, No. 410 (Ms.).
Leave to Mr. A. Mudie—Notification recorded. October 3, No. 396 (Ms.).
Messrs. Mark Price and W. F. Ruffle—Promotion to selection grade—Sanctioned.
August 26, No. 345 (Ms.).
Ruffle, Mr. W. F.—Granted leave—Head clerk, Port office, Pamban—Granted
additional pay. April 12, No. 146 (Ms.).
Ruffle, Mr. W. F.—Permitted to return to duty—Notification published.
September 1, No. 357 (Ms.).
Severs, Commander R.—Leave—Preparatory to retirement—Granted.
March 1, No. 82 (Ms.).
Severs, Commander R., R.D., R.N.R. (retired)—Leave—Cancelled.
April 27, No. 171 (Ms.).
Commander R. Severs, R.D., R.N.R. (retired)—Personal Assistant to the Presidency
Port Officer and Agent for Government Consignments—Leave—Preparatory to retire-
ment—Sanctioned. September 25, No. 386 (Ms.).

PORT OF BIMLIPATAM.

Additional charge by the Customs Collector of the office of the Port Conservator—
Additional pay granted. May 16, No. 208 (Ms.).

PORT OF CALICUT.

Piers upkeep—Temporary staff—Continuance—Sanctioned.
November 17, No. 477 (Ms.).
Renewal of under-beams, davits and fenders of piers—Agreement executed by
Messrs. Braithwaite & Co. (India), Ltd., Bombay—Ratified.
January 13, No. 15 (Ms.).
Renewal of under-beams, davits and fenders of piers—Agreement executed by Messrs.
Braithwaite & Co. (India), Ltd.—Extension of time—Granted.
July 7, No. 290 (Ms.).
Temporary staff for the upkeep of piers—Provision of funds—Orders passed.
January 13, No. 17 (Ms.).

PORT OF COCANADA.

Cantopher, Mr. L. G.—Operator, dredger 'Gouthami'—Proposal to enter into an
agreement for five years—Approved. October 15, No. 416 (Ms.).
Dredger 'Gouthami'—Post of Assistant Dipper—Tender abolished—Post of Turner
and of Fitter—Sanctioned. April 23, No. 160 (Ms.).
Dredgers 'Gouthami' and 'Coromandel' and Hepper barges—Retention of the
crew during the period of lay-up—Sanctioned. October 11, No. 411 (Ms.).
Establishment—Police Patrol launch—Port Police and Shoe Dhonie—Retention up
to 31st March 1933—Sanctioned. April 20, No. 151 (Ms.).
Ground rent for timber stored in port land—Free period of three days to be reckoned
from the date of completion of the landing—Notification issued.
October 10, No. 406 (Ms.).
Hire charges for shearing and punching machines, etc.—Revision—Approved.
June 8, No. 245 (Ms.).
New launch for patrol work—Supervision by the Engineer and ship surveyor, Madras.
September 20, No. 383 (Ms.).
New Patrol launch—Named 'Marpol.' October 10, No. 407 (Ms.).

PORT OF COCANADA—*cont.*

- New tug—Employment of crew—Sanctioned. May 12, No. 199 (Ms.).
 New tug—Named 'Charles Henderson'. May 10, No. 184 (Ms.).
 Purchase of a tug—Agreement executed by Messrs. John King & Co., Ltd.—Ratified.
 March 31, No. 129 (Ms.).
 Repairs to dredger 'Coromandel'—Estimate for Rs. 932—Sanctioned.
 November 21, No. 215 (Ms.).
 Repairs to Hopper barges of dredger 'Coromandel'—Estimate—Approved.
 May 28, No. 232 (Ms.).
 Schedule of ground rent—Proposal for the extension of free period—Dropped.
 June 13, No. 256 (Ms.).
 Retrenchment—Abolition of the posts of one tindal and four lascars and conversion
 of the post of one lascar to that of a peon on Rs. 12—18—Proposals of the Presi-
 dency Port Officer—Sanctioned. September 15, No. 370 (Ms.).
 Supply of a tug by Messrs. John King & Co., Ltd., Howrah—Payment of the balance
 due to the firm withheld for 3 months—Papers recorded.
 August 22, No. 343 (Ms.).

PORT OF COCHIN.

- Additional crew and increase of pay to the Tindal of the new 'Pilot' launch—
 Sanctioned. December 6, No. 507 (Ms.).
 Articles of furniture purchased for Mr. W. Jones—Sale—Sanctioned.
 April 28, No. 173 (Ms.).
 Assistant Harbour Master—Renting of bungalow—Agreement with Messrs. William
 Goodacre & Sons, Limited—Executed. December 8, No. 509 (Ms.).
 Bungalow occupied by Mr. S. C. T. Smith, Assistant Harbour Master—Renewal of
 lease—Approved. October 27, No. 432 (Ms.).
 Bungalow of Assistant Executive Engineer, Cochin Harbour Division—Renting for
 Mr. Brook—Approved. June 13, No. 259 (Ms.).
 Contribution from Cochin Port Fund—See under "Contributions."
 Bungalow of Assistant Executive Engineer, Cochin Harbour Division—Renting for
 Mr. B. Brook—Approved. November 18, No. 479 (Ms.).
 Cochin Landing and Shipping and Pilotage funds—Administration Report for 1930—
 31—Recorded. May 26, No. 219 (P.).
 Cochin Port Fund—Administration Report for 1930—31—Recorded.
 May 26, No. 220 (P.).
 Crew for new pilot launch—Appointment of an assistant driver in lieu of a
 Greaser—Sanctioned. August 29, No. 350 (Ms.).
 Details of general public interest—Publication—Papers recorded.
 March 4, No. 88 (Ms.).
 Dredger 'Lord Willingdon' and tug 'Kerala'—Renewal of insurance—Approved.
 August 22, No. 342 (Ms.).
 Dredger "Lord Willingdon" and tug "Kerala"—Renewal of insurance—
 Approved. August 22, No. 342 (Ms.).
 Dry dock—Schedule of rates of hire—Continued. December 21, No. 523 (Ms.).
 Estimate for Rs. 9,988 for maintenance of mark and mooring buoys during 1932—33—
 Sanctioned. July 1, No. 280 (Ms.).
 Harbour Master and Assistant Harbour Masters—Permanent retention of temporary
 posts—Orders passed. March 12, No. 102 (Ms.).
 Harbour Master and Assistant Harbour Masters—Question of revision of their pay
 to be examined in connexion with the revised scales of pay for future recruits—
 Papers recorded. March 3, No. 85 (Ms.).
 Junior Assistant Harbour Master—Renting of bungalow—Agreement with Messrs.
 William Goodacre & Sons, Ltd.—Executed. January 26, No. 28 (Ms.).
 Launch hire levied for attendance of pilots—Credit to the Pilotage Fund—
 Approved. No. 404 (Ms.).
 Mooring launch 'Vypeen'—Transfer of the cost and maintenance charges from
 the Pilotage to the Port fund—Approved. August 10, No. 328 (Ms.).
 New pilot launch—Initial cost treated as an item of capital expenditure and pro-
 vision for depreciation—Orders passed. September 26, No. 387 (Ms.).

PORT OF COCHIN—*cont.*

- New Vypeen reclamation—Lease—Rent fixed at Rs. 1,000 per acre per annum.
August 18, No. 338 (Ms.).
- Pilot boat—Sale by public auction—Approved.
April 20, No. 152 (Ms.).
- Port Conservancy Board—G.O. Ms. No. 93, dated 11th March 1932—See under
"Loan."
- Port dues on foreign steamers—Reduction refused.
February 15, No. 55 (Ms.).
- Proceedings of the Port Conservancy Board—Supply of information to press—Permis-
sion declined.
December 1, No. 500 (Ms.).
- Renting of the bungalow of Messrs. William Goodacre & Sons, Limited—Lease
ratified.
August 1, No. 317 (Ms.).
- Renting of the bungalow of Messrs. Wm. Goodacre & Sons, Ltd., for a further
period—Approved.
July 1, No. 281 (Ms.).
- Sheppard, Mr. H. A.—Appointed as officiating Harbour Master with special pay
of Rs. 50 per mensem.
July 11, No. 295 (Ms.).
- Smith, Messrs. S. C. T. and Brook, B.—Assistant Harbour Masters—Passage allow-
ance for journeys performed by their families prior to the completion of their
probation—Refused.
June 23, No. 269 (Ms.).
- Space occupied by deck cargo to be taken into account for levy of pilotage fees—
Proposal of Presidency Port Officer—Approved.
July 18, No. 301 (Ms.).
- Temporary posts of Assistant Harbour Masters—Continued.
January 20, No. 21 (Ms.).
- Temporary posts of Assistant Harbour Masters—Continued.
May 26, No. 227 (Ms.).

PORT OF COLOMBO.

- Report of the committee appointed to examine the question of the appointment
of a commission for the administration of the port—Papers recorded.
August 27, No. 348 (Ms.).

PORT OF CUDDALORE.

- Establishment—Ramnad district—Retention up to 31st March 1933—Sanctioned.
September 20, No. 381 (Ms.).
- Lease of port land to Messrs. Parry & Co., Ltd., Cuddalore—Renewal for another
year—Sanctioned.
September 26, No. 390 (Ms.).

PORT OF MADRAS.

- Assistant Harbour Master, Mr. G. Freeman—Payment of medical expenses—San-
ctioned.
July 4, No. 289 (Ms.).
- Discontinuance of the time ball at the harbour—Approved.
February 22, No. 57 (Ms.).
- Harbour Master—Mr. G. Freeman—Payment of medical expenses—Sanctioned.
January 26, No. 29 (Ms.).
- Harbour Master and Assistant Harbour Masters—Extension of the concession of
commutation of pension—Orders passed.
June 3, No. 236 (Ms.).
- Plans showing the accretion of sand around the breakwaters of the Madras Harbour
required by the Civil Engineer at Pondicherry—Forwarded to the Government of
India.
August 9, Nos. 325-26 (Ms.).
- Retrenchment in the establishment of the Deputy Port Conservator—Proposal of
the Port Trust—Sanctioned.
July 21, No. 305 (Ms.).
- Retrenchment in the overtime fees earned by the employees of the Port Fund—
Orders passed.
August 22, No. 341 (Ms.).

PORT OF MALPE.

- Construction of a jetty—Excess expenditure incurred in 1931-32—Sanctioned.
June 13, No. 260 (Ms.).
- Construction of a jetty—Revised Estimate—Sanctioned.
April 22, No. 157 (Ms.).
- Memorial for the withdrawal of the Madras Outports Landing and Shipping Fees
Act, 1885—Request declined.
September 27, No. 392 (Ms.).

PORT OF MANGALORE.

- Arrear bills for Rs. 40 for publication of the proceedings of the Port Conservancy Board in the District Gazette—Sanctioned. February 10, No. 46 (Ms.).
- Lease of port land to Mr. B. Devappa Shanbogue—Approved. August 29, No. 351 (Ms.).
- Levy of rent at Rs. 2 per mensem for portable wooden shops—Schedule of rates of rent—Revised. March 30, No. 121 (Ms.).
- Police Patrol Establishment—Employment for 9 months from 1st September 1932—Orders issued. August 27, No. 349 (Ms.).
- Purchase of a new boat for the use of the Port Officer—Sanctioned. November 30, No. 498 (Ms.).

PORT OF MASULIPATAM.

- Payment of contribution from the Landing and Shipping Fund to the Minor Ports Fund on account of the Port Conservator—Sanctioned. October 4, No. 401 (Ms.).
- Possibilities as a harbour—Proposed survey by His Exalted Highness the Nizam's Government—Views of the Local Government furnished. August 15, No. 334 (Ms.) (Confdl.).

PORT OF NEGAPATAM

- Dredger "Havelock"—Sale of scrap materials—Sanctioned. April 22, No. 158 (Ms.).
- Purchase of a new dredger in replacement of dredger 'Nega'—Proposal dropped. January 18, No. 20 (Ms.).
- Sands-pit establishment—Two peons—Abolition—Sanctioned. March 12, No. 101 (Ms.).

PORT OF PAMBAN.

- Boat establishment—Tindal reappointed as lascar—Fixation of pay—Orders issued. December 8, No. 511 (Ms.).
- Mr. W. Grant—Appointed to be Vice-Chairman. May 11, No. 189 (Ms.).
- Lightkeeper and Signaller—Revised rate of compensatory allowance—Sanctioned. May 11, No. 190 (Ms.).

PORT OF PONNANI.

- Temporary shed belonging to M.R.Ry. R. Visanji—Retention for a year—Approved. November 25, No. 486 (Ms.).

PORT OF TELlicherry.

- Overhaul of the pier—Excess expenditure—Sanctioned. January 4, No. 6 (Ms.).
- Temporary staff for the efficient upkeep of piers—Continuance for another year—Sanctioned. November 25, No. 487 (Ms.).

PORT OF TUTICORIN.

- Dredging and depositing by Grab Dredger—Estimates for 1932-33—Sanctioned. June 24, No. 271 (Ms.).
- Estimate for reconditioning steam launch "Minto"—Sanctioned. August 26, No. 346 (Ms.).
- Retrenchment in the supply of free clothing to the employees at the port of Tuticorin—Orders passed. January 13, No. 14 (Ms.).

PORT OF VIZAGAPATAM.

- Administration report for 1931-32—Recorded. June 10, No. 252 (Ms.).
- Amendment of rules regarding transit dues and transit accommodation for imports and exports—Notification of the Government of India—Republished. August 1, No. 316 (Ms.).
- Draft amendments of rules regarding transit dues and transit accommodation for imports and exports—Notification of the Government of India—Republished. June 23, No. 270 (Ms.).
- Levy of landing and shipping fees on goods and passengers—Rules—Amendment of—Notification of the Government of India—Republished. May 21, No. 216 (Ms.).

PORT QUARANTINE.

Civil Assistant Surgeon, Shiyali and Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Baindur—Actual expenses allowed in lieu of fixed travelling allowance for journeys made in connexion with port health work. May 26, No. 222 (Ms.).

Discontinuance of certain measures at Colombo and Tuticorin—Agreed to—Government of Ceylon informed. February 22, Nos. 59-60 (Ms.).

Establishment.

East Godavari district—Retention during the half-year ending 31st March 1933—Sanctioned. November 21, No. 480 (Ms.).

East Godavari district—Retention during the half-year ending 30th September 1932. March 9, No. 92 (Ms.).

Gopalpur—Retention during the half-year ending 30th September 1932—Sanctioned. March 7, No. 90 (Ms.).

Negapatam—Retention during the half-year ending 30th September 1932—Sanctioned. March 1, No. 81 (Ms.).

Port Health Establishment at Vizagapatam—Retention during the half-year ending 30th September 1932—Sanctioned. February 22, No. 62 (Ms.).

Port Health office, Madras—Retention up to 30th September 1932—Sanctioned. May 9, No. 182 (Ms.).

Establishment at the Port Health office, Madras—Retention up to 31st March 1933—Sanctioned. September 26, No. 391 (Ms.).

Port of Cuddalore—Peon under the Port Health Officer—Retention up to 31st March 1932—Sanctioned. March 30, No. 124 (Ms.).

Port of Cuddalore—Peon under the Port Health Officer—Retention up to 31st March 1933—Sanctioned. October 12, No. 413 (Ms.).

Ramnad district—Retention up to 30th September 1932—Sanctioned. April 2, No. 132 (Ms.).

Port of Negapatam—Appointment of a Sanitary Inspector in the place of a Sub-Assistant Surgeon for doing the duties of Assistant Port Health Officer—Approved. June 29, No. 279 (Ms.).

Establishment at Negapatam—Retention during the half-year ending 31st March 1933—Sanctioned. September 16, No. 377 (Ms.).

Establishment—At Vizagapatam—Retention during the half-year ending 31st March 1933—Sanctioned. September 20, No. 382 (Ms.).

Tinnevely district—Retention during the half-year ending 30th September 1932—Sanctioned. May 13, No. 196 (Ms.).

Establishment—Tinnevely district—Retention during the half-year ending 31st March 1933. November 26, No. 492 (Ms.).

International agreement for combating epidemics of dengue fever—India's participation considered unnecessary—Government of India's letter—Recorded. August 30, No. 356 (Ms.).

Peon at Dhanushkodi—Compensatory allowance reduced to annas 14. June 28, No. 277 (Ms.).

Posts of engine drivers, Boatmen, firemen, female attendant and nurse—Permanent scale of pay for new entrants—Fixed. July 25, No. 307-8 (Ms.).

Purchase of launch for patrol work—Tender of Messrs. Geo Brunton and Son, Cochin—Accepted. June 11, No. 254 (Ms.).

Repairs to boiler of the disinfection shed at Tuticorin at a cost of Rs. 200—Approved. June 8, No. 243 (Ms.).

Repairs to the boiler of the disinfection shed at Tuticorin—Additional expenditure of Rs. 50—Sanctioned. July 26, No. 311 (Ms.).

Retrenchment—Papers recorded. April 28, No. 174 (Ms.).

Rules.

Amendment of—Notified.

September 5, No. 363 (Ms.).

Amendment of—Draft notified for criticism.

April 22, No. 156 (Ms.).

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PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICE.

Contribution to be paid by General Revenues towards office expenses and contingencies on account of the Mercantile Marine Works and Light House Administration. April 14, Letter No. 148 (Ms.).

Establishment—Head clerks doing accounts work—Furnishing of security—Orders passed. October 3, No. 399 (Ms.).

Establishment—See above under "Establishment."

Officiating promotion from the posts of peons and muchis to the post of godown-keeper—Allowed. June 8, No. 247 (Ms.).

Retention of the temporary clerk for another year—Sanctioned. January 4, No. 11 (Ms.).

Retention of the temporary clerk for another year—Sanctioned. December 12, No. 513 (Ms.).

PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICER.

Appointment of the Personal Assistant to act for the Presidency Port Officer—Papers recorded. February 25, No. 72 (Ms.).

Promotion to rank of Captain—Letter from the Presidency Port Officer—Recorded. August 5, No. 322 (Ms.).

PRINTING.

Retrenchment in the preparation and printing of administration reports—Orders passed. May 26, No. 221 (Ms.).

ROYAL COMMISSION ON LABOUR.

Replies from officers regarding action on the recommendation of the Commission—Recorded. January 29, No. 31 (Ms.).

Reply from the Presidency Port Officer regarding further action of the recommendations of the Commission—Recorded. April 25, No. 163 (Ms.).

Reply from the Chairman, Madras Port Trust, regarding the further action on the recommendations of the commission in respect of the registration of dock labour—Recorded. June 11, No. 255 (Ms.).

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE OFFICERS.

Competitive examination for filling up vacancies in the Royal Indian Marine—Letter from the Public Service Commission—Communicated. July 20, No. 306 (P.).

Draft Disciplinary Rules—Views of the Local Government—Forwarded to the Government of India. June 6, No. 241 (Ms.).

Draft rules regarding medical, hospital and dental treatment—Government of India replied to. May 26, Nos. 225-6 (Ms.).

Officers holding shore appointments under civil department—Debit of leave salary—Government of India replied to. October 13, Nos. 414-15 (Ms.).

Reduction in the rates of European grade pay of officers—Government of India letter—Recorded. October 15, No. 417 (Ms.).

Royal Indian Marine officers in civil employment—Procedure for submission of applications for leave—Government of India letter—Recorded. October 7, No. 405 (Ms.).

SANITATION.

Standard declaration by wireless before the arrival of ships—Feasibility of adopting the system at the Madras Port—Views of the local Government furnished. September 6, No. 364 (Ms.).

SEAMEN.

Desertions by lascars in the United Kingdom—Warning issued by the Government of India—Communicated to the officers concerned. June 17, No. 262 (Ms.).

SHIPPING.

Shipment of coffee and pepper to Italian ports—Issue of certificates of origin by port officers—Orders passed. November 11, No. 466 (Ms.).

SHIPPING CASUALTY.

Collision of S.S. "Garada" with a raft in Cochin harbour—Threatened suit—Orders passed. June 29, No. 278 (Ms.).

SHIPS.

- Informal visits—Ships of the United States Navy—Government of India letter—
Recorded. July 4, No. 288 (Confdl.) (Ms.).
- Informal visits by ships of the United States to British Ports in India and Burma
—Papers recorded. March 21, No. 107 (Ms.).
- Statement of steamers, sailing vessels, etc., belonging to the Government of Madras—
List of additions and alterations—Forwarded to the Flag Officer Commanding and
Director, Royal Indian Marine. June 27, Nos. 273-4 (Ms.).
- Vessels belonging to the various departments to which distinguishing signals have
been allotted—List returned to the Government of India duly checked.
October 12, Letter No. 412 (Ms.).
- Visit of German Training Cruiser "Koln" to the Port of Madras—Government of
India letter—Recorded. October 1, No. 394 (Ms.).

TELEGRAMS.

- Registration of abbreviated telegraphic addresses—Orders passed.
March 21, No. 108 (Ms.).

TEMPORARY POSTS.

- Principles to be observed in fixing pay—Memorandum of the Government of India—
Recorded. February 4, No. 38 (Ms.).

TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE.

- Stay of Mr. O. Madhavan Nayar, Surveyor at Cocanada—Halting allowance—San-
ctioned. October 24, No. 421 (Ms.).
- Stay of Mr. O. Madhavan Nayar, Surveyor at Ponani—Halting Allowance—San-
ctioned. October 5, No. 402 (Ms.).

TUTICORIN HARBOUR DIVISION.

- Hire of the motor launch in charge of the Superintendent of machinery—Approved.
June 20, No. 266 (Ms.).
- Reserve stock (other than coal)—Maintenance for a further period of one year from
1st April 1932 at a maximum limit of Rs. 26,000—Sanctioned.
April 27, No. 165 (Ms.).

TUTICORIN HARBOUR WORKS.

- DeMellow, Mr. W. E., Mechanical Foreman, Cochin—Appointed to be in charge of
the surplus plant at Tuticorin. November 14, No. 469 (Ms.).
- Fraser, Mr. R. I.—Appointed as Superintendent of Machinery.
March 30, No. 118 (Ms.).
- Fraser, Mr. R. I.—Transit, pay, etc.—Sanctioned. May 10, No. 183 (Ms.).
- Staff for the upkeep of the surplus plant—Continuance for six months—Sanctioned.
February 1, No. 33 (Ms.).
- Staff for the up-keep of the surplus plant—Continuance for six months from 1st
September 1932—Sanctioned. August 15, No. 335 (Ms.).
- Staff for the upkeep of surplus plant at Tuticorin—Continuance of allowance—
Orders passed. June 8, No. 242 (Ms.).
- Surplus plant—Disposal of a 12-ton crane to the Cochin port—Approved.
June 13, No. 258 (Ms.).

TUTICORIN PORT FUND.

- Administration report for 1931-32—Recorded. November 8, No. 456 (P.).
- Investment of Rs. 50,000 from the closing balances of the fund for 1931-32 in
Government securities—Sanctioned. July 18, No. 299 (Ms.).
- Investment of Rs. 1 lakh in Government promissory notes—Chairman's letter
recorded. August 8, No. 323 (Ms.).
- Stoppage of the payment of the 5th instalment of the contribution to the com-
mittee of the Institution of Civil Engineers on deterioration of structures exposed
to sea action—Considered undesirable. May 16, No. 204 (Ms.).
- Transfer of balances of the fund—See under "Tuticorin Port Trust."

TUTICORIN PORT TRUST.

Administration and audit report for 1930-31—Recorded. January 4, No. 4 (P.).
Bouchier, I.C.S., Mr. E. W.—Appointed as Chairman.

February 6, No. 39 (Ms.).

Bryant, I.C.S., Mr. W. T.—Appointed Chairman. November 21, No. 482 (Ms.).
Continuance of the additional clerk for six months from 1st September 1932—Sanctioned.

August 18, No. 337 (Ms.).

Continuance of the temporary clerk for six months from 1st March 1932—Sanctioned.
April 20, No. 149 (Ms.).

Dredger 'Tuticorin'—Distinguishing signals allotted—Government of India letter—Recorded.

November 3, No. 450 (Ms.).

Final demonstration of dredger "Tuticorin"—Utilization of the services of Mr. Milne, Executive Engineer, Cochin Harbour Works—Orders passed.

July 8, No. 291 (Ms.).

Government servants in foreign service under the Tuticorin Port Trust—Temporary cut in pay to take effect after 31st May 1932—Approved.

September 16, No. 379 (Ms.).

Inspection of boilers of floating crafts—Orders passed. January 4, No. 2 (Ms.).

Shipping dues on salt—Reduction—Orders passed. August 4, No. 320 (Ms.).

Temporary cut in pay and leave allowances—Resolution of the Board—Recorded.

February 29, No. 75 (Ms.).

Traffic Manager and Secretary's fees—Exemption from the operation of the emergency cut of 10 per cent—Not granted.

May 19, No. 210 (Ms.).

Transfer of Rs. 5 lakhs from the Minor Ports Fund to the Port Trust Fund—Not agreed to.

April 12, No. 142 (Ms.).

Transfer of funds from the Tuticorin Port Fund to the Tuticorin Port Trust Fund—Papers recorded.

November 29, No. 494 (Ms.).

Trevelyan, I.C.S., Mr. H.—Appointed as Chairman. September 16, No. 372 (Ms.).

Trustee.

Appointment of Mr. O. Jeffcoat Smith—Notified. February 29, No. 78 (Ms.).

Appointment of Mr. A. J. F. Millar—Notified. November 17, No. 475 (Ms.).

Appointment of M.R.Ry. T. S. Ramachandra Ayyar Avargal vice M.R.Ry. P. K. Vidyasagara Mudaliyar Avargal resigned—Notified.

July 21, No. 303 (Ms.).

Election of Rao Bahadur P. C. Ayyanna Chetti Garu by the Madras Piece-goods Merchants' Association—Notified.

May 13, No. 198 (Ms.).

Election of Mr. Frederick Charles Williams by the Tuticorin Chamber of Commerce—Notified.

April 5, No. 134 (Ms.).

Election of Mr. John Park Jenkins by the Tuticorin Chamber of Commerce—Notified.

December 14, No. 516 (Ms.).

Election of Mr. W. W. Ladden of Messrs. Simpson & Co., Ltd., Madras as a Trustee of the Port of Madras—Notified.

May 11, No. 188 (Ms.).

Election of Mr. J. U. Mackintosh by the Tuticorin Chamber of Commerce—Notified.

March 12, No. 95 (Ms.).

Election of Mr. A. F. Osborne by the Tuticorin Chamber of Commerce—Notified.

June 3, No. 235 (Ms.).

Election of M.R.Ry. K. K. A. Periaswami Nādar by the Indian Chamber of Commerce—Notified.

October 1, No. 395 (Ms.).

Election of Mr. Reginald Howard Hobday by the Chamber of Commerce—Notified.

September 26, No. 388 (Ms.).

Resignation of Mr. F. B. Wathen accepted—Appointment of Mr. H. N. Colam—Notified.

April 1, No. 131 (Ms.).

Revision of the fees of the Secretary and Traffic Manager—Orders passed.

December 22, No. 524 (Ms.).

Working of dredger "Tuticorin"—Estimate for 1932-33—Sanctioned.

July 21, No. 302 (Ms.).

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