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No. 20. Read the following letter from W. KNOX, Esq., Magistrate of Masulipatam; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 19th February 1859, No. 47.

SIR,

With reference to my letter of the 21st Ultimo, No. 28, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter and of its enclosure received from Captain Ansley, Acting Commandant Masulipatam Sibbundy Corps, regarding Serjeant Brown.

From Captain T. C. ANSLEY, Acting Commandant M. S. C.; to W. KNOX, Esq., Collector of Masulipatam, dated Juggiahpett, 5th February 1859, No. 62.

SIR,

I have the honor to enclose copy of a letter from Dr. Nash of Bezorah, concerning Serjeant Brown, who has this day rejoined the Sibbundy Corps under my command.

I beg however to adhere to my opinion given in letter No. 19, from Ibrampatam, as it will be a difficult matter I fear for Serjeant Brown to shake off his old habits entirely.

From Assistant Surgeon J. P. NASH, M. D., in Medical charge District Engneer's Department, K. D; to the Officer Commanding Masulipatam Sibbundy Corps, Juggiahpett, dated Bezorah, 1st February 1859, No. 50.

SIR,

I have the honor to report for your information that Serjeant Brown of your Corps having been considered fit for duty was this day discharged from Hospital and ordered to proceed to his Corps at Juggiahpett.

I have also the honor to inform you that from further observation of his case, and from inquiries instituted, I have had occasion to modify the opinion expressed in my previous letter, being now of opinion that the man is not a confirmed drunkard, and which is further corroborated by his name not having appeared in the "Defaulter Book" for the previous five years, and the appearance of which would have prevented his nomination to the appointment which he now holds in the Sibbundy Corps. An advance of Rupees 6 has been made to the Serjeant and of 2 Rupees to each of the Orderlies from the Kistna Annicut Treasury, to enable them to proceed to Juggiahpett and which it is requested may be returned by the first opportunity.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) W. KNOX,
Magistrate.

No. 21. ORDER THEREON, No. 322; dated 11th March 1859.

The Government see no reason to modify the Resolution in para. 5 of Extract Minutes Consultation, No. 139, dated 2nd February Instant, remanding Serjeant Brown of the Masulipatam Sibbundy Corps to his own Regiment.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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No. 322.

The Govt. see no reason to modify the resolution in paras. 5 of Ex: Mins: Cons: No. 139 dated 2nd Febry. instant, remanding Sergeant Brown of the Masulipatam Sibbendy Corps to his own regiment.

Fort St. George,
11th March 1859.

To
The Magistrate of Masulipatam.