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No. 37. Read the following letter from the Controller of Military Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George, dated Fort Saint George, 26th December 1870 :—

I have the honour to bring to the notice of Government that, in two recent cases, inconvenience has been felt by this Department owing to orders affecting the accounts under the audit of the Medical Examiner being communicated directly to the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, by the Secretary to Government in the Financial Department.

2. The earlier of the two orders in question communicated to the Inspector-General a circular of the Comptroller-General of Accounts relating to the payment, by *Circle Paymasters*, of charges on account of Cantonment Lock Hospitals, and the Inspector-General promulgated the instructions therein contained to medical officers in charge of these institutions, being apparently unaware that Government had sanctioned supplies to these hospitals being made by the Commissariat Department. The result of the above proceeding was the submission of bills to the Pay Department, which that Department had no authority to entertain.

No. 423, of 13th October 1870, copy attached.

Procs. of Govt., No. 2319, of 18th August 1870.

3. The later order contained a requisition from the Government of India for certain statements, and application for them was thereupon made by the Inspector-General to this Department, when it was discovered that statements of the nature required had already been furnished to the Controller-General of Military Expenditure to meet the requisition from the Government of India as previously communicated.—*Vide* letter of Controller-General, No. 528-A, of 27th October 1870.

No. 426, of 22nd October 1870, copy attached.

4. In both these cases much unnecessary correspondence followed, which might have been obviated if this Department had been made the channel through which the orders in question were communicated to the Department concerned.

Transferred to the Financial Department.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
4*th January* 1871.

(Signed) A. T. WILDE, Major-General,
*Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.*

No. 38. ORDER THEREON, 12th January 1871, No. 23.

To be recorded.

(True Extract.)

*Chief Secretary.*

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of Madras.

FINANCIAL.

*Dated January,* 12*th.*

*Recd.* ——

*G. O.,* 12*th January* 1871, *No.* 23.

**JANUARY.**
**Nos. 37-38.**

Recording letter from the Controller of Military Accounts, bringing to notice that, in two recent cases, inconvenience has been felt by his Department owing to orders affecting the accounts under the audit of the Medical Examiner being communicated directly to the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, by the Secretary to Government in the Financial Department.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,*
*22nd October* 1870.

No. 23. Read the following letter from the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Simla, 30th September 1870, No. 3685:—

I am directed to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, you will be good enough to furnish to this department, as an appendix to the Budget Estimate for 1871-72, a statement of the stores which have been, or may be, indented for from England for supply during 1871-72, with their values as expected to be a charge in the English accounts of that year.

2. A corresponding statement of actuals for the three years ended 1869-70 should also be supplied, if possible, in the same Table with the estimate.

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No. 24. ORDER THEREON, 22nd October 1870, No. 436.

Communicated to the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, Director of Public Instruction, the Master Attendant, and the Government Astronomer, with a view to their furnishing, for submission to the Government of India, statements of the stores indented for from England for supply during 1871-72, with their values.

2. Corresponding statements of actuals for three years will also be furnished.

(True Extract.)

Signed, R. S. Ellis.
*Chief Secretary.*

To the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines.
,, Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.
,, Director of Public Instruction.
,, Master Attendant.
,, Government Astronomer.

Surgeon
Secy Insp Genl I.M.D.

Ed. J. H. Burns.

No: 3803

Circular Memorandum

The following Circular by the Comptroller General of Accounts received through the Madras Government, Financial Department, regarding payments on account of Cantonment Lock Hospitals is forwarded to the Dy Inspectors General, Indian Medical Department, Southern Districts, for communication to the Medical Officers in charge of such institutions.

(By Order)

Office of Inspr General Indian Medl Dept
Fort St George, 25th October 1870

R. J. G. Bidie, M. D. Surgeon
Secy to Insp. Genl, I. M. D.

Financial Department

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Read the following:-

Payments on account of Cantonment Lock Hospls

Comptroller General's Office
Central Accounts Branch
Calcutta, the 28th Septr 1870

Circular No 117.

From

The Controller General

To

All Accountants General

Sir,

At the instance of the Military

Accountant

Govt. of India 1870 Madras
FINANCIAL.
To
The INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF ORDNANCE AND MAGAZINES &c. &c.
Dated October 22nd.
Read.
G. O., 22nd October 1870, No. 430.
Fin. Dept. 1870.
OCTOBER.
Nos. 23-24.
Requesting the Heads of certain Departments to furnish, for submission to the Government of India, statements of the stores indented for from England for supply during 1871-72, with their values, and also corresponding statements of actuals for three years.
Ans. Feb. 10/71.

Office of Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St. George, 26 December 1850.

No.

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The Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St. George,

To
The Secretary to Government
Military Department

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Result

Fort St George
4th Jan'y 1871.

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A. Wilde Mayor Genl
Secy to Govt

Financial
Military

From 1078 Dept.
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The Controller of Military Accounts,

Fort St. George,

To

The Secretary to Government
Military Department

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Dated 26 December
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Regarding Communication of Orders by the Financial Department affecting the Military Accounts -

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Make a note of this for future guidance
DR

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Dated Jan.y 12.

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G. O. 12 Jan.y 1870. No. 23.

Nos. 37. 38.

Recording letter from the Comm.r of Jails. Accounts bringing to notice that in his recent cases inconvenience has been felt by his Dept: owing to orders affecting the accounts under the audit of the Accl. Examiner being communicated direct by, to the Insp.r Genl. Jud.l Pub.c Dept. by the Secy. to Govt. in the Jud.l Dept.