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No. 142. Read the following letter from the Acting Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 18th October 1871, No. 345 :—

With reference to paragraph 6 of G. O., No. 486, of 25th September 1871, I have the honour to forward, for the information of Government, the letter marginally noted from the Superintendent-General of Vaccination, in which he expresses his opinion that one Vaccinator will not be sufficient for the Neilgherry Hills.

No. 1050 of 12th October, to the Secy., Inspr.-Genl., Indian Medical Dept.

2. In this view I coincide with Surgeon Shortt, inasmuch as the villages of the hill tribes are much scattered, the people timid, and travelling difficult. I, therefore, beg to recommend that, as heretofore, two Vaccinators be employed in the Neilgherry Circle.

No. 143. ORDER THEREON, 28th October 1871, No. 616.

The Government concur with the Acting Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, and Dr. Shortt.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.
,, Board of Revenue.

Exd. J. Wright.

Office of Supt. General of Vaccination
Madras Presidency
Madras the 12th October 1871.

No 1050

From

The Supt. General of Vaccination
Madras Presidency

To

The Secretary Inspector General
Sanitary Medical Department

Sir

With reference to the Proceedings of Government dated 26th September 1871 No 486 and the Inspector General's letter No 5224, I have the honor to offer the following explanation regarding the Proceedings recorded on Vaccination.

2° I had a letter from the Government Pleader of the Salisbury Bills on July last, since copy and apply attached, requesting to know if the Service of our Vaccinators would not suffice for the Bills. The apply I forwarded and the attendants dispensed since to the very little Villages are scattered and the Circuited area on which the Vaccinators work, but if the Municipality desire

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when their Vaccinator is unable to attend in the performance of
his duties and Villages in that area of Shanghai
at the time that a second Government Vaccinator
might be dispensed with, but I know that
no reply to my communications.

3 Having since considered the question more
carefully, I am of opinion that even if the
work of Municipal Vaccinator should be made
available it is not wholly to prevent Subpostacy.

4 Under the circumstances the services two
Vaccinators are absolutely necessary, the Hill
people are timid and different, and it takes
months time to coax them to submit to Vaccination,
and owing to constant shifting of Chinese coolies
&c on the Hills, they frequently convey the
infection of Small pox with them, and
this disease when it takes a hold on
the Hill people occasions greater ravages than
on the natives of the plains, and considering
all the attendant circumstances I believe
that

that the services of two Vaccinators are necessary
for work on the Hills.

I have &c.

(Signed) John Scott M.D.

Supt. General of Vaccination

(True Copy)

Sd Shazwa

Secretary to Inspector General

Sanitary Medical Department.

No. 345

Office of Inspector General, Indian Medical Department,

Fort Saint George, 18th October 1871.

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The acting Inspector General, Indian Medical Department,

Fort Saint George,

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

Public Department.

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Sir
Your most Obedt Servant.

Colonel H. Wilson Hunt
Acting Inspector General
Indian Medical Depart.

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From

Inspector General,
Indian Medical Department,
Fort Saint George,

To

Dated 18th
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Submits explanation as
to the necessity of
employing 2 Vaccinators
on the Nelgherry Hills

With an order

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