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No. 234. Read the following letter from Surgeon-General E. G. BALFOUR, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Honourable D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 4th May 1874, No. 202 :—

With reference to paragraph 5 of my letter, No. 70, dated 17th February, I have the honour to mention that the President of the Local Fund Board, Chingleput District, has brought to my notice that he had asked me to refer to Government the case of the Sydapet Dispensary, and obtain permission either to retain there the present Hospital Assistant, or to replace him by a *Native* Hospital Apprentice.

2. On re-perusal now of the former letters, &c., from Mr. Barlow, I find that I was, as he says, asked to make the required reference to Government, and, as Mr. Barlow now repeats this request, I have the honour to ask the orders of Government whether the Hospital Assistant of the Sydapet Dispensary shall be retained or relieved by a Warrant Medical Officer or a Hospital Apprentice.

3. I beg to mention that there is no *Native* Hospital Apprentice available, but that Apprentices of European descent are so. It is, however, necessary to bring to the notice of Government that the recently received orders of the Government of India in the Military Department seemingly forbid the employment in civil duties of military officers, unless with the previous sanction of the Government of India.

No. 1003, dated 26th March 1874.

No. 235. ORDER THEREON, 27th May 1874, No. 900.

Under the circumstances reported, the Hospital Assistant at present in charge of the Sydapet Dispensary may be retained in the post, provided that his services are not required in the Military Department.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Surgeon-General, **Indian Medical Department.**
,, Military Department.
,, **Board of Revenue.**

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Dept of 1874 [illegible]

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To

THE SURGEON-GENERAL,
INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated May, 27th.

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G.O., 27th May 1874, No. 900.

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Nos. 234-235.

Sydapet Dispensary.—The Hospital Assistant at present in charge of the Dispensary ordered to be retained in the post, provided that his services are not required in the Military Department.

No. 202

OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL, I. M. D.,
Fort Saint George, 4th May 1874.

From

SURGEON-GENERAL EDWARD BALFOUR,
Surgeon-General,
Indian Medical ~~Service~~ Dept
Fort Saint George,

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Financial Department
Fort Saint George.

SIR,

With reference to para 5 of my letter No. 70 dated 17th February, I have the honor to mention, that the President of the Local Fund Board, Chingleput district, has brought to my notice, that he had asked me to refer to Government the case of the Sydapet Dispensary, and to learn permission either to retain there the present Hospital Assistant, or to replace him by a Native Hospital Apprentice.

2. On reperusal now of the former letters, &c, from Mr. Barlow, I find that I was, as he says, asked to make the required reference to Government, and, as Mr. Barlow now repeats this request, I have the honor to ask the orders of Government, whether the Hospital Assistant of the Sydapet Dispensary shall be retained, or relieved by a warrant Medical Officer or a Hospital Apprentice.

3. I beg to mention, that there is no Native Hospital Apprentice available, but that Apprentices of European descent are so. It is, however, necessary to bring to the notice of Government, that the recently received orders of the Government of India, in the Military Department, seemingly for

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Order of Oct 27 May 1874 No 900.
Under the circumstances reported the Hospital assistant in charge of the present Said Post dispensary may be retained on the Post provided that his services are not required in the Military Dept

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From

Surgeon-General E. Balfour,
Surgeon-General,
Indian Medical Service,
Fort Saint George,

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Fort St. George.

Dated 4th May.
Despatched —do—
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No. 202
Subject,

Requests Orders regarding the Council of the Hospl Assistant of the Hospital Dispensary.

No 234 —

No 1093 dated 26th March 74.

The Surgeon Genl's Department, in first letter, of [illegible]
Madras.

Please let Assist Surgeon
Allan Mackenzie
Main Medical Staff.

Memorandum
for Orders

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Orders

Dr Balfour states that Dr Barlow has asked him to represent to Govt that the native Hospital Assistants at the said Dispensary should either be retained or replaced by a native Hospital Apprentice. - No native Hospital Apprentice is available, and Govt have recently issued Orders & Regulations & the rule that no Hospital Assistant can be in independent charge.

The order of the Govt of India referred to will probably be modified on receipt of the late Proceedings of Govt and Dr Balfour has been instructed & proceed as usual as a temporary measure.

From previous correspondence it is like one that Hospital Assistant

are now required for
military purposes than
the others. - If an ex-
ception is permissible in
this case Dr Balfour
might be informed
that the Hospital Offi-
taub can be retained
provided he is not
required for military pur-
poses.

JL