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No. 23. Read the following letter from G. S. FORBES, Esq., Agent to the Governor in Ganjam; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Chetterpore, 3rd October 1859, No. 226.

With reference to the Proceedings of Government under date the 12th Ultimo, No. 1231, lately forwarded to me in explanation of their views regarding the amalgamation of the Orissa Agency with that of Ganjam, I have the honor to point out that one subject of some importance has apparently escaped the attention of the Government, namely, that on the withdrawal of Regular Troops from Russelcondah, it will be necessary to appoint a 2nd in command to the Assistant Agent, who has command of the 400 Ganjam Sibbundies, independent of any new arrangement regarding the Agencies. This Officer has Magisterial and Criminal functions as well as Civil causes which occupy a great part of his day; and it is not only desirable for the sake of discipline, that a 2nd in command should assist him in the charge of these 4 Companies, but a matter of importance, that on the occasion of actual service being required from the Sibbundies, the Officer in charge should not be entirely alone and the men left without a Commander in the event of accident or illness befalling him.

I trust also that Government will see fit to place a Medical Officer in charge of the 600 men and their Officers, who will remain at Russelcondah when the Regiment withdraws. I have already* had the honor to lay before the Government, in connection with these appointments, the names of Dr. Traill now attached to the 43rd and Captain Dun of the same Regiment, both Officers acquainted with the country and climate and otherwise well qualified for the duties proposed for them.

* Letter No. 152, dated 9th June 1859.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, 24th October 1859, No. 1435.

Resolved that a copy of the above letter be furnished to the Director General, Medical Department, and that he be requested in reference to paragraph 2, to state what arrangements he would propose for affording Medical aid to the Ganjam and Orissa Sibbundies, on the 43rd Regiment N. I. being withdrawn from Russelcondah.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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Order thereon. 24 October 1859 No 1435

Resolved that a copy of the above letter be furnished to the Director General Ind. Dept. and that he requested to report to para 2. to state what arrangements he would propose for affording financial aid to the Jeypore & Orissa Lieuts. - dies on H.M. Reg & I being with- - drawn from Russellconda.

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