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Local & Munl. (1895) Department.

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G.O., No. 1808 M

DATED 31st October 1895

[Despatch Abstract.]

Medical Stores.

Sanctioning, with remarks, the payment from Provincial funds, as usual, of one half of the cost of medicines, &c., indented for the current year for the use of the Native Infirmary, the Black Town Dispensary and Sir Ramaswami Mudaliyar's Lying-in Hospital.

BACK PAPERS.

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No. 1808 M., 31st October 1895.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—again the following paper :—

G.O., Mis. No. 1092 M., dated 10th July 1895.

Abstract.—Requesting the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, and the Surgeon-General to quote the authority under which a moiety of the cost of medical stores supplied to certain institutions since 1881 has been debited to Provincial funds. cap

Read—also the following papers .—

From the President, Municipal Commission, dated Madras, 20th July 1895, G.-No. 235.

Abstract.—Forwarding a copy of letter, No. 1248-M.C.G., dated 26th April 1895, from the Examiner of Commissariat Accounts regarding moiety of the cost of medical stores supplied to the Native Infirmary and the Black Town Dispensary being debited to Provincial funds. cap

From the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, dated Ootacamund, 2nd August 1895, No. 533-T.

Abstract.—Stating his inability to quote any order of Government as authority under which a moiety of the cost of medical stores supplied to the Native Infirmary and Black Town Dispensary has been debited to Provincial funds since 1881. cap

From the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, dated Ootacamund, 10th August 1895, No. 570-T.

Abstract.—Requesting the early decision of Government in the matter of the moiety of the cost of medicines supplied to the Native Infirmary and the Black Town Dispensary.

From the Examiner of Commissariat Accounts, dated Fort St. George, 6th September 1895, No. 7529-M.C.G.

Abstract.—Forwarding copy of a letter from the Surgeon, First District, Madras, to the late Examiner of Medical Accounts, regarding the distribution of the cost of the medicines and instruments supplied to the Native Infirmary and Black Town Dispensary.

Order—No. 1808 M., dated 31st October 1895.

The orders under which a moiety of the cost of the medicines, &c., required for the Native Infirmary, the Black Town Dispensary and Sir Ramaswami Mudaliyar's Lying-in Hospital has been hitherto defrayed from Provincial funds cannot be traced, and the grounds for the adoption of such a course are not altogether clear. cap

2. As, however, a committee will shortly be sitting to consider the whole question of the organization and management of the three institutions, the Government will await the receipt of its report before proceeding to pass final orders upon the matter.

cap

3. In the meantime the Government will sanction the payment from Provincial funds, as usual, of one-half of the cost of medicines, &c., indented for in the current year for the use of the three institutions.

4. The matter referred to in the second letter from the Surgeon-General read above appears to be one which the Municipal Commissioners of Madras and the Trustees of the Monegar Choultry should settle among themselves.

(True Extract.)

for *Chief Secretary*.

To the Financial Department.
" Accountant-General.
" Surgeon-General.
" President, Madras Municipal Commission.
" Secretary, Monegar Choultry Trustees.
" Public Department.

Exd, J. P. Oliver.

Govt. of {1895} Madras.

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Medical Stores.

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Madras Municipality.

From

The President,
Municipal Commission,
MADRAS.

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

G. No. 235

Dated 20" July 1895
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Abstract

SUBJECT.

~~Forwarding~~ a copy of letter No: M.C.G/1248 dated 26' april '95 from the Examiner of Commissariat Accts re invoice of the cost of Medical Stores supplied to the Native Infirmary and the Black Town Dispensary, the expense being debited to Provincial Funds.

P.T.O.

So lie over pending receipt of the reply from the Surgeon General.

Refer

Please [illegible] papers to ascertain the cost of medicines supplied to the Native Infirmary is a Provl. charge.

Hy 31/7

Record papers for papers.
Ry 31/7

Papers put up. On the papers [illegible]

Put up. Record the papers [illegible]

a/29/7/95

C. M. Moore Lt. Col.
President, Municl. Commn.

Military Accounts Department
Madras Circle

No. M.C.G / 124

From

The Examiner of Commissariat Accounts
Fort St. George

To

The President,
Municipal Commission, Madras.

Madras, the 26th of April 1895.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 729 d/ 12th March 1895, I have the honor to state that agreeably to Proceedings of Govt. Financial Department No. 2207 d/ 24th November 1880, herewith sent, to be kindly returned, the cost of Medical Stores supplied to the Black Town Dispensary should be a Municipal charge.

2. One Indent being generally prepared both for the Black Town Dispensary and Native Infirmary and one Stock of Medicines being maintained for these hospitals a moiety of the cost of Medical Stores has been debited to the Municipality and the other moiety to the "Civil." vide letter No. 369 dated 3rd April 1882 from the Surgeon 1st District to the Examiner of Medical Accounts

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cmo 2788/95

I have the honor to be,
Sir
your most obedt. servant,
(Sd) C.E. Mardall Captain
Examiner of Comst. Accounts.

(True Copy)

E.W.W. Moore Lt. Col.

President, Muncl Commn

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Military Accounts Department
Madras Circle

No. M.C.G.
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cno 2788/95

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G. No. 235

MUNICIPALITY OF MADRAS,

General Department.

Madras, 20th July 1895

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From

LIEUT.-COL. G. M. J. MOORE, C. I. E.,

President, Municipal Commission.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government.
Fort St George.

SIR,

With reference to G.O. dated 10 July 1895, No. 1092, M. Mis, on the question of a moiety of the cost of Medical Stores supplied to the Native Infirmary and the Black Town Dispensary, Madras, being debited to Provincial Funds since 1881, I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of letter from the Examiner of Commissariat Accounts, No. M.C.G./1240, dated 26 April 1895, addressed to me, on the subject.

Enclosure. 1

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your most Obedt servant,
G M J Moore Lt Col
President, Munl Commn

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OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL

WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Ootacamund ~~Madras,~~ 2 August 1895.

L Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 2493M

No 7533

Encl.

From

SURGEON MAJOR-GENERAL C, SIBTHORPE,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Madras,

To

THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Local and Municipal DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

With reference to G. O. No. 1092 M. Mis of 10th July 1895, Local and Municipal, I have the honor to state that I regret my inability to quote any Order of Government as authority under which a moiety of the cost of Medical Stores supplied to the Native Infirmary and Black Town Dispensary has been debited to Provincial Funds since 1881.

2. I may state that ever since the work of recovering the cost of Medical Stores supplied to Local Fund and Municipal Hospitals and Dispensaries was transferred to this Office, the Examiner of Medical Accounts Madras (now Examiner of Commissariat Accounts) has been debiting a moiety of the cost of Medical Stores supplied to the institutions in question to Provincial Funds.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

C Sibthorpe
Surgeon Major General
Surgeon General
with the Govt. of Madras.

M.D.

C.no 2500 L/95 M

Local & Municipal Dept.

Local and Municipal (1895) DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT No. 2493 M

From

SURG. MAJOR-GEN. C. SIBTHORPE,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

~~Madras,~~

To

No. T/533

ENCLOSURES.

Dated 2° } August 1895.
Recd.

No.

CHIEF SECRETARY
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Abstract

Subject.

Stating his inability to quote any order of Government as authority under which a moiety of the cost of Medl. Stores supplied to the Native Infirmary and Black Town Dispensary has been debited to Provincial Funds since 1881.

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OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL

WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Ootacamund ~~Madras,~~ 10th Aug. 1895.

Local & Municipal Dept.

CURRENT No. 2567 M

From

SURGEON MAJOR-GENERAL C. SIBTHORPE, F.R.C.P.I.,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

~~Madras,~~

To

THE Hon'ble the Chief Secretary to Government.

Local & Municipal Department.

SIR,

I have the honor to bring the following matter to the notice of Government for favor of early orders.

2. For the last 14 years the Government and the Madras Municipality had borne a moiety each of the cost of medicines &ca. supplied to the Native Infirmary and Black Town Dispensary but as stated in my letter No. T/533 of the 2d. Instant I am not in a position to quote the authority. Since the establishment of Sir Ramasawmy Moodelliar's Lying-in Hospital its requirements were also met from this supply.

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3. Accordingly on the 2d. May 1895 the Surgeon 1st District forwarded as usual the joint requisition for the countersignature of the President, but in this it was for the first time pointed out that the supplies were required for the three institutions referred to above. On receipt of this requisition the President declined to sanction the inclusion in it of the cost of

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OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL

WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

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Ootacamund 10th Aug: ~~Madras,~~ 1895.

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 2567 M

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Local and Municipal (1895) Department.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
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Dated 2° } August 1895.
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OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL
WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

No. Tons 570
Encl.

Ootacamund 10th Aug. 1895.
~~Madras.~~

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 2567 M

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medicines for the Sir Ramasawmy Moodelliar's Lying-in Hospital on the ground that the Municipality had nothing whatever to do with that Institution -

4. The Surgeon 1st District accordingly expunged the medicines &ca. required for the Ramasawmy Lying-in Hospital and the indent was sanctioned by the President Municipal Commission -

5. A separate indent for the Ramasawmy Lying-in Hospital was submitted by the Medical Officer to the Honorary Secretary and Treasurer Monegar Choultry for sanction and countersignature, as there is a large separate endowment (Rs 50,000) in the hands of the Monegar Choultry Trustees for the up keep of the Lying-in Hospital and from which they provide for the salaries of the establishment, the bedding and clothing and the diet of the patients in that institution, but he declines to sanction the indent for medicines &ca. with the remark that they should as usual be included in the General Medical indent of which Government pays a moiety.

6. Whether this moiety is intended to include the cost of medicines &ca. for the Ramasawmy Lying-in Hospital as well as for the Native Infirmary, there is nothing definite to show, but I consider that as long as Government bear a moiety of the cost, the Municipality ought not to object to the arrangement hitherto in force being continued as regards the Ramasawmy Lying-in Hospital

7. I referred the matter to the Accountant General who is unable to give any advice in the matter and considers that the question at issue viz: whether there is any objection to the medicines supplied to the Native Infirmary and the Black Town Dispensary being distributed between all the three being an administrative one, the orders of Government should be obtained in the matter.

I accordingly request the favor of early decision of Government on this letter.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obdt. Servant

C Sibthorpe
Surgeon-Major-General
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Madras

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(189) DEPARTMENT.

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 2569 M

From

FR SURGN. MAJOR-GENL. C. SIBTHORPE, F.R.C.P.I.,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

~~Madras~~,

To

CHIEF SECRETARY
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

No. 2/570

ENCLOSURES.

Dated 10th } Aug. 1895.
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Abstract Subject.

Requests early decision of Govt. in the matter of the moiety of the cost of medicines supplied to Native Infirmary & Black Town Dispensary

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 2488 M

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From

The Examiner of Commissariat Accounts, Fort St George

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No. MC 1/7529

Dated 6-9-95

Received 6-9-95

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Abstract

SUBJECT

Forwarding a copy of letter from the Surgeon 1st District Madras to the late Examiner of Medical Accounts regarding the aportion of the cost of medicines and instruments.

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MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT,

MADRAS CIRCLE,

It is requested that the number and date of this communication may be quoted in any subsequent correspondence on this subject.

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Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 2788 M

From

THE EXAMINER OF COMMISSARIAT ACCOUNTS,

FORT ST. GEORGE,

ENCLOSURES.

To

THE Chief Secretary to Government
Local & Municipal Department
Fort St. George

MADRAS, the 6th of Sep: 1895.

Sir,

As requested in your Memo No. dated 23rd August 1895 I have the honor to forward herewith a Copy of letter No. 369 d/ 3rd April 1882 from the Surgeon 1st District Madras to the late Examiner of Medical Accounts.

x Requisition -

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obdt: Servant,
C. Mardale Captain
Examiner of Comst: Accounts

Encl

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No. 369.

Office of the Surgeon 1st District
Madras 3rd April 1882

To
The Examiner of Medical Accounts
Madras

Sir,

In reply to your docket No. 111 P d/ 1st April 1882 I have the honor to inform you that the Cost of the Syringes to be debited partly to the Government and partly to the Municipality.

I do not recollect making any indent for the Black Town Dispensary since. It has been ruled that the Cost of medicines and instruments is to be divided between Govt: & Municipality. In future all Indents will be sent in for the Native Infirmary.

(Signed) D. R. Thomson
Surgeon 1st District.

(True Copy)

(Signed) G. W. Walker M.D.
Surgeon Major
Surgeon 1st District.

(True Copy)

C. Mardall Capt Askd
for Examiner y for the procedure

Again G.O., dated 10th July 1895, ~~189~~, No. 1092 M.

Current No. 2350 M. of 1895, dated 20th July 1895, from the President, M.C., Madras.

Current No. 2493 M. of 1895, dated 2nd August 1895, from the Surgeon-General.

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FOR ORDERS.

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2. The President of the Municipal Commission & the Surgeon-General who were asked to quote the authority for the procedure

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As regards the other two institutions, the note states that 'the medicines for the native infirmary seem to be a legitimate charge on Provl.' – But I don't understand why this should be so. The native infirmary is maintained by the trustees of the Monegar Choultry, is it not? If so, why should Govt. pay for medicines used there?

In replying, please send also the file which came round the other day about a Commee. to enquire into the management of the Black Town Dispensary (with which I believe the native infirmary is worked as one institution) and to make suggestions for improvements therein. –

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procedure above referred to, are not able to do so. The President, however, submits a copy of a communication from the Examiner of Commissariat Accounts, in which it is stated that the cost of medical stores supplied to the Black Town dispensary should under G.O. dated 24th November 1880, No. 2207 Financial, be wholly met from municipal funds, and that, as a single indent is generally prepared both for this institution and for the Native Infirmary and as a common stock of medicines is maintained for them, a moiety of the cost of medical stores has been debited to the municipal funds and the other moiety to Provincial Funds. It is not, however, stated by whom this arrangement was sanctioned. ~~But apart from this,~~ It is admitted on all hands that a moiety of the cost has all along been debited to Provincial Funds. ~~and as~~ This ~~re-~~ ~~present~~ the cost of the medicines required for the use of the Native

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Copy of the letter from the Surgn. 1st District referred to in para. 2 of this (C. No. 278 P.M.) has also been obtained but this throws no additional light upon the subject.

of the total supply of medicines required for both hospitals

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and paid for from Provincial, the Commr. being left to pay for those required in the Black Town Dispensary.

Makes it evident that Govt. has also been paying for half the medicines supplied to the Ramaswami Mudaliyar Lying-in Hospital. He says this institution has always supplied itself from the stock obtained on the indent for the Black Town Dispensary & the Native Infirmary, & that this indent was in reality an indent for the needs of all three hospitals, though it was never stated upon it that it was such. He

Infirmary seem to be a legitimate charge on ~~the Madras Municipality seems~~ Provincial, & it may perhaps be ordered that ~~reasonable~~ they should henceforth be separately indented for.

3. In the third of the current read above, the Surgeon-General, complains against the action of the President in objecting to the inclusion of the medicines, required for Sir Ramaswami Mudaliyar's Lying-in-Hospital, in the indent for the Black Town dispensary & the Native Infirmary. ~~on the ground~~ The Prest. objected ~~that~~ because the municipality has nothing whatever to do with that institution which has a separate endowment of its own amounting to Rs 50,000 in the hands of the trustees of the Monegar Choultry, from which the cost of the establishment, bedding, clothing and diet of patients is met. The Honorary Secretary & Treasurer of the Monegar Choultry, in his turn, declines to sanction the separate indent for medicines submitted (after the President objected to paying for them) for the Ramaswami Lying-in-Hospital, stating that they should, as usual, be included in the general medical indent a moiety of the cost of which

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V.R.
17/8/95

It is not clear why Govt. should pay for the Ramasami Mudaliyar medicines. The Monegar Choultry Secretary may perhaps be asked to show on what grounds the claim is made. If Govt. pays half eventually, it is still not clear why the Municipality should pay the other half. The Commrs. & the Monegar Choultry Trustees may perhaps be left to settle this among themselves. It appears to be no affair of Govt's.

WC 12.9.95

I submit that Govt. should certainly not pay anything towards the cost of medicines &c for the Ramaswamy Moodelliar Hospital. The charges are clearly debitable to the Endowment Fund. The Municipality is distinctly not liable.
14/9/95

I should not like to do anything to diminish the resources of the allied institutions (the Ramasami Lying-in Hospital, the Native Infirmary & the Black Town dispensary) while the question of their future management under consideration, especially s they are used for the training of Hospl. Astts. — Half the cost of medicines &c may therefore be paid m Provl. as hitherto, for the current ear — The question of the continuance f this grant will have to lie over ntil the Comtee now sitting reports

HS
28/10/95

Note for H.M. with refce to his note dated 16.9.95. within.—

What was meant by the expression in the note for orders referred to by H.M. was that as the Native Infirmary was a public institution conferring benefit upon the inhabitants of the whole Presidency Town, & being the main hospital for Black Town, the Govt. might fairly contribute towards its upkeep just as it does to the General Hospital. It appeared to be on a different footing to the Ramasami Hospital, with its separate endowment, & the Black Town Dispensary, which appeared to be a Municipal Institution.

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2. The file asked for by H.M.

is paid by Government. There is nothing definite to show whether this moiety ~~is~~ was ever intended to include the cost of medicines &c required for the Ramaswami Hospital also, but the Surgeon-General is of opinion that as long as Government bears a moiety of the cost, the municipality ought not to object to the practice hitherto in force being continued as regards the Ramaswami Hospital.

V.R.
17/8/95

It is not clear why Govt. should pay for the Ramasami Mudaliyar medicines. The Monegar Choultry Secretary may perhaps be asked to show on what grounds the claim is made. If Govt. pays half eventually, it is still not clear why the Municipality should pay the other half. The Commr. & the Monegar Choultry Trus[tees] may perhaps be left to settle this among themselves. It appears to be no affair of Govt's.

W.C. 12.9.95

I submit that Govt. should certainly not pay anything towards the cost of medicines &c for the Ramasamy Moodelliar Hospital. The charges are clearly debitable to the Endowment Fund. The Municipality is distinctly not liable.
14/9/95

I should not like to do anything to diminish the resources of the allied institutions (the Ramasami Lying-in Hospital, the Native Infirmary & the Black Town dispensary) while the question of their future management is under consideration, especially as they are used for the training of Hospl. Assts. — Half the cost of medicines &c may therefore be paid from Provl. as hitherto, for the current year — The question of the continuance of this grant will have to lie over until the Comm[ittee] now sitting reports

28/10/95

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is put up. Orders have been passed on it in G.O. $\frac{832}{7.10.95}$ Pub.

3. The arrangement under which the Madras Mun. pays Govt. Rs 50000 annually has no direct bearing on this question. (Please see G.O.s $\frac{1217}{23.11.86}$ (Financial) and $\frac{753.M.}{4.5.92}$).

28/10/95.

W 12.10.95

Contribution from Provincial for medicines for certain hospitals in Madras Municipality.

H.M. (for orders).

[G./24]
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Loc. DEPARTMENT.

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Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G. O., dated 10-7- 1895, No. 1092 M.
Again G. O., dated 189 , No.
Current No. 2350 M. of 1895, dated from

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Current No. 2493 M of 1895, dated from
2569. M — 5
2788. M. — 5

ORDER. No 1808 M.P. 31-10-95

The orders under which a moiety of the cost of the medicines etc. required for the Native Infirmary, the Black Town Dispensary & Sir Ramasami Mudaliyar's Lying-in Hospital has been hitherto defrayed from Provincial Funds cannot be traced, & the grounds for the adoption of such a course are not altogether clear.

2. As however a Committee will shortly be sitting to consider the whole question of the organization and management of the three institutions the Govt. will await the receipt of its report before proceeding to pass final orders upon the matter.

3. In the meantime the Govt. ~~considers that the indents for the three institutions may be lumped together as usual and will meet half the cost of these~~ ~~, medicines etc. in them~~ ~~from Provincial Funds & in the current year~~. will sanction the payment from Prov. Funds as usual of one half of the cost of the medicines etc. indented for in the current year for the use of the three institutions.

4. The matter referred to in the second letter from the Surgeon-General read above appears to be one which the ~~Trustees~~ Municipal Commrs. of Madras & the Trustees of the Monegar Choultry should settle among themselves.

W 30.10.95

(from orders).

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30/10/95

To Finl. Dept.
Acct. General
Surg. General
Prest. Madras Muni. Commn.
Sec. Monegar Choultry Trustees.
Public Dept. 6
1-11-95

Despt 29/11/95

Office note to Public Dept.

Please communicate to L & M. the report of the Committee referred to in G.O. $\frac{832 \text{ (Pub)}}{7.10.95}$, and any orders that may be passed thereon.

W 30.10.95

Despd. 1/11/95

Contribution from Provincial to cost of medicines etc. for Native Infirmary etc. in Madras.—

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(from orders)

Note for CA

Should not this be printed?

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No. 1808 M., 31st October 1895.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—again the following paper:—

G.O., Mis. No. 1092 M., dated 10th July 1895.

Abstract.—Requesting the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, and the Surgeon-General to quote the authority under which a moiety of the cost of medical stores supplied to certain institutions since 1881 has been debited to Provincial Funds.

Read—also the following papers.—

From the President, Municipal Commission, dated Madras, 20th July 1895, G.-No. 235.

Abstract.—Forwarding a copy of letter, No. 1248-M.C.G., dated 26th April 1895, from the Examiner of Commissariat Accounts regarding moiety of the cost of medical stores supplied to the Native Infirmary and the Black Town Dispensary being debited to Provincial Funds.

From the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, dated Ootacamund, 2nd August 1895, No. 533-T.

Abstract.—Stating his inability to quote any order of Government as authority under which a moiety of the cost of medical stores supplied to the Native Infirmary and Black Town Dispensary has been debited to Provincial Funds since 1881.

From the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, dated Ootacamund, 10th August 1895, No. 570-T.

Abstract.—Requesting the early decision of Government in the matter of the moiety of the cost of medicines supplied to the Native Infirmary and the Black Town Dispensary.

From the Examiner of Commissariat Accounts, dated Fort St. George, 6th September 1895, No. 7529-M.C.G.

Abstract.—Forwarding copy of a letter from the Surgeon, First District, Madras, to the late Examiner of Medical Accounts, regarding the distribution of the cost of the medicines and instruments supplied to the Native Infirmary and Black Town Dispensary.

Order—No. 1808 M., dated 31st October 1895.

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3. In the meantime the Government will sanction the payment from Provincial Funds, as usual, of one-half of the cost of medicines, &c., indented for in the current year for the use of the three institutions.

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(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Financial Department.
" Accountant-General.
" Surgeon-General.
" President, Madras Municipal Commission.
" Secretary, Monegar Choultry Trustees.
" Public Department.

Exd. J. P. Oliver.

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