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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 1*st December* 1857.

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Letter dated, 26th August (No. 26) 1856.

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(A true Extract.)

(Signed) **T. PYCROFT,**
Chief Secretary.

No. 90. ORDER THEREON, No. 2215; dated 1st December 1857.

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(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

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To the Medical Board.
„ Public Works Department.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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Extract from the Mins of Cons: in the Public Wks Dept

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Communicating para: 23 of the Hon: Court's Dispatch No 53 of 1857 and with reference to Extract Mins: Consultation of 21st August 1850 No 991 desiring that the subject of building a new Hospital in lieu of the present general Hospital be in future considered in the Department of Public Works in giving effect to the views of the Honorable Court.

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