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No. 84. Read the following letter from Colonel E. H. ATKINSON, Acting Agent for Remounts; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Ossoor, 8th October 1859, No. 356.

I have the honor to bring to the notice of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that notwithstanding the repeated orders* from Government regarding the immediate completion of the new block of stables for the Remount, the work has again been stopped, although the building is partly erected and materials of different kinds collected.

* No. 2012, dated 8th June 1859. No. 1513, dated 18th June.

2. I consider it is of the utmost importance that these stables should be completed as soon as possible for many reasons.

1st. Shelter for Horses particularly is much required on account of sickness from exposure after castration.

2nd. That I have myself seen the advantage of shelter, for since I have been acting, I have removed thin and weakly Horses from outside, and which has in every instance been attended with almost immediate benefit to them, their condition began to improve at once.

No. 85. ORDER THEREON, 11th October 1859, No. 2416.

Referred to the Chief Engineer for early report with reference to the order of the 1st instant, No. 2354.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No 356.

From Colonel E. H. Atkinson
Acting Agent for Remounts

To The Secretary
to Government
Military Department
Fort Saint George

Sir,

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to the notice of the Honorable the
Governor in Council, that notwith-
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I have the honorable Sir
Your most obedient Servant
C. F. Atkinson Colonel
Ag Agent for Remounts.

Remount Depôt
Ofpoor 8th October 1859

~~For~~ ~~Fort St. George 4th October 1859 No 2951-59~~
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Military Despatch

From Sec. No 4706
To The Secretary Agent
for Government
The Secretary
to Government
Military Despatch
Fort St. George

Dated 8th October
Received 11th —
No 356.

No 2416 - 11th Octr.

Bringing to notice of Govt. that the work of Stables at the Remount Depot Guindy has again been stopped, and stated the reasons for having the same ..... completed as soon as possible.

Wm Chandler

No. 2416.

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