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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

17th April 1878, No. 1,871 W.

General.

Account.

Read the following papers:—

No. 176. From Major J. L. L. MORANT, R.E., District Engineer, Nilgiris, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Ootacamund, 16th March 1878, No. 80.

SERGEANT OVERSEER BARNES states that while employed in the Bellary District from 1869 to 1877 he was in the habit of obtaining quarter, half, and one ounce bottles of sulphate of quinine of Howard and Sons and chlorodyne of Dr. Collis Browne at the rate of less than Rupees 3-6-0 per ounce from the Taluq Cutcheries. As the market price here is Rupees 15 per ounce for each, and there is a great demand for both medicines in the Wynaad, I have the honor to bring the subject to your notice with a hope that a similar concession be granted to this district.

No. 1,413.

REFERRED to the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, for remarks as to the disproportion in price mentioned by the District Engineer.

20th March 1878. (Signed) E. A. FOORD, Col., R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 176-A. From Surgeon-General G. SMITH, M.D., Indian Medical Department, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 5th April 1878, No. 208.

In returning the letter forwarded under your No. 1,413, of 20th March 1878, I have the honor to forward for your information a memorandum from the Examiner of Medical Accounts showing the prices of quinine and Collis Browne's chlorodyne for the years 1869 to 1878 inclusive. Supplies of quinine and chlorodyne are issued to Collectors for sale at cost price to the poor in their districts, and it is possible that Overseer Barnes purchased some of these from the Taluq Cutcheries in Bellary. In the case of medicines sold from the stores to private individuals the charge is 30 per cent. in advance of the invoice rates.

Memorandum showing the Prices of the undermentioned Articles for the Years 1869 to 1878.

Articles.	1869-70.	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Sulpha's of quinine, per ounce	2 7 4	2 10 0	3 8 0	3 5 7	3 2 7	4 4 7	3 2 1	4 10 0	4 11 0
Collis Browne's chlorodyne, per ounce	1 0 0	1 6 6	1 2 2	1 0 3	1 0 3	1 0 3	1 1 0	1 1 4	0 12 0

FORT ST. GEORGE,
2nd April 1878.

(Signed) JOHN MURRAY, Surgeon-Major, M.D.,
Examiner of Medical Accounts.

No. 177.

ORDER THEREON, 17th April 1878, No. 1,871 W.

It appears from the Surgeon-General's letter that supplies of quinine and chlorodyne are issued to Collectors for sale. The Commissioner of the Nilgiris should, therefore, be applied to for such quantities of these medicines as may be required by subordinates under the District Engineer's control.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

(True Copy.)

Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the District Engineer, Nilgiris.
" Public Department.

Exd. T. D. Ryan.
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GENERAL
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of (1878) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER,
NILGIRIS,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated April 17th.

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G. O., 17th April 1878, No. 1,871 W.

APRIL

Nos. 176-177.

Quinine and Chlorodyne.—The Commissioner of the Nilgiris to be applied to for the supplies of — required by the subordinates under the District Engineer's control.

Memo, shewing the prices of the undermentioned articles for the years 1869 to 1898.

Articles	1869/70	1870/71	1871/72	1872/73	1873/74	1874/75	1875/76	1876/77	1877/78
Phosphate of Quinine Per oz.	2 74	2 10.	3 8.	3 57	3 27	4 47	3 21	4 10.	4 11.
Scott's Brown's Chlorodyne Per oz.	1 . .	1 65	1 22	1 . 3	1 . 3	1 . 3	1 19	1 14	1 12.

Office of Grants of Madras
Accounts

For Mr. George 22 April 1878

Major General
of Madras
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Distict Engineer's Office
Calcutta 16th March 1878.

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The District Engineer
Tigris

&

The Chief Engineer
J. W. D.
Madras.

Sir

Engdram Overman
states that while employed in the
Pondicherry District from 1869 to 1877
he was in the habit of obtaining
quarts, half and one ounce bottles
of Sulphate of Quinine of Howard
Stons and Coleridge & Co. Collier
Brown at the rate of two shillings
Rs 3.6.0 per ounce from the
Cartersville. At the present price
here is Rs 15 per ounce for each
and there is a great demand
for both medicines in the bazaar.

I have the honor to bring the subject
to your notice with the hope that a
similar concession be granted to
this District.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant

John Morant Major. R.F.

District Engineer

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Roads and Buildings

No 1413

From

Referred to the
Surgeon General Indian
Medical Department
for remarks as to the dis-
proportion in price men-
tioned by the District
Engineers

The District Engineer
Virginia

To

The Chief Engineer
P. M. D.
Madras.

Adm'd Col M.R.
Secty to Govt
P.M. Dept.

20 March 78

to 80

Dated 16th March 1878

Re of memo received &
enclures of Howard Wm
and Chlorodyne of P.M.
Collis Brown - Report to
that Mr. Brown states
that while employed in
the Madras P.M. from 1869
to 1877 he was in the
habit of obtaining 1/2
and ounce bottles of
at the rates of less than
Rs 3.6.0 per ounce from
the Salug Catcheries
and he goes on to say that the market
prices for the same is 15 per ounce
a similar concession may
be granted to this P.M.

No 208.

Office of Surgeon General Madras
1878
1st April 1878.

From

Surgeon General George Smith M.D.
Indian Medical Department.

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

Sir

In returning the letter forwarded under
your No 1413 of 20th March 1878 I have the
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the Stores to private individuals the charge
is 30 per cent in advance of the invoice rates.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servant

Geo Smith M.D.
Surgeon General Madras

C.D.

Public Works (Sept. 1878)

No 1871 W
 Proceedings of the Madras Govt.
 under date the 17 April 78.

Read the following.

From the District Engineer

Milgheries

(H.E. No. 80 d/16 March 1878)

Surgeon Genl. J. M. Sept.

(H.E. No. 208 d/5 April 1878)

It appears from the Surgeon General's letter that supplies of Quinine and Chloroquine are issued to Collectors for sale. The Commissioner of the Milgheries should therefore be applied to for such quantities of these medicines as may be required by Subordinate under the District Engineer's Control.

Oct 12/4

J. E. Milgheries

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From the District Engineer
 Milgheries
 Surgeon Genl. J. M. Sept.
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Subd. Secy.

Lumins and Chlorodyne

The Commissioners of the
Mylapore to be applied to
for the supplies of — required by
the subordinates under the
Engineer's control.