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Barrack Department—Supplies.

Read the following papers :—

No. 229. From Lieutenant-Colonel J. EWING, Quartermaster-General, to Colonel E. L. HANKIN, Acting Secretary to Government, Military Department; dated Fort St. George, 12th September 1882, No. 7333.

With reference to para. 1 of O.G., No. 3935, dated 27th July 1882, requiring that the sanction of Government should be obtained as occasion arises for the issue of stores not specified in the Barrack supply scale published in G.O.G., No. 128 dated 21st February 1881, I have the honor, by order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, to submit for the sanction of Government the accompanying list of articles, &c., not provided for in the scale in question but found to be requisite.

2. In those cases where the supply was sanctioned prior to the publication of the Barrack supply scale, the authority is specified opposite each article.

List of Additions, &c., proposed for insertion in the Scale of Barrack Supplies.

Page 7 of the Scale.	“Cots, iron, trestle, &c.”— After “per married Serjeant, &c.,” add “One to each soldier’s child over ten years of age and to every two children under that age.”		O.G., No. 1309, dated 18th April 1872.																										
Page 35 of the Scale.	Add at the foot of page 35, the following :— “Hair brooms, mops and scrubbers are authorized for European barracks with boarded floors at Secunderabad, Wellington, Cannanore and in Burmah as follows :— <table border="0"> <tr> <td colspan="2"><i>For Wellington.</i></td> <td colspan="2"><i>For Cannanore.</i></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mops ...</td> <td>336</td> <td>Brooms ...</td> <td>60</td> </tr> <tr> <td>* Brooms ...</td> <td>120</td> <td>Scrubbers ...</td> <td>80</td> </tr> <tr> <td>* Scrubbers ...</td> <td>120</td> <td>Mops ...</td> <td>60</td> </tr> </table> <i>For Secunderabad.</i> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Brushes ...</td> <td>12</td> </tr> </table> for Cavalry Barracks, Trimulgherry. <i>For Burmah.</i> Brooms, scrubbers, mops, cocoanut scrubbers and scrapers on the scale laid down in Proceedings of Government, No. 305, dated 1867, i.e., twenty of each article to a regiment depôt and division of Artillery above the strength of a wing, and ten of each per wing, depôt and division of Artillery less than a wing.”			<i>For Wellington.</i>		<i>For Cannanore.</i>		Mops ...	336	Brooms ...	60	* Brooms ...	120	Scrubbers ...	80	* Scrubbers ...	120	Mops ...	60	Brushes ...	12	Para. 953 of Com-missariat Code of 1878. Mops for Wellington and Burmah sanctioned in O.G., No. 3935, dated 27th July 1882.							
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* These quantities reduced at the suggestion of the Quartermaster-General's Department, No. 1694, dated 6th March 1882.

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Page 37 of the Scale.	In Column 5 opposite "Lamps, kerosine, two per guard" enter the following remark:—"Includes a lamp to burn all night in the prisoner's room of the quarter and main guard, British troops."	Appendix 22, page 599, I. C. C.
Page 40 of the Scale.	After "Trays glazed" add— Tubs, half-casks. Private ablution 1 per ablu- rooms of lava- tion room. tories. Do. do. ... Bath rooms of 1 per bath- married quar- room. ters.	Bengal, S. G. O., No. 114, dated 15th May 1879.
Page 54 of the Scale.	After "Mattrasses" enter "Mat, country, one for each bedstead."	Para. 981 of Commissariat Code of 1878. Procs. of Govt., No. 41 of 1873.
Page 58 of the Scale.	At head of list, add the following:— Baskets ... 3 } For each sweeper or toty. Brooms ... 4 } Brushes with handles ... 1 } For brushing every two necessary tubs, &c., with coal tar. After "Charcoal, wood," add— Charcoal, 12 lb. } For each closed urine tub per month. } on medical certificate.	Para. 953 of Commissariat Code of 1878. G.O., No. 51 of 1849, page 96. Para. 949 of Commissariat Code of 1878. Proceedings of Government, No. 1900 of 1867. Para. 949 of Commissariat Code of 1878. G.O.C.C., No. 13 of 1868, page 33. Minutes of Consultation, No. 3330, dated 18th Dec. 1855, and No. 3616, dated 15th Oct. 1857, and Quarter-master-General to Commissary-General, dated 6th October 1877. Para. 947 of Commissariat Code of 1878. Proceedings of Government, Nos. 3822 of 1868, 3223 of 1867, and 2475 of 1870. O.G., No. 968, dated 1st March 1875.
Page 60 of the Scale, Column 2.	For "From 22nd March to 21st September" and "From 22nd September to 21st March," read "From 1st April to 30th September" and "From 1st October to 31st March."	
Page 62 of the Scale.	Expunge "8 oz." and "3½ oz." entered in Columns "Entire Night Scale" and "Till-tattoo Scale," respectively, opposite "New pattern kerosine lamp," and enter instead in Column "Entire Night Scale"—"From 1st April to 30th September, 7 ounces," and "From 1st October to 31st March, 10 ounces;" and in Column "Till-tattoo Scale"—"From 1st April to 30th September, 2½ ounces" and "From 1st October to 31st March, 5 ounces."	Indian Commissariat Code, 1882, Appendix 24.
	Charcoal, one bushel per man per mensem. { For drying clothes of troops in Burmah, Can- nanore, Kamp- tee, during the monsoon, be- tween the 1st May and 31st October. Drying baskets. { Ten per cent. of strength annually. Firepans. {	

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Page 63 of the Scale.	Expunge entries in Columns 2 and 3 opposite "Tar," and enter instead— IN COLUMN 2. British Troops. Latrines in Barracks and Hos- pitals.—Per mensem, 8 oz. per iron, and 10 oz. per wooden receptacle in use. Native Troops. Latrines, regimental (other than private latrines in Lines).—Per mensem, 8 oz. per iron, 10 oz. per wooden, and 6 oz. per earthen receptacle in use. Latrines, Hospital.—Using iron receptacles, 8 oz. per mensem per vessel; using buckets, tubs and earthen receptacles, 4 lb. per mensem per regiment; proportionate quantities being issued to detached wings and companies.	O.G., No. 2316, dated 10th June 1882.
Page 83 of the Scale.	IN COLUMN 3. Future demands for this article should be sup- ported by a certificate that the quantity in hand is only sufficient to last until the period the fresh supply indented for may be calculated to arrive. Coal tar should be supplied by the Ordnance Department (<i>vide</i> O.G. Nos. 4090, dated 1st August 1881, and 2816, dated 10th June 1882). Add the following articles for Lock Hospitals:— Brooms ... No. as required. Chunam for conservancy pur- lb. do. poses. Moondays ... No. do. Mullays ... do. Ropes, hemp, for drawing Yds. do. water. Tinning copper vessels No. of vessels do. Mustard seeds ... No. do. Country soap ... do. Cowdung ... do. Ladles ... do. Bedding and Clothing. Blankets, country ... No. as required. Blankets, country, lined with chintz ... Do. do. Palliasses, blue ... Do. do. Pillow-cases, long ... Do. do. Pillow-cases, short ... Do. do. Pillows, long ... Do. do. Pillows, short ... Do. do. Quilts, hospital, cotton ... Do. do. Red cloth or sadees ... Do. do. Do. do. ... Add the following articles for the use of Native Regimental Hospitals:— Section I. Fumigating bell ... No. 1 Bug-trap, wooden, for each ward ... 6 Section III. Chunam for conservancy pur- poses ... lb. as required. Razor ... No. 1	G.O.G., dated 21st April 1863, No. 135, and Medical Code, Volume I, Section XII, paras. 27 and 28, and paras. 1007 to 1014 of Commissariat Code of 1878. Para. 1004 of Commis- sariat Code of 1878. G.O., No. 135 of 1863, and No. 58 of 1866.

List of Additions, &c., proposed for insertion in the Scale of Barrack Supplies.—(Continued).

Page 83 of the Scale.	Section V.			
	Jacket, straight ...	...	No. 1	15
	Pillows, large ...	...	"	15
	Pillows, small ...	...	"	15
	Pillow-cases, large ...	...	"	15

Page 87 of the Scale. Page 90 of the Scale.	Furniture.			
	Night chairs ...	...	No. 2	As required.
	Shelves for medicines ...	...	Do.	
	Teapots ...	...	No. 1	
	Tray for medicines ...	...	"	1

Expunge words "for lime water" from item "Chunam (lime) for lime water."
Enter the following scale of disinfectants for British and Native troops, for one year:—

	Carbolic Acid.	McDougal's Powder.
British Troops.		
Battery of Royal Artillery ...	30	30
Company of Royal Engineers ...	60	60
Regiment of Cavalry ...	60	60
Division of Royal Artillery consisting of two or more batteries.		
Regiment of Infantry and Hill Depot.	120	120
Native Troops.		
Regiment of Infantry ...	40	40
Wing of Infantry ...	20	20
Regiment of Cavalry and Garrison Hospitals.	30	33
Wing of Cavalry and Station Staff Hospitals.	15	15

Para. 1004 of Commissariat Code of 1878.

Para. 993 and para. 1541 of Commissariat Code of 1878 and 1882, respectively.

A reserve of disinfectants is authorized for special use during the prevalence of epidemic diseases at the following rates:—

First-class stations.	Carbolic acid ...	250 lb.
	McDougal's powder ...	1,120 lb.
Second-class stations.	Carbolic acid ...	125 lb.
	McDougal's powder ...	560 lb.

First-class Stations.—Secunderabad, Bangalore, Kamptee, Cannanore, Bellary, Trichinopoly, Rangoon, Thayetmyo, Tonghoo (Port St. George—Special allotment).

Second-class Stations.—St. Thomas' Mount, Poonamallee, Pallavaram, Vellore, Vizagapatam, Vizianagrum, Berhampore, Sumbulpore, Cuttack, Palamcottah, Quilon, Trichoor, Trevandrum, Mangalore, Malapuram, Calicut, French Rocks, Mysore, Mercara, Hunsur, Hosur, Wellington, Ramandrug, Chanda, Hoshungabad, Raipur, Seetabuldee, Seroncha, Moulmein, Shoaygheen and Port Blair.

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Page 4 of the Scale.	Add at the foot of page 4 the following note:—"Fittings (such as boilers, &c.,) for Duff's cooking ranges, where such ranges are used, will be supplied by the Commissariat Department."
Page 6 of the Scale.	Enter the following remarks opposite "Carts, filth and rubbish":—"The Crowley-pattern conservancy cart should be held as a rule to be the standard pattern in future. At stations in which local circumstances seem to show this pattern is not suited for use there, any other pattern of cart may be substituted subject to the approval of the Commander-in-Chief."
Page 35 of the Scale.	Enter the following remark opposite "Basins, steel, washing":—"The replacement of steel basins shall not exceed 3 per cent. per annum."
Page 39 of the Scale.	Enter in Column of Remarks opposite "Lamps, kerosine—Serjeants' Messes":—"Common oil for Serjeants' Mess when supplied should be at 1½ drams per lamp per night."
Page 41 of the Scale.	Enter in Column 5, opposite "Furniture for Prayer-rooms":—"The rate of renewals for chimneys for kerosine lamps at 5 per cent. per mensem on the number in use."
Do. do. ...	Enter in Column of Remarks opposite "Furniture for Prayer-rooms—Wall lamps":—"Three lamps for a single battery when other corps do not use the Prayer-room."
Page 58 of the Scale.	In Column 2 opposite "Chalk, for cleaning lamps," add after the word chittack "or 2 oz." Enter in Column 1 under "Cotton wicks for common oil lamps":—"Cotton wicks for Bull's-eye lanterns." Add in Column 2—"Do. do."
Page 60 of the Scale.	Enter—"Oil for departmental Staff Serjeants on the same scale as other Staff Serjeants."
Do. do. ...	Enter at foot of this page:—"When common oil lamps are used in the guards, in lieu of kerosine lamps, the allowance authorized in para. 943, Madras Commissariat Code, may be passed. "Oil for guards, European and Native, other than those provided for in the Indian Commissariat Code, may be passed in the quarterly sanctioned extracts from the Quartermaster-General."

Additions made by the Quartermaster-General, on representation from Departments and Corps.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
25th September 1882.

(Signed) D. J. S. McLEOD, Major,
Offg. Deputy Quartermaster-General.

No. 230. With report from the Controller of Military Accounts, 7th Oct. 1882, A.

No. 231. ORDER THEREON, 17th November 1882, No. 6190.

Sanctioned, and published in G.O.G.

(True Extract.)

Colonel,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Quartermaster-General.

" Inspector-General of Ordnance.
" Commissary-General.
" Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces.
" Controller of Military Accounts.
" Public Works Department.

Exd. A. Raith.