

Gobt. of (1883) Madras.

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To
THE SURGEON-GENERAL,
HER MAJESTY'S FORCES,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated July, 12th.

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G.O., 12th July 1883, No. 3880.

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JULY.

Nos. 134-138.

S.E. Communicated
to the 4th Circle & the S.P.W.D.
S.E. 4th Circle
S.P.W.D. accd;
S.P.B.

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Warm Clothing.—Issue of — for the sick of
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3. According to para. 22 (k), Section 17, of the Bengal Medical Regulations, which is considered* the sole authority on all subjects to which they refer, it becomes the duty of the medical authorities to ascertain whether the bedding and clothing of the men "are suitable and adapted to the place, season and duties." I have the honor, therefore, to submit, for the favorable consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that the warm clothing marginally noted, as passed by the Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Bangalore, be sanctioned for the Company of Sappers now serving at Ootacamund.

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Indent No. 1, dated 16th May 1883, for articles for detachment, 15th Regiment, Native Infantry.

Indent No. 16, dated 16th May 1883, for articles for "D" Company, Sappers and Miners.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

To the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces.

- " Commissary-General, with 2 indents in triplicate.
- " Controller of Military Accounts.
- " Public Works Department.
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A. S. Russell.

Under Secretary, P.W.D.,

For Secretary to Government,
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