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No. 40. EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF CONSULTATION in the Public Department under date the 13th November 1858, No. 1410.

(*Vide* Diary, Public Consultation, 16th November 1858, Nos. 37 and 38.)

(*Respecting Medical attendance on the families of Public Servants.*)

No. 41. ORDER THEREON, No. 775; dated 23rd November 1858.

To be Recorded.

(Signed) W. H. BAYLEY,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

No. 1410.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date the 13th November 1858.

Read the following letter from C. BEADON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India ; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, the 18th October 1858, No. 1589.

Home Department.

SIR,

With reference to the Resolution of the Government of India, dated the 29th September 1857, respecting Medical attendance on the families of public servants, I am directed to transmit for information and guidance, the accompanying copy of a Despatch No. 129, dated the 18th August 1858, from the Honorable the Court of Direcrors, on the subject.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

No. 129 of 1858.

Our Governor General of India in Council.

Para. 1.—The papers noted in the margin bring to our notice certain cases in which Civil Medical Officers in the various Presidencies have demanded excessive remuneration for their attendance on the families of Civil Servants of Government, and of Military Officer in Civil employment, and apprize us of the measures adopted by you in consequence. The Notification of the 29th September 1857 lays down the principles on which your decisions in these various cases have been based. These are, first, that the rule, under which Civil Medical Officers are unquestionably entitled to remuneration for attendance on the families of Officers in Civil employment, is a just one and should be maintained ; secondly, that Government should not interfere by the issue of any general regulation with the amount of such remuneration, but should not fail to mark, by severe censure, or in extreme cases, by removal from Civil employment, their disapproval of extortionate demands on the part of the Medical Officer.

(Whole) Bombay Public letter, dated 2nd December (No. 102) 1856.
Extract, paragraphs 82 *to* 88 *and* 89 *to* 93, *India Public letter of* 11*th March* 1857, *No.* 19.
Paragraphs 87 *to* 93, *Madras Public letter of* 26*th August* 1857, *No.* 18.
(Whole) India Public letter dated 12*th November* 1857.
No. 131. *Extract, paragraph* 39 *and* 40, *Madras Public letter dated 2nd February (No.* 7*)* 1858.

2. We approve these principles laid down by you, and their application in the various cases now before us.

We are, &c.,

(Signed) F. CURRIE,

(,,) W. J. EASTWICK,

And other Directors.

LONDON,
18*th August* 1858.

(True Copies.)

(Signed) CECIL BEADON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Order.—Ordered to be communicated to the several Departments of the Secretariat, and, also, to the Director General, Medical Department.

(True Extract and Copies.)

(Signed) W. H. Bayley

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.
„ Department Public Works.
„ Judicial Department.
„ Military „
„ Political „
„ Director General Medical, Department.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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No 783.

Communicating copy of a
letter from the Secy. to the
Govt. of India transmitting
for information & guidance
copy of a Despatch from the
Hon.ble Court respecting Medical
attendance on the families
of public Servants.—

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