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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
6th June 1866.

Read the following papers :—

No. 39. From G. BANBURY Esq., Officiating Collector of Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Vallam, 8th May 1866, No. 475.

The specified term of one year, during which period the monthly allotment of Rupees 30 was sanctioned to the Negapatam Hospital, has expired. I have there-

8th March 1865, No. 253.

fore the honor, in conformity with Government Proceedings marginally noted, to address Government regarding the continuance of this subsidy.

2. The present Acting Sub-Collector, Mr. Hutchins, strongly recommends that the grant, either wholly or in part, should be re-transferred to the Friend-in-Need Society, but I am unable to acquiesce in this recommendation.

3. As the Government are aware,* the grant in question is not paid from the Revenues of the State, but from the

* Vide Board's Proceedings, 1st June 1864, No. 3321, paragraphs 6 and 7.

Funds appertaining to His Highness the late Rajah's Chuttrums now, under the

charge of Government, in accordance with the provisions of Regulation VII of 1817. Strictly speaking, therefore, the diversion of a portion of the funds of this trust from their legitimate object is objectionable, but if there is any thing that can justify the course, it is the consideration that the great benefits conferred by the Hospital are not only enjoyed by all classes, but that they are somewhat akin to those benefits originally intended to be conferred by the founder of the charity. On the other hand, the diversion of a portion of the fund, mainly for the support of poor Dutch East Indian Pensioners, cannot in my opinion be in any way reconciled. If the late Lungarkhana at Negapatam, of which these pensioners were formerly the inmates, had ever any claim on the Chuttrum Funds, such claim ceased with the existence of that Institution.

4. For these reasons, and considering that the present annual income of the Hospital is only Rupees 200, derived from the interest on the sum of Rupees 5000 invested in Government Securities, and that this cannot be nearly sufficient to cover the necessary expenses of its maintenance, I would beg to recommend that the subsidy of Rupees 30 be continued to this institution.

Referred, with previous correspondence, to the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department, for his opinion as to the expediency of continuing the grant of Rupees 30 per mensem to the Negapatam Hospital.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
22nd May 1866.

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Under Secretary.

No. 40. From the Officiating Principal Inspector General, Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort Saint George, 25th May 1866, No. 186.

With reference to Memorandum from your office, dated 22nd instant, I have the honor to report that, from the state of the funds, it will be absolutely necessary

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To the Principal Surgeon, Madras
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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letters,

From the Offg. Collector of Tanjore (Recd. enter 8th May 1866. 1: 475)

" Offg. Principal Inspector Genl.
Medical Department } (— " 25th " " 1866)

Order thereon. No 569 of 6th June 66

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On the completion of the building of the Hospital at Nagapatnam, the Government in Proceedings 8th March 1865, sanctioned the diversion, in support of that institution for one year, of the monthly allowance of 80 Rupees which had been granted to the Local Friend in Need Society.

2 The Collector now solicits the renewal of this grant and does not acquiesce in the opinion of the Ag. Sub Collector that the allowance should revert to the Local Friend in

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~~And~~ Society. The Principal
 Inspector General of the Medical
 Department concurs with the
 Collector's recommendation, con-
 sidering it absolutely necessary
 that some extraneous aid should
 be given to the Hospital at
 Agapetam.

3 The Governor in Council observing that the Hospital has been of late partially ^{built and} endowed by local subscription and that the money applied for belongs to a local Charitable Fund, resolves in compliance with the Collector's request to continue the allowance of 30 Pupils per annum to the Hospital at Agra -
fratom for the current year, but the Collector will warn the residents that they have no claim to any supplementary allowance and ^{that} the Govern-
ment will still uphold the principle expounded in Notification of 11th June 1863

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published at page 997 of the
Port St. George Gazette of the
16th idem; that all Civil Hospitals
in the provinces ought to be
supported by the local public.



To the Collector of Tanjore
" District Supergrd. Secy. Collecty.
" Dist. General } Sept 26

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Dated 6 June 1866.