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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
3rd December 1867.*

No. 9. Read the following letter from the Inspector General, Indian Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort Saint George, 21st November 1867, No. 461.

With reference to a demi-official note of the 15th instant, from the Under Secretary, I have the honor to acquaint you that petitions, similar to the one mentioned by him, against the Assistant Apothecary in medical charge of the Civil Dispensary at Conjeveram, were received some time ago, both by this office and by that of the Deputy Inspector General of the Division.

2. One of these (the two being identically the same) was referred to the Collector of Madras for report, and, by his direction, the Sub-Collector, Mr. Burnell, caused such inquiries as he considered necessary to be made into the complaints against Mr. Chadwick, the conclusion come to being that the petition is a "false and malicious" one.

3. At Mr. Burnell's request, Captain Cloete, of the Mofussil Police, instituted an independent inquiry, of the fullest and most searching kind, at Conjeveram, and with the same result, namely, that Mr. Chadwick is fully and honorably acquitted of every one of the charges brought against him.

4. Both Mr. Thornhill and Mr. Burnell recommend that the petition in question be made over to Mr. Chadwick, and that he be permitted to prosecute, if possible, the authors of it.

5. I shall be very glad if Mr. Chadwick, who is a most efficient and trustworthy subordinate, and whose character has already been falsely assailed, can bring his traducers to justice; though I fear he will have difficulty in doing so, as it appears by Captain Cloete's report that the signatures to the petition are false.

No. 10. ORDER THEREON, 3rd December 1867, No. 1509.

The Governor in Council is glad to learn that the inquiry instituted on the petition preferred against Mr. Chadwick has satisfactorily shown that the charges made against him are unfounded. The petition will, as requested, be given to Mr. Chadwick.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector General, Medical Department, with a petition.

3^d December 1867 N^o. 1509

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To the Hon^{ble} Genl. Secy. of the
with a Petition of 1867