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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

1476

Press
Mis.

Dated

15-11-

19 1870

Not to be folded or roughly handled

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
15th November 1870.*

No. 81. Read the following letter from W. MACKENZIE, Esq., M.D., C.S.I., Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Fort Saint George, 17th October 1870, No. 249:—

I have the honour, with reference to the Order of Government, No. 1124, of 7th September 1870, to explain that the rule in the Medical Code, directing that the Medical Officer in charge of a Civil Dispensary shall remain at least one hour on the premises, at each ordinary daily visit, has been found to work very well during the many years it has been in operation.

2. The minimum period was fixed more especially to ensure that the Medical Officer should always, except under very urgent circumstances, be present for that length of time to receive out-patients, but practically it has been found that he is always two or more hours in the building.

3. Under these circumstances, I am of opinion that no advantage would be gained by changing the rule, especially as the time of attendance is fixed in communication with the Chief Civil or Military Authority in the station, with a view to the convenience of the majority of the people.

No. 82. ORDER THEREON, 15th November 1870, No. 1476.

As it appears, from what Dr. Mackenzie states in the foregoing letter, that the Medical Officer in charge of a Dispensary does practically remain two or more hours in the building, His Excellency the Governor in Council is of opinion that two hours may be fixed as the minimum period of attendance of the Medical Officer at a Dispensary, and directs that Clause 3 of the Dispensary Rules be revised accordingly.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

Office of Insp. Genl. 1882.
Fort St George 17 October/82.

From

The Inspector General In. Med. Dept.

Fort St. George

The Chief Secretary to Government
Public Department

Fort St. George

Sir,

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Obdt. of 1870: 31/10/82.

PUBLIC.

To THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL,
INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Dated November, 1882.

Recd.

End.

G.O., 16th November 1870, No. 1476.

NOVEMBER.
Nos. 81-82.

During the minimum period of attendance of the Medical Officer at a dispensary at two hours, and directing that the Dispensary Rules be revised accordingly.

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3. Under these circumstances
I am of opinion, that no advan-
-tage would be gained by changing
the rule, especially as the time of
attendance is fixed in commu-
-nication with the chief Civil, or Military,
authority in the station, with a view
to the convenience of the majority
of the people.

I have the honor to be

Sir
Yours Most Obedient Servant
G. MacKenzie Esq
Inspector General Subsidy

Public Department

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter

from the
Inspector General, Indian
Medical Department, dated
14th October, 1890, No. 249.

Order thereon to Government.

As it appears from
what Mr. Macdonald states
in the foregoing letter,
that the Medical Officer
in charge of a dispensary
does practically remain 2
or more hours in the build-
ing. This breaching the
Governor in Council is of
opinion that two hours may
be fixed as ^{minimum period} for the attendance
of the Medical Officer at
a dispensary, and directs
that

1890/10/15 - Mr. C. M.

Public Rep. Officer

Suppl. Genl. Secy to Govt.

for Orders

17/10/90

1898

State that it is not
necessary to change the
rule in the Medical Code
directing that the Medical
Officer in charge of a Civil
Dispensary shall remain at
least 2 hours in the building.

Will be brought
with this to the Government

I would make the attendance
2 hours. In the day, Mr. C.
practically the doctor is
2 or more hours in attendance
than can be the time he
can be in attendance in
the change - It will
be a check on the
in S. H. H. H.

L. B. S.

1898

Wm. H. Miller

Cont. of 1870 } **Minutes.**

To Public
The Anti-Slavery Socy. New York.

Dated *Sept 15* }
Recd. *Sept 15* } 1870, No. 1476.

Nos. 81, 82.

During
the minimum
period of attendance of the
Anti-Slavery Socy. at a business
meeting, held at 2 hours and 15 minutes
for the Disfranchisement
be rendered accordingly -