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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
15th December 1871.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 75. From the Collector of Coimbatore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Coimbatore, 10th October 1871, No. 60.

I have the honour to bring to the notice of Government that the Dresser who has hitherto attended to the welfare of the Revenue, Police, and Public Works Departments at Sattiamungalum, but placed by G. O. No. 3463, of 7th November 1867, Public Works Department, under the orders of the Public Works Department, has been by that Department transferred from Sattiamungalum to Bhowany.

2. In consequence of this I have been addressed both by the Superintendent of Police and by the Deputy Collector, Northern Division, on the hardship which results from the change.

3. When medical aid has once been afforded to Departments and to the public at any place its withdrawal is much felt.

4. Besides medical aid afforded to Departments and to the public, there is also that given to the cause of justice, by affording the means of post mortem examinations, which, under the circumstances of climate and distance from head-quarters, are otherwise impossible.

5. I beg that Government will consider in the Revenue and Judicial Departments the expediency of appointing a permanent Medical Subordinate to Sattiamungalum.

6. In fact, no taluq cusbah should be without some qualified practitioner, and doubtless it is in the view of Government to supply this want in course of time. Cusbah Sattiamungalum has a population of 2446, is the head-quarters of a Deputy Collector—a Covenanted Assistant has resided there in charge of the division.

7. The suddenness with which the present Dresser has been ordered to be removed by the Superintending Engineer has not permitted time for what would otherwise have been done, viz., the obtaining the views of the native inhabitants as regards a local contribution for a dispensary; but if Government be pleased, in the meantime, to sanction the temporary appointment, for six months, of a Medical Subordinate, there will be time to carry out the project I have adverted to.

8. Part of the charge is doubtless Provincial,—the quota payable for medical treatment of the Police,—though why the other Government servants should not be provided for is not very clear. This responsibility for Police welfare is shown by the appointment of an exclusively Police Dresser in the adjoining taluq of Collegal, whose salary is debited to that Department.

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Referred to the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, for his remarks.

OOTACAMUND,
19th October 1871.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
13th December 1871.*

No. 76. From the Acting Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 23rd October 1871, No. 348.

I have the honour to re-enclose the document referred to me with memorandum of 19th instant, and beg to report to His Excellency the Governor in Council that, if ordered, a Medical Officer, either of the Warrant or Hospital Assistant grades, or a pensioned or other qualified medical man, can be supplied to Sattiamungalum.

2. I have the honour to explain that the Warrant Medical Officers of the Madras Army are still in excess of the regulated establishment and the number of the Hospital Assistants are under the ordered allotment, and it will not, therefore, be possible always to allot a medical man of the Hospital Assistant class.

3. I have informed each Municipality that Warrant Medical Officers are available, but only from that of Nellore has a request for one been received.

4. Trained for a longer period and in all the branches of the medical art, as men of greater acquirements and self-reliance, and as Europeans or of European descent, the Medical Warrant Officers are greatly more to be recommended for independent medical charges than the generality of the Hospital Assistant rank, and Municipalities would do well to accept Warrant Medical Officers as their medical attendants.

No. 77. From the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort St. George, dated Calicut, 22nd November 1871, No. 186.

In reply to your endorsement on the Chief Secretary's memorandum, No. 301,

1. Chief Secretary's memorandum, No. 301 of 9th November 1871.
2. Letter from the Inspector-General of the Indian Medical Department, No. 348, of 23rd October 1871.
3. Do. from the Collector of Coimbatore, No. 60 of 19th October 1871.

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dated 9th November 1871, with enclosures returned, I have the honour to report that the services of the Hospital Assistant in question are indispensable in the Collegial and Irrigation ranges, the principal works of which, noted in the margin, are situated in very feverish localities, which it is necessary the Hospital Assistant should frequently visit. The first cause of my having directed the Hospital Assistant's change of head-quarters is that of late at Sattiamungalum his time has been so much taken up by attending to other departments that he perforce neglected to give sufficient attention to the Public Works Department at outstations, for which duty he was specially posted to this Department; secondly, as the head-quarters of the range is at Bhowany, it is essential that he should also reside there, so that, when necessary, the Range Officer can, at a moment's notice, despatch him to afford medical aid to officers, subordinates, and work-people attached to the Public Works Department employed on the works above noted.

Transferred to the Public Department.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
30th November 1871.

(Signed) J. CARPENDALE, Colonel, R. E.,
Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
13th December 1871.*

No. 78. ORDER THEREON, 13th December 1871, No. 1837.

His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves, under the circumstances brought to notice by the Collector of Coimbatore in the first of the foregoing letters, to direct that a Medical Subordinate of the Hospital Assistant grade be stationed at Sattiamungalum.

2. But, as the number of Hospital Assistants is stated to be under the required allotment, the Acting Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, will depute a Warrant Officer of the junior grade for the duty. This officer will be relieved as soon as a qualified Hospital Assistant is available.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.

- „ Public Works Department.
- „ Collector of Coimbatore.
- „ Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.
- „ Accountant-General.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

10/10/1871

Supp Engineer's Office 7th En
Camp Calicut 22nd Nov^r 1871.

From,

Lt Col W. Farwell S.C.

By Supp Eng^r 7th En

To,

The Secretary to Government

L. P. W. Madras.

Sir,

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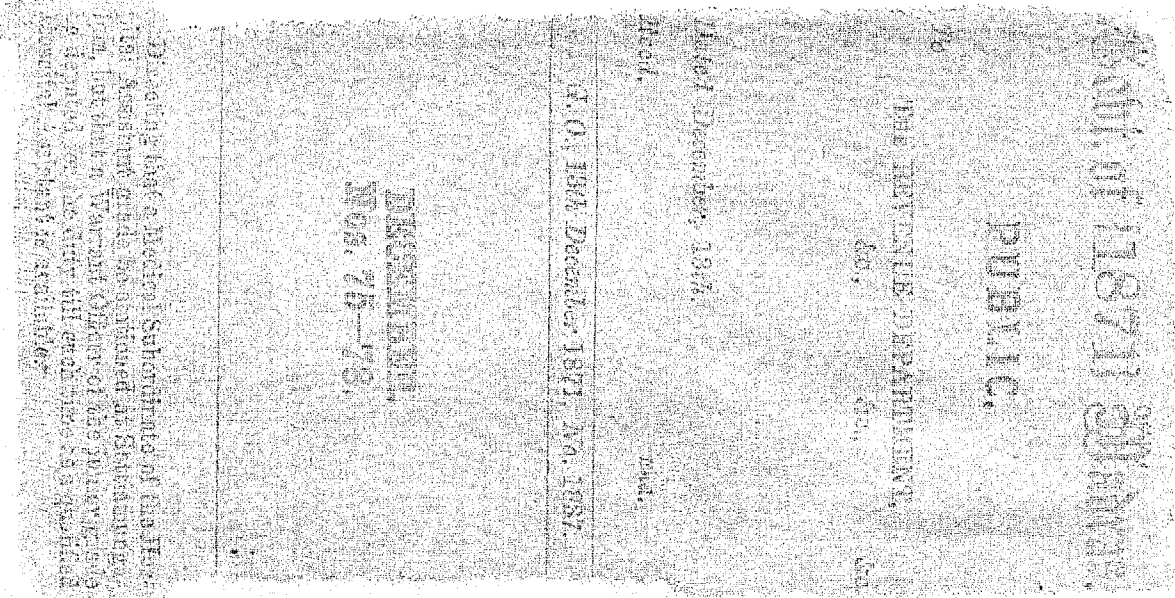
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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt servant,

W. W. W. Secy. C.
Hyd. Sup. Eng. 7th Div.

Public Department.

No 301.

Memorandum.

The Chief Secretary has the honor to request that the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, will be good enough to inform him, whether the services of the dresser referred to in the enclosed letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, are required at Bhowany which is within easy reach of Erode, where medical aid is obtainable.

For S^r George
9th Novr. 1871.

R. S. Ellis
Chief Secretary.

To The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
with two enclos.

X. A. Ellis

Recd 22nd Nov 1871
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22nd Nov 1871
Public Works Department
No. 5649.

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10th Nov 1871
The Secretary to Govt
P. W. D. Department
No. 186

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Secy. P. W. D.
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30th November 1871.

Reports that in the Hospital Account attached to the Division and alleged Range of the P. W. D. District is in accordance with the requirements of the P. W. D. Department.

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT,
Fort Saint George, 23rd October 1871.

From

The Acting Inspector General, Indian Medical Department,
Fort Saint George,

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Public Department.

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Sir,

Your most Obedt Servt

Edwai Watson M.D.

Acting Inspector Genl
Indian Medical Service

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No. 60.

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From

A. Wedderburn Requin
Collector of Coimbatore.

To

The Honourable R. S. Ellis C. B.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Fort Saint George

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 to the Secretary to Govt of India, Nov 21,
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 Inspector General,
 Indian Medical Department,
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COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.
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To
J. B. ...

The King
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To
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To The Revenue Dept.

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