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[Despatch Abstract.]

Army Sanitary Commission.
Recording endorsement from the
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copy of despatch from the Secretary
of State for India relative to
Services and to the discontinuance
in future of the.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary—Reports and Returns.

Read the following paper:—

No. *Despatch from the Secretary of State for India, to the Government of India; dated India Office, London, 21st February, 1889, No. 12 (Statistics and Commerce).*

I forward herewith, for the information of your Excellency, a copy of correspondence * with the War Office relative to the services and to the discontinuance in future of the Army Sanitary Commission.

* To War Office, dated 30th Nov. 1888.
From War Office, dated 26th Dec. 1888.
To " " " 13th Feb. 1889.

From J. A. GODLEY, Esq., c.B., Under Secretary of State for India, to the Under Secretary of State for War; dated India Office, London, 30th November 1888.

I am directed, by the Secretary of State for India in Council, to address you in reference to the recent retirement of Dr. John Sutherland from the Army Sanitary Commission; and, in the first place, I am to request that Mr. Stanhope will be so good as to cause to be conveyed to that gentleman the expression of the cordial and grateful acknowledgment by Viscount Cross of the invaluable services he has for so many years rendered to the cause of the public health in India by the energetic share which he has taken in the work of the Commission, so far as it has related to the examination of the periodical sanitary reports received from India and to the offering of suggestions arising out of such examination.

The loss of those services is the more felt as, for the first time this year, no memoranda have been received from the Army Sanitary Commission, and the sanitary report prepared at this office has been issued without the usual appendix.

Lord Cross would be glad to learn what are the intentions of the Secretary of State for War with regard to the future maintenance and status of the Commission.

From Colonel H. G. DEEDES, Assistant Under Secretary of State for War, to the Under Secretary of State for India; dated War Office, London, 26th December 1888.

I am directed by Mr. Secretary Stanhope to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th November relative to the retirement of Dr. Sutherland from the Army Sanitary Committee, and to the future arrangements to be made in regard to that Committee.

In reply, I am to state, for the information of Viscount Cross, that His Lordship's expression of high approval of the work performed by Dr. Sutherland shall be duly conveyed to that officer.

As regards the Army Sanitary Committee itself, Mr. Stanhope is of opinion that, however useful its labours may have been in the past, it scarcely at present fulfils any function in the army administration which would justify the cost of its maintenance.

He proposes therefore, if Lord Cross sees no objection, to abolish the Committee, and, in lieu of it, to retain the services of a professional sanitary expert, who shall, whenever necessary, inspect barracks, hospitals, &c., and advise on the measures required for their proper sanitation.

From J. A. GODLEY, Esq., c.B., Under Secretary of State for India, to the Under Secretary of State for War; dated India Office, London, 13th February 1889.

I am directed, by the Secretary of State for India in Council, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 26th December stating that Mr. Stanhope proposes, if Lord Cross sees

no objection, to abolish the Army Sanitary Committee, and, in lieu of it, to retain the services of a professional sanitary expert, who shall, whenever necessary, inspect barracks, hospitals, &c., and advise on the measures required for their proper sanitation.

In reply, I am to observe that the proposed measure is so essentially a matter for the consideration and decision of the Secretary of State for War, that Lord Cross would hardly have deemed himself justified in offering an opinion upon it had not Mr. Stanhope made the present reference to him. He is of opinion that the Committee has rendered important services to the cause of Indian sanitation, and he would much regret its abolition if he thought that the assistance which that cause has hitherto received would be entirely wanting in the future. This, however, he hopes will not be the case. He trusts that Mr. Stanhope will have no objection to the Indian sanitary reports heretofore submitted to the Army Sanitary Committee being in future referred to the War Department for the consideration of their special sanitary expert, not necessarily with the view of the preparation of detailed memoranda as formerly, but for the benefit of any remarks or suggestions which it may occur to him to offer. If this course be approved by Mr. Stanhope, Lord Cross will offer no objection to the proposed arrangements.

No. 756-C.

Sanitary:

Copy forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department, for the information of the Governor in Council.

(By Order.)

SIMLA,
23rd April 1889.

(Signed) E. G. BARROW,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. ORDER THEREON, 16 May 1889, No. 3202.

Communicated for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and departments concerned.

(True Extract.)

McKenney Herbert
Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.

„ Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Madras.
„ Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.
„ Public Department.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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SUBJECT.

*Forwarding Copy of a
 despatch from the Secretary
 of State for India re abolition
 of Army Sanitary Com-
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