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[Despatch Abstract.]

Despatch that Dr. Haydett be
informed that the post having
received a report from the Surge-
General on his claim to act
as Surgeon 3 protest in his
presence to the Secy. & the
Secy. has no orders to proceed
in the matter & intimating
to the Surge Genl that his
despatch should not be pre-
sented he proposed for any
addl change if it could
be avoided—

BACK PAPER, No.

OF 18

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OF 18

READ AGAIN ORDER OF GOVERNMENT, DATED
18 No. MISCELLANEOUS.

ENCLOSURE

CURRENT No.

both — 9

STATEMENT WITH DETAIL

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

A A

LETTER OF GOVERNMENT

STATEMENT WITH DETAIL

REMARKS NOT KEPT UP, WHEN NECESSARY FOR DISPATCH
IN ORIGINAL (not signed)

F.B.—

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Q = Copy heading only.

D. Hazlett's Representation

CS.

From Orders

Public

DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:

Again G.O., dated 18, No.

Again G.O., dated 18, No.

Q. Current No. 2473 of 1891, dated 21.8 from The Surgeon General

P. Current No. 2676 of 1891, dated 14.9 from - Do -

Order 15 Oct 91 N 878

Dr. Haylett will be informed that the Government, having received a report from the Surgeon General on the subject of his letter of 18th August last, has no orders to pass in the matter.

It will be intimated to 2. The Surgeon General will be informed that the Govt. considers that his Secretary should not in future be proposed for any additional charge if such course can be avoided.

(From orders)

further orders.

This cancels the notification published in the Gazette of the 26th July 1881, page 389.

Extract from Gazette

Fort St. George Gazette
of 17th July 1888, Page 506,
No: 262.

Surgeon C. M. Thompson,
M. B., Secretary to the Surgeon
General with the Government
of Madras, to act as Superinten-
-dent, Ophthalmic Hospital,
without prejudice to his own
duties, during the absence of
Surgeon Major Drake-Brockman
on privilege leave.

Fort St. George Gazette of 20th June
1882, Page 318, No: 305:

Surgeon A. J. Sturmer,
Secretary to the Surgeon General with
the Government of Madras, to
officiate as Superintendent, Lying-
-in Hospital and Professor of
Midwifery, Medical College, without
prejudice to his own duties, vice
Surgeon A. M. Brauford M. B.
on privilege leave.

Fort St. George Gazette of 30th August
1881, Page 453, No: 261:

Surgeon A. J. Sturmer, Secretary
to the Surgeon-General, to act as
Assistant Physician, General Hospital,
and Professor of Materia Medica,
without prejudice to his own duties,
during the absence of Surgeon
C. Meddally on leave or until
further

OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL

WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Port St. George, 14th Sept. 1891.

No. 9/123

From

W. J. de Labeck Esq. M.D.
THE SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Fort St. George,

To

THE Chief Secretary to Government
Public Department.

SIR,

Portacammund.

Adverting to your Reference on No 2473 of
the 3rd September 1891, I have the honor to state for
the information of Government that Surgeon
J. C. Reeves was appointed to the Officiating charge
of the 3rd District on the transfer of Surgeon Major
J. H. Blenkinsop to Vizagapatam in December 1890
and held it conjointly with the appointment of
Secretary in this Office until 31st March 1891, when
he was relieved of the latter appointment by Surgeon
C. M. Thompson. Surgeon Reeves therefore continued
in Officiating charge of the 3rd District from the
15th April 1891 - which was then his sole charge.
2. Surgeon Thompson having been taken seriously
ill, it was unexpectedly found necessary that
he should be granted sick leave to Europe. Surgeon
Reeves was again nominated to the Acting
Secretaryship in this Office and in addition to his
own duties namely the 3rd District.
3. Brigade Surgeon Hazlett never held the
appointment of 3rd District, he could not therefore
he

have suffered pecuniarily or otherwise by not having been appointed to act. Had Dr. Hazlett been appointed to this additional charge he would have received additional remuneration as every extra appointment carries with it a special allowance.

4. The arrangements of the kind referred to in paras 3 & 4 of Brigade-Surgeon Hazlett's letter are only of a temporary nature, necessitated by paucity of commissioned Medical Officers in the Civil Department, and are not calculated to subvert the provisions of the Medical Code Vol. I para 133, as represented by Brigade-Surgeon Hazlett. I would respectfully draw the attention of Government to the notifications quoted in the margin from which

it will be seen that in cases of emergency it has not been unusual for the Secretary

No 261	page 458 of Fort St George Gazette of 30.8.81 Part I
305	318 " " 20.6.82
262	506 " " 17.7.88

in this Office to hold an additional appointment as a temporary arrangement.

5. Brigade-Surgeon Hazlett has since been appointed to the Medical charge of the 2^d District as a temporary measure without prejudice to his own appointment.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servant.
W. J. de Silva
Surgeon-General & Secy of the Medical
Department

on name

further

Public (1891) DEPARTMENT 2676
From W. F. de Fabrick Esq. M.D.
The SURGEON GENERAL WITH THE
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Fort St. George,
Pottacammund.

No. 0/123

Dated 14. September 1891.
Reed.

No.

14 SEP 91

Subject.

Submits remarks re-
garding the representation
made by D. Hazlett about his
claim to act as Surgeon
3^d Dist. in preference
to the Secy. Surgeon-General.

References

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Put up apper referred to in para 2
of 1st letter - copies of apper mentioned
in para 4 - + apper referred to in para
5

C.S.

15/9/91

Circulate

For Orders.

The S. G. does not explain why he did
not propose D. Hazlett for the ag.
appointment of the 3^d District in addition
to his own duties when D. Thompson
went on leave & D. Reeves was put in
to act as Secretary for the latter.

Ch. 24/9/91. There seems no particular reason
why he should. D. R. originally held
the sub-ship & 3^d Dist. and when
the former became vacant and a double
of D. R. for a time became necessary
the natural course was to suggest
the man who before held the dual
off. 24 Feb

I am I think D. Hazlett's previous
claim to be acknowledged. I would tell
him that having received a report
from the Surgeon Genl. has no orders
to pass in the matter. I would
also be frank that the let. to
the Surgeon General should not be
viewed as an additional charge if
it can be avoided. We have received
a negative a proposal to
increase the pay of the S. G.
in any case, I am bound for which
was that he was doing a lot of
work during intervals to be thus
best things. 15/9/91

further

CHIEF SECRETARY
10 OCT 91
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

1891
Recd Pottacammund
Aug 20/91

Chief Secretary
Public Dept.
Pottacammund

Aug 20/91

No. 0
Enclosure
Forwarded

W. F. de Fabrick Esq.
Surgeon General with
the Government of Madras

24/8

Put up paper marked under
put up 20. 370 of 1867. if a paper copy
to be. 24/8

For Order

The Surgeon General has
simply "forwarded" D. Hazlett's
representation without remarks
of any kind.

Submitted that the paper
should be returned to him for
remarks.

24 Aug

Ch. 25/8. Certainly the paper into which
D. Hazlett has suffered, being
or other wise by not being appointed

15/9

References of 3^d Sept 1891

The papers will be
returned to the Surgeon General
for remarks. He should state
particularly whether D. Hazlett
has suffered, pecuniarily or
otherwise by not being appointed
to the 3^d District

C.S.
1/8.

1 From Order
2 Sept

The Surgeon General

and who are not prevented from doing
so by any order of Government or
of the Secretary of State.

10 On the grounds of my being many
years senior to Surgeon F. P. Reeves,
and for the reasons adduced in former
parts of this letter, I consider I have a
better claim to the appointment I
asked for, than he has. A few months
ago when I spoke to the Surgeon General
about my claims to be made Pri-
mal Medical Storekeeper, an appoint-
ment I had acted in twice, he said
that as I was junior to Brigade Surgeon
Bateman I had less right to the ap-
pointment than he had. In the
present case he has not taken my
seniority into consideration.

I have the honour to be

Sir
Your most obedient servant
H. J. Haylett
Surgeon 4th District

I wrote officially for this a point -
ment as my former letter on the
subject had been ignored.

7. I had heard that Dr. Reeves was to
act as secretary and he told me
so himself. The a? appointment of
3rd District ought therefore to have
become vacant if the ruling in the
Medical Code already alluded to holds
good. I have not seen any order of
Government appointing Dr. Reeves to
act as secretary, but he is doing the work.

8. If the Surgeon General in his Memo
No. 0/9: dated 11 Inst alludes to my
former order, I should think it can
scarcely apply to the altered condition
of circumstances consequent on Dr.
Thompson's departure.

9. Although in exceptional instances
it may be necessary or advisable
that the Secretary to the Surgeon Ge-
neral should undertake other du-
ties in addition to his own, yet I
take the liberty of thinking that
Government does not intend that
he should have the power to accept
any additional appointment, when
there are other medical officers - men
-dus available to undertake it with-
out detriment to their proper duties.

and

I wrote privately to Dr. Thompson Secretary to the Surgeon General, telling him that I had recovered my health and that I would be fit to undertake extra work if wanted to do so.

5 I resumed charge of my District on 11 July 1891. On the 16th of the same month I wrote to the Surgeon General at the command to the same effect as I had done to his Secretary. I did not receive any reply to this letter, it scarcely registered here, but I thought I was justified in writing direct to the head of my Department, as changes in the appointments in Madras would have to be made in consequence of Dr. Thompson going home, and I was not aware whether he knew of my being fit and willing to undertake extra duties.

6 I wrote officially to the A. S. Secretary Dr. F. L. Reeves on the 3rd Inst. requesting him to ask the Surgeon General to give me the 3rd District as an additional charge. A copy of this letter and the reply thereto are attached. Being dissatisfied with the reply I wrote direct to the Surgeon General. Copies of my letter and his memo in answer are enclosed.

that the ruling laid down in the section
of the Medical Code already alluded to
was temporarily suspended or had been
abolished. I am not aware of any
orders of Government to the effect.
At the time when Dr. Thompson - under-
took the extra duty there was a great
scarcity of Medical Officers, and I pre-
sume on that account the appoint-
ment was made. I think it may be
considered that an extra charge is
tantamount to private practice.

- 4 My reasons for referring this matter
are as follows. I am Surgeon of the
4th District Madras. The appointment
of the 3rd District belongs to Brigade
Surgeon S. B. Hunt who has been
absent on furlough since 3 June 1890.
It has been the custom of the
rule for the Medical Officer of either
of these Districts to assume charge
of the other when the proper incumbent
has been absent from any cause.
On the 15th April last when I went on
privilege leave I handed over charge
of my District to Surgeon F. L. Reeves
who was acting in the 3rd District
under G. O. May 5th 1891. About 3 weeks
before the termination of my leave

Madras 18 Aug 1891

From
Brigade Surgeon H. J. Hazlett
Surgeon 4th District

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government

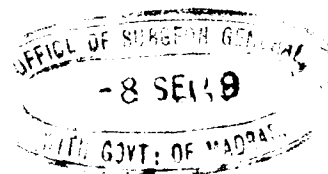
Through The Surgeon General with
The Government of the

Sir

I have the honour to request the
favour of your informing me whether
the Secretary to the Surgeon General
with the Government of Madras is
entitled to hold other appointments
in addition to his own.

2 In the medical code vol 12 page 45 in
which reference is made to G.O.G.G.
No 370 of 1867 it is laid down that he is
not allowed to engage in private practice.
I believe I am correct in saying that
the rate of pay allowed for that appoint-
ment is given to compensate him
for this prohibition.

3 In G.O. of 14 April 1891 the posting of
Surgeon L. M. Thompson Secretary to the
Surgeon General to act as Superintendent
of the Lunatic Asylum as an addi-
tional charge appears to imply
that



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himself and in order to avoid any mistake
regarding memo No 4275 may I request
the favour of your informing me whether
it correctly represents your wishes and the
orders of Government.

I have the honor to be

Yours most obedient servant

H. J. Haylett

Surgeon 4th District

True Copy

H. J. Haylett

Surgeon 4th District

Encl of the Surgeon General's letter No
dated 8 August 1891 from Brigade Surgeon H.
J. Haylett.

No. 895 dated 11 August 1891.

Surgeon F. C. Reeves was on my recom-
mendation gazetted to the Medical Charge of the
3rd District by Government.

It is not desirable or necessary in my opinion
to make any change.

Brigade Surgeon Haylett's representation has
been dealt with. His grievance is not apparent.

(Signed) W. F. de Salazar M.D.

Surgeon General with Govt

No. 898

True Copy forwarded to Brigade Surgeon

H. J. Haylett.

(By order)

(Signed) F. C. Reeves, Surgeon

Brigade Surgeon General with Govt

True Copy

H. J. Haylett

Surgeon 4th District

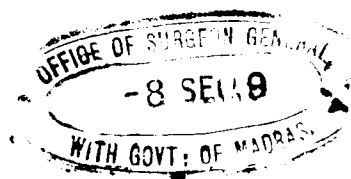
Rajahmundry Hospital
Madras 8 August 1891

From

Brigade Surgeon H. J. Hazlett
Surgeon 4th District

To, Mr. Surgeon General

with the Government of Madras
Rajahmundry.

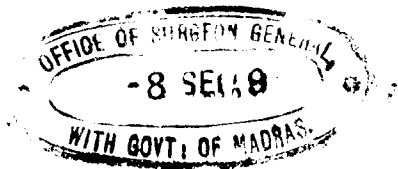


Sir, I have the honor to bring the following matters to your notice.
On the 3rd Instant I wrote to your Acting Secretary requesting him to ask you to give me charge of the 3rd District in addition to the duties I am now performing. In his memo No. 4275 of the following day signed 'by order' he replied as follows: "An officer has already been appointed by Government to officiate as medical officer third District". My letter could not have been referred to you for orders. The wording of memo No. 4275 conveys to me the impression that some one has been appointed to the 3rd District to hold it as his proper, not as an additional charge. But I believe your Secretary is doing the duties in that District. If I am right in the latter surmise I intend referring the matter to Government. Before doing so

21
Kongpetlak Hospital
Mems August 1891.

From the Surgeon
4th District.

2. The Secretary Surgeon General
with the Government of Madras
Kumbankum.



No. 206 dated 3 August 1891

Sir, If there is no one available to take the
appointments of 3rd District I have the
honor to request you will be good enough to
ask the Surgeon General to grant it to me in
addition to my present duties.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

True Copy

(Signed) H. J. Haylett
Surgeon 4th District

Surgeon 4th District.

No. 4275.

Memo.

An officer has already been appointed
by Government to officiate as Medical
officer 3rd District. (By order)

(Signed) J. C. Rees
Surgeon

Ag Secy. Surg. Genl.
with Government of Madras

4th District

True Copy

H. J. Haylett
Surgeon 4th District