

Public (189⁸₅) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 422-23.

Dated 11. 3. 98.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Replying to letter from the Ceylon Govt regarding that a medical man, who could also act as Emigration agent, may be stationed at Jondri, (Madura dt) with a small supply of medicines for the treatment of possible cases of plague & with a view to prevent the introduction of cholera by immigrant coolies into Ceylon.

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CURRENT No.

From The Hon. the Colonial Secy.

Order No. 1235 of 11 June 1897.

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Referred to the Board
of Revenue for favour of
remarks submitted
through the Surgeon General
who will be requested to
inform warding the same
to submit his own
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SUBJECT.

Requesting that necessary
steps may be taken to
give effect to the wishes of the
Ceylon govt. in regard to the
stationing at Pondicherry in S. India
of a medical man who should
also act as Immigration
Agent.

C.S.
11/6/97

TO BE RETURNED
WITH REPLY.

To the Board of Revenue
(Separate Revenue)

By order
Ag. Under Secy

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 2 June, 1897



Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to inform you that it was represented by the late Mr Wm Ingram Colton, Superintendent of Immigration at Paumben, that it would be advisable that a medical man who could also act as Immigration Agent should be stationed at Pondi in Southern India. It was suggested that he should keep a small supply of medicines in view of the possible occurrence of plague and also the object of preventing the introduction of cholera into Ceylon by immigrants Coolies who pass through in large numbers.

2. I am to ask you to be good enough with the permission of His Excellency the Governor of Madras in Council, to take the necessary steps to give effect to the wishes of this Government.

3. This Government will be prepared to pay the salary of the Medical Officer in question, if necessary.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant

L. D. Murray
for Colonial Secretary.

The Hon'ble

The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Madras

Public (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 3337



From

Surgeon-Major-General C. Sibthorpe,

C.B., F.R.C.P.I.

Surgeon-General with the
Government of Madras.

No. ୧୧୬

Engl. No. 1888711 Sep/1897.

Referred to the
Local and Municipal
Dept for favours of
remarks with
advice to para
2 of the Surgeon General's
letter

Dated *Sept 30* - September 1897!

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Chief Secretary

SUBJECT.

Transmitting certain correspondence with the remark that a Senior Civil Apothecary may be appointed to the Port of Tondi in the Madura District who could also act as Immigration Agent for the Ceylon Government.

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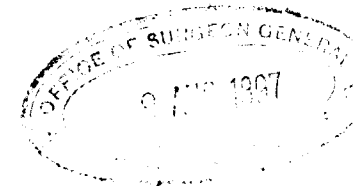
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Through the Surgeon General. 2181 of 1897
 Public Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 3259



Order

From the Secretary
 to the Commissioner of
 Salt, Abkari and
 Separate Revenue.
 His No. 3259.

Dated 2nd August 1897.
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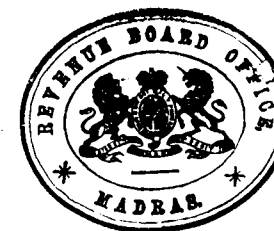
Replying to Government's
 reference regarding the
 posting of a medical man
 who could also act as Im-
 migration agent for the
 Ceylon Government to the
 port of Tondi in the Madras
 District.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue.)

Dated 2nd August 1897.

Mis. No. 3259.

Read endorsement from Government No. 1235^{Public} dated 11th June 1897 and Board's reference thereon to the Collector of Madras for report, dated 15th June 1897.

Read also letter from the Collector of Madras, R. on C. No. ¹⁵⁵ B. 16, sub 297, dated 5th July 1897 submitting report in regard to the stationing at Tondi of a medical man who should also act as an Immigration Agent at Tondi.

Resolution :-

With reference to the endorsement of Government No. 1235^{Public} dated 11th June 1897

June 1897 forwarding for report copy of
a letter from the Colonial Secretary,
Colombo proposing that a medical man
who could also act as an Immigration
agent should be stationed at Tondi, the
Board begs to report that a medical
officer could easily be stationed there,
the transfer of the Tiruvadani Hospital
to that place being already under con-
templation. As there are nearly 1,000
passengers, per mensem, on an average,
who embark at Tondi, the Board
considers that a more responsible of-
ficer of the standing of a first grade
Civil Apothecary should be appointed
to be paid for by the Ceylon Government.
The District Board might be asked
to supply the Apothecary with medi-
cines and a building in consideration

of

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of receiving his services gratis.

(True Extract).

~~Communicate~~

Assistant Secretary.

To

^{Chief}
The Secretary to Government,
^{Public}
~~Revenue~~ Department,

Through

The Surgeon-General
with the Government current

No. 2125 returned.

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From

C.B.,
 SURGEON-MAJOR-GENERAL C. SIBTHORPE, F.R.C.P.I.,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Public DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

In transmitting the Proceedings of the Revenue Board No. 3259 Mls. (Separate Revenue), dated 2nd August 1897 with its annexures, I have the honour to state that I agree with the Board that a senior Civil Apothecary should be appointed to the post of Tondi, the medicines and a building being provided by the District Board.

2. As regards the proposed transfer of the Tiruvadani Dispensary to Tondi, the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Madura, reports that the District Board have ruled that such transfer cannot be effected as the Tiruvadani Dispensary is an endowed institution. This involves a legal point, but if the transfer can be made, it will save what appears to be an unnecessary expense, viz.: that of maintaining a dispensary at Tiruvadani in addition to having a hospital under an Apothecary at Tondi.

I have the honor to be,

Your most obedient servant,

C. Sibthorpe

Major-General,

with the Government of Madras.

G. S. S.

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Memo No. 1033 of 6-10-97

Referred to the
President District
Board Madura for
early report regarding
the nature & terms
of the endowment
attached to the
Irinadurai
dispensary

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To
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Public (1897) Department.

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From

The Local & Mun. Dept.

Order

No. 2150 *Lhris.*

Dated 5-11-97

Received 8-11-97

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SUBJECT.

Dispensary.

*Comments to the Pub. Dept.
letter from the Presdt., Dist.
Board, Madras, reporting the
nature & terms of the
Endowment, attached to the
Zirwadana — ^{stating that} No far
as the Endowment is con-
cerned it is immaterial
where the — is located.*

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Order

From The President, Legislative Council.

N. C. No. 142 C of 1897

Dated 19th October 1897

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SUBJECT.

Memorandum of the Council
Relative to the
Letter of the
addressed to

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From

J. F. Esquire,
President, District Board,
Madura.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal Department,
Madras.

Sir,

Referring to endorsement of Government No 1033, dated 6th October 97, herewith returned with connected papers, I have the honor to state that it appears from G. O. No 1355 Revenue dated 16th December 1884, sanctioning the establishment of the Tirumadanai Dispensary, that there is no stipulation binding the District Board to locate the dispensary at Tirumadanai and not elsewhere. The endowment was originally intended for the support of 2 Chattrams at Chankarai and Kandarwaran, but their objects were neglected, lands were misappropriated, and the buildings allowed to fall into ruin. The Memindars of Sivaganga who was the trustee paid no attention to a notice to revise the charities, and as there was actually no need for chattrams at those 2 places, it was decided between the collector and Government to devote the proceeds of the endowment towards the upkeep of a dispensary at Tirumadanai. It is immaterial, so far as the endowment is concerned, where the dispensary is located.

I have the honor to be
SirYour most obedient servant
Ch. V. S. S. S.
For President

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers—

From the Public Department, N^o. 1888, dated 11th September 1897, referring for remarks letter from the Surgeon General regarding the transfer of the dispensary at Tiruvadanai to Tondi in the Madura District.

From the President, District Board, Madura, R.C. N^o. 142, dated 19th October 1897.

Adverting to endorsement of Govt. N^o. 1033 dated 6th October 1897 herewith returned with connected papers, I have the honour to state that it appears from G.O. No. 1385 Revenue dated 16th December 1884, sanctioning the establishment of the Tiruvadanai dispensary that there is no stipulation binding the District Board to locate the dispensary at Tiruvadanai and not elsewhere. The endowment was originally intended for the support of 2 Chattrams at Athankarai and Rameswaram, but their objects were neglected, funds were misappropriated, and the buildings allowed to fall

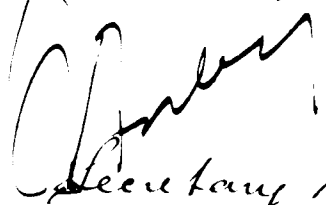
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Order No 2150 L. Mis. of 5th November 1897.

The President's letter read above will be communicated to the Public Department.

(True Extract)


Secretary to Govt.

The Public Deptt.

with C. No. 2467 L. rets.

* Submitted with ref to the A.S.'s note of 15.12.97 The Surgeon is not addressed by letter. It is presumed that this is to be treated as a Kefe as one has therefore ^{been} drafted

* Note The District Bd has merely opened to supply the apoth, with medicines and a building

The budget estimate for the current year for maintaining the existing dispensary at Tiruvadanai is Rs 1050

Public Dept

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Or. No. 2811
21.12.97

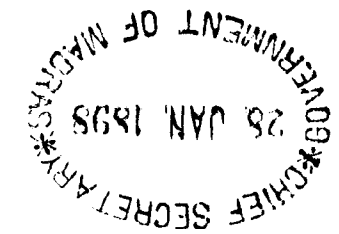
With ref to his letter No 336 of 3.9.97 the Surgeon is informed that there is no legal obstacle to prevent the removal of the Tiruvadanai Dispensary to Joradi. It is therefore proposed to post a senior Apothecary to the latter place on transferring the dispensary thither, and that the Local Board should continue to pay ^{*} the existing cost, the Ceylon Govt do-
-paying the difference plus pensionary contribution.

The Surgeon is requested to furnish Govt with an early date with an estimate showing the probable difference in cost under the proposed arrangement

CLO
11/12/97

Public (1898) Department.

CURRENT No.



From

Surgeon Major General
C. S. Brooke C.B. F.R.C.S.

To Orders

Submitted with ref to
the notes at and on
no. 2811 d/211197 at

No. 77

Dated the 27th January 1898.

Received } 28th Jan 1898
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29.1.98

SUBJECT.

Forwarding a statement showing
the details of charges for main-
taining a hospital at Sondi
as compared with those provided
for the Sivudamalai dispensary.

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Not showing the details of charges for maintaining a dispensary at Lodi and the present allotment for 1897-98 for Sivadasanai dispensary.

Particulars

Amount provided for Sivadasanai dispensary in the budget for 1897-98. Senior Civil Apothecary.

Remarks.

1 Medical Subordinate	400	1800	@ Rs. 150 per mensem
2 Compounder	180	180	@ Rs. 15 - do -
3 Ward cooly	"	72	@ Rs. 6 - do -
4 Cook	"	60	@ Rs. 5 - do -
5 Lohy	"	60	@ Rs. 5 - do -
6 Sweeper and water woman	30	"	"
7 Midwife	"	"	"
8 Medicines & Surgical Instruments	175	200	"
9 Supplies (Cots and bedding & clothing)	30	100	"
10 Diet	"	120	"
11 Rent for hospital building.	"	120	@ Rs. 10 per month
12 Furniture	40	"	"
13 Sundries.	175	200	"

Total. 1050 - - 2912 - -

C. Sivadasanai

Senior Civil Apothecary.

No.

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From

OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL
WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
Madras, 27th January
SURGEON-MAJOR-GENERAL C. SIBTHORPE, C.B., F.R.C.P.I.,
SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

To

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Public DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

With reference to Memorandum No. 2811, Public, dated the 21st December 1897, I have the honor to forward herewith a statement showing the details of charges for maintaining a hospital at Sondi as compared with those provided for the current official year for the dispensary at Srivadanai. The probable difference in cost under the proposed arrangement will be about Rs. 1862.

2. The pay provided for the Senior Civil Apothecary is Rs. 1800 against Rs. 480 the pay of the present medical subordinate at Srivadanai or Rs. 1320 in excess.

C. S. Sibthorpe

Public Dept.
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OM. No. 32787-2-7

With reference to his letter No 79 of 27.1.98 the Surgeon Genl. is informed that what is in contemplation is the opening of a dispensary, and not a hospital, ~~as the medical officer~~ at Tondi. ~~the senior civil surgeon~~ in charge must however be an apothecary, ~~where it is proposed to post three~~ ~~of the~~ ~~he will be required to undertake the~~ ~~being required in order that he~~ ~~may act as an~~ ^{deputy} Emigration Agent. The Surg. Genl. is, therefore, requested to submit, at an early date, a revised statement showing the details of the charges for maintaining a ^{under a senior civil apothecary,} dispensary at Tondi, as compared with the ^{amounts} provided for the current official year for the dispensary at Tiruvadanai, and to state what the increased pensionary contribution ^{be} will amount to.

(From orders of C.S.)

To The Surg. Genl.

21/12/18

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Public (1898) Department.

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From
Surgem. Major-General
G. Sibthorpe C.B. F.R.C.P.

No. 184

Dated the 19th February 98.

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding a revised statement showing the details of charges for maintaining a dispensary at Sondi.

CHIEF SECRETARY
20 FEB. 1945
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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List showing the details of charges for maintaining a dispensary for 1897-98 for Siruvadanai dispensary.

Particulars.

1. Medical Subordinate.
2. Compounder @ Rs 15 per mensem.
3. Sweeper & waterman
4. Medicines & surgical instruments.
5. Supplies.
6. Rent for dispensary building.
7. Sundries.

Amount provided for Siruvadanai dispensary in the budget for 1897-98

Difference when borne by the Ceylon Government.

Remarks.

	(a)	(a) Includes	per mensem.
420	180	1380	@ Rs 180 per mensem
180	180		
30	30		
175	200	25	
30	30		
	120	120	
40	40		
175	200	25	
Total Rs. 1050	2600	1500	

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Surgeon-Major General

Surgeon-Major General

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No. 184

OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL

WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Madras, 12th February 1898

From

SURGEON-MAJOR-GENERAL C. SIBTHORPE, C.B., F.R.C.P.I.,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

To

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Public DEPARTMENT.

SIR

With reference to Memorandum
No. 327 Pub. dated the 7th February 1898,
I have the honor to forward herewith a
revised statement showing the details of charges
for maintaining a dispensary at Londi.

2. It will be seen from the above statement
that the probable difference in cost under
the proposed arrangement will be about Rs 1550.
Of this item, a sum of Rs 1380 goes towards
the pay of the medical subordinate
including the pensionary contribution of
Rupees 225-

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedt. servant

C. Sibthorpe

Surgeon Major General

Rev. Sept

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DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in proceedings :—

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C. no. 42264

H.M.

C.S.

In ORDER.

In their letter at A. the Ceylon Govt. asked that a medical man who could also act as an Immigration agent should be stationed at Tondicherry, Madras District. They also offered to provide his pay.

The Board of Rev. in their proceedings at B.C. said the removal of the Tondicherry Hospital to Tondicherry was already under contemplation, and suggested that a first-grade apothecary might be appointed to be paid for by the Ceylon Govt.

(to Tondicherry)

The Surg. General

of the Board, but said that the P. M. O. had reported that there were legal difficulties in the way of removing the hospital from Tiruvadam to Tondi, as it was an endowed institution.

The President of the District Board now reports that there are no legal difficulties in the way of a transfer, as when the endowment was appropriated by Govt for this purpose no such stipulation was made.

The S. General may therefore now be informed that there is no obstacle in the way of removing the Tiruvadam Hospital to Tondi, and asked to arrange for it being done, and a senior apothecary posted to the latter place.

The Ceylon Govt may be informed that the arrangement proposed in this

~~NOTE FOR THE~~

that the pay of apothecary stationed at Tondi is defrayed by them.

20.11.97. ^{M.C.} 20/11/97

If approved this may be sent to Rev. & L. & M. for counter initials.

M.C.

MA

No objection, provided the Hospital is the Apothecary's first care. In that case it is for consideration whether the Ceylon Govt. would care to pay the whole cost. ^{MA}

BS

7/12/97

Settle on this basis if possible without returning to...

Nº 2718 dated 10.12.97.

Will the local and Municipal Govt please furnish the information asked for by...

S. L. M. D.

The actual cost of maintaining the dispensary at Tiruvandam in the year 1876-77 was Rs 1082 and the provision in the budget for the current year is Rs 1250.

V.R.

13/11/97

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To The Public Department

S. G. Draft letter to S. G. informing him of the proposed arrangement, asking for an estimate of the probable difference in cost in future. A senior apothecary is to work.

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NOTE FOR THE Secretary.

8.

There is no objection to the note below being counter-initialed by the Secretary.

K.D.
30/11/97

There is no objection in this Dept. to the proposals.

1/12/97

To Pub Dept. a.o.

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NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

In O. M. 2811 on 1.9.
21.12.7

was asked what would be the difference in cost if the dispensary at Trinivandam was transferred to Tondi. An apothecary was to be entertained at the latter place, in order that he might also act as Immigration agent. The difference was to be paid by the Ceylon Govt. + pensionary contribution.

In 1.3.79 the S. G. replies showing the difference in maintaining a hospital at Tondi as against a dispensary at Trinivandam. He also says nothing about the additional pensionary contribution. In his letter at May A. the Ceylon Govt. asked that the medical officer to be stationed at Tondi should keep a small supply of medicine for the hospital.

is there anything to show that one is required. The mistake, it is true, originated from the Board of Revenue (Proc. no. 3259 of 2.8.97) at page (B.) but the S. General's letter (after that page) shows that he did not point out the discrepancy, as in para. 2 he speaks of the transfer of the Tiruvadam dispensary to Tondi, and also of having a hospital at the latter place.

It will seem from the estimate submitted by the S. G. that the establishment of a hospital at Tondi will mean an increased expenditure of

	Rs
(3.) Ward work ~~was~~	~~25~~ 72
(4.) Cook	60.
(5.) Lohy	30.
(9.) Supplies	70
(10.) Diet	120
(11.) Rent for hosp. building	120.
(13.) Sundries	25.
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in the above head the S. G. has not the increased

item (8) in list.

On this S. G. may be asked if they want a hospital at Tondi. etc.

provisionary contribution will come to.

Possibly a building would have to be hired, in any case, i.e. whether ^{either} a dispensary or a hospital is established at Tondi. The supply of medicines asked for by the Ceylon Govt. has been provided for by the S. General.

The S. General has no doubt concluded that as in ordinary cases an apothecary is always stationed at a hospital, by the mere fact of an apothecary being required for Tondi it was in contemplation to open a hospital there.

This is not the case. An apothecary is required in order that he may act as Immigration Agent. (the Ceylon Govt. say Immigration) An O. M. may, therefore, go to the S. G. pointing out this, and also asking for the information as to the provisionary contribution.

Yes - & say only a

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., No. , dated 189 .
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" " 3337 of 1897, " 3/9 " Surgeon Paul
" " 4226 " 1897, " 5/11 " L. & M. 1897
" " 379 " 1898, " 27/ " Surgeon Paul
" " 730 " 1898, " 15/2 " do

ORIER. No 422 of 11.3.88

Mis.

The Government of Ceylon will
be addressed.

LETTER:- No 423.

To

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary,
Colombo.

Hon'ble SIR,

I am directed to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter No. ...
dated 2nd June 1897, requesting that
a medical man, who could also act as
Emigration Agent, may be stationed
at Tondi, (Madura District) with a
small supply of medicines for the
treatment of possible cases of plague,
and with a view to prevent the in-
troduction of cholera by immigrant
coolies into Ceylon, and stating
that the Ceylon Govt. will pay the
salary of the medical officer, if

2. In reply, I am to say that His Excellency the Governor in Council ~~has decided~~ ^{has} to ~~give effect to~~ the wishes of the Ceylon Govt. by transferring to Tondi the dispensary which at present exists at Tiruvadanai, a neighbouring village. The duties at Tondi will, however, be of a more onerous and more responsible nature than they are at Tiruvadanai, and the Govt. ~~therefore~~ ^{therefore} considers it necessary that the institution after transfer should be under the care of a Senior Civil Apothecary in place of the Hospital Asst. who at present holds charge at Tiruvadanai. There will, therefore, be some difference in cost between the present dispensary and that which it is proposed to establish. If the Ceylon Govt. will defray ~~the amount~~ this difference, which for the year 1898-99 is estimated at Rs. 1000, this Govt. will be glad to give immediate effect to the proposed transfer.

3. I am to say that as the District Board, Madura, will under this arrangement continue to contribute the sum which has hitherto maintained the ^{ary} ~~dispensary~~ at Tiruvadanai, the dispensary at Tondi will be maintained by the Government.

HT 10-3-98

Mr (from order)
9/2/98

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