

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2789

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
15th November 1865.*

No. 239. Read the following letter from the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort Saint George, 6th November 1865, No. 339 :—

No. 2,656, dated 30th October 1865, Revenue Department.

1. Referring to the Orders of Government as per margin, I would respectfully observe that no provision is made

for enabling the Civil Surgeon to detach, temporarily, Medical Subordinates of Civil Departments residing at head quarter stations.

2. A case occurred the other day, in which an Officer of the Revenue Survey Department, though residing at the head quarter station of the District, refused to give up the services of his Dresser, to enable the Civil Surgeon to arrange for medical aid to a party of Convicts proceeding to another station.

3. It has also frequently happened that Police Officers have objected to the temporary removal of Subordinates, from the Police Hospitals at head quarters for duty elsewhere in the District.

4. I need not point out to Government, that Medical Subordinates become sick or inefficient equally with other Government servants, and that arrangements have often to be made hurriedly for the performance of the duties of an absentee. To withhold from the Civil Surgeon the power to provide for such emergencies, will, I have reason to believe, seriously embarrass the working of the Department.

No. 240.

ORDER THEREON, 15th November 1865, No. 2,789.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government wish to have before them the details of the case referred to in paragraph 2 of the foregoing letter.

2. They consider that it would be quite sufficient, for all purposes, to hold the Departmental Officer responsible for unnecessarily refusing the services of his Medical Subordinate when required on emergency for other duty than that to which he has been specially nominated, and they consider that their former order meets the case supposed by Dr. Cole, inasmuch as it places the Medical Subordinates 'under the orders' of the chief Medical Officer of the station, when not required for service beyond the station by the Officer to whose establishment they are specially attached.

3. Of course when so required they must be available, as otherwise the intention of Government in appointing them would be altogether frustrated.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department.

„ the Public Department.

„ the Military Department.

„ the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Fort St. George, 6th November 1865.

From

*The Principal Inspector General,
Medical Department,
Fort St. George.*

To

*The Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department,
Fort St. George.*

Sir,

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I have the honor to be

Sir
Your most obedient servant



Principal Inspector General
Medical Department

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Revenue Department
No 2789

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 15th November 1865.

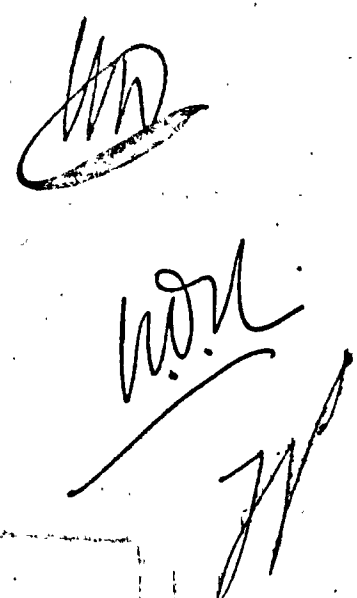
Read the following
letter from Principal Ins...
General Medical Department

Submits observations
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(Here enter 6th Novr 1865
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[Signature]

- 2 To The Lt. Insp. Genl. M^d. Dept.
- 5 Public Dept.
- 7 Military Dept.
- 14 Board of Revenue.

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Revenue 1865 Debt.
No. of Govt for Revenue

No 2789.

No. of the Madras Govt.
15/12/65-

From Principal Secy to
General Secy to Govt
24 Novem/65 C No 3396

Regarding the Principal
Secy to Govt General to
Report the details of the same
in which a Deputy Officer
refused to give up the
services of his Director.

No 239 & 240