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10. To Colonel Ross - to report upon the propriety of the enclosed Estimate of Repairs for the Buildings at the Cantonment of Chicacole -

To the Chief Engineer

To Messrs Popham and Baker, with Extract from the Minutes of Consultation 5th Instant, & desiring their attention thereto -

To the Company's Solicitors -

11th Sent the following Letter to the Resident at Poona -

To C. W. Malet Esqr

Resident at Poona

Sir,

I wrote you on the 29th Septr since which I have received your letters of the 3rd & 8th Novr

To the Resident at Poona, in reply to his Letters of the 3d & 8th November.

The fate of Shanoor no doubt was an unfavorable symptom of the Ardour of the Mahrattas, especially as they suffered Tippoo to take possession of it under their eyes -

I have no doubt that the exaggerations of the French Emissary would be fully as great at Tippoos Durbar, as they were at Poonah - But if Tippoo has any tolerable information of what is going on upon this Coast, he must know that the French Force, is as contemptible, as that of the British Nation is respectable - I am glad that you have satisfied

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11. Nana Furnaveese how much the French had attempted to deceive him, you may continue to assure him that the last Letters from Europe confirm the Accounts of the Peace between England and France and that in India the force of France is so small that if they were hostily inclined they could neither disturb us nor give essential Aid to our Foes, if any such were disposed to come forward.

You will before this time have heard from Lord Cornwallis, that he thinks it would be improper for you to hold any powers from the Nabob of the Carnatic - and I would have announced the same Sentiments to you if the case had related to any other Prince than the Nabob Walahjah, but I considered his Interest and the Company so much united, that, I did not think of applying the rules of Policy indispensably necessary in all other instances, to the request made by you, and therefore gave it countenance - But as I am convinced his Lordship's reasoning upon that subject is every way just, I shall not touch further upon it with the Nabob - His Highness however has sent me a Letter for Rowjee his Vakeel at Poona, directing him to communicate with you upon all important matters, which shall come to his Knowledge, and to act in all respects in concert with you -

I approve of your caution in keeping back my letter to the Peishwah, untill

you

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If you should receive Letters from Earl Cornwallis, and be enabled from them to reconcile the description given by me of his Lordship's powers, and appointment with the annunciation given thereof to the Poona Durbar — What may be further done in this matter you will no doubt communicate to me —

This Government has adopted a measure, which I hope will greatly expedite the Communication between Poona and this place and also with Calcutta — We have established a regular Patamar, to go from this Coast to Bombay. The Packets to be dispatched from hence the first and third Wednesday in every Month, to go by the established Tappals to Angole, where boxes of the Patamar Boats are stationed, & will proceed directly by way of Hyderabad and Poonah to Bombay. These Patamar Men will go in about 22 days from Angole to Bombay, after delivering their Letters at Hydrabad and Poona, but they must not be detained at either of these places — We have recommended it strongly to the Bombay Government to adopt the Plan upon the same system, in which case their will be a regular conveyance every fortnight from the one Coast to the other, and you may be calculating the time of the arrival of the Patamar men, have your Dispatches for Calcutta and Madras safely conveyed by them — The former I think you had better address under cover to Captain Montgomery or Officer Commanding

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copy of the Proposals of Messrs Balfour and Spalding
I should not faithfully discharge my duty if I
omitted to offer the following Observations upon
them, from which, I believe, it will appear that Messrs
Balfour and Spalding have been mistaken with
regard to some of the Circumstances on which they
have grounded their Proposals.

Respecting the first Paragraph
I do not recollect that Lord Macartney entered into
any Contract for the remittance of Money from
Tanjore - it was not indeed until the February
before his departure, and a few days before my
appointment to this Station, that there was any
surplus Cash at Tanjore - on the 5th of that month
his Lordship drew a Bill on my Predecessor for
40,000 Pagodas, being part of a specific Sum (120,000)
which the latter expected to receive as an aid from
the Rajah; and in the May following his Lordship
drew on me for 20000, but those Bills were drawn
at 25 Gold fanams p Star Pagoda - They were
both drawn in favor of the same Soucars, and Lord
Macartney might doubtless have made an agree=
=ment, or Contract with that or any other Soucar
house, for the remittance of the specific Sum (120,000
Pagodas) abovementioned without communicating
it to me while I continued in Office at Madras,
as the Subject did not immediately belong to the
department that was under my charge, but after
my appointment to this Station, I conceive his
Lordship would have naturally apprized me of the
Circumstance in order that the money might be

paid

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paid to the Contractor's Agent, and to prevent my adop-
-ting any other mode, or Channel of remittance
instead of which I was directed by the Select Committee,
under date the 24th February 1785 "to lose not a
moment in remitting to the Presidency the residue
of the 120000 Pagodas" without specifying any
particular Houne; and I did accordingly remit Rags
25000 in April in several Bills on different Sow-
-cars, of which Lord Macartney approved, and desired
me in earnest terms to continue my remittance-
From these circumstances I conclude that if Lord
Macartney made any Contract for the remittance of
Money from hence it must have been confined
to the Bill for 40000 Pagodas drawn in February
as abovementioned-

On the second Paragraph of Messrs
Balfour and Spaldings proposals, I beg leave to
observe that at the period when the Honble Board
made their Contract with the House of Sooberoy &c
for the remittance of two Lacks of Pagodas at 25 p
Fanams p Pagoda, namely in the month of December
last year, and even for two months before, the Exchange
here was 23 15/16 whereas the Exchange here at present
is only 23 1/4, being 11/16 of a Gold Fanam in favor of
the present Contractors, supposing the Exchange to
rise from this time in the same proportion as it did
last year, which is the utmost they have to apprehend
for the great rise in the Exchange last year was
occasioned by an extraordinary competition for the
purchase of Gold between the Agent of the Contractor
for the above remittance of two Lacks, and several

Individuals

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Individuals, particularly the Agents of the Gentlemen who contracted with Government for the liquidation of Military Arrears—

With regard to the third Paragraph the observation with which it commences is very just, and a great part of the Bullion must doubtless always be purchased without the province, possibly the whole this year — but if by the word Province is to be understood the Tanjore Country (exclusive of the foreign Settlements) a considerable quantity of Bullion was last year purchased within it—

With respect to the fourth Paragraph of the Proporals I conceive Messrs Balfour & Spalding must be unapprized of the present state of the Exchange at Tanjore, or they would not be apprehensive that the rate of 25/h was less favorable at present, than it was last year — a proof at least that it is not so considered here as. that about eight days before I received the honor of your Letters of the 24th and 25th Ultimo, a person on Tanjore of the name of Ramanaigue, sent me a Message requesting to know if I would receive, & recommend for the Honble Board's acceptance an offer from him to contract for the remittance to the Presidency of all the surplus Cash at 25 Gold Fanams per Star Pagoda — being doubtful whether their rate of Exchange was not too high I referred returneng any positive answer, but directed my Servant to endeavour to bring the Man to lower terms, & in the interim your Letters arrived. As it was entirely owing to my delay & not to any

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on his part, that the offer of the said Ramanaigue was not substantiated in writing, and forwarded to the Honble Board before their orders relative to the Contract with Messrs Balfour & Spalding reached my hands, I have thought it no more than strictly just towards Rama=naigue to permit him to send me the offer in writing since the receipt of those Orders, & it is accordingly here=with enclosed - The Message intimating his wish to make me the offer I mentioned to Mr Swartz very soon after I received it, and I find it was on Wednesday the 22d Ultimo -

I have only to add that I have no further Knowledge of Ramanaigue than what I have obtained from general report, which pronounces him to be a Man of large property and of wealthy Connections -

I have the honor to be &c &c

Tanjore
12th December 1786

/ Signed / J Huddleston

To John Huddleston Esqr
Resident at Tanjore

Sir,

I do hereby propose to you that I will receive the Tanjore fanams at 25 p every Pagoda, that is to say I shall receive all the Company's money that can be spared at Tanjore, and pay it at Madras in Star Pagodas fifteen days after the Money is paid here -

If the Honorable Board approve of my Proposal I shall be punctual in my Engagements

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Engagement with the Honble Company, provided that no other person is to have any Contract this year from this place.

Tanjore
30th November 1786

I am with respect &c &c

Signed / Ramnaigue & Co

A true Copy
Wm Harrington

Minute thereon.

The President informs the Board that upon the receipt of the foregoing he thought it necessary to examine how far the Remarks contained thereon were founded - he now submits his Observations on the subject in the following Words -

President's Remarks upon the foregoing Letter from Mr Hudleston -

Mr Hudleston having made some Remarks upon the Agreement with Messrs Balfour & Spalding for bringing the Money from Tanjore - The Accounts of last year were examined from which it appears that the Remittances were made in three different ways -

The first by Soubaroy and Co according to the terms of the Agreement made with them by Mr Davidson at the rate of 95/p Fanams p Star Pagoda -

The second by Sowcars Bills procured by Mr Hudleston at Tanjore, taken at an Exchange varying from 95 3/4 to 95 7/8 Fanams per Star Pagoda; - But several of these Bills were not paid for a long period beyond the

Time

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Time agreed for with Soubaroy & Co which of course entitled the Contract made with these People to a Preference.

The third mode of Remittance was by Purchases of Specie made by Mr Hudleston all of which, except the first, are charged in his Accounts at 25 7/16 ths, which though a Fraction under the Price paid Soubery and Company in reality saved the Company nothing because they were put to the Expence of Golah Coan hire and of Batta to Sepoys who escorted the Specie, which when added to the Prices stated in the Resident's Accounts, brings the Cost as nearly as can be to 25 1/2 Fanams p Star Pagoda.

These three Modes of Remittance coming so near each other, is the strongest Proof that can be offered, that the Terms fixed with Messrs Balfour & Spalding are reasonable.

It appears proper that these Remarks should be communicated to the Resident.

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		Date when the money was paid at Tanjore	Date when received at Madras	Difference of Days	
Venkata Chetty's dft on Rama Chetty for 10000 Pags @ 25 ½ Gold Fanams p Pag. is 255000 at 25 ½ p Pagoda	10652 35 40	1735 Decem 7	1736 Jan 13	6	
Do dft on Do for 12000 at Do Do	12783 13 70	"	10	23	13
Do dft on Do for 8000 at 25 ½ p Pagoda 206000	8605 35 40	"	16	1736 Febry 15	61
Ramalinguns dft on Anupanamadore Comambetum p 10000 at 25 ½ p Pag is 255375 at 24 ½	10516 38 40	1736 March 31	May 16		16
Rama Chetty's dft on Moodo Krishna Chetty p 16000 at 25 ½ p Pag is p 407000 at 24 ½ p Pagoda	16827 "	April 1	April 28		27
Ramalinguns on Rama Chetty & Moodo Krishna p 10000 at Do Do Do	10516 38 40	"	June 1	June 7	6

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Extract from Mr Hudleston's Accounts of the Remittances made by him from Tanjore to Madras in Specie.

Date		Rate of Exchange	Amount	Sepoy Batta	2 p. Mille Peon Batta	Sepoy & Peons Batta p Cent.	Sepoy & Peons Batta p Pagoda
1786					P	P. F. C	
July	25	25 1/4	20000	13. 31. 60	40. -.-	-. 11. 23 1/10	-. -. 9. 031
April	1	25 7/16	20000	3. 22. 40	40. -.-	-. 9. 11 2/5	-. -. 7. 314
	26	25 7/16	20000	2. 12. 20	40. -.-	-. 8. 7 9/10	-. -. 7. 105
May	23	25 7/16	20000	10. 3. 40	40. -.-	-. 10. 41 2/5	-. -. 8. 414
June	22	25 7/16	24000	8. 10. 10	48. -.-	-. 9. 67 3/8	-. -. 7. 873
Average		25 7/16	124.000	37. 38. 10	208. -.-		5) 39. 737
Average of 1 Rupee 1/10				208. -.-			Average 7. 947
Average rate of Exch.		25 9/10		245. 38. 10			nearly 9/10 of a Gold Fanam

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= 9. 74 7/16 p 100 Pag. nearly
And 25 9/10 the nearest Calculation of the Average Rate of Exchange.

N.B. The Pagoda is computed at 42 Fanams each of 80 Cash or 160 the Gold Fanam.

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The above mentioned Remarks to be sent to the Resident.

Agreed that the Secretary do prepare an Answer to Mr Hudleston's Letter agreeably to the Remarks made thereon by the President.

The Letter from the Governor General and Council dated 31st Oct. (entered in Consult. the 5. Instant) being taken into Consider-ation, the President informs the Board that It appears by a Letter from Messrs Telling and De Tries to him and from Conversation with other Merchants, that Bills on Bengal, made certain in their payment may be drawn at 105 to 106 Arcot Rupees ₹ 100 Star Pagodas -

The Letter from the Gov.r Genl & Co.s of the 31st Oct.r taken into Consideration -

Minute thereon - That it is however possible that Government issuing Bills to any considerable Amount upon Bengal would raise the Exchange, and the President conceives it may therefore be advisea-ble to continue the Remittance for 6 Months longer in Mr Burkis hands, provided he will engage to remit at the probable Exchange, for which Govern-ment could draw Bills on Bengal -

Do - Their Exchange will now all like-lihood vary from 105 to 109 AR.s ₹ c.o Star Pagodas - it would perhaps be an advisable thing to fix it at the average of these Sums, which is 107.

Do - Should the Exchange become more favorable, or any thing occur that may render it advisable for Government to take the Remi-ttance upon themselves - it should be understood

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understood that they are at liberty so to do on giving Mr Burke reasonable Notice of their Intention, which should not be less than three Months before the expiration of the time agreed on —

Resolved that a Letter be addressed to the Governor General and Council agreably to the foregoing Information & opinion delivered in by the President —

Read the following Letter from Major Burrowes —

To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K.B.

President & Governor &c. Council

Honble Sir & Sirs,

From Major Burrowes with a Statement of his Services as a Cavalry Officer —

The Court of Directors having been pleased in April 1785 to appoint Sir H. Corby to the Command of the Native Cavalry at this Settlement I delivered in a Memorial to their Honble Court in the following Month, stating my superior Claims to that Appointment —

They were pleased to take my Memorial into consideration, and finding difficulties arise in deciding on the Applications of Sir Henry Corby, Major Forryn and myself. they thought proper to refer them to your Honble Board —

When these Claims came under your Investigation, I was unavoidably detained

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at Bombay, & having no Person here to bring my Services forward, they appear unnoticed in the Statement of Services performed by the several Claimants, where I have the Mortification to see an entire blank set opposite to my Name. And to this I have the further Mortification to find that I am superceded as well in the Army as in the Cavalry, by a Junior Officer in both —

Conscious as I am of my Zeal and faithful Services for a Series of Years, I confess I had not the least doubt, that some Notice would have been taken of them, but your Silence in this respect, laying me open to the Suspicion of having mis-represented my Services to the Honble Court of Directors — It is a duty I owe myself to state them here, where they are more open to enquiry, and more easily controverted, if not supported by fact — And I request you will be pleased to make such Representation on your part to the Honble Court, as you may think I merit, in order to remove, the unfavorable impression from their Minds, which that blank in the Statement of Services must necessarily occasion —

I was employed upon all the Services, which were carried on from the period of my appointment to the Cavalry in 1767. until that of my Resignation of my Regiment in 1778 — I served during the first War with Hyder Ally. — On the first & second Expeditions against Tanjore — On the Expedition against the great and the little

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Marawar, and in the Naut Collery Country - And I will venture to say in every instance with the Approbation of my Superiors -

On the first Expedition against Tanjore being detached with my troop by the late General Mathews who commanded the Cavalry, I charged & defeated a body of the Enemy's Infantry & Colleries in the town of Combeconum. On the last Expedition, the 6th of August 1773 when our Army appeared before the place, I was detached with two Troops & drove different parties of the Enemy's Horse & Infantry, from the Posts which they occupied up to the Glacies - On the same day after the Main body of their Horse had assembled on the plain, the Cavalry were ordered to attack them. I had the honor of Commanding the two Grenadier troops, which made the Charge, supported by the two Regiments, & defeated them with considerable Loss, giving entire Satisfaction to the Commander in Chief, who was pleased to make honorable mention of me to the Board, in his letter of that date - On the little Marawar Expedition a body of Colleries were posted behind the Bank of a Tank at Shivagunga, and had given a Check to our advanced Guard of Infantry - I saw an opening for attacking them, which I did with my Troop and dislodged them, with some Loss -

I introduce these instances, (and I regret the occasion, which has forced me to bring

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bring them myself into notice) because they will serve to prove some Zeal at least on the part of an Officer, who had not neglected to avail himself of such opportunitys as offered for an active discharge of his Duty—

Were I to recite my Services in the Tanjore Country, during the late War, I trust they would reflect on me some degree of Merit, but being foreign to the Subject in question (altho I could produce a precedent from the Statement of Services laid before your Honor &c.) I shall not enter into any detail of them And will only beg leave to say, that the late Commander in Chief Sir Eyre Coote was pleased to give a strong testimony of his approbation of them in his Letter to the Board of the 21st January 1782, which they transmitted to the Honble Court of Directors in their Letter of the 5. September following, with such mention of me as they conceived I merited as an Officer. And that Sir Hector Munro was pleased to signify his Approbation of my Conduct on the Expedition against Negapatam in his Letter to His Majestys Minister, as well as to the Board, on the Capture of that place—

I will now beg leave to submit some reasons to your Consideration in support of my Claim to Cavalry Rank.— In your Decision of the 31st of August last, you are pleased to declare your unanimous opinion, that as I had resigned the Nabobs Service prior to his Cavalry being taken into that of the Company, I could not have any Claim to Cavalry Rank—

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If I had resigned from private motives, or views to other advantage, my Resignation might have been urged as an Argument against me - but as the contrary was the Case, & that I was forced to it in consequence of a most injurious & unmerited Supercession, I humbly conceive I had reason to expect some consideration and indulgence - I did not indeed apprehend that my Resignation could have involved my rights as a Cavalry Officer, derived from eleven Years constant Service in that line, or my Pretensions to serve in the Company's Cavalry - Pretensions which are founded on my original Appointment to that line in the Honble Company's Service in 1767 - And though neither Major Fitz Gerald nor any of the other Officers at that time appointed had Cavalry Commissions, yet by the custom of the Service, which regards an appointment in G: O: as equivalent to a Commission, We were all universally considered as Cavalry Officers, and entitled to Promotion in that line, whenever a Cavalry Establishment should be permanently formed —

It is well known that the late General Mathews left the Nabobs Service in consequence of a Misunderstanding & yet it was not considered to have disqualified him from serving as a Cavalry Officer, for he was again employed in that line, and appointed by Government to the Command of all the Cavalry on the first Expedition against Tanjore. There is yet a more recent instance in Major

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Sourdan, who in May 1784 resigned his Regimen
in the Honble Company's Service, and some time
afterwards, he was at his own request readmitt
& appointed to the Command of a Regiment, which
he now holds.

Having thus supported my Pre
-tensions as I hope I have done by the right of
appointment, the right of Services and by proce
I chearfully & with Confidence submit them t
your Honor & trusting, that you will find in
the Circumstances I have set forth sufficient gro
for a Reconsideration of your late Decision respe
-cting me, which as it now stands materially affe
me as an Officer, and injures my future Prospect
in the Service.

I have the honor to be &c &c

/ Signed / J Burrowes

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The Blank opposite to Major
Burrowes's Name in the Statements of Services per
-formed by Cavalry Officers was occasioned by there
not being any person on the spot authorized by him
to bring forward his Claims & to specify the Ser
-vices upon which he grounded them. As Major
Burrowes in the foregoing Letter has particularize
those Services, it is Agreed that the Blank be
filled up agreably thereto.

Minute thereon.

Having referred the Preceding
of the 31st August last, relative to the Cavalry, to the
Court of Directors, it is not possible to make any alterat

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in the Rank of the Officers then settled — In justice to Major Burrowes, the Board will transmit his Letter to England as a Number in the Packet by the first Conveyance, & will at the same time express to the Court of Directors the high Sense they entertain of his Services —

Agreed that a Letter be written to Major Burrowes conformably to the above Resolution

Read the following Letter from the Military Board —

To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K.B.

Governor &. & & in Council,

Honble Sir & Sirs,

From the Military Board - Lieut Colonel Moorhouse admitted a Member - stating a mode for the provision of Colours for the different Corps - on the Petitions of two Subahdars referred to them by Government - The mode suggested by Adjt Jones for the payment of Arrears due the M. Battn approved - Mr Gordon not entitled to draw the Amount of Arrears said by him to be due to Mr Joseph Gordon.

We have been honored with Mr Secretary Shamier's letters of the 30th Ultimo and 6th Instant with their several Enclosures - In compliance with the Orders contained in the latter of these, Lieut Colonel Moorhouse has this day taken his Seat at our Board, and the Regulations for the Laboratory shall be carefully inserted in the new Edition of the book of Regulations —

We have in obedience to your Commands taken into Consideration the establishing a fixed mode of supplying Colours to the different Corps And tho' it was formerly the custom to provide Colours for the Native Corps by Stoppages from the Sepoys, their Pay having been long found hardly adequate to defray their necessary expences - that as well

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well as all other Stoppages (those for Cloathing excepted) appear to have been for some time discontinued. We therefore beg leave to recommend that in future the Colours shall be provided at the expence of the Company, on an application to the Commander in Chief, from the Commanding Officer of a Regiment or Battalion, properly certified by the Senior Officer of the Station. It may also be expedient to regulate that a set of Colours should last at least seven years except in particular cases, and that the original Expence should not exceed the Sum of 45 Star Pagodas.

Having considered the Petitions &c accompanying Vouchers of Subedars Seid Abdul Cawroo and Cheekapah, We have great reason from the good Characters of these Officers to credit the Truth of their Representations - But conceiving that it would be establishing a dangerous precedent, to indemnify them for a loss occasioned by their own improvidence, in trusting their Chests with a Dubash - and as issuing public Paper a second time might eventually subject the Company to a second payment We can only recommend to Government to assist the Petitioners in apprehending the Dubash, and recovering the Property intrusted by them to his care.

The reasons assigned by Adjutant Inner appearing a sufficient ground for adopting the mode he suggests - We beg leave to recommend that an order be issued for the payment of Arrears due to the Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates

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of the 10th Battalion, as soon as their Persons shall have been identified, and the amount of their Claims ascertained by a Court of Enquiry –

Mr Gordon not having produced the original Appointment of Mr Joseph Gordon, nor the Paymaster's Certificate entitling him to payment, nor any other regular Vouchers to authorize his drawing the amount, We are at a loss how to offer any opinion, or recommendation, on so indeterminate a Claim –

Fort St George
9th December 1786

We have the honor to be &c &c

H Capper
Robert Kelly Col.
Henry Malcolm
/ Signed / Ja.s Campbell
Wm Sydenham
J. Moorhouse

Agreed that the recommendation of the Military Board relative to the future provision of Colours for the different Corps be adopted, and that they be desired to insert it in the new Book of Regulations –

The foregoing Opinions approved

Read the following Letter from Captain Bartholomew Vegors –

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To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K

President, Governor & Council

of Fort St George

Honble Sir & Sirs,

From Capt.n Bartho-
-lomew Vigors, re-
-questing to go home
for three years or
half pay—

Having obtained the Comma
in Chief Consent to make this Application, a
me to request the favor of your Permission to
return to Europe for three Years, for the recove
of a Constitution much impaired, by the Hill
Fever, and for the Settlement of some private busi
of consequence to myself and Family—

I have the honor to be &c &c

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/ Signd / B. Vigors
Captain 24th Batt.n

Minute thereon

The President recommends tha
Captain Vigors be permitted to go home upon half
pay, provided neither of the two supernumerary
Captains wish to avail themselves of the liberty
given to them by the Court of Directors— The Presi
also proposes that Captain Bruce be appointe
to the Command of the 24th Batt.n of Sepoys, vice Capta
Vigors—

Capt.n Bruce appointed
to the Command of the
24th Batt.n of Sepoys
vice Vigors—

Resolved accordingly—

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Read a letter from Captain Stevenson dated 5th Instant (entered in the Miscellany Book N.o 25) stating that he has sometimes an opportunity of purchasing Horses fit for the Service at Pag.s 110 each Horse, requesting to be allowed to purchase at a price not exceeding the above, and offering four Horses at Pagodas 110 each -

From Captain Stevenson

Agreed to inform Capt.n Stevenson that as good Horses can frequently be purchased here at 80 & 90 Pagodas each, the Board decline admitting his Offers -

Minute thereon.

Read a Letter from the Nabob (entered in Country Correspondence N.o 98) stating his willingness that the Subject of his Letter dated the 1st Nov.r last relative to the making up the Account of the New Consolidated Debt of 1777 be referred to the Court of Directors, & requesting that the Matter may be mentioned in the next Dispatches to England -

Substance of a Letter from the Nabob -

Agreed that the Subject be stated to the Court of Directors by the first opportunity -

Minute thereon

Read Letter from the Rajah of Tanjore (as entered in the Country Correspondence N.o 99) stating his having liquidated Colonel Mullers demand upon him, in compliance with the wishes of the Governor; & requesting that in consideration of his Distresses, he may not be confined to the stipulated

Substance of a Letter from the Rajah of Tanjore.

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stipulated periods for the Discharge of her Hire
and that he may be permitted to remit to the
Presidency the Amount of them, over and above
the Sums, which may be wanted at Tanjore,
the same periods are allowed him, as have been
granted to certain Merchants —

W. C. Jackson
Dep. Mer. J

Arch: Campbell

Alex. Davidson

Ja. Hubbas Mayor

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13 Sent the following Letter —

To Major Burrowes

Sir

I am directed by the Board to

To Major Burrowes, in reply to his letter, setting forth his Claims to Cavalry Rank —

acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 11th Instant, and to inform you that the Blank opposite to your Name in the Statement of Services performed by Cavalry Officers was occasioned by your not having named any Person to bring forward your Claims and to state the Services upon which you grounded them — These Services being now particularized in your abovementioned Letter, the Blank will be filled up agreeably thereto —

The Board decline making any alteration in their Resolutions of Council on the 31st of August last, relative to the Cavalry, having referred their Proceedings to the Honorable Court of Directors, to whom a Copy of your Letter will be sent as a Number in the Packet by the first Conveyance with their Sentiments of the high Sense they entertain of your Services —

I am Sir &c &c

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/Signed/ John Chamier
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To John Huddleston Esqr

Resident at

Tanjore

Sir

To the Resident at Tanjore with the Observations of the Board upon his Remarks on the Agreement made with Messrs Balfour & Spalding.

In reply to your Letter of the
Instant I am directed to inform you that th
Board having considered your Remarks upon
Agreement made with Messrs Balfour and Spa
cannot help observing that you ought not
have been so remiss in forwarding an Offer m
to you for remitting the Money, particularly
was under the rate paid last year, not only b
Contractors Soubaroy &Co but by yourself to the
-ferent Soucars from whom you took Bills
they observe by your Account varied from 25 ⅞
25 7/16 ths.

The Money remitted by you
specie, the Board observe you brought to Accou
at 25 7/16 ths, but when the Batta paid to
Escort of Sepoys and Golak Non here is add
thereto, it is found to have cost fully 25 ⅞
p Star Pagoda.

The Board take it for gran
that your Charge for the Specie remitted und
Escorts of Sepoys is exactly what you paid, an
having paid 25 7/16 ths for it, is the strongest
that the Contractors could not get much by th
Bargain - Indeed your Accounts furnish stro
presumpt

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13 presumptive Proofs that they must have been losers, because they were obliged to buy the Pagodas, as soon as you gave them the Fanams or pay Interest until they could do so — but you were not put to any such risk, and of course could purchase on more advantageous Terms —

This Comparison of the Cost of the Remittances made by you both in Bills and in Specie which tho nominally 1/16th of a Fanam under the Contract price in reality saved nothing to the Company proves the Truth of what Souberoy & Co represented to the Honble the President Viz.t that they were Losers by last years Contract, & would not engage this year on terms so low.

The Board cannot enter into a discussion of the fluctuations of Exchange, which it would be imprudent for them to run the risk of, where the temptation from your State of the matter & from your Accounts is so very small: but it occurs to them that the large Sums of Specie remitted last year to the Southward ought to have lowered the price of Gold at Tanjore, instead of raising it, as suggested by you —

The Board expect to make some Arrangement that will prevent any Loss arising from the Exchange hereafter, in the mean time they desire that whatever Sums are paid by the Rajah, may be as soon as possible applied in the manner directed in my Letter to you of the 24.th of November

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I am Sir &c &c

/Signed/ John Chamier

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To the Right Honble Charles Earl Cornwallis

Governor General & Council

at

Fort William

My Lord & Gentlemen,

To Bengal; on the subject of drawing upon their Govern=ment for the payments to the Kings Troops. Inclosing a letter of Permission to Lieut. Kirkpatrick to remain in Bengal till further Orders.

We have to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter dated the 31st October.

In reply to that part which relates to our drawing upon your Government for the payments to the Kings Troops, We have the honor to inform you, that the principal Merchants here are of Opinion that Bills made certain in their discharge may be drawn at 405 to 406 Arcot Rupees p 100 Pagodas.

Concurring it however possible that our granting Bills to any considerable Amount upon your Presidency, might raise the Exchange, We think it advisable to continue the Remittance for six Months longer in Mr Burke's hands, pro=vided he will engage to remit at the probable Exchange, at which We might draw upon Bengal.

As this Exchange will in all likelihood vary from 405 to 409 Arcot Rupees

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13 per 100 Pagodas We are of opinion it ought to be fixed at the average of these Sums, being 10⅞ -

If this Arrangement meets with the approbation of your Lordship &c We request you will communicate it to Mr Burke at the same time informing him, that should the Exchange become more favorable, or should any thing occur, which may render it advisable to take the remittance upon ourselves, This Government will consider themselves at liberty to do so upon giving him three Months Notice of such Determination -

We have the honor to send a Statement of Issues to the Kings Troops from the 1st of May to the 30th of November 1786.

Our President having communicated to us the desire of the Right Honble the Governor General that Lieut Kirkpatrick of this Establishment may have leave of absence from this Government to remain in Bengal till further Orders, We have now the honor to enclose the permission to that Officer -

We have the honor to be &c &c

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/ Signed / Arch. Campbell
&c Council

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Received the following Letter.

To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K.B.

Dear Sir,

From the Resident at Tanjore, the Rajah consents to the Arrangement made by the President for the payment of his Rents for the ensuing Year. The Rajah's Health not at present in extreme Danger.

I had a Conference with the Minister yesterday evening at the Palace, I explained to him fully, & in such a manner as I hope will impress the Rajah with a due sense of your kindness, your Letter of the 30th Ultimo with the Proposals it contains for the enlargement of the periods of the Rents. The Minister after having expressed his Concern that it was not convenient to you to allow the abatement of one Lack on the Year's payments, said, it became the Rajah to acquiesce chearfully in your determination, and to receive with thankfulness whatsoever favor you could shew him - he then made some objections to the increase in the amount of the Rents for the months of January, but gave them up before we parted, so that the Rents are now settled agreeably to the Statement of them, proposed in your Letter of 30th Ultimo. The Rajah sent me many apologies for not seeing me, he had not, he said, even Spirited at the performance of the usual ceremonies for the death of his Father, but that he hoped to see me in ten days - I questioned the Minister pointedly respecting the Rajahs real Situation, & he answered, upon me that his Excellency was somewhat better, but that he had three Boils (on his Back, Leg & Arm) which troubled him extremely -

Then

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13/1 This moment I am honored with the receipt of your Letter of the 5th Instant. I entreat your pardon, Sir, for not having written daily concerning the Rajah's Situation, which I certainly ought to have done, after having intimated that I should do so in my letter of the 30th Ultimo - the only reason for the omission was that for several days my utmost Endeavours to obtain intelligence from the Palace, that could be at all depended on were ineffectual - On such occasions there is a general reserve in the people about the Durbar, and when I did myself the honor of writing to you that the Rajah was better I drew that conclusion less from the Information I received from thence, than from the Ministers remaining in his own House 2 days instead of being constantly at the Palace -

I beg you Sir, to be assured that it was always my full intention to connect & communicate with Colonel Stuart, whenever I should have reason to think that the Rajah was in any immediate danger - as the Rajah's illness has not yet approached to that height I have not had any particular communication with Colonel Stuart on the Subject, but my disposition on this point he is well acquainted with as I conferred with him on a similar occasion last year, when we both concurred entirely & cordially with respect to the measures proper to be adopted in the event of the Rajah's decease - namely that unless the succession should be previously settled, all we could have to do in that event would be to take care to have every

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13 Thing sealed & properly secured, & the Affairs, & adminis=
=tration kept in status quo until the arrival of the
orders of Government –

I shall not fail to take an early
opportunity of communicating confidentially with
Colonel Stuart on the same subject & if possible I
will see him for that purpose to morrow –

With Mr Swartz I have almost
daily communication on business either personally
or by Letter, & it is with pride I assure you that
there never has been, & I think I can venture to add,
never will be a difference of opinion between us –

I have the honor to be &c &c

/Signed/ Wm Medleston

Tanjore
8th December 1786.

To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K.B.
Governor of
Fort St George

Honble Sir,

From the Resident at Poona – receives letters from Lord Cornwallis which state his Lordship's appointment to be derived from the Company alone, in consequence of which he waives the delivery of Sir Arch.d Campbell's Letter to the Peishwa – communicates Intelligence of a Political Nature; & encloses copies of Papers said to have passed between the French & the Mahrattas during the late War –

I have now the honor to present you Duplicate of my last Address of the 8th Inst.

Having on the 17th Inst. received the Letters from Lord Cornwallis to this Govern=
=ment, by which, in my Address to you of the 3d Instant, I advised my Intention of being

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Guided, with respect to the delivery of your Letters to the Peishwa and his Minister, and finding no mention in them of any distinct or special appointment from His Majesty, but that on the contrary the whole Tenor of his Lordships Letters implies that his Authority is derived from the Company to whom the right of appointment is carefully reserved by the late Act of Parliament — I have thought proper on the reasons assigned in my former letter to waive their delivery, and I flatter myself that in so doing I shall meet with your Approbation —

On Rago Punditi departure for the Army I procured him a letter of Recommendation from the Minister to Hurry Punt, & accompanied it with one from myself, which will I hope ensure him a good Reception, and enable him fully to answer the Ends of his Mission —

My last Advices from the Southward mention that Tippoo was at Bankapore; that Hurry Punt had taken the small Fort of Serretty, in which was a Garrison of 600 Men, by Storm, on the 15th Inst: that large Detachments from both Armies had moved toward Darwar; that it was expected a Party of Mahrattas would cross the Tumbadra as soon as possible to plunder the Country & distress Tippoo by endangering his Supplies; & that Tippoo was intriguing both with Nizam Ally, and the Mahrattas —

By Intelligence from the french Resident I learn that he has received Advices of change of Government at Pondicherry, & positive Orders from the new Governor not to quit Poona — that a very large supply of Troops has lately arrived at that Port, & that in a

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13 Letter from the Governor to the Durbar, assurances are made that agreeable to the request of this Court, the French will not give any assistance to Tippoo Sultaun.

Some Papers relative to the former Intrigues of this Court with the French having fallen into my hands, & as I have good reason to think them authentic, I have taken the liberty of submitting them to your perusal both as matter of Curiosity, & in some measure explanatory of the Genius of both Governments. It is to be observed that these Papers were written in the height of the last War with the Company & that the person to whom they were entrusted, proceeded no further than Goa, where he met Monsr. Montegne on his way to Poona as the French Representative, who has resided here ever since, & thro' whom all subsequent Negotiations have been transacted.

Poona
26th. November 1786.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.

/ Signed / C.W. Malet

P.S. In the hurry of a Dispatch I had put this in the Cypher No. 10 before I recollected that which you lately favoured me with.

Sent the undermentioned Letters
(entered in MB. Nos 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47.)

To the Garrison Storekr. To John Turing Esq. with copy of the Regulations for the distribution of Spirituous Liquors to be lodged in the Public Stores for the use of the Army.

To Lieut. Kirkpatrick

To Lt. Kirkpatrick with permission to remain in Bengal 'till further Orders.

To Captains Flint, enclosing Copy of

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1. To Bo. of a Petition presented by Verdapah Naick, & desiring him to inform the Board, why the Bullocks stated in his Certificate to have been received by him, were not included in his Accounts —

15. To the Military Board — Government approve their Recommendation relative to the future provision of Colours for the different Corps, & desire that it may be inserted in the new Book of Regulations —

T. the Mil.y Board

To Ganjam — the Commander in Chief has explained in a Letter to Captain Burr, the Line drawn respecting the rank of Civil & Military Servants — a Copy of which is sent them for their information —

T. Ganjam

To Mr. K. Digby — the Board consent to admit the three Charges mentioned in his Letter of 25th Oct.r upon his executing an Obligation for that purpose —

T. Mr. Digby —

To Captain Stevenson, Commanding the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry — His Proposal to purchase Horses at 110 Pagodas p.r horse declined by Government as good Horses can be procured at the Presidency at a much cheaper rate —

T. Capt.n Stevenson

To Masulipatam — to send to the Presidency the two Europeans lately arrived from the Camps of Tippoo and the Mharattas, as well as those who deserted from the Talbot Indiaman, & are now under confinement at their Settlement —

T. Masulipatam

To Mr. Arthur Jones — previous to Government deciding upon his Claim, it will be necessary for him to produce such Vouchers in support of it, as will entitle him to a liquidation —

T. Mr. A. Jones —

To

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To Mr. I. Young

To the Paymaster at Ongole, to dispose of the old Grain at Tamricotah to the best advantage and transmit an Account thereof to the Presidency—

To the Comme. of Stores

To the Committee of Stores, to report their opinion upon a Letter with its Enclosures from the Committee of Stores at Vellore—

By

To Capt.n Gregorie

To Captain Gregorie of the Honble Company's Ship Manship, directed to receive on board his Ship as Passengers for Europe, Colonel Joo Henry Colby, Captain Bartholemew Vigors and Lieutenant William Wilcox—

By.

Received the undermentioned Letters entered in the Miscellany Book N.os 48 & 49—

From Mr Hudleston

From the Resident at Tanjore, Transmitting a Bond of the Reverend Mr Foote for Pagodas 2500, with a request that a fresh one may be drawn out, adding the Interest at 8 P Cent per Annum from October 11th 1785 to 11th Octr 1786.

Minute thereon

Ordered accordingly—

From Mrs E. Atwood

From Mrs Elizabeth Atwood, applying for House rent due her late Husband Captain J. P. Atwood whilst in Command at Negapatam—

Minute thereon.

Ordered to be paid—

At

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At a Consultation Present

The Honorable Major General

Wednesday Sir Archibald Campbell K. B.

20th 20th December President

1786 – Alexander Davidson Esqr

James Henry Casamajor Esqr

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved –

The President delivers in the

following Minute –

Memorandum concerning the present Pay of the Native Commandants of Cavalry and Infantry –

By the Orders of the Company,

President's Minute respecting the Pay to Native Commandants of Cavalry & Infantry –

published the 16th April last, the Native Commandants were struck off the Strength of Corps and by the same Orders were indulged with their full pay, by which Regulation the Commandants of the Regiments of Cavalry (being exclusive of 1 Subadar to each Troop) enjoy the neat pay annexed to their Stations Viz.t 50 Pags p Month – The Commandants of the Native Battalions of Infantry being returned as Subadars of Companies, and having an extra pay annexed to their Stations as Commandants of 15 Pags are therefore in the receipt of their Sum monthly agreeably to the Orders of the Company as they do not

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receive also the Pay of a Subedar Vizt 12 Pags monthly
This great difference between the pay of the Cavalry
and Infantry Commandants is much complained of
by the latter, and as they are Men, who have served
the Company long & faithfully, and many of them
with great Ability in their Stations, their case, on
comparison, is extremely hard, because the Native
Cavalry is a new Corps in the Company's Service-
In consequence of the Orders of the 12th September
last, directing the monthly Allowance to be paid
to Commandants, the Adjutant General has given
Certificates to Five of Cavalry & Twenty Six of
Infantry including one of the latter Corps recom-
-mended by the Invaliding Committee & approved
by the Honble the Governor in Council. There are
besides Two or Three of the Supernumerary Com-
-mandants of Infantry, who have not claimed
their Certificates & are supposed to be dead.

The present monthly Disbursement
for Pay to Native Commandants in consequence of
the new Establishment stands thus;

Five of Cavalry at 50 Pags each 250
Twenty Six of Infantry at 15 Pags ea 390
31 Commandants 640 Pagodas.

Suppose then that the Pay of the
Commandants of both Corps were to be equalized and
that each was to receive 20 Pags monthly the total
Expence then would be to

31 Commandants 620 Pagodas monthly,
Had the Pay of the Commandants of Cavalry been

drawn

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drawn according to the Establishment of that Corps which existed before the alteration made by Sir John Dalling, they would have been entitled to receive exactly 20 Pags monthly, at that period 30. was drawn for each as Subidars of Troops and 20 extra as Commandants Pay.

It is additionally to be observed, in favor of the Infantry Commandants, that, had many of them, well entitled to be invalided, passed the Committees for that purpose previous to the orders of the 16th last April, they would have been placed on that List agreeable to the Rule of the Service with a monthly pay of 27 Pags many of them from age and wounds ought to have been invalided - their Spirit and Zeal and the good opinion of their Officers prevented their being recommended -

There are Three of the Infantry Commandants, who have a Palanquin Allowance from the Company of 10 Pags monthly on account of their long and meritorious Services; if the whole of the Commandants were to be paid at the rate of 20 Pags monthly & that this Allowance was continued to those now enjoying it, the total additional expence to the Company would be only 10 Pags monthly, thus

31 Commandants at 20 Pags monthly each ..	620	
Palanquin Allowance to 3 Commandants ...	30	
		650
Allowance now paid to 5 of Cavalry -	250	
26 of Infantry	390	
		640
Additional monthly Expence .. Pags.		10

/Signd/ Arch.d Campbell

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Approved.

The Board approve the Recommendation of the President respecting the pay to Native Commandants of Cavalry & Infantry, & it is accordingly Resolved that a General Order be published agreably thereto —

Read the following Letter from M: de Cossigny, Governor of Pondicherry —

To His Excellency Major General Campbell K.A.
Governor of Madras &c &c
at
Fort St George

Sir,

From M: de Cossigny states his answer to the Proposals of His Highness the Nabob in respect to the Duties to be levied upon French Goods paying them to His Highness's Country.

I reply to the Letter which your Excellency did me the honor to write me the 16th Novr 1786 in which you had the complaisance to send me a Copy of the Letter which you had received from His Highness the Nabob of the Carnatic in answer to the Complaints I addressed to you against the Overtures of that Prince placed at the Tonkans, which surround Pondicherry, and which Overtures frequently opposed the entry of the most Genteal Articles into the Town, and sometimes even those which we draw from the Districts, which were ceded to us by the last Treaty of Peace —

I am well convinced, Sir, by your Letter, of the desire you entertain, that the good Harmony, which reigns between our respective Sovereigns, should long remain firmly established, & it is also with the greatest Confidence, that I claim

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claim from your Excellency, your good Offices with His Highness the Nabob of the Carnatic & that I have the honor to request you will employ the Influence you possess with him to induce him to accept of my Answer to the different Articles of the Conditions which he wishes to exact from the french Nation & which I consider, out of my power to admit, 'till I receive Instructions from my Court -

His Highness complains that latterly his Government has not been treated with the usual and due respect; I can only answer to this Complaint, too vaguely expressed, that I declare nothing of it ever came to my Knowledge -

I have before me, Sir, the Conditions proposed by his Highness, to which I will reply in order, as they are made -

1st. The French have never made the smallest difficulty in paying the usual duties upon all the Goods, which pass through the Country of the Nabob of the Carnatic; the most distinct Orders are given that they may be paid with the same punctuality, but it would be justice in that Prince, to give Orders that there might be something less arbitrary in the Collection of these Duties -

2d. I already had the honor to address you Sir, that you might obtain from His Highness a Dustock, which I imagined was necessary for Mons.r le Baron de Pennemark de Mainville, the King's Commandant at Karical, & whom Business calls to Trichinopoly, in a similar Circumstance

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I shall always have the honor to address myself to your Excellency, or to His Highness himself, but I cannot think it can be his Intention, that french Merchants or others, who may have urgent business at Karical, at Madras, at Yanam or fine, at all the Towns & Factories of other Nations, whether they set out from Pondicherry or from any of these different Places, shall be obliged to wait 'till a Pasport is obtained for them —

3d

At all times the french have traded with the Subjects of the Nabob of the Carnatic, to procure Wood Charcoal, Chunam &c. If the Prince from political Views forbids the exportation of them from his Territory, he undoubtedly can; but it is certain that whatever his Views may be, in making a similar prohibition of so little Importance, His Highness shews no good Will to the french Nation —

4th

Under the Government of Mr Law only there was in the Town of Pondicherry a Jonkan of the Nabobs, which was solicited for by that Governor, for the facility of Commerce, I have the honor to observe to His Highness the Nabob, and to your Excellency, that when Pondicherry was restored to us that the last Place, that the Districts of Bahour, and Villenour were ceded to us, the Jonkans to be established in the Environs of Pondicherry were the Subject of discussion between Lord Macartney Governor of Madras, and Monsieur Soulencaue, Commandant at Pondicherry, that the latter claimed the right of the Jonkan, as

belonging

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belonging to us, by the Cession of the Districts of Villenour, & Bahour, to which the Tonkans had been attached. Lord Macartney demanded of Mons.r Coutenceau, to allow the Tonkans to remain, because they were established in the name of the English Nation till the decision of our respective Courts; Monsieur Coutenceau was willing to accede to this proposal, from deference to Lord Macartney, without there being in any manner a question of establishing one in Pondicherry; it is about 18 Months since this Account was sent to our respective courts, and about 8 Months since I repeated it in my dispatches, I cannot therefore admit a Tonkan in Pondicherry till I receive Orders from my Court; & I positively refuse the demand of His Highness.

5. The Aumeldars, Servants and Subjects of the Nabob of the Carnatic, who may take refuge in Pondicherry, or other places belonging to His Most Christian Majesty, cannot be given up on the requisition of His Highness; my duty on the contrary is, to maintain a right, which all the powers of Europe respectively enjoy, in protecting all Persons, who claim the protection of their Flag, nevertheless all Malefactors or Criminals, Subjects of the Nabob of the Carnatic, shall be given up, at the single demand of the Prince, to undergo the Punishment due to their Crimes.

6th The French Nation shall always make it their duty to respect the Government of

His

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His Highness the Nabob of the Carnatic, will you Sir permit me to request your Excellency to assure the Prince, upon every occasion of my particular desire to be agreeable to him.

By a Dispatch which I presume cannot be long of arriving in Europe, I have sent an account to my Court of the Conditions proposed by His Highness the Nabob of the Carnatic if you can Sir engage the Prince to suspend his Pretensions till the Answers & Orders which I shall receive, you will render me a real Service, in as much as after what has been formerly written by Lord Macartney & Monr. Coutenaux, it is to be presumed our respective Courts will have given a decision, in the mean time, we shall avoid a number of discussions, which might arise on both sides, of some pretensions well or ill understood, which could only disturb the good Understanding which so happily exists between our respective Sovereigns & the Satisfaction of two Nations made mutually to return each others

Pondicherry
14th. December 1786.

I have the honor to be &c &c

/ Signed / Cossigny

(A true Translation)

T. Chase
French Translator

Minute thereon

Agreed that Copy of the foregoing be sent to the Nabob, & that His Highness be requested to favor the President with his Sentiments & decisions on the different points contained in M. de Cossigny's Letter.

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Read the following Letter from Manulipatam, with Enclosures entered in Mil B. No 50, 51

To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K.B.
President & Governor & Council
of Fort St George

Honble Sir & Sirs,

From Manulepatam as to the Repairs necessary to the Commanding Officers Quarters at Samulcotah—

It having been represented to us that the Repairs necessary for the Commanding Officers Quarters at Samulcotah, would exceed the Estimate transmitted to you under date the 22d May, we thought it necessary to direct an Engineer to proceed thither, to inspect the Work that had been done, & to make an Estimate of what further Expence would be necessary to complete it - As this Estimate exceeds that which your Honor & formerly approved, we herewith enclose a Copy of it, conformably to the late Regulations, for your Orders, as also an Account of the Money already expended, which exceeds the first Estimate in the Sum of M. Ps 59, 21 - By the Proceedings of a Committee of Works held at Samulcotah transmitted to us by the Commanding Officer of that Garrison, it appears, that this excess in the expence, above what it was before estimated at, has arisen from unavoidable Causes - Viz. that the Building being uncovered, a part of the Walls was damaged by the Monsoon which had not been foreseen, by which also, two Kilns of Bricks, and a number of Tyles were destroyed: That the Estimated

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price of Chunam was 1 Pagoda p Candy, and Jaggree 3 Pagodas p Candy, whereas it was afterwards found, that none of those Articles could be purchased, the former under 2, & the latter under 5 Pag.s p Candy; and lastly it has been found, that none of the old Timber can possibly be made use of again. The Committee of Works at Samulcotah, further inform us, that the Repairs, so far as they have been executed, are done in the most substantial manner, with Materials of the best quality. As the Building is at present in an unfinished state, a considerable part of the Roof being off. & as the expence necessary to complete it, amounts only to Madras Pagodas 218.12 we recommend that the Repairs may be finished; but in the mean time, have put a stop to the Work, until we shall have received your Authority for it.

We have the honor to be &c. &c.

Masulipatam
14th December 1786

Charles Floyer
/Signed/ Geo Westcott
W Dobbyn

The Repairs to be finished, & the excess in the Estimate admitted.

Agreed that the Repairs necessary to the Commanding Officers Quarters at Samulcotah be finished, & that the Excess in the Estimate be admitted for the Reasons given by the Chief & Council at Masulipatam.

Read the following Proceedings of the Hospital Board.

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Hospital Board.
18th December 1786.

Report of the Hospital Board, recommending that a Set of Chirurgical Instruments belonging to Mr Macmahon be purchased: that the necessary Repairs be executed on the Prison at the Hospital, that whenever a Surgeon or Apothecary be put in Arrest, Information be given to the Hospital Board, that the Order be repeated for sending regular weekly Returns of the Sick to the Head Surgeons of the General Hospital; that the Sub Apothecaries be continued on their present Pay: that Mr Thos Gifford be appointed a Surgeon's Apothecary, & that Mr Briggs be permitted to go to Europe, but without Pay - stating the proportion of Cotton & Cloathing to be provided by the Purveyor for the Kings Regiments, & enclosing Letter from Mr Anderson Surgeon requesting a fixed appointment to that Station -

To be purchased

Read a Letter from Mr Turing Head Surgeon at Masulipatam enclosing a Correspondence with Mr Ferguson Surgeon of the 2d Regiment, representing that Mr MacMahon his Assistant has got a complete Set of Chirurgical Instruments of the best Kind & at prime Cost, which he requests may be brought for the use of that Regiment -

The Hospital Board are of opinion, the Apothecary should be ordered to purchase them, as the demand for such Articles must be encreased from the present enlarged Scale of the Service, and have the Honor to forward Mr MacMahon's List with the Prices annexed for the approbation of Government -

Mr Davis Head Surgeon to the General Hospital here having represented that the longe House

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House or Prison at the Hospital is totally out of repair, and that an unfortunate Lunatic forced the Cantonies, and did some Mischief in the Dispensary eight days ago; as also that his Quarters and the Quarters of the Assistants are in very bad repair — The Hospital Board beg leave to communicate the same to Government, in order that the Congee House may be immediately attended to, and that the Quarters may be prevented from falling into Decay —

The Engineer will be directed to report upon the State of the Quarters &c

Mr Turing having represented to this Board, that Mr Mallet is ordered to be tried by a Court Martial, which was to sit at Manulipatam the 15th Instant, by which it appears that Mr Mallet has been put under an Arrest, and

removed

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Approved.

removed from his Station, without any communication to this Board - They therefore beg leave to represent the same to the Honorable President and Council, hoping that when any of the Surgeons or Assistants Surgeons shall happen to fall into a similar predicament, that regular Information be sent them, that they may provide against any inconvenience which may arise to the Service by such Confusion -

Read a Letter from Mr George Anderson one of the Brevet Surgeons at present stationed at Angole, requesting a fixed appointment to that Station -

The Hospital Board not pretending to judge of the whole Subject, herewith have the honor of forwarding his Letter to Government

from

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from a persuasion here is to be
on the list of Surgeons, they
will be under no immediate
necessity of removing him
should the Honorable Board
think proper to approve of
his establishing a weaving
Manufactory at Angole -

Mr Ferrier having
declined sending Mr Turing
Head Surgeon at Manulpatam
a return of the sick for last
Month agreable to the In-
structions sent Mr Turing,
and as it will be impossible for
the Hospital Board to furn-
nish Government with an
accurate Return of the Sick
dependant on this Presidency
unless they are enforced, we
therefore beg leave to repre-
sent the same to the Hon.
Governor and Council, in
order that they may accom-
plish the intention of the
Institution -

A Letter will be written
to Mr Ferrier reacheng
obedience to the G: O:
on this Subject -

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To be continued for the present.

The Hospital Board have the honor to transmit to Government a List of the Sub-Assistants at present employed in the Honorable Company's Service at 10 Pags each p Mensem -

As their number is small, and as many of them have served with credit to themselves and advantage to the Honorable Company's Service for a number of years back, the Hospital Board are in hopes Government will be pleased to continue them on their present Pay -

Approved.

The Hospital Board beg leave to recommend to Government Mr Thomas Gifford as a young Man well versed in his Profession, and hope the Honorable Governor and Council will be pleased to appoint him an Assistant Surgeon on this Establishment.

Sent the Surveyor General an Average state

of

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of the number of Sicke of His Majesty's Regiments, and directed them to complete Cotts and Cloathing to their Regiments in that proportion in future.

The Proportions are the following -

Regt	No. of Sicke
36	30
52	60
72	120
Hanovrians 14	60
Hanovrians 15	60

Approved -

The Hospital Board having received a Letter from Mr Briggs Surgeon, in answer to theirs, informing them that no Surgeons returning to Europe on leave are allowed Half Pay, & as Mr Briggs sits solicits the Indulgence of three years leave of Absence to settle his private Concerns in England, the Hospital Board beg leave to recommend this favor being granted him -

/Signed/ And.w Berry
Secry Hospl Board

Read

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Read the following Letter from
the Committee of Stores.

To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K. B:
President & Governor &c Council
Fort St George

Honble Sir & Sirs.

We have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of two Letters from Mr Secretary Chamier
dated the 6th & 8th Instant, the former enclosing a
copy of Colonel Rumbold's Letter to your Honorable
Board and an Indent for Stores wanted at Arcot.

The Cause of Colonel Rumbold's
first Indent not being complied with, was it's
being sent to us just before the Rains; we have
therefore now resolved to return him that Indent, &
to comply with the one sent us with Mr Secretary
Chamier's Letter, directly that the Weather will
permit.

As the four Iron 18 Pounders
and eight 3 Pounder Galloper with their Tumbrils
and Ammunition now at Arcot, are of no use
at that Cantonment, and in case of any sudden
removal of the Troops now stationed there, might
cause embarrassment & delay, we beg leave to
recommend that they be sent to Vellore.

The

From the Committee of Stores, with their opinion on the Indent for Stores from Arcot: Lieut. Col. Sydenham represents what Ordnance will be wanted at the Mount for Practice; and the Repairs necessary for the Mortar Beds; I recommend that a Platform be erected in the Gun sheds for preserving the Sponges. Yokes &c.

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The Commissary General of Stores at our last Committee laid before us a new Arrangement of Stores of which we have approved, & have therefore directed the Conductors to observe that form, from the Commencement of the ensuing year -

Lieut Colonel Sydenham delivered in a Minute acquainting the Committee that he should want the following Ordnance at the Mount for Practice, which he intends should commence early in January, & therefore requests that Orders may be given for preparing it accordingly -

One Iron 18 Pounder with field Carriage & complete
One Iron 12 Pounder ... Do
One Brass 18 Pounder ... Do
One 13 Inch Mortar with Bed &c
One 8 Inch Howitzer with Carriage &c
Two 5½ Inch ... Do ... Do ... Do

He further proposes to send into the Stores at Madras two Iron 18 Pounders now at the Mount, one of which is broke at the Muzzle & the Carriages of both unequal in their present state to the Practice; which will be required, & to return into Store at the same time. Two 4½ Inch Howitzers, which will not be wanted at Practice, as the 5½ are preferable in every respect.

The Beds of the Ten 8, & 5½ Inch Mortars now at the Mount, having been constantly exposed to the Weather, ever since the last Practice, require

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require to be repaired & painted, on which account Lt Colonel Sydenham wishes to have new Beds for them - he has at the Mount 6 Carriages 6 Pounders on the new Construction, & 6 old ones, & as the latter equally answer the purpose of field days & he proposes to return the former to Madras and to receive old Carriages on their Stead -

As it would be a Saving to the Company as well as facilitate the public Service if the Sponges, Yokes, Traces, & other Articles belonging to the Guns were kept at hand instead of being dispersed as they are at present for want of a proper place to contain the whole together, Lieut Colonel Sydenham proposed to the Committee, that it be recommended to Government to order a Platforms to be erected for this purpose on the Shed which contains the Guns, by which means the different Articles will always be kept in good Order, and by being numbered with the Guns to which they respectively belong & being placed directly over them, they will be ready at a moment, whenever the Service may require the Guns to be moved from the Mount -

Having approved of every part of Lieut Colonel Sydenham's Minute we beg leave to recommend that his Proposals be complied with as soon as possible -

We have the honor to be &c &c

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(Signed)

Happer
Wm Petrie
Wm Sydenham
Moorhouse

&c

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The Board approve the recommendations of the Committee of Stores, & it is Agreed that they be signified to them together with the opinion of Government that the 8 three Pounders with their Tumbrils & Ammunition should remain at Arcot & that the Repairs & painting to the Mortar Beds, at the Mount, may be completed in time for the use of the Artillery before the Practise commences.

Minute thereon

The President informs the Board that Mr Cochrane has desired that the following Quantity of Arrack or Bengal Rum expected from Calcutta be landed to the Northward.

A Requisition to Bengal, that Arrack may be landed at the Northern Subordinates.

At Ganjam	14 Leagers
At Vizagapatam	26 Do
At Masulipatam	60 Do
	100 Leagers

Agreed that a Letter be addressed to the Right Honorable Governor General & Council requesting that the Contractors be directed to land at the Northern Subordinates the Quantity of Spirits abovementioned.

The President lays before the Board a List of Kings Officers permitted to proceed to Europe, and desires that the Captains of the Manship & Phenix be directed to receive them on board according to the following Distribution.

Manship

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Manship — Captain Gregorie

a List of Kings Officers going home in the Manship & Phenix —

Captain Robert Lumsdaine ... 72d Regiment

Lieut.s — Ralph Hoare ... 52d Do
William Corby ...

Cyrus Lamellière ... 36th Do
George Walker ...

Phenix — Captain Rattray

Lieut.s — Patrick Maxwell ... 19th L.t Dragoons
John Handyside ... 52d Reg.t Foot
John Hoey ...
Robert Gordon ...

Ensigns — Geo. A. Cochrane ... 71st Do Do
T. G. White ...

Resolved that an Order be sent to

Order to Captains Rattray & Gregorie to receive them on board —

Captains Gregorie & Rattray, & that Mr. Burke be directed to pay to them the Sums specified by the Honble Company for the passage of each Kings Officer permitted to return to Europe.

The Packets of Manship & Phenix to close on the 23d

Resolved that the Packets of Manship & Phenix be finally closed on Saturday the 23d Inst.

From J. Turing Esq.r

Read a Letter from the Military Paymaster General (entered in MB. N.o 52) enclosing one from Ensign Bach to him requesting that the whole of his pay may not be stopped in effecting the

discharge

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discharge of his Debt to the Company on account of his Pay advanced to him at Bombay, & received here by his Agent.—

Agreed that the Paymaster General be directed to stop only half the monthly Amount of Ensign Bachi's Pay and Allowances untill the Debt be liquidated.

Minute thereon.

W. C. Jackson
Depy Secy

Arch Campbell

Alex Davidson

Ja Abercromby

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21st Sent the undermentioned Letters (entered in MB Nos 53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65.)

To Manulipatam - The Board consent

To Manulipatam

to the finishing the Repairs necessary to the Commanding Officers Quarters at Samulcotah, & admit the excess in the Estimate for the reasons they have given -

To the Company's Solicitors -

To the Company's Solicitor, directing them immediately to prepare an Obligation to be executed by Sir John Dalling, agreeably to an enclosed Extract from the Records -

To John Turing Esqr, to stop half the

To J. Turing Esqr

amount of Ensign Bachs monthly pay & allowances untill his Debt to the Honorable Company shall be liquidated -

To the Committee of Stores - Govern-

To the Committe of Stores

-ment approve the several recommendations contained in their Letter of 15. Instant, and direct that they be carried into execution -

To Mr Ferrier, Surgeon at Vizaga-

To Mr Ferrier

-patam, - The Board express their Surprize at his inat-tention to the Instructions issued in three different General Orders, relative to making returns to the Head Surgeons of General Hospitals -

To Vizagapatam - Lieut Gabriel

To Vizagapatam

Doveton appointed to succeed Captain Eagle in the Command of the Corps in the service of Vizeramrauze -

To Colonel Ross, with Extract

To Colonel Ross

from the Minutes of the Hospital Board, & desiring her will report upon it -

To -

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To Mr Atwood at Negapatam.

To Mr Atwood

advised of Mr Lewin's being ordered to discharge the amount of House rent due to her late Husband

To Mr Lewin, with advice of the

To Mr Lewin

above, enclosing list of Military Stores embarked on the Snow Saint Ann for Negapatam, & directing him to pay to Captain Colliers two Star Pagodas for each man landed from his Vessel.

To Captain RaBray of the Honble

To Captn RaBray

Company's Ship Phenix - ordered to receive on board his Ship Lieut. General Sir John Dalling Bart with his Family, as Passengers for Europe.

To Captains RaBray & Gregorie

To the Captains of the Phenix & Manships

to receive on board their Ships the following Officers of His Majesty's Regiments serving in India -

Manships.

Captn	Robert Lumsdaine	73d Regt	On board the Manships.
Lieuts	Ralph Hoare	52d Do	
	William Corby		
Do	Cyrus Lamilliere	36th Do	
	T. Walker		

Phenix

Capt.	Maxwell	4th Dragoons	On board the Phenix.
Lieuts	John Handyside	52d Regt	
	John Roby		
Do	Robert Gordon	74th Do	
	G. A. Cochrane		
Ensign	J. G. White		

To Mr Burke to pay Capts Gregorie

To Mr Burke.

& RaBray on account of the Kings Officers returning

to

21. to Europe the Sums ordered by the Court of Directors for their Passage Money.

Received the undermentioned Letters (entered in MB. Nos 66-67.-68.)

From Vizagapatam, with Copy of a Letter & Returns from their Committee of Stores —

From Vizagapatam

Ordered to be referred to the Chief Engineer.

Minute thereon

From Mr. Taner, stating that he has received & stowed in the Granaries of that Garrison (Garce Morgalls 255-108.) of Paddy agreable to the Returns of November —

From the Rajah's at Chinglepute.

From General Horne, with the Engineer's Report on the state of the Men's Barracks at Warriore —

From Genl Horne

Ordered to be referred to the Chief Engineer.

Minute thereon

Sent the following Letters —

To Messrs Garrow Webb & Landon

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Board to desire you will examine Mr Dolt's Claim upon His Highness the Nabob, and admit it, unless you see objection — The Interest is to be calculated in order that he may become entitled to share in the Dividend to be made the 15th Instant —

To the Committee for investigating the Nabob's Debts, enclosing Note from the Answer to the Governor on the subject of Mr Dolt's Claim upon His Highness

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I enclose for your Guidance a Copy of a Letter from the Ameer to the Governor —

I am Gentlemen &c &c.

(Signed) John Chamier Secy

Fort St George
14th December 1786.

His Highness the Nabob Ameer Ul Omrah Bahauder presents his Compliments to Sir Archibald Campbell, & requests to inform him that the just Claims of Mr Doll upon the Circar amount to Pagodas 22.985 for Money &c advanced to the Circar 2d & 3d Regiments of Cavalry to the Sibbendies and Provincial Battalions of Sepoys the 25th August 1780 If Vouchers are necessary, Mr Bulman Attorney to Mr Doll will produce them — This Gentleman's Claim has been mentioned to the Governor in the public Letter addressed him by His Highness the Nabob of the Carnatic under date the 17th November 1786.

Triplicane House
Thursday morning
14th December 1786

To the Right Honble Charles Earl Cornwallis
Governor General &c Council
at Fort William

My Lord & Gentlemen,

To Bengal; stating the quantity of Arrack, which the Board wish to have landed at the Northern Subordinates —

In consequence of the information contained in your Letter of the 27th Ultimo, respecting your intended Supply of double distilled Rum and Arrack for the use of this Presidency, We have to request, that the Contractors may be directed to land the undermentioned Quantity at our Northern Subordinates —

At.

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21 At Ganjam ---- 44 Leagers of Rum or Arrack
At Vizagapatam -- 26 Ditto
At Masulipatam -- 60 Ditto —
Total --- 100 Leagers

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We have the honor to be &c &c
/ Signd / Archd Campbell
& Council

To Messrs William Balfour
& John Spalding

Gentlemen,

To Messrs Balfour & Spalding requesting that the Contract entered into with them for remitting to the Presidency the Specie at Tanjore may be made void --

I am directed by the Honble President & Council to inform you that they have received a Proposal from His Excellency the Rajah of Tanjore for paying the amount of his Subsidy in Star Pagodas at the Presidency --

Being desirous of availing themselves of his Excellency's offer, which will be attended with a considerable Saving to the Honble Company the Board trust you will readily wave the Agreement lately made with you by the President --

I am further directed to assure you that, should the Rajah fail in the performance of his abovementioned Offer, the Board will give you a preference to any others in remitting on the terms of your Agreement whatever part of the Rajah's Subsedy

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21. Subsidy may be received at Tanjore beyond what may be wanted for the payment of the Troops in that Garrison...

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I am Gentlemen &c &c.
(Signed) John Chamier Secy

To John 23d Huddleston Esqr

Tanjore

Sir

To the Resident at Tanjore, the Board accept the Proposals of the Rajah for paying his Kists in Pagodas at Madras: in consequence of which the Contract with Messrs Balfour and Spalding is suspended

You will herewith receive a Letter from me to the Rajah of Tanjore, of which I send you a Copy enclosed - by it you will observe that I have agreed to a Proposal made by the Rajah of paying his Kists in Pagodas in Madras instead of receiving it in fanams at Tanjore - I have urged the Rajah to give me positive assurance of his punctuality of which I hope there will not be any doubt, as a disappointment could not fail to prove extremely inconvenient and disagreable.

If the Rajah gives you an opportunity to discuss the subject of my Letter with him, you will no doubt enforce the Arguments it contains, as much as you can do with propriety, at the same time my Wish is to have an Answer to my Letter on working, and I hope to receive large Remittances as soon as possible on account of the current Kists -

If the Rajah proceeds with this

new

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23 new Arrangement, you may consider the Instructions
given you for paying the Money to the Agents of
Messrs Balfour & Spalding, as suspended –

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23d December 1786

I am Sir &c &c

(Signd) Archd Campbell

NB. The Letter to the Rajah as mentioned in the
foregoing Letter is entered in C. C. No 108

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To C. W. Malet Esqr.

Resident at Poona

Sir,

On the 11th Instant I wrote you by Hircarrahs in reply to your Letters of the 3d & 8th Novr and at the same time sent you Bills for your Advance to Rago Punt and for his allowance to the end of this Month – Duplicates were dispatched the 20th Inst: by your Cossids, whose Establishment has been communicated to you –

I have now to acknowledge receipt of the original and Duplicate of your Letter of 26th November: the first arrived the 16th & the other the 18th Instant –

I entirely approve of your having kept back my Letter to the Peishwa, which expressed that the appointment of Earl Cornwallis came from the King an Error introduced by the Persian Translator.

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To the Resident at Poona, the Board approve his detaining the Letter addressed to the Peshwa as it was erroneously expressed another now sent. The French at Pondicherry still remain as mentioned in a former Letter. No change of Government taking place, nor any large supply of troops arriveing.

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I now send you a Letter of the same date, expressed more properly, namely, that the King only consented that Earl Cornwallis and myself as General Officers in his Army should serve the Honble Company in our present Stations — I send you an open Copy of the Persian Letter now transmitted and an English Translation of it.

I shall be much obliged to you in presenting the Letter now sent together with that for Nana Feher nakey & to make an excuse for the delay in their arrival, which you can attribute to accident —

I thank you for the letter of Recommendation you procured Rago Pundit, & for all the Intelligence you have communicated

No recent change of Government has taken place at Pondicherry, & there is no truth in the assertions that a large supply of Troops arrived there lately — a few hundred Men for the purpose of supplying the Casualties of the Corps at Pondicherry have come from the Mauritius to complete the Garrison to 1600 Men but to morrow & you are safe in repeating the assurances I have already enabled you to make concerning the French Forces in India, because they contenance the same, as when I last addressed you on that Subject —

I am much obliged to you for the Papers enclosed in yours of 26th Nov.r they are curious & interesting & I shall be glad to receive any thing of that nature, which may from time to time fall into your hands —

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24th December 1786.

I am with Esteem &c &c

Signed J. Arch.d Campbell

Honble

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25 Received the following Letter.

To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K. B.

President & Governor &c. Council

of Fort St George

Honble Sir & Sirs

From Mr Popham, one of the Company's Solicitors, requesting that Mr Auchmuty the Deputy Judge Advocate on the trial of Sir John Burgoyne, may be directed to deliver into Government a copy of the Trial on that General Officer.

Having been appointed by thes Govern-
-ment as Prosecutor of Sir John Burgoyne I requested Mr Davidson as soon as the Sentence was publicked to apply for a Copy of the Proceedings of the Court Martial, that the Honble Board may be enabled therefrom to form a judgement of my Conduct on that important Prose-
-cution, & communicate their Sentiments thereon with the Proceedings, to the Honble the Court of Directors.

Mr Davidson was pleased to direct the Military Secretary to circulate a Letter to the Members of Government on the occasion, a Copy of which I now transmit, & as the period to which Sir J. Dalling alludes is elapsed, I hope Lieutenant Genl Auchmuty (the Judge Advocate on that Trial) will be ordered to furnish me with a Copy of the Proceedings of the Court Martial.

I have the honor to be &c &c

Madras
20th December 1786

(Signed) L. Popham

The Board find on recurring to the Records, that a Letter was written to the Governor General and Council, under date the 8th August 1785 requesting them to obtain the Sanction of the Commander in Chief in India, for the delivery of a Copy of the Trial of Sir John Burgoyne, to be lodged in the Secretary's Office, to which no

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25 Answer has been received - Ordered in consequence, that mention be made of this circumstance in the next Dispatches to Bengal -

To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K. B
President & Governor &c Council
Fort St George

Honble Sir & Sirs,

From Mess.rs Balfour & Spalding, acquiescing in the with of Government to make void the Contract entered into with them for remitting to the Presidency the Specie at Tanjore.

We are honored with Mr Secretary Chamier's Letter of the 21st Inst. expressing the desire of the Honble Board, that we should waive our Contract for remitting the surplus Subsidy from Tanjore in consideration of His Excellency the Rajah having offered to pay his Subsidy in Star Pagodas at the Presidency, & intimating to us, that we shall have the option of remitting upon the Terms contracted for, such parts of the Engagement as the Rajah may fail to perform -

As We are ever happy to accommodate the wishes of Government, we readily accede in the present Instance, nor do we offer to detail the peculiar Disappointments we experience on this occasion, nor to state our actual or eventual Loss in consequence of the Arrangements we had made for the payment of those Sums, the periods of which are now elapsed as well as for the discharge of those which are to follow, chearfully submitting to a Measure which your Honor &c have deemed beneficial to the Company -

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We have the Honor to be &c &c

/ Signed / William Balfour
John Spalding

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At a Consultation Present

The Honorable Major General

Sir Archibald Campbell K.B.

President

Tuesday

26th December

1786.

Alexander Davidson Esqr

James Henry Casamajor Esqr

Member of last Consultation

read and approved —

Read the following Letter from

the Governor of Pondicherry —

To His Excellency General Campbell

& the Gentlemen in Council

at Madras

Gentlemen,

From the Governor of Pondicherry on the Subject of Mr. De Bury's Claim

It is to satisfy the Heirs to the Estate of the late Mr Bury, that I have the honor to lay before you the Claim, that the said Mr Bury thought necessary to make during his life time. That Claim is mentioned in many of Lord Macartney's and Mr Coutenceau's Letters, as likewise in one of my dispatches dated the 2d Decr 1785, to which you did me the honor to reply on the 12th of the same month by that Cart. with which you honored me, Mr Bury's Heirs have yet some reason to hope, that from the demand you propose making of Captain Herman

you

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you will receive some Information that may prove favorable for them — Permit me Gentlemen now to ask you if the Heirs ought totally to divert from their pretensions, conceiveing themselves obliged to send their Business with that reply to Europe for the Satisfaction of the Co-heirs of that Succession —

I cannot conceal from you Gentlemen, that I am much interested that the Heirs of the deceased Monsieur du Bury may have a favorable Answer from you respecteng their demand

Pondicherry
18th. December 1786

I have the honor to be &. &.

/Signed/ Cossigny

/A true Translation/

J. Chase
French Translator —

Agreed that a Letter be written to Monsieur de Cossigny, expressing the wish of Government that they could, consistent with their duty, reply in a manner agreable to Monsieur de Cossigny on the Subject of Monsieur de Bury's Claim, — but that as no new light has been received, they would not be justifiable in altering the Opinion, which was given in their Letter of the 12th. of December 1785 —

Minutes thereon

Read the following Letter from Bengal —

To

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To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K.B.

President & Council

at Fort St George

Honble Sir & Gentlemen,

We have received your Letters of the

1st and 8th Instant -

From Bengal approving the Suggestion of the Military Paymt at Madras as stated in his Letter of 26th Oct. the Commissary General at Fort St George to continue to audit Mr Burkes Accounts, who is to pay the Kings Troops as usual 'till the end of November from advances made to him in Bengal Batta due the Prisoners in Mysore - how to be liquidated -

We approve the Suggestions made by your Paymaster General on the Subject of his Letter to you of the 26th Ult.o (which has also met with your Concurrence) supposing always that the Commissary General at Fort St George was to continue to pass the Accounts of the Kings Paymaster without which no Payments to him could be made here, but as the Kings Troops at Fort St George are not in future to be paid directly from Bengal but by advances from your Treasury, the mode formerly in use of booking those Advances will of course be reverted to or any other adopted that you may judge more proper -

In the end of last Month we came to a Determination to adopt a different mode from that which was then in use of paying the Pay to the Kings Troops on the Coast of Choromandel, & accordingly informed the Paymaster General to His Majesty's Troops that Remittances would be made to Madras for that purpose -

Mr Burke having however stated to us that his Agents at Madras from not having received timely Information of our Resolution to furnish you with the means in future to issue from your Treasury the Pay to the Kings Troops serving on the Coast of Coromandel had of late drawn

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drawn Bills upon him for large Sums of Money which he was unable to honor without our assistance, we have authorized our Military Paymaster General to make the Same on account of the present Month to him as usual, but have at the same time informed him that it must now be finally understood that all Pay and Allowances to His Majestys Troops serving on the Coast of Coromandel shall in future be applied for to your Government.

We have considered that part of your Letter of the 1st Ulto. which relates to the mode of liquedating the full Batta granted to the Officers and Men, who were Prisoners in the Mysore Country, and have resolved that they shall be adjusted in the same manner as was prescribed in the late Governor Generals plan for discharging the Army Arrears with this exception Viz.t That the Bills to be granted in favor of the Subalterns and Soldiers shall be for the whole of the full Batta due to them, no part thereof being to be paid in Cash.

We have the honor to be &c &c

Cornwallis
/Signed/ John Macpherson
Chas Stuart

Fort William
Secret & Political Dep.t
29th November 1786

Agreed that the following Answer be immediately dispatched.

To

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To the Right Honble Charles Earl Cornwallis

Governor General &co Council

at Fort William

My Lord & Gentlemen

Previous to the receipt of your

To Bengal, in reply to the foregoing letter, & requesting that Lieut Authority may be directed by the Commander in Chief in India, to deliver to Government a Copy of the Trial of Sir John Burgoyne

Lordship's & Letters of the 29th Ult.o (which only reached us the 25th Instant.) We had addressed you under date the 12th Instant and had suggested an arrangement to be made with Mr Burke for the remittance of the pay from Calcutta for the Kings Troops on this Coast at 107 Arcot Rupees p One Hundred Star Pagodas as particularly specified in our Letter of which We have the Honor to enclose a Duplicate.—

As Mr Burke has received Cash from your Treasury for the Disbursements of his Office until the end of February next We have resolved to suspend the execution of the Arrangements contained in your Letter of the 29th Ultimo untill We are honored with your Sentiments upon our Address of the 12th Instant. We request your Lordship & will be pleased to transmit them to us as soon as possible, that no delay may occur in the payments to the Kings Troops.—

We shall direct our Commissary General to audit Mr Burke's Accounts on the same

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same manner as those of the Paymaster General at this Presidency.

We have received a Letter from one of the Company's Solicitors, who attended on the part of this Government at the Trial of the late Major General Sir John Burgoyne Baronet, desiring that We will take Measures for procuring a Copy of the said Trial, and stateing that the period prescribed for withholding it, is now elapsed.

On this Subject We had the honor to address your Board on the 4th of August 1785 to which Letter (hitherto unanswered) We have leave to refer and to request that the Commander in Chief in India will direct Lieut Auchmuty to furnish us with a Copy of the Proceedings on the Trial abovementioned.

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We have the honor to be

My Lord & Gentlemen

Your most Obedient

humble Servants

Signed Archd Campbell

W. Council

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26th December 1786

Read the following Letter from Pulicat.

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To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K.B.

President & Governor &c Council

of Fort St George

Honble Sir & Sirs,

By the 16th Article of the Capitula-

From Pallacaut requesting that the Resident at Negapatam may be directed to apply Mr Stoffenburgh, the Auctioneer at the capture of that place in the recovery of his outstanding Balances

-tion at Negapatam, it is expressly stipulated that "the Auctioneer of that place, & the Trustee of the deceased "shall be permitted to recover their outstanding Debts, "& be protected and supported by Government."

Mr Stoffenberg was Auctioneer at the time of the Capture of Negapatam, and had then due to him by the Inhabitants of the interior parts of the Country the Sum of 2500 Pagodas - of which he has collected no more than 180 Fanams, not-withstanding he has made many Applications to Mr Tallofield, & written repeatedly to Messrs Mitchell and Taylor -

The only Prospect now left him for the recovery of this Money, is, by a Requisition thro' us to your Honble Board, which we have readely undertaken, as we are well convinced it is founded on Justice - We therefore hope you will give such Instructions to your Resident at Negapatam as will compel those who are indebted to Mr Stoffenberg to discharge the same -

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We shall feel much Satisfaction at having it in our power to convince you, how chearfully we should execute a Request of a similar Nature.

Pulicat
19.th December 1786

We have the Honor to be &.a

W. Blaankaner
N. Tadama
[Signed] J. D. Simons
P. W. Geeke
R. Brouwer

Agreed that a Letter be drafted to the Chief and Council at Negapatam, desiring they will furnish the Board with an exact Statement of the unadjusted Claims of Mr. Stoffenbergh, specifying what is due from each Person, which Statement will then be sent with proper directions to the Resident at Negapatam to assist Mr. Stoffenbergh in the recovery of his Debts.

Minute thereon.

Read the following Letter from Manulipatam.

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To the Honble Sir Archibald Campbell K. B

President and Governor &c Council

of Fort St George

Honble Sir & Sirs,

We have the honor herewith to enclose an Indent for Military Stores, drawn out by the Committee of Stores at this place, with the Observations of the Commanding Officer of the Troops in the District thereupon, to which we have added such further Observations as appear to us necessary, & we request that you will be pleased to order it to be complied with —

Our Chief has laid before us a Letter addressed to him by Colonel Brathwaite, regarding the usual Custom of annually relieving one of the Sepoy Battalions doing duty in this Garrison, about this Season of the Year, in order that every Corps stationed in the District, may share the Duty thereof as equally as possible — Colonel Brathwaite informs the Chief, that according to the regular Tour, the 17th Battalion now stationed at Ellore, should relieve the 14th Battalion which is doing duty in this Garrison, & which has been stationed here for one complete year, in consequence of which, he recommends that this relief may take place, & as we concur entirely in opinion with the Colonel in this matter, we request

your

from Manilepatam with an Indent for Military Stores, recommending that the 17th Batta Sepoys at Ellore should relieve the 14th Batta doing duty at Manilepatam Col Brathwaite applies for a Reimbursement of the Money laid out by him in repairing his Quarters at Ellore & for an allowance for a Field Detach'd of Mr Miller (Assistant Surgeon) requests permission to visit the Presidency —

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your Orders on the Subject.

We have received another Letter from Colonel Braithwaite, informing us that upon his arrival at Ellore, there was no House fit for an Officer of his Rank in the Fort, in consequence of which, he repaired and considerably added to the best House that was there, so as to make a suitable Quarter for the Comman-ding Officer, and as he expected to have derived the same advantages from the Toddy Farm, that his Prede-cessors had enjoyed, he never intended to have made this a charge, but as this has not been the case, he hopes it will not be thought unreasonable, that he should be reimbursed the Money he has laid out upon the Com-manding Officers Quarters, which Sum amounts, as he informs us to Twelve Hundred Madras Pagodas, and of which he is ready to produce the most unequi-vocal proofs, or to submit the Building, to any Survey that may be thought proper. We think it our Duty to lay the Colonels representation before Your Honor &c. for your determination

Colonel Braithwaite also informs us, that he is much at a loss in what manner to accommodate the Field Officers belonging to the European Battalion at Ellore, and has been informed by Lieutenant Colonel Belcliffe and Major Patterson, that they will join their Corps about Christmas. He acquaints us that there is but one Field Officers Quarter vacant, and no other fit Quarter that could be vacated, in consequence of which, he has

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asked our permission to engage one of the private Houses at Ellore, at the Rent lately allowed by General Order at the Presidency, which from the apparent necessity of the case, we have consented to, until we are honored with your Commands —

We think it also necessary to mention that Colonel Braithwaite as Commanding Officer of the District, has requested of us to allow him from his Arrival, the usual allowance for a Field Dubash, one additional Writer and six additional Hircarrahs for the purpose of conveying Letters to Black Officers, and others detached on public Service, — but as we have no authority to make such allow=-ances, we shall wait your Directions —

Enclosed we have the honor of transmitting to you a Return of Stores for last Month —

Mr. Miller, Assistant Surgeon, at this Settlement, having applied to us through Mr. Turing our Head Surgeon, for leave to proceed to the Presidency on his private Affairs, we request to know if your Honor &c. have any objections to this application being complied with. —

We have the honor to be &c. &c.

Masulipatam
18th December 1786

Charles Floyer
/ Signed / Geo Westcott
W Dobbyn

Agreed

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Agreed that those parts of the above which relate to the Commissr of Stores & to the Hospital Board be sent to those Departments —

Minute thereon

With respect to that part of the Letter which relates to Col. Braithwaite's application for a Reimbursement for Repairs made by him to a Quarter at Ellore; it is Agreed that one half the Sum (Pags 600) be paid provided the Quarter belongs to the Company —

The President lays before the Board the Proceedings of a Board of Officers assembled by his Orders for the purpose of ascertaining the Contingencies to be paid to His Majesty's Regiments serving in India —

At a Board of Officers assembled to ascertain the Contingencies to be paid to His Majesty's Regiments of Cavalry & Infantry 29th November 1786.

Colonel James Capper C. G. President

Captain James Campbell 72d Captain Dalrymple 7th
Captain Durham 52d Captain Brown 19th Drags
Captain White 36th Captain Droge 11th Ditto

The President lays before the Board the Proceedings of a Board of Officers assembled for the purpose of ascertaining the contingent Accounts of His Majesty's Regiments serving in India

The Board being assembled agreeably to the General Orders of the 15th Instant, agree to consider first what Contingencies are to be allowed to His Majesty's Regiments serving in India and then to settle in what manner they are to be paid and to what amount — Contingencies as the very

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very term itself implies must be local & temporary.
Those which seem most likely to occur in India are
Stationary, the Postage of Letters & the Carriage of money.

The Stationary of a Regiment of
Infantry in His Majesty's Service consists of the
following Articles - First. For the Paymaster a Set
of Books for his Accounts, Abstracts, Distributions,
Letters, and other small Accounts - For the Adjutants
Regimental Orderly Books, Description Books,
Stationary for Courts Martial, Returns and Letters
To Non-Commissioned Officers, Paper for morning
Reports of Guards, Muster Rolls, Rosters, Inscriptions
& other small Articles - For these different Articles
an Allowance is made in England to a Regiment,
on the Peace Establishment of 400 Men of about
20 £ p.r Annum. But as the Regiments serving in
India are generally much more than double that
Strength, the price of Stationary here at least 100
P.r Cent dearer than in Europe, & from the nature of
the two Services, the Orders in this Country much more
voluminous than at home; We are of opinion that
these several self evident Causes of the additional
Expence incurred by the Paymaster authorize us to
recommend an half yearly Allowance of 35 £ for
Stationary & the Postage of Letters of a Regiment
of Infantry in His Majesty's Service - Of which
Recommendation if the Commander in Chief and
Government are pleased to approve it is further
our opinion that the Allowance of 21 Fanams
P.r Month now paid to the Adjutants of His
Majesty's Regiments of Infantry, should hereafter

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be discontinued as well as the Charge for Attestations & every other Article that can be included under the head of Stationary for a Regiment —

The Regiments of Dragoons not being so strong as those of the Infantry it is agreed to recommend that an half yearly Allowance of 25 £ p Annum be allowed to that Corps —

With respect to the carriage of Money, as the responsibility appears to be too great for the Paymaster of a Regiment — Agreed to recommend that the Expence shall rest with the Company & the Responsibility of the Paymaster of the Regiment commence after the Money has been paid into his hands being first duly shroffed in his Presence by a Person appointed by the Commanding Officer of the Camp, Garrison or Cantonment at which the Corps shall be stationed —

The Amount to be paid for Contin=gencies being settled, the Board next proceed to take into consideration the Arrears of Contingencies now due to His Majesty's Regiments —

Captain Brown of the 19th Regt of Dragoons delivers in authentic Copies of those of his Regiment from the 25th December 1782 to 24th June 1786 amounting to £145.4.2 — the originals of which are in the Paymaster Generals Office & which appearing to us to be reasonable we recommend their being paid when certified by the proper Officers —

Captain White of His Majestys 36th Regt delivers in the Contingent Bills of his Regt from the 4th March 1783 to 24th June 1786 amounting to £145.9.2 — which likewise appearing to us to be reasonable. Agreed to recommend their being paid

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when certified by the proper Officers –

Captain Dirom of His Majesty's 52d. Regiment delivers in the Contingent Bills of his Regt. from 25th Decr. 1782 to 24th June 1786 amounting to £53. which appearing to us reasonable we recommend their being paid when certified by the proper Officers –

Captain Dalrymple of His Majesty's 73d. now the 71st Regt. delivers in three Contingent Bills of the Regt. when serving in the Field from 25th June 1783 to 24th June 1786 amounting to 287.1.2 – which appearing to us much higher than the Contingencies of other Regiments & no Causes being assigned for their being so, Agreed to recommend that the whole of the Arrears for Stationary due to the 71st Regt be paid at the rate of £35 half yearly agreeable to the Sum fixed for future Contingencies: and as the Regiment was serving in the Field during the forth mentioned period that the charges for Carriage of Money be allowed –

Captain James Campbell of His Majesty's 73d. now the 72d Regt. delivers in the contingent Bills of his Regiment from the 1st April 1782 to 24th June 1786 amounting to 226.4.0 – which appearing to us reasonable we recommend their being paid when certified by the proper Officers –

Captain Droge of His Majesty's 14th Regt. of Hanoverians informs the Board that he has not yet received the Contingent Bills of his Regiment from the Commanding Officer Agreed therefore to adjourn to Monday 11th of December 1786 –

/Signed/ J. Capper Secrd.
Col. & C. G.

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At a Board of Officers assembled to ascertain the Contingencies to be paid to His Majestys Regiments of Cavalry & Infantry 11th Decr 1786—

Colonel James Capper C. G. President
Captain James Campbell 72d Capta Dalrymple 1st
Captain Dirhom ... 52d Captain Brown 19th Do
Captain White ... 36th Captain Droge 11th Do

Read the Proceedings of this Board on the 29th of November 1786—

Captain Droge of His Majestys 11th Regt of Hanoverians delivery in the Contingent Bills of his Regt from 11th Sept 1782 to 24th June 1786 amounting to 186.8.8 which appearing to us to be reasonable, Agreed to recommend that they should be discharged—

Captain Droge likewise delivers in the Contingent Bills of His Majestys 15th Regt of Hanoverians from 19th April 1783 to 24th June 1786 amounting to 150.5.10 which appearing to us to be reasonable, Agreed to recommend that they likewise should be discharged—

We have perused in our Proceedings of 29th Ulto that the principal & almost the only Contingencies that can possibly arise in India are those of Stationary & the Postage of Letters & for there We have agreed to recommend that an half yearly Allowance of £25. shall be made to His Majestys 19th Regt of Dragoons & that an half yearly allowance

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of £35 shall be made to each of His Majesty's Regiments of Infantry, which Sums we deem sufficient to defray their current or general Contingencies — But should any others arise, Application we think should be made to the Commander in Chief, before any new Expence is encurred except in sudden & unavoidable Emergencies & such are to be reported as soon as the Service is performed —

Captain James Campbell of His Majesty's 72.d Reg.t lays before the Board the following Contingent Charges, which he desires may be submitted to the consideration of the Commander in Chief, together with the opinion of Col.o Stuart, Commanding Officer of the Regiment.

Contingent Account of 72.d (late 78.th) Regiment from 1.st April 1782 to 24.th June 1786 inclusive —

	£	s	d
Amount of Stationary & for Carriage of Money &.c allowd by the Committee for inspecting Contingent Accounts of the King's Regiments on the Coast of Choromandel, which is recommended to be paid without loss of time	226	4	—

N.B. Articles disallowed in this Account, which appear to be proper Charges against the Regiment Non effective, or Recruiting Account.

	£	s	d
Interest of Money advanced for recruiting 72.d Regiment per Mr Spalding	32.	2.	10
Difference of Exchange for £1000 on Recruiting Account	14.	12.	—
	46.	14.	10
£	272.	18.	10

The Articles disallowed as above amounting to £46. 14. 10 was charged in the Account for the Expence

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of entertaing or Levy Money of the Recruits enlisted from the other Corps in this Country given in to Mr Burke the Paymaster General of His Majestys Forces in India. But he would not allow or admit of it being charged on that Account. He would only admit of the Real Levy Money paid to the Recruits to be charged, And as the Regiment is ordered to make all their Charges to the Honble Company & have consequently no Account with the Agents at home. The Paymaster making up his Distributions to Mr Burke & not to the Agents, there was no other Account to charge it against. the Contingent Account excepted, and Colonel Stuart does not now see how he is to be reimbursed that Money, unless it be by a specifick Order from the Commander in Chief to Mr Burke to allow the Pay=
it ——— =master to charge it in his Distribution as a proper & regular Charge against the Regiments Non Effective Account. As all the Non Effective Pay is credited by the Paymaster in the Distributions which he gives in to Mr Burke the Paymaster General on this Country & not to the Agent of the Regiment.

/Signed/ J. Stuart

Harper Prendk
Col. & Co. G.

Recommendations approved

Agreed that the Recommen=
=dations of the Board of Officers be confirmed and that the necessary Orders be given in consequence.

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The President lays before the Board an order from Lord Cornwallis Commander in Chief in India appointing Mr Neil Campbell to act as Deputy Commissary of Musters for the Kings Troops on the Coast of Coromandel, and therefore recommends that he should be appointed Muster Master to the Troops between the Kistna and the Colroon, Vice Mr Aberdein resigned—

Mr Neil Campbell appointed Muster Master between the Kistna & the Coroon - Vice Aberdein —

Ordered accordingly—

Read a Letter from Mr Cockburn (as entered in the Miscellany Book N° 69) Agent, enclosing Applications to him from Lieutenant Cuppage to receive some Batta Bills in payment of his Rice Account, and from Mr Kenworthey for the discharge of Bullocks sent by order with Captain Close—

from Mr Cockburn

Agreed that Lieut Cuppages Bills be received in payment of his Rice Account, and that the Agent be directed to discharge Mr Kenworthey's Bill, which is properly authenticated—

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The General Letter for Bengal and Pheniz are now signed, and the Packets ordered to be closed

Received

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Substance of Letters from Tippoo & from the Mahrattas.

Received Letters from the Nabob Tippoo Sultaun & from Nana Furnavese, Minister to the Peshwa at Poona (as entered in Country Correspondence N.o 109-110-111.) the two former state the advantages he [Tippoo] has gained over the Mahrattas in his conflicts with them. the latter advises of an Interference on the part of the French in behalf of Tippoo, and urges the necessity there will be for the English to be watchful of that Nation.

Diary to the end of the Year.

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Sent the following Letters -

To William Blaauwkamer Esq.r

Superintendant of the Possessions of their High Mightinesses the States General on the Coast of Choromandel.

& Council

at Pulicat

To Pulicat. If Mr. Stoffenberg will give a particular Account of his outstanding Balances at Negapatam, Directions will be given to the Renter

Gentlemen,

We have been honored with the receipt of your Letter dated the 19th Inst. & beg leave to assure you of our readiness to attend to any request on the part of your Nation -

With respect to the outstanding Balances

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27th Balances due to the late Auctioneer at Negapatam. We shall chearfully direct our Resident to assist in the recovery of them, so soon as We shall receive from you a particular Account of them –

We request in consequence that you will direct Mr Stoffenberg to lay before you an exact Statement of his unadjusted Claims, specifying what is due from each Person – which Statement when received from you, will be sent by us with suitable directions to our Resident at Negapatam –

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We have the honor to be &c &c.
/Signed/ Arch.d Campbell
&c Council.

To William Burke Esq.r
Paymaster General to the Kings Troops
in India

Sir,

I am directed by the Hon.ble President & Council to enclose Extract of a Letter addressed by them to the Right Hon.ble Gov.r Gen.l & Co.s under date the 12th Inst: on the Subject of the future payments to the Kings Troops & to inform you that they have resolved to suspend any Arrangement until an Answer to the abovementioned Letter be received from Bengal –

The Board apprehend no inconvenience from this resolution as you have received Cash for the disbursements of your Office until the end of Febry next –

I am further directed to inform you that the Commissary General has received Orders to audit your Accounts in the same manner as those of the Paym.r General at this Presidency –

I am Sir &c &c
/Signed/ John Chamier Secry

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To

the Kings Paymaster General, enclosing Extract of a Letter to the Governor Gen.l & Council relating to the future Payments to the Kings Troops; & informing him, that no new Arrangements will take place, till an Answer is received from Bengal –

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To His Excellency M de Cossigny

Brigadier General of His Most Christian

Majesty's Forces, Governor of Pondicherry

&c &c &c

Sir,

To the Governor of Pondicherry - The Board are concerned that they cannot alter their opinion with respect to the Claim of Mons.r de Bury -

We have been honored with your Excellency's Letter dated the 18.th Inst: respecting the Claim of M.r de Bury's Heirs for a Reimbursement on account of the Capture of a Vessell, which belonged to that Gentleman -

We sincerely wish it was in our power, consistent with our duty, to reply to your Letter in such manner as would be agreeable to your Excellency, who appear to interest yourself so much in favor of M.r de Bury's Heirs, but We are concerned to inform your Excellency, that We have not received since the date of our last Letter on this Subject (12.th Dec.r 1785) any lights from the Captors of the Vessell that can justify an alteration in the opinion, which was then given -

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We have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) Arch.d Campbell

&c Council

Sent the undermentioned Letters (entered on MB Nos 70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-)

To the Committee of Stores -

To the Committee of Stores: to give their opinion upon Indents for Stores from Manulipatam and Vizagapatam -

To M.r Cockburn

To the Agent for Army Grain Accounts, to receive Lieut Cuppage's Bill for Arrears of Pay, while acting as Brigade Major to the Southern Army, on payment of his Rice Account, & to discharge M.r Kenworthey's Bill for the hire of Bullocks sent with Capt.n Close - A Letter from Capt.n Lieut Lantwar on the subject of his Rice Accounts enclosed -

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To the Committee for investigating the
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Thanker in their Investigation of the Debts of His
Highness the Nabob.

To the Military Board, to report upon
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Regt. for Arrears of Pay; and of Captain Torrens for Arrears
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on their March to the Southward.

To the Military Paymaster General
to grant Certificates to Mr Digby for the further Sums
provisionally admitted by the Board, and for which Mr
Digby has executed an Obligation.

To Lieut Col. Bridges, Mr. Thos. Oakes,
& Captain Bonnevaux at Palamcotah, appointing them
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To the Comptroller General of
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the Repairs of his Quarters at Ellore, provided they
belong to the Company.

Col. Robt. Ross

To the Committee for investigating the Nabobs Debts.

To the Military Board.

To Mr. Turing

To Lt. Col. Bridges Mr. Thos. Oakes Capt. Bonnevaux

To Col. Capper

To Masulipatam

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To His Majesty's Paymaster General

enclosing Copy of the Procedings of a Board of Officers

To Mr Burke. assembled for the purpose of ascertaining the Contin=
=gent Accounts of His Majesty's Regiments serving
in India; and informing him that the Company's
Paymaster General has been directed to discharge
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To the Military Paymaster General

To Mr Turing. advising him of the above -

To the Commissary General enclosing

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to Mr Turing -

W. C. Jackson
Dep. Secy

Arch. Campbell

Alex Davidson

Ja. H. Casamajor

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Accountant

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-ferred by the Rajah of Tanjore, against the Nabobs
People in diverting the course of the Cavary - requests
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opinion of that Garrison, as a Military Post 742. To
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to him by the President of Tanjore to complete his
Payments to the Troops for the Month of May 742.
To the Paymaster; with Orders for laying up twelve
Months Stock of Grain 836 From the General with
the Engineers Report of the State of the Granaries
843 From the General. The Accounts will be trans-
-mitted to the Military Paymaster General, agreably
to Orders Ibid. From the General; The Troops will
become Sufferers by the Nabobs Manager stopping
the Circulation of the new Coined Fanam coined by
Mr Irwin 846 From the Paymaster on the same 847.
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to be sent from Tanjore 868 From; will follow the
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Garrison with Grain 892 From; requires 20,000 Pagodas
to complete the ensuing Payments 927 From; requesting
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the new Colley Tanam en possession of the Native
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of the State of the Fortifications at Trichinopoly 935 -
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Presidency for ten thousand Pagodas to complete his
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send to the Governor a weekly Return of the Grain in
Store received from the Nabob's Renter, with its price -
978 To the Paymaster, to receive from the Nabob's Agent,
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Third Kist, granting Receipts in Pagodas 998 From;
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General Horne to the Commander in Chief, recommending the appointment of a Barrack Master to the Garrison and Cantonment South of the Coleroon 1330 Approved 1332 To Captain Hugh Campbell appointed Barrack Master - five Pagodas p Mensem allowed Surgeons for Quarters 1368 From: sends a small Force to reduce to Obedience, Mootoo Nauck, a refractory Poligar Ibid- To approveing his Conduct 1415 From, circulates through the Southern Provinces the Orders of Government, respecting the Exchange of the Cutlery Fanam 1417 From the Kayms. requests Orders respecting the Repairs necessary for the Park, Shed & Laboratories 1417 To be executed Ibid- Notification of the same to be given to General Horne Ibid- From the General - the Detachment sent against Mootoo Nauck, met with a Repulse in the Attack of Pombopettah - reinforced 1465 To the Kaymaster, to execute certain Repairs 1466 To the General, the Engineer to superintend the Repairs 1467 From the General, with a Return of the Killed & wounded in the Attack on the Fort of Pombopettah - states the present Situation of Affairs with that Poligar 1471 From the Kaymaster, the Exchange at length adjusted - indents to Madura for 15,000 Pagodas 1491 From the General, enclosing Letter from the Officers under his Command, complaining of the Exchange 1687 From the General, with his opinion of the Attack of Pombopettah - on the Subject of Exchange 1536 From; in support

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