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Shall you Sir would interest yourself for me in the
latter business

On the 10th of this month an Order
was received from the Government of Madras which
suppressed the place of Superintendent of the police and
those of the two Assistants attached to it one of which
I held By this unfortunate event I was reduced to
the greatest embarrassment and again abandoned
to distress — I make bold therefore to intreat Sir that
you would intreat yourself in my behalf and have
the goodness to lay my deplorable case before His
Excellency Lord Clive who is acquainted with my
misfortunes and whose generous feelings have sym-
pathized in my distress it is he also who has given
me reason to expect the sum of money to pay my
debts as an indemnification for the delays which I
experienced — The eminent situation which you
hold Sir and the Credit which you enjoy puts it in
your power to assist me by interesting yourself
in my behalf with his Excellency and by obtaining

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for me an allowance in lieu of that which I before held as also the sum of money which I have heeded to hope for. The uncertain state of my health prevents my working for my livelihood and [illegible] merits your indulgence and favor.

I presume to intreat that you would have the goodness enquire respecting me of Colonel Campbell to whom I am already greatly obliged and I have no doubt that it will turn out to my advantage.

With reiterated excuses I intreat you to believe the sentiments of Respect with which

I have the honor to be Yr. Obt.

[Signed] Eugene Lemon.

Pondicherry
28th July 1801.

True Translation
[Signed] J. D. Kible
French Translator.

To Josiah Webbe Esqr
Yr. Obt.

Sir.

I have the honor to address you last

month

I have Dr. Dr. Replied the Solicitation submitted in his letter of the 28th July last

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month requesting that you would lay my unfortunate case before His Excellency Lord Clive and beseeching that you would have the goodness to interest yourself in my behalf my misfortunes and infirmities must claim an interest in every feeling heart and it is under this plea that I take the liberty of imploring your assistance.

The small appointment which I held has been suppressed since the 1st July and my having been out of employ from that period has reduced me to the utmost distress I am well aware of the difficulty of obtaining a new situation but I will take the liberty of representing to you that by the death of Captain Le Vasseur a monthly pension of 25 Pagodas has been vacant since the month of February last besides which at this very moment Mr Collen Receives as a Councellor an allowance of 110 Rupees per month and one of 80 Rupees per month as Conservateur des bruins Vacants, although he by no means requires these situations to enable him to live being possessed of a considerable patrimony If

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Were your intercession Sconce obtain either the
allowance formerly drawn by Captain Le Vasseur or
the appointment of Conservateur des biens Vacants
I should consider myself eternally obliged — The
eminent situation which you hold enables you to
confer this favor on me and you alone have the
power of doing so.

I have the honor of observing to
you that His Excellency Lord Clive is acquainted
with my situation and interests himself in my
behalf I have therefore no doubt but that my request
presented and supported by you will be complied with

Deign to accept my apologies, my
misfortunes and my situation plead strongly for your
Indulgent consideration.

Pondicherry
16th August 1801

I have the honor to be &c &c
(Signed) Eugene Serrion
Atme Translation
(Signed) G. D. Keble
Friends Translator

Conservateur des biens vacants is some office peculiar to the
French

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French bourts the English name of which I am unacquainted with — I should conceive however that it means Conservator of unclaimed property

Signed J. J. Kible

French Translator

Resolved in consideration of Mr. Perrons case that he be permitted to draw the Amount of the pension which lapsed by the death of Captain Lieutenant Vasser from the period of time when the Office of Police of Pondicherry was suppressed.

Lord Clive lays before the Board the following minute.

Minute of Lord Clive

The allowances which have been allotted to Officers commanding Armies or detachments on field Service for the purpose of enabling them to support the expences necessarily encidental to their respective Commands have varied not only with the rank of the Officer selected for the charge and the esctent of the force which has been employed but also with the nature

minute by the President Explains to the Board the reasons which had in His Lordships judgment rendered it expedient to postpone granting an allowance to Lieutenant Colonels Agnew and Innes for Incidable expences and the principles on which His Lordship now proposes to grant to these Officers the sum of 200 Pagodas each per month.

nature and importance of the services expected to be performed.

The Board will accordingly observe that of the numerous Officers of the rank of Lieutenant Colonel who have commanded detachments during the period that I have the honor to preside over this Government a considerable proportion has been limited to the field Batta of their Rank; while some have drawn the established allowances of an Officer commanding a Brigade and a few who have been entrusted with services of an arduous and delicate nature have been distinguished by a superior reward.

It would be superfluous to enumerate the various and important services which have been respectively rendered by Lieutenant Colonels Agnew and Innes, on the Southern provinces. I to comment on the Gallantry and able executions of those Officers which have so recently merited the recorded approbation and public thanks of this Board. It may however be proper for me to observe that although

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on the selection of those Officers for Lieutenants on which they have amply justified my largest expectations I had no doubt whatever of the propriety of the choice yet in postponing my decision on the allowances to be annexed to their respective charges and opportunity has been afforded of combining with the consideration of adequate means to support the dignity of command the grace of conferring a reward for services actually performed and I consider this principle of rendering Allowances undefined in their nature dependant on the eventual approbation of Government so pregnant with the most obvious expediency that it is my intention to adopt it in all future cases to which it may conveniently apply.

In considering the allowances which I shall may be proper to confer in the present instance I have adverted to the amount allotted to Lieutenant Colonels Read, and Brown, in the year 1798. namely 300 Pagodas per month under the head of table allowance which I recommend to be presented to Lieutenant Colonels

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Agnew and Innes from the respective periods when they were ordered for field Service as a mark of the approbation with which the Government continues to view their exertions for the public good

Signed Clive.

Resolved in conformity to His Lordship's Recommendation that an allowance of three hundred pagodas per month each be granted to Lieutenant Colonels Agnew and Innes during the period of time they have Commanded separate detachments of the army on the field.

Lord Clive in consequence of the death of Major Grant states to the Board His Lordship's intention of appointing Captain Mark Wilks to be Town Major and proposes the appointment of Lieutenant James Grant to Command the Governors Body Guard.

Approved and Resolved that the following General Order be published

G.O.

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G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor in

Council in proceeding to appoint a Successor to the com=

=mand of His Lordships Body Guard feels a sentiment of

the deepest sorrow that the vacancy should have been

caused by the death of Major Alexander Grant His Lordship

discharges that melancholy Office under the strongest

impression of regret for the loss of that meritorious Officer

and Commemorates the event by expressing his affecto=

=nate respect for the public character and for the private

Virtues of Major Grant

The Governor in Council is pleased

to make the following appointments Lieutenant=

James Grant to Command the Governors Body Guard

Lieutenant Otto Bayer to be=

Adjutant of the Body Guard Vice Grant promo=

=ted

Captain Mark Wilks to be=

Town Major of Fort Saint George Vice Grant

deceased

General Orders expressing sentiments of regret at the death of Major Grant and making appointments in consequence of that event

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Deceased.

By Order of the Right Honorable the

Governor in Council.

/Signed/ T. Webbe

Chief Secretary to Government.

" Close

" Ilbert

" Wm Petrie

" H. Fullerton

W. J. Hougan
Esq.

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Diary.

2d. Received the following letter.

To Josiah Webbe Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

From the Commandt at Vellore Transmits Rolls of the late Nabobs Servants and Sepoys who were employed under the Renter of the Vellore District with their rates of pay and Arrears due

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit Rolls of Servants and Sepoys who were in the late Nabob's Service, and employed in the Collection of Revenue under the renter of the Vellore District, their rates of monthly hire, and arrears due as stated in the Rolls, have been ascertained by investigation and muster and agreeably to 2d. Paragraph of your letter dated 3d. august 1801. The Sepoys have been told to consider themselves in the Pay of the Company for the present, they are not disarmed as no instructions have been received for that purpose.

Vellore I have the honor &c. &c.

31st. august 1801 Signed Tho.s Dallas

Lieut.t Col. Comg Vellore

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Luiper Hussein Khan	Moonshy	9 23 56	no arrears	
Meer Mohomed Sheriff	Cutwall	3 19 22	10 12 64	
Cauee Ram	Mews writer	8 23 56	17 6 32	
Syed Hussein	Do	8 23 56	25 32 10	
Ramiah Seemaliah	Hircarrahs under Mews writer	4 - -	12 - -	
Rungarow & Venkatarow	Accountant of repair of Tanks of Villore District	10 - -	80 - -	
Syed Gazafer Hussein & Co.	Servants of Garden	9 23 56	76 2348	
Meerkhunally - - & Co.		10 - -	100 - -	
Meer Hyder Hussein		2 38 44	11 19 22	
Shaik Khoosaund	Chouboas	1 19 22	4 12 68	
For the Fallah of Hazarah & Myal		40 - -	320 - -	
Baboo Row		2 38 44	11 19 22	Dumb
Saufraliy	Museum of Gate	2 12 68	6 38 44	
Seerungum	Tappal Conicoply	2 - -	No arrears	

Mdg 21 Oct 1805

/ Signed / Thos Dallas
Lieut. Col. Comg Villore

Copy of Letter from Lieut. Col. Dallas

Roll of Native Cavalry and Infantry in the Service of the late Nabob Employed under the Amildars of Vellore District for Collecting the Provisions their monthly Pay and Arrears due to the 31st. July 1801

Names of Companies	Names	Rank	Period Service Years	Period Service Months	Monthly Pay	Arrears of Pay	Total of Arrears	Remarks
					P 1 6	P 1 6	P 1 6	
Cavalry Golam Hyguts	Golam Hyguts	Subidar	12		10 " "	35 " "		
	Golam Mahammed	Jemidar	17		7 " "	24 22 40		
	Shaik Hussan	Do	12	"	7 " "	24 22 40		
	Shaik Mahomed	Havildar	17	"	5 " "	17 22 40		
5	Golam Mochiddin	Do	13		5 " "	17 22 40		
	Shaik Abdullah	Do	"		5 " "	17 22 40		on leave
	Shaik Hamed	Naique	13	"	4 " "	14 " "		
	Mahomed Madar	Do	19		4 " "	14 " "		
	Shaik Audom	Do	20		4 " "	14 " "		
10	Mahommed Hussein	Do	20		4 " "	14 " "		
	Mahomed Bahadoor	Sepoy	13		3 " "	10 22 40		
	Golam Caudur	Do			3 " "	10 22 40		on Command
	Golam Mahuiddin	Do			3 " "	10 22 40		on leave
	Shaik Abdullah	Do			3 " "	10 22 40		on Command

Copy of "Roll of Sepoys" 1801

15	Shaik Ebrahim	Do				3	"	10 22 40	Sick at Mokuna
	Shaik Emam	Do				3	"	10 22 40	on Command
	Shaik abdul Cauder	Do	4	"		3	"	10 22 40	
	Mohamed Jaffer	Do				3	"	10 22 40	on Command
	Afzul Baig	Do				3	"	10 22 40	Leave
20	Shaik Emam	Do	10			3	"	10 22 40	
	Abdul Cauder	Do				3	"	10 22 40	
	Abdul Summed	Do				3	"	10 22 40	on Command
	Abdul Cauder	Do				3	"	10 22 40	Leave
	Shaik Golamally	Do				3	"	10 22 40	on leave
25	Abdul Cauder	Do	12			3	"	10 22 40	
26	Shaik Lipsha	Do				3	"	10 22 40	on Command
Infantry Garrison at Mohomedies	Camaul Mohomed	Subidar	30			3	"	10 22 40	
	Ram Saik	Jemidar adjt	30	"		10	"	85 " "	
	Shaik Kapsan	Jemidar	15	"		7	31 40	26 42 60	
	Golamally	Do	20			5	"	17 22 40	
5	Rajul Ally	Havildar Major	10			5	"	17 22 40	
	Khyah Rahmut ally	Havildar	20			4	"	14 " "	
	Abdul Kauder	Do	12			2	31 40	9 20 20	
	Mahomed Cabeer	Do	12			2	31 40	9 20 20	
	Shaik Mahomed	Do	11			2	31 40	9 20 20	
10	Shaik abdul Cauder	Do	12			2	31 40	9 20 20	
								Carried over	518 31 40

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Names of Companies	Names	Ranks	Period of Service Years	Months	Monthly Pay	Arrears of Pay	Total of Arrears	Remarks
	Brought Over						518 31 40	
	Chinganne Naid	Havildar			2 31 40	9 20 20		Pay Pension Granted on account of his father dead he drawing the pension on leave
	Virabapah Naik	Do		20	2 31 40	9 20 20		
	Mahomed Ebram	Naigue			2 7 "	7 24 40		
	Shaik Ahmed	Do		12	2 7 "	7 24 40		
15	Syd Mahomed	Do		12	2 7 "	7 24 40		
	Shaik Abdul Rahamaun	Do		12	2 7 "	7 24 40		
	Syd Sultaun	Do		12	2 7 "	7 24 40		
	Venkayya	Do		12	2 7 "	7 24 40		
	Kenpullee	Naikat		12	1 28 "	6 28 40		
20	Munsell	Drummer		12	2 22 40	8 88 60		
	Pathen	Fife		12	2 22 40	8 88 60		
	Shaik Bunden	Chouhan		12	1 24 "	5 16 40		
	Tenpally	Sepoy		12	1 24 "	5 16 40		
	Baubyu	Do		12	1 24 "	5 16 40		
25	Shaik Dawood	Do		12	1 24 "	5 16 40		
	Khan Mahomed	Do		12	1 24 "	5 16 40		
	Shaik Ebrahim	Do		12	1 24 "	5 16 40		Washerman
	Mahomed Hussen	Do		12	1 24 "	5 16 40		on leave

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	Lemmapaka Naick	Do		12		1 24	5 16 40
30	Tondoya	Do		12		1 24	5 16 40
	Lyed Haniff	Do		11		1 24	5 16 40
	Shaik Emaum	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
	Gavendoo	Do		12		1 24	5 16 40
	Fakeer Mahamed	Do		12		1 24	5 16 40
35	Gavendoo	Do		12		1 24	5 16 40
	Shaik Abdul Hauder	Do		12		1 24	5 16 40
	Ramanaick	Do				1 24	5 16 40
	Venkata Sawmy	Do		18		1 24	5 16 40
	Shaik Emaum	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
40	Hussen Baig	Do		11		1 24	5 16 40
	Mahamed Rajah	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
	Venkeb Putty	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
	Lyed ally	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
	Shaik Bhoosen	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
45	Moodoo Naick	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
	Veneatachellum	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
	Chenguam Naick	Do		12		1 24	5 16 40
	Venkoojee	Do		10		1 24	5 16 40
					Carried over		731 32 40

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Effects of Damage

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on board

on Shore

Name of Seamen	Time of Joining the Ship	Months Wages due	Monthly Pay	Amount of Pay
Brought Forward				75/ 32 40.
Martin Nash	10	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Kennedy	10	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Hutchinson	10	1	24	5 16 40
Samuel	10	1	24	5 16 40
Mark Wilson	35	1	24	5 16 40
Martin Adams	10	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Hutchinson	10	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Geoghegan	10	1	24	5 16 40
Edward Hutchinson	10	1	24	5 16 40
Abraham	10	1	24	5 16 40
Henry	19	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Bates	10	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Rutherford	10	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Nelson	12	1	24	5 16 40
Ebenezer	7	1	24	5 16 40
Matthew Allen	12	1	24	5 16 40
Mark Mahoney	7	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Mahoney Senior	12	1	24	5 16 40
Wm Mahoney	12	1	24	5 16 60.

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Lieut. Colonel	1	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Major	1	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Captain	10	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Ditto	1	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Lieutenant	1	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Ditto	1	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Ensign	10	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Ditto	10	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Surgeon	1	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Assistant Surgeon	1	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Paymaster	15	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Adjutant	8	—	1 " "	2 22 40
Quartermaster	12	—	1 " "	1 22 40
Surgeon's Mate	5	"	1 " "	1 22 40
Assistant Surgeon	14	—	2 31 40	9 20 20
Sergeant Major	15	—	2 31 40	9 20 20
Quartermaster Sergeant	12	—	2 31 40	9 20 20
Sergeant	12	—	2 1 "	1 24 40
Corporal	9	—	2 1 "	1 24 40
Drummer	12	—	2 1 "	1 24 40
Fifer	10	—	1 24 "	5 15 40
Company	1023			9 20

Lieut. Colonel 1
Lieutenant 1
Ditto 1
Captain 10
Ditto 10
Ensign 10
Adjutant 1
Paymaster 1
Surgeon 1
Assistant Surgeon 2
Sergeant Major 1
Quartermaster Sergeant 1
Sergeant 5
Corporal 9
Drummer 2
Fifer 2
Private 1000
1045

Names of Companies	Names	Rank	Length of Service Years	Length of Service Months	Monthly Pay	Arrears of Pay	Stat of Arrears	Remarks
	Brought Over					1023 9 20		
	Rajah Mahomed	Sepoy	10		1 24 .	5 16 40		
	Jamindoo	Do	10		1 24 "	5 16 40		
×	Moadoo	Do	10		1 24 .	5 16 40		
	Aboul Naby	Do	10		1 24 "	5 16 40	Sick	
15	Shaikally	Do	10		1 24 .	5 16 40		
×	Khauno Mahommad	Do	10		1 24 "	5 16 40		
	Rassy	Do	10		1 24 "	5 16 40		
	Rahmadoo	Do	10		1 24 "	5 16 40		
	Goorvick	Do			1 24 "	5 16 40	on Command	
20	Shaikh Emaun	Do			1 24 .	5 16 40	Do	
×	Shaikh Mohydeen	Do	8		1 24 .	5 16 40		
	Laub Sing	Do	10		1 24 "	5 16 40		

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	Chonchoo	Do.	10	1 24	5 16 40	
	Nursoo	Do.	10	1 24	5 16 40	
25	Rungapah	Do.	10	1 24	5 16 40	
	Shaik Madar	Do.	10	1 24	5 16 40	
	Appiah	Do.	10	1 24	5 16 40	
	Shaik ally	Do.	10	1 24	5 16 40	
	Shaik Buddy	Do.	15	1 24	5 16 40	
30	Ram Naick	Do.	15	1 24	5 16 40	
	Venatachellum	Do.	10	1 24	5 16 40	
	Soobe Naick	Do.	14	1 24	5 16 40	
	Kistnama Naick	Do.	12	1 24	5 16 40	
	Mahomed Hussein	Do.	12	1 24	5 16 40	
35	Bassava Naick	Do.	14	1 24	5 16 40	
36	Sonaghery	Do.	12	1 24	5 16 40	

Total Rupees 1162 33 20

N.B. The persons marked † are unwilling to be transferred to the Honble Company's Service the others are willing.

(Signed) Tho.s Dallas
Lieut.t & Comp.t Adjt.t

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Received and Sent the following

Letters entered in Mil. B. Nos. 1. 2. 3. 4.

From the Secretary to Bombay

From Mr. Richards. Transmits

packet from the Secretary to the Military Board at —

that Presidency to the Secretary to the Military Board

at Madras.

From the Military Paymr. General

From Mr. Roebuck. Encloses

copy of a letter from Mr. Paymaster Wilson soliciting

leave to visit the Presidency.

To the Military Board

To the Military Board. Desiring

them to instruct the Garrison Storekeeper to embark

on the Ship Wellesley engaged for the purpose of —

conveying to Calcutta the Bengal Artillery with —

their followers, a sufficient quantity of Provisions

&c. for their use during the Voyage.

To the Military Paymr. General

To Mr. Roebuck. The Paymaster

at Guntoor permitted to visit the Presidency.

Order of Council

Military Department

3d. September 1801

Received

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Received the following letter from

the Deputy Military Auditor General

The Right Honorable Lord Clive

President and Governor in Council

Fort St. George

From the Deputy Military Aud.r Genl. Reports how the General Estimate for the current Month and on the Military Pay.r General's additional Estimate of the 27th ultimo.

My Lord,

Having examined the General Estimate for the current Month, which accompanied a letter from the Chief Secretary to Government, under date the 31st. Ultimo, I have the honor to report, that the Sum of Four Lacks, eighty one thousand Six hundred and Ninety one Pagodas, Sixteen fanams and fourteen Cash / Pagodas 4,81,691.16.14 is required for the payment of such Military Charges as became due on the 1st. Instant and to be issued as follows.

From the General Treasury - - - 1,89,515.13.63.

By Bills on the Military Paymaster General } 2,92,176. 2. 31.

Pags. - - 4,81,691.16.14

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The Estimate of the Paymasters

at Seringapatam and Vizagapatam and on

Hanara amounting to Pago.s as 16.87464-5-54- are not

included in the above Sum, as they have sufficient

Balances on hand to answer the probable demands

on their Offices during the present month.

The Military Paymaster Generals

additional Estimate for the last month is un-

objectionable and the amount issuable from

the Treasury, being required to make advances

to Mess.rs Malcolm and Casmajor for providing

Tents and to the Gram agents of the 6.th and 7.th

Regiments Native Cavalry, and to discharge

arrears of Subsistence due to the Officers of His

Majesty's Regiments Do Mearon.

Military Auditor I have the honor &c.&c.

General's Office /Signed/ P Bruce

Fort S.t George Deputy Military

3.d September 1801. Auditor General.

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In consequence of the foregoing

Observing the sums of Pagodas 189515.13.63. on account of the General Estimate and the sums of Pagodas 1669.26.58. on account of the additional Estimate forwarded on the 27th ultimo to be issued from the Treasury to the Military Paymaster General.

Report Ordered that the following Sums be issued from the Treasury to the Military Paymaster General.

On account of the General estimate for the current month enclosed in his letter of the 27th ultimo ... Pags 189515.13.63.

On account of the additional estimate enclosed in his letter of the 27th ultimo ... Pags 1669.26.58

By order of the Right Honble

the Governor in Council.

/ Signed / S. Webbe

Chief Secty to Govt.

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To the Military Paymaster Genl.

Sent a letter to Mr. Roebuck entered in Mo B. No 5 Transmitting Copy of the Deputy Military Auditor General's Report on the General Estimate for the current Month and on the additional Estimate forwarded by him on the 27th

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3d. 27th. ultimo.

4th. Sent the following Letters.

To Robert Richards Esqr

Secretary to the Government

at Bombay

Sir.

I have had the honor to receive your letters of the 27th. and 29th. July.

The necessary orders have in consequence been issued on the subject of the Medical Gentleman attached to the 8th. Regiment Native Infantry serving on the Province of Malabar.

The Governor in Council requests you to inform the Governor in Council at Bombay, that if it should be his pleasure to attach Mr. Ogilvie to any part of the troops of the Bombay Establishment serving under the orders of this Presidency, His Lordship will be happy to avail himself of that Gentleman's professional

To the Secretary at Bombay. with whom having received his letters of the 27th. & 29th. July. the necessary orders have been issued on the subject of the Medical Gentleman attached to the 8th. Regiment serving on Malabar. Impracticable to employ Mr. Ogilvie in any other than his Medical Capacity. Inclosing extract from the Proceedings of the Medical Board at this Residency, by which it appears that the representation of the Medical Storekeeper at Bombay was unfounded with respect to the time of communicating to the Medical Gentleman on Malabar the regulations of this Presidency for the supply of Country Medicines.

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professional skill; but that it is not practicable for the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to employ Mr. Pyfelvie in any other than his Medical Capacity-

Having referred to the Medical Board at this Presidency, the papers enclosed in your letter of the 24th June, I have the honor to enclose the extract from the proceedings of that Board by which the Honorable the Governor in Council will observe that the representation of the Medical Storekeeper at Bombay is not founded with respect to the time of communicating to the Medical Gentlemen serving in the Province of Malabar the regulations of this Presidency for the supply of Country medicines.

Fort St. George I have the honor &c &c
4th Sept. 1801. (Signed) J Webbe
Chief Secty to Govt

To

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Fort S.t George: September 1801

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To Captain P. Bruce

Deputy Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Deputy Military Auditor General transmitting Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding at Chandernaghery and desiring that the usual charges for the Carriage and public followers &c. of the Detach.t of the 1.st Battn 17.th Native Regt may be admitted up to the period of their discharge. Transmitting Copies of reports and returns from the Officers Commanding at Tricknopoly Vellour and Arcot relative to the Troops in the Service of the late Nabob of Arcot, with Copies of instructions transmitted to those Officers in consequence. Inclosing Copy of a letter with its inclosure from the Secretary at Bombay relating to the situation of the Surgeon attached to the 2.d Batt.n 2.d Regt of that establishment now serving on the Malabar.

I inclose for your information the Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding at Chandernaghery, and am directed to desire that the usual charges for the carriage, public followers, and extra expences of the Detachment of the 1.st Battalion 17.th Regiment of Native Infantry may be admitted up to the period of their being discharged according to the recommendation of Lieutenant Colonel Campbell

I transmit herewith Copies of Reports and Returns from the Officers Commanding at Tricknopoly, Vellour, and Arcot relative to the troops in the Service of the late Nabob of Arcot at the time when the Government of the Carnatic was transferred to the Company; and I also inclose Copies of the instructions transmitted to those Officers with respect to the

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payment of the arrear of Pay and allowances due to those troops with the orders of the Governor in Council for pensioning the Commissioned Officers.

I enclose for your information and guidance the Copy of a letter with its enclosure from the Secretary to the Government at Bombay relative to the Situation of the Surgeon attached to the 8th Regiment Native Infantry of that establishment now serving in the Province of Malabar.

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Signed / J. Webbe

Chief Secty to Government

Order of Council

Military Department

4th September 1801

Received the following letter from the Deputy Military Auditor General.

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The Right Honorable Lord Clive

President and Governor &c. Council

Fort St. George

My Lords.

From the Deputy Military Auditor Genl. Reports on the Additional Estimate of the Military Paymaster General transmitted to Gov. on the 25th Instant.

Having examined the additional Estimate for the current month, which accompanied a letter from the Chief Secretary to Government, under date the 26th. Instant, I have the honor to report, that the amount thereof Viz.t. Fifty nine thousand three hundred and thirty three Pagodas, Twenty four Fanams, and twenty two Cash / Pagodas 59,333. 24. 72. / is actually required by the Military Paymaster General, to answer Bills drawn on his Office by the Paymasters above the Ghauts, and to make advances and discharge Bills which have been authorized by Government

I have the honor &c. &c.

/Signed/ J. Brice
Deputy Military Auditor Genl.

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Inconsequence of the foregoing Report, Ordered that the Sum of Fifty Nine - o - Thousand three hundred and thirty three Pagodas Twenty four Fanams, and seventy two Cash - o - / Pagodas 59,333. 24. 72. / be issued from the Treasury to the Military Paymaster General on account of the additional estimate enclosed in his letter of the 24th. ultimo.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

/ Signed / J. Webbe
Chief Secretary to Govt.

Received and sent the following letters entered in Ltr. B. Nos. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10.

From Mr. John Carnegie

From Mr. Carnegie. States that he has been during Medical duty on Board His - o - Majesty's Ship Suffolk for some time past - - by order of the Government of Bengal and applies for the arrear of pay due to him.

To the Military Board. Desiring

To the Military Board.

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Returning the Sum of Pagodas 59333. 24. 72. received from the Treasury to the Military Paymaster General on account of the additional Estimate enclosed in his letter of the 24th. ultimo.

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That the amount valuation of Military Stores, as described in an enclosed Copy of a letter from the Secretary at Columbo may be prepared for the information of His Excellency the Governor.

To the Medical Board.

To the Medical Board. Transmitting Copy of a letter from the Secretary at Bombay, relative to the Surgeon attached to the 8th Regiment Native Infantry belonging to that establishment and serving on the Province of Malabar.

To the Military Paymaster General

To Mr. Roebuck. Transmitting copy of the Deputy Military Auditor General's report on the additional Estimate forwarded by him on the 24th. ultimo.

To the Officer Commanding the Subsidiary Force at Hydrabad

To Colonel Vigors. Approving his having sent the Artillery Men whose period of Service was confined to the Presidency and informing him that the means of supplying the deficiency of Artillery with the Subsidiary force is under consideration.

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3rd Received and Sent the following

Letters entered in M.B. Nos. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15.

From Messrs. Chase Chinnery

Chinnery & Macdowall and Macdowall - apply for the usual allowances

due to Lieutenant Mayo of His Majesty's Navy

while in command of the Providence Schooner.

From Captain Stewart - States

From Captain Stuart Commanding 1/17 Battn. 7th Regt Native Infantry at Chandernagherry

that in consequence of there being no vacant quarters at Chandernagherry, he has been obliged to detain the Tents and Camp Followers, with his Detachment.

To Mr. Roebuck Desiring him

To the Military Paymaster Gfort

to advance the Sum of 300 Sonat Rupees to Mr. assistant Surgeon Carnegie of the Bengal Establishment.

To Lieutenant Colonel Close - acknowledging receipt of his letter relative to the conduct of Mr. assistant Surgeon Shuttleworth and enclosing extract of a G.O. published in consequence.

To the Resident in Mysore.

To Captain Armstrong - Permitting him

To the Commandg. officer at Chingleput

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him to make an addition to the Mess Room at Chenglepute.

6. Received the following letter

To the Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor &c. &c. &c. in Council

Fort St. George

From the agent to the Honble Company at the Cape of Good Hope. Stating that as soon as the accounts of the Recruits landed from the True Briton can be collected he will transmit the whole and draw a bill for the amount. — Enclosing the receipts of certain Officers on board that Ship for 3 Months pay advanced them by order of General Dundas.

My Lord,

His honor Major General Dundas has written by this opportunity to your Lordship fully explaining the necessity which existed of landing from the True Briton and afterwards detaining on account of their bad state of Health a number of Recruits belonging to the different Kings Regiments stationed under your Lordships Government. I have only to add that as soon as the accounts can be collected I shall transmit the whole to your Lordship and draw for the amount; and in the mean time beg leave to enclose the receipts of the Officers on board that Ship for three Months

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Pay advanced them by order of General Dundas.

Cape of Good Hope
16th July 1805.

I have the honor &c &c &c
/ signed / John Pringle
A. C. G.

Henry Hardy - Ensign 12th Regt. - £ 21. 9. 4.
Saml. Newman Esq. Surgeon 29th Do. - 36. 16. -
H. McLain Ensign 19th Regt. - - - - 21. 9. 4.
M. Shaw - Ensign 12th Regt. - - - - 21. 9. 4.
£ - - 101. 4. 0.

Sent the following Letters.

To Captain L. Hook
Secretary to the Government at
Fort William

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 6th. Ultimo and am directed to request you will acquaint the Honorable the Vice President in Council that His Excellency the Commander in Chief has been requested to take the necessary measures for procuring the Number of

Volunteers

the Secretary at Bengal. Measures have been taken for procuring the necessary number of Volunteers from the Native Cavalry on this Establishment to form a Body Guard of His Excellency the Governor General.

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Volunteers from the native Cavalry on this Establishment required for the Body Guard of His Excellency the Most Noble the Governor General.

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I have the honor &c. &c.

/Signed/ J. Webbe

Chief Secty to Government.

To Lieutenant General Stuart.

President &c. Members of the

Military Board

Gentlemen,

Para 1.

We have received your letters of the 21st. & 25th. ultimo with their enclosures

2d.

Under the circumstances stated by the Superintendant of the Stud, we are convinced that the expence of furnishing Grain for the use of the Stud must have been enhanced by the importation of that article from distant places by Sea, and as the rate of feeding the Stud must ordinarily have been calculated by Captain Evans's according to the frivolent price of Grain in the District

of

To the Military Board
Under the circumstances
stated by the Superin-
tendant of the Stud
he is allowed to
charge in his accounts
the difference between
the prices of Grains
as established by
Government and the
actual expence
incurred. The Com-
mander in Chief
has been requested
to select an officer
qualified for the duties
of Assistant to the
Superintendant & Go.
has been pleased
transferring to the
service of the Stud two
Men from each troop
of Native Cavalry.
Payment has been
authorized of the
several Bills and
advances of money
recommended by
them. Having no
intention to dispatch
the Lord Thinlaw to
the Northern Ports,
other Tonnage must
be engaged for the
Conveyance of the
Military Stores in-
tended for the Sub-
sidiary force.

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of Ganjam, We authorize and direct that the —
difference between the fixed rate of price established
by us and the actual expence incurred by Captain
Evans shall be charged in the accounts of the Superin-
=tendant of the Stud.

3d " We concur in your opinion and
in that of the Superintendant relative to the expe-
=diency of appointing an Assistant; and have re-
=quested the Commander in Chief to select an Officer
of the army qualified to discharge the duties of that
Station.

4th " We have authorized by a General
Order that two Men from each troop of Native —
Cavalry shall be transferred to the Service of the Stud
and borne as Supernumeraries on the Strength of the
different Regiments.

5th " We have authorized payment of
the Several bills and advances of Money recom-
=mended by you.

6th " Having no intention to dispatch
the

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The Lord Thurlow to the Northern Posts, or to Bengal

me desire that you write engage as few tonnage for

the conveyance of the Military Stores destined for the

use of the Subsidiary force at Hydrabad.

Fort St. George We are - &c. &c.

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Council

Sent the following Letters enclosed on

M. B. N. 16. 17. 18. 19.

To the Secretary to Bombay

To Mr. Richards - a passport -

has been granted to Colonel Pepé Commanding a

Brigade of Travancore troops, permitting him to -

proceed to Bombay on his way to Europe by Land.

To the Officers Comg the field Detachts in the Southern Provinces

To Lieutenant Colonels Agnew and

Innes - Enclosing extract from the Presidents -

Minute, and informing them that payment has

been ordered of the table allowance of 300 Pagodas

p. month therein recommended

To Colonel S. Pepé

To Colonel S. Pepé - Enclosing a

passport for his proceeding to Bombay -

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To Colonel Marlinz approving

To the Command.t
at Ramnad.

his zeal and the spirited conduct of Lieutenant —
Miller in effecting the relief of Comery.

Sent the following Letters.

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To Captain L. Flook

Secretary to the Government at

Fort William.

To the Lieut.t in the Military Depart.t at Fort William. Enclosing an embarkation Return of the Bengal Artillery &c.a embarked on the Wellesley for Calcutta, with a Statement of the Provisions sent on Board for their use during the voyage. The Master of the Transport has engaged to convey this detail to Fort William for the sum of 3000 Pags. which has accordingly been paid to him.

Sir,

Para 1.st I am directed to request you —
will acquaint the Honorable the Vice President in
Council that the two Companies of Bengal Artillery
with their Gun Lascars and followers serving on the
East, have been embarked on the Ship Wellesley —
for the purpose of returning to Fort William.

2.d I have the honor to enclose for
the information of the Honorable the Vice President
in Council an embarkation return of the artillery;
and a Statement of the Provisions embarked for
their use during the voyage.

3.d The master of the Wellesley
has

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has engaged to convey the Artillery Lascars, and
followers to Fort William for the sum of three hundred
Pagodas without further expence to the Company:
and that Sum has accordingly been paid to him.

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) J. Webbe
Chief Secretary
to Government.

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An Embarkation Return of a Detachment of Bengal Artillery ordered to Bengal on the Ship Wellesley 5th September 1801. Commanded by Captain Tonkyns.

	Captain	Captain Lieutenant	Lieutenants	Lieutenant Fireworks &c	Sergeants	Corporals	Gunners	Drummers	Matrosses	Total.	Lascars	Lascars	Carpenter	Smiths	Lascars	Mate	Workmen	Master Attendant	Mate	Workmen	Hammermen	Sailmakers	Chiefalls	Peckallers	Head Bhuttais	Sweepers.
Total	1	1	2	1	10	10	20	34	41	84	4	8	2	200	15	30	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	8	9	9

Town Majors Office
Fort St. George
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A true Copy.

Signed M. Wilks
Town Major

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Return of Provision Stores Sent on Board the Ship Wellesley for the use of 85 Europeans, 76 Hindoos and 307 Mussulmen with their Women, for a period of 30 days proceeding to Bengal.

Biscuit	16 Double Bags weighing	Nett	Q. Md. lbs. 3. 16. 12½
Salt Beef	Europe 6 Tierces Hogsheads	and 1 Parcel	2550 lbs
Mongy Rice	132 Double Bags weighing	Nett	Qrs. Mds. lbs. 2. 97. 6½
Dholl	54	Do.	is measured 82 lbs.
Salt	11	Do.	Do. 65. 15½
Ghee	5 Jarrs 15	Do.	1 Parcel Do. 91. 8½
Cheroots	600	Do.	Do. 1 15 9
Sykee	6 Hogsheads	weighing	Nett Qrs. Mds. lbs. 3. 6. 22½
Garlick	5 Double Bags	Do.	15. 6½
Chillies	3 Bundles	Do.	15. 6½
Sugar	9 Chests	with covering	Gunnys Do. 6 9 12½
Flour	6 Double Bags	Do.	11. 14½
Mustard	1 Parcel	Do.	1. 6½

Tamarind

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Tamarind	6 Bundles & 1 Parcel Do.	3. 12. 18 1/3
Turmerick	4 Double Bags Nett.	15. 6 1/2
Arrack	1 Pipe & 1 Hogshead Containing	Gallons. Drams 127. 20
Vinegar	1 Hhd	22. 31.
Firewood		22000 Billets
Water Casks different Sizes	121 Casks Contg.	16740. Gallons
Fire places Complete		2 No.
Copper Pots		4
Scuttle Butt		10
Copper Pumps		5.
Iron Ditto		4.
Iron measures		2.
Country Scales		4 Pairs
Pounder Weights		20 Setts
Pollam Do.		2. Do.
Gallon Pots		4. Do.
Half Gallon Pots		2.
Quarter Gallon Pots		2.
Dram Cups		4.

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Steel Yards. —— —— —— —— —— 2.

Boats Cocks — —— —— —— —— 4.

Horn Lanthorns —— —— —— —— 4.

Wax Candles 1 Bag Cont.g N°106. is - 1 Maund

Curry Stone & Rollers - - - - 4 Setts

Buckets Large - - - - - - - - 10 No.

Ditto Small - - - - - - - - - 12 -

Horse Buckets - - - - - - - - 12

Mullies. - - - - - - - - - - 36.

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/ Signed / J.n Brodie
Garrison Storekeeper

A true Copy.

/ Signed / John Macleane
Secry to Milty Board

/ A true Copy. /

To the Honorable Jonathan Duncan Esqr.
Governor in Council at
Bombay

Honorable Sir

Para 1st.

We have the honor to
acknowledge

To Bombay - Acknowledg
ment of their letter
stating their intention
to send His Majesty's
78th Regt. to the Coast
the orders of the Honble
Court of Directors as
contained in the extracts
from their General letter
transmitted by the Govr
Secry & Com.rs Despatch
dated 3 Sept. as far as they
apply to the existing state
of Affairs in the Province
of Malabar and at Goa

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Acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th. ultimo informing us of your intention to send His Majesty's 74th. Regiment to this Coast.

2d. Our Secretary has communicated to the Governor in Council the extracts from the General Letter of the Honorable Court of Directors transmitted in your Secretary's dispatch of the 29th. July; and we shall be guided by the orders of the Honorable Court as far as they apply to the existing State of affairs in the Province of Malabar and at Goa.

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(Signed) J. Webbe
Chief Secretary to Government

To Lieutenant General Stuart
President &c. Members of the
Military Board.

Gentlemen.

Para 1st. The Right Honorable the Governor.

To the Military Board.
The intention of despatching the Ships Asia and Mary to the Red Sea having been relinquished, the Special agent will be directed to transfer Stores and Provisions for the use of the Troops at the Molucca Islands. The Garrison Storekeeper to be therefore restrained from purchasing for the use of the Troops at those Islands any unnecessary articles of supply.

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Governor in Council having relinquished the intention dispatching the Ships Asia, and Mary to the Red Sea has resolved to appropriate the Stores and Provisions now in the possession of the Special Agent to the Service of the Molucca Islands; His Lordship in Council therefore desires that the Garrison Store Keeper may be restrained from purchasing for the use of the Troops at the Molucca Islands any unnecessary Articles of Supply

2d.

The Special Agent will be directed to communicate to the Military Board the amount of Stores and Provisions now in his possession, and to embark them on the Ships to be engaged for the conveyance of the Provisions to Amboyna.

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1801.

I have the honor &c. &c.
(Signed) J. Webbe
Chief Secty. to Government.

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To Lieutenant General Stuart

President & Mrs. Members of the

Military Board

Gentlemen,

To the Military Board. Communicating instructions for the disposal of the Military Stores belonging to the late Government of the Carnatic - the Pass and Fortresses recently transferred to the Honble Company to be destroyed after the Stores shall have been removed - It being the intention of Government that Ingalee, Nellore, Amboor, Polygar and Arnee shall be destroyed, such of the Military Stores remaining at those Stations as may be worth the expence of transportation to be removed -

Para 1st - In consequence of the late arrangement for the purpose of transferring to the Honorable Company the entire Civil and Military Government of the Carnatic the Officers Commanding the different provinces have been ordered to report to the Military Board the Quantity and quality of such Military Stores as may be found in the possession of the Officers of the late Government.

2d. It is probable that a great portion of these Stores will be found to be in a State unserviceable and therefore not with the expence of transportation to any established Arsenal. All such Stores including Cannon the Governor in Council directs you to destroy, and with respect to such portion of the Stores

as

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as it may be deemed advisable to apply to the Company's Service. His Lordship desires that they may be immediately transported to the nearest Garrison.

3d.

The Governor in Council considers it to be inexpedient to retain any of the posts or forteresses recently transferred to the Honorable Company and directs that immediate means may be used for the effectual destruction of them after the Stores shall have been removed.

4th.

The Governor in Council also directs that such of the Military Stores, remaining at Angole, Nellour, Amboor, Tiagar, and Arnee as may be with the expense of transportation may be removed, It being the intention of His Lordship that those places shall be destroyed and relinquished as Military Posts.

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I have the honor &c &c &c

/ Signed / I. Webbe
Chief Secretary to Govern.t

To Lieutenant Colonel Corner
Special Agent.

Sir,

To the Special agent
The destination of the Ships Asia and Mary having been altered the Stores and provisions intended for the Cargoes of these Ships to be appropriated to the use of the Moluccas Islands: he will therefore communicate to the Military Board, the quantity and Quality of Stores now in his possession. The Water and Wood to be transhipped from the Asia and Mary to the Prince.

Para 1st. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council having altered the destination of the Ships Asia, and Mary, I am directed to desire that the Stores and provisions intended for the Cargoes of those Ships may be appropriated to the use of the Troops at the Molucca Islands, you will therefore communicate to the Military Board the quantity and Quality of Stores now in your possession, and you will be prepared to embark such portion of them as may in consequence be appropriated to this Service.

2d. The Water, and Wood, being unnecessary for the Service at the Moluccas, it will be advisable that in communication with

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with the Commissary of Prisoners, these Articles should be transhipped from the Asia, and Mary to the Prince.

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Sam. Webbe
Chief Secty to Government

To Captain P. Bruce

Deputy Military Auditor General

Sir.

Para 1st

I enclose for your information and guidance extract from a Minute by the Right Honorable the Governor, and am directed to desire that you will authorize payment to be made of the allowance of three hundred Pagodas per. month each to Lieutenant Colonels Agnew, and James Innes, during the period of time they have commanded separate Detachments of the Army in the Field.

2d.

I enclose extracts from letters from

To the Deputy Military Auditor General. Enclosing extract from a Minute by the President and desiring him to authorize payment of the allowance of 300 Pags. per. Month each to Lieut. Col. Agnew and Innes during the period of time they have commanded separate Detachments in the field. To authorize payment of the several Bills and Advances of Money recommended in the enclosed Extracts from letters from the Military Board. The Officer Commanding has been authorized to make the necessary addition to the Mess room at Chinglepat. Enclosing Copies of 3 letters from the House of Chase & Co and desiring him to authorize payment of the established Batta to the Naval Officers therein mentioned. Mr. Eugene Roem to draw the amount of the Pension lapsed by the death of Captn. Le Vesconte.

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from the Military Board dated 21st. & 25th. ult.o
Ultimo. and am directed to desire that you
will authorize payment of the several bills
and advances of Money therein recommended.

3d. The Offic. Commanding
at Chengleput has been authorized to make
such addition as may be required to the Mess
Room for the accommodation of the Gentlemen
Cadets.

4th. I enclose copies of three letters
from the House of Chase & Co. and am directed
to desire that the Naval Officers therein men-
tioned may be permitted to draw the established
batta according to their warrants.

5th. The Governor in Council
permits Mr. Eugene Perron French Prisoner of
war at Pondicherry to draw the amount of the
pension, which lapsed by the death of Captain
Le Vasser from the period of time when the
Offic. of Police at Pondicherry was
Suppressed

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Suppressed.

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Sam 8 a.m. 8 p.m.

/ Signed / J. Webbe
Chief Secretary to Government

To the Editor of the Madras Gazette.

To the Editors of the Madras Gazette and Courier. Prohibiting them from publishing any of the Military Orders of this Establishment without express authority or any account of the strength of the several Corps, or of the situation of the Corps.

You are hereby prohibited from Printing and publishing any of the Military orders of this Establishment, which shall be issued by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, or by the Commander in Chief excepting such may be sent for publication under the signature of the Secretaries of Government.

You are also prohibited from Printing and publishing, in any Army List, Book, or Pamphlet, or in any shape whatever an account of the numbers or strength of the several Corps of the Army, or of the Disposition or situation of Corps, unless you shall have obtained the particular permission of Government for so doing.

You

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You are desired to acknow-
-ledge the receipt of this Letter.

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor in Council.

Fort St. George / Signed / J. Webbe.
7th September 1801. Chief Secretary to Govt.

The same to the Editor of the Madras Courier.

To Lieutenant Colonel Marley
Commanding in the District of
Ganjam.

To the Officer Commanding
in the District of
Ganjam. The sentence
of the Court on the Trial
of Thanna, to be
carried into execution.

Sir,

I have received your letter of the
19th ultimo with the proceedings of the Court on the
Trial of Thanna, and am directed by the Right
Honorable the Governor in Council to desire that
the Sentence of the Court may be carried into
execution at such time and place as you may
appoint.

Fort St. George Jam 8th 1801
7th September 1801 / Signed / J. Webbe
Chief Secretary to Govert.

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To Mr. Richard Hinchant

Resident at

Cuddalore

Sir

To the Resident at Cuddalore. His conduct in interfering on a point not cognizable by his authority highly irregular. He will in future confine himself to the duties of procuring the Invest-ments & he will cause to be released the persons he has irregularly confined

Para 1st

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22d. ultimo his Lordship considers your interference by means of an armed Force in the Country totally subject to His Highness the Nabob of the Carnatic, on a point not at all cognizable by the authority vested in you; to have been highly irregular.

2d.

The Governor in Council is pleased to order and direct that you carefully refrain in future from the exercise of any discretionary stretch of power whatever and confine yourself to the duties of providing the investment, It being the intention of His Lordship that the duties of the police shall be administered by the Collector until a Court of Judicature shall be appointed.

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3d. You will immediately cause to be released the persons whom you have there irregularly and unwarrantably confined.

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Jam. &c. &c.

/Signed/ J. Webbe.
Chief Secretary to Government.

To Lieutenant Colonel Mc Neile
Commanding at
Pondicherry

Sir.

Para 1st. I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor in Council, to inform you that in consequence of the circumstances stated by Mr. Eugene Perran, French Prisoner of War in his letters of the 28th ult. & 16 ult.mo, and in consideration of the favorable testimony borne to his conduct by the late Commandant at Pondichery. His Lordship has permitted him to receive the amounts of the pension lapsed by the death of Captain Le Visser from the period of

time

To the Commandt at Pondicherry allowing Eugene Perran to receive the amount of the pension lapsed by the death of Captain Le Visser from the period of time when the Office of Police at Pondicherry was discontinued — Enclosing Copy of a letter to the Commercial Resident relative to his interference in the supply of Ships for the Garrison of Pondicherry. The mode of sending Armed Men for the purpose of procuring Ships disapproved.

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time when the Office of Police at Pondicherry was discontinued.

2d. I enclose Copy of a letter written to the Commercial Resident in consequence of the representation contained in your letter of 18th ultimo relative to the interference of that Office in the supply of Ships for the use of the Garrison at Pondicherry.

3d. The Governor in Council directs that instead of sending Armed Men for the purpose of procuring Ships, the existing orders of the Governor in Council for the regulation of these supplies may be carried into execution by regular application to the Collector.

Fort St. George Sam. Ct. Dt.
7th September / Signed / J. Webbe
1801 Chief Secretary to Government

Received and dispatched the following Letters entered in Mo. B. Nos 20. 21.

From the Editor of the Madras Courier.

From Mr. Chaten. He will pray

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pay due obedience to the orders contained in letter to
hein of this date.

To. Lieutenant Colonel Campbell-
Cmd. Chandernaghery-

The Office of Audit will be authorized to admit the
charge for the public followers and Carriage of the
detachment of the 1st. Battalion 7th Native Regi-
-ment at Chandernaghery to the period of their being
discharged by his orders.—

At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor and President

Lieutenant General James Stuart

Commander in Chief.

William Petrie and

Ernst William Falloofield } Esqrs.

Tuesday the 8th Sept. 1801

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved—

Read

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Fort St. George 8th. September 1801

Read the following letter from the Military Board

To the Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor in Council. &c. &c. &c.

My Lords.

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We have had the honor to receive Letter from the Chief Secretary to Government under date the 22d. August and letter from the Secretary to Government in the Public Department dated 25th. August, and have in consequence issued the requisite orders to the Superintendent of the Stud, and the Garrison Storekeeper at the Presidency.

2d.

We think it necessary on the subjects of the former letter to submit to the decision of your Lordships in Council, the propriety of its being decided by order, whether the castration of the Colts produced from the Stud shall be performed with the knife, or by the process of squeezing, as practised in India, the former being

From the Military Board acknowledging receipt of letter from the Chief Secretary to Government of the 22d August and letter from the Secretary to the Public Department of the 25th August and reporting that the necessary orders have been issued in consequence to the Superintendent of the Stud, and the Garrison Storekeeper at the Presidency.

That the mode of castrating the Colts to be adopted in the Stud, should be decided and even the preference to be given to the knife or squeezing. A letter from the Commissary of Stores in charge of the Arsenal explaining some of the causes of the deficiency of Military Stores on board the Wellesley, and of the apparent irregularity with which they were ordered and received. Recommending payment of a Bill of the Officer Commanding the Ryacotta for procuring Military Stores from Dindigul to that Station. Statement of Damaged and Unserviceable Articles of Provision Stores. Recommending the disposal of the Articles.

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at all times hazardous, and frequently precarious
in its effect; and the latter not only certain in effect
but unattended with Risk in the operation.

3d. We inclose for the information
of your Lordships in Council, Copy of a letter addressed
to us by the Commissary of Stores in charge of the
Arsenal at the Presidency, in consequence of our
having communicated to that Officer your
Lordships orders for the institution of an enquiry
into the causes of the deficiency of Military Stores on
board the Wellesley, as well as into the apparent
irregularity with which the Stores were embarked
upon which latter point we deem it proper to
remark that the embarkation did not take place
under the direction of the Military Board.

4th We enclose and recommend pay-
ment of a Bill of the Officer Commanding at
Ryacottah, amounting to Pagos as 10 ℔ 2 16
being the expence incurred for the removal of
the Serviceable and repairable Military Stores

From

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From Darampory to Pyacotah, preparatory to the evacuation of the former place.

5th.

We transmit Statement of the damaged and unserviceable Articles of Provision Stow, and Article connected therewith, remaining at the Presidency, and at the different out Stations on the 30th. april last: and beg leave to recommend that the immediate disposal thereof by public auction may be authorized.

We have the honor. &c. &c.

Fort St. George
28th. August
1808

/Signed/ James Stuart
" Jn. Richardson
"

The Secretary to the Military Board

Sir,

I wrecipt to your letter of the 18th. Instant, transmitting mercopy of Correspondence respecting a deficiency of Stores landed from the Wellesley Transport at Bombay; I have to State the following particulars for the information of the

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the Board, in explanation of the causes of the apparent irregularity with which the Stores were embarked at this Presidency.

That the Conductor / Mr. Sinclair / who I nominated to superintend the packing of the Camp Equipage and Stores in December last, for the Expedition, after having seen the whole completed, and part of them shipped on the Rockingham, was appointed by Government to the victualling Department, as Deputy Commissary of Grain and Provisions; in consequence, the late President of the Military Board desired me to select another conductor for the Magazine.

That the Conductor / Mr. Dennison / from at Bombay / to whom the charge was given, I could not allow to open all the Packages which remained after the Rockingham had sailed, to take an inventory of their contents, as Government had directed that the Stores should be held in readiness to be shipped on the Wellesley at the shortest

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Police Mr. Dennesons, however was furnished with Lists thereof.

That the deficiency of the Offices Tent Flys happened at Madras by a Boat upsetting in the Surf going off to the Buckinghamshire of 20 Bags, Mostly new accounted, those lost could not be replaced from the Arsenal, the Ship being in so much confusion from the badness of the weather, and other causes, to allow of the Bags which were saved being examined, to determine the contents of the missing ones

That with respect to Captain Gordons Statement "of the embarkation of the "Stores having taken place in the Night" and "that the Boats went off without Chits and "cleared themselves for the sake of expedition" &c. and to assure, that the former was in part "said Government having yesterday that "to perform the business, and with a pro- "tion also, that the Ships should be despatched

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night, but that letter is altogether erroneous, as I have in my profession Boat Notes signed by the Chief Officer on Board, for every Package sent off, with the exception alone of one Bundle of Rattan Baskets of 25 in Number/

Fort St. George /signed/ T. Clarke
24th August 1801. Commissary of Stores

A true Copy
/signed/ J. Macleane
Secry. to Military Board

Resolved to direct the Military Board to authorize the Superintendant of the Stud to conduct the castration of the Colts in the manner which may appear most expedient and safe in his judgement.

Resolved to authorize the disposal by public auction of the unserviceable Provisions and Stores, at the Presidency and out Stations on the 30th April last.

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To the Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor in Council &c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military Board. Forwards the various papers — enumerated in the Proceedings of Embankment at Masulipatam. Encloses Copies of Capt. Caldwell's Correspondence on this subject & states their opinion that the Work &c. should be undertaken without delay.

We have the honor to forward Plan, Sections, Elevations, &c. &c. and an Estimate of the Expence which will be necessary for the restoration of the embankment at Masulipatam which was injured by the severe Storms that happened on the 28th. October 1800 — We also forward Copies of the Correspondence of Captain Caldwell upon this Subject, which led to a Reference directing Ensign Ravenshaw to prepare the plan &c. which we now submit for your Lordships Consideration —

2d.

Upon a full consideration of the Circumstances which have been stated to us in consequence of the enquiries we had instituted, conformably to your Lordships orders of the 21st. January last, with a view "to ascertain the "causes which have destroyed the last embank-"ment in relation to its future probable "permanency

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"permanency, as well as the effects which have
"been produced upon the general salubrity of
"that Post, since the first construction of the
"embankment" we feel no hesitation in giving
it as our decided opinion that the restoration of
the embankment, according to the accompanying
plan should be authorized without delay. and we
are further of opinion that the immediate necessity
of this work is strongly proved, independent of
other considerations, by the Contents of the letter of
the Officer Commanding Masulipatam, dated the
23d. august and the letter of the Engineer at that
Station dated 17th. august, Copies of which we have
the honor to enclose.

3d. We beg leave to recommend
Payment of the following advances of Cash.

No 1. An advance of Pag. das 1629.
to the Garrison Store Keeper at the Presidency on
account of the Provision of articles of Military
Stores indented for by the Commissary of Stores at
the

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the Presidency, under authority from the Military Board.

No 2 An advance of Pagodas 5000 on account of the purchase of Provision Stores ordered to be embarked on the Princess Charlotte for Amboyna.

No 3. An advance of Pagodas 2146.30 to the Commercial Resident at Salem on account of the Provision of Camp Equipage.

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We have the honor &c &c

/ Signed / I Stuart

Jno Richardson

To Captain MacLane

Secretary to the Military Board

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith an address to the Military Board from Captain Calvert of Engineers containing his report on the causes which have principally contributed to the injuries lately sustained by the embankment

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at Masulipatam and the mode in which they can be most advantageously repaired so as to ensure their future probable permanency.

I have made the most particular Enquiries of several intelligent Inhabitants of the Fort and Pettah of Masulipatam, and also from other Persons whom I thought capable of affording me information respecting the Effects which has been produced upon the general Salubrity of the Fort and its environs since the construction of the embankments.

From the information I have thus obtained I think I may venture to give a decided opinion that the most beneficial consequences have resulted from the construction of the Dikes. The Country around the Swamp has been rendered more healthy and the Inhabitants have been much less afflicted by Sickness than formerly.

The late inundation by damaging

The

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the banks and over flowing the swamps has been
the cause of many malignant disorders which
have raged with most violence in the Fort, but I
have great pleasure in adding that the sick of the
European Regiment have experienced much
benefit from being removed to the Cantonment
near the Pettah.

Masulipatam
20th. February
1801.

/Signed/ Ur. Vigors
Colonel Commanding the Northern
Division.

A true Copy.

/Signed/ I. Macleane
Secty. Milty. Board.

Major General Brathwaite
President &c. &c. Members of the
Military Board.

Gentlemen.

In conformity with the orders
which I have had the honor to receive from
your Board thro' the Commanding Officer of the
Northern Division of the Army, I have
proceeded

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proceeded to Masulipatam for the purpose of —
inspecting the embankments executed by the —
late Mr. Topping with a view towards enabling
myself to submit opinions regarding the causes
which have contributed to the injuries lately —
sustained and the mode in which they can be —
most advantageously repaired so as to ensure their
future probable permanency.

In reply to the causes of the
failure of these works this must be attributed
wholly to the concurring Circumstances of the —
powerful Gale from the North East quarter opera-
ting with the rising Tide which brought a Sea
into the Bay of Masulipatam so far above its
ordinary level accompanied by an impetuous Surf
that the face of the Country was totally inundated
and all swept before it. — the water rose considera-
bly above the Crest of the Glacis and was three
feet deep in the Gateway of the Fortress — the —
Vessels in the River were irresistibly floated —

Several

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several Miles inland and upon the return
of the Tide left high and dry upon the cultiva-
-ted Flats, the judicious mode in which the
Embankments were constructed with ample
exterior Slope and composed of strong clay well
beaten was such that they withstood the power-
-ful operation of the beating waves for a consi-
-derable time sustaining the great shocks of the
Inundation and thereby checking its force towards
the Pettahs, until the Sea ran above their sur-
-face, when a general failure occurred, shortly after
which the Tide fortunately turned and consequently
a decline of the waters took place; under these
circumstances I conceive the Board will readily
judge that no work of a similar nature with
the embankments could possibly stand, and that
under a like visitation no future Plans which
may be adopted can be ensured, I am however
inclined to conceive that it may be admitted
as a well founded opinion that powerful

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causes and Effects to the extent of what lately occurred are not to be again expected, as by a — minute enquiry which I have made amongst the oldest Inhabitants of the place, I cannot find that Masulipatam has ever before sustained a like Calamity, upon this ground therefore I take upon me to recommend the restablishment of these works, the beneficial effects of which have been so extensively felt in respect to the salubrity of the place, upon which subject the more general information which is obtained by the Commanding Officer of the Division under I have no doubt enable him to furnish ample evidence to the Board.

For the better elucidation of the extent of the damage I beg leave to submit the accompanying outline to the Board whereby they will perceive that the Embankment is composed of three parts, namely, the centre, the Gilbrondendy and the Carnicde Banks; by an

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Examination of the works I find that the principal failure has occurred with the Carnicie Dike which is much the shortest of the three and which may be considered as almost entirely swept away, the Sand Drains A A which were formerly of great height and acted as a secure defence against the Sea have been in a great degree shifted and the face of the Land altogether attend, — the two Main Banks Gilkreendy and the western have sustained far less damage than the Carnicie, these being considerably more than half of them still remaining, and the Sand which the beating surf has eaten and washed down has settled at the foot of the Dikes and formed a secure Base for securing a new Crowning, whereby they will be rendered much more secure and durable than in their original construction. — The Sluice drain B composed of two arches in the Gilkreendy Bank has sustained partial injury one of the two

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wings having given, at the same time the arches have not failed and the Body of the work is secure; the other sluice drain C. composed of one arch in the western Bank is unsecured.

In the repair of these works the most material objects for consideration is the Cannicul Bank and the spot A. A. formerly occupied by the high Sand downs, as in this course of the Dikes the Soil for excavation is in many places unfavourable, being principally composed of Sand, there are however many partial spots adjacent abounding in stiff clay which may be taken advantage of, provided a vigid Superintendance is given to the Tanks Diggers while the work is under execution this Bank although its height is not great will require a substantial profile not less than 50 feet at the Base, by the levels which I have taken it appears that although the Sand Hills are removed still the Ground remains high and a great accommodation is daily

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taking place, and as the same causes which originally contributed to form this range of Downs still prevail I am inclined to be of opinion that a short period will re establish them, in their present state and as the partial spots will require considerable attention where the Ground is not favorable the land of the Sea.

The Gilkindendy and western Duties as I have above observed have much of the old Work remaining which has settled into a substantial Base that will require a new crowning to be brought about 18 Inches above the surface of the Masonry of the Sluice Doors, which may be considered as a general level for the whole Embankment, this point must be particularly attended to as the Tank Diggers are exceeding irregular and rude in their work and require the constant check of the levelling Instrument in the execution of extensive Embankments where a deviation from the true Level

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is of much importance and its error imperceptible but by this Process.

During the heavy falls of Rain in the great Monsoon a considerable descent of the land waters takes place and forms an extensive Inundation upon the Swamp whereby the communication with the Fort is rendered difficult in consequence of the decay of the Pettah causeway, I would therefore recommend that one additional Arch be given to the Giltendendy Sluice Drain, and to the Western two, which will provide more amply for the discharge of the Land waters; this I beg leave to submit to the Board as an improvement of the original Plan and not a consequence of the late failure.

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Masulipatam I have the honor &c &c
17th February Signed J. L. Caldwell
1801. Capt.n Lieut.t of Engineers

A true Copy

Signed John Macleane
Secy to Military Board

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The Secretary to the Military Board

Sir

You will receive herewith for the information of the Board, a letter from Captain Caldwell of Engineers, wch he has to inform of the 9th Instant, requesting of him to send Plans, Sections, and probable expence to the Board, of the works recommended by him to be performed at this place.

Masulipatam 19th March 1801

I have &c
Signed J Bell
Major Commandg

A true Copy
Signed John Macleane
Secty Military Board

To Major Bell

Commanding the Fort and Garrison of Masulipatam

Sir,

I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th Instant, &

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conveying the directions of the Military Board for
my forming plans, Sections and Estimates of the
proposed Works at Masulipatam.

I beg leave respectfully to represent
to the Board that in the performance of this duty
I feel myself called to a Service the fulfilment of
which I have much apprehension cannot be accom-
plished under the present circumstances of my situation
either with justice to the Company or credit to myself;
under consideration of the following causes the
Board will I trust see that the execution of these
works so immediately attached to the Garrison of
Masulipatam cannot be performed by any person
with the convenience or advantage which the
Officer holding the Station must be capable of the
Arsenal of a Maistries, European overseer, with other
parts of the Establishment joined to a well regulated
work yard where materials are readily procured by
experienced workmen will I hope be sufficient to
evince to the Board, that in the completion of

extensive

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Sir

I have the honor to transmit herewith the Plans and Estimates which it is understood that I have to prepare and submit to Government, for the Establishment attached to my Department, and also to state in the execution of the measurements and the other Minutes and details

3 which will accompany the Estimates, the Board's towards relieving me from the formation of Plans

Orphans Draughtsmen, or Establishment attached to my Department, and also to state in the execution of the measurements and the other Minutes and details

which can alone be expected from his having experienced and trust worthy Masters and Servants under his Orders who from their long practice and public Station feel a certain degree of responsibility attached to themselves which must greatly relieve him in respect to urged and hourly superintendance

The consideration of these circumstances with Instructions annexed to the Board's

I have the honor to be Sir

Your most obedient Servant

Colin Mackenzie

Surveyor General

To the Secretary to the Board of Revenue

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requisite, which my various avocations at the present moment would render necessary; the Officer of the Station enjoying these advantages and being alone acquainted with the resources of his Situation and to what extent they may be applied towards the Public advantage, will I hope be found best enabled to submit this information for the benefit of the Service and to the satisfaction of the Board.

Bauptellah
March 17th 1801

/Signed/ I Caldwell
Capt.n Lieutenant of Engineers

A true Copy.

/Signed/ John Macleane
Secretty Military Board.

To Major I Bell
Commanding
Masulipatam

Sir,

I am favored with your letter of the 2d Instant with the accompanying Extract from the Military Board in reply to which I beg leave to observe that at the present moment the duties of my

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my Revenue appointment keeps me wholly employed at a great distance from Masulipatam, being about to undertake the execution of works of much importance which require my immediate personal attendance, and upon which the Revenue of the ensuing Season greatly depend, I am therefore under the necessity of soliciting in conformity with the Sanction of the Board which you have transmitted that the Officer of the Station be called upon to furnish the Estimates, Plans, Elevations, and Sections required.

Bayfallah
April 6th 1805.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient humble Servant
[Signed] J. Caldwell
Capt. Lieutenant of
Engineers

A true Copy.
[Signed] John Macleane
Secretary Military Board.

To the Secretary. Military Board
Madras

Sir

Your letter and enclosures of the 29th

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29th ultimo I have received and forwarded to
Captain Caldwell an Extract of that part respecting
him, whose answer I now transmit.

In the event of his declining to
furnish the Board with Plans &c. I am desired to
give the necessary instructions for their being immed-
iately prepared and transmitted by Ensign Ravin-
shaw with which I shall lose no time in complying
when made acquainted with what the Board
wish to have executed, as I am quite ignorant of
the works &c. recommended to be performed by
Captain Caldwell at this Station.

Masulipatam / Signed / J. Bell
13th April 1801. Major

A true Copy
/ Signed / John. Macleane
Secrety Military Board.

To the Adjutant to the Corps of Engineers
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the pleasure of transmitting

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Your agreeable to the instructions I have
received from the Military Board Plans &
Sections &c.a of the works, as proposed by Captain
Caldwell towards the improvement of the Sluice
Drains in the Dike at Masulipatam, as also
for repairing the damages they have sustained
accompanied with an Estimate for the same with
a Data and Price List— The Dikes are to be
raised about /3/ feet or a little more as per Estimate
which will make them /19/ Inches above their
original height as recommended by Captain
Caldwell in his report to the Military Board upon
the subject; the Ground on which the Dikes
per Plan coloured purple is to be raised, is con-
siderably higher than the Adjacent Ground B.B.
but still there are several low Spots as per Plan
A.A.A where the Sea broke over in the late
Storm, I have therefore proposed carrying a new
Dike from E to the foot that of Gollendoody
bringing the lock to the same height as the

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latter Bank is not finished, which will make upon an average about /5/ Feet elevation, in so doing it will make one entire Range from Carnicoe to the Fort with exception of the high Spot It as per Plan No 1/3/ having one general level throughout. — For consequence of the Banks being raised /18/ Inches above the Crown, or Top of the Sluice Drains, it will be necessary to raise the Sluices also, which is proposed to be executed, by erecting a Parapet Wall on each side, two Feet high, and the Space between filled up with Clay, See Elevation 22. Plan No /1/ whereby the Crown of the Sluices will be Six Inches above the Top of the Bank, this additional /6/ Inches will be necessary, as when the Sluices are Built, the Bank should be more substantial and high than in any other place, whereby the Masonry will be secured against any future accidents, as the Bank being now substantial at the Sluice

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it will rather give at any other place — On the
East of the Sluice Drain in Gilkindy Dike,
there is a Breach as per Plan No /3/ C of about
/30/ yards broad and about /15/ feet Standing
water, which will require considerable trouble
in Bailing out, after the Temporary Dam B is
made, in order to get at the Foundation of the
work, which I have Estimated for accordingly.
This Sluice has been injured by being out the
arches per Red Line in Plan, carrying away
one wing, and considerable part of the Arch
which cannot with safety be repaired without
turning the whole Arch again which I have
proposed doing; There is some difference in the
Price of each Cubic foot of Brick work from the
Data I have recently received from the Engineer
Office at the Presidency, which arises from the
proportion of Lime Brick, Dust with Coaly fire
to Pound it, the former if it can be procured in
sufficient Quantity is better than the latter, which

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I have mentioned in the Estimate, I have added this in consequence of the strong recommendation I received from Captain Caldwell, it being a great addition towards the Stability of the work, and which I trust will meet with the approbation of the Military Board, I have estimated to give both old and new work one good Coat of Plaster made of the same Mortar. — The Estimate for raising the Dikes is at /30/ Cubic yards for a Mar Pagoda which includes Cooley Beaters and wooden Rammers the process of this work is executed thus, one course of Clay about /18/ Inches thick is first laid on which is beat down to about one Foot and so on until Completed. You will observe there are now only two Water Vents or Arches in Gil-=Rendy Sluice, and only one in the Western Sluice, when the improvements are made there will be in each Sluice three Water Vents or Arches.

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27th July 1801

/Signed/ Wm. Ravenshaw
Engr. & Engineers

A true Copy
/Signed/ John Macleane
Secy Mily Board.

Estimate for Repairing the Dike and Masselspalon with the additional Improvements to the Sluices Drains recommended by Capt. Caldwell calculated agreeable to the present Price of the Station.

Measurements Length	Depth	Thickness	Square	Cubic Feet		Price			Total of each		Grand Total	
					Gilkendendy Sluice and Dike	Yds Dep[t]	Farthings	Cost	Yds Dep[t]	Farthings	Cost	
				4532	Plain Brickwork as p[r] Plan coloured Yellow	"	2 3/4	p[r] Cubic foot	269	10	65 1/2	
				322	ditto Do in Do as p[r] Do Do Do	"	3 1/2	p[r] Do	27	1	14 1/4	
					15 Large Wells	@ 73	Cubic Feet	p[r] Each	6 23	30	p[r] Each	98 14 50
					2 Small Do	@ 47 3/12		Do Do	3 26	60	p[r] Do	7 11 60
	32				Planking, new and Old work in Bone Gate of Chamber				1 11	46 1/2	p[r] Square	40 34 48
					84 Cast Iron for 3/4 Pegs to Removing Gate Valves				"	2	p[r] Pegrank	8 "
					1 Sett Sluice Doors 2 Inches thick @ 5 8 by 3 9				"	14 7 3/4	p[r] Superficial	7 23 7 1/4
	2 1/2			77 1/2	Drop Frames including Frame as p[r] Plan N[o] 2 Mark A				"	10 23	p[r] Cubic foot	7 15 56 1/4
					168 Lins of Boards for Flings Bolts Champers &c				1	"	p[r] 5 1/2 Lins	30 20 "
Cubic Feet 1632-9				7 3 1/2	To Raising a temporary Earthen Dam to keep of the Tide while the Masonry the execution of Work as p[r] Plan N[o] 3 Marks B B				1	"	p[r] 30 Cubic Yd	54 18 33
					30 Water Mules for 180 days				"	3	p[r] Pegrank	85 30 "
				1456 5	To Repairing the Dike namely Raising it 18 Feet as before in Plan including 18 Inches in addition to it former Height the Whole as recommended by Capt. Caldwell and Cooly him for Mules &c &c				1	"	p[r] Cubic Yard	620 6 18
				18604-12								1256 13 5 3/4

Western Sluice and Dike

Sept. 9th & 10th 1801

		4076	Plain Brick in Chunam as per Plan Coloured Yellow	—	"	2 39¾	₹ Cubic foot	242	6 7½	
		2446	Arch Do in Do as per Do Do Do	—	"	3 42⅝	per Do	20	20 38½	
		15	Large Wells — Ca 75 Cubic feet ₹ Each	—	6	23 30	per Each	98	14 30	
		2	Small Do — Ca 47½ Do Do	—	3	26 60	per Do	7	11 40	
	25⅞		Plastering new and old towork with one Coat of Chunam		1	11 46½	₹ Square	2	2 05 7/8	
		156	Coolymen for 2 Days to removing Old Wall		"	2 "	per Day Each	3	14 "	
		2	Teak Wood Doors 2 Inches thick Each 6 — — by 3 — 9		"	14 73¾	₹ Superficial	13	4 8 3/4	
	45									
		15 13/16	Door Frames including Frames as ₹ Plan № 2 Marked C		"	40 23	₹ Cubic foot	15	7 3¾	
			320 Sers of Brass for Hinges Bolts Chamfers &c		1	" "	₹ 3¼ Sers	60	40 "	
43/3	6	Cubic Yards & Feet 325	To Raising a Temporary Earthen Dam to keep off the Effects of the Tides during the execution of the works as ₹ Plan № 3 Marked D		1	" "	₹ 30 Cubic Yds	10	35 "	
2905	5:2	22096-22⅜	For opening the Dike Namely Raising 1st 5 Feet 8 Inches 2d 2 Feet 2 Inches Excavation in Ranson Lining 18 Inches in addition to all formerly Weighted as Plan &c Coolymen ₹ Day		1	" "	₹ 30 Lbs	736	23 44	
								1245	60 23⅞	

Carmeedee Dike № 1

1078	9	32340	To Raising new solo Dike being entirely destroyed shewing 9 Feet in Height as ₹ Plan Coloured Yellow ₹ Section Do with Coolymen for Beating &c		1	" "	₹ 30 Lbs	"	" "	1078 "

Carmeedee Dike № 2.

1106	8	12288.24	To Raising a new Dike from A to the extremety of Gilchrenoy Dike being upon an average 5 Feet in Height as ₹ Plan Coloured Purple and Section Do with Coolymen for Beating &c		1	" "	₹ 30 Lbs	"	" "	409 26 36

Grand Total Star Pagodas — 3990. 1 3/16

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27th July 1801

A true Copy.
(Signed) John Macleane
Secy to Mily Board

(Signed) Wm Ravenshaw
Engr Engineers.

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Extract from a Letter from the Officer Commanding at Masulipatam to the Secretary to the Military Board dated 28th August

"I have to request that you will lay before the Military Board, the accompanying "letter from Ensign Ravenshaw."

"I beg leave to observe that I "examined the Causeway myself before the Flood "came down that the work was good, and perfectly "agreable to the Report of the Committee which "sat thereon. that the present damage has solely "arisen from the Dykes not being repaired, which "I had likewise examined. From the Reports of "the Inhabitants of this place the Flood has not "rose so high as this year, for Nine years before "All the Lascars and — " Criminals are employed repairing the — " Causeway.

I have &c

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A true Extract.

/Signed/ John Macleane

Secty Milty Board.

To Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers

Commanding at

Masulipatam.

Sir,

I take the earliest opportu-

nity of seno of reporting to you the Damages

the Pettah Causeway has sustained by the

late freshes of the Weilna River, which came

down on the 9th. Instant with an uncommon

degree of velocity, and to an unusual Height,

rising upon an average /4/ feet water, upon

the Swamp, which being higher than the

Pettah Causeway it pitches over, and has

caused two Breaches, cutting thro the Water-

course, and distroyed some Pipes, extent

damages measuring Yards /287/. The con-

sequence that may happen from delaying

the

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the immediate Repairs of the above from
the expected heavy Rains, may cause a very
great and heavy expence to Government - I
therefore have to request you would be pleased to
order as many Lascars from the Garrison as
can possibly be spared for the immediate exe-
cution of the work, which I will undertake
to do without any additional expence to Govern-
ment, I think in about 15 or 20 days -
with the Lascars in Garrison, the Road may
be reinstated - The cause of the Water encroach-
ing upon the Road, arises from the imperfect
State of the Western Dike / had it been other-
wise it would have entirely prevented this
accident, which it first cut thro, and the
Pettah causeway then being the first object
that retarded it's progress, has the whole weight
of this great Body of water to dart in, which
it did, in every respect until the Water dim-
inished it, there being no water at this time
on

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on the opposite Side of the Road, the Waves —
driving over with some descent, gradually —
plough'd it up, in that manner it was work-
-ing for six days before the Water began to fall —
when it discharged itself into the Sea with so —
strong a Current that no work of the kind —
could have resisted its effects — I have thought
proper to say so much in explanation of the —
failure of the Road, having had the Superinten-
-dence of the late Repairs myself, and which
I trust will exculpate me for want of atten-
-tion in the due execution of the same, or your
representing the Case to the Military Board, I
beg leave to remark that the Road when repair-
-ed, will not be secured from similar accidents
until the Dikes have been properly reinstated —

Masulipatam /Signed/ Wm. Ravenshaw
17th. August 1801. A true Copy Engineer
/Signed/ John Macleane
Secty. Military Board.

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As the Board agrees in the opinion stated by the Military Board of the beneficial consequences to be derived from the repair of the embankment at Masulipatam Resolved to direct that immediate orders may be issued for that purpose.

Resolved to authorize the payment of the several Bills and advances of money recommended in the foregoing letters.

The Commander in Chief lays before the Board the following Memorandum.

Memorandum.

The Commander in Chief having perused the Collection of existing orders which under the Government General Order dated the 9th September 1800 were compiled as Standing orders for the different Branches of the Military Establishment and submitted to the Board by Major General Braithwaite and having made

1st Memorandum from the Commander in Chief recommending the adoption of this compilation of orders submitted by the Deputy Adjt General of Cavalry with the intention subsequently making it a code of standing regulations for the several Branches of the Military Establishment under this Presidency - the Commander in Chief observing that the Corps of Cavalry are in consequence of the death of Majr Elliott and Lieut Col Popham and that Lieut Barnby has been appointed Majr of the 6th Regt N.C. vacant by the promotion of Capt Lieut Mount lays before the Board an application from Colonel

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Colonel Sutherland to proceed to Bombay and recommends that this request may be complied with. As soon as Colonel Thomson shall have returned to his Station likewise a letter from Lieut. Col. Ingram Senior Engineer on Survey on the Subject mentioned & Directs & recommends that the Collector may be directed to defray the expence of the Cooly &c. employed during the period of Sickness of the said Lieut. Torrans be permitted to draw the usual allowances while on that duty states the number of horses that may be required for the Cavalry Regiments on the ensuing season and recommends that they may be provided accordingly

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made such additions thereto as subsequent acts have rendered necessary in doing which another Section, the 28th. has been added is of opinion that such Compilation is well calculated to answer the purpose for which it is intended and recommends that it be accordingly established in General Orders to the Army as a Code of Standing Regulations, and Orders, for the several Branches of the Military Establishment under the Presidency of Fort St. George.

In consequence of the 2d.

decease on the 1st. Instant at Vellore of Major Elliott of the 1st. Regiment Cavalry, the Commander in Chief recommends that the undermentioned Promotion be ordered in that Corps.

1st. Regiment Native Cavalry.

Elected Captain John Dove to be Major vice Elliott deceased date of Commission September 2d. 1803.

Captain Lieutenant Davis

Fowlis

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Foulis to be Captain of a Troop vice Dowetow
date of Commission September 2d. 1801.

Eldest Lieutenant Wright to
O Donnell to be Captain Lieutenant vice
Foulis date of Commission September 2d. 1801.

Eldest Cornet John Moore
to be Lieutenant vice O Donnell date of Com-
-mission September 2d. 1801

3d. The Commander in Chief
having received a report from Colonel Gowdie
of the decease on the 19th. of May last on board
the Ship Prince William Henry of Lieutenant
Colonel Torin of the 1st. Regiment Native Cav-
-alry, recommends that the annexed promotion
be ordered in the Cavalry.

Cavalry.

Eldest Major Charles Rumley
from the 3d. Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel
vice Torin deceased, date of Commission May
20th. 1801

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3d. Regiment Native Cavalry.

Eldest Captain Alexander

Dead to be Major vice Rumley promoted —

date of Commission 20th. May 1801.

Captain Lieutenant Charles

Dallas to be Captain of a Troop vice Dead date

of Commission 20th. May 1801.

Eldest Lieutenant James

Rowles to be Captain Lieutenant vice Dallas

date of Commission 20th. May 1801.

Eldest Cornet William Cook

Campbell to be Lieutenant vice Rowles date of

Commission 20th. May 1801.

4th. The Quarter Mastership of

the 6th. Regiment Native Cavalry having

become vacant by the Promotion of Captain

Lieutenant Blunt, The Commander in chief re-

-commends that Lieutenant A. McBarnley

be appointed to succeed him in that Post.

5th. The Commander in Chief says

below

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Before the Board an application from Colonel Santonius to proceed to Bombay where he is appointed to the delineation of Chief Engineer-

This request General Stuart recommends may be complied with as soon as Colonel Stevenson shall be at liberty to return to his Station

6th Extract Literary a letter from Lieutenant Colonel Trapaud, Senior Engineer who was sent into the Salsette District to examine and report on the State of the works on the Hill of Caumbacaum and to destroy those Forts of Salsette &c. General Stuart recommends that the Collector may be directed to defray the expence of the Coolys and Tank Diggers which the Engineer may find necessary to employ daily to assist him in destroying the Fort of Salsette, and that Lieutenant Toriano of the Engineer Corps may be permitted to draw what has been usual on such occasions, the full Batta of his Rank, and Horse allowance from

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from 27th August last whilst employed on that duty

7th This being the usual period for instructing the agent to procure the number of Horses that may be required for mounting the Regiments of Cavalry next season, the Commander in Chief recommends that Captain Deas who acts for Captain Montgomery the agent, and is now at the Presidency be directed to procure five hundred and fifty Horses for that purpose agreeable to the calculation underneath.

The 19th and 25th Light Dragoons for the 2 additional Troops ordered to those Regiments 150 Horses each	300.
To remount the Casualties and Casts Horses in those Regiments and in the 7th Native Regiments of Native Cavalry allowing 50 to be mounted in Each Regt	450.
	750

Desired

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Deduct Horses coming from
Bombay supposed may be fit for } 200.
the Cavalry

Remaining to be provided
by the Agent } 550

8th Sept.r 1801. /Signed/ I. Stuart

To Lieutenant General I. Stuart
Commander in Chief &c. &c. &c.
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have received a letter from
Mr. Duncan informing me that in the
course of next Month and as early as he can
he will send a Vessel to convey me to Bombay.
I shall be anxious to avail
myself of this favorable opportunity to
proceed thither to the situation of the Chief Com-
-mander at that Presidency, to which I stand ap-
-pointed by Government and I have therefore
to solicit your permission and that of the
Government

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Government of Fort St. George.

Should the Vessel for my conveyance arrive on the Coast before Colonel Stevensons return to his Command during the probable short interval of my going away and his return, I hope there will be no objection to the next Senior Officer in these Provinces taking charge, if it should not be considered any inconvenience to the public Service.

With respect to the cracks in the Parapets of the works at Cananore which I have undertaken to repair, at the time of my departure I shall leave such instructions for completing what may remain unfinished as that the Service shall be efficiently performed for which I hold myself responsible.

Tellicherry 23d August 1801.

/Signed/ J. Sartorius
Colonel Commandg.

To.

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To His Excellency
Lieutenant General Stuart
Commander in Chief

Sir

I am sorry to be again under the necessity of troubling you, when I arrived here I understood from the instructions I received from you at Madras, that the Collector had orders to give me every assistance that I might want.

The necessity of employing a number of Coolies, and Tank Diggers to excavate the mines under the walls, which is very laborious work indeed as the foundation must be dug this and the Stones removed / is very obvious- I accordingly directed the Dumildar to procure them, and they have been at work from the 29th. and as the work encreases so much the people employed, but the Dumildar very much surprized me just now when he came he had orders

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orders to procure the people but that I was to pay them -

As you are very sensible Sir, that I have no such authority nor indeed do I wish that, either Mr. Torriano or myself should have the least concern in the payment of the people employed, I request you will have the goodness to procure an order to the Collector for paying the daily expenditure, at present we employ about 200 people daily and that the works may not stop, which I imagine would be displeasing to you, I have made myself answerable for the payment till I receive your answer, the present expence for seven days is about Pagodas 50 - - - - in all but it will increase some thing daily as the works proceeds.

Your answer as soon as possible will much oblige me.

I have the honor &c. &c.

Saluvaidoo

4th Sept. 1801 /Signed/ Elisha Trapaud

Senior Engineer -

Resolved

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Resolved and Ordered that the orders contained in the compilation alluded to in the Memorandum of His Excellency the Commander in Chief be printed and published with orders for their being considered to be the standing Orders and Regulations for the conduct of the Military Department in this Presidency.

Resolved and Ordered that the Promotions recommended by the Commander in Chief be ordered to take place.

Resolved that Colonel Sartorius be permitted to proceed to his Station at Bombay as soon as Colonel Stevenson shall have returned the Command of the forces in Malabar.

Resolved that orders be issued through the channel of the Office of Audit to the Military Paymaster of Fort St. George to provide for the payment of Charges to the several

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employed under the orders of the Chief Engineer
in the destruction of the Fort of Sateuxidoos
and the part of Cumbaeum, and that Lieu.
-tenant Toriano be permitted to draw full
Batta and horse allowance while employed on
that Service-

Resolved that Orders be issued
to the Agent for the purchase of horses to provide
five hundred and fifty horses in the ensuing
Season-

Read the following letters from
the Town Major-

To Josiah Webbe Esqr.
Chief Secretary to the Government-

From the Town Major- Forwards letter from the Officer Commanding the 1st Madras Battn. stating the necessity of certain alterations being made to the Hospital allotted for the sick of that Corps

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit a
letter addressed to me by Major Hill covering
a letter from that Officer to the Right Honble
the Governor in Council together with a represen-
-tation from the Surgeon in charge of the 1st
Madras

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Madras Battalion relative to a disease apparently contagious which prevails in that Corps.

Having inspected the Hospital in consequence of this representation it may be proper for me to remark that the appartment allotted for this purpose is the end of the barracks lowest and nearest to the River and consequently most influenced by the damp, some advantage would therefore be attained by removing the Hospital to the opposite end which would involve no other expence than the removal of a party wall and two or three Doors and windows in which case the Hospital might be rendered perfectly dry by the process practised with great success in the damp climate of Bengal of supporting the floor on a series of flues which I have understood to be attended with little expence.

If

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If besides this separate room should be considered requisite in conformity with the recommendation of the Surgeon, the gorge of the adjoining bastion furnishes an elevated situation where a small Building might be erected without detriment to the means of defence, but perhaps the immediate object of the Surgeons letter might be attained by authorizing Major Flint to erect a temporary building on the same spot covered with an arched roof with walls of the same Materials which would be furnished in two days at an expence probably not exceeding two or eight Pagodas.

I feel it my duty to observe that the crowded State in which I found the Hospital appears to me sufficient of itself to generate disease.

I have the honor &c. &c.

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7th September 1801.

[Signed] M. Wilks
Town Major

To

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To Captain Mark Wilks

Town Major.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit to you the enclosed letter which I request you will lay before the Right Honorable the Governor.

Madras. /signed/ Jos: Hill

4th. September 1801. Major 1st. Madras Battalion.

To the Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor in Council &c.

My Lord,

I have the honor to forward the accompanying representation from Surgeon Fitzgerald stating the inconvenience to which the Rooms appropriated for an Hospital in the 1st. Madras Battalion is exposed, and at the same time conjecturing at the cause of the present alarming increase of expatriation of Patients which I beg leave to lay before your Lordship

the anxiety. I naturally feel

as

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at the encrease of this evil is rendered still more
distressing by its origin remaining as yet I fear in
a great measure a matter of doubt.

A Guard was detached on Convoy
=mand to Tryore about a year ago where it re-
=mained for some time on their return a few of
the Men were observed to be afflicted with a most
virulent and malignant species of ulcers to which
the apparent similarity of many of the cases alle-
=ded to is very evident which makes me rather —
apprehend that might have been the origin of the
complaint as it was not observed before, and has
doubtless greatly spread in the Corps since that
period.

The extraordinary duty the Men
have unavoidably endured since the death of the
late Nabob may also have increased the Malady
which as Doctor Fitzgerald observes principally
prevails in the lower extremities. As to any —
Idea that may be entertained of the decrease —

arising

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arising from the Men being long out at exercise

I beg leave to observe that from all my observations

& considering the discipline and care of the Battalion

I never saw any reasons for making a conjecture of

that kind and notwithstanding the Corps for some

Months past has had less Field Exercise than at

any period during my having the honor to Com-

-mand it still the disorder has encreased.

Tho' the cause of the Complaint

seems as yet not entirely ascertained Doctor Fitzgerald

and myself have been assiduously employed in doing

every thing in our power towards mitigating its

baneful effects.

But to give any weak efficacy to

our endeavours allow me to request your Lordship's

attention to what is proposed by Doctor Fitzgerald on

the Subject after which I conceive it unnecessary for

me, My Lord to intrude any longer on your Lord-

-ship's time as it is impossible to paint in

stronger Colours the want of the proposed augmentation

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in the Hospital of the Battalion than by what Doctor Fitzgerald has so justly stated - However I cannot conclude without in Justice to myself - in saying, that my ever been unwilling to propose any expence to Government which could in the nature of things be avoided has deterred me from bringing this subject before your Lordship till necessity has now made it my indispensable duty -

Madras
3d September
1801

I have the honor &c &c &c
[signed] J. Hill
Major 1st Madras Battalion -

To Major J. G. Hill
Commanding the 1st Madras Battalion

Sir,

The number of men of the battalion under your immediate Command suffering from ulcers of the lower extremities has been for some time past so remarkable as to have caused me particular anxiety, and accordingly have

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taken every pains to arrive at a true knowledge
of the cause of this evil especially as it seems to be
confined to your individual Corps. My researches
however on the occasion have not hitherto been
very satisfactory in this respect though from the
recent circumstance of upwards of twelve patients
having been at one time received from the party
which composes the Standing Guard of the Right
Honorable the Governor, I am much disposed to
think that blame may be found imputable to
the Native Officers in not having sooner reported
the situation of those Men whose Cases are rather
of an alarming tendency.

Although I cannot with the
precision I could wish, account in a distinct
manner for the certain immediate or remote
causes of this spreading evil; yet there having
been for several Months past upwards of Fifty
Cases of bad ulcers on the daily sick Returns of
your Corps. I think it my duty to point out in

this

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this place, such other circumstances as seem to me to be required for ameliorating the condition of the sick of the Battalion in order to afford your an opportunity of making a proper representation thereof to Government.

Give me leave, therefore to state in the first place the insufficiency of the present Hospital in point of size, it is really incapable of accommodating with propriety more than thirty men and the sick List for the last 12 months has been upwards of double that number. The Hospital is also uncommonly damp especially in wet weather from the lowness of its situation, the floor not being raised above the adjacent ground whilst the collection of water, which forms itself a bed nearly on the same level, just outside the Rampart contributes by its vicinity to increase this inconvenience.

These objections may be easily remedied by raising the floor of the present Hospital

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Hospitals and building a convenient detached room
capable of holding about 30 or 40 Patients on a
better plan: The Cost of such an erection would be
a mere trifle when compared with its utility -
It would in fact be a considerable saving to
Government from the general effect it might
produce in greatly contributing to the more
speedy recovery of the Men who on the existing
State of things are confined to a Space too small
for half their number - I have particularly recom-
mended a detached room because I conceive that
all the Patients suffering from viciated ulcers
should be removed from the other sick having
no doubt, that in certain conditions of health
and disease much prudence is required in
guarding as much as possible against Contagion -
It may be also necessary
finally to remark that long continued standing
on the Ranks whether with or without much
Motion, induces in constrained positions of

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Body debility of the lower extremeties that many of the liberated Cases in your Battalion may be described to such debility is certain, from their being confined chiefly to the legs and feet, and from the general good effects of remedies of the Tonic kind I mention to give this opinion the more freely as it is connected with the salutary state of the Corps, and that I have at all times had personal observation of the Zeal and energy which ever actuate you in the ready adoption of such measures as seem likely in practice to tend materially to the advantage of the health of the Soldiers who have the happiness to be placed under your Command.

Madras
August the 31st. 1801.

I have the honor - &c &c &c
/Signed/ M. Fitzgerald
Surgeon.

Resolved that the Military - - -
Board be directed to authorize the repair requested to be necessary to the Hospital allotted to - -

the

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To the Madras Battalion

To Josiah Webbe Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Town Mayor. Requests permission to receive the usual monthly allowance for the Commander of Danish Ship who has surrendered himself a Prisoner of War.

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that a Mr. Peter Johnson late Captain of the Danish Ship Denmark has arrived from Tranquebar and surrendered himself a Prisoner of war has given his Parole of honor

I request the authority of Government to draw for him the usual monthly allowance of 60 Rupees commencing from the 13th May last being the day he was captured by His Majesty's Ship Braave at Tranquebar. Inclosed is a Petition from him addressed to Lieutenant Colonel Cullen Commanding at Tranquebar

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I have the honor &c.
Signed J. M Welsh
Town Mayor

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To the Honorable

Colonel William Cullen.

Commandg

Tranquebar.

Honorable Sir,

The under signed late Commander of the Danish Ship Denmark which were captured by the English Frigate the Braave Captain Alexander on the 13th May last past, and as permission was granted to him your humble Petitioner by the said Captain Alexander and Colonel Campbell to might stay here in consideration to assist and procure the Ships Company of the said Vessel their arrears of wages due to them, which at that time were involved by a Law Suit at this Court of Recorder, but afterwards has been settled and the Balance due to them paid off & hereby the undersigned dont find it necessary to remain any longer at this Place for that purpose he therefore takes the humble liberty to request the favor that

Your

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your Honor would be pleased to grant him a Pass port for Madras and also kindly to provide him with a Certificate about the truth of the aforementioned Circumstances as a Voucher to could produce by a most humble addrefs to the Right Honorable the Government at Madras.

Tranquebar Jremain 8th. 7br.
the 1st. September 1801 /signed/ P Sanson

I certify the truths of the above

/Signed/ William Cullen
Lieutenant Colonel Commandg.

Ordered that authority be given for the payment of the usual allowance of forty Rupees per Month to the Danish Prisoner of War above mentioned.

Read the following letter from the Officer Commanding in the District of Ganjam.

To

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To Josiah Webbe Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Officer commanding in the District of Goomsur acknowledges receipt of letter of the 1st Inst. and reports that the orders of Government relative to the Prisoners have been carried into execution and the cause of their punishment published. mentions an unsuccessful attempt to carry off the Zemindar of Goomsur. The Detach.ts stationed on that Zemindary have suffered very much by sickness tho' now enabled to make pursuits. Relief states the necessity of a fresh supply of Tents for the Bengal Troops and reports the number of sick in the Regiments.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th Instant

The orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council relative to the Prisoner have been carried into execution in different parts of the Country and the cause of their punishment. published.

Intelligence having been received that the deposed Zemindar of Goomsur had collected a small Force on the borders of that Country the Detachments there moved towards him from the want of proper intelligence they had not the good fortune to overtake him but he has been driven into the Mahratta Territories a few of our People only being wounded, the Detachments in the Goomsur Zemindary have suffered very much

by

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Sick ness.

From the tranquil state of other parts of this Province I am enabled to relieve the Detachments on duty in the Goomsur Country and I trust by a continuance of peace and obedience to Government I shall have it in my power to relieve the Troops that must be stationed there very frequently, and thereby in some measure avert the dreadful consequence that might be apprehended to the Corps from a long continuance in that Country.

The Camp Equipage of the 6th Bengal Regiment and other Corps is in so decayed a State as to render a fresh supply necessary at an early period I therefore beg leave to request that orders may be given for a supply of Tents being sent to Ganjam as I understand there are now in Store.

The number of Sick of the 6th Regiment at Head Quarters now amount to 407 and there are above 100 at the out Posts.

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Post.

Camp near Ganjam I have the honor &c &c &c

Ganjam (Signed) B. Marley

August 28th 1801. Lieutenant Colonel Commanding

the District of Ganjam.

Resolved to express to Lieutenant Colonel Marley the Boards approbation of the orders which have been issued for the distribution of the troops under his Command and that orders be issued to the Military Board for supplying the Camp Equipage required for the use of the Troops in the District of Ganjam from the Stores at Vizagapatam.

Read the following letter from the Agents and Substituted attorney of the Lord Keith.

To the Right Honorable Lord Clive &c.

Governor in Council &c &c &c

My Lord,

From the Agents and substituted Attorneys to and for the Family estates of Archibald the property of the Captors of the Island of Amboyna and Banda and requesting that the Amount of their claims may be discharged

The Property and Papers belonging

to

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To the Right honorable the Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies.

Honorable Sirs

We have the honor to inform you that the Ship Ann Captain Thomas Hall arrived here on the 3d. Instant from Bengal and Ganjam, and as we are desirous of transmitting to you by the earliest opportunity the Accounts of the Sales of the Cargoes of the Ships Ann and Hope, which have been consigned to us, we have the honor to inform you that the Ann will be dispatched to Bengal in the course of a few days, and that the Hope will be ready to proceed to Bengal in the course of the ensuing month.

We have the honor to enclose Copy of a Letter from the Commanders of the Ships Ann and Hope, dated the 3d. Instant, with Copy of the Letter from the Commanders of the Ships Hope and Ann

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Marine Stores the property of the Captors deliver-
-ed to Mrs. Jones by order of Admiral Rainier
for the use of the Company and signed by Mrs.
Manwaring Master attendant at Amboyna.

No. 8. Siam account —"

against the honorable Company on behalf of
the Captors for these claims and which we —"
trust your Lordship will order to be discharged
the Slaves being estimated at the same Price
the Company Paid for those found in the Port of
Bandenara.

Madras
28th August 1801.

We have the honor — to be.
My Lord
Your Lordships most obedient
humble Servants.
/Signed/ Thomas Chase
Jnº Chinnery

agent and
Substitute to
Lord Keith.

Resolved

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Resolved that the accountant General and Deputy Military Auditor General be appointed a Committee for the purpose of examining the above demand on the Company and that a Copy of the letter with its enclosures be transmitted to them accordingly.

" Clive

" T. Hearle

" Wm Petrie

" C. H. Talbot

W. J. Yeoman Esq.

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Diary

9th Sent the following Letter

To Captain L Hook

Secretary to the Government &c.

Fort William

Sir

To the Secretary at Bengal Military
extract of a letter from the Military Board with a statement of rice landed at this place from the Dooney Sloop Rungamauckloo also certificate of money advanced at this Presidency to 9 Gentlemen Cadets of the Bengal Establishment

By Order I am directed to request you will submit to His Excellency the Honble the vice President in Council the enclosed extract from a letter from the Military Board &c with the Statement therein mentioned of the quantity of rice landed from the Dooney Sloop Rungamauckloo at this place—

2. I have also the honour to inclose for the information of the vice President in Council the certificate of money advanced at this Presidency to nine Gentlemen Cadets of the Bengal Establishment—

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I have the honor &c &c &c
(Signd) L. Webbe
Chief Secy to Govt

This

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This is to certify that the undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, for the Bengal Establishment, arrived at this Presidency on the Honble Company's ship Lord Thurlow 11th August 1801 and received an advance of Cash, as opposite their respective Names.—

Lieut. C. Kenyon	
C. Fitzgerald	
H. Rawlins	
W. Coxwell	200 Rupees each
Thos. Arbuthnot	
J. Laurd	
G. Flint	

Robert Grant ——— 100 Rupees

James Mr. Intosh received none

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Fort St George
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/ Signed / H. Wilks
Town Mayor

Received the following Letter

entered

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entered con. Mils. No. 22-23-24.

Lieutenant Colonel Kirkpatrick

From the Deputy Adjutant General to the Kings Troops.

= transmitting = a Letter from Captain Thomas Boulton = stating the recommendation of the Commander in Chief that the Military Paymaster General should be authorized to pay Lieutenant Powney His Majesty's 84th Regiment his Kings subsistence and Company allowances, until his departure for England on account of the Presidency of Colombo, to which he applies for an advance of 2 Months Company's allowances to certain officers proceeding on the Trincomalee =

From Captain Pownmore.

From the Commander of the Ship Otaheite.

Requesting to be supplied with certain articles of Military Stores for the use of the Ship's Company employed in the Service of Government.

Card from the Editor of the Madras Gazette.

Madras Gazette acknowledges receipt of a letter to him of the 7th Instant and will conform to the orders therein communicated.

Sent.

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10th Sent the following letter

To Robert Wolfe Esqr &c

Accountant General

&

Captain P. Bruce

Deputy Military auditor General

Gentlemen,

I am directed to acquaint you that the Right Honble the Governor

in Council has been pleased to appoint you

to be a Committee for the purpose of examin-

ing the demand made in the enclosed &

letter and its enclosures on the Honble

Company by the agent and substitutes

attorney of Lord Keith on account of

certain articles said to be purchased for

the use of this Government from the &

Captors of the Molucca Islands.—

To the Accountant General and Deputy Military Auditor, Gentlemen appointing them a Committee to examine a demand made on the Honble Company by the agent & substitute attorney of Lord Keith, on account of certain articles said to have been purchased for the use of Government from the Captors of the Molucca Islands—

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10th September 1801.

I have the honor &c &c

(Signed) F. Webbe

Sub Sec. to Government

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10th

To Captain P Bruce

Deputy Mil.y Auditor General &c

Sir

Para 1. Inclose copy of a &

To the Deputy Military Auditor General - Enclosing copy of a letter from the Deputy acquitant general of His Majesty's forces and directing him to authorize payment of the charges therein specified - To instruct the Military Paymaster at Fort St George to provide for the payment of wages to the people employed under the Chief Engineer on the destruction of the forts of Sd. Conjeveram and Carangoly and to permit Lieutenant Torriano employed on that service to draw full batta and Horse allowance - Captain Bruce having been empowered upon occasion to draw bills for full batta to be signed under the signature of the Commander in Chief - To authorize payment of the bills and advances of money recommended in several letters from the Military

letter from the Deputy acquitant General of His Majesty's Forces, and am directed by the Right Honble the Governor in Council to desire that you will authorize payment of the charges therein specified -

2. The Governor in Council desires that the Military Paymaster of Fort St George may be instructed to provide for the payment of wages to the people employed under the orders of the Chief Engineer in the destruction of the Fort of Conjeveram and the fort of Carangoly; and that Lieutenant Torriano employed on that Service may be permitted to draw full batta and Horse allowance -

3. Captain T Rinder Deputy

having

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Military Board
Enclosing copy of
a letter with ori-
-ginal Bills from
the Company's
agent at the
Cape of Good Hope
-also extract
from a letter from
the Honble Court
of Directors and
directing that
Mr Neil Surgeon
to Hagan may
be furnished
with the arrear
of salary due
to him Captain
of the Ran-
-nah notwith-
-standing the
drawn by a Captain of
Infantry in the
employ of the
Dutch when the pro-
-vince of the Cape
was under the
-government of the Batavian
-government

having been employed under a Special order
in the recruiting Service, I am directed to
desire that his bills for full batta may
be found under the signature of the
Commander in Chief—

4 I inclose extracts from letter
from the Military Board dated 28th & 31st
Ult. and am directed to desire that the
payment of the bills and advances of
money therein recommended may be au-
-thorized—

5 I inclose for your infor-
-mation the copy of a letter from the
Honble Company's agent at the Cape of
Good Hope with the original bills there-
-in mentioned—

6 I inclose extract from
a letter from the Honble the Court of
Directors, and in conformity to the in-
-structions I am directed to desire that Mr

Head

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Head Surgeon Gahagan may be permitted
to draw the arrear of salary due to him—
7. Captain Oxholm of the
Danish Navy having been employed on
duty in the Garrison of Trangabar when
that place surrendered the Governor in
Council has resolved to grant to him the
pay of a Captain of Infantry in the
Company's Service as a prisoner of War
from the period of the surrender; you
will accordingly give the necessary au-
thority for the payment of this allowance
to Captain Oxholm—

Fort St George
10th Septr. 1801.

Sam Jno. Jno.
/ Signd / F. Webbe
Chief Secy. to Government

To Lieutenant Colonel Marley
Commanding the Forces in the District
of Ganjam

Sir.

Dated 1st

I have received your letter
of

To the officer
Commanding the
District of Ganjam
approving the
distribution

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distribution he has made of the troops under his command a supply of Camp Equipage has been ordered from the Stores at Vizagapatam

of the 28th ult.o and am directed to express to you the approbation of the Right Honble the Governor in Council of the arrangement you have made for the distribution of the troops under your command—

2. The Military Board has been ordered to supply camp equipage for the use of the troops in the district of Ganjam from the Stores at Vizagapatam—

Fort St George
10th September 1811

I am &c &c
(Signed) S. Webbe

Chief Secretary to Govt

Sent the following Letters entered in M. B. Nos 25 26 27—

To the Town Majors

To Captain Wilkes the Reserve represented to be necessary to the Hospital of the 1st Madras Battalion has been ordered— Permitting him to draw 6 Rupees pr Month for Captain Johnston

Danish

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Sir,

Danish Prisoner of War.

To the agent for the purchase of Horses.

To the agent for the purchase of Horses — I have of Horses — Directing him to provide 550 Horses in the ensuing season.

To Lieutenant Colonel Dallas — Directing him to consider the orders contained in Letter to him of the 6th Instant applicable to his Letter of the 31st Ultimo.

To the Commandant at Vellore.

11th Sent the following Letter

To Lieutenant General Stuart

President &c. &c. Members of the

Military Board

Gentlemen,

Fort St George 8th We have received your Letters of the 28th and 31st Ultimo and do agreeing in your opinion of the beneficial consequences to be derived from the repair of the Embankment at Madaliputtam We desire that immediate orders may

To the Military Board — To give immediate orders for the repair of the Embankment at Madaliputtam — the Superintendant of the Press to be authorized to conduct the castration of the colts in the manner which may appear most expedient. Payment of the bills and advances of money recommended

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Sir,

We have received your letter of the 7th ultimo, and have given the necessary directions for the issue of the Ordnance Stores required by you, for the use of the Troops in the Garrison of Fort St George.

2. We direct that the Superintendant of the Stud may be authorized to conduct the construction of the cattle sheds in the manner which may appear most expedient and safe in his judgement.

3. We have authorized payment of the bill of advance of Money recommended by you.

4. We authorize you to dispose by public auction of the unserviceable Provisions and Stores at the Presidency and out Stations on the 30th ultimo April last.

5. We desire that orders may be issued for furnishing in the most expeditious manner new camp equipage for the use of the troops serving in the District of Guntoor under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Macleay.

We

recommended by him, has been authorized thereupon. A sufficient proportion of the Hospital Stations on the 30th ultimo to be provided in the most expeditious manner for the use of the troops in the Guntoor District. Enclosed copy of a letter from the Town Major and desire that orders may be issued for the repairs of the Hospital of the 1st Madras Battalion. Also memorandum respecting the method of working the guns invented by Lieutenant Chalmers, with copy of the pamphlet published by that person.

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6. We inclose copy of a letter from the Town Mayor and desire that orders may be issued to the Civil Engineer for the repair of the hospitals allotted to the 1st Madras Battalion —

7. We enclose a Memorandum respecting the method of working the Guns invented by Mr Samuel Laddle and copy of the pamphlet published by that person —

Fort St George
11th September 1801.

We are &c &c
Signed Clive &c

Countersigned

From the Town Mayor

Received a letter from Captain Wilks entered in the B. of 28th Ult. requesting authority to draw the usual Monthly allowance for the Commander of a Dutch Ship detained in the Roads —

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At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honble Lord Clive

Governor and President

Lieutenant General James Stuart

Commander in Chief

Wm Petrie and

Secretary to the 11th Detachment } Capt. Wm Fallofield } Capts.

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved

The Commander in Chief lays

before the Board the following Memorandum

Memorandum

The Commander in Chief lays

before the Board a Certificate of the permission granted by the Honble Board of Directors to Major Darby of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry to return without prejudice to his rank in their military Establishment under the Presidency of Fort St George.

And

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may be admitted on the Establishment. Recommends certain officers be appointed accordingly.—

2d

The Commander in Chief submits to the Board Certificates, with corresponding list, of Gentlemen Cadets for the Corps of Cavalry and Infantry, who have served upon the Ships True Briton, and Admiral Rainier, and recommends that those for the former Corps be admitted as Cornets of Cavalry, date of Commission July 20th 1801. also that those for the latter branch of the Service be received as Cadets upon the Establishment—

3d

Lieutenant General Stuart recommends the following Officers to be appointed his Staff as Commander in Chief of the Forces under this Presidency from the 28th of July last the day he assumed the command of the Army—

Capt.n John Campbell 78th
Capt.n Wm Shaw—
Capt.n John Munro Secretary—

To be Aid de Camps

11th September 1801—

/ Signed / Stuart

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List of Gentlemen Cadets arrived from England, & recommended to be admitted on the Establishment.—

Corps	No.	Names.	Date of Certificate
Cavalry	1	2d Lt Thomas Mather Tudor	31st January 1801
"	2	" David Buchan	11th February "
Infantry	1	" Edward Matthew Gwynne	12th January "
"		" Edward Score Scottland	15th " " "
"		" Charles Cracroft	23rd " " "
"		" Michael Chamberlain	26th " " "
"	5	" James Tilly Kettle	29th " " "
"		" Henry Wright Menzies	31st " " "
"		" John Kennett	2d February "
"		" Edward Sandys Fotheringhall	2d February "
"		" Wm Bryan	2d " "
"	10	" Wm Rivers	6th " " "
"		" Wm John Knighton Bray	6th " " "
"		" Josiah Stewart	7th " " "
"		" Christopher Kingdom	11th " " "
"		" Wolfenden Kenny	16th " " "
"	15	" Dugald Mackerchar	18th " " "
"		" Alexander McLaren	19th " " "
"	17	" Robert Short	25th March "

Adjt Genl Office
11th " September 1801.

/Signed/ Frederick Pierce
Dep. Adjutant Genl
of the Army.

Recorded

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Resolved that Major Darley be readmitted on the Military establishment of this Presidency; and that the Gentlemen who have produced certificates of their appointments to be Cadets be admitted on the establishment accordingly.

Resolved that the officer nominated by His Excellency the Commander in chief to be His Excellency's Staff, be permitted to draw the allowances accordingly, agreeably to their respective appointments from the 28th July last.

Resolved that Lieutenant Billingham be appointed Fort adjutant of Fort St George, vice Shaw.

Read the following letter from the Commander in chief of His Majesty's Ships at the cape of good Hope

&c.

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To The Right Honble Lord Clive

Governor &c &c &c

Madras

My Lord,

John Smith a Marine belong-
-ing to the Squadron under my command
having been Tried by a Court Martial for di-
-obedience of orders, and mutinous expressions
to his Superior Officer on Board, the charges
were proved against him, but the Court
from the circumstances of the case not
thinking it proper to award him Corporal
Punishment, Sentenced him to be sent
to the East Indies, and there Serve in one
of the Regiments in that country upon
application therefore to Mr Pringle the
Company's Agent here a Passage has been
assigned to the abovementioned John Smith, &
and Hope he will be very acceptable as a re-
-cruit for the army in the East Indies

I have

From this Communication of His Majesty's Government to the Board of Control, it has been ordered that all Persons belonging to the Squadron under this Command who shall have been sentenced by a Court Martial to serve on board of the Kings Ships are to be sent to India

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Cape of Good Hope
the 17th July 1801 — } I have the honor &c &c &c

/Signed/ Roger Curtis

Lord Clive lays before the
Board the following draft of a letter
which His Lordship proposes shall be
despatched to His Excellency Sir Roger
Curtis by the first opportunity —

To His Excellency
Sir Roger Curtis K.B.
Commander in Chief of all His
Majesty's Ships & Vessels at the
Cape of Good Hope

Sir,

We have the honor to ac-
knowledge the receipt of your Excellency's
letter of the 17th July last —

We beg to assure your Excel-
lency that we shall on all occasions feel
an earnest desire to promote His Majesty's
service by such means as may be pro-

To the commander in Chief of all His Majesty's Ships and Vessels at the Cape of Good Hope — signifying His Excellency's desire of this Government to correspond with His Excellency for the encouragement of the public service and informing the circumstances under which the Board have withheld any answer necessary to certain of the Articles of your letter to the Admiralty sent by His Excellency's orders to this Presidency —

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to be expedient by your Excellency—

With regard to the immediate subject of Your Excellency's dispatch I do not consider it to be a punishment for any of his Majesty's subjects to serve in the East Indies: the admission of that principle would be highly derogating to the honor of the Indian army; and dangerous in its operation in the minds of the soldiers destined to serve under the authority of the Government in India— For this reason I do not think the liberty of recommending that such sentence may not in future be confirmed by Your Excellency; and for the same reason I do not think that any further consideration on such sentence as may be sent to India—

With respect to Lieut. Sayer we have ordered him to be remanded for the purpose of being returned to the Cape of Good Hope—

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I have the honor &c &c
(signed) Hobart

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Approved and resolved accord-
-ingly—

Resolved that a copy of the
despatch from Sir Roger Curtis, together
with a copy of the above reply be trans-
-mitted to His Excellency the Governor ge-
-neral in Council—

Read the following letter
from the Town Mayor
To Josiah Webb Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government

Sir.

From the Town Mayor's Office
in application from the families
of Europeans who have been
killed from the Army under your
Command to be
allowed the same
Gratuity as
was granted to
the families of
the Patriots Troops
who died at the
Cape of Good Hope

The families of several Sol-
diers and artificers the payment of wh
whose family certificates has been stopped
at the Pay Office in consequence of the ar-
-rival of the official reports of casualties
on foreign service in the Red Sea have en-
treated me to represent to Government the
wretched and destitute state to which they are
reduced

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reduced by a cessation of the means of subsistence, and to solicit the extension to them of the same pensions which were bestowed on the families of the Native Troops who died on foreign Service at the Moluccas Islands—

In requesting you to bring under the consideration of The Right Hon^ble the Governor in Council the case of these unfortunate families, I trust that I am only promoting the benevolent intentions of Government—

I have the honor &c &c

Signed A Walker

Town Major

Town Majors Office
Fort St George 10th
October 1811

Resolved that the families of the Sepoys who may die or be killed on the Service in the Red Sea be permitted to draw the donation of three Months pay and allowances which is granted to the families of

of the Native troops and Lascars serving at the Moluccas Islands—

Read the following letter from the Reverend Mr Leslie.—

To the Right Honble Lord Clive Governor inbounced of Fort St George

My Lord,

From the Rev. and Mr Leslie who wishes permission to return to Europe in a furlough for 3 years

I hope your will pardon the liberty I have taken in soliciting your Lordship to allow me a furlough of three years, and permission to return to Europe on the Lord Thurlow—

This day I have discharged the duties of a chaplain at Fort St George eighteen years, which I hope will make my present request appear a reasonable one to the Honble Court of Directors—

The most flattering testimony I can to my general character from

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this Government in 1799 induced me
to trust, if I have been so fortunate as to
merit your Lordships approbation since
that period, such a representation will
be made in the next general letter to
the Honble Court: which will be indeed
most grateful to my feelings, and may
enable me to obtain their acquiescence
for a speedy return to my situation in
India.—

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I have the honor &c &c &c
(Signed) Richard Leslie

Resolved that Mr Leslie
be permitted to proceed to England agree-
-ably to his request, and that Mr Leslie
be informed that the Board in
recommending to the Honble Court
of Directors that he may be per-
-mitted to return without preju-
-dice to his Rank in the Company's
Service

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Service, will have the greatest satis-
faction in respecting those sentiments
of respect and esteem which the
Governor in Council considers to be so
justly due to his character. —

Casualty Report

Report the death of Major Wm Elliot of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry

Major William Elliot, of
the 1st Regiment of Native
Cavalry, Died at Vellore on the
1st September 1801 —

Adjutant Genl's Office 2d Septem. 1801 —

Signed Fred. Pierce
Deputy acquitant
General of the army

Casualty Report

Report the death of Lieutenant Co. John Foreign of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry

Lieutenant Colonel
John Foreign of the 1st Regiment of
Native

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Madras Cavalry. Died on Board the Ship Prince William Henry, on the 19th of May 1801—

Adjt. Genl. Office 8th September 1801

(Signed) Frederick Pierce
Deputy adjutant General of the Army—

" Clive
" J. Stuart
" Wm Pitcairn
" Ch Farquhar

W.S. Wyndham
Esq.
Principal Sec. and Mil. Department
Copied by James Pattinson jun.
Assist.

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Diary

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Received and sent the following

Letters entered in M. B. Nos 29-30-31-32-

From the Military Board—

From the Military Board—Forward Register of Bills of Extraordinaries for June, with their Superior annexed—

From D. D.

From D. D. They have received the letter of the 2d Instant and have given the necessary orders in consequence—Enclose and recommend for payment sundry Bills—

From the Military Paymaster Genl.

From Mr. Roebuck—Encloses an additional Estimate of Cash required to answer demands on his Office—

To the Deputy Military Auditor General.

To Captain Bruce—Referring for examination an additional Estimate of Cash, transmitted in a letter from the Military Paymr. General—

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Received the following Letters—

To

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To Josiah Webbe Esqre

Chief Secretary to the Government

at Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Secretary at Bombay — Reports that an eight months supply of medicines for 5000 men had been ordered to be sent from Bombay to the Red Sea by the Ship Houghton —

1 I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to request, you will be pleased to acquaint the Right Honorable the Governor &c. Council, that, with a view to provide against any deficiency in the essential article of medicines the Medical Board, at this Presidency, have been instructed to send to the Red Sea by the Ship Houghton — now under dispatch, an eight months supply for 5000 men —

2 This measure appears to the Honora-ble the Governor in Council the more necessary, since by private accounts, it is understood that the European army is also, in want of Medicines; and therefore, General Baird may, from this abundant supply, be enabled to assist them —

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Bombay Castle
2nd August 1801.

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

(Signed) J. A. Grant
Asst Secy. to Govt.

To Josiah Webbe Esqre
Chief Secretary to the Government
at Fort St. George

Sir,

From the acting Secretary at Colombo. Requests to be acquainted with the method adopted at this Presidency for settling the arrears due to deceased officers in His Majesty's Regiments.

In adjusting the arrears due to the officers of His Majesty's Regiments serving on Ceylon a doubt has arisen with respect to the proper mode of settling the arrears of officers deceased; I am in consequence directed by His Excellency the Governor to request you will have the goodness to acquaint me for his information, what Method His Lordships in Council has adopted or intends to adopt for settling the arrears due to officers deceased in the Kings Regiments serving under His Lordships Government.

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Colombo

29th August 1801.

I have the honor &c &c

(Signed) Will. Boyd

Actg. Secy. to Govt.

Sent the following Letter —

To Tondeman

To Tondeman — Expressing his entire approbation of the Zeal and attachment manifested by him to the British Interests —

Captain Blackburne has reported to me the conference, which he held with you on the 4th Instant and I am highly pleased with the communication made to you by the Resident at Tanjore on the part of the British Government. In addition to that communication I have much satisfaction in expressing to you my entire approbation of your Zeal in furnishing troops for the assistance of the Company and of your attachment to the British Interests. I consider the provisions which have been supplied through your means and the augmentation of the force employed against the Rebels by the junction of so large a body of your troops, to extend to a considerable degree the grounds of expectation that this commotion will under providence be brought to an early termination. In the mean time I have no doubt that the conduct of your troops will be equal to your own Zeal; and that I shall have the fullest cause to commend the fidelity and attachment of yourself and of your People to the British Government —

What more?

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To Captain P. Bruce

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Deputy Military Auditor General

Sir.

To the Deputy Military Auditor General — The families of the Lascars who may lose their lives on the service in the Red Sea to be permitted to draw the donation of 3 month's pay and allowances which is granted to the families of the native troops serving at the Malacca Islands Mr. De Wit their Danish Prisoner of War to receive the usual allowance of 60 Rupees P month —

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honora-
ble the Governor in Council to desire that the families
of the Lascars who may or be killed on the service on
the Red Sea may be permitted to draw the donation
of three months pay and allowances, which is —
granted to the families of the native troops and —
Lascars serving at the Malacca Islands.

2 I am also directed to desire that Mr.
De Wit their a Danish Prisoner of War may be
allowed to receive The usual subsistence of sixty
Rupees P month through the channel of the Town
Major —

I am &c &c

Fort St. George
12th September 1801.

Signed J. Webbe
Chief Secretary to Govt

Received and Sent the following
Letters entered in the B. Nos 33-34-35-

From

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From the Secretary Paymaster at Fort St. George—

From Mr. Rowley—Encloses an account of Sales of Cast Horses received from the Officer Commanding the Cantonment at Arcot—

To the Chief Secretary at Bengal—

For Fort Marlow—Submitting Copies of a Letter from the Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships at the Cape of Good Hope and of the answer which will be transmitted to His Excellency by the earliest opportunity—

To the Deputy Adjutant General and Deputy Military Auditor General—

To Major Pierce and Captain Bruce Directing that whenever the Office of Barrack Master of the Presidency division shall be held by the Town Major of Fort St. George, the Officer in charge of the Office of Adjutant General, shall Countersign the Barrack Masters Bills and abstracts for Fort St. George—

to the

Sent the following Letter—

To Lieutenant General Stuart President &c. Members of the Military Board

To the Military Board—It being the intention of Government to dispatch the Honorable

Gentlemen,

Para 1

It being the intention of the Governor

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Honorable Company's Ship True Briton to China by way of Amboyna, they are directed to give orders for embarking on that ship a further supply of provisions &c. for the use of the troops on the Moluccas Islands to the extent of her vacant Tonnage. They will receive 200 tons on the Princess Charlotte for the purpose of conveying to Amboyna the spice packages required for the Stowage of her homeward cargo.

Governor in Council to dispatch the Honorable Company's Ship True Briton by the way of Amboyna to China, His Lordship has resolved to take the opportunity of that ship for sending a farther supply of provision for the troops at the Moluccas Islands, and instructions have been furnished to the Board of Trade for preparing the ship accordingly. I am therefore directed to desire that you will give orders with the least delay practicable for embarking on the True Briton such articles of provisions and Stores as shall be required for the troops to the extent of her vacant tonnage—

2. It being expedient that the spice packages required for the Stowage of the Homeward cargo of the Princess Charlotte should be sent to Amboyna on that Ship the Board of Trade will require two hundred tons which you will accordingly reserve for that purpose—

I have the honor &c &c.

Fort St. George
11th September 1801.

Signed J. Webbe
Chief Secy. to Govt.

To

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To the Reverend

Archdeacon Leslie

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the Instant and am directed to inform you that the permission of the Governor in Council for your proceeding to England has been published in General orders.

The Governor in Council will recommend to the Honorable Court of Directors that you may be permitted to return to India without prejudice to your Rank in the Company's Service, and will feel the greatest satisfaction in repeating to the Honorable Court those sentiments of respect and esteem which His Lordship in Council considers to be justly due to your Character—

I have the honor &c &c

Signed J. Webbe
Chief Secy to Govt

Fort St. George
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order

To the Reverend
Archdeacon Leslie
Permission for his
proceeding to Europe
has been published
in General orders.
And the Governor
in Council will
have great plea-
sure in recom-
mending to the
Honorable Court
of Directors that
he may be permitted
to return to India
without prejudice
to his rank—

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Order of Council
Military Department
14th. September 1801.

Received the following Letter from the Deputy Military Auditor General.

The Right Honorable Lord Clive
President and Governor in Council
Fort St. George

My Lord,

From the Deputy Military Auditor General Reports on the Military Paymasters Generals additional Estimate of the 11th Instant

Having Examined the additional Estimate for the Current Month, which accompanied a Letter from the Chief Secretary to Government, under date the 11th Instant, I have the honor to report, that the amount thereof Viz. Thirty thousand three hundred and ninety Pagodas Six Fanams and twenty two Cash (Pag.s 30.390. 6:22) is admissible and if useable from the General Treasury being required by the Military Paymaster General to discharge the Balance due on two Bills of Captain Deas in charge of

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remount Horses, and to make an advance to the Garrison Storekeeper at the Presidency —

Military Auditor General's office Fort St. George 12th September 1801.

I have the honor &c &c
(Signed) P. Bruce
Deputy Mily. Audr. Genl.

In consequence of the foregoing report Ordered that the Sum of thirty thousand three hundred and Ninety (Pagodas Six fanams and Twenty two Cash (Pags. 30390—6—22) be issued from the Treasury to the Military Paymaster General on account of the additional estimate enclosed in his letter of the 11th Instant —

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council —

(Signed) J. Webbe
Chief Secy. to Govt

ordering the Sum of Pagodas 30390. 6. 22— to be issued to the Military Paymaster General on account of the additional Estimate of the 11th Instant —

Received and sent the following Letters entered in M.B.: Nos. 36. 37. 38: 39 —

From the Military Paymaster Generals

From the Resident Tonjore Forwarding

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an additional Estimate of Cash required to answer demands on his office in the current month—

To the Deputy Military Auditor General—

To Captain Bruce—Referring to his examination an additional Estimate of Cash.

To Mr. Roebuck—Transmitting Copy of the Military auditor Generals report on the additional Estimate forwarded by him on the 10th. Instant—

To the Military Paymaster General

To Captain Blackburne—Forwarding a letter for Tondiman with Copy of the same for his information—

To the Resident at Tanjore—

At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor and President

Tuesday the 15th. September (1801)

Lieutenant General James Stuart

Commander in Chief

William Petrie

and

Ernst William Fallofield } Esqrs.

Minutes of last Consultation read and approved—

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The Commander in Chief lays before the Board the following Memorandum—

Memorandum

1st In conformity with the Board's desire that the Commander in chief should satisfy himself, and report, upon certain points connected with the provisional appointment by the Honorable Court of Directors of Mr. Vincentio Bell Corbett to be a Cadet of Infantry upon this Establishment; the Commander in Chief informs the Board that upon enquiry it appears Mr. Corbett was born in India; has never left the Country, was consequently educated in it; and that there is sufficient reason to believe his Mother was a native Indian: under which circumstances, the Commander in Chief feels it his duty to recommend that Mr. Corbett be not permitted to benefit by the provisional appointment of him to the Service by the Honorable Court—

2nd In consequence of the late Casualties in the Cavalry Corps, the Commander in chief recommends

Memorandum from the Commander in Chief—Explains the circumstances under which he feels it his duty to recommend that Mr. V. B. Corbett be not permitted to benefit by his conditional appointment on the Military Establishment of this Presidency—Recommends the transfer of two Cadets of Infantry to the Cavalry—Recommends that Lieutenant Mr. Gregor of H. M. 33d Foot be appointed Major of Brigade to the Infantry Brigade serving in the Ceded Countries, Vice Winslow permitted to resign and that Lieuth. Jolly be appointed adjutant to the Grenadier Battalion also vacancy there, vice Webber, removed—Recommends that Mr. J. Bell be admitted as Cadet of Infantry—Lays before the Board application from the Officer Commanding at Ramnad for permission to proceed to Jaffnapatam—the proceedings of the Medical Board on the Ills. of Lieut. [illegible]

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recommends that Mr. F. N. Balmain, and Mr. M. Glenderleath, Cadets of Infantry, be transferred to the Cavalry, Commissions as Cornets bearing date 15th September 1801.

3d. Captain Winslow, Major of Brigade to His Majesty's Troops serving on the Coast of Coromandel, having been permitted to resign the Post of Major of Brigade to the Infantry Brigade serving in the Ceded Countries, and Lieutenant Webster the late adjutant to the Grenadier Battalion also serving there having been appointed Adjutant to the 2d Battalion 4th Regiment Native Infantry, the Commander in Chief recommends that Lieutenant Mc Gregor of H. M. 73d Foot, and Lieutenant Jolly of the 2d Battalion 4th Regiment be appointed to those situations; the former Officer to be major of Brigade to the Infantry Brigade, and the latter Adjutant to the Grenadier Battalion.

4th. The Commander in Chief lays before the Board Certificate of the appointment by the

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The Honorable Court of Directors of Mr John Bell to be a Cadet of Infantry, and recommends that he be admitted upon the Establishment accordingly

5th. The Commander in Chief lays before the Board an application from Lieutenant Crumpe Commanding at Karaal for permission to proceed to Jaffanapatam on particular business for Twenty days. Whereon the proceedings of the Medical Board on the 14th instant—

15th September 1801. Signed J. Stuart

To the Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor in Council &c &c &c

Fort St. George

My Lord

Having very particular business at Jaffanapatam, allow me to beg of your Lordship Leave of absence from my Command, to that Place for the Space of Twenty Days—

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I am &c &c

Signed/ Sam. Crump
Lieutenant
Commanding at Karikal

Karikal
3d September 1805

Resolved and ordered that the foregoing arrangements be confirmed and published in General Orders, according to the recommendation of the Commander in Chief.

Minute thereon

The Board proceeds to pass orders on the following proceedings of the Medical Board.

Resolutions of the Governor in Council 13th September 1805

Medical Board
September 14th 1805

We have the honor to report to Government that in pursuance of the General orders under date the 9th instant Doctor Terence Gahagan has taken his Seat as second Member of this Board in the late member Mr. Nicol Mein on relinquishing his situation

From the Medical Board Report that Doctor Gahagan had taken his Seat as 2d Member of the Medical Board enclose Copy of a letter from the late member Mr. Mein on which the Physician General has recorded a Minute of seeing his sense of that Gentleman's conduct and recommending his solicitation for an advanced Salary to favorable Consideration. Recommends that Surgeon Thackeray be permitted to proceed to Europe on Sick certificate with an arrangement in consequence. enclose the report of Committee of Examination of the Medical Stores by the Baddow, and recommend the attention of the Honorable Court of Directors to the points therein specified. By have received

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Recd. Reports from the Head Surgeon in Mysore stating the beneficial consequences which have resulted from the adoption of his propositions for the comfort of the Native Sick. Also Letter dispatched with Medicines for Colombo having returned in consequence of the disturbances in the Southern Provinces forward Bills of expenses incurred on this account, for transmission to Ceylon. They have ordered a certain supply of Europe Medicines for the troops at the Maldive Islands.

The circumstances stated by Mr. Maine being irreparable from the operation of the service, appear to require no further observation than that it is not practicable for the Governor in Council to grant the increased Salary he solicits without the orders of the Court of Directors. His Lordship in Council will state the Claim to the Honorable Court, and is happy in observing the favorable testimony borne by the Physician General to the merits of that Gentleman's situation has addressed a Letter to the Physician General Copy of which we have the honor to enclose and the following minute on this subject is in consequence entered by the Physician General

"In justice to the merits
"of my late Colleague Mr
"Maine I cannot think of taking
"leave of him without expressing in the best manner
"I am able the high sense
"I must ever retain of the
"Skilful advice on professional points and steady
"support in all official matters
"tending to the better ordering of the Public Service
"during the time he has acted with

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"with me at this Board —

"I therefore agreeably to the

"tenor of Mr. Mein's solicita-

"tion recommend in the most

"earnest manner a favorable

"consideration of his Letter

"to the Right Honorable

"the Governor in Council"

Mr. Thomas Thacr.

keray Surgeon of the General

Hospital at the Presidency

has forwarded through the

regular channel an applica-

tion for leave to resign his

present situation, and proceed

to Europe on Sick Certificate.

Convinced of the urgency of

Mr. Thackeray's applica-

tion on the plea of bad

health we recommend that

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Approved and Ordered

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the leave which he solicits may be granted, that Mr. Surgeon William Ord be appointed to the duty of the General - Hospital, and that Mr. Thackeray be posted to the 10th. Native Regiment from which should the above arrangement obtain Mr. Ord will be removed -

In further support of Mr. Thackeray's request we have the honor to forward for the satisfaction of Government a Certificate from two Medical Gentlemen and a Letter on the Subject addressed to us by Mr. Surgeon Ogilvy -

We have the honor to

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to enclose the report of a Committee of Examination of Medical Stores by the Ship Boddam, and recommend the attention of the Honorable the Court of Directors to the better mode of Package therein pointed out of Quicksilver, Ether, Electrical Machines and above all to the ordering of Mineral acids and Essential oils in separate package

The attention of the Honorable Court of Directors will be directed to this recommendation—

We have much pleasure in communicating to Government that we have received Reports from the Head Surgeon in Mysore stating that all his propositions for the comfort and preservation

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The Governor in Council is extremely well pleased that the arrangement adopted for increasing the comforts of the Sick in Mysore has been Successful—

The Deputy Military Auditor General has been ordered to pass these bills for payment—

of the Native Sick have been carried into effect, and that the most happy consequences of the attention of Government to this important subject have already been experienced—

The Medicines directed by Government in July last to be forwarded by land to Columbo having been brought back in consequence of the progress of the Cholics having been impeded by the disturbances in the Southern Countries We are under the necessity of again forwarding Bills in Duplicate from the Medical Storekeeper for expences

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expences incurred on this account to be transmitted to the Ceylon Government

The former Bills are returned cancelled and the Medical Storekeeper has informed us that the Supply corresponding with the present sent on His Majesty's Ship Dedalus in March last have been brought from Bombay by the Suffolk and delivered at Trincomallee

An opportunity offering for sending supplies to the Malucca Islands we have accordingly directed the Medical Storekeeper to prepare and Dispatch a six months supply of European Medicines

Approved

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Medicines for the Troops
at these Stations, which
we hope will meet the
approbation of Government.

/Signed/ Jas. Anderson
Physician General
T. Gahagan M.D. and
2d. Member Med. Board

/By Order of the Right Honorable
the Governor in Council.—

/Signed/ I. Webbe
Chief Secretary to Government.

To Dr. James Anderson
Physician General and President
of the Medical Board

Sir,

Having just seen the orders of Govern-
ment appointing Mr. Terence Gahagan to fill my
situation as second Member of the Medical Board,
and directing an arrangement for my return to
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the Station of Head Surgeon I beg leave to offer the following short Statement for your consideration —

Peculiarly situated as I have been for these last Ten years in the service, regarding the Decision of the Honorable Court of Directors in granting that Gentleman rank over me, as well as my immediate Senior the late Mr. Head Surgeon George Binny, the more unfortunate I may now say, in having been appointed Second Member by Government orders in April last year on the Departure of Mr. Raine and Mr. Gahagan being ordered to Europe, whereby I have incurred a very considerable expence for exceeding my receipts in bringing a large family from Masulipatam to the Presidency, and as I was led to expect, to a permanent situation —

When my unprecedented Hardships are considered as recorded in the Proceedings of the Medical Board, I may now with truth say, they are but little diminished by this last resolution of the Honorable Court of Directors in favor of Mr. Gahagan

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Gahagan; and I hope I shall be held excused in
soliciting your support to obtain the Salary of 1500
£ per annum which I believe was awarded to
that Gentleman, when Senior Head Surgeon and nomi-
nated by the same Honorable Court to a Temporary Seat
as Third Member at the Medical Board in the year 1799

The expences of a Residence at madras
after Sixteen months experience I have found so great
that I have to request if you can recommend such
Salary that it may be granted to me as the Senior
Head Surgeon and that I may be Stationed at Vellore
when Mr. Head Surgeon Watsons resignation takes
place—

In thus soliciting the above requests
and taking leave of the Board, I confide in your
protection and support, and further trust you will
do me the honor to forward this my address to
the Right Honrable the Governor in Council with
such recommendation as you may think I
merit after near thirty years Service on the
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Medical Establishment at this Presidency.

I have the honor &c &c

Madras
13th. September 1801.

(Signed) Nicol Allen
Head Surgeon

True Copy)
(Signed) Alex. Boiswell
Secretary Medical Board.

To James Anderson Esqre.
Physician General &c. &c. Members of the
Medical Board.

Gentlemen

Inclosed I have the honor to forward a Letter from Mr. Thomas Thackeray Surgeon in charge of the Presidency General Hospital whose Health has been so much impaired by his late severe Illness that it appears absolutely necessary for the recovery of his Health that he should proceed to Europe by the earliest opportunity — I think it a duty incumbent on me as Head Surgeon to make my entire approbation of Mr. Surgeon Thackerays Conduct while acting under me having daily opportunities of observing

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the attention and humanity with which the Sick were treated—

I have the honor &c.

Madras
9th. September 1801.

Signed/ George Ogilvy
Head Surgeon

/True Copy/
Signed/ Alex. Boiswell
Secretary Medical Board.

Madras 12th. September 1801.

This to certify that Mr. Thomas Thackeray Surgeon at the Presidency General Hospital. having been long afflicted with Visceral obstructions and General Debility we deem it absolutely necessary that he should proceed to Europe by the earliest opportunity for the recovery of his Health—

/Signed/ George Ogilvy
Head Surgeon
/Signed/ Jn. Jones
Assist. Surgn.

To Alexander Boiswell Esqre
Secretary to the Medical Board

Sir,

In conformity to the orders of the Medical Board

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Board of the 17th. Ultimo directing a Committee to assemble at the Medical Store room for the inspection of European Medicines &c.a received by the Ship Boddam of which I was appointed President Mr. Head Surgeon Ogilvy, and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Davies Members – I have now the honor to acquaint you for the Information of the Medical Board – that on the 20th following / Mr. Ogilvy being absent on professional duty / I met Mr. Davies and Doctor Berry the Medical Storekeeper being present saw the different Packages of European Medicines &c.a lately landed from the Honorable Companys Ship Boddam opened and particularly excamined, a duty that was continued by adjournment and occupied the Committee for several days –

The enclosed list signed by me and Mr. Davies will point out the deficiences, and from what probable causes – on some however it behoves us to report more at large not only from the magnitude of the present deficiences, but from similar

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similar loss having been annually sustained from improper package, as has been repeatedly noticed, and have more distinctly particularized, in the hope that they may be hereafter more particularly remedied.

In this report the Board will observe a loss of no less than 198 lbs of Quicksilver, that appears to have been occasioned by its being enclosed in Leathern Bags and packed in small Wooden kegs only surrounded by Wooden Hoops; by this mode of package from the Friction of so heavy a fluid on the folds of the Leathern Bags were formed and the contents of four Bags out of Ten have been nearly lost, whereas, had the Kegs been rendered water tight and strongly hooped with Iron probably no loss would have been sustained, which by referring to former Reports it appears to this Committee has always been the case from this mode of package in kegs so slightly coopered — To ensure the Quicksilver being received in Quantity corresponding to the Invoice, the Leathern Bags should be enclosed in strong Kegs

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immersed among the Chamomile Flowers, by which mode of package there was little or no loss of that received by the Ships Hawke and Prince William Henry, examined and reported on by a former Committee dated 3d April last—

Of the Ether and sweet spirit of Nitre considerable loss is specified—one Bottle of Ether was found entirely empty—more particular attention appears indispensible in fitting the ground Stoppers to the Bottles—or perhaps a mode which the Medical Storekeeper has formerly more particularly suggested might remedy this—viz by the addition of a small Quantity of water and carefully stopping the Bottles with fine common Corks instead of glass Stoppers, whereby fixing them inverted in the packages the water falling to the Bottom immiscible with the Ether will preserve the Corks, and thus greatly tend to prevent the escape of so Volatile a fluid

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This cannot be done with the sweet Spirit of Nitre, and more particular attention to fitting of the Glass Stoppers can only be suggested.

What appears to the Committee further to require Notice is the package of the Electrical Machines the Cylenders should not be in the same case with other parts of the apparatus for although those now examined were not found broke yet they were in considerable danger, from several of the Metallic pieces of the apparatus being entirely loose, the Glueing being destroyed by moisture. To prevent this, we recommend that the Cylinders should be packed separately in Boxes, and that spare Cylenders should be sent. we have also to remark that the mode of Turning the Machine with a Cat gut band seldom answers in this Climate. Wood is also apt to break and split, and as far as regards the turning of the Cylender, Brass if substituted for wood would most ensure the Value of the Machine.

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We cannot avoid particularizing and pointing out that in package No. 27 there were contained Bottles of the three mineral acids and three of Essential Oils — for although already noticed in former Reports, we consider the danger from Fire by the Breakage of such inflamable fluids on board the Company's Ships to be too obvious to be overlooked, that it may, in future packages be avoided, and cannot be too strenuously recommended —

The other deficiences from Breakage are probably unavoidable — and those from non receipt may be yet accounted for, as about one third of the Quantities indented for 1801. by the report of the Medical Storekeeper have not yet been received —

We have the honor &c. &c.

Madras
11th September 1801.

/Signed/ Nicol Mein
2d. Member of the M.B.T.?
T. H. Davies A Surgeon

/True Copy/
/Signed/ Alex.. Boswell
Secy. med. Board —

Read

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Read the following letters from the Deputy Military Auditor General—

The Right Honorable Lord Clive

President and Governor in Council

Fort St. George

My Lord.

From the Deputy Military Auditor General refer for the decision of Government certain Charges which were retrenched from the accounts of Lieutenant Colonel Macneile during the time he acted as Superintendant of the Departments of Paymaster and Commissary of Provisions at the Moluccas Islands—

At the request of Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile, I have the honor to refer for the Decision of your Lordship in Council, the undermentioned Charges which were Retrenched from the accounts of that Officer during the time he acted as Superintendant of the Departments of Paymaster and Commissary of Provisions at the Moluccas, in consequence of the death of the late Mr. Cunningham, and which were not admitted on Re-audit—

First Charge by Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile for defraying the Expences of the Office Establishments of the Pay and Commissary's Departments at Amboyna and Banda, from april to august 1798 inclusive

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inclusive, at Pagodas 500 ₱ month, of which the sum of Pagodas 300 ₱ month was admitted on audit, being the sum allowed as the office Establishment to Mr. Cunningham, and the remainder was Retrenched.

In support of the charge, the following Reply has been transmitted.

"Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile drew "500 Pagodas Month for defraying the Expense of the "Pay office and Commissary's Departments, not at "Amboyna only but at Banda also, where a complete "Establishment is equally necessary for both, as at "Amboyna, and where a Complete set of Books is sepa- "rately kept, a circumstance which probably was not "before Government when the sum of 300 Pagodas was "fixed for Amboyna."

"The auditor General has not adverted "to this circumstance, that Lieutenant Colonel Mc. "Neile never drew any personal charge for the trouble "and responsibelety which untoward events laid "him under the necessity of undertaking, by the

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"Superintendance of the Pay and Provision Depart-
"ments; neither was it perhaps known to the auditor
"General, that at the period of Mr. Cunningham's death
"the Books were so far behind, that a considerable
"monthly expense was immediately incurred to
"bring them up; Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile hopes
"that under these circumstances The Right Honora-
"ble the Governor in Council will not think the charge
"of Pagodas 300 Pr. month unreasonable"

On the subject in question it is necessary to observe that the Sum of Pagodas 300 Pr. Month, for the Expense of Office Establishments in the Pay and Provision Departments at Amboyna and Banda, was fixed by Government as an adequate allowance for both Stations, on Mr. Cunningham's appointment to those Islands, at the same time he was granted a Salary of 200 Pagodas Pr. month, and altho it cannot be admitted, that so large a Sum was requisite for that purpose, yet as that Officer drew no personal Salary for the trouble

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trouble and responsibility attached to the Employment which he was under the necessity of Superintending, the case may be so far deserving of consideration as a compensation for his Services—

Second Charge — by Mr. Assistant Surgeon Crilly, for Medical allowance at Pagodas 25 P.r month for a Detachment of the 2d. Battalion 1st. Regiment native Infantry for April, may and June 1798—

as the Detachment consisted of no more than 225 men, Medical allowance at 4 Pagodas P.r 100 men agreeably to the Regulations was admitted for the above months, and the Overcharge Rebrenched.—

Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile has transmitted the following reply in support of the charge—

"It is requested that the number of Sick who Mr. Crilly attended may be adverted to, rather than the number of men present. Mr. Crilly had in his Hospital for this very month (June 1798) 162 Sepoys; it is hoped that this fact will have its weight in

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in the candour of the Auditor General, or ultimately in the candour and liberality of Government this valuable Surgeon is since dead—

Although the Regulations only allow 4 Pagodas Pr. 100 men for the Medical Expense of a native Corps and 10 Pagodas Extra for a Battalion on Foreign Service, which allowances have been admitted on audit in the present instance, yet under the circumstances stated by Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile, of the extraordinary Sickness of the native Troops at the period in question, perhaps your Lordships in Council may consider this case entitled to a favorable consideration—

I have the honor &c &c

/Signed/ J. Bruce
Depy. Mily. Audr. Genl.

Military Auditor Generals Office Fort St George 10th September 1801.

Resolutions on the foregoing—

Under the circumstances stated by Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile it is Resolved to permit that officer to draw the amount of the establishment as well as of the Salary allowed to the

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the Paymaster at the Moluccoa Islands during the period of time he acted in that Capacity—

In the case stated by Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile with respect to the charge of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Crilly the Board deems it expedient and it is Resolved accordingly to relax the general regulation for charges of this description, and to admit the charge of Mr. Crilly founded on the actual number of sick—

To The Right Honorable Lord Clive

President and Governor in Council

Fort St. George

My Lord,

From Do. Do. Forwards letter from Colonel Oliver preferring a claim to the pay of Colonel from the day of his restoration to his rank in the service with his remarks on the claim—

1 The Paymaster at the Presidency having forwarded to me the accompanying Copy of a Letter, addressed to him from Colonel James Oliver of this Establishment, and which in compliance with his request, I have the honor to lay before your Lordship in Council with the following observations—

2 The claim preferred in the Letter

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Letter from Colonel Oliver, as to be permitted to draw the difference of Subsistence between the rank of Lieutenant Colonel and of Colonel from the 27th of January 1801 being the day on which the Honorable the Court of Directors were pleased to restore him to his rank in the Service, to the 8th of august last inclusive, when his rank was published in G. O. amounting to the Sum of Pagodas 26. 26. 20. to which upon application to me, I declined to authorize the Paymasters discharging his Bills, grounding my objections upon the Orders of the Honorable Court of Directors, transmitted by the Secretary of Government to this Department, with his Letter of the 13th of march 1797, from which period it has been an established regulation of the Service, that "the Company's officers belonging to the Presidency of Fort St. George when promoted, shall draw their Pay and allowances from the date of the General Orders publishing their promotion, and not from the date of their Commissions."

It is however at the same time to

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to be observed, that Colonel Oliver prefers his claim to the difference of Subsistence from the date only of his being restored to the Service, and not from the date of his rank as Colonel, and upon the supposition that had the Honorable Court of Directors known that Colonels Francies Torrens and Carey Leland, his juniors in rank on the army, had been promoted to the rank of Colonel prior to the 27th. of January 1801, they would in their Resolutions have given him that designation and granted him the Commission of a Colonel accordingly.

4 Under these circumstances, your Lordships may perhaps consider the beforementioned Regulation, not strictly applicable to the case of Colonel Oliver, and may be induced to sanction his Claim.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c.
(Signed) J. Bruce
Deputy Mily. Auditor
General

Military Auditor
General's Office
Fort St. George
10th September 1801

To

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To John Rowley Esqre

Military Paymaster

Sir,

To obviate the objection you make to allow me to draw the Pay of Colonel from the Day of my restoration to my full rank and standing in the Service and restricting me to draw it only from the Day of the publication of that rank in General Orders, agreeably to orders received from the Honorable Court of Directors, I beg leave to state that I think my case particular, and that the order does not apply to me for these reasons—

1st The Honorable Court of Directors were pleased to pass a resolution to restore me to my rank, and standing in the Service in the most unqualified terms and without any limitation whatsoever, which resolution was confirmed by a General Court of Proprietors on the 27th January 1801 agreeably to act of Parliament—

2d. My Juniors in the Service Lieuts

Colo

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Colonel Francis Torrens and Lieutenant Colonel Carey Leland were promoted to the rank of Colonel on the 17th June 1800 from which date they have consequently drawn the Pay of Colonel, to which I think myself entitled in common with them from the Day of my restoration, which places me with my proper rank and Standing in the Service next before Colonel Francis Torrens—

Should you however Sir, be still of opinion that I am not entitled to the Pay of Colonel, in a conscientious belief that my claim is just, I request that you will be pleased to submit this Letter to the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council through the proper Channels

I have the honor &c &c

Madras
September 7th 1801.

(Signed) James Oliver
Colonel Commanding 9th Regt.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) J. Rowley
Military Pay master—

Resolved to inform the Deputy Military

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Military Auditor General that the Board does not consider the circumstances stated by Colonel Oliver to be of such a nature as to authorize a violation of the existing rules of the Service—

Read the following letter from His Excellency the Governor of the Cape of Good Hope—

To the Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor at Madras &c. &c. &c.

My Lord—

From the Governor of the Cape of Good Hope states that a proportion of the Recruits for 84th. Regiments in India landed from the True Briton had been detained at the Cape of Good Hope until they should be sufficiently recovered to be sent to India—forwards a letter from Major Mapman in charge of the Recruits, with the favorable recommendation of that Officer—

Inclosed I have the honor of transmitting to your Lordship a List of some Recruits belonging to the Kings Regiments in India who were lately landed from the True Briton Indiaman Ships bound to Madras which was under the necessity of putting in here on account of a distemper which prevailed on board—

From the Report herewith also inclosed from Doctor Somers and Mr. Somerville your Lordship will perceive that of the Troops landed from the True Briton 70 men only are in such a state as

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as to render adviseable their being reimbarked; therefore the remaining part of the Detachment of Recruits, I think it necessary both from duty, and humanity to detain here until so far recovered as to be able to proceed by some future opportunity to join their Respective Regiments —

The contents of the letter dated the 11th. Instant from Major Mosman of the 73d. Regiment addressed to Major Erskine the Deputy adjutant General at this place, I conceive it proper the submitting to your Lordship in the hope that as Major Mosman has shewn himself so sufficiently attentive to the discharge of his duty during his detention at the Cape, that any favour or compensation consistent with the rules of the service may be granted to him, upon the present occasion —

Cape Town
15th July 1801.

I have the honor &c. &c.
Signed/ Dundas
M. Genl.
Surveyor

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Simons Town Cape of Good Hope

July 14th 1801.

Of the Sickly troops landed from the True Briton the following Men are now in a fit state to be reimbarked for India.

Names	Reg	names	Regt
Serjeant Platt	12	Jones	12
W. Herbert	Do	Baron	Do
Warbinton	Do	Barlow	Do
Ashles	Do	Fitzsimon	Do
Finigan	Do	Hart	Do
Hilton	Do	Packer	58th
ashworth	Do	Mackay	73d
Goodhall	Do	Clements	Do
Morri	Do	Dawson	Do
Foster	Do	Murray	Do
Graham	Do	Burns	Do

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Gilmore ... Do
Mr. Donald ... Do
Baird ... Do
Finlayson ... Do
Fotheringham ... Do
Mr. Keven ... Do
Hugh Campbell ... Do
Hawkins ... Do
Elder ... Do
John Hutchins ... Do
Pigou ... Do
Ruffo ... Do
Cunningham ... Do
Mr. Cotton ... Do
Morgan ... Do
Doghaby ... Do
Coffee ... &c
Mrs. Mercer ... &c

Hay cock ... Do
Bourke ... Do
Battersfield ... Do
Hannaer ... Do
Wardle ... Do
Kenrick ... Do
Winterbottom ... Do
Nightingale ... Do
Bird ... Do
Mercer ... Do
Cox ... Do
Wray ... Do
Robertson ... Do
Mrs. Nixon ... Do
Hopkins ... Do
Griffith ... Do
Ward ... Do
Wade ... Do
Gibson ... Do
Barnes ... Do
Edwards ... Do
Bentley ... Do
Calder ... Do
Mrs. ... Do
Hanwood ... Do
Clay ... Do
Anderson ... Do
Jackson ... Do
Hannah ... &c

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The following Men and Women are unfit at present for Embarkation

Names	Regt	Diseases	Names	Regt	Diseases
Stoney	12	Slight fever	Enoch	12	Convt
Shaw	Do	Do	Gladden	Do	Diarrhoea
Brooks	Do	Do	Pantongton	Do	Fever
Taylor	Do	Do	Finnaughty	Do	Do
Kingston	Do	Do	Yates	Do	Diarrhoea
Roberts	Do	Do	Fillon	Do	Do
Hastam	Do	Do	Golding	Do	Do
Boys	Do	Do	St. Warburton	Do	Convt
Ramsden	Do	Do	Hudson	Do	Sight fever
Frstrick	Do	Do	Dunlow	Do	Do
Bason	Do	Dysentery	Lane	Do	Convt
Mason	Do	Do	Hunagan	Do	Do
Bennet	Do	Sight Fever	Parkinson	Do	Diarrhoea
Greenwood	Do	Do	Lewis	Do	Convt
Wilson	Do		Chapman	Do	Debility

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Benfield	Do	Do	Rahman	Do	Diarrhoea
Rufel	Do	Do	Holmes	Do	Fever
Fletcher	Do	Do	Scatterwald	Do	Convt
Hallowell	Do	Diarrhoea	Bavendal	Do	Debelety
Reidy	Do	Do	Smith	Do	Feverish
Mayher	Do	Do	Bradshaw	Do	Convt
Kempshaw	Do	Debelety	Crabtree	Do	Do
Braithwaite	Do	Do	J. mason	Do	Debelety
Bradwell	Do	Do	G Brooks	Do	Diarrhoea
Dixon	Do	Convt	Browne	Do	Itch & Diarrhoea
Walker	Do	Do	Jn Elsey	Do	Do & Do
Hartley	Do	Do	Poole	Do	Dysentery
Wright	Do	Do	Chadwick	Do	Fever
Hoss	Do	Diarrhoea	Southgate	Do	Do
Charlton	Do	Convt	Warchant	Do	Do
Lees	Do	Debelity	Blackshaw	Do	Do
Lyon	Do	Convt	Scott	Do	Do
Alder	Do	Diarrhoea	Chambers	Do	Do
Stott	Do	Convt	J. Goodhall	Do	Diarrhoea
Leech	Do	Do	A. Sharpes	Do	Ellcer & Fever
Hanopi	Do	Debelity	Nowlan	51st	Fever
Elson	Do	Do	Holmes	Do	Do
Campbell	Do	Convt	Ross	73	Convt
			Sullivan	Do	Diarrhoea

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Names	Regt.	Disease	
Drury	73	Fever	
Dunn	Do.	Do.	
Mathewson	Do.	Do.	
Mr. Andry	T. B.	Do.	
Sallant	Do.	Do.	
Murphy	Do.	Fever	
Milson	Do.	Consk.	
Connoky	Do.	Diarrhoea	
Mullen	Do.	Do.	
Reid	Do.	Fever	
Wm. Mc. Donald	Do.	Consk.	
Mc. King	Do.	Diarrhoea	
Jacks	Do.	Consk.	
Phillips	Do.	Fever	
Irving	Do.	Consk.	

Return of Casualties for Rumbanka tion

Names	Regt.	Disease	
Reid	73	Mal. & Diarrhoea	
Robinson	Do.	Fever	
Mr. Dougall	Do.	Consk.	
Ramus	Do.	Do.	
Henderson	Do.	Fever	
Elder	Do.	Diarrhoea	
Macklegan	Do.	Debility	
Mr. Wright	Do.	Night Fever	
Finlay	Do.	Do.	
Smith	Do.	Diarrhoea	
Wright	Do.	Consk.	
Mr. Donald	Do.	Do.	
Braun	Do.	Do.	
Fraser	Do.	Diarrhoea	
Rooney	Do.	Severish	

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Smith Lt. Stock Gr. Diarrhoea
Milley ---- Do. Consd.

Powers ---- Do. Debility
Reynolds ---- Do. Consd.
Stirling ---- Do. Do.
Clinton ---- Do. Debility
Mc. Gibney ---- Do. Consd.
Mc. Clamon ---- Do. Do.
Cox ---- Do. Fever with Diarrhoea
Cameron ---- Do. Do.
Gilland ---- Do. Fever
Mc. Shane ---- Do. Do.
Shorpe ---- Do. Dysentery
Mc. Maple ---- Do. Fever
Mc. Donald ---- Do. Do.
Howin ---- Do. Sun shine
Buchanan ---- Do. Dysentery
Pope ---- Do. Fever
Brown ---- Do. Do.
Grover ---- Do. Do.
Ray ---- Do. Do.
Pendelore ---- Do. Do.

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To Major General Dundas

&c &c &c

Sir,

We beg leave at this moment to report generally, that of the Troops landed from the True Briton, Seventy one are in a fit state for being Reembarked and that there are one hundred and thirty two, besides five Women and one girl unfit to be put on board—

By Parade hour to morrow morning we shall be able to furnish a particular Return specifying names, diseases and Regements—

We have the honor &c &c

Simons Town
July 14th 1801.

[Signed] Edmund Somers M. D.
Phy.n Genl Hospital
& Director of Hosp.ls

Wm Somerville
Garrison Surgeon

Major Erskine
Deputy Auditor General
Sir,

I beg leave to state to you for the information

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information of Major General Dundas that being ordered to join my Regiment in India and to embark in the Hr. Comptys. Ship True Briton, in charge of Recruits belonging to various Corps, I have in consequence been exposed to great inconvenience and which may ultimately tend to affect my interest in a pecuniary view—

The unfortunate malady on board having rendered it absolutely necessary that we should touch here, I am thereby unavoidably detained for a considerable time incurring expence which has been still further increased by frequent journeys between Cape Town and Simons Bay for the purpose of adjusting disembarkation and procuring necessaries for the Troops under my Command; all which would have been avoided by embarking in another Ship where I had no such charge and where the passage money defrayed by me would have been precisely the same, no allowance whatever having been made me on that head—

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If the General would have the goodness to take these circumstances into his consideration, a representation of the same by him to the Madras Government - I am confident will have the desired effect of placing me on allowances from the time of my landing here, more especially when it is considered that officers coming from India to this place for their health and proceeding no further are invariably allowed the same as if in India, and a recent instance has occurred of Major Robertson proceeding from hence with a Dispatch from Lord Keith being considered on the establishment from the date of his arrival -

I have the honor &c &c

Capetown
July 11th 1801

(Signed) A. Mosman
Major 73d Regiment

Ordered to lie on the Table

Read the following letter from the Officer Commanding at Trengueebar -

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To Josiah Webbe Esqre.

Chief Secretary to Government
&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

From the Commandant at Tranquebar reports the arrival at Tranquebar of a Detachment of Gun Lascars under charge of a Conductor from Bombay - The Commander of the Britannia having refused to land them at Madras, he has embarked them on the Clarissa and has referred the Commander of that vessel to Government for payment - Encloses List of Provisions and Stores landed at Tranquebar from the David Scott and Britannia -

I have the honor to acquaint you that a Detachment of Gun Lascars amounting to 76 men, in charge of a Conductor of ordonance having arrived here from Bombay on the Ship Britannia, and the Captain having refused to Land them at Madras, I have taken it upon me to embark them on the Clarissa, which I hope will meet his Lordships approbation — Not having any authority to settle terms with the Captain of the Clarissa, I have referred him to Government; - it has been some inconvenience and delay to him, complying with my request to take this Detachment on Board -

I Enclose a List of sundry Provisions and Stores Landed here from the David Scott and Britannia they having proceeded to Bengal -

I have the honor &c. &c.

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/ Signed / William Cullen
Lieut. Col. Comg.

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The List of Stores from the Britannia cannot be made up before tomorrow—

Signed W. C.

Ordered that the Deputy Secretary Auditor General be directed to adjust the claim of the Master of the Clarissa, dated in the foregoing Letter, according to the usual practise in similar cases—

Read the following Letter from the Officer Commanding in the Ceded Districts—

To Josiah Webbe Esqre

Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

From the Officer Commanding the Ceded Districts at the Solicitation of Lieutenants Chadwicke and Dawes submits their Claim to certain charges for conducting two Sets of Remount Horses from Nundydroog to the Head Quarters of the Division—He however considers their claims to be inadmissible—

At the Solicitation of Lieutenants Chadwicke and Dawes, I have the honor to transmit you the accompanying accounts Viz being severally charged by them for conducting Two Sets of Remount Horses from Nundydroog to the Head Quarters of this Division; and as it is their Earnest desire, I have to request you will be pleased to submit the accounts in question To His Lordships in Council

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I must however beg leave to observe,
that The charges made by Lieutenants Chadwicke,
and Dawes, appear to me Inadmissible; because,
a sufficient Number of Dooreys, Troopers, and Public
followers were Detached from Corps, by my orders, To
obviate every difficulty in bringing the remount Horses
to the Division —

In order to procure immediate payments
To Lieutenants Chadwicke and Dawes of the Sums
They might Expend for the purchase of Forage on
the Road; as well as to provide forage for the Horses
in Camp, whose Grasscutters were on this Occasion —
necessarily Detached; I directed the Remount lists
to be returned on the Strength of Corps from the date
of their being received at Nundy drug, and the allowed
Number of Followers to be drawn for in the Regimen-
tal Abstracts from that Period — Lieutenants Chad-
wicke and Dawes were Consequently informed, That
the Agents for Comst. Supplies would immediately
discharge their Grain and Bullocks accounts, and
that

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that Officers in charge of Corps would pay them on Demands, (conformable to the Regulations) all Sums drawn Regimentally on account of the Remount Horses, while under their Care,— This arrangement I considered as Extremely favourable to these Gentlemen, and I have no Hesitation in declaring, That the allowances arising from it appear to me amply sufficient to meet every Expense They could incur in conducting the Remount Horses from Nundydroog to Camp.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) Dug.d Campbell
M.G.—

Camp near Gooty
September 6th. 1801.—

To the Military Secretary to Government

Sir,

I beg leave to transmit to you my accounts for a Lot of Remount Horses received by me at Nundydroog July the 5th. and delivered to their respective Regiments in Camp on the 30th. of the same month.—

&c

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In a day or two after the Removal
Horses had joined the Division Major General Camp-
bell ordered them to be returned on the strength of 4
Regiments from the time I received them at Mundy-
droog, and ordered the Officer in charge to settle his
accounts with the parties concerned agreeable to
Major General Campbells directions I made out my
accounts against the Commanding Officers of Regi-
ments, but some of the charges being of an extra
nature they could not be admitted in a Regimental
abstract From these circumstances I was under the ne-
cessity of stating to Major General Campbell the great
difficulty there appeared of settleing my accounts Regimen-
tally without being a considerable loser and therefore requested
he would allow me to make out a General account and to forward
it to Government for their approval

I trust that when the accounts have been
examined and nothing of an extra nature is found in them
but what appertains to similar accounts that Government
will have the goodness to order them to be discharged as I have

had

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Sad to advance the whole of the money expended on the Lot of Horses in question—

Camp September 2d. 1801—

(Signed) T. Chadwick
Lieut. 25th. Regt Drags.
Late in charge of Remount Horses.

The Honorable Company Dr. to Lieutenant Chadwick of His the 25th. Regt. of Light Dragoons, in charge of a Lot of Remount Horses, received at Nundy Droog on the 5th. July 1801 and Delivered to their respective Regiments on the 30th. of July 1801.

			Pr.	F.	C.
To allowance for 125 Horses from the 5th. to 29th. July inclusive at 49.40 each /25/ Days			114	10	50
To 125 Horse keepers Pay for the above time			156	10	40
Batta for	Do.	Do.	69	20	"
125 Grass Cutters Pay		Do.	104	7	"
Batta for	Do.	Do.	69	20	"
To 15625 Seers of Grain for the above time at the rate of 5 Seers P Horse daily (50 Seers P Rupee)			89	12	"
1 Mr. Flr. for 24 Bullocks for the Carriage of Grain at 22.40 each P month			141	"	"
			743	35	10

Cr.

By
" The following Details furnished by Division Orders.

	Nr.	Gr.
H. M. 25th. Regt of L. Dragt	23	30
4th. N.C	15	" 20
6th. Do	10	" 16
Total	48	" 66 Pay and Batta 179 4 "

Balance Total Rs 564 35 10

(Signed) Thos. Chadwick
Lt. 25 Regt Drags.
and Late in charge of a Lot of Remount
Horses—

J.

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I do hereby solemnly declare upon my word of Honor that the number of carriage Bullocks (94) ninety four were actually employed for the Lot of Remount Horses—

Signed T. Chadwick
Lieut. 25th Regiment Drags
Late in charge of Remount Horses—

I do hereby Certify upon my honor that the average price of Gram in the Country I passed through has been at the rate of fifty seers for the rupee—

Signed T. Chadwick
Lieut 25th Regt Drags
late in charge of Remount Horses—

To the Military Secretary to Government

Sir,

I have to request your attention to the following Statement, In compliance with the division orders of the 31st of May I marched with a Detachment of Cast Horses to Arundy Droog and was to return with a remount Lot for the Regiment of Cavalry serving in

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in the Ceded Districts, which Lot I received from
Captain Mason of the 5th Regement N. Co on the 29th
June, and delivered to the different Corps in Camp
on the 18th July; while I was making out my
accounts against Government, which I understood
had been customary with officers in the same
situation; Major General Campbell issued an
order for the Horses to be taken on the strength of
the Regiments from the Day I received them at
Nundydroog, and the Officer in charge to settle
with the parties concerned; on my making out
my accounts against Officers Commanding Regements
they objected to charges made against them as they
could not be allowed Regimentally, from which
circumstance I shall be a very considerable loser by
the purchase of Forage for the Horses under my
charge, as it must be well known that no
Grass Cutter will lead a Horse, clean him and
Cut his Grass and I have no doubt on my ac-
counts being examined by Government and found
to

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to correspond with those of officers in a similar
situation they will be immediately ordered to be
paid, as I was under the necessity of advancing
the Money expended on account of the Detacht.
myself — If the accounts must be passed Regi-
mentally I hope some indemnification may be
made me, for the purchase of Forage which
was unavoidable on my parts, nor could I
foresee that the accounts would be ordered to be
settled in any other than the usual way —

/Signed/ T. K. Dawes

Lieutenant 25th. Dn.
Dragoons

Camp Gooty.
5th. September 1801.

The

The Honorable Company D.r to Lieutenant Dawes of H.M. 25th Regiment Light Dragoons, in charge of a Lot of Remount Horses received at Nundydroog, on the 29th June 1801 and delivered to their respective Regiments on the 8th July 1801.

To allowance for 101 Horses from 29th June to 17th July 1801 inclusive a 49/40 ea. (19 Days)		75	16	28
101 Horse keepers Pay for the above time		97	16	40
Batta for Do.	Do.	42	29	-
101 Grass Cutters Pay	Do.	63	40	48
Batta for Do.	Do.	42	29	-
9595 Seers of Gram	Do. at the rate of 5 Seers			
℔ Horse Daily (50) Seer the Rupee		54	35	20

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26 Days hire for 75 Bullocks for the carriage of Grain fr. 29th June to 24th July inclusive a 5.P-1/2 per Month ..... } 99 15 -

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Deduct the following shipplied by Division orders-

H. M. 25th Drags	9 Rs.	90
W. - 4th NC -	10 "	20
" 6th NC -	8 "	12
Total	28 -	52 -

93 15 32

Balance - 382 28 24

N.B. 10 of the above Followers Deserters - }

Signed T. H. Dawes Lt. 25th Dragoons
in charge of a remount Lot of Horses -

Capt. & Adjt. 15th Hussars 1st September 1808.

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I do hereby certify that the average price of Grain in the Countries through which I passed was at the rate of (50) fifty Seers per Rupee—

(Signed) T. H. Dawes Lieut.
25th Dragoons—
in charge of Remount Horses—

I do declare upon my word of Honor, that the Number of Carriage Bullocks (75) Seventy five were employed in the Carriage of Gram for the use of the Detachment—

(Signed) T. H. Dawes
Lieutenant
25th Dragoons—
in charge of Remount Horses

Resolution thereon— Resolved to inform Major General Campbell that the Board approve the arrangement made by his orders for distributing the Remount horses under the care of Lieutenants Chadwicke and Dawes; and therefore deems the claim preferred by these officers to be unreasonable and inadmissible—

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Read the following letter from the Barrack Master at the Presidency

To Josiah Webbe Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Barrack Master at the Presidency enclosing Statement of repairs required to officers Quarters in Fort St George

The field officers quarters adjoining that of the Senior Officer in garrison requires repair so much as to be scarcely habitable and the flooring of the Veranda of the officers quarters of the Kings barracks is in a hazardous state

Exclusive of these defects various small repairs are required to other quarters, of which I have prepared the accompanying detailed Statement for the information of the Military Board in case the Right Honorable the Governor in Council should be pleased to order the requisite repairs to be executed

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I have the honor &c
Signed M. Wilks
Barrack Master

Minute thereon

Resolved and ordered that the Military Board be directed to give orders for executing the repairs required to the officers Quarters in Fort St. George

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The widow of the late Conductor Connor having

The widow of the late Conductor Connor admitted on Lord Clives fund.

taken the prescribed Oath of Qualification entitling her to the benefit of Lord Clives fund, Ordered that the Certificate of her qualification be transmitted to the Office of audit, with orders for the payment of the pension due to her accordingly.

The Secretary reports to the Board the

The deaths of Captain Baker Fennell of the 1st Battn of Artillery Lieutenant Robert B. Scott of the 2d Battn of Artillery and Mr. W. J. B. Bray Cadet of Infantry.

death of Captain Baker Fennel of the 1st Battalion of Artillery on Board the H. C. Prince Wm Henry on the 8th June last, the death of Lieutenant Robert B. Scott of the 2d Battalion of Artillery at Vellore on the 5th Instant, and the death of Mr. W. J. B. Bray Cadet of Infantry at the Presidency on the 12th Instant.

" Clive

" Stuart

" Wm Petrie

" C. H. Tattersall.

W. J. Thomas Esq

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Received the following Letter

To F. Webbe Esq.re

Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Commandant at Arcot He has released the whole of the Prisoners except Conary, and has made a small Advance to each individual to enable them to reach their respective homes. He has endorsed on the Paymaster for the Amount of Arrears due to the Abyssinian Company, and will order them to proceed to Chepauk the Arrears due to the other troops and establishments of the late Government will be settled in a few days. The Commissioned Officers carry with them a state for the Consideration of Government.

Pursuant to your Letter under date the 4th Instant, I have released the whole of the Prisoners with the Exception of the Maniore Conary who were confined in the Fort of Arcot, and made them Individually a small Advance according to the distance each had to go, in order to enable them to reach their respective homes.

The Arrears of the Abyssinian Company have been Settled and the Amount of the same Indented for upon the Paymaster, which when received, I shall immediately direct that Corps to Proceed to Chepauk with the Elephants, Camels, and Horses, of the late Nabob.

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The Arrears of Pay of the Troops and other Establishments of the late Government attached to the Fort of Arcot will also be adjusted and the Abstracts of the same Prepared in the Course of this day; when I shall in the like Manner Obtain the Amount of the Cash, and immediately upon Signing the same, discharge the Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates, and give Pension Certificates Agreeable to your directions to the Commissioned Officers.—

The other Points Contained in your Letter I shall likewise Minutely Attend to and lose no time in Carrying the intentions of Government into Execution respecting them.—

It is with Satisfaction I have it in my Power to Add, that the Commissioned Officers of the late Nabob, feeling Sensible of the Indulgence Shewn

them,

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them, Express their Gratitude in the Warmest Manner for the Liberal Consideration of Government in having been Pleased to grant them a Pension equal to half their full Pay during Life.—

I have the honor to be

Arcot

Sir &c. &c. &c.

September 14 1801. (Signed) T. Pater

Colonel Commanding

the Cavalry Cantonm.t

near Arcot

Received a Letter from Mr. Le Mesurier entered in M. B. Nos 40 Enclosing Copies of a letter and its Accompaniments from the Garrison Storekeeper at Bombay on the subject of the provisions embarked for the use of his Majesty's 74th Regiment on the Ships David Scott, Clarissa and Britannia.—

From the Sub-Secretary at Bombay.—

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Sent the following Letters.—

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To Lieutenant General Stuart

President &c. &c. Members of the

Military Board

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letters dated 4th. Instant to inform you that payment of the several bills and Advances of Money Recommended by you has been authorized, and to return herewith the Register of Extraordinaries for the Month of June 1801 with the orders of Government thereon.

I have the honor to enclose a report on the Officers quarters in Fort St. George requiring Repair, and am directed to desire that the Orders requisite for that purpose may be issued. —

I enclose by Command of the Governor in Council a return of Provisions landed at Tranquebar from the Ships David Scott

To the Military Board. Informing them that payment of the bills and Advances of Money recommended in their letter of the 4th. Instant has been authorized and returning Register of Extraordinaries for June with the Orders of Government Annexed. Inclosing report on the Officers Quarters in Fort St. George requiring Repair and desiring that the Orders requisite for that purpose may be issued. Inclosing a return of Provisions landed at Tranquebar from the David Scott and Britannia. —

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Scott and Britannia

I have the honor to be

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&c. &c.

(Signed) J. Webbe

Chief Secretary to Govt.

To Captain P. Bruce

Deputy Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Deputy Military Auditor General. Forwards for payment the bills and Advances of Money as recommended in an enclosed extract from a letter from the Military Board. The charges stated in an enclosed extract from a report of the Medical Board for the transportation of Medicines to Ceylon, to be admitted and debited to that Presidency. Enclosing Certificate entitling the Widow of Conductor Conner to the benefit of Lord Clives fund also extract of a letter from the officer Commanding at

Para. 1. I inclose extract from a letter from the Military Board dated 11th Instant and am directed to desire that the authority may be granted for payment of the bills and Advances of Money therein recommended.

2. I also enclose extract from a report of the Medical Board; and am directed to desire that the charge therein stated for the transportation of Medicines to Ceylon may be admitted and debited to that Presidency.

3. I inclose the Certificate entitling the Widow of Conductor Conner to the benefit

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benefit of Lord Clives Fund; and am directed to desire that the Amount of the Pension may be paid to her.—

4. I inclose extract of a letter from the Officer Commanding at Tranquebar, and am directed to desire that you will adjust the Claim of the Master of the Clarissa for the conveyance of the Lascars according to the usual practice in similar cases.—

5. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letters dated 10.th Instant.

6. Under the circumstances stated by Lieutenant Colonel McNeile the Governor in Council permits that Officer to draw the Amount of the establishment as well as of the Salary allowed to the Paymaster at the Molucca Islands during the period of time he acted in that Capacity.—

7. In the case stated by

Lieut.

at Tranquebar desiring him to adjust the claim of the Master of the Clarissa for the conveyance of Lascars from that Place to the Presidency.—

Lieutenant Colonel MacNeile to draw the Amount of the establishment and the Salary allowed to the Paymaster at the Molucca Islands, while he acted in that Capacity, the charge of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Crilly to be admitted, found on the actual number of Sick.

The circumstances stated by Colonel Nevers are not of such a nature as to authorise a violation of existing regulations.— Transmitting an account Sale of East Country Horses by the Paymaster at Fort St. George.—

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Lieutenant Colonel Mc. Neile with respect to the charge of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Crilly, the Governor in Council deems it expedient to relax the general regulations for charges of this description and to admit the charge of Mr. Crilly founded on the actual Number of Sick.—

8. The Governor in Council does not consider the circumstances Stated by Colonel Oliver to be of such a Nature as to Authorize a violation of the existing rules of the Service.—

9. I transmit for your information an Account Sale of Cast Cavalry Horses by the Military Paymaster of Fort St. George

Fort St. George I am— &c. &c.

17th September 1801.— (Signed) T. Webbe

Chief Sec. to Govt.

Sent the following Letters entered in Mr. B. Nos. 41. 42. 43.—

To the acting Secretary at Columbo.—

To Mr. Boyd— No particular regulation prevails at this Presidency for settling the

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The Arrears due to deceased Officers.—

To the Medical Board.—

To the Medical Board Trans-
-mitting Copy of a Letter from Bombay relative
to the Supply of Medicine intended to be dis-
-patched from thence to the Red Sea.—

To the Officer Commanding the forces in the Ceded Districts.—

To Major General Campbell
Approving the Arrangement made by his Orders
for destributing the Lots of remount horses and for
the care of Lieutenants Chadwicke and
Dawes, the claims preferred by those Officers
are consequently inadmissible.—

At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable Lord Clive
Governor and President
Lieutenant General James Stuart
Commander in Chief
William Petrie and
Ernst William Tallofield } Esquires

Friday 18th September 1801.—

Minutes of last Consultation
read.

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read and Approved.—

The Commander in Chief lays before the Board the following Memorandum.—

Memorandum

1st The Commander in Chief has the honor to lay before the Board a Letter with Enclosure from Brevet Major Matman of the 73d Regiment who came out on the True Briton, in Command of the Troops embarked on that Ship for this Country Major Matman applies for Allowances from his landing at the Cape of Good Hope until his Arrival in India; This The Commander in Chief cannot recommend, but as he has Stated to General Stuart, the extra Expence incurred by him, while at the Cape amounted to £ 100— The Commander in Chief recommends that he may be Reimbursed that Sum, for the reasons Stated in his Letter to the Deputy Adjutant General at the Cape for the Information of that Government

Likewise

Memorandum from the Commander in Chief Lays before the Board a letter with enclosure from Major Mosman who was in charge of the Troops on board the True Briton & recommends that his extra expences at the Cape — Amounted to 100 may be reimbursed to him — also a letter from Major Mosman to the Deputy Adjutant General His Majesty's troops inclosing an Account for beer purchased for the Convalescent Soldiers on board the True Briton & recommends the same may be discharged — lays before the Board letter from Mr. Newman Veterinary Surgeon His Majesty's 29th L. D. applying for some indemnification of the expense incurred by him while at the cape in charge of the Sick troops from —

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from the True Briton Recommends a donation of 300 Pagodas on this Account.

2nd Likewise a Letter from Major Mosman to the Deputy Adjutant General of the King's Troops enclosing an Account for Beer, which was purchased by him, for the use of, and delivered to the Sick, and Convalescent Soldiers, on board of the True Briton Amounting to £144..2.. This Expence being incurred by Major Mosman, at the particular Recommendation of the Surgeon of the Ship, for the Re-establishing and preserving the Health of the Men. The Commander in Chief Recommends that he may be reimbursed that Sum.

3rd The Commander in Chief lays before the Board a third Letter from Major Mosman giving cover to one from Mr. Newman Veterinary Surgeon of His Majesty's 29th Light Dragoons &c. in the distressed State of the True Briton; on Account of the Number and dangerous Situation of the Sick on board of

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of that Ship; Mr. Newman Appears to have great Merit, in having Volunteered his Services from the Hindostan (the Ship on which he was coming a Passenger to India) to afford his professional Assistance on board the True Briton; and as he Appears by his Letter to have had charge, during his Stay at the Cape, of the Sick Soldiers, from the True Briton, whereby he incurred considerable Expence — General Stuart recommends that Mr. Newman be allowed to draw the Sum of One hundred Pagodas as an indemnification for the Extraordinary Expence he was put to during his Stay at the Cape of Good Hope. —

18th September 1801. — (Signed) J. Stuart
Lieutenant General Stuart
Commander in Chief

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a

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Copy of a letter I addressed to Major General Dundas, on the subject of some allowance being made by the Government here for the extraordinary expence incurred by me on account of the State of the Troops under my Command, on board the True Briton Indiaman, a Statement of which General Dundas has forwarded to this Government.—

May I request permission to recall your Attention to the case of Major Robertson who left the Cape charged with a Dispatch for the Bengal Government and in consequence thereof received India Allowances from the date of his Arrival at the Cape.

I conceive the above to be a case precisely in point, excepting the Consideration that my Charge was far more arduous than that of Major Robertson.—

Madras September 12th 1801.— I have the honor &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) D. Maxwell
Major 73d Regt
Major

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Major Erskine

Deputy Adjutant General

Sir,

I beg leave to State to you for the information of Major General Dundas that being Ordered to join my Regiment in India and to embark in the Honorable Company's Ship True Briton, in charge of Recruits belonging to various Corps, I have in consequence been exposed to great inconvenience and which may ultimately tend to affect my interest in a pecuniary view.—

The unfortunate malady on board having rendered it absolutely necessary that we should touch here, I am thereby unavoidably detained for a considerable time, incurring expence which has been still further increased by frequent journeys between Cape Town, and Simons Bay, for the purpose of Adjusting disembarkation and procuring necessaries for the Troops under my Command, all which

would

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would have been avoided by embarking in another Ship where I had no such charge and where the passage Money defrayed by me would have been precisely the same, no Allowance whatever having been made me on that head.—

If the General would have the goodness to take these circumstances into his consideration, a representation of the same by him to the Madras Government I am confident will have the desired effect of placing me on Allowances from the time of my landing here, more especially when it is considered that Officers coming from India to this place for their health, and proceeding no further are invariably allowed the same as if in India, and a recent instance has occurred of Major Robertson proceeding from hence with a Dispatch from Lord Keith being considered on the establishment from the date of his arrival.—

I have the honor &c. &c.

Cape Town July 11th. 1801.—

(Signed) R. Hosman
Major 73d Regt.

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Lieutenant Colonel Robertson

Deputy Adjutant General

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I beg you will be pleased to take the earliest opportunity of laying before the Commander in Chief, the enclosed Account of Porter furnished by me to the Sick Soldiers of the Detachment under my Command, on board the True Briton Indiaman, which was issued at the particular Recommendation of the Surgeon, as the accompanying letter will shew.—

Madras I have the honor &c. &c.

September 12. 1801.— (Signed) A. Mosman

Major 73d Regt.

Major Mosman

Commanding H. M. Troops

Sir, on board H. C. Ship True Briton.

I beg leave to suggest to

your—

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your Consideration the propriety of such of H.
M. troops on board this Ship, as are in a State
of Convalescence, having a daily allowance of
Porter or Ale, which I think will tend to
restore them to their wonted Strength more than
any other Beverage which they can procure. I have
no doubt but that Captain Clarke will readily
accommodate you with a quantity sufficient
for this purpose out of his private Stores.—

May 1st. 1801.— I have— &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Fr. Garrett

Surgeon H. C. S.

Ship Britons.—

Lieut. Colonel Robertson

Deputy Adjutant General

Sir,

I have the honor to forward
the accompanying letter from Mr. Neumann—
Veterinary Surgeon of the 29th. Dragoons, and
to observe that during the time he was in charge
of the Sick Soldiers under my Command his—
attentio-

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attention was such as to afford me great
Satisfactions.—

Madras I have the honor &c &c
September 14th 1801.—(Signed) D. Mosman
Major 73rd Regt

To Major Mosman
73rd Regiment Foot
Fort St George

Sir,

The Sickly State of these Troops on Board the True Briton E. I. M. having been represented, to Captain Hillet of the Hindostan, I heard the circumstances related and offered my Services, which being accepted, I went on Board and after remaining there some time, was so unfortunate as to Attacked by the Fever, which prevented me returning to my Ship, consequently was under the necessity of accompanying the Troops into the Cape of Good Hope, where during our

Stay

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stay I had charge of the Hospital and thereby incurred a Considerable expence. I have therefore to request that you will have the goodness to represent the same to the Commander in Chief in order that such indemnification may be made to me as may appear reasonable.

Fort St. George I have the honor to be
September 14th. 1801. &c. &c.

(Signed) Saml. Newman

To Samuel Newman Esq.
Acting Surgeon H. M. 29th. Regt. Light Dragoons
Madras

My Dear Sir.

I should deem myself very ungrateful were I to omit, previous to your leaving Madras, offering my best thanks for the very handsome manner in which you volunteered your Services on board the Honorable Company's Ship under my Command, when the Military were so grievously afflicted with a

Contagious

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Contagious Fever — I hesitate not a moment in saying that I conceive your coming to us in that distressing Situation was the means of saving several lives, and of rendering the existence of the Survivors more tolerable, and have no doubt that Government will derive the same impression as testified by General Dundas and Sir Roger Curtis, in the Sentiments they expressed on your praise worthy Conduct; and be ready to Re-imburse you the necessary heavy Expences you incurred at the Cape, as well as the means of proceeding to Bengal to join your Regiment — I am happy to think you are so well recovered from the severe Indisposition you underwent from your assiduous Zeal amongst our poor fellows, and with every assurance of Esteem; —

Fort St. George
14th September 1805 —

I am —

&c. &c.

(Signed) W. S. Clarke

General

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General Stuart

Commander in Chief &c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that during our remaining at the Cape of Good Hope from the 20th of June to the 24th of July I had charge of 167 European Soldiers in Hospital of a Joal Fever.—

September 17th 1805.— I have the honor &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Saml. Newman
V. Surgeon 29th D.

Resolved in conformity to the recommendation of the Commander in Chief to reimburse the extraordinary expence being £100 incurred by Brevet Major Mosman during his detention, at the Cape of Good Hope; and that Orders be given for presenting the Sum of One hundred Pagodas to the Veterinary Surgeon of His Majesty's 29th Dragoons.—

Ordered

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Ordered that the Bill for beer supplied to the Convalescents on board the True Briton Amounting to £ 444 be passed for payment.—

Memorandum

1st

2d

In consequence of the Appointment of Lieutenant Richard Otto Bayer, of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry, to be Adjutant to the Right Honorable the Governor's Body Guard, the Commander in Chief recommends that the subjoined Appointment be made.—

1st Regiment Native Cavalry.—

Lieutenant Edward Lyne to be Quarter Master, vice Bayer.—

The

Memorandum from the Commander in Chief Recommends Lieutenant Lyne to be Quarter Master to the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry vice Bayer and Lieutenant Harris to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment vice Keene transferred to the Civil Service Recommends that an error in the dates of Commission assigned to Lieutenant Kennedy Hampbell of the 3d Regiment Native Cavalry may be rectified.—

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2nd. The Commander in Chief recommends that the Annexed Appointment be made in the 1st. Battalion 8th. Regiment to supply the vacancy in it occasioned by the transfer of Lieutenant Keene to the Civil Service.—

1st. Battalion 8th. Regiment.—

Lieutenant William Harris to be Adjutant, vice Keene.—

An error having been Committed in assigning the dates of Commissions

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Commissions to Lieutenants Kennedy,
and Campbell, of the 3rd Regiment
Native Cavalry, the Commander in
Chief recommends that the follow-
-ing alterations be ordered for the
purpose of rectifying it.—

Lieutenant Robert
Kennedy— Date of Commission—
11th August 1801.—

" W. C. Campbell
— Ditto — 18th Ditto.—

18th September 1801.— (Signed) J. Stuart

Resolved and Ordered

that

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that the foregoing Appointments and Arrangements be ordered to take place in conformity to the Recommendation of the Commander in Chief.—

" Clive

" Wheatley

" Wm Petrie

" Ch Farrington

W. D. Woodman
Sec.

Office of Secretary to Govt 18th

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18th Sent the following Letters entered in No. B. Nos 44. 45.—

To the Military Board. The

The Military Board.— Garrison Storekeeper to be instructed to embark — Water and Provisions for 160 Recruits of His Majesty's 10 Regiment proceeding on the Preston to Calcutta.—

To Captain Murray — Order-

To the Commander of the Preston. -ing him to prepare his Ship for receiving 2- Officers and 160 Privates of His Majesty's 10th Regiment to be conveyed to Bengal. The Garrison Storekeeper will be instructed to embark Provisions &c.a for the use of the Men.

19th Received the following Letters entered in No. B. Nos 46 47 48 49.—

From the Commandant at Tranquebar. From Lieutenant Colonel Cullen — Encloses list of Provisions and Stores landed at Tranquebar from the Britannia — Recommends the disposal of a quantity of

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Paddy remaining in the Danish Storehouses.—

From Lieutenant Colonel Campbell— Forwards letter from Captain Stewart Commanding a Detachment of the 1st. Battalion 17th. Regiment Native Infantry under Marching Orders to Vellore, Soliciting for reasons therein Stated, a continuance of field Allowances until the Arrival of the Detachment at its place of destination.—

From the Commandant at Chandernaghery.

From the Town Major.—

From Captain Wilks— States that some Alterations are required to his Office which he requests may be Sanctioned.—

From the Commander of the Preston.—

From Captain Murray— The Preston shall be prepared to the utmost of her Capacity to receive the Number of Troops Ordered on board.—

20th

Order of Council

Military Department

Dated 20th. September 1801.—

Received the following letter from

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From the Deputy Military Auditor Generale.

The Right Honorable Lord Clive

President and Governor in Council

Fort St. George

My Lord,

From the Deputy Military Auditor General's Report on the Additional Estimate transmitted to him on the 11th Instt.

Having examined the Additional Estimate for the Current Month, which accompanied a Letter from the Chief Secretary to Government, under date the 14th Instant, I have the honor to report, that the Amount thereof Viz. Twenty Seven thousand Six hundred and Six Pagodas Seventeen Fanams, and four Cash (Ps. 27,606.17.4.) is admissible, and issuable from the General Treasury, being required by the Military Paymaster General to make Advances to the Garrison Storekeeper at the Presidency, and to the Gram Agents of different Regiments of Cavalry, by the Deputy Paymaster General of the King's Troops, to discharge the Arrears of Subsistence due to the Officers of His Majesty's 33rd

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and 75th Regiments, and by the Paymaster at Vellore, to pay off the Troops &c. in the several of the late Government of Arcot.—

Military Auditor General's Office, Fort St George 16th September 1805.

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

(Signed) D. Bruce
Depty Mily Genl

In consequence of the foregoing Report— Ordered that the Sum of Twenty Seven Thousand Six hundred and Six Pagodas, Seventeen Fanams, and four Cash (Pagodas 27,606 17 4) be issued from the Treasury to the Military Paymaster General on account of Additional Estimate enclosed in his letter of the 14th Instant.—

Ordering the Issue of Pagodas 27,606 17 4. to be Issued to the Military Paymaster General on account of the additional Estimate forwarded in his letter of the 14th Instant.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.—

(Signed) T. Webbe
Chief Secretary to Govt

Sent a Letter to Mr. Roebuck

To the Military Paymaster General

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20th entered in M.B. No. 50 Transmitting the Deputy Military Auditor General's Report on his Additional Estimate of the 14th Instant.—

25th Sent the following Letter.—

To Captain P. Bruce

Deputy Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Deputy Military Auditor General Desiring him to authorise the sum of 100£ being paid to Brevet Major Mosman His Majesty's 73d Regiment also payment of 100 Star Pagodas to the Veterinary Surgeon His Majesty's 29th Dragoons— To pass for payment an enclosed Bill for beer supplied on board the Ives Briton to the Convalescents of His Majesty's Troops.—

Para 1. I am directed to enclose the Copy of a letter from Brevet Major Mosman of His Majesty's 73d Regiment and to inform you that under the circumstances Stated by that Officer the Governor in Council has resolved to reimburse the Amount of the extraordinary expense being £100 incurred by him during his detention at the Cape of Good Hope in charge of the Sick troops and you will accordingly authorise the Amount to be discharged.—

2. Mr. Newman Veterinary Surgeon of His Majesty's 29th Dragoons having made a voluntary offer of his Services for the

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the care of the Sick on board the True Briton, and having continued in charge of them at the Cape of Good Hope the Governor in Council has resolved to present to him the Sum of One hundred Star Pagodas which you will authorise to be paid Accordingly.—

3. I am also directed to desire that you will press for payment the enclosed bill Amounting to £114 for Beer supplied on board the True Briton to the Convalescents of His Majesty's Troops.—

Fort St. George I am &c. &c. &c.
25th September 1801.— (Signed) J. Webbe
Chief Sec. to Govt.

22d Received the following.—

Memorandums.—

Memorandum

1st The Commander in Chief.—

Memorandum from the Commander in Chief submitting the proceedings of the Medical Board of the 17th and 25th

Submits to the Board the Proceedings of the Medical Board in meeting of 17th September 1801.—

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1805; and Recommends that Mr. Assistant Surgeon James Wyse be accordingly posted to the 2nd Battalion of the 10th Regiment Native Infantry.

Likewise the proceedings of that Board dated the 21st Instant and General Stuart Recommends that Mr. Head Surgeon Harris who at present stands Appointed to Malabar may be Appointed to Succeed Mr. Bonnie as Head Surgeon at Masulipatam.—

22d September 1805.— (Signed) J. Stuart.

At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor and President

Lieutenant General James Stuart

Commander in Chief

William Petrie

and

Ernst William Tallofield } Esquires

Minutes of last Consultation

read

Tuesday 22d September 1805.—

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Read and Approved.—

Read the following Letters

from the Military Board.—

To the Right Honorable Lord Clive

Governor in Council

&c.a &c.a &c.a

My Lord,

1st We have had the honour

to receive the Letters of the Chief Secretary

to Government under date the 7th Instant,

and have given the requisite Orders in—

consequence.—

2nd We have the honour

to forward for the decision of your Lord-

ship in Council Register of Bills of Exchange

-nished from the Paymaster in Malabar for

the Month of April last, with our Opi-

-nion upon the several Charges therein—

contained.—

From the Military Board. Necessary Orders have been given in consequence of letter to them of the 7th Instant. Forwarded Register of Bills of Exchange furnished by the Paymaster in Malabar for April last, with their Opinion upon the several charges. Enclose Copy of a letter from the Commander of the Wellesley to the Garrison Storekeeper, and a Statement exhibiting the actual deficiencies in the Provision Stores landed from that Vessel with their Opinion on that subject. Recommend payment of certain advances of Bread—

3rd Having in conformity to

your

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your Lordship's Commands signified to us in a Letter from the Chief Secretary to Government under date the 19th. of August, directed the Garrison Storekeeper to call upon the Commander of the Wellesley Transport to account for the deficiency in the Articles landed from that Ship— We have received from Mr. Brodie a Report on the Subject accompanied by a Letter from the Commander of the Wellesley, Copy of which we enclose for your Lordship's information; as also Statement exhibiting the actual deficiencies of Provision Stores, with our opinion respecting the several Articles for which Captain Gordon should be held responsible, and those for the expenditure of which we are of opinion he has well accounted—

4th. We beg leave to recommend Payment of the following Advances of Cash.—

Ans

Copy

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No 1 An Advance of Pagodas 3100
to the Garrison Storekeeper at the Presidency
for the Provision of Articles Ordered
to be Shipped on the Wellesley Transport
for the Bengal Artillery, Gun Lascars,
followers &c. embarked on that Ship
for Calcutta.—

No 2 A further Advance of
Pagodas 92..... to the Secretary to our
Board on Account of the Provision of
the honorary Badges Ordered to be prepared
for the Volunteers recently Arrived from
Amboyna under the Command of Lieuten-
ant Colonel Mac Neile.—

We have the honor to be
Sir &c &c

Fort St George
15th September 1808.

(Signed) I Stuart
Jnr Richardson
C Trapaud

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J. Brodie Esquire

Garrison Storekeeper

Sir,

I beg leave to make some observations on the apparent Deficiencies of Provisions Received, Issued, and Returned to, and from, the Wellesley in the first place Biscuit and Flour the Insect called Weevil having got into both, consumes and wastes it greatly, especially Biscuit, which in a short time after the Weevil gets in will lose nearly half its weight, the great waste may be seen by a Comparative view of the Number of bags with the neat weight received here, and the Number of Bags with the gross weight delivered at Bombay all the Bags being deliver-ed full and in good Condition from Ship damage & both reported

unserviceable

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Unserviceable from the Vessel the Rice and Dholl suffered less, being less Vexilled — The Arrack is where I am most at a Loss to Account for the deficiency — as there was only 24 twenty four Seagers received on Board which contained 3,600 Gallons — of these, ten were issued to the Troops, and fourteen Seagers landed in good Condition in Bombay, which at the Average rate ought to gauge 3600 Gallons instead of which I see only 3773 Gallons — Credited. I have an Order and Receipt for 15 Gallons delivered to the Experiment —

Next. I have to mention the Stores not set down in the Books Signed by Colonel Champagne — for Firewood, the Number of People on board it was impossible to check them from the Divers necessary and with the like

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Quantity returned, the Expenditure will not differ much from their Allowance.—

2nd Buckets— besides the— Quantity received, the Troops and Followers expended for the Ship above Fifty, as I had my Cooper almost employed making them— Six or eight going astern in— a Morning— 3rd. Both fire places were landed at Bombay compleat— (called Caboses) also two Bags, with all— the small Weights and measures Appear to be landed there by the Officers Books my Ships Steward being left in the— Hospital at Bombay may be the— means of some small things being omit-ted or mislaid— Candles a very great— Quantity was expended for Sentinels the Sick— the Orloop and between— Decks— Top and Signal Lights— the Muskets were all given to the—

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Troops and Followers which were soon destroyed. Every thing that could be done for their Health and Comfort when on board, was done. The Orloop and Gun Decks frequently smoaked and Sprinkled with Vinegar. Scraped, aired, &c.a and not a single follower died during the long time they were on board, as the Ships sails at a heavy Expence, and now no longer in the Honorable Company's Service, I intend sailing for Bengal &c.a

Wellesley

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Wednesday. — But should the Honorable

Board not think my explanations satis-

factory, and it is required of me to

make good any apparent deficiency, the

House of Messrs. Tulloh, Connell, and

Brodie here are Agents for the

Wellesley and have my directions to

Answer any demand the Honorable

Board may require. —

Fort St. George
31st August 1801. —

I am &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Peter Gordon
Com. of the Wellesley

A true Copy
(Signed) John Macleane
Sec. to Mil. Board
Gordon

Settlement of the deficiency of Provision Stores Shipped on the Wellesley Transport for Port St. George as per 2 Receipts Signed by the Captain, dated 11th. February 1808.

	Gallons	Drams	Pounds	No.	Remarks by the Military Board
Barrack			476	34	
Salt Fish				1032	
Firewood				20832	
Biscuit			8	28½	
Rice			42	5½	
Oatmeal			84	2	
Flour			4	16 15	
Sugar			2	10 12	

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Resolved that the Register of Bills of Extraordinaries received from the Paymaster in Malabar be returned to the Military Board with the decision of the Board on the several Charges Annexed.

The Board concurs in the opinion of the Military Board regarding the remission which should be granted to the Master of the Wellesley Transport, as well as regarding the demand to be made on him for the value of the Vessel; Resolved accordingly to direct the Military Board to make Application to his Agents for payment of the Amount.

To the Right Honorable Lord Clive
Governor in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lords,

We have the honor to submit for the Consideration of

From the Military Board dated 15th Statements & Abstracts of Proposals rec'd for Settlements for

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the Garrison Store-keeper in Malabar, & for the Ordnance and Store Departments in Malabar and Canara. They have taken measures for ascertaining the lowest rates at which Artificers can be hired at the principal Stations on those provinces, and it is their intention to compile a table of pay which they will submit for the approbation of Government. Recommend payment of sundry Advances of Cash.

To your Lordship in Council, Statement (No. 1.) exhibiting the proposed Establishment for the Garrison Stocking in Malabar — and Statement (No. 2) — exhibiting the proposed Establishments in the Ordnance and Store Departments for the several Posts in Malabar and Canara.

Being of opinion that it will be more consistent with the usage of the Service to confine the Deputy Commissaries of Stores in the Northern, and Southern Districts of Malabar, to the charge of the Stores at the principal Stations only, viz.ᵗ — Cannanore and Cochin, instead of giving them, as at present, a general charge of all the Stations in their respective districts, — We have proposed the appointment of Conductors to places of inferior consequence. —

2nd The Papers before us have

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have not enabled us to propose a table of Pay proper to be established for the different Classes of Artificers, but we have directed the Officer Commanding in the Provinces of Malabar and Canara to assemble Committees of Officers for the purpose of ascertaining the lowest rates at which Artificers can be hired at the principal Stations in those Provinces, from whose Reports it is our intention to compile a Table of Pay which we shall Submit for your Lordships Approbation as expeditiously as possible.—

3d. We beg leave to recommend Payment of the following Advances of Cash:—

No. 1.— Thirteen of Pagodas 671:46 to the Engineer at Chittledroog, being the Second Advance of Cash made to him on Account of Buildings executing

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under his Superintendence at that
Station.—

No. 2 An Advance of Pagodas 2000...
to the Agent for Cavalry Supplies to the
5th Regiment of Cavalry on Account of the
Current disbursements of his Department.—

No. 3 The Sum of Pagodas 2199...15...26½.
to Captain Johnson of Bombay Engineers
on account of Works executing under
his Superintendence at Hullial.—

We have the honor to be

Fort St. George
15th September 1801.—

My Lord
Your Lordships
Most Obedient
humble Servants

(Signed) { J. Stuart
In. Richardson
E. Trapaud

Proposed

Proposed Establishment for the Garrison Storekeeper in

Malabar

Tellicherry

1 Clerk or Head Writer	15.	-	-
2 Writers	20.	-	-
1 Cooper	8.	24	-
1 Weighing Man	3.	18.	-
2 Measuring Men	8.	-	-
2 Peons	3.	18.	-
1 Sweeper	1.	-	-
Total per Month	59.	18.	-

Calicut

1 Clerk	15	-	-
1 Ditto	10.	-	-
1 Gentoo Writer or Conicapoley	3.	30.	-
1 Measuring Man	3.	12.	-
2 Peons	3.	18.	-

	5 Sweeper			2 12 -
				1 30 -
				1 - -
		Total per Months		21 - -
		Cannanore		
To be employed when Provisions are laid in at those Stations	1 Conicopoly			10 - -
	1 Measuring Man			3 12 -
	1 Peon			1 30 -
		Total per Month		15 - -
		Paulghautcherry		
	1 Conicopoly			10 - -
	1 Measuring Man			3 12 -
	1 Peon			1 30 -
		Total per Month		15 - -
		Grand Total Pagodas		117 3 -

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NB. Coolies for shifting and airing the Grain and Provisions to be employed as occasion requires, until Lascars are allotted to the different Stations — The Bills for Cooley hire to be Certified on honor by the Garrison Storekeeper and Approved by the Commanding Officers of Stations. —

(Signed) John Macleane
Sec.y Military Board —

Proposed

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Proposed Establishments for the Ordnance of Malabar and Canara, and the Monthly Candles, to be drawn by the Officer, or Person

Stations	Ordnance Officers	Commissaries	Deputy Commissaries	Conductors	Lascars	non Commissioned & Artificers
Malabar						
Cannanore			1		1	
Cochin			1		1	
Tellicherry						
Calicut						
Paulghaulcherry						
Canara						
Mangalore			1		2	
			3		4	

Tents Lascars: Malabar 3 Companies; Canara 1 Ditto

Total 11 Companies

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Home Departments in the Provinces

mance for Writers, Stationary, and —

of the Ordnance and Stores. ———

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(Signed) John Macleane
Secy. Mil. Board

To

6386. Fort St. George 22d. September 1.

To the Right Honorable Lord &c.
Governor in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

1st. We have had the honor to receive Letters from your Lordship in Council under date the 31st. August, 6th. and 11th. September, and Letter from the Chief Secretary to Government dated the 11th. September, have given Orders for carrying into effect the instructions they severally contained.

2nd. In reply to a Letter from the Secretary to Government in the Department dated the 15th. September we beg leave to remark that the Letter from your Lordship in Council bearing date the 2d. August, and referred to by Mr. Buchan in his Letter above mentioned contained no Orders whatever relative to Provision Stores on board the Wel-

From D. D. — Acknowledge receipt of several Letters and report that the necessary Orders have been given for carrying into effect the instructions they contained. The Letter to them of the 2d August referred to in Letter from the Secretary in the Public Department dated 13th September contained no orders relative to Provision Stores on board the Wellesley Transport. Report the completion of the Battery at the N. E. Angle of the Black Town Wall & request instructions respecting the erection of the three Batteries recommended by them August to be authorized to direct the erection of temporary Sheds near the Batteries and to give instructions for turning the course of the Nullah which runs near the finished Battery.

Recommend

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Transport. The first intimation we had
that there were any Provision Stores remain-
ing on board that Ship was contained in a
Letter from the Chief Secretary to Government
dated the 19th. August, but not received till
the Night of the 21st. of that Month, and
the requisite Orders for landing those Stores,
and calling upon the Commander of the Wellesley
to Account for the deficiencies, were sent to
the Garrison Storekeeper early on the 22nd. of
August. Our Report upon the Subject of
those deficiencies is already before your
Lordship in Council.—

3rd. We have the honor to report
the completion of the Battery at the North
East Angle of the Black Town Wall,—
intended for the protection of the Shipping
in the Roads, and request to be favoured
with your Lordship's Commands respecting
the other Batteries for that purpose, the
erection

erection of which was Recommended in ou
Letter of the 7th. January 1800.—

4th. We also request that
may be Authorized to direct the erection
temporary Sheds for the Accommodation
people who may be ordered to man the
Batteries, and to give instructions for
the course of the Nullah which runs
the Battery that has been completed
are of Opinion that if its present
is continued the foundation of the Ba
be exposed to materiable injury.—

5th. We beg leave to re
Payment of the following Advances of
(Viz.t) — An Advance of 2 Pagodas
the Agent for Supplies to the 7th. Reg
Cavalry, — and an Advance of Pagodas
to the Engineer at Masulipatam be
third of the estimated Expence of
the embankments at that Station.—

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We also recommend Payment of the enclosed Bills Viz.t

No. 1 Bill of the Garrison Store-keeper at Vellore, Amounting to Pagodas 9155. 16.

for Paddy laid in at that Station by our Orders.—

No. 2 Bill of the Garrison Storekeeper at Trichinopoly for Paddy laid in at that Station in conformity to an Order from us dated 18th July 1798, Amounting to Pagodas 18,736. 8. 12.—

No. 3 Bill of the Garrison—Storekeeper at Trichinopoly for Grooms provided by our Orders in the Year 1798 Amounting to Pagodas 809. 22.—

No. 4 Bill of the Garrison—Storekeeper at Trichinopoly for Grooms provided by him and approved by a Committee of Survey, Amounting to Pagodas 166. 28.—

&c

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We have the honor to be

Fort St. George &c. &c.

18th. September 1809 (Signed) F. Stuart
In. Richardson
E. Fraser

The Board Approves and it is Resolved Accordingly to confirm the establish-ments of Servants recommended by the Military Board for the Garrison Storekeeper in Malabar Amounting to Pagodas 147-3 per Month; and the Establishment of Lascars for the Ordnance department in Malabar and Canara.

Resolved also to inform the Military Board that the Board Approves their proportion for confining the Superintendence of the Deputy Commissaries of Stores in Malabar to the principal Stations of Canara and Cochin, and for Appointing Conductors to inferior Stations.

Resolved

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Resolved to inform the Military Board that the Board do not think it expedient to incur any further expense for the Batteries proposed to be erected at the North East Angle of the Black Town: Resolved however to give Authority for incurring the expense required for the erection of temporary barracks, and for the Security of the foundation of the present Battery.—

Resolved that Authority be given for the several payments and Advances of Money Recommended by the Military Board.—

The Commander in Chief lays before the Board the following Memorandums.—

Memorandum

Captain Thomas Wilson

Deputy Quarter master General to the Army

and Captain Alexander Orr Deputy Adjutant

Memorandum from the Commander in Chief Proposing that Captain Wilson Deputy Quarter Master General and Captain Orr Deputy Adjutants General to the Subordinate forces may be permitted to exchange Situations.—

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Adjutant General to the Subsidiary force
being desirous to Exchange Situations — The
Commander in Chief therefore Recommends
that Captain Alexander Orr be appointed
Deputy Quarter Master General to the
Army and Captain Thomas Wilson Deputy
Adjutant General to the Subsidiary force.

22d. September 1801. — (Signed) J. Stuart

Resolved according to the
recommendation of the Commander in Chief
that Captain Alexander Orr be Appointed
Deputy Quarter Master General of the
Army; and that Captain Wilson be Appoin-
ted Deputy Adjutant General of the
Subsidiary force. —

Memorandum

1st. With a view to the relief
of the Native Infantry of the Coast Esta-
blishment Serving at the Molucca Islands,
and to the Reinforcement of the Troops
already

Memorandum from D. D. Rope
on that a Corps
of Native Infantry
to be denominated
the Madras Volun-
teer Battalion may
be raised for the
purpose of relieving
the Battalion now
serving at the
Molucca Islands
&c

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and of Enforcing those allotted to that Service in consequence of the late acquisition of Tornate Recommends that Captain M. Macpherson may be appointed to Command it.—

already allotted to that Service in consequence of the late Acquisition of the Island of Ternate, the Commander in Chief proposes that, for the Accomplishment of those very important objects, a Corps of Native Infantry be raised so as to proceed upon the Princess Charlotte, and Five Briton, Indiamen.—

2nd. This Corps to be denominated the Madras Volunteer Battalion: to be composed of five Companies, consisting of 5 Subidars, 5 Jemidars, 25 Havaldars, 25 Naigues, 1150 Privates, and 5 Puckallies, with a proportion of Artificers, and a Vakeel; and to be Commanded by a Captain Commandant, with an European Adjutant.—

3rd. In order to accelerate the raising of this Corps, the Commander in Chief suggests the expediency of its being composed of Volunteers from the Battalions at Vellore, and in different parts of the Coast

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Center Division of the Army, who may offer
their Services for 3 Years on the Occasion; and
Recommends that Captain Andrew Macpher-
-son of the 1st. Regiment Native Infantry,
an Officer well calculated for the Situation,
be appointed to Command the Madras
Volunteer Battalion.—

4th. An Officer to fill the
Post of Adjutant will be recommended
hereafter: but in the mean time, the Comman-
-der in Chief recommends that the necessary
Order for raising the Corps be published.—

22nd September 1801.— (Signed) J. Stuart

The Board entirely concur
in the Arrangement proposed by the Com-
-mander in Chief for raising a Volunteer
Corps for the Service of the Moluccas
Islands, and General Stuart is requested
to issue the necessary Orders for carrying
the Arrangement into effect.—

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The Board proceeds to read and pass Orders on the following proceedings of the Medical Board.—

Resolutions of the Governor in Council 22nd September 1801.—

From the Medical Board Recommend that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Wise may be appointed to do duty with the 2d Battalion 10th Native Regiment.—

Approved and Ordered.

Medical Board September 17th 1801.—

We recommend that Mr. Assistant Surgeon James Wyse be Appointed to do duty with the 2nd Battalion of the 10th Native Regiment about to March from Vellore.—

(Signed) Ja. Anderson
Physician General
T. Gahagan
M.D. & 2nd Member
Medical Board

By order of the Right Honble the Governor in Council.—

(Signed) J. Webbe Chief Secy to Govt
Medical

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Medical Board

September 21st 1805.

We have received an Application from Mr. Head Surgeon Bowie for permission to proceed to Europe on furlough for three Years, having completed an uninterrupted Service of Twenty Years on this Coventry — and seeing no objection to this indulgence being granted, We recommend his Application to the Sanction of Government.

Mr. Gourlay assistant Surgeon at Goa whose Situation as Medical Storekeeper at that Station is disapproved by Government

Resolution of the Governor in Council 22nd September 1805.

From D. D. Recommend that Mr. Head Surgeon Bowie may be permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for 3 Years. Mr. Assistant Surgeon Gourlay whose situation as Medical Storekeeper at Goa was disapproved by Government has applied for the difference of Salary and Office Establishment between what is attached to those Situations under the Bombay and this Government till the time of its being annulled. Recommend that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Campbell may be appointed to the 2nd Battalion 14th Native Regiment but to continue doing duty at the General Hospital in which that Corps may remain at Mysore. In consequence of the great supply of Medicines which have been dispatched to the Red Sea from Bombay, request to be informed whether this intended that the Supplies delivered to the

Approved and Ordered that Mr. Henry Harris be Appointed to succeed Mr. Bowie as acting Head Surgeon in the Northern Division of the Army. —

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should be forwarded.

Government on the 20th of
April last, but by a
subsequent Order permitted
to draw the extra allowance
of the Situation up to the
31st of May has applied
for the difference of Salary
and Office Establishment
between what is attached
to those Situations under
the Bombay and this
Government. But as he
was never Acknowledged
by this Government in the
Capacity of Deputy
Medical Storekeeper We
do not consider him entitled
to any further allowance
than what he has already
received agreeably to the
Regulations

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Regulations of the Govern-
-ment by which he was-
appointed, and up to the
period of his Seduction
being Annulled.—

We have directed
our Secretary to make this
communication to Mr. Gourlay
which we hope will meet
the Approbation of Government.

We recommend—
that Mr. Assistant Sur-
-geon John Campbell be
appointed to the 2nd. Batta-
-lion of the 14th. Native
Regiment but to continue
assisting in the duties
of the General Hospital
while that Corps may
remain at Vellore.—

Approved and Ordered.—

We

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We have the
honor to acknowledge the
receipt of the Chief Secre-
=tary's Letter under date
17th. Instant accompanied
by an intimation from
the Government of Bombay
that Supplies of Medecine
equal to Eight Months'
expenditure for 5000 Men
had been dispatched from
that Presidency for the
Red Sea Previous to the
receipt of this communica-
=tion the Supplies Ordered
by this Government under
date 24th. Ultimo were
delivered to the Special
Agent.— Understanding
however that these Supplies
have

Ordered that the Supply of Medicine prepared by the Medical Board be appro=priated to the use of the Molucca Islands and embarked on the Ships about to proceed to that Station.—

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have not yet been dispatched
shall we wait the Instructions
of Government whether it is
intended they should still
be forwarded or Countermanded.

(Signed) Ja.s Anderson
Physician General
T. Jackson M.D.
and 2d Member Med.l Board

By Order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) T. Webbe
Chief Sec.y to Govern.t

Read the following Letters from
the Military Paymaster General.

Josiah Webbe Esq.re
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose

From the Military Paymaster General
Enclosed Copies of a

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Letter from Lieutenant Hunt His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons Claiming the difference between the extra allowance of passage Money granted to Officers proceeding to Europe on the recruiting Service and the Sum of 80 Pounds as mentioned in the Obligation transmitted by the Deputy Military Auditor General submits the propriety of taking in Triplicate the Obligations of the Officers to whom a conditional allowance of passage Money has been granted.

I have the honor to transmit you Copy of a Letter from Lieutenant Hunt of the 25th L. D. claiming the Sum he has paid for Passage Money being one hundred and five Pounds in conformity to the 194th Para. of the Honorable Company's General Letter under date the 7th May 1800 and published the 29th December 1800 in lieu of the Sum of Eighty Pound as mentioned in the obligation transmitted by the Deputy Military Auditor General under date the 25th Ultimo Copy of which is herewith enclosed. I also beg leave to submit the propriety of having these Obligations taken in Triplicate in my Office two of them to be transmitted thro' Government House, and the third to remain as a Voucher for the Sum paid.—

I request you will be pleased to submit the above Statement to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.— I have

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I have the honor to be

Fort St. George &c. &c.

9th. September 1805.— (Signed) B. Roebuck

Mr. Paym. Genl.

Benjamin Roebuck Esq.

Military Paymaster General

Sir,

My Application to Lieutenant General Stewart was that he would be good enough to Apply to the Governor in Council, that I might be reimbursed for the loss of my Passage on the Malabar, to the Amount of the Allowance granted by the Regulations to Officers ordered to England, on the recruiting Service.—

I conceive it was the intention of the Governor in Council to grant me that Allowance, and that the order which you mention to have received limiting my indemnification to Eighty Pounds, has originated

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Originated in an inadvertant reference to the Orders of Government relative to this Subject the most of which grant One hundred and five Pounds to Officers Proceeding to Europe on the recruiting Service, and which of course supersede the former ones which only granted Eighty Pounds.—

You will therefore oblige me, by applying to the Secretary to Government to know whether it is the intention of Government to limit the indemnification to Eighty Pounds, or to grant me the Amount of the Allowance to Officers Proceeding to England on the recruiting Service, which is One hundred and five Pounds.—

I have the honor to be

Sr. Thome

September the 5th 1805.—

&c.a &c.a

(Signed) Geo. Hunt

Lieut.c 25th Dragr.

A true Copy

(Signed) B. Roebuck

Mr. Secy Paym.r Genl.

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Having been ordered to Proceed to Europe on the recruiting Service for His Majes-ty's 84th. Regiment and having taken and paid for my Passage in the Ship Malabar, which was unfortunately burnt in Madras Roads a few-day previous to her intended departure for England The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has in consideration of the Loss I sustained by that event, been pleased to grant the Sum of Eighty Pounds Sterling as an Indulgence, on my engaging to refund the same in the event of it's not being Approved of by the Honorable Court of Directors, which I do hereby accordingly engage to do.—

Fort St. George (Signed) J. Hamilton
25th. August 1801.— Lieut. of H. M. 84th Regt.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) D. Bruce
Dept. Ma. Gen.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) D. Brooke Asst. to

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The Board consider Lieutenant Hunt's Claim to be founded on the true interpretation of the Orders of the Honorable Court of Directors published in the General Order of the 29th December last; Resolved Accordingly to direct that the rate of passage Money therein described may be allowed in the several ranks to which they Apply.—

Ordered that the Military Paymaster General be informed that the Board Approve his taking in triplicate the Obligations of the Officers to whom a Conditional Sum has been advanced for their passage, in Order that they may be transmitted to the Honorable Court of Directors.—

Josiah Webbe Esq.r

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have to request the Right

Hon.ble

From the Military Paymaster General
with instructions
respecting

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re. stating the Interest to be charged on the Bond granted by Captain Lieutenant Kenny to the Honorable Court of Directors.—

Honorable the Governor in Councils Commands respecting the Interest to be charged on the Bond granted by Captain Lieutenant Kenny to the Honorable the Court of Directors the following is a part of the same— "Now the "Condition of this Obligation is such that the "above bounden David Courtney Kenny do re- "turn to his duty at Fort St. George aforesaid "by one of the Ships bound to the East Indies "in the present Season One thousand Eight "hundred and pay to the Governor in Council "of Fort St. George aforesaid the said Sum of "One hundred Pounds with lawful Interest "thereon in the course of three Months after "his arrival at Fort St. George"—

Fort St. George I have the honor to be
10th September 1801. &c. &c.

(Signed) B. Roebuck
M. P. G.

Ordered that the Military Paymas

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Paymaster General be informed that the Board consider the lawful rate of interest intended to be demanded on the Bond of Lieutenant Kenny to be five per Cent per Annum.—

Read the following Letter from the Town Major of Fort St. George.—

"To T. Webbe Esq.re

Chief Secretary to the Government

Sir,

In conformity to the Verbal Orders communicated to Captain Shaw when acting as Town Major the Accompanying Pay Rolls and Abstracts of the Arrears due to the Troops of the late Nabob at the Presidency, have been prepared from the Accounts delivered by the Scrishtadars and other Accountants attached to the Military establishments of His Highness.—

From the Town Major— Forwards pay rolls and abstracts of the Arrears due to the Troops of the late Nabob at the Presidency, and enters into a detail of certain particulars connected with the subject.—

During the few days since it has become my duty to make enquiry into the Nature of the Claims Stated in these—

Accounts

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Accounts— I have had reason to be satisfied that they are far from being Correct Statements of the Arrears actually due, and the Lists of those described as Supernumeraries, Men formerly Military, but at the time of the Nabob's death, either in waiting at the durbar, or employed as a Species of Orderlies about the Mahals are said to contain items which are particularly liable to the imputation of being fabricated.—

Mean while the wants of the Non Commissioned and private, who have waited for two Months without employment are in great distress, and I can propose no mode by which the truth of these Accounts can be speedily ascertained, nor any, by which Claims so various, and so little reducible to regular tests can be determined with Accuracy even with a further considerable delay.—

The total of the Accounts comprising Arrears of from 3/4 to half a Month

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A Amount to the Sum of £73,777..28..50. a

B these the description of Supernumeraries, c
P. F. C.
to 2,896..22..15.—

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Officers on half their present pay Amoun
P. F.
C 892..15. per Month and new Claims are
presented.— The Arrears of some Europe
and Serjeants are included in these Note
I understand there are others, which hav
been presented.—

According to the prac
the Native Courts there is no fixed rate
for Officers of the same rank, but in reg
their pensions it may be considered exp
to limit the highest rate.—

The Native Officers on
ing the grounds for suspecting fabri
which have been made known to me, hav
voluntarily presented Muchilikas Sta
on the responsibility of their future fa

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from the Company's bounty the Number of Men
now actually present for Muster, excluding
the Supernumeraries, the deduction which the
D authority of these documents will produce, may
P. F. C
Amount to 1915.. 29.. 73...

I beg leave to State from a
personal knowledge of the Character and Conduct
of Mohammed Ibrahim, Commandant of Infan-
-try, in the Service of the late Nabob, and for-
-mer a Trooper in the Governors Body Guard
that the information and Services derived from
that Officer, particularly at the period of the
late Nabobs last illness, and decease, tended
in a material degree to the preservation of
tranquility, and appear to render him deserving
of some particular mark of favor.

Town Majors office
Fort St. George
18th September 1801

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) Mc Wilks
Town Major

P.S. Shaw

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P. S.— I have added an Abstract E which will shew at one view the Number of Officers and Men — included in the pay rolls and Abstracts. —

Resolved and Ordered that a Copy of the above Letter with the Original enclosures thereon mentioned be transmitted to the Military Auditor General, with Orders to give Authority for discharging the Amount of the Arrear of pay due to each Class of Troops, taking care that the total Amount of Arrear to any particular Class shall not exceed the pay of half a year. —

Read the following Letter from the Officer Commanding in Mysoor. —

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Sir

I inclose Copies of Orders which have been issued by me during the Month of August which require the Confirmation of Government

From the Officer Commanding in Mysore — Incloses Copies of Orders issued by him during the month of August also Copy of a Letter from Mr. Head Surgeon — on establishment of Hospitals

I inclose the Copy

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Ord. 25th. Oct. 1801 Ans. Allowance of Spirits to the Native Troops.

A Letter from Lt. Anderson which will explain the necessity of the Order of the 25th. August. The N. Troops which came in from the Service in Wynaad, and those Stationed in that Country, have been sadly afflicted with the disorders which he mentions.

Seringapatam September 8th. 1801.

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

(Signed) Arthur Wellesley

Extracts from the Orders issued by the Honorable Colonel Wellesley dated

Seringapatam 14th. August 1801.

A European Officer, and a Detachment of Native Infantry from the Garrison of Seringapatam, Consisting of one Jemidar, one Havildar, two Naigues, and twenty one Privates to be in readiness to March at 6 o'Clock in the Morning of the 16th. Instant agreeably to instructions which the Officer for this duty will receive from the Deputy Adjutant Gen.

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A European Officer, and a Det
ment of Native Infantry, from the Garrison of
Chittledroog, Consisting of one Jemidar, one Hava
two Naigues, and twenty one Privates to march o
Receipt of this Order Agreeably to instructions w
will be transmitted to the Officer Commanding
that Garrison.

Seringapatam 16th. August 1801.

Lieutenant Colonel Crichtjage

or the Officer Commanding Nundidroog, will se
Six Deserters from the 1st. Battalion 18th. Regim
reported to be Apprehended and Confined at Nun
droog, to the Head Quarters of their Corps
near Arcot, under a Sufficient Guard, which
will return to Nundydroog as soon as the pre
-ners are delivered over.

Seringapatam 18th. August 1801.

Cornet Bell of the 6th. Regi
ment of Native Cavalry is to continue to act

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and he is Authorized to draw the Pay and Allowances of an Officer of Engineers of his Rank from the date of his transfer to the Cavalry while he continues to act as Engineer, agreeably to the above Order.—

Captain Freese acting Commissary of Stores at Seringapatam, is directed to dispatch four Officers Marquees (repaired, or new if he has not repaired Tents) upon Elephants which Captain Mackay will furnish, with a proportion of Sepoys to meet Officers coming from Goa, and Malabar, as Members of the General Court Martial who have no Camp Equipage.—

Seringapatam, 25th. August 1801.—

As it is found expedient to give Spirits to some of the Native Sick, the Deputy Medical Store-Keeper is Authorized to purchase Arrack at the Company's Stores at the rate at which it is paid for by the European Troops.—

The Surgeons in charge of Native Sick will forward their

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Medical Storekeeper for the quantity of Spirits which they may deem it necessary to give to the Sick: these Indents must be Countersigned by Mr. Anderson, and the Deputy Medical Storekeeper will comply with them.—

The Paymasters will discharge the Bills of the Medical Store Keeper for Arrack for the Native Sick: which will be supported by the Indents of the Surgeons as Vouchers.—

Seringapatam 26.th August 1804.—

In Consequence of the Orders of Government such of the Native Sick in the Mysore Country, and above the Ghauts, as in the Opinion of the Medical Gentlemen may require it, are to be supplied with Cotts and Quilts.—

Mr. Anderson will be pleased to give Orders to the Medical Store Keeper at Seringapatam to make up Cotts, and Quilts of a pattern which has been Approved for which a Price [illegible] be paid for each

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Cot, including Tape ... 1 30 ... 60 and for each quilt 31 Fanams ...

The Medical Gentlemen in Charge of Marine Sick, will Indent upon the Medical Store-keeper at Seringapatam for one Cott, and four quilts, being two Setts for each Man who on their Opinion may require them: and these Indents are to be Countersigned by the Ad. Inspector Gen. Hospl. Surgeon ...

The Medical Store-keeper will comply with those Indents ...

The Medical Store Keeper at Seringapatam is authorized to entertain a Coolie Lascar at five Pagodas per Mensem, and a Washerman at two Pagodas and a half per Mensem at each of the following Stations ...

Viz. Seringapatam

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and Chittledroog.

In Consequence of the Number of Native Troops at Seringapatam, two Washer-men are allowed at that place.—

The Commanding Officers of Stations are requested to allot a place in which these Cots and Quilts for the Native Sick can be safely lodged; especially upon the Removal of Corps from one Station to another.—

Colonel Wellesley cannot close this Order without adverting to the care which Government have always been found inclined to take of the Troops. He requests Commanding Officers of Corps will impress upon the minds of the Native Troops under their Orders, this additional Mark of the Attention of the Government which they are serving, to what can Contribute to their Comfo-

[illegible] be Afflicted.—

with

with Sickness.—

Seringapatam 26th. August 1801.—

Lieutenant H. G. Keene, late Adjutant of the 1st. Battalion 8th. Regiment Native Infantry having been Struck out of the list of the Army by Order of Government, in consequence of his Appointment to the Civil Service, Lieutenant Harris is, at the Recommendation of the Officer Commanding the Corps, Appointed to act as Adjutant to the 1st. Battalion 8th. Regiment Native Infantry; and is Authorized to draw the Pay and Allowances of that Office from this date until an Adjutant shall be Appointed to the Corps.—

27th. August 1801.— The Sick of the Corps in Wynaad, being above the Ghauts, are to have Cots, and Quilts in the same manner as those in Mysoore.—

The Medical Gentlemen

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Indent upon the Medical Storekeeper at Seringapatam in the manner laid down for the Corps in Mysore.—

The Medical Storekeeper at Seringapatam is Authorised to entertain a Conicopoly, and two Washermen for those Corps, The Conicopoly, and one Washerman to be Stationed at Hanundwaddy, and the other Washerman to be Stationed at Pudlenjall.—

Mr. Anderson will proceed to visit the Hospitals at Cheddledroog, the Cavalry Camp, and at Nundydroog.—

Seringapatam 29th. August 1802.—

Lieutenant Miller of the 1st. Battalion 1st. Regiment Native Infantry Commanding the Rajah's Guard at Mysore, being reported sick, another Officer of that Corps will proceed Tomorrow Morning to

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The Officer who relieves
Lieutenant Miller in the Command of the
Rajah's Guard at Mysore, is authorized to
draw the same Allowances, while on that
duty, according to his Rank, as were granted
by Government to Captain Vernons.—

(Signed) R. Barclay

Deputy Adjutant Genl.
in Mysore

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Anderson
To The Honorable Colonel Wellesley
dated August 20th 1801.—

Sir;

The loathsome and painful
Sores which have prevailed so long
amongst the Native Troops in Mysore,
I am sorry to say still continue, and
they have become so Malignant that
any Treatment, and every care that
has hitherto been [illegible]

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much effect in arresting their progress

which is some times so very rapid,

that the muscles on the feet and like-

-wise on the leg, are, in a few days entire-

-ly destroyed leaving the bones in a decay-

-ed and Mortified State.— The debility

that follows in Consequence of the dis-

-charge from Sores of so large a surface,

has, in many Cases proved fatal, and

several, who have recovered, have been

rendered unable to perform any sort

of Military Duty.—

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Surgeon in Charge of the Native Sick.

as well as to myself, that Cordials,

administered liberally would be in such

Cases of essential use, to support the

Strength of the patients, and to prevent

that faintishness which often takes place

in dressing so painful and extensive Sores -

The Expenses of the Native Sick, are by no

means adequate for such an exigency. I would

Recommend that Arrack should be furnished

to the Native Sick by Government, as a favor-

able change to produced among them -

That this indulgence may be granted -

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least possible expence, and that the Sick

may reap the Advantage of the expence what-

-ever it may be, I would Recommend that the Sur-

-geons in Charge of Native Troops be permitted to

to draw by daily Indents on the Deputy Medical —

Storekeeper, such quantity of Arrack as may

be required for their respective Sick; that

the Deputy Medical Storekeeper be Allowed to

purchase from the Company's Arrack godown,

at the rates Charged to the European Troops,

Arrack to answer the Surgeons Indents;

and that these daily Indents shall be —

Considered the Vouchers to the Paymaster to

discharge the Deputy Medical Store Keepers —

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Accounts Monthly, on Account of Wreck for Native Sick.—

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) D. Anderson
Head Surgeon.—

Resolved to inform Colonel
Wellesley that the Board Approve the Orders which
have been issued by him.—

Lord Clive states to the Board
His Lordship's intention of Appointing Captain
Macleod Aide de Camp to His Lordship in Military
Secretary.—

" Clive
" Stuart
" Fisher
" Caldfield