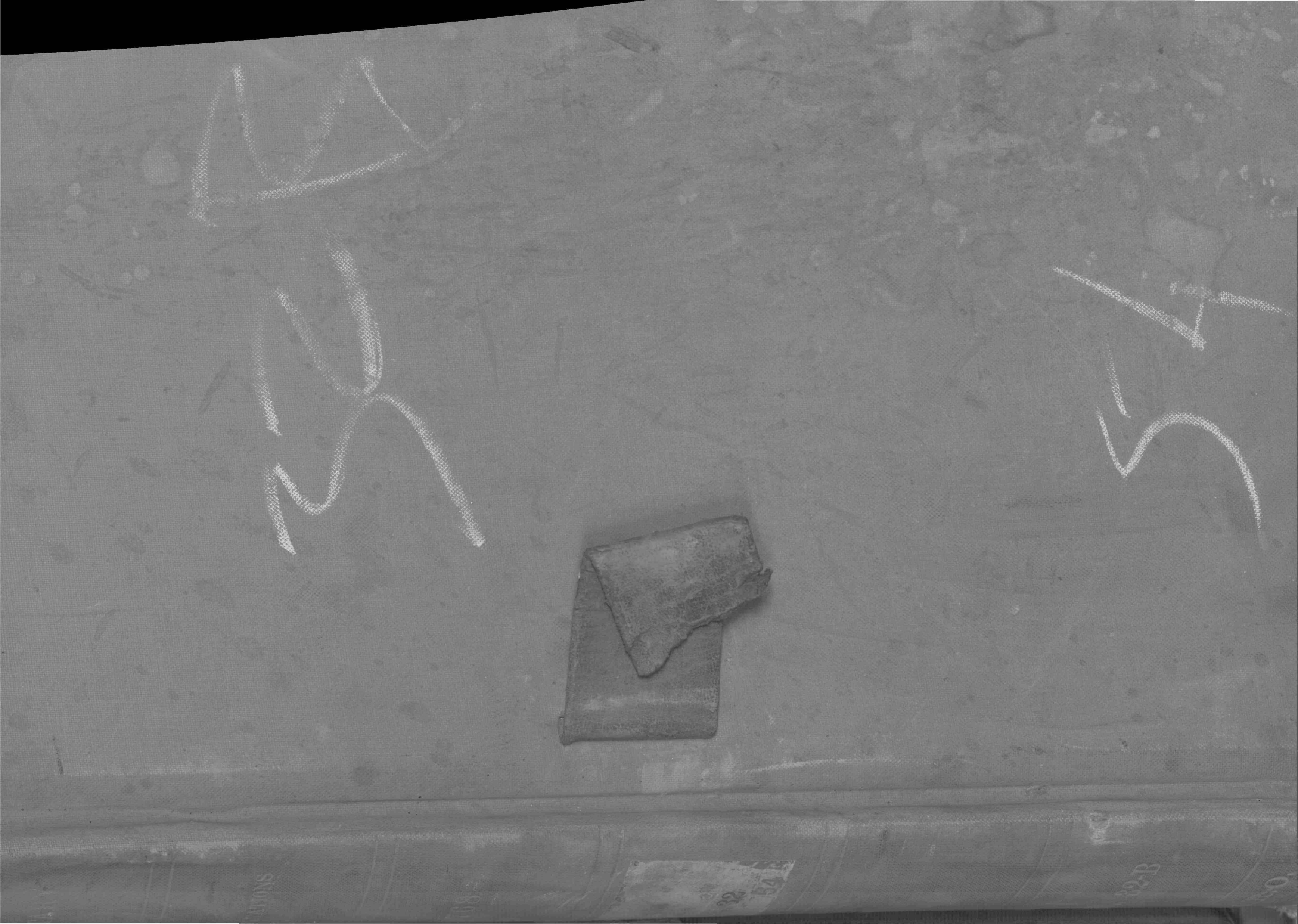


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Camp at
Colar
16 Dec.r 1768

Your most faithfull and
Obedient Servant
Ross Lang

To the Honble Th.s Bourchier Esq.r
President and Governor
of Fort S.t George

Honble Sir

I was honord with your Letter of the 13.th & have acquainted you that I arrived here this evening & that I shall march to morrow to Vaniatyggery if possible. —

arrives near mulwagul with the escort. —

I have with me all the Sicli & the following Ordinance. — Viz two 12Ds me 8 Inch one 7½ Inch brass & one Iron 7½ inch Howitzer. Coborne 1604 barrels of Powder and 121,000 Musquet Cartridges. —

As to Cattle I can procure

cannot procure cattle for Slaughter

more either for Money or by force, if I am not supplied from the Carnatic: I shall soon be in great distress. — I am with due respect . . . — Honble Sir

Your most Obedient Humble
Servant
Ross Lang

Camp 6 Miles
SW.d of Mulavagul
17 Dec.r 1760

Dispatched the following Letters. —

To Lieut. Colonel Lang
Commanding the Army

Sir /

Letter to L. Col Lang. —

We have received your Letters of the 13, 16 & the 17.th to the President; & are well pleased to observe that you have made

such

such Progress in recovering the Stores from Bolar. —

It gives us Concern to find your Distress for Cattle for Provision for the Army. In your Letter of the 15th Inst. We gave you Instructions to use force in procuring them, if they could not be got by any other Means, and do you acquaint us that they are not to be found on the other Side the Pass, We would Recommend that you send parties to collect them either from the Country between Vincatagery & Chercal, or even from the Sault gud Country, or wherever they are to be found. You will however give the people sent out to collect them the strictest Orders to deliver to the Persons from whom they may take them receipts for such as they may procure & you will transmit to us an exact account from time to time of the Numbers you may receive that they may be accounted for to the Nabob. — Our reason for desiring you will be particularly careful in this matter is that the Nabob has laid before us a large Demand for Cattle supplyed the Army, of which, We have never had any particular account, & are therefore unable to judge of the Reasonableness of such demand. —

Major Fitzgerald by his letter of the 11th was near Darempury. —

As We are apprehensive that the Want of Provisions may induce him to operations, we have advised him of the Quantity on-

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in Trinomale & Seagar from whence he may be supplied. — We have also ordered Mr. Saddler to forward 500 Bullocks load to Chintnagery to serve as store for him should he return that way & be in want, for which purpose you will on the receipt of this Order send a Company of Capt. Burke's Battalion to proceed to Amboor & there wait till the Bullocks with the Rice shall arrive, when they are to escort it to Chintnagery. —

In our letter of the 10th We desired you would order Capt. Calvert hither, and that the Proceedings of the Court martial might also be transmitted to us. — You have omitted to give us any Answer thereto. — We are

Sir

Your most humble Servants

Chr. Bourchier & Council. —

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To Major Thomas Fitzgerald

Sir,

Letter to Major Fitzgerald. —

We have received your Letter of the 11th inst., & the President has communicated to us those to him of the 12, 13 & 14 with his answer to you dated the 10th. —

We are concerned that Hyder should have found a means of reposessing himself of the several Places, with so much ease; tho from the bad state in which they were left with regard to Provisions we little

should

defence could be expected from them. —

We

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Mr. Saddler who is appointed to reside at Arcott for the purpose of receiving Grain from the Nabobs Managers, has instructions, to be carefull to receive none but what is Good. —

We think it necessary to acquaint you that there are at Trinomale 3416,064 Seer, besides a Considerable Quantity of Grain from whence, you may be therefore Supplied in case you are in want. —

— We have this day ordered 500 Bullocks loads of Rice to be conveyed to Rietnagery there to remain as a Supply for you: Should you return that way & stand in need of it. —

We are

Sir

Your most humble Servts

Chr Bourchier & Council

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To Mr. Anthony Saddler
at Arcot

Sir,

Letter to Mr. Saddler. —

I received this morning your Letter of the 18. inclosing one to you from Mr. Pringle at Vincatagery. — The 2500 Bullocks engaged by Mr. Hallam must be kept up to Mr. Pringle mentions, there is no want of more Rice on the other side the Pass, you will please to send to Sautgud as many Bags, as with what are already there, will make up 2000 Bags to remain in store for the use of the army, should they hereafter require it.

I

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I wrote a Letter to Mr. Holland un-
-der date the 11 Instant, which dide not arrive
before he left Arcot & I concluded it must
have been received by you, as it was directed
on the Service. — I however now suppose the
Contrary as you dide not mention it. — I
therefore Inclose you a Duplicate. — The Bul-
-locks that may carry three Rice to Sautgur
must bring from thence the powder rem-
-aining there, and what Bullocks there may
be more than necessary for that purpose must
proceed to Amboor & bring the Powder that is
there, more than may be wanted for the Gar-
-rison. —

As it has been determined to send
if possible 500 Bullock Loads of Rice to Hostn-
-agery to be laid up there as an occasional
supply for Major Fitzgerald in case he should
return that way & be in want, you will
immediately after the Receipt of this Letter
send the first five Hundred Bullock loads
you can dispatch to Amboor, or as many as
you can to remain there till the Quantity
is Complete to 500. & then to be dispatched to
Vaneambady, from thence to Melpaddy &
so on if the Road is Clear to Hostnagery under
escort of two Companys of Capt. Bucho Sepoys
who will be wrote to, to keep them ready at
Amboor. & about Racheal Cawn be directed
to Lodge the rice & return the Bullocks —
There is the principal Service & must be first
attended

This/

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attended to in preference to the simary Bullocks, to Col Langs party, or Rice, to Sautgar

I am

Sir

Your most Obt. Servant

Chr Bourchier.—

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To Capt. Buck
Commanding a Battalion
of the Nabobs Sepoys

Sir/

Letter to Capt. Buck

You will be pleased on the receipt hereof to order two Companys of your Battalion to Amboor, there to wait the arrival of 600 Bullockloads of Rice which are ordered to be sent from Arcot; which they will then escort to Vintnagery, where the Rice is to be deposited, as an occasional Supply for Major Fitzgerald should he return that way. Orders are this day sent to Lt. Col Lang to give you similar directions, but I have judged it necessary to give you these Instructions lest Col Lang should have returned to Vincatigery, which might prevent his sending you the necessary orders in time.— I am

Sir

Your most Obt. Servant

Chr Bourchier.—

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To Capt. James Fitzgerald
Commanding at Vellour

Sir

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Letter to Capt. Jas. Fitzgerald —

Inclosed We send you a Translation of a Letter from the Nabob's Killedars at Arcot, containing a Complaint against Lieut Her of the Bengal detachment; We desire you make the most particular enquiry into the affair, & advise Us with the result thereof. —

We are

Sir

Your most Obed.t Servants

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PS You will order Lieut. Her to Vellour till this matter has been properly examined & appoint another Officer to Arcot. —

To Joseph Peach Esq.r
Colonel Commanding the Detachment
of Troops from Bengal

Sir /

Letter to Col Peach

We have received your Letters of the 22d 23d Inst. —

Mr. Connellan has our Permission to return to Bengal, whenever another Surgeon is sent from thence to relieve him —

We are

Sir

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Your most Obed.t Hble Servts

Chn. Bourchier & Council

To William Blanchamer Esq.r
Chief & Council at Sadras
Gentlemen /

Letter to Sadras

We have received your Letter

of

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of the 3d Instant, accompanying the several Depositions regarding the Behaviour of our Sepoys in passing thro' your Bounds. — In Consequence thereof they have been tried by a Court Martial, — a Copy of the Sentence of which We now transmit to you. — We could have wished the Witnesses had been present to have been examined before the Court, as the matter might then have been more minutely enquired into; It being our real desire that due Justice should be executed on the Delinquents & at the same time We thus shew our Readiness to punish any disorders committed by our People, we cannot help recommending it to you, Gentlemen, to caution the Peons & Inhabitants belonging to your Settlement from insulting any of our Sepoys who may have occasion to pass that way, as it appears in the Course of the Defence made by the Prisoners on their Trial, that the provocation they received from some of your people, was in a great Measure the Cause of the disorder complained of. — We are

Gentlemen

Your most Obed. Hble Servts

Chs. Boevchier & Council

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The following Letters were this day wrote

To Col Jo. Smith

Letter to Col Smith

Sir /

As our Honble Masters have been pleased to appoint you to the Command of

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of their forces on this Establishment, it is highly proper as well for their Satisfaction as for our Honor y our Justification that We should assign in the most authentick and precise manner our reasons for desiring your presence here, when Operations of importance were to be conducted in the field, y detaining you here to this time. —

When Mess.rs Call y Mackay were joined to you as a Committee, the intention was not by any means to divest you of any part of that power which properly belongs to the Officer at the Head of the Army in the Field, but to Concert with you the most effectual means of distressing the enemy and to facilitate an secure the necessary Supplies of Grain. — This being the case We had all reason to believe that all plans of Operation, Recommendations or advices which came to the signd by you y by them were approved by you. —

after that much time had elapsed and finding that nothing was effected in Consequence of the plans of Operation recommended by you y the deputys jointly y approved by us, and observing by the Copies of some of your Letters which the Deputys enclosed to us that difficultys arose which seemd to obstruct or retard the Service y Supposing that they might in some degree have been occasioned by a diversity

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of Opinion, We thought the most effectual way to remove them, might be expressly to refere to your own particular Judgment the operations of the army with this alternative that if the Situation of affairs should appear to you such as that you could not recommend any Measures which promised a probability of success We desired you to repair hither, the better to explain to us the difficulty which had prevented the Success of the proposed Measures, & to Concert with us the means of removing them. — There Sir were our motives for desiring your presence here. —

Upon a review of the transactions in the Field for some months past We have thought it necessary to make some Observations, they are entered in our Minutes of the 28 Nov.r & 19 Instant, you have perused them & shall have a Copy if you desire it, as soon as one can be made.

In affairs so important as those now transacting on this Coast it is necessary that our Superiors should be minutely informed of every Circumstance, to do this & to place our Conduct in a Clear light are our Sole motives to these Observations, if you find them erroneous in any Instance We shall be Glad to be set right. —

Since your Arrival here We have Communicated to you our Ideas of the state of Affairs, We have received yours, you have Concurred with Us in the measures that

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that have been taken and in those intended to be pursued which however must vary according to circumstances. — It only remains now that We desire you to rejoin and take upon you again the Command of the Army as Soon as you conveniently can, & We shall prepare Instructions for you in Consequence

We are with Esteem

Sir

Your most Obed. Hble Servants

Chr Bourchier & Council. —

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To Colonel Joseph Smith

Sir

Letter to Col Smith, Campbell & Wood &c. —

Reports having circulated in the Army and in this Colony as We are informed purporting that discontents had arrisen in the Army & that the Service had met with impediments thro some default of the Contractor, his Agents or Servants in some or all of the articles he is bound by his Contract to furnish, and as We are very desirous of discovering whether there are any real Grounds for such reports that we desire you will please to inform Us whether you know of any Neglect deficiency or abuses on the Part of the Contractor his Agents or Servants, and if any, of what kind, & whether they arrose from willfull Neglect from unavoidable accident or from what other Cause We request also that you will please to make enquiry of such other persons in the Army as you may think most likely to give you

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you true information on this Subject and communicate the same to Us. — We are the more anxious to obtain all possible lights on this Subject because the principal Contractor is a Member of the Council and as it may be natural that our Superiors should think you & other Gentlemen of whom We suppose to make enquiry may reluctantly discover to Us what may have come to their knowledge on this Subject, in order therefore to obviate that point of delicacy We shall probably desire to make Oath to your declaration. —

We are

Sir

Your most Obed. Hble Servants

Chr Bourchier & Council. —

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The same to Colonel Donald Campbell
Colonel John Wood
Major Ed. James. —
W. Ed. Monckton Commissary
— to the Army. —
W. Isaac Manaury Commissary
of Stores
W. Joseph Mosthouse Conductor

Received the following Letters. —

To the Honble Chr Bourchier Esq. President
& Governor of Fort St. George

Honble Sir

Major Fitzgerald

I do myself the pleasure
to write to you yesterday, & this day I have
been obliged to halt here owing to an accident
of

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of two Tumbrils breaking down, & they could not possibly be repaired in time for me to continue my March, to morrow I will proceed thro the Passpere nafs[illegible] if in my power.

arrives near Darempory

I am sorry to inform you, that I have received accounts, of Salem being in possession of the Enemy, upon their appr-oaching before it, the keys were immediately brought out & delivered to them they marched from thence to atour, & when my Horsemen came away the Garrison were making a defence, so that I have reason it will not fall so shamefully as the other places, which Hyder has got into his hands, & from the circumstances of their being taken, I am pretty well convinced, that an agreement was made, before he entered the Valley for their being delivered up to him. I am with the greatest respect

advises of Salem being delivered to the Enemy.—

Hble Sir

Your most obedient humble

Servant

Tho. FitzGerald

Camp near Darempory 15 Dec. 1760

PS When I was at Kistnagery Abdul Rupood Khan told me that it would be impossible for me, to get people to carry my Letters by the way of Changama, for fear of the Enemy's Horse, but he has promised to dispatch what letters I send him to Ambour so that it is by that Road all my letters are Conveyed — Since I marched with the Detachment I have not received a letter which gives me much uneasiness. — &c

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To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr. President
& Governor of Fort St. George.—

Honble Sir

Letter from Major Fitzgerald arrives at the Sappore Pass

I arrived here this day, after a March of fifteen miles, & would have endeavour'd to have gone thro the pass in the afternoon, only that a Tumbril belonging to the 1st Battalion of Sepoys broke down which obliged me to halt here in order that it might be repair'd.

I have just received intelligence by person who left Flyers camp three days since that he was then Encamped at a Place call'd Arantangie about three Cos distant from Attoor, if this account be just, what I communicated to you in my letter of Yesterday, of his being before Attoor, must be without foundation, which I heartily wish may be the case.—

I am,

With respect

Honble Sir

Your most Obt. humble Servant

Thos. Fitzgerald.—

Camp at the entrance of the Sappore Pass 16 Decr. 1760

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President & Governor &c Council

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Lt. Col Freeckman

I have with this the Honor to inform you, of my arrival at this Place Major Flint I imagine is at Coror in order to get Provision. I have deliver'd to him your Letter of the 11 Inst.

I am

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advising of the surrender of Salem, attourve to the enemy

Last night the Young Nabob received Intelligence that Hyders Troops had taken Wome Nellore, & Salem and the Serjt. that Commanded at Wome Nellore have been sent Prisoners upon the Rock at Singer=adar-gum. — The Young Nabob tells me that Hyder himself was at Salem & that he has 10000 Horse, 3000 Sepoys 17 Pieces of Cannon & 300 Scaling Ladders with him it is Report=ed that his Intentions are against Tyagar & this Place, the People here assure me that some of his Horses had been Seen about Walconda, two days ago, driving of the Cattle. — I have this Morning early sent off an Express Sepoy to Major Flint and acquainted him with this Intelligence & gave him my advice that the Troops at Durumpooram & Troop might be instantly with drawn, & what ever could not be brot away be destroyed. —

His acct. of Hyders Force, his intentions said to be against Tiagar & Trichinopoly sends Intelligence

to Major Flint & recommends the withdrawing the Troops from Durumpooram & Troop

Lieut. Speeds detachment has been detained here. — & Capt. Foizan I can get no account, the People that I had sent to him with Letters all returned and told me, that the Enemy were all round Coveypooram & also Surrounded there eight days. — I have not been able to get any Intelligence from Capt. Solomons — I have the Honor to Remain with respect. — Honble Sirs &c

Your most Obdt. humble Servant

Dan'l Treschman

Trichinopoly
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To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr
President & Governor of Fort St George.

Letter from Lt. Col Fraser man

Honble Sirs

Yesterday I had the Honor to inform you & the Council, of the intelligence I had received, of Hyders having taken Wassi Nellore, Salem & Attour, & the Forces he had with him which it is said consists of 10,000 Horse 3 or 4000 Sepoys, 17 Pieces of Cannon 4 of which are large ones, & 300 Sealing Ladders this morning the Young Nabob received Intelligence, that the Head men of Tanjore & him of arrival are had been with Hyder and that he had given to each 500 Horse

Advising of the Detachments made by Hyder

that Hyder had also detached several other partys, one to Cuttalore of 500 Horse, one of 800 to Chattambrum, & 200 towards Cudalore he also has sent a Vackeel with 6 Horses to the King of Tanjore, from the Carnatic Annul dar learned this Morning that Hyder had sent a party of Horse & Sepoys Nawcare & that Hyder himself was coming there in order to invade the Carnatic Country. — A party of Horse he has also sent to the Warriapollam men, who have espoused Hyders interest. — The Letter for the Young Nabob inclosed to me, in yours of the 13th. I have instantly delivered, he assures me that he had already wrote to Nabob Condamanaick & made him the promise that no Revenues should be demanded of him for a twelve Month if

He

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He delivers up to him Rama Naick the former Renter of Dindagull, an answer to this proposition & promise he expects hourly. The Nabob seems to think that Velloo Condamanaick will comply, as he had already sent some of his Troops to assist ours at Dindagull I shall write to him immediately on that subject, if that Ramanaick is not soon seiz'd I am afraid it will cause the loss of Dindagull as they have but little provisions in the Fort — I have already recommended to the Nabobs son to have a very watchfull eye over Muffuc Cawn's Conduct & to let no body approach him without some of his trusty people being present. — I have the Honor to remain. — Honble Sir

Your most Obed. humble Servant

Dan. Frischman. —

Trichinopoly
17 Decr. 1760

To which the following Answer was Returned by the President. —

To Lieut. Col. Frischman
Commanding at Trichinopoly

Sir

Letter to Lt. Col Frischman in answer. —

Your letter to myself & the Council of the 16th arrived this Morning, & this Evening the Nabob delivered to me that to my self of the 17. — The advice you mention to have wrote to Major Flint with the removal of the Garrisons of Darumpuram & Oroad, was very proper, but as part of the Enemys Force was

respect

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I understand from the Nabob advanced between Carroor & Trichinopoly. — I doubt if it was practicable for our Troops to follow it. — The Nabob acquaints me likewise that Major Flint had a narrow escape of being taken by a party of Horse near Carroor, & was returned to Trichinopoly He has also informed me that you are in Lepogo, which I think rather imprudent at this time, as little dependance can be placed in new raised Troops for Service, at any time, But at this Juncture that we find the people to the Southward have been treacherous such Recruits should not therefore be trusted on any account & all such as may have been entertained must not be posted in any place where they may have it in their power to do us any prejudice by Treachery or even allowed to do duty in the Fort. — I must also recommend to you, to decline coercioning your people without the Fort at this time, that the Enemy are so near you. — I am under much apprehension for Capt. Faizan having heard no intelligence of him for some time, & as he must have been Surrounded by the Enemy on all sides It is scarce to be doubted, but he must have been seduced by them. —

posted

I had a Letter from Major Fitzgerald this morning dated from the entrance of the Tapnoor Pass the 16 Instant, I doubt not he must by this time have advanced near Hyder, & having a very fine Body of men under his

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his Command, I have very Sanguine hopes he will very soon oblige him to retire from the Country he is now ever running, I assure you mention the Enemys Force to be much divided He may be thereby able, to overcome their main Body with greater facility. —

Encourage Vellao Condama- naick to utmost of your power, to assist in the preservation of Dindegall, & let all the powers in your Neighbourhood know of may- or Fitzgeralds approach, & that he will soon free the Country from the Enemys In- comings. —

The Nabobs son has acquaint- ted the Nabob there is plenty of provisions of all kinds in the Fort, & Writes in great Spirits, I cannot avoid at the request of the Nabob, desiring you will Concert matters with him for the Security of the Place may him such attention as at this Juncture may Induce the people of the Country to regard him in a proper manner. —

I am
Sir
Your most Obt. Servant
Chs. Bourchier. —

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2d. The following Letter was this day wrote to Major Fitzgerald. — . —

To Major Fitzgerald
Sir

The

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The President has communicated to Us, your Letters to him of the 15 & 16 Inst.

Letter to Major Fitzgerald acknowledging the receipt of his & enclosing Duplicates of our Letters to him

The ease with which Hyder has retaken the several Places, gives but too much Cause for Suspicion that there has been treachery at the Bottom, & we wish that any Persons could be fixed on, who may have been guilty of it. — If the Garrisons in the Forts had made any defence, it must necessarily have so much retarded the Enemy Operations, as to have enabled you to come up with him much sooner. — Tho we flatter ourselves that you are by this time so far advanced, as to oblige him to retire, & to recall the Troops, We learn, he has detached in different parts, with an intent, as We conclude, to ravage the Country. —

Lest our several Letters to you should have Miscarried, we herewith send you Transcripts of them. —

We are

Sir

Your most Hble Servants

Chr Bourchier Council

Fort St. George
22 Decr 1760

Received the following Letter from
Mr Brome at Poonah. —

To The Honble Chr. Bourchier Esqr
President & Govr & Council of Fort St. George

Letter from Mr Brome. —

Honble Sir & Sirs

I have the Honour to

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pay my Respects to you the 9th Ultimo a duplicate of which with Copies of my Correspondence with the Gentlemen at Camp since that time I now enclose for your Honours Notice. —

I have not since the date of my last to those Gentlemen been able to get any further Particulars respecting the agreement between Madavarow & Ruccun Ul dowlah ah but flatter my self before I leave Ponah I shall have it in my power, to send your Honours an exact account thereof I have at this only to add that I am with Respect. — Honble Sir & Sirs

Your most obedient Servant

Chas Brome

Cannot procure further particulars of the agreement between the Soubah & Madavarow. —

R.C.d

Ponah
18 Nov. 1760

23d Wrote the following to Mr. Saulez & Mr. Stonehouse. —

To Mr Anthony Saulez
at Arcot. —

Sir/

We are acquainted by Lt. Col Laing that he has Brought from Tolar all the Gunpowder & several other Military & Artillery Stores which he has sent to Sautgud as he will proceed with the same Bullocho to bring a further Quantity from Tolar. — We desire you will endeavour either by the returning Bullocks carrying Rice to Sautgud or any others you can procure, to remove the said Powder & Stores at Sautgud to Vellaur as soon as possible.

Letters to Mr. Saulez & Mr. Stonehouse to get the Stores removed from Sautgud to Vellaur by returning Bullocks. —

We

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We are
Sir
Your affectionate Friends
Chr. Bourchier & Council

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To Wm Stonehouse
Paymaster at Vellour

The same as above with the following
Addition "Should any of the sick men from
the Hospitals at Velour be left at Sautgud,
You will send Dooleys, or by any other means
Use your utmost endeavour to remove them
also to Vellour. - We are

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Sir
Your affect Friends
Chr Bourchier & Council

24th. Came in the following Letters from Lieut.
Col Lang to the Governor. -
To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President & Governor
of Fort St. George

Letter from Lt.
Col Lang

Honble Sir/

I have this day been
Honor'd with your Letter & duplicate of the
16 Inst. & find that your Intelligence, agrees
with what I transmitted to you & the Gentle=
men of the Council the 13th. Instant, I have
in Consequence thereof taken every pre=
=caution to procure the necessary Intelligence

Sends the Letter
for Hyder Ally
to Major Fitzgerald

I have sent your Letter for
Hyder Ally Cawn to Major Fitzgerald, by
the way of Trinomale. I have sent Copies of
my

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my letter, by Hostnagery & Coverypadam. —

I am of opinion the force I have here is not Sufficient to move any distance from this Place to intercept the Enemy, but should they attempt the Pessdymaigdurgum Pass, make no doubt but I shall be able to effect it. —

It has rained all day, which has prevented my sending off the Sick & Powder, have however sent of all the Carriages except some Carts which I dectain to carry the Sick & If the weather is fair tomorrow will send them & shall go to the Pass myself having not yet seen it. —

The Bullocks cannot possibly return untill the 28 in the evening, even should the Weather be favourable for sending of the Powder tomorrow in the Carriage of which I am afraid much hay will be lost, owing to the Badness of the Bullocks / who have often thrown their loads / the want of Gunny Bags, & Wax Cloth, on my arrival here I got a Supply of the latter. — By the time the Bullocks return hope I shall have certain intelligence of the motions of the Enemy when if they are favourable to our present Scheme, of removing the Stores we from Calar will loose no time in making another Trip. —

On a Representation of the Surgeons, of the Bad state of Health of Captains Herbert, Marcelle, Cook, & Several other Officers

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I have given them permission to leave camp
I have agreeable to your dir-
Orders Capt. Calvert to Madras. — =ections. Ordered Capt. Calvert to proceed to
Madras. I am with due respect. —

Honble Sir

Your most Obed.t Hble Servant

Ros Lang

Camp at
Vanketygery
19 Dec.r 1760

To the Honble Chn. Bourchier Esqr.
President & Governor of
Fort St. George

Letter from Lt. Col
Lang to the Govt.

Honble Sir /

I this day sent off all the
Powder & Sick except a few, some of the doolay
Boys having run away I could not procure
others in their room. —

I have had no Intelligence
of Hyder for three or four days past, when I
received the last, he was to the Southward
of Salem, & Major Fitzgerald was follow-
=ing him. — All the Ordinance Powder
& Stores that have been sent from thence
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can Copy the Proceedings of the General
Court Martial, as they are very long,
but as soon as finish'd, as he has done it with Expe-
rect them

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I am of Opinion if Mayor Fitz-
-gerald had a Cypher, we might Correspond with
more Safety but it appears hazardous for me to
send one, must therefore request if you approve
of it. - that Youll order one to be sent him, & let
me be acquainted, that I may take my measures
accordingly. - I am with due respect. -

Honble Sir

Your most Obt. Hble Servant

Rose Lang

Camp at
Vanbitty gerry
20 Decr 1760

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr. -
President & Governor of Fort St. George

Honble Sir

Letter from Lt. Col Lang. -
The roads very bad by reason of the Rains, which makes it difficult to get the Guns over the Pass.

The rains which have fallen these three days past, have made the roads so bad that the Guns &c which left this place the 19th. in the morning did not get through the Pass untill late last night. - The Powder & Sick got to Soutgud at the same time. - The inclemency of the Weather has made it necessary to give some Arrack to the Lascars

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Honble Sir

Your most Obt. Hble Servant

Rose Lang. -

Camp at
Vanbitty gerry
21 Decr 1760

To which the following Answer was returned by the President. -

For

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I have given them permission to leave camp
I have agreeable to your dir-
=ections. Ordered Capt. Calvert to proceed to
Madras. I am with due respect. —

Orders Capt. Calvert to Madras. —

Hon^ble Sir
Your most Obed^t. Hble Servant
Ross Lang

Camp at
Vanketygerry
19 Dec^r. 1760

To the Hon^ble Ch^s. Bourchier Esq^r.
President & Governor of
Fort St. George

Letter from Lt. Col Laing to the Gov^r.

Hon^ble Sir /

I this day sent off all the
Powder & Sick, except a few, some of the Coolly
Boys having run away I could not procure
others in their room. —

I have had no Intelligence
of Hyder for three or four days past, when I
received the last, he was to the Southward
of Salem, & Major Fitzgerald was follow-
=ing him. — All the Ordinance Powder
& Stores that have been sent from thence
being lodged at Sautgud, would recom-
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Hon.ble Sir

Your most ob.t Hble Servant

Camp at
Vanbetty gerry
21 Dec.r 1760

Rose Lang. —

To which the following answer was returned
by the President. —

For

2134 Fort St. George 24 December 1760

To Lieut. Col Lang

Commanding the army

Letter from the Govr. to Lt. Col Lang on answer

Sir

I have received your several Letters of the 19, 20 & 21st Inst. & it has given me much Satisfaction to find you have brought all the powder & Sick men from Colar as well as several of the Stores, Orders have been forwarded to Mr. Stonehouse at Vellore & to Mr. Sartiez at Arcot to exert their endeavours to remove every thing from Sautgud as soon as possible. — It was very unfortunate that so much Rain fell at the time the stores were coming thro the Pass, the weather seems now quite settled & I imagine the Rain are over, I flatter myself therefore it will prove no further Impediment to your removing the remainder of the artillery & Stores at Colar. — You will however be pleased to leave there the Guns that are Mounted on the Works 3 9 prs. 1 Gun of Mortars & such others as cannot be brought at one Trip. — with a proper proportion of ammunition for them & Musket Ammunition sufficient for the Garrison that is there to be able to make a proper defence in case of being attacked during your absence, they should also be supplied with a Quantity of Provisions to serve them in case of such an Emergency till they can be relieved & I think enough for a Month may Suffice to be continued in Store there. —

I am convinced your force is not Sufficient to prevent the Enemy going out thro

thro' many of the passes into the Mysore Country
& I only meant to recommend to you, that shou'd
they attempt it thro' any of those near you, that
you might pursue such measures as you judg'd
might intercept them so far as your Force wo'
admit of. the last Letter I received from Major
Fitzgerald was dated at the entrance of the
Sapyroor Pass the 16 Inst.— by this time I imag-
-ine he must be well advanced towards Hyder
who is reported was the 17 at Namcull, &
that he had dispersed a part of his Troops
in small Bodys, to the Trichinopoly, Woni
arpallam, Carour & Chellumbrum Districts
to ravage & destroy them; whence it does
not seem probable that he or any conside-
-able Number of his Troops will return your
way for some days.— as I receive intelligence
of his Motions, I shall communicate it to
you.—

I am concern'd that Major Fitzger-
-ald did not take a Cypher with him, for
the Enemys Horse being dispersed about the
Southeren Countrys it will be attended
with much Trouble to endeavour to send one now
to him, & shall therefore decline it, till I am
very certain it may reach him safe, When-
I do, You shall be advised of it.—

Capt. Calvert is arrived here, &
we shall be glad of the proceedings of the
Court Martial upon him, as soon as the
Judge Advocate can find time to finish them.—

I

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I am sorry that Capts Cook, Marcelle & Kirker have been under the necessity from ill health to leave the Army. But such being the Case, I cannot but approve your having permitted them to retire. —

On such an occasion as that you mention the giving may 2 vouch to the Lascars & Sepoys must be submitted to, but it should be done only in such Contingencies, for such an Indulgence if often repeated may induce them to expect it, on trivial occasions, but I have that reliance on your prudence, that they will not be gratified except when it is absolutely necessary for the good of the Service

I am with esteem

Sir

Your most Obedt. Servant

Chs. Bourchier. —

Fort St. George
24 Dec. 1760

In all future returns of the Forces under your Command, you will be pleased to insert, what Surgeons & assistants are with them. — . —

Received the following Letter from

M. Davis Surgeon

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr

President & Governor &c Council.

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from M.
Davis Surgeon

I arrived at here Yesterday evening with the whole of the Sick from Colar, & should this Morning, have proceeded

proceeded towards Vellour if an excessive heavy Rain had not prevented, — as the poor unhappy Sick have not the least Shelter from the Weather, & as the rain Continues with great Violence. So I beg leave to advise you the same, and prepair you for every evil which may attend me on my Journey to Vellour, with near five hundred objects of the utmost compassion — Every assistance within my power to grant them shall not be wanting — that & Lastly which I have hitherto done for them, as well every thing remaining to be done within my province, must appear very trifling indeed, in Comparrison with their distresses. —

Representing the Difficultys in removing the Sick & the Hardships they suffer. —

When I shall have been so happy as to deliver the whole of my present charge to the Surgeon at Vellour, — I must not then consider myself any longer in Employ You will be pleased to dispose of me. —

Requests Orders for his proceeding after delivering the Sick at Vellour. — . —

I am

Honble Sir & Sirs

Your most Obed. & very Hble

Servant

Thos. Davis —

Surg.

Vencatygery
19 Decr. 1760

To which the following Answer was immediately wrote him. —

To W. Thos. Davis Surgeon

Sir

Letter to W. Davis in ans.

We have received your Letter of the 19 Inst. & are Satisfied that you have done every

thing

thing in your power for the relief of the Sick that were under your Care in the Hospital at Pulicat, & in there Journey to Pedalanaigue Doogum. — The distress & Inconvenience they suffered from the inclemency of the Weather, We are much concerned at. We hope they are by this time safely lodged at Vellour, & make no doubt that they will there meet with proper assistance, to effect their speedy recovery. —

As we do not Consider you out of Employ by the Removal of the Hospital to Vellour. We desire you will join Col Lang & We shall write to him to place you with one of the Regiments or any other Corps where your Services may be most useful. We are. —

Sir

Your most Obed.t Servants

Chs.r Bourchier & Council. —

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24 Dec.r 1760

Came in the following Letters. —

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esq.r
President & Governor & Council
of Fort St. George

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Mr. Sadleir. — — acknowledging the receipt of the Boards Orders for remaining at Arcott & to collect & forward Rice from thence.

It is some time since I was favoured with your Commands dated the 15.th Instant, which I should have immediately applyed to, had I not thought an acknowledgement of the receipt of them to the Govr. the same in effect as if addressed to you — The Governor is pleased to acquaint me it is not

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not thought so; I am therefore concerned that I should have been remiss in what your Honour expected of me, & beg pardon for what has happened deficient in respect or wanting in Obedience to the orders you were pleased to Honor me with. —

On my Arrival here the 11th. Mr. Holland gave me such papers and Instructions as he received, which related to the Office, I am appointed to which I shall punctually observe & obey

I am Honble Sir & Sirs

with great respect. —

Your most humble most Obd. Servant

Anth Sadleir. —

Arcot
21 Dec. 1760

To the Honble Charles Boucher Esqr. —
& Council of Fort St. George

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Capt Pascal & Lieut. Pringle giving an account of the Provisions laid in there. —

The Buyer Mr. Jefferys is requisite for this Garrison, are nearly Completed agreeable to your former Directions, as to quality, & quantity; such as were damaged of last Year have been replaced with new; & except Onions, & Tobacco, nothing more is Wanted, the reason of your not being advised of this, is that I wanted the Completing thereof, which please to excuse & Believe me with Respect

Honble Sir & Sirs

Your most Obt. Humble Servt.

Lieut. Pascal.

Received

Chingleput
23 Dec. 1760

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To the H.ble 25.th Received the following Letters.—

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esq.r
President and Governor
of Fort S.t George

Honble Sir

Letter from Major Fitzgerald.—

I did myself the Pleasure to write to you Yesterday, & this day after a tedious March, I got thro the Pass, & arrived within Seven miles of Dumamalore, tomorrow I will pursue my March, & proceed as fast as I possibly can.— by the latest accounts I have received Hyder is at Vaniambell, which place he has been in possession of for some days. I have not heard a word of the Situation of our Troops in the Coimbattore Country, if I should move that way, I will render them every assistance in my power, in case they need it.—

advises of his arrival near Womanalore.—

I am sorry to tell you that some of our Sepoys have deserted lately, & I fear it is entirely owing to the Bad Quality of the Rice & the small Quantity which they receive for their money.— eight measures which is wh they get for a Rupee, produce to them no more than six, & that is really so very dear that they can hearly exist.— I have wrote to you every day since I marched, & have also wrote to Colonel Lang, but do not receive a Letter from either, so I am now in an enemys Country, it will be difficult to have Letters. con=vey'd perhaps for a few days, but you may be assured that I will not loose any oppor=

The Sepoys desert thro the badness of the Rice.—

tunity

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opportunity of acquainting you with my Situation. — I am with the greatest Respect. — Honble Sir

Your most Obedient humble Servant

Tho.s Fitzgerald

Camp 7 Miles from Dumandalore. 17 Dec.r 1760

To the Honble Charles Boucher Esq.r President & Governor of Fort St. George

Honble Sir,

Letter from Lt. Col. Fitzgerald advising of the Enemys having taken Carroor.

This moment I have intelligence brought me by a Subadar that was taken Prisoner at Coverypattam, and who constantly follow'd Hyders army till last night when he took the opportunity to make his escape, who says that Hyder with all the Forces, I mentioned to you in my former Letters is now at Carroor in Possession of the Fort & had Detached his Brother in Law with some Troops to Coottatam which is 25 Miles from here his design is to March against this Place & his Brother in Law is to take Possession of Seringham, by his quick motion of his, the Troops at Trood will find it very difficult to get in here, & to this moment I have not been able to learn where Major Fitzgerald is. The Garrison here is really very weak the Young Nabob just now informed me that the King of Tanjor would not receive his letter & returned them unopened, in short all the Country Powers seem & are against us. We do our best here & hope Major Fitzgerald will soon make his appearance. —

& that it was thought his Views were agt. Trichinopoly

I have

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I have the Honor to be
Your most Obedient humble Serv.
Dan.l Frischmann.

Trichinopoly
19 Dec.r 1760

In Consequence of which the following
Letters were immediately wrote to Lieut
Col Frischman & Mayor Fitzgerald.

To Lieut. Col Frischman
Commanding at Trichinopoly

Sir /

Letter to Lt. Col
Frischman in
Consequence

Your Letter of the 19th reached me this
morning. I am under no apprehensions for the
Safety of your Garrison, if the Troops you have are
staunch & will do their Duty for altho the enemy
have made such a rapid progress thro the Country
& many Places have Surrendered to them; they
have not been reduced by the Superiority of
their Arms, but apparently by treachery,
this you cannot therefore be too cautious in
Guarding against, and We authorize you
to promise all your Garrison but particularly
the Sepoys that if they behave well & assist
themselves in defending the place & obliging
the Enemy to retire, they shall be well re-
warded as well by the Company as the Nabob
— Mayor Fitzgerald was at Coimbetoor the
17 & we hope for advances to waves you. — the
Safety of Trichinopoly is recommended to him
as the first object He is to attend to.

I am
Sir
Your most Ob.t Servant
Ch.s Bourchier

Fort St. George
25 Dec.r 1760

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To Major Fitzgerald

Sir,

g to Major Fitzgerald —

Your Letters of the 17. are all received several have been wrote to you the last dated the 22 Inst. in your last you do not mention your intended route, We are uneasy least you should want provisions therefore if possible take such a route as may keep the Communication open to you — Tragar g Tranomalee can supply you, make the Safety of Trichinopoly your first Object. — Risk nothing till you have done that Let the Rice be served as you judge reasonable by a letter of 19 from Col Fraser Hyder is in Possession of Carur, g intends making an attempt upon Trichinopoly. — The troops at Erode will it impracticable to retire thither g be greatly distressed for provisions. — We have heard nothing of Capt Faizan or the Troops under his Command at Coveryporam. —

I am

Sir

Your most Obed.t Servant

Ch.s Bourchier. —

Fort S.t George
25 Dec.r 1760

P.S Col Fraser is at Trichinopoly. —

inclosed is a Cypher, to be made use of occasionally, g which when you receive, you will advise us, till when we shall not use it, you will endeavour to send a Copy thereof to Trichinopoly —

26 Received the following Letter from Mr Sadlier at Arcot. —

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esq.r

President g Governor &c Council of Fort S.t George —

Honble

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Letter from Nº Soldier.—

Honble Sir & Sirs

I have received your Letter dated the 23 Instant, & shall pay due attention to your orders contained therein.—

I am

Honble Sirs & Sirs with great Respect

Your most humble & most Obt. Servant

Anthot Lautour

Monday 21 Decr. 1760

At a Consultation Present

Charles Bourchier Esqr. Governor President

Josias DuPre ——— John Call

Alexr. Wynch ——— John Andrews

Saml. Ardley ——— George Stratton

George Dawson ——— James Bourchier

Richd. Brickenden ——— George Mackay

Mr. Whitehill absent on Service.

The Artillery Corps to be compleated from the Regts.

The President acquaints the Board that Lieut. Colonel Butler had acquainted him that the Companys of Artillery at Camp are far from being Complete; agreed that Lt. Colonel Long be directed to permit the Commanding Officer of Artillery to draft such men from the Regiments, as may be fit for it.— Lieut Col Butler having also represented that the Artillery men stationed to the Sepoy Guns, are liable to lose their Discipline & be negligent in their Duty, as well as deprive

Artillery men with the Sepoys to be frequently changed.—

of their Promotion, for want of being changed & subject to the immediate Orders of the Artillery Officers, Commanding the Companys they belong to, It is ordered that the Artillery Men doing duty with the Sepoy Battalions shall be changed once a Week, or as often as the Commanding Officer of Artillery on the Spot may think proper.—

Letters from Lt. Col Laing read as follow.—

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr
President & Govr. & Council.—

Honble Sirs & Sirs

Letter from Lt. Col Laing gets apart of the Stores.—

I have the Honor of receiving your letters of the 15th Inst.— with a Letter to Flyer Ally Cawn, & a Copy thereof. both which I shall forward to Major Fitzgerald, as present he is much nearer him than I am.—

I arrived here this afternoon with the following Ordnance & Stores Viz two Brass twelve pounders & their Fumbrils. one Eight Inch Mortar, one seven & half inch Howitzer both Brass. one Iron seven & half inch Howitzer, Six four & half inch Cochorns. one thousand nine hundred & four Barrells of Powder, & one hundred twenty one thousand Musquets Cartridges with some Fumbrils, Cartouches.—

& all the Sick to Vincatygurry

I have likewise brought all the Sick with me except a few Topasses and Sepoys.— If I could get any accounts of, or know where to find Cattle, I should not hesitate to take them.—

I shall send all the Sick Stores through the Pass tomorrow, & as soon as the Bul-

-locks

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Bullocks return, will make another Trip to Calar, at Present there are but 400 Carriage bullocks here, — I am with due respect. —

Camp at Vanketygery 10 Decr. 1760

Honble Sir & Sirs

Your most faithfull & obt. Servant

Ross Lang.

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President and Governor &c Council

Letter from Lt Col Lang. —

Honble Sir & Sirs

I have the Honor of receiving your Letter of the 20th Inst. & shall follow such methods, as you direct to procure Cattle & constantly send you accounts of the Numbers I may collect. —

In my letter of the 19th Inst. I informed You I had ordered Capt. Calvert to proceed to Madras & in that of the 20th that it would be some days before the Judge Advocate, could lay the Proceedings of the Court martial. —

I have sent orders to Capt. Such to send two Companys of his Sepoys to Ambore to wait there Until the Arrival of the Rice, & then to Escort it to Vintagery, agreeable to your directions. —

sends two Compys of Sepoys to Ambore to Escort the rice

Serjeant Monoch at Colar arrived here this day with the Sepoys that were with him. The Garrison he left in Possession of the Poligars. — I have advice from Lieut. Eagles who commands Colar, that the Sepoys that were at Kaveram are arrived at that place. —

Serjeant Monoch with the Sepoys from Colar joins the Army. —

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I am misinformed Yesterday concerning the ordinance which left this Place for Sautgud, the Roads are so excessive bad they could not be got to that Place untill this day. —

We have had no Rain this day — I am in hopes we shall have no more this season tomorrow morning I shall go & see the Pass. when I will give you a more particulare account of it. — I am with due Respect. —

Hon^ble Sir & Sirs

Your most faithfull & Ob. Servant

Rose Lang. —

Camp at Vanbetty gerry 22 Dec^r. 1760

To the Hon^ble Charles Bourchier Esq^r. —

President & Governor &c Council

Hon^ble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Lt. Col Lang. —

I have this day been through the Pass, and do not think it so bad as has been represented. — The Bullocks & Sawcars are now on the Road from Sautgud, and will be here this Night but as they are much fatigued will not march towards Calar untill the 25^th. in the Morning. —

I have just received Intelligence that Gopaul Row with a large body of Marattas, is soon expected at Cuscotah, should this Intelligence be confirmed, When I arrive at Calar, will only take such Stores, as I may be able to Guard without danger to the Army, destroy the remainder & withdraw the Garrison. I am with due respect. —

Dividing of a large body of Marattas being expected at Cuscotah. — — —

Hon^ble Sir & Sirs

Your most faithfull & Ob^dt. Servant

Rose Lang

Camp at Vanbetty-gerry 23 Dec^r. 1760

To —

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To which the following Answer is now wrote. —

To Colonel Lang

Sir /

Letter to Col Lang in answer

We have received your Letters of the 10. 22. & 23d. We are glad that so many of the Horse as you advise us of are got safe thro the pass. & that the Sick are removed to Vellour. It also gives us Satisfaction that the Sepoys at Dufsoor & Rovaram have made good their retreat. —

We have received in like manner with your advices of some Morattas marching the Sera Country under Gopalrow but we have no Certain advices for what purpose they are sent or that Moodowarow is resolved to break with us. — We have therefore deliberated concerning Colar, & have come to a Resolution not to destroy or abandon it immediately. But to keep in it as a Garrison till further orders 6 Companys of Capt. Allen's Sepoys & all the Poligars of the Encatty Gery & Kabastry Rayah under the Command of Capt. Alexander with the 3. 6 Pr. Guns, & the Gun belonging to Moodowarow. The Poligars are to be served a Seer of Rice daily & paid a Dub pr day by your Paym.t & the Nabobs Sepoys are to be on the same foot & are assured that their pay shall be made good. —

Regarding the Garrison to be Placed in Colar

We do not imagine you will be able to bring away all the Stores, Guns, Shott, & Shells at the Second Siege, we therefore Recommend that you bring the most useful

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and leave the rest for a third Trip. — The 10 & 24 lb Shott, are much wanted here & at Vellour & should not be lost if possible they can be brot away. — When you return to the Pass again send all the Stores you before to Sautgud, unload there as many as will furnish Bullocks to fetch away the remaining Stores from Colar, & send the rest to Vellore with the utmost dispatch. —

the method of getting the stores from thence —

, to it is proper our Battalions should be kept together as much as possible, we are desirous of having all the Companys of the Ambour Battalion joined & therefore should be glad you could place other Sepoys to relieve these in the Garrison of Vincatygerry. — The remaining Companys of Capt Alexanders Battalion, may we think garrison Vincatygerry while you are in the Neighbourhood, & you will appoint a subaltern officer to Command there or leave Lt Barton if you think proper. — The Polygars of Bourmany are to remain, as at present, & to be served for Batta a Seer of Rice ℔ Day from the Magazine. —

Bomara

Whenever the Army is at Vincatygerry the Sepoys Sawcars &c are to be served Rice, there at the Bazar price. —

We have wrote to Lt Galbreath to Leave Coverypatam to the Care of Abdul Resheed Cawn or abandon it entirely if he does not chuse to take Charge thereof & march his Sepoys to Ambour where they are to be placed in Garrison as there are now so many Stores in Sautgud it will

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will be proper to send a Company or two of Capt Buchs Battalion to do duty there if they can be spared from the Pagoda. —

We have ordered Mr. Davis the Surgeon to rejoin the army, if you will appoint him to act with either of the Regts or any Corps where his Services may be most usefull

It being necessary the artillery Corps should be Compleated, We desire you will permit the Commanding Officer to draft such men from the Regiments as may be fit for it. — And as Lt. Col Buttler has represented to Us, that he is advised by the Officers of Artillery at Camp, that the Artillery men Stationed with the Sepoy guns are liable to loose their discipline & be negligent in their Duty, as well as be deprived of their Promotion for want of being changed & subject to the immediate Orders of the Artillery Officers commanding the Companys they belong to; We desire that you will give Orders for the Artillery men doing duty with the Sepoy Battalions being changed once a Week or as often as the Commanding Officer of Artillery on the Spot may think proper. —

We are
Sir
Your most humble Servants
Chs. Bourchier
Council

Fort St. George
26 Decr. 1760

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Read the following Letter from the Chief
& Council at Cuddalore. —

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr
President & Governor & Council
of Fort St. George

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Cuddalore, desiring some Military may be sent thither. —

We find from a Report of Stores in this Garrison, that we are in the greatest want of the following Articles, which We request you will forward to Us with all possible Expedition. —

50 Barrels of Gun Powder / as what we have is indifferent, & not to be depended upon. —/
50,000 Musket Cartridges for English Muskets ready made up. —
100 Stand of English Arms compleat. —
1500 Flints. —
300 — 9 Pound Subs. —

We must also request you will be pleased to send us three good Artillery Men, to take Care of our Stores. —

By a letter received this day from Mr. Hay at Trichinopoly we hear the Enemy have taken Salem, & dismatched a party of 2000 Horse this way. — We are with Respect. —

Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most Obedt. humble
Servants
Henry Brooke
Rich. Lathom
Ja. Wallace Cassamajor
Wm. Lloyd

Cuddalore
10 Decr. 1760

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Ordered that the Articles inditeed for in the above Letter be sent to Cuddalore by the Ship Pembroke, which is about to proceed thither.

Letter from Masulipatam read as follows

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President & Governor & Council
of Fort St. George

Honble Sir & Sirs /

We have been duely favord with your Commands of the 9 Inst, and now transmitt to you Copies of the Declarations made by the Syrang & Gomastah of one of the Boats whereof We before advised you, also a Copy of their Instructions and of the Invoice of the Cargo, the other Boat not having brought any articles of Military Stores on board the Syrang & other People belonging to her were therefore set at liberty, without any Molestation or further hindrance being given to them. —

It by the before mentioned Papers it appears, that the Lead & other Stores seized at Penticotah are the property of the Danish Company, and as we imagine, therefore that remonstrances will be made to your Honour on that Subject by the Gentlemen at Tranquebar, that you may be fully informed of the measures taken by us, in regard to that Seizure, we now transmit to you Copies of two Letters addressed to us thereupon by Capt Madge, & of our reply thereto; and we have directed him to send us a particular Return of the several Articles

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accompanying the several papers relative to the Military stores seized at Pontiacah. —

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that have been seized by him, which shall like-
=wise be forwarded to you as soon as it comes to hand

We are very respectfully
Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most Obedient humble
Servants
J. Smith
Lewis Ratton
R. Crawfurd.

Musulipatam
14 Decr. 1760

To John Lewen Smith Esqr.
Chief & Council
of Musulipatam
Gentlemen

Letter from Capt Madge to the Chief & Council regarding them

In my Letter of the 14 Instt. I informed
you of the Seizure I had made at Pennicotah of
two Vessels, reported to have been freighted with
Guns & Military Stores, and which had been
landed at that Place; with my Letter I also
sent you the Danish Pass I received from the
Sepoy Officer I had sent to seize those Vessels
& which had been given him by the Owners
Yesterday a Part of the Sepoys re-
turned from Pennicotah and brought with them
eight Iron & Pewter without Carriages, ninety
Danish Muskquets with Bayonets, four pair of
small Iron Pistols & six Casks of flints, together
with the principal Persons belonging to the
two Vessels. — But as one of them proved to have
neither Guns or Military Stores on Board her-
& to have been dispatched from a different Port. I
have in Consequence set the Owners & their Vessel at
Liberty. — .

The

The other appears to have been
Freighted by the Danish Governor & Council
at Tranquebar / as the pretend / on account of
that Company y had been obliged to put into
Porticorah River thro Stress of Weather; y as the
Vessel was very Leaky the Gomastah thought
it also necessary to land a Cargo, Intending to
remain in the River till they Could either recover
of it, or the Season would permit them to proceed
to their destin'd Port. —

Herewith I have sent you
the Malabar Invoice of the Vessels Cargo, together
with the Instructions in the same Language
given to the Gomastah y Dubash by the Danish
Governor & Council to both of which you will per-
-ceive they have signed their names. —

The Gomastah y dubash
inform me, the Vessell was freighted by their
Master the Governor y four of the Council of
Tranquebar, who commissioned them to dispose
of the Guns &c on account of the Danish Compy
to either Europeans or Country people who
might be willing to purchase them at the price
they had set on them, y to bring back Long Cloth
or such other Goods as they might be able to
truck them for to most advantage. —

As those persons make no
manner of secret of the Business, y very readily
acknowledge having been directed to sell them
to the Country Powers at Gunjam should a
they pay the stipulated Price. — I imagine
the

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the offering Guns to Sale either in this Circar, at Ganjam, or in any other Territory belonging to the Company, every justly renders them Confis-cated, as the Pass of another Nation can give no authority for vending Contraband Goods. —

The other articles of this Repeats Cargo mentioned in the Invoice, I have ordered the Serjeys left at Penticotah to Secure, & at the same time to be very Carefull that they receive no Damage till your Pleasure concerning the Disposal of them & those received at this Place can be known. —

I shall desire sending the Danish Gomastah and Dubash to Masulipatam till I am favord with an answer to this Letter, as perhaps you may have thought proper to order the Repeat & her Cargo to be delivered up to them, which will render their proceeding to Masulipatam altogether unnecessary. —

I am with the Greatest Respect. —

Gentlemen

Your most Obedient faithe full Hble Servant

T. Madge. —

Samulcotah
24th Novr. 1760

To Capt. Thomas Madge
Commanding the Garrison of
Samulcotah

Sir)

Letter sent Chief
& Council in
answer. —

We have received your Letter of the 24th Inst accompanyd by two Papers in the Mallabar Language, which We find

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prize to be an Invoice of the Cargo of one of the Vessels at Pentecatah & Instructions from Mr Meeftee & the Council at Tranquebar for the disposal thereof.—

Our Intentions with regard to the Vessels & their Cargos having been already communicated to you in our Letter of the 21st We have therefore only to desire that you will abide by the same, and We herewith return to you the Invoice & Syrangs Instructions which you will be pleased to restore to him.— We are

Sir

Your most Obedient humble Servants

T Saunders & Council

Masulipatam
30 Novr 1760

To John Lewin Smith Esqr
Chief & Council of
Masulipatam

Gentlemen

Letter from Capt Maxwell to Chief & Council at Masulipatam in answer.—

I was Yesterday favored with your Letter of the 20 Instant

I imagine the Malabar Invoice of the Vessels Cargo. I had seized at Pentecatah, together with the written Instructions found in the possession of the Tyrangstah, will prove sufficiently to you, the Proprietors, as you will perceive they are both signed by the Danish Governor & Council at Tranquebar, and manifested by them to be the Property of that Company.—

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I have nevertheless examined the Syrang, Gomastah, & dubash, according to your Directions, & have sent you herewith their declarations in the Malabar Language, as that being the only Language they could Speak or write I thought it preferable to Gentoo, Lest they might hereafter say they had been obliged to set their Hands to a Language they did not Understand, and that the Contents of the Declaration were not genuine, which is now avoided by being wrote in a Language they appear, to be too well versed in to be imposed on —

I have acquainted the Gomastah with your Resolution concerning the Contraband part of his Cargo, & have sent an Order to Pentcotah to deliver up to him the other Articles you have been pleased to order to be released. — He has applyed to me for a Certificate of my having Seized the Guns & military Stores — in Order to produce to his Employers, who might otherwise prosecute him for having made away with them on his account. — I have referred him to the Answer I may receive from you with regard to his request, & must desire you will be pleased speedily to favor me with your Instructions on the Occasion. —

I am with the greatest Respect
Gentlemen
Your most faithfull Hble Servant
S.r Madge. —

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Samulcotah
27.th Nov.r 1760

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To Captain Thomas Madge
Commanding the Garrison
of Tamalacotah.—

Sir /

Letter from Chief & Council to Capt Madge in ans.r

We this day received your Letter of the 27th. Instant.—

Our only reason for desiring the Declaration of the Syrangs to be taken down in one of the Country Languages rather than in English was, to prevent any objections that might have been made thereto, by their afterwards pretending Ignorance of what they had signed to; & mentioned Genteos, thinking, that it would be easier for you to have them wrote therein, than in any other; your taking them in Malabar, therefore, was very proper.— /

As the Military Stores were seized in Consequence of finding them on board the Company's Pojo Vessels, & as We cannot be supposed to know that they were still the property of the Gentlemen who embark'd them on the Vessels from whence they were landed.— We think it would be improper on that account, to grant any Certificate of our having taken them; Nor can We see that it can be of any material Consequence to the Syrangs as they can easily bring Proof thereof from the Testimonies of the Sawcars & the other Persons who had them in Charge

We are

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Sir

Your most Obedient humble
Servants
J.L Smith &c Council.—

Musulipatam
2 Dec.r 1760.—

List of the Danish Companys Goods Laden
in a Sowny under the Care of Mamona Mer-
=car bound to Gongam.— Dollars Fan Cash

Invoice of the Goods & stores laden on the above Vessels

39.— Framed Looking Glasses at 8 f.s each 16.. 3.—
57.— Pepper Bags Packed up in Mattes
Weighing 4866
Tare deducted 166.
Nett.— 4702.
at 60 Pag.s p.r Candy is 587¼ @ 200 f.s paid 1371.. 1.— —
97 Leadslabs weighing 14462 at 22 f.s
p.r Candy 677.25.35 at 20 f.s Pagoda 1581.. 9.. 35
90 Brass mounted Muskets enclud-
-ing Bayonets at 12 Rupees each.— 720.— —
8.— One Pounder Guns weigh 3116 lb.s is
2160 @ 20 Rup.s p.r 100 is Rup.s 432.64 @ 5 p.r Cent 331.. 0.. 64
4 of three P.dr Guns Weigh 900 lb.s is 3600 at 20.—
f.s 100 is Rupees 720 amounts to.— 480.— —
10 Bundles of thin Paper at 4 f.s each— 40.— —
10 D.o .— — — D.o . . . at 3.— — 30.— — —
24 Looking glasses at 16 f.s each.— 32.— —
4902.. 10.. 19

Extracted out of the Companys
Factory.— —
Dated the 3.d of October 1760

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An Obligation given by Mamona Mercar
Dated the 3d. October 1760. —

To I received the above Goods
under my Charge in a Tonny & proceeding
on my Voyage. — I engage myself to sell them
to the best price I can and invest the produce
with the Callicoes there according to the In-
structions given me. I gave two obligations
of the same Tenor, one I left here & the other I
carry with me. If I perform the Tenor of one
Obligation the other is to be void. —

Signd by
Mamona Mercar. —

Instructions given to Mamona Mercar wh
was to proceed on Mercantile business in
a Tonny bound to Ganjam Loaden with
Goods belonging to the Danish Company

Instructions to the Person who had Charge of the said Goods and Stores. — . —

You are to Sell the Goods
mentioned in the Bill of Loading with the
estimation, to the best price you can get for
the Companys advantage, if you can not get
better price than what is mentioned in the
Bill of Loading & be able to sell only to the pr
therein mentioned, you have power to do so &
invest the produce of ready money in the
Callicoes of that place of No. 9. 10 & 12 Calls, but
you are to purchase as many of the 1st Calls
as you can get. — If these be not procurable, you
are to get what you can of the above assortment
The Breadth & Length of the Cloth must be equa

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to the master of the Dutch Company you are to re-
-ceive 4 Pagodaes p.r Month for the dayes of your service
- As Veerachinaick was sent as a Conceipty both
you & he should Consult together in every respect
in buying & Selling of the Goods Nothing should
be done without the mutual consent. - She
said Veerache Naick is allowed 2 Pag.s p.r Month
Whatever may remain due to him after what
he may have received there, shall be paid
him. - You should not be extravagant in your
Diet Expences. - The reasonable expences thereof
shall be allowed by the Company. -

The Declaration of Sutte Tandall Sarang
of a Towny belonging to Mahommed Sultan
Merchant of Tranquebar & Directed to the
Honble the English Company. -

Declaration made by the Syrange touching the said Stores. -

The said Towny was freight-
-ed by the Danish Company at Tranquebar
- I and the Lascars received Wages from the
Company & we are their People. - The Companys
Goods were Loaded upon the said Towny under
the Management of Mamana Mercar & Veer-
-che Naick & their directions were for us to pro-
-ceed on a Voyage to Ganjam, but the Towny
not being able to arrive there by reason of a
Leak which happened & we being diverted
even for Water, were obliged to Touch at Band-
-a Cotah. We cannot tell what were the Com
panys Orders to the said Mamana Mercar
& Veeracha Naick concerning the Cargo of the
said Towny. - Signed by
Sutte Tandall

the

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The Declaration of Mamana Merang Nenachellaich directed to the Honble the English Company.—

The damish Company at Tranquebar having Loaded the said Sowry with Certain Goods, Ordered me to Carry the same to Ganjam & sell it either to the white or Black people to the best advantage of the Com-pany & to invest the produce thereof in the Callicos.— If we cant dispose of the said Goods for the Companys Benefit then we were Or-dered to sell what part we can according to the estimation in the Companys List & to bring back the remaining Part of the Goods that may remain Unsold.— We have never been to the said Country before.— at length we Weighed an Anchor at Tranquebar & proceeded on our Voyage to Ganjam, but during the Passage, there arose a Storm & sprung a Leak in the Sowry & being distress'd even for Water, were obliged to Touch at Bane of Otah where we landed the Cargo & put them in a House & sold some trifling Articles such as Boild nut, Black Peppar & Looking Glass.— Two months after our arrival at the said Bandel of Otah Mr. Thomas Madge be-longing to the English Company sent some Sepoys & took away the following Goods— Viz.—

4 of 3 Pounder Guns
8 of 1 D°.— D°.—

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1 d.o 1 Pounder of d.o Gun
3 d.o half . — d.o D.o —
90 Muskets
90 Bayonets
4 pair of small Pistols
94½ Slabs of Lead
1 Large Cask of Flints
4 Casks of musketoon flints
2 D.o — of small D.o —

We have delivered the above Stores to the said M.r Thomas Madge Chief of Samalcotah who ordered us to sell away the remaining Goods. — Thus We give this Declaration with our free will & Consent. — Dated the 26 Nov.r 1760. —

Signed by
Mastre Vancata Krotna
Doodagadapa Vancatarayalee
Witnessed by Ramachander Pundet. —

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esq.r
President & Governor & the Gentlemen
of the Council of Fort St. George
Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from the Gov.r & Councile of Tranquebar

For two Days ago, arrived to Us an Office writing from a Black merchant / whom We in the Month of September last past have dispatched from this of te Ganjam, with a Phony loaded with several Articles of Trade, belonging to, and on the account of the Danish East India Company & where

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where amongst were some few small Irons Guns
& an Hundred five Arms / wherein he informs
Us, that he, contrary to his Destination Gam=
=jam, have been forced by Contrary Winds to
Cast Anchor at a Place called Pencotty, where
a Detachment of english Sepoys from Sam=
=alcotty arrived, and arrested him & the Boat
People and took away their Flag and Passport
and confiscated our Company Goods. —

Demanding the Stores Siz'd at Pentifalam. —

We beg therefore Gentlemen,
that you'll be so good by the first & most speedy
Opportunity to give your good Orders to your
People at that Place, to desist from such
Proceedings, and not to cause our People any
further Hinder or Molestation, as their touch=
=ation & caused by Contrary Winds. —

We have the Honor to be with a
most perfect Esteem. —

Fort Dansborg
17 Dec. 1760

Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most Obedient & most
humble Servants
Abbé Vtel
J. H. Gilby J. H. Kindbech
Bier

Purport of a Letter to be wrote in and.

Agreed that the Gentlemen at Tran=
=quebar be acquainted in Answer to the fore=
=going Letter, that the information, they say,
they have received from the Black Merchts
is by no means a true and just account
of the Transactions. —

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We should be far from refusing our Protection to any Vessell which might be drove into any of our Ports in Distress; neither should We object to the landing of any part of the Cargo if it was found necessary, provided such goods were landed publickly that the proper Officers at such Port might have Cognizance thereof: But if on the Contrary they should be clandestinely landed, and afterwards concealed, such goods, whatever they be, are liable to Confiscation. — The Military stores which We have caused to be seized were, three clandestinely landed & concealed, of which We have Sufficient Proofs, which shall be transmitted to our Superiours in Europe. — The other Goods agreeable to Our Orders been restored, altho such of them as were clandestinely landed & concealed were liable to Confiscation. — With regard to what the Gentlemen at Tranquebar alledge that the Military Stores were intended for Ganjam, they are to be informed, that had they been landed there, — We should have judged them liable to Confiscation by the Laws of Nations because We were then, & are now at open & declared War with the Zemindar of that Place. —

Letters from John Lewin Smith Esq.r read as follow. —

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esq.r
President & Gov.r &c Council
of Fort St. George. —

Honble

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Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from
S.L. Smith Esq.r

I have received ayour
commando of the 8th instant, and herewith
transmits Copies
of the Cowles
Granted to
Ram Jogey Pat-
colo & Techaley
Rayah. —
forward you copies of the Cowles granted to
Ram Jogey Patcolo and to the Techaley
Rayah. —

By the best information
I have been able to procure of the Kimmedy
District, I understand that the yearly Re-
venue arising from it to its Zemindar was
generally about a Lack of Rupees and the
Tribute paid thereupon to the Government
was twelve thousand. — It appears from
hence that the sum agreed to be given to
the Company by Ram Jogey Patcolo, amounts
to half the produce of the Country nor under
his Management, which, considering his
unstable and consequently expensive situ-
-ation, is, in my opinion, full as much as
could have been expected, and I am afraid
more than he will be well able to discharge.
the danger of which is, that should he at any
time be hard pressed on that account, and
find himself unable to perform his engage-
-ments, he may be induced to seek for security
by either admitting his master into the Zem-
-indary again, or by putting himself under
the protection of some other Power who may
be an opponent to the Company. —

Should the Ongole Rayahs
Brother make any attempt to disturb the

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Peace of that Country. I will immediately order such a Detachment thither, as from the advices I may receive shall appear necessary & that I may be better able to judge thereof, I have requested Captain Fletcher to inform me of the Force he can equip from Ongole to join such as may be sent from the Circars.— Sensible the Troops to Kondapillee would, in my Opinion, but add very little more to the Security of the Ongole Country than where they are at present stationed, as the difference in distance from thence, or from Ellore is very inconsiderable, & which is the only advantage that can possibly be derived therefrom.— The place itself is extremely unhealthy and in every respect destitute of conveniencies, or accommodations for any large body of Troops, should the proceed to war to that Quarter, therefore, it would be necessary to encamp them on the Bezawarah Plain, and the European Soldiers must consequently be dieted, and the Officers & Sepoys put on full Batta; which, in the present circumscribed state of our finances, is an additional expence that would considerably affect them.— Should the professed good intentions of the Soubah be sincere, such a measure would undoubtedly afford him cause to be alarmed: Should they be otherwise, the Troops at Ellore unless joined by Colonel Peache's Detachment, are by no means sufficient

to

to prevent his making an irruption into our Possessions: & it would likewise serve, to alarm the Zamorians, and to strengthen the report which already prevail amongst them, of a design being formed by the Southern in conjunction with Madarassa, to invade those Provinces, and attack the Carnatick. Should there, on the other hand, be any good reason to apprehend the truth of this Report, I would take the Liberty, in such case to give it as my opinion, that no time should be lost in ordering Colonel Peach hither, and it would be no increase to the present expence, as his Detachment is already in every every particular equipped for Field Service. —

His opinion regarding the Rimmidy District represents the Inconveniency of stationing the Troops at Hondapillie

The New Battalion being now nearly completed, I must request that your Honours will grant me permission to appoint European Officers to the same. — The frequent draughts & changes which have for some time past been made amongst the Northern Battalions, have hitherto prevented me from being able to get one exact List of the Blank Officers belonging to each Battalion, I shall however procure one, and send it to you as soon as possible. —

Desires leave to appoint European officers to the new Battalion. —

I have already in different letters represented to the President, how extremely deficient the Circar Troops are in general with Respect of Officers; and particularly the

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Company of artillery, which hath only a Captain & one Subaltern, And as this Want hath been greatly augmented by raising the additional Battalion, I cannot avoid again representing the same, & requesting that your Honor &c will endeavour to send down some. — I am very Respectfully

Desires more officers may be sent down. —

Hon^ble Sir & Sirs

Your most H^e humble Serv^t

I Smith

Musulipatam
15 Dec^r 1768

P.S. Since writing the above I have had the Honor to receive the Presidents Letter of the 10th and have issued the necessary orders to the different Commanding Officers —

To the Hon^ble Charles Bourchier Esq^r
President & Gov^r &c Council
of Fort St. George

Hon^ble Sir & Sirs

Letter from I Smith Esq^r

I have been duely favoured with your Commands of the 11 Instant accompanied by copies of two Letters from M^r Borne the Resident at Poonah; & by a Letter from your Honors under a flying seal, for Col Peach, w^ch after perusing I immediately forwarded to him. —

As I imagine that Colonel Peach before the above mentiond Letter can reach him will have arrived at Cicacole, and that place being only about 30 Coss from Visagapatam, I have directed him either to March thither immediately, or wait untill Sea conveyances be sent by M^r Cotsford to transport his heavy Baggage, as shall

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shall appear to him to be most expeditious: I am inclined to believe, therefore, that he will follow the first method, and doubt not but he may be at Vizagapatam about the expiration of this Month, or early in the ensuing. —

As by withdrawing the whole of Col Peachs Detachment the Fort of Cicacole must remain destitute of any Troops to defend it, so soon as the Sick are removed from thence I think, rather than to destroy it, the better method would be, to give it in charge to Sitteram Pauze, for tho it be in a very ruinous state, & Capable of little or no defence against always Troops provided with Cannon, Yet, in the present Case where we have chiefly and almost only to apprehend the ravages that may be Committed by an irruption of Cavalry, it might serve to secure the effects of the Inhabitants of the Neighbouring County & to preserve many of the Inhabitants themselves from the Cruelties of the Enemy. —

proposes delivering the Fort of Cicacole to Sitteram Pauze —

I have directed Colonel Peach to lodge the Guns taken from Narrain doo in the Fort of Selmore, which is Garrisoned by two Companys of Capt Cairnmores Battalion, and I have directed the Paymaster Mr. Barclay, to proceed thither, and lay in a Stock of provisions sufficient to subsist the Garrison for the Space of six months. —

The Fort of Selmore garrisoned by two Companys of Cairnmores Battalion

Rondapille & Samalacotah are already provided with sufficient provision for

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for their respective Garrisons, for three Months
g which I have ordered to be encreased to double
the Quantity, and have given directions for one
thousand Canoys of Paddy being laid up at
Rondapillee, g five hundred at Ellaur.—

The 12th Battalion which is
Samalacotah g Rondapillee, I have directed to
be relieved; but as I judge it improper to trust
the Charge of the Forts in the Circars solely to the
New Battalion, I have caused some Companys
thereof to be sent into this Garrison, which I have
replaced by an equal Number from hence.—The
Forts in the Circars will therefore, be garrisond
by the New Battalion g Independant Companys
g the Sepoys for the field will consist of the
2d. g 12 Battalions commanded by Captains
Bellingham g Madge.— The Command of the
New Battalion I have for the present bestowed on
Capt. William Collins, untill your pleasure
thereupon be known.—

The Country from hence to
Ellaur being exstreemly flat and in many parts
marshy, it thereby retains the Water uncommon
long, which renders the roads almost impassible
till towards the latter end of the present month
this, hath hitherto prevented the Stores for
the Army from being sent thither; the Camp
equipage, g all other Necessary Articles are
however in Readiness, g most of them
will be dispatched to morrow evening; so
that I judge the Troops in abt ten days hence
may

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may be in readiness for Marching; when I shall Order Lieut. Col Fea to proceed, and encamp near to the Bezwarah Pass, and there watch the motions of any Troops that may be sent from the Soubahs Dominions to warde thro Provinces; & if in his power prevent them from entering them.—

The informations I have hitherto been able to procure from Hydrobaxe, and the repeated letters of the Sawcars there to their Agents at this, affirm, that the Soubah hath not yet entertained any hostile intentions against Us, nor entered into any measures contrary to the alliance, & Engagements, subsisting between him and the Company: I am therefore still inclined to believe that he hath not at least formed any resolution to act as a principle in the War & that if an attack be made on this Quarter, it will only be by the Morattas, whom we may, perhaps, for that purpose, grant permission to pass through his dominions as it is however at any rate best prudent, not to trust too much to appearances & to take every Measure to guard against a blow which in our present situation might prove so fatal to us, I must take the Liberty to request that if no further advices, I should have just reason to apprehend an attack on those Provinces you will in that case grant me permission immediately to Order Col Peach to Bezwarah or whatever other place it may appear necessary for him to be at, with out waiting

Desires to have Liberty to Order Col Peachs Detachment to Bezwarah or any other Place, in case of Troubles.

to

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to apply to your Honour thereon and receive
your Instructions. — I am very Respectfully

Hond. Sir &c.

Your most obed.t Hble Servant

J. Smith

Masulipatam
21 Dec.r 1760

Ordered that Cowles be made out for Ram Sogey
Patale, & the Tehaly Rayals, agreeable to the Honr
of those granted by Mr. Smith

For the Reasons assigned by Mr. Smith
most of which We were before unacquainted with,
We approve of the Troops remaining at Illaur, at
least for the present, if therefore they should
have Marched from thence, they are ordered to
return. — Preparations must however be made for
their taking the field on the shortest Notice. —

We approve of European Officers being
appointed to the New Battalion at Seringo. of such
rich Capt.n Wm Collins is to have the Command &
Mr. Smith is to be acquainted that We will
endeavour to send more Officers for the Troops
in the Circars as soon as possible. —

to the Fort of Chicacole in so
such a very Defenceless state. — We approve of
its having delivered to Sattiseram Rauze, making
it a Merit, as proceeding from the Confidence
We have in him. — We have already Ordered
the two Companys of Capt. Cuppmans Battalion
stationed at Tellimere to join Mr. Cotsford
& which We expect he will have done, & the
Troops with Orders, as Mr. Cotsford is in great

Want

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Want of Serjts, & We do not imagine that they alone will be able to defend the Place against any considerable Force, as they will be too far distant to be supported. — Unless therefore the keeping the Fort of Jelmore, is necessary for the security of that part of the Circars Coast. — Mr. Smith will cause our former Orders to be carried into Execution, & deliver the Fort to Lieutenant Pennant who may Place People therein. — But should he be of Opinion that the Fort ought to be kept in the Company's hands; He is to give us his Sentiments in that Manner it may be garrisoned & in the meantime the two Companys of Capt. Caverhaus Battn may remain there. — We think it necessary & it is accordingly Agreed that Mr. Smith be furnished with discretional Power in case he has any just Reason to apprehend an attack on the Circars, to Order Colonel Peachy Detachment to Bezwara, or any other Place where they may be able to oppose any Incursions of an Enemy.

Report of the Committee of Stores read, on which the following Orders are now passed

Report

Orders in Consequence

To the Honble Chr Bourchier Esqr
President & Gov. & Council of
Fort St. George

Honble Sirs

We agreeable to the Resolutions

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resolutions of Your Honors communicated to us by the Secretary of the Mili=tary Department, the Committee have in con=sequence taken into con=sideration, the State of the Stores in Garrison & are of Opinion, that it is highly necessary ap==plication Should be made to the Presidencys of Bengal & Bombay, for as many of the following Military Stores as they can Spare Viz.—

2.d Grape Shott from 6lb to 1lb.— Broad Axes — Hatchets.— Strong Europe Cartridge Paper & Europe Match, Nails of all sorts except Spunny.—

2.d Orders that applica=tion be made to the Presi=dencies of Bengal & Bombay for the Articles mentioned in this Paragraph.—

3.d As it will be impos=sible for the Committee to form an exact Judge=ment of the Stores Neces=sary to be kept in the out Garrisons, particu=larly at Vansenwaar, Tranquebar Chittapatt & Orme, till the Stores in those

3.d As We cannot at this Juncture get any of the Stores removed from the Garrisons mention=ed in this Paragraph, & We have not at present an Artillery Officer that can be Spared for this Service We must for the present defer—

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thro Garrisons are properly depr taking Measures for
Surveyed; by some person Removing them. — The Pre
capable of forming a just Judgt acquainted the
Representation of their present Board that he have sent
State, & examining whether two Carefull Serjeants to
the Guns can be Removed Survey the Stores in there
how, We beg leave therefore Garrisons which is apt
to Recommend to your Honour — proved. —
that an Artillery Officer be
Sent to these Places for the
aforementioned purpose —

4. — We have received an
Imount from Mr Perring
for Field Carriages for
Three 4 Pounder guns of a
Smaller Construction, Re
presenting at the same
time, thatifhe had permis
=ion he could very easily
make them at One gale. —
As we think this method
the most expedient & less
expensive, We beg leave
to recommend to your
Honour &c to allow him to
do so, more particularly
=ly as it is very difficult
for Us to judge of the de
=mensions of the above men
=tion'd Guns. — We are with the
most — Honble Sir &Sirs

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Agreed that Mr Perring
at Angole be permitted
to make up the Gun
Carriages he have men
=tion'd for. — —

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Your most Obedient Humble
Servants
John Call
Geo Stratton
Simon Hart
J Butler.

Majors Call & Mackay deliver in the follow-
ing Letter & Papers.

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr
President & Governor & Council
of Fort St. George

Honble Sirs & Sirs

Letter from Majors Call & Mackay on the Subject of the Buzar & Grain in Camp

Agreeable to our promise at the last Consultation we have now the Honor to lay before you a Narrative of the Manner in which the Buzar & Grain was manage, previous to, & after our joining the Army, as also a Ballance paper, & explanation of the Heads in the Books opend & kept, for the Receipts & Issues, & other Transactions; relative to Grain at Colar.

A Perusal of these papers will we hope evince to your Honors & the Uprightness of our Conduct, with respect to the Buzar & Grain. — We cannot from our own knowledge, charge any Person with having received any advantages thereon; nor can we say more thereto, than that it has always been customary for the Commanding officer of the Army to reap some advantages from the Buzar arising as we have heard from a duty collected on the several Articles sold, or a Rent paid by

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by the Botique people for each Boutiques, but on this Subject we believe Mr. Parkinson who was employed by Col Smith, can give your Honours the best information

How disagreeable soever it may be to Men in publick Stations to have the uprightness of their Conduct doubted, their Characters questioned, their Names placed on Record even for supposed Misdemeanors yet on this occasion it is to us, a particulare Satisfaction that your Honors we have brought us thus to a publick Vindication, given us an opportunity to fix on Record whereby as we flatter ourselves by the Sanction of your opinion the indelible proofs of our innocence with respect to the intimations communicated by the President.

We do not mean as we observed in Consultation, that anything we can urge in favour of our Conduct, should stand alone for justification, but we beg leave here to assert, and do it with the fullest confidence, each for himself & for one another as far as it is possible for one to do in such Cases, that we have not either directly or indirectly, by ourselves or by any person for us accepted any Emolument or advantages whatsoever from the time of our leaving Madras on April the 1st our return from the Army, except two or three months Drafts of the Sum the rest the Hyder when Nizam Peace came to treat of Peace, and we defy any Man from the Commander to the meanest attendant with the money to prove the Con-

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We are sensible how much the
Conduct of men in publick Stations, is liable to
malicious, envious, idle, & some times designd Mis-
=interpretations, & censures, and We are aware how
infectious whispers, & insinuations are, to the clearest
Characters; because it happens in general that
Scandalous aspersions gain more easy credit, than
the most evident proofs of innocence Conscious
however that We have acted with the most
Scrupulous honesty, in all our Transactions we
chearfully submit to the most minute enquiry
into our Conduct in every Respect while with the
Army; and are perfectly convinced in our own
Minds, that the stricter the examination, the
fuller will be the Satisfaction we shall receive
from your Testimony of our Innocence.

We will only beg leave to add
that We both of us undertook the Charge you were
pleased to allot us with the Army, with the
Army, with the best Intentions to do, & advise
every thing we could for the good of the service
We are engaged in. We had nothing more
in View than to promote the Success of the
Compnys arms, & Should have been perfect-
-ly happy had our best endeavours effected, the ac-
-complishment of our warmest wishes.

We are with the greatest Respect
Honble Sirs your
Govrnors Obedient & faithfull
Hble Servants.
John Call
Geo. Mackay

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A Narrative of the manner in which the Grain Business has been conducted in Camp from the time the Nabob & the Field Deputies joined the army.—

Notwithstanding the Large supplyes of Grain & Cattle furnished by the Nabobs manager for the use of the army, since it first moved against Hyder Ally, which was in the latter end of August or beginning of Sept.r 1767, as appears by an account from his Excellency now before the Board. Yet as in almost all the Letters wrote by Col. Smith to the Gov.r & Council the want of Provisions was assigned as the principal Reason for his not being able to put their Orders in execution; By acting Vigorously against the Enemy. It was Judged necessary, in order to remedy this Grievance as well as for other Reasons that the Nabob should be desired to take the Field. accompanyed by Majors Call & Mackay, who were to act as Field Deputys with the army; when the Nabob & those Gentlemen joined it at Chittoor in the latter end of May; the following agreement of the Buzar, out of which the Black Troops & followers of the army are allways supplyed with provisions, the European being Victualled by Contract, in the Hands of Mr. Parkinson, Col. Smiths private Secretary. and very ill provided with Grain. Scarce any being then with the army, but what remained of a Magazine laid up by Col. Smiths orders at the Companys expence, at Tripatore However this Inconveniency was soon remedied. — as the Nabob, having the Supplies he brought with

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Him from Arcot, and other parts of the Carnatick had encouraged private adventures, to bring provisions to the Army; by granting them Cowles, - which exempted them not only from paying Duties or Taxes, in any part of his Country, the might have occasion to pass thro' in their way to Camp; but likewise in the Buzar that attended himself: where they were allowed to dispose of whatever they brot. to the best advantage. - This good Policy produced such Plenty, that a Division of the army under Col Campbell, was enabled to March, to the Mysore Country across the Hill, the 6 of June & Col Smith with the main Body, the Nabob & the Field Deputies followd the 19th. It is to be remarked here, that Col Campbell from the time he entered the Mysore Country, till he joined Col Smith again, after the Reduction of Vincatagery, Mudiavahel, Colar & Oussore, which was near six weeks, had his Buzar so well supplied by the Country people that he Expended very little of the Publick Rice he carryd with him from Chittagery. - Sher Vabd on his arrival at Camp, gave M.r Parkinson the Management of the Publick Grain as well as the Inspection of his own Buzar; but when it was resolved to undertake the Siege of Bang= =alore as it was thought of the greatest Conse= =quence that the Army during that operati= =on, should be well Supplied with provi= =sions & as both Mess.rs Call & Mackay thought they had sufficient Reason to believe, that a

proper

proper degree of attention, had not been given
before, to the Grain Business. — It was determined
at a Meeting of the Military Committee the
13 of July, in the Company Gardens, where
the Nabob & Col Campbell were present; that
the Charge of the Publick Grain should be put
under the Care of Mr. Mackay; that a Sufficient
Store Should be laid up at Colar, and other Conven
ient Places, and that such part of that Store
as could not be got from the Nabob, should be
purchased with the Company money.
— Accordingly a Letter was wrote that day
from the Committee to the Board, acquainting
them with that & other Resolutions they had
taken and desiring that a Sum of Pag. 10,000
might be immediately sent for purchasing of
Grain. — Mr. Mackay, at that time, not having
Conception & other Servants with him to take
Charge of the Grain the Nabob had with the
Army & at other places on that side of the Hills
and not being able to get them immediately
The management still continued in the hands
of Mr. Parkinson till the last of August, when
he delivered Mr. Mackay an account of what publick
Grain remained under his direction & of what he
he had Sold from the time the Nabob had join'd
the Army at Hutnagery; the latter amounting
to little more than 12,000 Rupees for which he is
still accountable, as well as for some of the Grain
that never was delivered to Mr. Mackays peo
ple. — When Mr. Mackay took Charge of the

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publick Grain. — He opens a Regulare Sett of Books, Journal, & Ledger by Which it will appear, that all the quantitys he received, belonging to the Nabob, as well as what he purchased with money, are duely brought to account under proper Heads, that are also Credited for all the Issue. — It will likewise appear that during the two months he had the management of that Business, Grain to the amount of Pag.n 9213. — was delivered out of the Magazines for the use of the army, at such a period, as to enable the Black Troops & followers of the army to leave on there Batta and at the same time, to indemnifie the Company from any considerable loss the the Bullocks there &c Charges for Carrying the Grain with the Army, receiving it into the Magazines & delivering of it out again, were pritty high. — The above mentiond Books were Ballanced by M.r Mackay to the 2.d Nov.r and he delivered them over to M.r Monckton the Commissary with the Charge of the Grain, a few days before he left Colar. — that Ballance paper with an other paper of Remarks on the different Heads in these Books are annext to this Narrative. — From Colar the Field Deputys went to Vincatagery when M.r Call remaind some time, & put the Grain Business there, on the same footing it was on, at Colar, by keeping regulare Books in which all the Receipts, Issues & Charges were accounted for, & M.r Mackay recommended

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the Nyatam at Arcot from whom most of the Sup
lys were sent to Vincatagery. — The said deputy
convinced of the little dependance, that could
be placed on the Nabobs people for forwarding
the Supplies from the Carnatic, wrote to
the Governor of the 17th Nov.r, desiring to have
the Sanction of the Board for taking into
the Companys pay such a Number of Bul-
locks as would transport about 5000 Loads
of Rice a Month from Arcot & Vellore to Vin-
catagery. — & that other Bullocks taken
likewise into pay should carry it from
thence to Colar; from whence it was to be
carried to Camp. by the Grain Bullocks
that attended the army that a Gentleman
should be sent to reside at Arcot & another
to Vincatagery to manage the Business, and
that the Nabob should be paid for the Grain
received at a price to be settled between him
& the Gov.r & Council. — In consequence of the
above application to the Gov.r, Mr. Flatland
was sent to reside at Arcot & Mr. Pringle
at Vincatagery. — Two Buzzars attended
the Army from the time, the Nabob & Field
Deputys joined it — the one belonging to
Colonel Smith, kept separate, which always
remained under the Management of his
own Servants, & with which the Field dep-
utys, or any of their people to their Knowledge
never interfered in the least. — The other Buz
are belonging to the Nabob; which at his

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own particulare Requent y desire; Mr Mackay when he took Charge of the Publick Grain, undertook so far to regulate, y which he believed would be attended with publick Utility, as to fix from time ~~time~~ to time, the price of grain according to the quantity brot to market which price was published every morning by beat of Tom Tom y of Course those punished that sold at dearer price, till another was fixed. — likewise to prevent engrossing y Monopolies, all merchants that had the Nabobs Cawle y sold by wholesale were even obliged to bring to the publick Bazar whatever they had to dispose of y there in the presence of the Nabobs Cutwall y other Officers belonging to the Nabob, sell their Goods to Retailers at a Certain allowance established among themselves. — Mr Mackay likewise when he had time, decided disputes amongst the Bazar people, y when he had not referred them to the Nabobs Cutwall, who reported to him every day the quantities of Provisions brought to the Bazar y every thing of any Consequence that passed there. —

Mr Mackay had neither Dubashi or Cawlepley of his own, with him at Camp, nor did he ever make the least use of any of those belonging to the other Field Deputy, but when he had any Business to transact with black People, made for the Companys Interpretor — Chaudapa, or if he was Busy, for one of the Nabobs Servants, that Spoke English y

that

Dr Ballance of the Bookes kept of the Publick Grain for the use of the Army from 25th Sept.r to 22 Nov.r 1660 Cr

	Sacks	Pag.s	f.s	d.		Sacks	Pag.s	f.s	d.
To Rice at Colar	11042	@ 12	Pag.s 2019	30 40	By General Stock of Grain	1350			
To Paddy at Colar	10717	@ 26	1177	31 40	By Commissary General	3500			
To Grain at Colar	563	@ 20	62						
To Gunny Bags				455 36					
To Rice at Uscottah	5697		1169	29 50					
To Mr. Thos Parkinson				437 1 30					
To Cash				495 16					
To Rice at Bangalore	2576	@ 14	367	37					
To Rice at Vsore	3045	@ 14	600						
To Grain sent to Camp	2730	@ 14	365	30					
To Rice sent to Camp	2212	@ 0	647	21					
To Colonel Wood				579	30				

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Sept.r

Bill Mannings
the Grain
Publick Grain
By Mr Mannings

Sept.r

Extract from the Grain Magazine Book
that was Drawn to attend the Grain
consigned to the Camp during the
Expedition to Vsore

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Grain Issued to the Camp
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An Explanation of the different heads in the Grain Books kept by Mr. Mackay from the 1st. Sept. to the 2. Nov. 1760 at which time they were Ballanced & delivered over to Mr. Monckton. —

Explanation of the Heads in the Grain Books. —

1 Head. General Stock of Grain &c for the Nabob from whom it was received / stands Cr. in the Books Pags. 13198 beeause 500 Pags. of Rice that was delivered to the Polygars of Callastry & Vincatagery by the Nabobs orders. — of the above Sum due to the Nabob Mr. Parkinson stands indebted Pags. 4906.31.30 for Rice sold by him &c &c as p. Journal. — .

2. D. Rice at Colar remains 11042 9 Rundeer

3 D. Paddy at Colar. — D. — . — 10717 9 D.

4 D. Grain at Colar. — d. — . — 563. D. —

5 D. Natchanee at Colar &c. — a Large quantity in a Pagoda not Measured, under the Care of the Nabobs people who delivered it out to Mr. Mackays People as they wanted it. Small quantitys of it having been Sold at times in the Bazar, for defraying the Charges of Cole &c attending the Magazines. —

6 D. Gunny Bags remaining 9 9 9

7 D. Rec. at Ouscottah D. — 5659 7 Rundeer

8 D. Mr. Parkinson stands indebted to General Stock of Grain, on the Nabob Pags. 4906.31.30 — out of which, 1st Wood stands Indebted to him Pags. 579.30 for Rice he received at Vitonagery. —

9 D. Cash remaining with Mr. Monckton on which the Bullocks Sold for Pags. 1975 are

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included Ballance Pg 51. 16.—

10 Head Commissary General for Cash advanced by him at different times for the purchase of Grain that Sum being due to the Honble Company Pags. 8500.—

11 D.— Rice at Bangalore remains 25766 Sacks but we most of this was beating out of Paddy in the Village near Bangalore as well as in the Pettah of that Place it is to be feard it was plundered by the Enemy.—

12 Head, Rice at Cuddore remaining 30456 Sacks which was in the same Situation with that at Bangalore y may have met the same fate when the Enemy were there.—

13 D. Grain sent to Camp 27730 Sacks to be accounted for by Mr. Monckton.—

14 D. Rice sent to Camp 24212 D

15 D. tot. Wood stands indebted for Rice he received at Kistnagery Pags. 5770. 30 y which is part of what Mr. Parkinson is Charged with.—

NB 1250 Bullocks of which Mr. Monckton how the account were taken into pray the 1st of Sept.— for this Particulare Business.— — .—

The foregoing Letter y Papers being Read, Messrs. Call y Mackay with drew, y the Board proceed to take the same into Consideration.—

That our Honble Masters may clearly understand this Subject, it may be proper to remark, that instead of allowing

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Batta to the European Military in the Fields, all non Commissioned Officers rank & file, are Victualled & supplied by Contract, with the several articles expressed in the Book of Regulations Page 69 Art: 1st. But as the European Military thus Supplied make only a small part of the Army & its attendants, the Sepoys & all others are Supplied with provisions & other necessary articles by Sutlers who follow the Camp to vend their Commodities; & these from what is Called a Buzar or Market. — The Officer Commanding in Chief in the field for the time being has always had the Management & direction of the Buzar, & their is no doubt, but if he had capable & faithfull Assistants, & would himself take the trouble to remedy abuses, the Buzar might be better regulated under his Management, than in any other Measure, because it might be done in the most Summary way. — We find upon Enquiry that it has been customary for the Commander in Chief to receive certain Duties from the Buzar, imposed either on the Sutlers for the Liberty of keeping Shops or Stalls; or on the Merchandize or Provision they expose to Sale — & these Duties were levied only when the army happened to be in a plentifull Country, & imposed with such Moderation that the Troops might still have plenty & at reasonable Rates. We think it an Indulgence that might be allowed, as the Profit in that Case could not be great, & it would enable the Commander & Chief to bear the Charges of

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that Station, which in the field are very consider=
=able. — But it is Plain that if the imposition
of such Duties, be solely in the will of the Com=
=mander in Chief, the Prosperity of time, Circumo=
=tances & Rate, must depend on his moderation, &
the fidelity of his assistance. — If an Rapacious man
happen to be at the Head of the army, it will
always be distress for his advantage; if an easy
unsuspecting honest man have the Command,
it will suffer for the Benifit of his manager. —
We must do Colonel Smith the Justice to say
that we really believe the inordinate Love of Gain
is not imputable to him, of his manager We
know little; but Judging of Causes from Effects,
We must conclude that improper Duties were
levied upon the Buzar, before the Nabobs the
Deputys joined the army before Chitonagory
the latter end of last May, or that in some other
respect there must have been great mismanag=
=ement, because it appears by the foregoing Nar=
=rative, that on their arrival they found the
Buzar under the Direction of Mr. Parkinson
Col Smiths private Secretary, "very ill provided
with Grain scarce any thing then with the army
but that Plenty soon succeeded in the Nabobs
Buzar, where Settlers or Buzar Merchants
were allowed to dispose of what ever the Brot.
to the Best advantage, free of Tax or Duty, &
this Change from distress & Plenty appears
to have arrisen in a Short time, for in the
latter end of May, when the Nabobs Deputies
joined

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joined the Scarcity was great, but by the 6 June, plenty had flowed in to such a degree, that Colonel Campbell was enabled on that day to march thro the Hills into the Mysore Country, he has so plentifully supplied with Provisions by the Country People, that he expended very little of the publick Rice he carried with him from Kistnagery. —

These remarks respect Transactions antecedent to the Deputys joining the Army. — It appears by the foregoing Narrative that after their arrival, there were two Buzars attending the army, the one belonging to the Nabob, which till the 31 August was trusted to the Management of Mr. Parkinson, & from that time was regulated by Mr. Mackay, till the begining of Nov.r when he left Colar, on his return hither, the other Buzar belonging to Col Smith kept seperate under the Management of his own servants, & with which the Deputys never interfered. —

As it appears by the foregoing Narrative that the Nabobs Buzar was plentyfully supplied, & as that was one of the principale Objects recommended to the Nabob & the Deputys the Board do not clearly conceive the necessity or Propriety of having two Buzars, under seperate & distinct Management & Regulations, the Board therefore desire Mess.rs Call & Mackay will inform them to the best of their Knowledge, what advantage or Disadvantage resulted from that seperation of Buzars; Whether they interfered in any respect with

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each other; Whether any Articles were permitted to be sold in the one, which were prohibited in the other. Whether the Settlers or Bazar Merchants were under any Restraint or Compulsion to sell their Commodity in the one in Preference to the other. Whether they know of any difference of Price of the same Articles at the same time in the two Bazars; Whether they know of any duties or Taxes imposed on Fort St. George Bazar or on the Natives they have already said there were more and any other matters within their Knowledge, that may give the Board the Information they desire on the Subject. And particularly whether they know that the distilling of Arrack & vending the same to the Military, was permitted in Fort St. George Bazar; it having been reported that Drunkenness prevailed in the army to the great Injury of the Soldiers health, & that it was occasioned by Liquors bought of the Contractors people. —

The Board also desire to be informed why the Ballance of Pags. 4327. 1. 30 due from Mr. Parkinson for Grain sold, & of Pags. 574. 30 due by Col Wood for Grain delivered to him at Rintongery have not been received from them. —

As it appears by the said Narrative that after the Nabob join'd the army the Management of the Grain & Bazar was intrusted to Mr. Parkinson, till Mr. Macleay took Charge of it on the 1st. Sept., that by the accounts he delivered over of his Transactions it appears that the whole value of Grain made by him in that space

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being above three Months amounted to little more than Rupees 12000, for which he is still accountable, as well as for some Grain, which was never delivered over to Mr. Mackay, & as it also appears by the said Narrative that in the Space of little more than two Months during Mr. Mackay's management the Sales of Grain amounted to Pag.s 9213.—, — It is referred to the Committee appointed to inspect into the Grain Accots to call upon Mr. Parkinson for his accounts during the time he had the Management of the Grain, to inspect & examine the same, to request of the Nabob to furnish them with his accounts of the Grain which came to Mr. Parkinsons hands during that time, & to report their opinion thereon to the Board, & in particular what was the Cause of the great Difference in the account of the Sales under Mr. Parkinsons Management & under Mr. Mackays. —— , —

, Messrs. Call & Mackay having resumed their Seats, are made acquainted with the observations. —

Agreed that Mr. Call & Mr. Holland be appointed of the Committee for examining the Grain Buysmess & that Mr. Holland do act as Clerk to the same. —

As We imagine that the Qty of Grain remaining at Colary Vencata very must be considerable, Messrs. Petrie & Pringle are to be directed to dispose of at Port in the Buzar, reserving only a Sufficient Store for the Garrison & they are to be ordered to transmit to Us at the End of this Month

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Month their Grain Journal & Ledger to that time
They are also to be intructed to serve the Sepoys
& Polygar Peons in those Garrisons with a Seer of
Rice pr. Day, & to pay the Latter a Chuck pr Day.—

to the Sort of Corruptions is at
present of little or no Consequence, & must of Course
fall if attacked by any Considerable Force.— It is
resolved that Lieut. Galbreath be directed to deliver
the same over to the Nabobs Killedar at Kistnagery
if he is willing to receive Sepoys or Peons into it.—
or Should he decline it, the Place must be
demolished & the Troops ordered to Ambor

Read the following Letter from Captain
Jas Fitzgerald Commanding at Vellore.

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President & Govr. & Council of
Fort St. George.—

Letter from Capt.
Jas Fitzgerald

Honble Sirs/

I had the Pleasure to
receive yours of the 20th Inst. In Consequence thereof
I ordered Lieut. Eaton of the Bengall Detachment,
to Proceed to Arcot, to relieve Lieut. Her, who is
now here & agreeable to your Request have made all
the enquiry Possible into the Cause of the Killedars
Complaint.—

I have with forwarded you Lieut
Hers Letter to me, Giving an acct. of the affair
as it happened, as also, a letter from the Arcot
Killedar which I received this morning.—

I also directed Serj. Newmyer

enclosing a letter
from Lt. Her of the
Killedar of Arcot
on the Subject
of the Complaint
against Lt. Her.—

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at Arcot to Enquire into the Particulars of this affair as Much as he Could, he informs me, that the Killadar Denied to him, having made any such Complaint. —

I am Honble Sirs

Your most Obed.t & most humble

Servant

Jas Fitzgerald

Vellore
24 December
1760.

From the account Lieut. Her has given of the affair in his Letter to Capt. Fitzgerald which is read it appears that the Cause of the Killadars Complaint was, Lieut. Her having permitted his Sepoys, by reason of the heavy raine which then fell to take Possession of two or three Houses in the Fort which were Uninhabited, after having in Vain applied to the Killedar two or three days successively, for proper accomodation for them; & as the Letter from the Killedar transmitted by Capt. Fitzgerald, N.o 169 makes no mention of that part of his Charge, wherein he accuses Lieut. Her of giving him such Usage as he never received from any Officer before; & the account which the Killedar mentions to have sent to Capt.n Fitzgerald not being received

Agreed that M.r Sadlier

Mr Sadlier to enquire into it.

at Arcot be directed to procure from the Killedar a Circumstantial account of the affair

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written in his own Language, which he will transmit to Us, with such other information relating thereto as it may be able to procure.

C. Pitt Bourchier

Jos. Du Pré

John Call

Saml. Ardesley

Geo. Stratton

J. A. Bourchier

Geo: Mackay

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26 Dispatched the following Letters.—

To Wm. Alexr. Pringle
at Vincatagery

Sir

Letter to Wm. Pringle

You will at the end of the month transmit to Us a Copy of your Grain Journal & Ledger to that time, & also an Account Remains of Grain in Vincatagery.

As we imagine that the Quantity remaining must be considerable, you may dispose of Part of the Nandhanpy Ricey Paddy in the Buzar keeping only 30000 Seer of Rice as a Store for the Garrison besides the Paddy that was in Store there before

You are to serve the Polygars belonging to Bomerauze a Seer of rice & may them a Dub pr. day; The Sepoys also in the Garrison to be served a Rice.—

We are
Sir
Your affectionate Friends
Chs. Boucher & Council

Fort St. George
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To Wm. William Petrie
at Colar

Sir

Letter to Wm. Petrie.—

You will at the End of this Month transmit to Us a Copy of your Grain Journal & Ledger to that time, and also an account Remains of Grain in Colar

As We imagine that the Quantity

Quantity remaining remaining must be convid
erable. You may sell part of the Natchurry Rice
& Paudy in the Buzar, keeping only 60,000 Seer
of Rice or an Equivalent in Paudy as a Store
for the Garrison.—

You are to Serve the Polygars
belonging to the Cabautry & Vincatagery men a Seer
of Rice & may them a Dubs pr. day, & also the Sepoys
belonging to Captain Alexanders Battalion
which will hereafter be deducted out of their Pay.—

We are
Sir
Your affectionate friends
Chr. Bourchier & Council

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26 Decr. 1760.

To Lieutenant Galbraith
at Coveripatam

Sir/

Letter to Lt Galbraith

as it is not conceived that the Keeping
of Coveripalam can answer any Good end equal to the
Risque of losing the Sepoys under your Command
with their Arms, you are immediately on Receipt
of this to prepare to march with your Sepoys
to Amboor, Leaving the Place under the Orders
of Aboul Rooshed Cawn if he Chuses to put any
Sepoys or Peons into it, to keep it till an Enemy
may attackt it, or else demolish it, as far as you
can.— I have wrote him on that Subject.—

Major Fitzgerald writes that
he left with you great part of his Baggage &
particularly some Rice as we imagine he is gone
by

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by way of attur or Trichinopoly you will endeav
to Carry the Baggage with you to Ambor either
By Bullocks he left, or by the 500 bullocks which
W have ordered with Rice to Chittnagery g which
will be sent you, if you apply for them for that
purpose. The Rice is to be left at Chittnagery for
the use of the army or the Garrison.—

If Major Fitzgerald should be
returning your way, you will wait till he comes,
if you hear no news of him, or that he has forced
Hyder to Retire you will then execute these orders
as soon as possible g write me immediatly of your
Instructions.—

I am
Sir
Your most Obt. Servant.—
Ch. Bourchier.—

Fort St. George
26 Decr. 1760

Received the following Letter from
Mr. Brome
To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President g Govr. & Council
of Fort St. George

Honble Sir g Sirs

Letter from Mr Brome

My last Respects were dated
the 10 Instant a Duplicate of which goes inclosed
I have the Honor to address you this soon again pur-
posely to advise your Honor &c that since the date
of my last I have been dispatched by the Durbar g that
Mamavarow will set out in a day or two g to forward
two Bills on the Nabob of Arcot the one for three thousand
g

advised of his being about to leave Mamavarows Court.—

and the other for five thousand Bombay to Nagoree
the latter I have this day paid Sheforee by Order of
my Superiors. — Your Honour will therefore be pleas.
to Credit Bombay Precedency for the same. — I have
the Honor to be with Respect

Honble Sir & Sirs

Your most Obed.t Servant. —

Ch.s Brome

Pomah
24th Nov.r 1760

27th Wrote the following Letter to John Lewin Smith Esq.r
Chief at Musulipatam. —

To John Lewen Smith Esq.r
Chief at Musulipatam

Sir /

Letter to J.L. Smith Esq.r —

We have received your Letter of the
15 & 21st inst. —

Cowlies shall be made out for Ram
Jogue Pateloo & the Sekaly Rajah agreeable to the
granted by you. —

For the new arrow you have given
/most of which before, we were unacquainted with/
We approve of the Troops under Col Sod remaining at
Ellore, at least for the present, if therefore they should
have marched from thence you may order them to
return. But every preperation must be made for
their taking the Field on the shortest Notice. —

We approve of your appointing
European officers to the New Battalion of Sepoys
& Capt.n Wm Collins to Command it & we will order
or to send your more officers as soon as possible

We

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We agree with you that as the Fort of Chucacole will be left destitute of any Troops, that it may be delivered up to Sultan Ameuze, making it a Merit with him as proceeding from the Confidence We have in him

With regard to Telmeur, unless it be a place of Consequence & necessary to be kept for the Security of that part of the Chucacole Circar, We would recommend that the Troops & stores to be withdrawn from thence & the Fort delivered to Ameuze Pundet, who may place people therein. — We are the more induced to prefer the withdrawing the Garrison, as Mr Cotsford is in great want of two Companys of Captains Cossemeers Battalion now Stationed there, & we do not imagine that they alone can defend the place against any Considerable Force, as they will be too far distant to be Supported. — If therefore your Sentiments should concur with ours You will give orders accordingly & order the two Companys of Sepoys to join Mr Cotsford as before directed. — If you Should be of opinion that the Fort is necessary to be kept in the Companys hands you will advise us thereof & give Us your Sentiments how it may be Garrisoned & in that Case you may detain the two Companys of Sepoys there till further Orders. —

We are
Sir
Your affect. Friends
& Hr Bourchier & Council

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P.S. Should you have just reason to apprehend an attack on the Circars, You have our Permission to order

Colonel

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Colonel Peach immediately to Bajavarah, or any other Place where he may be best able to oppose any attempts of an Enemy. — . —

28th. The following Letters were this day wrote and sent away. —

To the Honble Harry Verelst Esqr.
President & Govr. & Council
at Fort William

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter to Bengal & Bombay desiring a supply of sundry Stores. — . —

The very great demand We had for Stores obliges Us to transmit to your Honours a List of such Articles as We are much in Want of, & to request that you will be pleased to send Us by the first opportunity as large a Supply of each as you can conveniently Spare

We are
Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most Obed.t & Humble
Servants
Chs Boucher & Council

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The Same Bombay

To the Honble Hennam Abbestie Esqr. —
President & Govr. & Council
at Trangnebar. —

Letter to Trangnebar

Honble Sir & Sirs

We have received your letter of the 7th. in which you inform us that you had received advice from a Black Merch.t whom you had

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had dispatched in the month of Septr in a Shony laden with Articles of Trade & some Iron Guns & fire arms for Ganjam Shad the said Shony being by Stress of weather obliged to Cast anchor at Pentacottah a Detachment of our Sepoys had Seized the Boat people, took away the Flag & passport & Confiscated the Goods which you are pleased to inform Us belong to your Company. — . —

Not doubting but your Honors have given Us an exact recital of the advice you have received. We must beg leave to inform you that the Black Merchts have not given you a just & true account of the Transaction. — It is Certain that any Vessel putting into Port in distress is intitled to protection — It is equally certain that if the Master or any other having Charge of the Vessel should find it necessary or on any other account should desire to land any part of her Cargo, such goods ought to be landed publickly that the proper Officers of the Port may have Cognizance thereof, But not if on the Contrary they should be Clandestinely landed & afterwards Concealed such Goods whatever they be are liable to Seizure & Confiscation. — The Militia Stores which we have Caused to be Seized were thus Clandestinely Landed & Concealed of which our proofs are Authentick & Shall be transmitted to our Superiours in Europe such other goods as do not come under that denomination we have Caused to be restored altho such as were Clandestinely landed & Concealed were on that account also liable to Confiscation you are pleased farther to inform Us that

that the said Ivory & Military Stores were intended for Ganjam upon which We must take the liberty to inform you that had they been Landed at Ganjam We should have judged them liable to Confiscation there, because We were at that time & are now at open & declared War with the Zemindar or Rajah of that Place & your Honour &c cannot be ignorant of the Laws of Nations in such Case.

We are

Honble Sir &c.rs

Your most Obed.t Humble

Servants

Ch.s Boucher & Council

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To Mr. Peter Perring Paymaster
at Ongole

Sir

Letter to Mr. Perring

The Committee of Stores having acquainted Yo that You had indented for three 4 P.r Gun Carriages, 1 Tumbril & also for Carriages for 2 Guns of a smaller Construction, & that you could make them at Ongole, You have our Permission to do so. —

We are

Sir

Your Affect.e Friends

Ch.s Boucher & Council

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To Mr. Anthony Salter
at Arcot

Sir

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Letter to Mr. Sadleir

The Nabobs Killedar at Arcott having lodged a Compleant against Lieut. Her of the Bengal Detachment a Copy of which is enclosed, & for which, from Mr. Hers account of the affair; their appears to have been but little Foundation. — We desire you will procure from the Killadar a Circumstantial account thereof written in his own Language, which you will transmitt to Us, with such other information relateing thereto as you have or may be able to procure. —

We are
Sir
Your Affectionate friends
& Servts
Chs. Bourchier &c Council

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Received the following Letter from Major Flint. — . —

To the Honble Chs. Bourchier Esqr.
President & Governor &c Council

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Major Flint advising of his Return to Trichinopoly after having narrowly escaped from the Enemy. — . —

You no doubt are this have heard from Col Fraschman of my being obliged to return on account of the Enemys Horse, On the 17th in the Morning I met them within four miles of Carroor and they pursued me for many miles. I lost my Palanquin, Scrutore with Six Thousand Pags & all my Papers, amongst them was the two letters from the Board, one was the order for me to go and relieve Col Fraschman, & the other given me advice of the Combination between the Soubah, Madarass,

& Hyder

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Hyder to Invade the Carnatich, the latter came to hand the 15 that same Night I sett out for Carroor these I intended to have answerd, on my Arrival there, I have since been informd by several of my Servants who were taken Prisoners, that they saw the Horsemen break open the Sorustore, take out the Money & thro away the Papers.—

Two days ago Col Fraschman (who is still much Indisposed) gave up the Command of the Garrison to me finding there was no Possibility of my being able to join Capt. Orton at Erode as the Enemy has got Possession of Carroor & a Large body of their Horse about many letters have been sent to Capt Orton with orders for him to make the best of his way with all the Troops to this Place, if Possible two of those Letters are come back the Harcara being afraid to go, what is become of the others, we have not yet learnd.—

Last night four of the Travancore Sepoys came in here Wounded giving me an Account, that Capt. Orton had sent three Compys of those Sepoys with some baggage for to stay at Carroor, when they came within a few Miles of the Place, they were met by a Large body of the enemys horse, & attackd them a great many were Killed & Wounded what few escapd I expect in here, Capt. Orton with the Troops at Erode, they also inform me, were to have Marchd to Coveryparam were Capt. Fergusson is,—

Cannot proceed by reason of the Enemys Horse—

I have intelligence to day that Hyder is withdrawing all his forces together at

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at Carour & it is thought he is going towards Dar aparam, which place Capt Johnston Commands with Six Companys of Sepoys, many letters have been Sent with Orders to him, to withdraw his Garrison, but Cannot learn if any of these letters have got Save, However we have reason to imagine that Hyder has got Intelligence that Major Fitzgerald with his Detachment is drawing near him, Several Letters have been also sent with Orders to the Harcars to find out if Possible, to give him an account of Hyders proceedings & Intentions respecting of him at the same time to make all the haste he can this way & not a step to Hyders Career, we have not learnd what rout he has taken, which would have been great Satisfaction to us here, had we known, in the present Situation of Affairs, —

For these four days past, we have been in Constant expectation of Hyder, & have also been making all the preperations we Possibly can for his Reception with the few Troops we have & those mostly recruits. - So earnestly long to see some Succors at Hand. —

I am with the Greatest

Respect. —

Hon^ble Sir & Sirs

Your most Obedient & very

humble Servant

Wm Flint

Trichinopoly

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At a Consultation Present.
Charles Bourchier Esq.r Governor President
Josias DuPre —— John Call
Alexander Wynch —— John Andrews
Sam.l Bradley —— George Stratton
George Dawson —— James Bourchier
Rich.d Brickenden ——
—— George Mackay ——

Mr. Whitehill absent on Service.

Altho We have little reason to apprehend but that that the Force with Major Fitzgerald is sufficient to oppose Hyder, or even to repeat him, if an Opportunity offers of bringing to an Action; Yet as the Chance of War is uncertain, it is requisite to provide as far as possible every Occurrence for which purpose it is necessary that Lt. Colonel Lang & Capt. James Fitzgerald should be furnished with instructions for their Conduct, in Case Major Fitzgerald should unfortunately meet with a Repulse, as the Enemys motions would in that Case be too rapid to admit of their receiving them in time. — The following Letters are therefore now wrote & ordered to be dispatched immediately. —

To Lieut.t Col Lang
Commanding the Army
Sir/

Letter to Lt.t Col Lang

We have not for some days past had any Advice from Major Fitzgerald; & altho we are under very little apprehension

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Containing Instructions for him in Case of his receiving Certain advices of Major Fitzgerald's being Repulsed.—

apprehensions of his being defeated should he bring Hyder to an Engagement; Yet as the events of War are uncertain, & it is impossible to forsee on whose favor a Battle may turn, it is necessary that you should have timely Instructions for your Conduct, in Case Major Fitzgerald should meet with a Repulse.

Should you therefore receive certain Intelligence of such an unfortunate event, We desire you will immediately give Orders for abandoning the Forts of Colar & Vencatagery, & retire with all the Troops under your Command including the Nabobs Battalion under Capt. Buckett out of the Mysore Country & march to Vellore with all Expedition, having behind you, or destroying if impossible such Stores & Baggage as you cannot carry with you without retarding your March, and you will give directions that the Trunnions of the Guns at Colar & Vincatagery, be broke, & that the other Stores be destroyed in the best manner time will admit.—

Should the Garrisons at Vencatagery & Colar be unable to reach Vellore by reason of any Partys of the Enemys Horse, you will order them to take post at Ambour or Sautgud or wherever it may be most Convenient.—

We are

Sir

Your most humble Servants

Chas. Boucher & Council

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To Captain James Fitzgerald
Commanding at Vellore

Sir

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Sir

Letter to Capt Jas Fitzgerald on the Same Subject.—

The President hath acquainted Us on the 27th inst. he sent you Directions to order 100 active Europeans with proper Officers to proceed hither, which We approve & hope you will in Consequence thereof have given the necessary directions for that purpose.—

We have not for some days past had any Intelligence of Major Fitzgerald, & altho we have little apprehension but that if he has an Opportunity of bringing the Enemy to an action, that the force he has with him will be able to defeat Hyder.— Yet as it is impossible to foresee the Events of War; or in whose favor a Battle may turn —Should you receive certain advices of Major Fitzgerald's being Worsted We desire you will order the Bengal Battalion to march to Madras, immediately, without their Guns & Sumbrils & to see that they are not encumbered with Baggage.— If any Parties of the Enemys Horse should have got between them & this Place they will go by way of Punamalee Chinglepet or Trepissour by which they will avoid any Superior Force of the Enemy.—

The Bengal Sepoys in Arcott are also in that Case to join their Battalion, leaving the Fort to the Care of the Nabobs People.—

We have ordered L. Col Lang in Case of such an Unfortunate Event to give immediate Directions for Abandoning Colar, Vinoatagoy & to retire out of the Mysore Country & to March with

with his whole Force to Vellore with all expedition

We are

Sir

Your most Obedt. Servants

Chs. Bourchier & Council

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The President acquaints the Board that on account of the weak state of this Garrison, he had sent directions to Capt. Jas. Fitzgerald to order 100 Europeans to march hither from Vellore, from which Place they may be well spared, as many of the Sick who are arrived there will soon be fit for Duty; which is approved. — .—

100 Men ordered hither from Vellore

Letter from the Chief & Council at Mussulipatam read as follows. —

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esq^r^
President and Governor &c Council of
Fort St. George
Honble Sirs

Letter from Mus-
sulipatam. —

The rains having sometime ago subsided, & the Country thereby, being in such a situation as to admit of Military operations being carried on therein, from the present state of the War & the late Mysterious conduct of Nizam Ally, we judge it incumbent on Us, therefore to take every prudent precaution for preparing the Places & Countrys entrusted to our Charge, to withstand any hostile attempts that might be made on them from the Deccan; & that we should be more particular by informa of the State of the Fortifications here

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Sir

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The Bengal Sepoys in Arcott are also in that Case to join their Battalion, leaving the Fort to the Care of the Nabobs People. —

We have ordered Lt Col Lang in Case of such an Unfortunate Event to give immedi=ate Directions for Abandoning Colar, Vinoatapy & to retire out of the Mysore Country & to March South

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with his whole Force to Vellore with all expedition

We are

Sir

Your most Obdt. Servants

Chs. Bourchier & Council

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100 Men ordered hither from Vellore

Letter from the Chief & Council at Masulipatam read as follows. —

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President and Governor &c Council of
Fort St. George
Honble Sirs

Letter from Masulipatam. —

The Troops having sometime ago subsided & the Country thereby, being in such a situation as to admit of Military operations being carried on therein, from the present state of the War & the late Mysterious conduct of Nizam Ally, we judge it incumbent on Us, therefore to take every prudent precaution for preparing the Places & Countrys entrusted to our Charge, to withstand any hostile attempts that might be made on them from the Deccan; & that we should be more particularly informed of the State of the Fortifications here

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here, than what is generally shewn by the Engineers annual Reports, before the Receit of your Commands from your Civil Department of the 11th inst. We had on that account, Ordered Mr. Stevens, to make out a Report of the Works, shewing the state wherein he found them on his arrival at the Settlement the Work that had since been executed under his inspection, what remains still to be done, & the time he judged it would require to Compleat the same a Copy of which report, we have now the Honor to transmit you enclosed. — We likewise forward to you a List of Guns intended to be mounted on the Several Bastions & the out Work before the Pettah Gate; for which purpose, besides the Ordnance in Store, we Shall want about twenty 24 & 18 Prs and as many short 12 & 9 Prs, & we request that you will be pleased to Supply Us with the same and also with some Mortars of different dimensions, by such sea Conveyance as may offer & as you may judge proper for that purpose. —

enclosing Mr. Stevens Report regarding the state of the Forts of Samalcotah & Mussulipatam desires some Guns & Mortars may be sent them. —

The Buildings at Samalcotah we have ordered for the present to be delay'd & have directed that the workmen there be solely employ'd in repairing its defences. —

We are very respectfully
Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most Obedient Hble
Servants
I S Smith
Saml Johnson
Edw. Rawdon
Dr Crauford. —

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P.S

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PS The Estimate refered to in the accompanying Copy of a Letter from Mr. Stevens, we ordered to be made out, and Representation being made to Us by Lt. Col Ford of the ruinous state of the Barracks at Ellore; & when the same is laid before Us, it shall be forwarded to your Honours.

To John Lewen Smith Esqr
Chief & Council of Masulipatam
Gentlemen

Letter from Mr. Stevens Regarding the State of the Forts of Samalacotah & Masulipatam

I have received the Orders by your Secretary Under date the 10th Ulto. for the repairing the Fortifications of Samalacotah, which are now Carrying on agreeable thereto as well as the Buildings for the accomodation of the Garrison & Lodgement of the Stores & accompanying this I have the Honor to lay before you an estimate of the Expences that I judge will attend the erecting of these Buildings at Samalacotah amounting to Pagodas 47140. which added to a former estimate of Six thousand Mo Pag. for the repair of the Fortifications makes ten thousand seven hundred & forty Madras pagodas (M Rs. 10740). but as I imagine their will be no Constant use for all these Buildings proposed in my address to you of the 17 July, think part of that expence may without much Inconvenience be saved & am in great hopes from the Regulations lately made among the workmen at Samalacotah, that the Repairs of the defences will not cost so much as before computed, and consequently believe that the making a good Part of that

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that Place with Lodgings for the Garrison, will not amount to the sum above mentioned.—

I have not yet been able to make out the Estimate you are Pleased to order for enlarging the Barracks at Ellore so as to accomodate five hundred Europeans, & three Battalions of Sepoys but have to observe that they cannot be erected within the Fort of Ellore for want of Room, & think that at least two of the Battalions of Sepoys must be quarted without the Town.— The the present Barracks at Ellore, — which will Contain about 200 Europeans & 8 Officers / inclusive of the Commanding Officer / do now defend the Troops from the Weather yet they will soon want Considerable Repairs, or indeed almost Rebuilding.— I shall therefore make my Estimate on a Supposition that these existing are Useless, & lay it before you as soon as possible, as the Clay at Ellore is very good, & Bricks are there difficult to be got, & also very expensive.— I shall Confine my Estimate to erecting these Buildings with Clay Walls or Raw Bricks shewing the Expence of such as can be Built within the Fort, as well as those without.—

Your Orders under date from your Secretary of the 8 Inst., I have also received. In Consequence of which, I beg leave to inform you that after Col. Forde took Possession of this Place in the Year 1759, little or nothing was done to repair the Bastions or Breast Works till my arrival here in the Latter end of the year 1765, & they being Composed of a Salt Slimy Mud, not above 8 feet

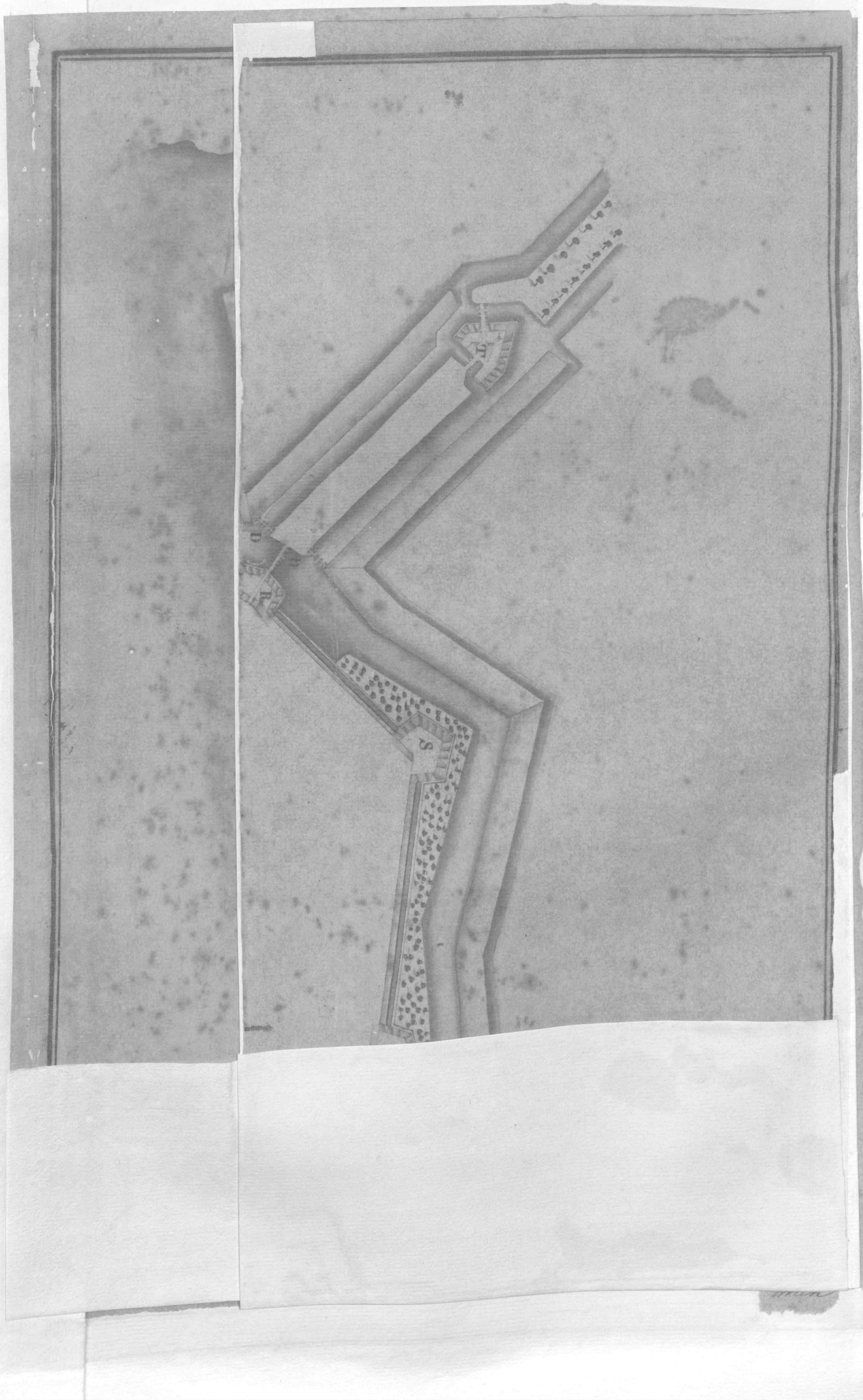
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8 feet high, the Rains of Six or seven Monsoons had made such Ravage on them that it was then almost doubtfull whether any defencive Works had ever existed round the Place, for some Iron Guns on rotten Carriages half sunk into small Mounds of Earth, were the chief signs remaining & a Pallisadoe of Country Wood that had been planted by the French all round the foot of the Works was also rotted, & the greatest part of it had been removed & burnt by the Inhabitants of the Town. —

In December 1765 I began to carry into Execution a Project designd by Lt Call for fortifying Musulipatam, which, in general Terms was to be chiefly small Bastions faced with thin Brick Wall the Curtains joining them was also to be faced on the out side in the same Manner, — and a Berm about forty feet Broad, except on the River side, was to surround the whole in which was to be planted thorny Shrubs & Trees — Beyond the Berm was to be a Wett ditch of 80 feet wide surrounding the Town on the East, N. & West sides, & Communicating with the river on the S.E. & S.W. angles, where there was to be Sluices to keep the Water to 8 or 9 feet depth after high flood Tides, without the ditch was to be a small Glacis, not to be Cover the Works, but to prevent the Tides from flowing into or out of the Ditch, except at the Sluices, & beyond the Glacis was to be a small second Ditch; & lastly there was to be a Redoubt in

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the Road leading to the Pettah at about 300 Yards from the Gate. — After proceeding on this Plan I soon found it was Necessary to have the ditch faced with Brick work, for after the soft Slimy mud that had filled the ancient Ditch had been taken off, there was a Bed of sure sand which continued in most Places to the Bottom, & the motion of the Water disturbed it very much & being apprehensive that the Bastions &c would be undermined by its tumbling in and in, & filling up the ditch I proposed that a single Brick Wall should be laid against the Escarp & Counterscarp to prevent the Water from washing away the sand; which the President & Council agreed to with a Caution to consider well whether it would be a sufficient Thickness to answer the Purposes intended. — On a further Consideration it occurred to me, that all the Rain which fell on the Berm as well without as Within would be undermined by its tumbling in and in, & filling up the ditch I proposed that a single Brick Wall should be laid against the Escarp & Counterscarp to prevent the Water from washing away the sand; which the President & Council agreed to with a Caution to consider well whether it would be a sufficient Thickness to answer the Purposes intended. — On a further Consideration it occurred to me, that all the Rain which fell on the Berm as well without as Within would be undermined by its tumbling in and in, & filling up the ditch I proposed that a single Brick Wall should be laid against the Escarp & Counterscarp to prevent the Water from washing away the sand; which the President & Council agreed to with a Caution to consider well whether it would be a sufficient Thickness to answer the Purposes intended. — On a further Consideration it occurred to me, that all the Rain which fell on the Berm as well without as Within would be undermined by its tumbling in and in, & filling up the ditch I proposed that a single Brick Wall should be laid against the Escarp & Counterscarp to prevent the Water from washing away the sand; which the President & Council agreed to with a Caution to consider well whether it would be a sufficient Thickness to answer the Purposes intended. — On a further Consideration it occurred to me, that all the Rain which fell on the Berm as well without as Within would run in Town & to pass over the Escarp into the Ditch, & of Consequence a single Brick Wall with a great slope / as against such rotten Ground especially / would not stand long. I therefore without any further Application / but a Private Consent from the Chief Engineer / began to face the Escarp of the Ditch with a slight Revetement of Brick work in the usual manner which I imagined would not cost much more than what Before Computed for facing both the sides had been proposed, and as the Glacis slopes outwards, & Consequently no Rain comes that way over the Counterscarp. I only beat a face of the best Clay



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Glacis should get against that side of the Ditch instead of the Brick Wall. — With this difference from the Original Plan of an alteration condi-tionally agreed to by the President & Council in a Letter from Fort S.t George to this Place dated the 26 April 1760, have since proceeded, & now lay before you a Plan of the Fort, as above mentioned have been agreed to be executed. — The Ditch from the S. East to the S. West angle is now neg.y completed with its Escarp faced with Brick work, except from O to the middle of S H & from B to N. where it is yet only six feet deep in Water, & the Escarp facing not begun. — The Sluices at D on the S.t East angle & those on each side of the Road is compleated, as also one Under the Bridge, all of which are for the Conveniency of keeping up Water. — The 4 two second ditch are now compleated all round the Place, that is from the S West to the South East angle. — The Royal Bastion S is compleated with its facing to the Plate form Level. — Johnsons Battery is nearly in the same forwardness; & the Gate way R & Lords Bastion H, will very soon be faced to the same Height. — In the Places of the re-maining Bastions except at H, there has been thrown up the greatest part of the Earth which is to form them as soon as the Revetements are erected before which time it would be great expence & Trouble to make them in a defensible Heate, as the Ground is Rotten they would be thrown down by every Shower of Rain, & the continual Repairs they would require would employ a number of Work men

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Workmen who cannot in our Scarcity be spared from other Services. — The Bastion N remains in its former State; & the Redoubt T, where was the only Work capable of the least Resistance, have been almost levelled to get the Wood of which it was constructed to make Piles for some part of the Foundation where it was not very good. The Berm is filled up & some Shrubs have been planted, but I am in some doubt whether such as are yet put in will arrive to any Perfection. — The Curtain from S to G is now very near finished with a facing of Sodd or Turf, both within & without, which I am in hopes will answer as well as if the outside was faced with Brick work, & will cost only about 350 Madras Pagodas exclusive of a few Lascars who hath been employed on it & not charged, which is not more than a third of the sum, that facing the outside with Brick itself would come to. —

As I am now in hopes that the Works will be more plentifully supplied with Bricks & Chunam, as well as a greater Number of Workmen than have been hitherto procured, & also, as the chief part of the Works now to be done is above G. — & will not be so tedious & troublesome, I make no doubt but within two years, that every Bastion will be completed, as also the little remains to be done to be done to the ditch, & should finishing the the Curtains with Turf be successfull, & approved of, many of them also will in that case, be by that time completed. — The present state of this Place as described above, I think would, if We had a

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Garrison, resist a Country Force, at least it might be made very soon to do so; but I have before said, that it would at least become an Expence and useless Trouble to make temporary Works, should they not be wanted. However, without such, We should have by the End of 1761 so many compleated agreeable to the intended Project, as will render Mussulipatam defensible against a Formidable Enemy. —

I have the Honor to present you with a list of Guns, allowing one for every Embrasure where the can work Clear of one another which in my Opinion, such a Place as Mussulipatam ought to be furnished with; however some of the 18 or 24 Pdrs on the Sea Face may for want, be supplied with long 12's but as many as possible of the 6l Short & light Guns which are for the Flanks, should by all means be procured either of 12's & or even 6's as I esteem them to be very essential to the defence of this Fortress in particular. —

In the enclosed Plan of the Fortification of this Place you will observe a small Berm, Ditch Glacis &c., traced in Yellow before the Curtains on the River side, the use & Contrary of which, I recommend to your Consideration; & have to observe as the river, especially in dry Weather, from the Channel at 300 or some Fathoms 200 Yards distance, has seldom more than 8 feet Water at High tide, & for some most of the 24 Hours has nothing but a little Mud to prevent

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an Approach that way, with the same ease, as on any other Face was there no Ditch, it is therefore my Opinion, that Fortification would without some Addition of such kind, or a good Palisa/ nade of which are intended/ be liable to a Surprize that way; otherwise, it must be better guarded, when perhaps Troops cannot without Inconvenience be spared from other sides and especialy that attached. — In the above mentioned Works after is Carried out as far as the extremity of the Glacis, which will serve the Purposes of a Wharf some time ago recommended by the Committee of Works for facilitating the Landing of Goods on each Side of this Pier the latch has a Communication with the River by means of Sluice Gates to keep up the Water in the Ditch as the Gates may be large enought to admit of Boats passing up also by their assistance with the Water kept up in the Ditch till half the Ebb Tide is run out of the River. I think a Channel may always be cleard deep enough to that in the River, by which the Boats may come up to the Pier, without an Inconvenience which would attend carrying that Pier further out, & nearer to the Deep water from the Riotmah, when it lies, from flowing freely, on that side of the Fort, which if much stopd would occasion its rising higher on the Plain West of the Town, & being there confined by the Pettah Road /still it now flows it/ from having a Passage round the North end of Nuselapatam & empty[illegible] into the River on the East; which I have reason to

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to believe from the observation I made during the Freshes from the Hiatmah in the Year 1766 in the Course, which great part of the Water from the Country would follow if that Obstruction was Removed. — I Submit the whole to your Consideration & am with the greatest Respect

Gentlemen

Your most Obedient Hble Servant

Wm Stevens

Nuncleputam
1st Decr 1768.

List of Guns and their Calibers to be mounted on the Fortifications of Nuncleputam. — . —

	24 Pds and 10 Pds	long 12 and 9 Pounders	Short 12 and 9 Pounders
List of Guns Necessary for the Works at Nuncleputam			
Royal Bastion	4	4	6
Pybus's Bastion	8		6
Fords Bastion	8		6
Calthorpes Bastion	5		5
Smiths Bastion	5		5
Flag Staff Bastion	4		5
Nabobs Bastion		4	4
Pathe Bastion	4	4	6
Dury Bastion	2	2	2
Johnsons Battery	3	3	3
Gate Bastion		4	5
Pettah Gate		6	5
Retrench	5	3	3
	Total 40	30	61

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1st Decr 1768.

Wm Stevens

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The Gentlemen at Musulipatam have already been instructed only to make such Repairs for the Present to the several Forts under their Charge as may serve to secure them against any attempt of a Body of Horse, With regard to Mr. Stevens Report of the State of Musulipatam: — It is Agreed that it be referred to the Chief Engineer who is to give Us his Sentiments with respect to the Works carrying on there. — And Ordered that Guns be sent for the Service of that Garrison by the first good Opertunity. —

Letter from J Lewin Smith Esqr. read as follows. —

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President & Governor &c Council of
Fort St. George

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from J Lewin Smith Esqr. —

I this evening had the Honour to Receive your Letter of the 19th inst. By mine to you of the 21st you will observe that the two Companys of Capt. Casemores Battalion are allotted to garrison the Fort of Selmore; should they be withdrawn from thence, it must be abandoned & Demolished, & it being a Post of much importance, for securing the Cascade & Selmore Districts & for overawing the Inhabitants of the Rimmedy Country, I shall therefore take the Liberty to defer the same, until I can be favored with your further instructions. —

Representing the Necessity of keeping the two Companys of Capt. Casemores Battalion at Selmore. —

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I have already informed the President of having sent to Mr. Cotsford Lieut. Rowles & Ensign Moore with the remainder of the Cadery Company. —

I am

very Respectfully

Honble Sir & Sirs

Your most Obed.t Hble

Servant

J Smith

Musulipatam
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In our letter of the 27 Instant Mr. Smith was instructed to give Us the necessary Information regarding the Fort of Selmore & his Sentiments as to the Expediency of Keeping or delivering it to Angaje Pundet the Renter of that district. — And if he was of Opinion that it was a Place of such Importance for securing the Peace of the Circar, as to render it necessary to be kept in our hands he was desired to give us his Opinion in what Manner it might be Garrisond, & in the mean time he was allowd to detain there the two Companys of Capt. Casemores Battalion. — To which Letter We may soon expect an Ans.r. —

Letter from the Chief & Council at Cuddalore read as follows. —

To the Honble Charles Bourchier Esq.r
President & Governor & Council
of Fort St. George
Honble Sirs

Letter from Cuddalore

As We find a further quantity of Military Stores necessary for this Garrison

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Desiring Sundry Stores may be sent thither. —

Garrison, besides those we indented for the 10th inst., We take the liberty of requesting you will send us the following. —

3 Pr. tubes filled	400
Portfires	200
4½ lb. shott	200
4½ lb. grape shott	80
2½ lb. shott	400
2½ lb. Grape Shott	100
3 Pdr guns	2
3 lb. grape Shott	40
Barrels of Gun Powder	80
Stand of English arms compleat as these we have got have no bayonets to them.	200

Sergeant Goosetree at Trayar, informs us, that of the four Brass field pieces sent from hence for Col Wood's detachment, two twelve pounders, remain there; which are Unserviceable to him as he has no Shott for them. — We therefore propose sending for them here if it meets with your approbation. —

I leave to send for two Brass Pr. left at Trayar by Col Wood.

We are with Respect
Honble Sir & Sirs
your most Obedient Humble
Servants
P Henry Brooke
Richd Latham
Jas Mc Cassimayor

Cuddalore
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Ordered

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Ordered that such of the Stores as can be spared be put on Board the Pembroke for Cuddalore & that the Gentlemen there be permitted to send for the two Brass 12 Pr. Guns from Tanjore. —

Letter from Colonel Wood read as follows. —

To the Honble Chr. Bourchier Esqr.
President & Governor &c Council
of Fort St. George. —

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Colonel Wood on the Subject of the manner in which the Army was Supplied by the Contractors

I have now the Honor to acknowledge the receipt of your agreeable letter last Night, of the 21st Inst. And shall with or without Oath as you may think it necessary Declare what I know with regard to the Service having suffered on acct. of the Contractors people; I will not Pretend to say who is in the fault, But the Bullocks unanimously have been weak & very bad; the Draught Bullocks in General not so bad as the Carriage: — That and the want of Drivers to the Bullocks in the different departments, has most Certainly been the Cause of many delays & Disappointments with regard to carrying on the Service; The Conceptions & People who have attended the Provisions belonging to the Contractor have ever been Neglectfull & Backward in doing their duty, & I am sensible many things have been lost when it might be avoided would they have conformed to orders. — The Field officers or Capts. of Sepoys will be the Best persons to affirm what I have said, as they have been frequently

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frequently on Escorts Covering the Provisions Baggage & Stores &c. — I am with great respect having the Honor to be

Honble Sirs

Your very Devoted & most Obedt. Humble Servant

John Wood. —

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Ordered that the same do lie upon the Table till the Letters from the other Persons who have been applied to on this Subject are received. — . —

The Commissary General lays before the Board his report on the Charge of Bullocks made by Colonel Peach, which is ordered to be entered. —

Report of the Commissary General on the Subject of Colonel Peachs Charge for Bullocks. — . —

In examining & comparing Col Peachs Return of Bullocks with the establishment for the Coast it appears that each Gun, Howitzer & Sumbril he Charges two Bullocks more then were formerly & usually allowed here, but it is impossible to say how far that might be necessary, as much may depend on the Construction of the Carriages the nature of the Roads & the necessity of marching quick. — The Officer of artillery or Commissary of Stores must be the judges when there is a necessity for an extraordinary Number of Bullocks. — The 18 Bullocks for 6 Long Iron 12 & 9 Prs if they were of the usual weight is more than enough. —

With —

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With respect to the Garriage Bullocks it is impossible to Judge of the Number really necessary unless a List of the Stores was annexed In our Camps the Commissary gets returns from the Quarter Master of each Corps & the Commissary of Stores of the number of Bullocks necessary & what purpose & makes his General Muster & return accordingly. — If heavy Shott & Powder for any Siege was carried about with the Troops it alters the case much as to the No. of Carriage Bullocks. — The charge for the Hire of draught & Carriage Bullocks is the same as the contract here. ——

Read the following Letter from Capt. Sho. Adair. —

To The Honble Chs. Bourchier Esq.—
President & Govr. & Council
of Fort St George

Letter from Capt. Adair —

Honble Sir & Sirs

As I had the Honor to serve in one of his Majestys Regiments during the French War on this Coast & afterwards in a Publick Character under Major Preston at the Seige of Madura; from these Considerations I flatter myself that the Honble Court of Directors would have been more indulgent to the Recommendation that your Honors was pleased to give me, & confirmed the Commission granted to me in this Gov.t Gov.t. —

Since which time I have been employed in the Several service that Ever experienced in this Country

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Country, during which I have the happiness to think that I acquitted myself in every part of my duty to the entire Satisfaction of all the Officers under whom I acted, for a Confirmation of which I beg leave to refer your Honour &c to the Letter addressed to the Board from three Colonels on this Establishment, those Gentlemen are now in Town, & I'm perswaded will be ready to give any further testimony of my behaviour you may require, & am in hopes from my length of Services that your Honour &c will be induced once more to make favourable mention of me to the Honble Court of Directors to confirm my Commission. — I am truely concern'd to be under the a necessity at this time of leaving the service, when perhaps there may be a want of Officers, but with what Spirit can I act, when Numbers greatly my Junior are stepping over me Daily, & I may remain here from one Years end to another, just in the same predicament I now experience. — These motives justly considered will I am persuaded sufficiently acquit me for Seeking Your Honour &c permission to go to Europe; Altho this is a Step I am sorry to take, Yet in my Circumstances no alternative is left. — The Rank of Major is Nominal only: I am forbid to Rise on the List of Officers; therefore my present post is entirely precarious; for should any accident happen to the present Commanding Officer, more than probable the next has a Staff of his own to provide for, & then I shall be

Desiring permission to return to Europe, & requesting our further Recommendation to the Company. —

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be reduced to the necessity of leaving India at all events.— If I could foresee a distant hope of obtaining my Cash from remaining abroad I should not Hesitate a moment where to place the Choice, but I see none.— I must therefore leave this Matter to your Honor &c from this persuasion, that a proper representation from you in my behalf, will be the only means whereby I can obtain my discharge, & it will be adding to the many favors Received by him who is with perfect Respect.—

Honble Sir & Sirs

Your faithfull & Obedient

Servant

Tho.s Stratair.——

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To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esq.r

President & Governor &c Council

of Fort S.t George

Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Colonels Smith & Lumpton & Wood in favor of Capt.n Stratair.——

Altho the Subject of this address may not (to you Gentlemen) appear altogether improper, if we consider the Instructions our Honble Masters have from time to time sent you with regard to not admitting officers into your Service without their Sanction.— Yet from our attachment to the service, and as it has been a practice of long standing in particular cases, & the Court of Directors having the last season sent officers to the Coast, we are induced to make application to you Gentlemen in favor of a man who merit

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as an Officer incontestable, who has on every occasion behaved himself to the entire satisfaction of those Officers under whom he served, and particularly the more so, as the Number of old Capt.s is so great who have been Killed, or have been made prisoners with the Enemy since the Commencement of the last Campaign. — your Honors thought Capt.n Adair worthy of Notice by the favourable Mention made of him in Your General Letter to the Court of Directors. — We now take the Liberty of Recommending him to your favor & protection & request that your Honors would again represent his Case to the Honble Court of Directors, that he may obtain the Rank he holds in your Service from the date of his Commission given to him on his arrival in India a gratification therein will oblige those who are with all respect and Esteem. —

Honble Sir & Sirs

Your faithfull & Obed.t
Servants
Joseph Smith
Donald Campbell
John Vood. —

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In Justice to the Merit of Capt.n Adair as an Officer, We cannot avoid saying that were We at Liberty, We should willingly retain him in the Service. — But as our Honble Masters Commands regarding him are positive, we will by no means deviate from them. — Agreed therefore

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therefore that Capt. Adair be permitted to take his Passage to Europe, & that he be mentiond in our address to the Honble Court of Directors as an Officer deserving their Notice.

Letter from Lieutenant Kerr read as follows.

To The Honble Chs. Bourchier Esqr.

President & Council

of Fort St. George

Gentlemen,

Letter from L. Kerr on the Subject of the Complaint made against him by the Nabob of Arcot.

By your Order I find I am removed from Accots. & the Command given to a Younger Officer, for no other crime than not immediately complying with a very unreasonable Desire of the Nabobs. — Having already made known the Particulars to Capt. Fitzgerald by whom they will be transmitted to you, a Repitition of them will I suppose be needless & for any further Information you may wish to have relative to my Conduct I beg leave to refer you to Mr. Sadlier who was on the Spot. —

I was not surprized Gentlemen at hearing that a Compleint was preferred against me, or at a Desire to guess the Authors of it. — It is too Common a Practice with these Mahommedan Governors, of whose Behaviour I have had frequent Experience, to be a Matter of the least Wonder to me. Neither was I in the smallest degree alarmed at it, for conscious of the Rectitude of my Conduct, which I am very willing to Submit to the strictest Scrutiny.

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I suspicion any such vain attempt to hurt me — It had no other Effect than to excite a smile of honest Indignation & curiosity to know what Shadow He could have made the Foundation of it. — But tho this Effort of his Malice at first made me no ways uneasie, I could not afterwards learn without the strongest Emotions of Concern mixed with Astonishment that his Falsehoods had gained such easy & implicit Credit as to procure him immediate Revenge for Offences that existed only in his own dark mind, where they were Hatched. — Suffer me, to assure you Gentlemen I was so far from having any Intentions myself to quarrell with the Killedar or allow my People to do it, that I behaved to him with the utmost Politeness & gave Strict orders to the Sepoys to avoid all disputes which I was happy to see so well observed that the only Complaint except that of the House, I heard during my Stay there, was against an Inhabitant for attempting to beat one of them. Yet was He represented my studied Civility as unprecedented Insults, & Multiplied me Slave into four. — As my Character is little known to you, Gentlemen, I could not have flattered myself that you would be inclined to Shew me the least favor in this affair, 'tis indeed what I wanted not, Nor on the other Hand could I have expected to be at once condemned & Punished unheard upon his bare Assertion unsupported by Proofs. — All I should have Hoped or desired is Common Justice, a fair Examination

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Examination would have soon Determined where the fault lay, But here the Punishment, precedes the Crime.—

My Disgrace will be a most gratefull Sacrifice to the Vanity & ambition of a Wretch who would hesitate at Nothing however vile or bad to gratify a Wish or gain a Point & who is, I scorn not, at this Hour insulting, among the attentive, admiring Train of Slaves, at this new Trophey of his Success. Mortifying as this Reflection is I have still greater Cause to Lament your Regard, in that it has hurt me in the Opinion of the Seposys & has at last weakened if not totally destroyd that Influence & Authority which it is necessary Officers should have over their People.—

To what can I impute, Gentlemen, your harsh Usage of me?.— His only Influence is to be made from it, that I have by some undesigned means been so unfortunate as to incur your Displeasure which certainly proceeds from another latent Cause, tho what, that is—I profess I cannot even form a probable Conjecture.—

My Services here were Voluntary. I neither belonged to this Battalion or Brigade nor was I ordered or Necessitated to Join it, but came here of my own free Choice preferring this Scene of Activity to the life of Inactivity in Bengal.—

My Duty from several Causes has been pretty severe & I can truly aver that I ever performed it with great Chearfulness & the most rigid Strictness

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Strictness even to the Prejudice of my Health, of this I mean not to Boast, tis at best but negative Merit, — I would only by a Retrospection of my Conduct discover if possible what Part has drawn on me the Load of your Anger, what part of it deserves to be rewarded with Ingnitities My Conscience upbraids me with no Crime, yet I cannot bring myself to think that without having conceived some earlier Prepossessions against me, one of these numerous Complaints of the same Nature, which you must at different times have received in general, I believe, if not always more false, could induce you to treat me with such Sygnominy, therefore I conjure you Gentlemen to acquaint me with the Reason of your Prejudice that I may have an opportunity of Publickly vindicating myself, I further entreat that when I shall have done this to your Satisfaction you will indulge me with Permission to return to Bengal or join Colonel Peach, a Favour which will remove my utmost Greatness. — I thought that no address any Expression has escaped my Pen that can be deemed deficient in Respect, — I hope it will not be ascribed to any design of offending, but to a Warmth in the Justification of my Character which rightly confided, I am confident, Gentlemen your Candour will rather commend than Blame. — I am

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25 Dec. 1760

Honble Sirs
Your most Obed. humble Servant
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Mr. Sadleir at Arcott has been directed to make a particular enquiry regarding the Complaint against Lieut. Hart & till We receive his answer We can come to no Determination thereon . . . We must however observe that Mr Hart seems to have misunderstood our Intention in ordering him to be relieved in his Command, as we by no means meant thereby to prejudge the affair, but We thought it improper he should continue in the Command at Arcott, during the time the enquiry was making, & after such disputes subsisted between him & the Killadars.

E. D. Bourchier

John Call

Sam. Ardley

Geo. Stratton

Ja. Bourchier

Geo: Mackay

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Wrote the following Letter to Cuddalore

To Henry Brooke Esqr
Chief & Council at Cuddalore

Gentlemen

Letter to Cuddalore

We have received your Letter of the 26 Instant, & have in consequence thereof ordered the following Stores to be sent you by the Ship Pembroke.—

3 Pr. Tubes filled . — —	400
Port fires . —	200
4½ Pr. Shott . —	200
4½ Pr. Groape . —	80
2½ Pr. Shott . —	400

The ammo you will be Supplied with from Trinomale . —

We approve of your sending for the two 12 Pdr. Guns from Sugar, as soon as possible, & you have no Reason to apprehend that there is a Risk of their being intercepted by the Enemy

An Invoice & Bill of Lading of the above mentioned Stores are enclosed. —

We are

Gentlemen

Your Affectionate friends

Chs. Bourchier & Council

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30th Delivered the following Instructions to Colonel Smith

To Colonel Joseph Smith

Sir

Instructions to Col Smith

1st. — We have already made Incs

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to you our motives for desiring your presence at this Place, and you have also been acquainted, with the Nature of our enquiry, & (the) opinion we formed thereon with respect to the inactivity of the Army during a certain Period. — At our Consultations where you have been present, You have heard or read all the advices received & the Resolutions we have come to in Consequence; You are therefore fully acquainted with our Circumstances, & Intentions; and as far as We have already given Orders to Lt. Colonel Laing or Major Fitzgerald You are also to act conformably thereto. However as we perceive from what has already Passed, that it will be necessary to establish certain Rules, & orders, for our Commanding Officers in the field, We think it necessary for the Present to lay down the following, for your Guidance, & shall add thereto from Time to time such other Articles as may occur, or the nature of the Service may require.

2nd We Earnestly recommend to you to prevent by the strictest attention, & Discipline, growing discontents & Murmurs in the Army; there never Shall knowingly be any Just Cause for grievances from Us. — If the spring from others, We trust you will Endeavor to remove them, or represent them to Us, that We may do so. — If they are inevitable it is the Duty of every one to

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bear their part as becomes Men destined to encounter Difficulties: By too much Indulgence & Lenity people accustom themselves to murmur, & Complain at the most trifling Incidents. — The firmness & steady Conduct of a Commanding Officer will check such a dangerous Tendency. — We therefore hope this will not be again urged as an Obstacle to the Army's executing the Services we shall recommend. — . —

3d A rigorous punishment of all Crimes & Misdemeanors, & a strict discipline kept up among all Ranks in an Army contribute to so many Good, and prevent so many ill Consequences, that we cannot too earnestly recommend these as principal objects of your Care. — It is not only the manual Exercise, & a regulare performance of the Military part of Duty allotted to each Rank, that is to be attended to, their moral Duty & Conduct in general should be equally watched & regulated. — The Temper, disposition & character of every Officer should be intimately known that Merit & demerit may recieve their Just reward. We recommend to you to attend very Strictly to the Conduct of Every Officer and point out to Us the deserving as well as the Unobserving. — & as in many Situations in this Country even Subaltern Officers must have have Commands of the Greatest Importance, we do expect from you

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you, & our other principal Officers, that you will not fail to point out to Us as early as poſsible, any unworthy object, that he may not obstruct the promotion of better Men, & be a continual burthen on the Service. — .

4. — As Cadets sent out by the Company have after their joining the Army frequently quitted their Stations, either thro' dislike to the Profession they were intended for, or from some impropriety in their Conduct which rendered them unfit to be recommended Officers, & have got into the Nabobs Service, or Rambled about in a most disgraceful Condition without proper Notice having been given to us of Such Objects, that measures might be taken to send them home, & that the Company might be informed on our Records of the Cause. — We do in future lay it down as an invariable Rule, that no Cadet or Officer be permitted to quit his Station or Profession, & retire, or return to Garrison without exact, & full Information from you of the Cause, & that such a Person be directly sent to Madras. — We do also order that no Officer of what ever Rank he be, either thro' Sickness, or with Permission for other Reasons, shall quit the Army, or Garrison where he has been doing duty, without a Written Certificate from his Commanding Officer, from the Adjutant of the Corps he belongs to, or the Brigade Major, which Certificate he is to produce to the Com-

manding

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Commanding Officer of the Place he goes to, the precedent is to be advised thereof, with the Cause by you, & the Commanding Officer where he is Received . . — Any Officer not so provided with a Certificate, will not be rec.d or regarded as Such, & We shall not fail to Censure the Commanding Officer for any neglect in this Article.

5.th . . — . — As We understand it is a most Essential part of a Commanders duty to keep, by one of his Staff Officers in a Book for that purpose, a regular & Circumstantial Detail of all disPositions of the Troops, Encampments, Marches, Lines of Battle, & other Military Orders given out by him; We desire that in future with the Return of the Army every Month, a Copy of such Book be sent Us, & also a Copy of a Journal which We suppose you have constantly kept of all other Occurrences; that from these Records we may not only draw useful Information, relative to the Seasons & Country where our Troops may be employed, & the propriety, or practicability of the Operations they are on; But that you may stand Vindicated for all Resolutions & measures when taken to the Best of your Judgement; & We, have before us, Matter to form our Opinion on, & to inform our Honble Employers of the grounds on which We proceed, & the Consequence, be no the only In this orderly book we shall expect to find

noted in the order they happen, all Deaths, Promotions, leave of absence, Junction, Changes &c relative to the Officers, which will serve as a Standing record to refer to. —

6th As it is absolutely necessary that either We or the President, should be informd daily of all events in the Army, especially at so Critical a time when we are engaged in so Important a War with a powerfull enemy on the Frontiers, We sincerely expect that you write to Us, or him, every day. — There are Certain points on which the Information is due to him in particular, as Governor & Commander in Chief of all the Troops under this Presidency, such as Returns Leave to Officers, Deaths, recommendations, proposals of Changes, or alterations in Discipline, and other Matters of form; & there are others, which are necessary to be recorded, & to come before Us; It is impossible to enter into an exact Detail, & to distinguish each here; We must leave it to your Judgement, thro what Channel the Information shall come; but we do expect to be acquainted thro, one or other, with every material Event. —

7th From the repeated complaints which have been made, & to prevent the like in future, We have in our thoughts & shall endeavour to effect it as soon as we have obtained the necessary Information / to establish a Bazar for the Army, which shall be supplied & managed by Servants of the Company, that the Troops may not hereafter be distressed

or

of Sept. — We have already authorized the employ
of Indians, whether as Foragers, or Scouts, to those with
the Army in the Campaign may — to receive proper Rewards
is to be Superintended the Distribution in Camp.
& We shall form a Code of Instructions to regulate
his Conduct in that Office of which you shall
be informed. — that so far as depends on you, he
may receive all requisit support. — In the mean
Time we recommend & direct, that no Spirituous
Liquors be Suffered to be distilled, or sold in the
Army under your command to any Noncommis-
sioned Officers or Soldiers — because the allowance
stipulated for them & supplied by the Contractor,
is in our Opinion sufficient, & nothing contri-
butes so much to Sickness, as a licentious use
of Spirituous Liquors. — We desire therefore
that you will make severe Examples of all off-
enders against this Order & confine the Sale of
Wine, Arrack, & other Spirits, if any are brought
to the Army, to the Officers only. —

9th. — We have also an Intention
after finishing our enquiry on that Subject to
regulate or put on another footing, if we Judge
it more advantageous for the Publick, the
Contract for Victualling the European & prov-
-ing Straight & Carriage Bullocks, but that
there may be no Injustice done the Men & no

Deficiency

deficiency in quantity or quality of the articles or Cattle which the Contractor is bound to supply we desire you will be very attentive to that Branch, & inform us from time to time not only of any Cause there may be for Complaint, but how it arises & to the best of your Judgment how it may be remedied.—

9. We are very desirous of putting our Sepoy Battalions on the best footing possible & establishing from time to time such regulations as appear to Us calculated for improving their Discipline, Cloathing, or for Procuring Recruits. We have now under consideration some Articles for this purpose but before they are issued should be Glad to have your Opinion whether it may be proper to make additional Stoppages from the Sepoys for Turbans, Sashes & Drawers agreeable to the accompanying List & wither you think the Sepoys can bear them.— You will therefore please to enquire by assembling some of the Subidars, Jemidars, Havildars, Naigues & Sepoys whether the Price set down to each Article is as Reasonable as they are obliged to purchase them at present.— If so, please to acquaint the Captains that all the Turbans & Sashes for the Ensuing Year are to be Blue & inform Us of the Result of your enquiry.—

10th You will permit the Commanding Officer of Artillery with the Army to Compleat that Corps agreeable to the Establishment

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Establishment by Drafts from the Regiments
.— And as Lieutenant Colonel Butler has re-
presented to Us that he is advised by the
Officers of Artillery in Camp the Artillery men
Stationed with the Sepoy Guns are liable to
lose their Discipline and be negligent in
their Duty as well as to be deprived of their
Promotion for want of being changed & subject
to the immediate Orders of the Artillery Officers
Commanding the Companys they belong to
.— We desire that you will give Orders for
the Artillery Men doing duty With the Sepoy
Battalions being changed every week or as
as often as the Commanding Officer of Artillery
on the Spot may think proper.— And as it
may be Necessary to lay down some fixed Regu-
lations on this Subject.— We recommend that
the Commanding Officer of Artillery with the
Army do draw up a Plan for the better regulating
and disciplining the Artillery Men with the
Sepoy Guns, & that you will transmit it to Us w.
your Sentiments thereon that We may give our
Orders accordingly.—

11th Wm Monckton the Commis-
ary with the Army, having complained to Us
that the Captns or Officers Commanding Comys
of Europeans, are very remiss in not making out &
delivering to him the Casualties of their respect-
ive Companys.— We desire You will give pos-
itive Orders that all Captains or Officers Comm-
anding Companys, shall deliver to the Commis-
ary

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Commissary with the Army, or in his absence to the Paymaster a Monthly Roll of all Casualities that have happened, Promotions made, Removals, & of Men enlisting, or renewing their Time, which Roll must be made out & delivered as above the 1st. Day of every Month for the month preceding. — and that any Capt. or Officer Commanding Companys of Europeans who are after wards found negligent in this Part of their duty will incur our Displeasure. —

12th. — The Surgeons attending the army have hitherto been very deficient in complying with the Regulations wherein it is directed in Page 43d. "Amonthly return of the State of the "Hospital shall be delivered to the Commanding Officer & by him Transmitted to the Govt. "Such a Return not having been ever received by the Governor. — You will please to issue the Necessary Orders, that it may not be neglected in future as well that every Part of the Regulations may be strictly followed. —

We are with Esteem

Sir

Your most Obt. Hble Servt. —

Chs Bourchier & Council

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Came in the following Letters. — . —

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.
President and Governor of Fort St. George

Letter from
Lt. Col. Long

Honble Sir

Having no reason to think the

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dependance upon them, I will therefore defer giving credit to them, untill I hear some thing more from that Quarter. —

Tomorrow I will renew my March and proceed with all the expedition in my Power & you may be assured, that I will exert every nerve to the Utmost, for the Good of the Service and the honor of our Arms. —

It causes me much uneasiness that I have not been favoured with a letter, either from you, Colonel Smith, or Colonel Lang since I March'd from the army. —

I am

with the greatest respect

Honble Sir

Your most Obedient Hble

Servant

Tho.s Fitzgerald

Camp 6 Miles from Nambull 22.d Dec.r 1760

To the Honble Ch.s Bourchier Esq.r President and Governor of Fort St. George

Letter from Major Fitzgerald

Honble Sir

I did my self the Pleasure to write to you the 22.d Inst. and have now to advise you that I arrived here this day, the reasons of my having taken this Rout, was from Intelligence I received, that Hyder had intentions of marching into the Southern Countrys. — and by my making this movement, I am so situated, that I will be enabled to March to the assistance of those

arrives at Neutan Chitty

Country

Country's inviting he should take that Course.—

I am sorry to inform you, that I have received certain accounts that Carroor has fain into the Enemys hands, and after the reduction of that Place they marched towards Salmanguium.—

From constant marching and the very bad Weather we have had lately there are Sixty Europeans on the Sick list, the greatest part of these, with what Sepoys are Sick, and such part of the Baggage and followers of the Camp as were not sent into Caveripatam Notwithstanding the Orders I gave out for that purpose.— I propose sending to morrow to Trichinopoly under the Escort of a Battalion of Sepoys, and as we have not now more than two Hundred Bullocks load of Rice Wallan-chitty intends also to go to Trichinopoly in order to procure a Supply of Grain for us, I will remain at Satium untill his return.—

I propose sending the Sick & unnecessary Baggage to Trichinopoly from whence he intends procuring Rice.—

I wrote several Letters to Lt Frishman or the Officer Commanding in the Carnattore Country but have never received the least advice of their Situation.—

Some of my Horsemen who were in Hyders Camp informs me, that 3 Companys of our Sepoys with an Officer, going to Relief of Carroor were met by a Body of the Enemys Horse about a mile from the Place, and the whole were either cut to pieces or taken Prisoners, the Officer they say was Capt. Orton and he was Killed.—

I am

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Sam

with the greatest Respect.—

Camp at
Marten Chitty
24 Decr. 1760

Honble Sir

Your most Obedient humble Servant

Tho. Fitzgerald.—

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esqr.—
President & Governor of Fort St. George

Honble Sir /

Letter from Major Fitzgerald arrives at Tatium.—

I arrived here this day, and am just preparing to send off a Battalion of Sepoys to Trichinopoly with all the Sick & what Baggage was not sent into Carrepatnam agreeable to what, I advised you Yesterday.—

I am sorry to acquaint you, that I am informed by two Sepoys whom I sent into the Coimbettore Country for Intelligence, that Ewed has Surrendered to the Enemy, they appeared before it in the morning & in the Evening the Place was delivered up to them, the Sepoys declare as a convincing proof of what they advance, that they absolutely saw Colonel Fraichman with the rest of the Garrison Prisoners in Hyders Camp however the improbability of such a Circumstance is so very great, that I am rather apt to think the accounts must be groundless, I therefore will defer crediting them, untill I have more reason to believe, they are just.—

advises of Ewed having surrendered to the Enemy.—

Tho Hyder has made this late Movement, I am yet of Opinion that he has designs against our Southern Countreys. I will

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be particularly Vigilant about their Safety, & you may be assured of my Constant endeavors for the Reduction of so troublesome an Enemy.—

I expect to be waiting at this Place, until the Battalion of Sepoys returns from Trichinopoly & upon their arrival I will immediately renue my March in pursuit of the Enemy, if I do not receive Orders to the contrary

I am
with the greatest respect
Honble Sir
Your most Obed. humble
Servt.—

Sher Fitzgerald

Camp at Tatum 25 Dec. 1760

PS I am sorry to acquaint you that the Murmurs amongst the Sepoys, of the Bad quality of the Rice, which is served to them, still Continues, that which was given to them this day, is really very Bad, they brought some of it to show me, & I must Confess, I never saw any of so worse kind.—

Represents the Badness of the Rice served the Sepoys.—

In Consequence of which the following Letters were immediately wrote & sent away.—

To Lieut. Colonel Lang

Sir/

Letter to Lieut. Col Lang.—

The President has received & communicated to me the Duplicate of your letter of the 26th advising of your Intention to march towards the Pass next day, & that you should be obliged to make an other Stop for the Stores.—

You

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You also advise us that you have withdrawn the Nabobs Sepoys from Colar because of there Clamor on account of Money. This will make some alteration in our Plan lately Communicated for that Garrison. —

advising of the Intelligence received from Major Fitzgerald. —

We have this day received Letters from Major Fitzgerald dated 25th at Tatteum advising us of his arrival there of his apprehensions that the Party at Trod was taken or cut off. — and That he had sent to Trichinopoly for a supply of Provisions & to lodge his sick, & should they move westward. — as we cannot at present form any Idea of what Hyders Intentions may be whether to the Southward against Madura or back to the Mysore Country or to ravage the Carnatic we have come to a Resolution to have the following Stores sent on to Vellore immediately

advised of the Stores necessary to be first sent to Vellore

The two brass 18 Pdrs. — now at Sautgud
2 Howitzers of 7½ & 8 Inches
2 Brass 12 Pdrs. —
all the Carriages of the heavy Guns which will not require many Bullocks & on them may go the Cohorns, & small mortars with such other Stores as you Judge proper.
The heavy Guns to be dismounted & laid under the Pettah wall of Sautgud, till the draught Bullocks return from Vellore wher the Guns may be removed on transporting Carriages
By this disposition We hope you will have the 200 Draught Bullocks safely sent & half those which have now returned with the 7 Guns,

to

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to send back to Colar with all the Carriage Bullocks for a Third Trip. — and with those we would have march the 2d. Regiment, one Battalion of Sepoys part of Capt. Bucks Battalion & Morarows Horse ordering four Compys. of Capt. Bucks to remain at the Head of the Pass. — We have directed Capt. Auchmutty's Battalion to march & Protect the Stores at Santygud. — — As we think Major Fitz-Gerald should be further reinforced & as Col. Smith is going to join that part of the army you will on Receipt thereof order the 1st. Regt. & the 8th or the first Battalion of Sepoys with Capt. Alexanders to march immediatly to Vellore, where the Officer commanding their will receive further orders from Us. —

of the Disposition to be made of the Troops for removing the Stores ordered to send the 1st. Regt. & a Battalion of Sepoys to Reinforce Major Fitzgerald.

We have heard that some of the Guns at Colar are not very good. if so & you find it difficult to remove them. — Let their Trunnions be knocht off. or let them be burst. or fire one with a shot against another so as to render them unserviceable & bring away only the Carriages. — We hope you will be able to take Carriage Bullocks sufficient to remove all the Shott & Carts for the Shells at this Third Trip. if not and any Considerable quantity remain, worth making a Guard, the garrison must be left, in Case you do not hear of Hyder's sudden return towards Coban or the Valley; But should that be the Case the safety of the Garrison is to be preserved

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preserved to the Stores, & you are to order them to retire to Vincatigery destroying whatever they can before their Retreat. —

We before ordered 60,000 Seers of Rice to be kept at Colar, you may now leave only sufficient Paddy for the Garrison for one Month, and order the ~~Surplus~~ Paddy & Rice to be served as Liberally as the Seapoys & others please to take it, or let it be sold at 16 Seers of Rice ℔ Rupee in the Buzar, & at 20 from the Magazine at Vincatigery. —

The Disposition made by him on Core of Hyders sudden Returns —

Should you receive certain advice of Hyders Intentions to make a Sudden return immediately towards the Valley or Colar before you sett out on the third Step, we would have you take post with your whole force in the Pettah of Sautgud without making a detachment to Vellore, & defend the Stores & that Place to the last Extremity till Major Fitzgerald can return. — We only mention this as a possible Case, & to shew that the preservation of your Party & the Stores within the Pass are always to have the preference of all other objects. —

We are

Sir

Your most Obed.t Servants

Ch.s Bourchier & Council

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To Major Fitzgerald

Sir /

Letter to Major Fitzgerald. —

after much anxiety, having heard nothing

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nothing from, or of you since the 17th We this day received your letters of the 22d 24th & 25th to the President. — . —

The motions of the Enemy will probably have determined your measures before this can reach you & must continue to guide your Operations according to the Best of your Judgement. — Our Sentiments, formed from the ~~Situation~~ of affairs as they appear to us from your letters and Mayr Flints, are not therefore to influence your measures, unless when you receive them Circumstances should be similar to those containd in your advices which we reply to. —

We now Consider Capt. Orton's Detachment as lost, Capt. Fraizer & his party at Covripooram we fear has suffer'd the same fate having heard nothing of him since the all the southern Conquests have again fallen into the Enemys hands except Dinde=gull & Daraburam L. Johnson, as Mayr Flint informs us has been repeatedly advised to abandon it, whither he has done so, and what has been his fate we are ignorant. —

We imagine your People must be fatigued with the late march and therefore some rest may be necessary to put them in a Con=dition to act With Spirit. — As it is uncer=tain what are Hyders intentions, whither to attempt any thing against the Southern Countrys or to return towards the Carnatic

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To pursue the Enemy in order to bring him to action we fear would be to no purpose, for all which reasons We think you Should remain at Sriperumbedur until some motion of the Enemy shall make it necessary, for you to move in order to counter act his measures. — If Hyders design should be against the Southern Countries we recommend to you to endeavor to throw a reinforcement into Madura but not to harrass your Detachment in pursueing him, the quick Motions of his horse will always put it out of your Power We fear to prevent him from ravaging the Country. — Should his intention be on the Carnatic you will in that Case move this way also leaving a sufficient Garrison in Sriperumbedur for its Protection & the better to enable you to do so. — We now write to Col Lang to detach immediately one of the Regiments & one Battalion of Sepoys to the Southward moving Cautiously by the way of Arni, Trinomale, and Tyger there to take post & remain as you Shall direct. — The preservation of Dindegul is also an important object & as such we recommend it to your attention. —

We shall send a Supply of Money for the pay of your Detachment, as soon as we can do it with safety at present the Uncertainty of the Enemys intentions renders every channel doubtfull, as we dayo will probably enable us to form a more certain Judgment

Giveng him discretionary orders for his Conduct.

and advising him of the detachment ordered from the army to join him. —

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Judgement.—

We are
Sir
Your most Obed.t Servants
Ch.s Bourchier & Council

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Wrote the Following Letter to W.m Sadleir

To, W.m Anthony Sadleir
Sir,

You will on the Receipt hereof put a stop to the forwarding of Rice to Sautgud or Vincatagery, & let all the Bullocks you have or can Collect be employ'd entirely in transporting the Stores to Vellore.—

Letter to Mr. Sadleir ordered to send no more Grain to Sautgud, & to employ all the Bullocks he can in Bringing the stores from thence.—

We are
Sir
Your Affect. Friends
Ch.s Bourchier & Council

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31.st Received the following Letter from Lt Col DeBeck.

To The Honble Charles Bourchier Esq.r
President and Governor &c Council
of Fort St. George.—

from Lt. Col DeBeck

Honble Sir and Sirs

Yesterday one of my Harcars who came in from the Dindagal Country informd me, that on Friday last the 25 Inst the Phillaidar and Garrison Evacuated that Fort, and that Rammah March the former Renter have since taken Possession of it. he also addes that it was there

Reported

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Reported that the Young Nabob at Trichinopoly had Sent him orders to that Purpose; from whom I last night was forwarn'd with the following intimation That from the Intelligence he had receiv'd, he had great reason to believe that Hyder Ally had obliged Abraal Cawn the Killadar of this Fort, now his Prisoners to write a Letter to his son here who officiates for him as Killadar to deliver up this Fort, to him, or such people as he may send, his timely advice has put me on my Guard and I have made such dispositions as well I hope Frustrate any designs of that kind, the Killadar son also received a letter on this Head which he immediately waited on me with, and protests he has not as yet received any letters from his Father, & in order to Convince me of his aversion to such intentions he has offer'd me the Keys of Gates, & desire me to send some people to inspect into his Conduct and actions. —

Since I had last the Pleasure of writing you, Nothing material has pass'd in this Part of the Country. —

I have the Honor to remain with the Greatest Respect. —

Madurah
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Honble Sir & Sirs
Your most Obed.t & most Hble
Servant
DeBeer

Ad.t

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At a Consultation Present.—

Saturday 31st Dec.r

Charles Bourchier Esqr. Governor President
Josias DuPree ——— John Call
Alexr. Wynch ——— John Andrews
Saml Araley ——— George Stratton
George Dawson ——— James Bourchier
Richd. Brickindon ———
——— George Mackay ———

Mr. Whitehill absent on Service

Read the following Letters.—

To the Honble Chs Bourchier Esq.r—
President & Governor
of Fort St. George.—

Hon.ble Sir

Letter from Major Fitzgerald

I wrote to you yesterday and am now sorry to inform you that I have this Morning received fresh accounts from the Coimbatore Country that Erode has absolutely Surrendered to the Enemy on the same day, on which they appeared before it but they do not say whether Colonel Fraser was there or not.

Confirming the Intelligence concerning Erode

I am at a loss to express how highly I am Concerned, for this late turn of ill fortune, in our affairs but it was impossible for me to prevent it, it is true I marched with this Detachment to put

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a stop to the Enemys Progress, but it was to too late, for they had already time enough to particularly when every thing did go so easily to them execute what they had in view; Much might have been expected from this force and I flatter myself much would have been executed by it, had the Situation of matters admitted, of it but as they did not, there still remains a Secret Satisfaction, that we have done all that was possible for men to do, in the same circumstances. —

Thinks Hyders Intentions are against Colar.

Hyder still resorts to his Camp that he has views against the Southern Countrys, Yet I think there is another Object which may be equally inviting to him, that is, his return to the Colar Country, in hopes of reducing that Place, while the greatest part of our force is absent; I am at a loss to know which of the two may be his real design. — However you may be assured that I will keep a most Watchfull eye over him & that I will not spare, either labour, or expence, in procuring the Best intelligence that can be got, by which means I hope to have timely accounts of any movements he makes. —

I am

with the greatest Respect
Honble Sir &
Your most Obed.t humble
Servant
Tho.s Fitzgerald. —

P.S.

Camp at Soonum. —
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P.S it is with concern I am obliged to acquaint you that the Sepoys are deserting fast from the Different Battalions & the Captains of them all tell me, that it is entirely owing to the Bad Rice which is served to them, let me entreat of you, Sir to have this well remedied as soon as Possible. —

To The Honble Chr. Bourchier Esqr.
President & Governor &c Council
of Fort St. George
Honble Sir & Sirs

Letter from Lieut. Col Laing. —

I was this day Honored with your letter of the 26th Inst. Numbered 7 and shall follow your directions concerning the Garrisons of Colar & Vincatagery, I have likewise given the Necessary Orders, for Compleating the Artillery, & changing those men doing duty with the Sepoy Battalions. —

I arrived here this morning with Six 24 Prs — one Spare Carriage & about eighteen hundred Bullocks load of Shott & Stores and shall use the utmost Expedition in getting them to Sautgud. —

advising of the Stores brought with him. —

The Commissary of Stores informs me there is now upwards of four Thousand Bullock load of Shot &c at Colar. — So that I cannot Bring away all the nine and 12 Pounders at Colar Trip, will however bring as many of the 24 & 18th Shott as possible. — Two of the nine Pounders were brought to this Place about three weeks ago, will however take them to Colar with me when I return. —

Quantity of Shot & Shells at Colar

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I have this Instant received a letter from Lieut. Galbraith in which he informs me his Sepoys are daily deserting

I am with due Respect

Honble Sir & Sirs

Your most faithfull and

Obedt. Servant

Rose Lang

Vencatagery
20 Decr. 1768

From the Quantity of Stores still remaining at Calar, which greatly exceeds what We have imagined, We think it would be imprudent to weaken Lt. Col Langs Detachment, untile more of them are got away, particularly as Major Fitzgerald acquaints us that he imagines Hyders Views are against Calar, J which appears to Us very probable, — It is therefore resolved that the orders sent Yesterday for the detachment to be made by Lt. Col Lang be Countermanded & that such a Garrison be thrown in to Calar as may be Sufficient to defend it against any attempts of the Enemy, untill Major Fitzgerald can March to its relief, & that the necessary Directions be given to Lt Colonel Lang for the Sececurity of the remainder of his Detachment & of the Stores which may have been dispatched from Calar. —

Orders thereon

The detachmt. ordered from Col Langs army countermanded

The following Letters are therefore now Wrote. — —

To Col

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To Lieut. Col Lang

Sir

Letter to Lieutenant Col Lang

Your letter to myself & the Council N 6 is just received. — As you there inform Us that so very considerable a part of the Stores will still remain at Colar after you have made a third Trip, it has been resolved that the Detachment ordered last night to reinforce Major Fitzgerald shall not proceed you will therefore countermand it, if you should have ordered it to be in readiness. — And act conformable to the following Instructions, notwithstanding what may have been wrote before. —

Instead of Alexanders Sepoys order'd to Garrison Colar, you will now appoint a Company of Military from one of the Regiments, the 7 Companys of the Amboor Battalion, some few Artillery men, 60 Lascars & all the Peons & Coolly men with the Engineer. — Our Intention in ordering such a Garrison is that Colar should be defended to the utmost extremity & such orders you must give to the Officer who shall have the Command. — Under the 3 nine pounders you will order two of the worst 24 or 18 Prs to be left in Colar, till the fourth & last Trip, & you will order money to be left for the Garrison, and as much Provisions as you can throw in for the Europeans that in case Hyder should resolve to besiege it Major Fitzgerald may have time to come up. — In short we recommend that you give such orders for preserving Colar

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Colar with the above Garrison as may best answer our Intentions of keeping it.

This point being fixed, if you do not hear of Hyders returning towards Baugalore or Coverpalam, you will send all the Carriage & Draught Bullocks you possibly can collect immediately to Colar under escort of one of the Regiments, one Battalion of the Company Sepoys, four Companys of Capt. Bucho & Morari Rows Horse, - which we imagine will be sufficient to convey the Stores, with the other Regiment, the other Battalion of the Companys Sepoys, Capt. alex. Sepoys & the remains of Capt Bucho you will take post at the South near the entrance of the Pass, & there wait till the stores return. —

Orders have been sent to Abdul Rescheed Cawn to send you the earliest advice of Hyders motions by way of Boodicotah & also Ambur, in case he should be returning, & the moment you hear of Hyders return you will take your measures for securing the Stores under your command. - If Hyder should return by way of Boodicotah before the escort gets back to Vincatagerry with the Stores, the Stores with the Escort must throw themselves into Colar, & you must wait at the Pass as long as is Prudent or till Hyder advances to force you thence, in which case you must move off early enough to secure your retreat to Soutgur & endeavour to defend that Place that Place to the last extremity. —

Should Hyder be moving up the Valley by way of Varriambadey & Ambur you

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you must in that Case, take your measures in time to get thro the Pass w.th the Troops under your Command & ensure your retreat to Sautgud, ordering as before directed the Troops with the Stores to remain in or retire to Colar. — M.r Stonehouse has been directed to engage all the Carriage Bullocks & Carts he can to fetch away the Stores from Sautgud —

Major Fitzgerald has directions to pay the strictest attention to Hyders motions, & to follow him with the utmost expedition in case he returns — so that it may be hoped Hyder will be obliged to fight if he sets down before any place that can Stop him for a few days. — With respect to keeping or abandoning Vencatagerry in case of Hyders sudden return, It is left to you to order L.t Barlow w.th one Company of Capt.n Calvert's Sepoys & 50 Polygars to remain there, or not, as you Judge it may be useful. — In short the preservation of your Detachment & Sautgud must be your Principal Object. —

I am with regard
Sir
Your most humble Serv.t
Chs. Bourchier

Fort St. George
31 Dec.r 1766.

To Major Fitzgerald

Sir /

Letter to Major Fitzgerald —

I have received your Letter of the 26 & am much concern'd to hear of the Loss & Disaster tho, I am convinced nothing in your Power has been omitted to frustrate the Designs of the Enemy.

I am of Opinion with you that Hyders Intentions are most probably against Colar

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Colar, & which the rapid Success he has met with will the Better enable him to carry into Execution. — This together with the large Quantity of Stores still remaining there which greatly exceeds what We had imagined, has induced Us to commend the Orders sent last night to Lt Col Lang to detach one of the Regiments with a Battalion of Sepoys to reinforce you, — He is now ordered to throw such a Garrison into Colar as may be able to defend it against any attempts of the Enemy untill you can march to its Relief. — You will therefore procure the best Intelligence you are able of Hyders motions & designs & Should his Intentions be against Colar You will lose no time in prosecuting your march by such Route as you shall judge most expedient for frustrating his designs. —

advising him of the above Resolution. —

The late Apprehensions We have been under for Trichinopoly makes it necessary that some provision should be made for its security, I therefore desire you will endeavor to Reinforce the Garrison either with the whole or a part of the 1st Batt[n] of Sepoys, or with such a force as You can without imminent risque spare from your Detachment, lest the Enemy, from the Present weak state of the Garrison should be induced to make an attempt on it, & oblige the army to return to its Relief. —

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The Rice you will have recd from Trichinopoly, will I hope be of such a Quality as will put a Stop to the Complaints of the Sepoys and I am concerned to find that which you carried with you was so Bad. — particular Orders have been

Sepoys carried

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been given that the like may not again happen
I am with regard
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Charles Bourchier

Fort St. George
31 Dec.r 1768

Read the following Letter from Majr. Anderson & Orton at Vellore

To Capt.n Isaac Fitzgerald
Commanding at Vellore

Sir /

Letter from Majrs. Anderson & Orton Representing Sundry repairs & Conveniencys wanting to the Hospitall at Vellore. —

We think it incumbent on Us to represent some deficiencys about the Hospitall; which are of Consequence to the Health & Conveniency of the Sick here: that they may be remedied as soon as possible —

The Cook Room wants repair; as it is falling down dayly & dangerous to remain in it —

The only Necessary Place to the Hospitall is attached to the Principal Ward & has no Sink, it would therefore be very beneficial to enclose a Small piece of waste ground which lays betwixt the Hospitall & Artillery Barracks, by which means the Necessary Place might be removed to some distance from the Ward & thereby rendered less offencive & prejudicial to the Sick. —

We are Sir
Your very Obed.t Servants
Orton Isaac Anderson
Surgeons
Isaac Fitzgerald. —

Vellore
29 Dec.r 1768

The President acquaints the Board that on the Receipt of the above Letter he had wrote to Mr. Stonehouse Directing

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Directing him to have the necessary Repairs & Conveniencies to the Hospital immediately set about which is approved. —

The President also acquaints the Board that upon Mr. Stonhouse informing him that he could not procure Bullocks to fetch the Stores from Sautgur for the hire given by the Contract-ors, He had directed Mr. Stonhouse to get all the Bullocks & Carts he was able, on the best Terms he could, & that they should be employ'd at so much the Trip. — , —

The very great Increase of Business in this Department and the large Number of Letters sent & received making the Consultations too Voluminous to be wrote by one Person, — It is resolved that the Letters sent & received be entered by way of an Appendix & referred to in the Consultations according to their Numbers. — , —

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E. D. Bourchier
For. Du. Sté
John Call

Sam. Ardley
Geo. Stratton

Ja. Bourchier

Names	Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	First Rank	Date of First Rank
David Bailey	Lieut	18 June 1768	Ensign	24 Augt 1767
Chas Lucas	Do	1 July 1768	Do	24 Do
Thos Hanse	Do	8 Augt 1768	Do	1 Sept 1767
Saml Blake Eyre	Do	23 Do	Do	2 Do
James Brady	Do	30 Octr 1768	Do	6 Do
Benjn Trustram	Do	1 Do	Do	8 Do
Thomas Burrows	Do	20 Do	Do	11 Do
John Oldham	Do	21 Do	Do	24 Octr 1767
Wm Rowley Moriarty	Do	22 Do	Do	25 Do
Francis Denley	Do	14 Nov 1768	Do	29 Do
Thomas Leche	Do	21 Do	Do	30 Do
Willm Bartlett	Do	26 Do	Do	2 Nov 1767
Dugald Campbell	Do	8 Decr 1768	Do	3 Do
Duncan Campbell	Do	23 Do	Do	4 Do
Robert Ferrier	Ensign	7 Nov 1767		
Henry Gee	Do	9 Do		
Thos Sweet	Do	11 Do		
Donalde Mc Leod	Do	15 Do		
Thomas Sellers	Do by Brevet	16 Do		
Wm Farmer Cave Dickson	Do	17 Novr 1767		
Daniel Mc Leod	Do	18 Do		
Chas Watt	Do	1 Decr 1767		
James Lamballais	Do	3 Do		
John Mc Lean	Do	5 Do		
Chas Benjn Beazley	Do	6 Janry 1768		

Names	Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	First Rank	Date of First Rank
George Pavey	Ensign	7 Jany 1768		
Robert Sale	Do	8 Do		
John Evans	Do	9 Do		
George Moore	Do	10 Do		
Michl Roberts	Do	9 May 1768		
Thome Brown	Do	10 Do		
Richd Scott	Do	11 Do		
John Thomas	Do	12 Do		
James Main	Do	14 Do		
Peter Bonnevaux	Do	15 Do		
Francis Ragg	Do	16 Do		
Duncan Ranken	Do	17 Do		
Edwd Slocomb	Do	28 Do		
Cornelius Grant	Do	16 Oct 1768		
Saml Welsford	Do	17 Do		
John Rigg	Do	18 Do		
John Campbell	Do	19 Do		
Alex Wynch	Do	20 Do		
Hugh Mackay	Do	21 Do		
John Wilson	Do	22 Do		
Thos Smurden	Do	23 Do		
Edmund Harper	Do	24 Do		
Chas Shakleford	Do	25 Do		
Robert Scoler	Do	26 Do		
Edmund Weld	Do	27 Do		
Hugh Campbell	Do	28 Do		
Sampson Hamilton	Do	29 Do		

Names	Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	First Rank	Date of First Rank
John Mason	Ensign	30 Oct.r 1768		
Willm Blacker	Do	31 Do		
Hamilton Johnson	Do	1 Nov.r 1768		
John Logan	Do	2 Do		
Danl Burr	Do	3 Do		
Francis Gourdie	Do	4 Do		
Nichol Crotty	Do	5 Do		
Thos Mosley	Do	6 Do		
Henry Malcolm	Do	7 Do		
Beston Sedgwicke	Do	8 Do		
Robt Spearmr Bale	Do	9 Do		
Archor Arnold Langley	Do	10 Do		
Byng Hewitt	Do	11 Do		
David Mc Clintock	Do	12 Do		
James Darke	Do	14 Do		
Humphney Harding	Do	15 Do		
Willm Elliot	Do	16 Do		
Eugene Oneal	Do	17 Do		
Thomas Palk	Do	10 Do		

List of Engineers on the Coast of Choromandel

Names		Date of Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	Date of First Rank	Date of First Rank
John Call	Chief Engineer Colo. Brereton	18 Nov. 1760 to 4 Apl. 1765		Pract. Engr.	1 Jany 1751
Edw.d Cotsford	Sub Director and Captain	8 Oct. 1764		Do	1 Jany 1754.
Paul Benfield	Sub Engineer & Lieutenant	23 Aug. 1764			
William Stevens	Do	Do	21 Aug. 1765	Pract. Do	1 Jany 1764
Henry Montresor	Do	Do	8 Sept. 1767		
Thos. Barnard	Pract Engineer		1 Nov. 1765		
Thos. Marsden	Do		12 Nov. 1768		

Names	Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	First Rank	Date of First Rank
Cuthbert Nixon	Capt.	4 July 1764		
	By Brevet	7 Sept 1763		
Leopold Kirker		16 June 1765		
	Captain	9 Sept 1763		
John Cowper	By Brevet	17 June 1765	Ensign	19 Jan 1759
	Captain	11 Sept 1763		
Robert Frazer	By Brevet	6 July 1763		
	Captain	11 Sept 1763		
Christ. Theo. Chaigneau	By Brevet	7 July 1765		
	Captain	12 Sept 1763		
George Browne	By Brevet	8 July 1765		
	Captain	13 Sept 1763		
Henry Marcell	By Brevet	9 July 1765		
	Captain	14 Sept 1763		
Mathias Calvert	By Brevet	11 Nov 1765	Lieut	18 Nov 1761
	Captain	15 Sept 1763		
William Cooke	By Brevet	13 Nov 1765	Ensign	6 Sept 1759
	Captain	16 Sept 1763		
Charles Hopkins	By Brevet	14 Nov 1765	Ensign	11 Sept 1759
	Capt.	17 Sept 1763		
Rodolphe Marchand	By Brevet	15 Nov 1765	Ensign	5 Nov 1759
	Captain	18 Sept 1763		
Richard Mathews	By Brevet	15 Nov 1765	Ensign	5 July 1760
	Capt	19 Sept 1763		
Hon. Aug. Mont. Cosby	By Brevet	16 Nov. 1765	Ensign	28 July 1760
	Capt	20 Sept 1763		
Robert Kelly	By Brevet	27 Nov 1765	Ensign	6 Oct 1760
	Captain	27 Nov 1763		
George Drinnen	Captain	27 Jany 1766	Ensign	3 June 1761
Tho. Casemore	Captain	16 June 1766	Ensign	27 Sept 1761
Henry Davis	Captain	26 July 1766	Ensign	3 March 1762
William Cowley	Captain	16 Nov. 1766	Ensign	6 July 1760
Samuel Evans	Captain	11 Nov 1766	Ensign	6 Sept 1762
John Short	Captain	12 Nov 1766	Ensign	7 Sept 1762
John Fortune	Captain	30th Apl 1767	Ensign	23 Dec 1762
John Cotgrave	Captain	1 May 1767	Ensign	27 Dec 1762
Peter James Povery	Captain	25th Oct. 1767	Lieut	7 July 1763
Robert Godfrey	Captain	27 Oct 1767	Lieut	11 July 1763
Wm. Collins	Captain	28 Oct 1767	Lieut	12 July 1763
John McKain	Captain	29 Oct 1767	not to rise	

Names	Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	First Rank	Date of First Rank
Thomas Bagot	Lieut	26 Oct 1761	Ensign	13 June 1766
George Dalton	Do	27 Do	Do	14 Do
James Lew	Do	28 Do	Do	16 Do
William Philips	Do	30 Do	Do	20 Do
Evan Evans	Do	31st Do	Do	21 Do
Alexr. Patterson	Do	31 Do	Do	31 Do
William Nairne	Do	1 Nov 1761	Do	27 June 1766
Allen Ranken	Do	2 Do	Do	26 Do
Robert Chattriss	Do	4th Do	Do	30 Do
Francis Knox	Do	4 Jany 1763	Do	2 July 1766
Walter Gorham	Do	5 Do	Do	11 Nov 1766
John James Durand	Do	13 Nov 1763	Do	15 Sept 1763
Walterhouse Adair	Do	2 May 1763	Do	15 Nov 1766
George Bryne	Do	4 Do	Do	19 Do
John Austin	Do	5 Do	Do	1 Dec 1766
Geo: Cunningham	Do	6 Do	Do	2 Do
Nath[l] Stuckey	Do	7 Do	Do	3 Do
Henry Littleton	Do	8 Do	Do	30 Do
Thomas Walker	Do	9 Do	Do	1 Jany 1761
William Burton	Do	10 Do	Do	2 Do
Richard Godfrey	Do	11 Do	Do	3 Do
George Clark	Do	12 Do	Do	5 Do
James Ford	Do	13 Do	Do	20 Sept 1762
Samuel Roberts	Do	16 June 1763	Do	25 May 1765
James Carr	Do	17 Do	Do	26 Do

List of Officers of Artillery on the Coast of Choromandel—

Names	Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	First Rank	Date of First Rank
James Butler	Lieut. Colonel	11 Oct. 1768		
Edward James	Major	11 Oct 1768	Capt Lieut.	13 June 1759
Mathew Le Corne	Captain	26 Nov. 1762	Lt Fireworker	15 June 1758
John Little	Captain	1 Apl 1766	Lt Fireworker	30 Nov 1759
James Capper (at present at Bengal)				
Charles Stout	Capt Lieut.	2 Apl 1766	Lt Fireworker	9 Feb 1762
John Kennedy	Capt Lieut.	3 Apl 1766	Lt Fireworker	10 Feb 1762
Augt De Morgan	Capt Lieut.	28 Apl 1767	Lt Fireworker	11 Feb 1762
Thomas Oats	Capt Lieut	11 Oct 1768	Lt Fireworker	15 Jan 1764
Donald Mackay	Capt Lieut.	12 Oct 1768	Lt Fireworker	5 March 1763
Andrew Melville	First Lieut	9 Feb 1767	Lt Fireworker	27 Nov 1765
John Rigault	First Lieut	10 Feb 1767	Lt Fireworker	4 March 1766
Arthur Jones	First Lieut.	2 Jany 1768	Lt Fireworker	1 Apl 1766
Isaac Manoury	First Lieut.	2 Jany 1768	Lt Fireworker	23 June 1766
Philip Philips	First Lieut	3 Jany 1768	Lt Fireworker	24 June 1766
Thomas McCalla	Second Lieut.	15 June 1768	Lt Fireworker	26 June 1766
Andrew Running	Second Lieut	11 Oct 1768	Lt Fireworker	27 June 1766
Jonathan Mc Hugo	Second Lieut.	12 Oct 1768	Lt Fireworker	29 Apl 1767
Thomas Geils	Second Lieut.	13 Oct. 1768	Lt Fireworker	26 Oct 1767
John Woodbine	Second Lieut	12 Oct. 1768	Lt Fireworker	1 Jany 1768
George Noodler	Thirdly Lieut.	11 Oct 1768	Lt Fireworker	2 Jany 1768
James Connor	Third Lieut.	12 Oct 1768	Lt Fireworker	3 Jany 1768
George Davis	Lt Fireworker	20 Nov 1763		
Edward Tanner	Lt Fireworker	4 Jany 1768		

Names	Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	First Rank	Date of First Rank
Willm Holloway	D. Shipwright	5th Jan. 1768		
James Hislop	D. Shipwright	11 Oct. 1768		
John Cockburn	D. Shipwright	12 Oct. 1768		
John Drummond	D. Shipwright	13th Oct. 1768		
Malcolm Drummond	D. Shipwright	14th Oct. 1768		
Willm Sydenham	D. Shipwright	15th Oct. 1768		
W. Price West	D. Shipwright	13th Nov. 1768		
Chas. Fredk. Clauson	D. Shipwright	21st Nov. 1768		
Joseph Moorhouse	D. Shipwright	1st Dec. 1768		
Henry Parry	D. Shipwright	2d Dec. 1768		
William Sloyd	D. Shipwright	3d Dec. 1768		
Robert Noland	D. Shipwright	4 Dec. 1768		

List of Military Officers on the Coast of Choromandel

Names	Present Rank	Date of Present Rank	First Rank	Date of First Rank
Joseph Smith	Colonel	10 Apl 1763	Ensign	30 Oct 1749
Donald Campbell	Colonel	11 Apl 1763	Ensign	3 Dec 1752
John Wood	Colonel	1 Apl 1766	Ensign	5 Nov 1753
John Francis De Beck	Lt Colonel	11 Nov 1765	Lieut	2 July 1756
Daniel Frischman	Lt Colonel	12 Nov 1765	Ensign	8 April 1754
Simon Hart	Lt Colonel	12 Nov 1765	Ensign	23 April 1754
Charles Tod	Lt Colonel	31 March 1766	Ensign	7 June 1755
Rob Lang	Lt Colonel	1 Apl 1766	Ensign	6 Apl 1756
William Flint	Major	12 Nov 1765	Ensign	1 Sept 1757
Abraham Bonjour	Major	15 Nov 1765	Ensign	11 Sept 1757
John Desplan	Major	9 Nov 1766	Ensign	20 May 1758
Thomas Fitzgerald	Major	10 Nov 1766	Lieut	23 Oct 1759
Pryse Donaldson	by Brevet Major	10 Sept 1763	receives Pay as Capt till a Vacancy happens	
Francis De Vaxeilles	Invalided Capt	21 July 1751		
Edmund Pascal	Capt	30 Oct 1751	Ensign	28 July 1748
George Airey	Do Capt	9 Jan 1759	Ensign	26 Mar 1754
Roderick Orton	Do Capt	20 Jan 1760	Ensign	5 Apl 1756
Abraham Saizan	Do Capt	1 June 1761	Ensign	10 Sept 1757
John Bellingham	Captain	15 Nov 1763	Ensign	31 May 1758
	By Brevet	1 Sept 1763		
Humphrey Harper	Do Captain	9 Jan 1764	Ensign	1 June 1758
	By Brevet	2 Sept 1763		
James Fitzgerald	Do Capt	9 Jany 1764	Ensign	3 June 1758
	By Brevet	3 Sept 1763		
Thomas Madge	Do Capt	11 March 1764		
	By Brevet	4 Sept 1763		
William Baillie	Do Capt	2 Apl 1764	Lieut	18 Oct 1759
	By Brevet	5 Sept 1763		
Thomas Fletcher	Do Capt	3 July 1764		
	By Brevet	5 Sept 1763		

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