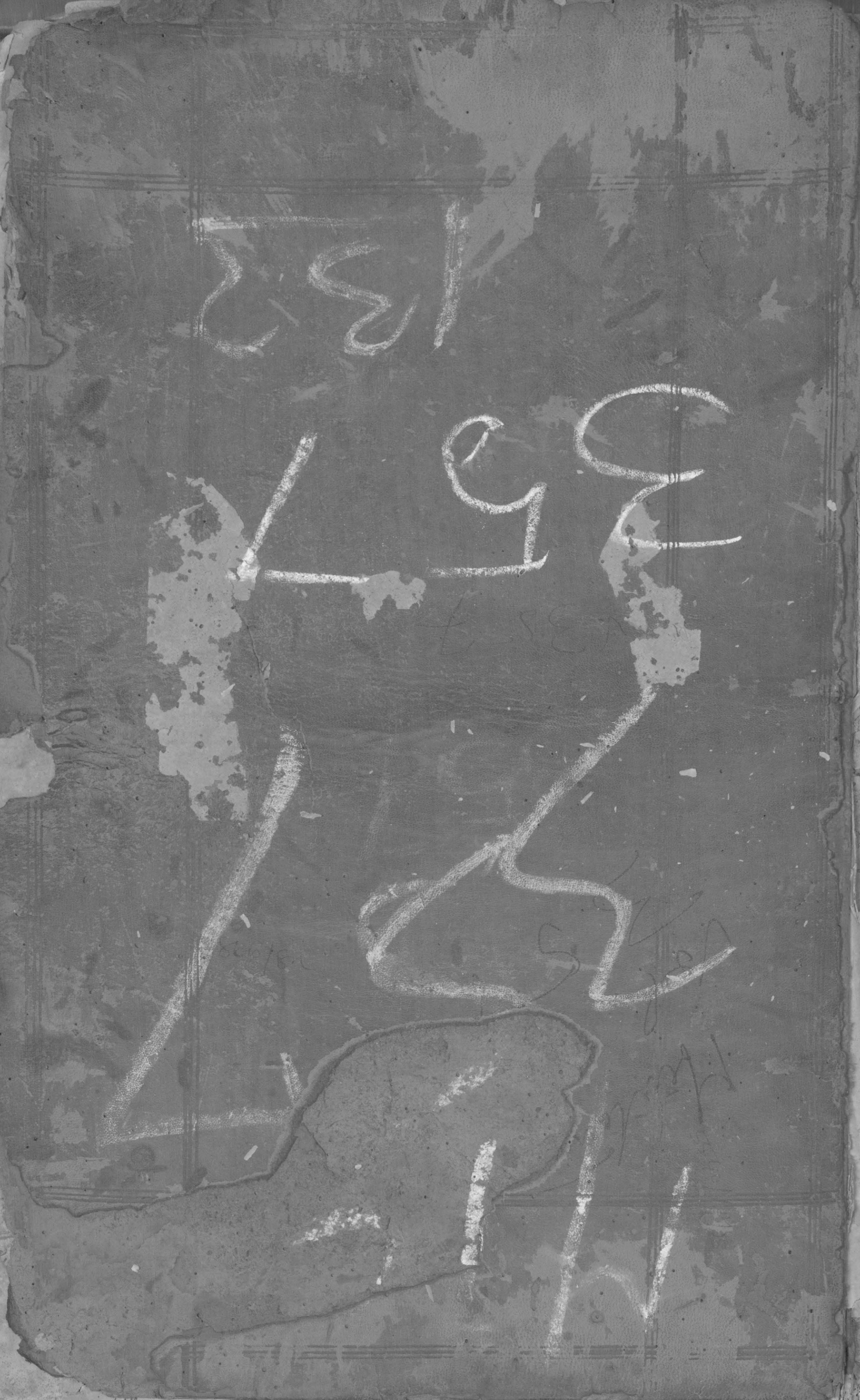


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6684. Resolution Thereon. —

Ibid. Minute of the Commander in Chief. Favourably submits a bill from Captain Allan of His Majesty's 94th Regiment for allowances while serving in the reduction of Cape. also application from the Commanding Officer at Masulipatam, and the Officer Commanding the Dooley Bearers for an allowance of stationary. submits a memorial from Captain Lisle, 19th Light Dragoons. Recommends that the Officers of the 2d Battalion 10th and of the 1st Battalion 16th be allowed full batta from the period of their being ordered to hold themselves in readiness to march. —

6694. Resolution Thereon. —

10th October 1806 6695. Minute of the Commander in Chief. submits a letter from Major General Smith requesting to proceed to Europe on Furlough. from Captain Grant for leave to proceed to Sea. recommends.

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recommends that the resignation of Major of Brigade to Colonel Campbell be accepted. Recommends the promotion of Mr. Cadet Innes to the Rank of Ensign. —

670. Resolution thereon. —

4th October 1806 Fort St. George. From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. Forwards the proceedings of the Medical Board, with an address from Mr. Surgeon Anstie relative to the new mode of treating a dangerous disease, for transmission to England. —

670. Resolution thereon.

4th Dec. 1806. Fort St. George. From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. Recommends that according to the application of the Officers of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons, their mess Room at Arcot may be purchased by Government.

670. Resolution thereon. —

8th Dec. 1806. Fort St. George. From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. with application for an advance on

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on account of the off Reckoning Fund from Lieutenant Colonel Heill.—

6705 Resolution thereon.—

10^r October 1806 Ibid From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief— with an Application from Lieutenant Colonel Heill for an advance on account of the Bazar Fund.—

6706 Resolution thereon.—

6^th D^o 1806 6707 From Lieutenant Colonel Heill— submitting his— services when Commanding in Wynaad, to the favourable Consideration of Government.

6710 Resolution thereon.

19^r September 1806 Ibid Extract of a letter from Lieutenant Katzyleben to the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief— Forwards Statement of Losses by a Native during the Mutiny at Vellore objected to by the Court of Inquiry for that purpose.

6712 Resolution thereon.

4^r October 1806 Ibid. Proceedings of the Medical Board— Forward— a letter and address from M^r Surgeon Anselie

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are prevented by want of time from offering any remarks on the subject. —

29th September 1806. 6714. From the Military Board. Favourably submit the claim of the Agent for Spirituous Liquors for interest on disbursements and remuneration for Losses. —

6715. Order thereon.

11th October 1806. Ibid. To the Military Auditor General. Desires he will state whether the explanation of the Honourable Basil Cochrane is sufficient to remove the objection against his claims. —

18th Dr. 1806. 6717. From the Military Auditor General. Reports an additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster at Fort St. George for the current month admissable. —

6718. From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. Requests that authority may be issued for payment of pay and allowances to Lieutenant Morgan, and also for an advance to that Officer, he being about to proceed.

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proceed to the Cape of Good Hope —

0718. To the Military Board - directs them to purchase the Mess Room at Ascot, belonging to the Offi-cers of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons - on the public account —

Ibid To the Military Auditor General - Directing him to make arrangements for advancing to Lieutenant Colonel Hall his share of the Off-reckonings and Baxar Funds, that Officer finding the usual Securities. —

Ibid To the Military Paymaster General - Transmits Copy of Military Auditor Generals report on additional Estimate of Cash required by Military Paymaster at Fort St. George for the Current month. —

Ibid To the Commanders of the Honourable Company's Ships Europe - Streatham and William Pitt - Directs them to receive as Charter Party Passengers for England the men Specified in the accompanying List —

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679 To the Military Auditor General - Directs the issue of authority for an advance of Pay and Allowances to Lieutenant Morgan. —

Ibid To the Commander of the Honourable Company's Ship Comet - Directs him to retain certain persons of His Majesty's 76th Regiment on board his Ship as passengers to England —

Ibid To the Commander of the Honourable Company's Ship Sir William Puttney - Directs him to retain certain persons of His Majesty's 75th Regiment on board his Ship as passengers to England —

Ibid To the Commander of the Honourable Company's Ship Planet - directs him to retain a Child on board his Ship as a Passenger to England. —

13th October 1806 Ibid To the Military Auditor General - Reports on an additional Estimate of Cash for the payment of the Kings Troops for the present month. —

679 To the Military Auditor General - Desires him to report, if in his opinion, the State of Lewis =

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business in the Pay Office at Vellore, requires that the departure of Captain Wilson from this Country should be delayed for some time. —

6721 To the Military Auditor General. Transmits Extract of Proceedings in the Military Department. —

Ibid To the Military Paymaster General. Transmits Copy of the Military Auditor General's report on an additional Estimate of Cash of the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings Troops. —

6722 To the Commanders of the Honourable Company's Ships Phoenix - Ann. Sir William. Pulteney Glory. Tigers Calcutta and Union - directs them to receive certain persons on board their Ships as Charter party Passengers for England. —

Ibid To the Commander of the Ship Union - directs him to receive certain persons on board his Ship as Charter party Passengers for England. —

Ibid To the Commander of the Honourable Company's Ship

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Ship Tigers - directs him to receive on board his Ship a Private of His Majesty's 80.th Regi=
=ment as a Passenger to England. -

14.th October 1806. 6723. Minute of the Commander in Chief. Recom=
=mends that a supply of worsted sashes
may be annually demanded from Europe. -

6726. Resolution Hereon. —

13.th D.o 1806. Ibid From the Military Secretary to the Commander
in Chief - Recommends that Captain Lieute=
=nant Cleveland may be allowed the pas=
=sage money usually granted to Subalterns. —

6730. Resolution Hereon. —

14.th D.o 1806 6731. From the Military Secretary to the Comman=
=der in Chief - Forwards a letter from
Lieutenant Stewart containing an applic=
=ation on the subject of pay and allowances. —

6733. Resolution Hereon. —

14.th D.o 1806. 6734. Minute of the Commander in Chief - Recommends
that Lieutenant Morgan may have permis=
=sion to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope

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that Lieutenant Freeman be appointed assist-
=tant to the Officer Commanding the Cadet
Company - and that promotions may took place
in the 5th and 6th Regiments Native Infantry
Reports that Major General Campbell is now
on his route to the Presidency -

6737 Resolution Thereon -

4th October 1806 Ibid. From the Military Auditor General. Submits a detai-
=led Statement of the amount of losses sustained
by the Individuals at Vellore and payable by
Government Reports on the best mode of discha
the different Claims -

6748 Resolution Thereon -

4th October 1806 Ibid. From the Military Auditor General - Reports on Retrench-
=ments that are at present standing against the
Paymaster of His Majesty's 34th Regiment -

9th Dr. 1806 6750. From the Military Auditor General. Reports on the
unadjusted Balance against Lieutenant Colo:
=nel Kennedy of His Majesty's 19th Light
Dragoons and is of opinion that it ought

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to fall upon Mr Hawkins late Paymaster at Trichinopoly. —

6th October 1806. 6755. From the Military Paymaster General. Forwards letter from Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons and reports his opinion that an unadjusted Balance of Pagodas 1,600 should fall on Mr Hawkins's Servants. —

14th Do 1806. 6786. From the Military Auditor General. Reports that in his opinion the State of business in the Pay Office at Vellore requires that the departure of Captain Wilson from this Country should be postponed for a few months. —

6788. Resolution thereon. —

15th Do 1806. Ibid. To the Military Auditor General. States that Government approves of the arrangement he has proposed for adjusting the balance against Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy and directs that he may be required to.

to furnish security - The Commander in Chief will be directed to give orders for detaining Captain Wilson of His Majesty's 19.th Dragoons - states that the retrenchment against Major Fenwick may be remitted. -

6791 From Captain McLachlane and Mr. Assistant - Surgeon Williams of His Majesty's 89.th Regi: =ment - Request that their proportion of the - allowance made by Government, on account of losses sustained at Vellore may be paid to them before their departure for Europe. -

Vide Order thereon. -

12.th October 1806 6792 Minute of the Commander in Chief. - suggests the propriety of appointing a Committee to report upon the accommodation provided for the Troops about to proceed to Europe. -

Vide Resolution thereon. -

14.th Do. 1806 6793. To the Committee appointed for the purpose of exa: =mining the accommodation allotted to the Troops that are to proceed to Europe by the present

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present Fleet - appointing them to inspect the state of certain of the Ships about to proceed to Europe, and to report the number of Officers and Troops which they may be capable of accommodating - on any points of detail they may communicate with the marine Board -

6796. From Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons - Submits a Memorial from Major Henry and Captain Lisle of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons, representing that no provision has been made for the passage of their wives to Europe. -

Ibid To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William - Transmits General Return for the month of September serving under this Presidency. -

16th October 1806 Ibid. To the Military Auditor General - Approves arrangement and directs payment of

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compensation for Losses sustained by Individuals during the late insurrection at Vellore —

16th October 1806 695 To Captain Macklaklan and Mr Assistant Surgeon Williams of His Majesty's 69th Regiment — Acquainting them that payment of the Compensation allowed them for late loss of property at Vellore, has been directed. —

697 From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief — Requests that authority may be issued for an advance of pay and allowances to Lieutenant Morgan, about to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope. —

Ibid. To the Military Auditor General — Directs the issue of authority for an advance of pay and allowances to Lieutenant Steen — and that he will report on the application of the two officers of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Dragoons for an allowance of passage money on account of their services. —

Ibid To the Military Auditor General — Transmits

Extracts

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Pages. Extract of Proceedings in the Military Depart-
ment under date the 14th October. —

6798. From the Military Secretary to the Commander
in Chief. Forwarding Proceedings of the —
Medical Board. —

17th October 1806 6799. Minute of the Commander in Chief. Reports the
result of a further Court martial on Cap-
tain Lieutenant West of the 8th Regiment
of Cavalry: animadverts on the character
of that Officer and recommends that the
Papers relative to his case be transmitted by
to the Court of Directors in order that
they may decide on the expediency of
removing Captain Lieutenant West from
the Service, or of transferring him to the
Invalid Establishment. —

6819. Resolution thereon. —

17th Do 1806 Ibid. Minute of the Commander in Chief. Submits
Papers on the subject of Retrenchments from
the Charges of the late Paymaster to the
Subsidiary.

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Subsidiary Force of Oonah — states the case, and recommends that it be referred for the Milit=ary Auditor Generals consideration — Re=commends compliance with an application for Gratuity and Tent allowance on the part of the two Subalterns of His Majes=ty's 60th Regiment doing duty in Fort Saint George —

6828. Order thereon —

15th October 1806. Read From the Medical Board. Reports on Mr. Anisbie to the Court of Directors relative to the treatment of ulcers, Have applied in consequence for a further quantity of the Balsam of Peru from England Regret that Mr. Anisbie should not have reported more circumstantially on the several cases or have applied for information to the Sur=geons of the General and Oonah Hospitals —

6th October 1806. 6833. From the Military Auditor General — Request to be relieved from further public duty —

Recommends.

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Recommends his Deputy and Assistants - Re:
=ports the Sale of his Office, and the Sentence:
=ments with which he leaves it. -

7th October 1806. 6836. From the Military Auditor General - Is satisfied with the determination of Government re:
=garding his situation and Salary - Begs that it may be recommended to the Court of Directs to reappoint him Milit:
=tary Auditor General in the event of his return to India. -

18th Do 1806 6837. To the Military Auditor General - In reply. -

17th Do 1806 6839. From the Military Auditor General - Reports the proportion of Off-reckonings and of the Bazar Funds payable to Lieutenant Colonel Hall under the usual Security. Encloses a letter from the Military Pay:
=master General on the subject. -

6842. Order thereon. -

17th Do 1806 6843. From the Military Auditor General - Reports on the application of Lieutenant Stewart of

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			of the 13th. Native Regiment, for an further advance of Pay and for Payment of allowance. Does not object to the advance of Pay requested, or to payment of his allowance to the date of his leaving Bengal uncertain as to a farther period. —
18th.	October	1806.	6846. To the Military Auditor General. — Inv. Reply. —
			6847. Order thereon. —
18th.	Do.	1806.	6848. From the Resident at Hyderabad. Reports the reductions of Expence which has taken place in the Subsidiary Force. Encloses a Statement of the Amount, and submits observations. —
			6862. Resolution thereon. —
18th.	Do.	1806.	6869. From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. submits Papers from Bengal and requests that a G: O: be in consequence issued admitting the 25th. Dragoons on this Establishment. —

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17th October 1806. 6864. From the Military Auditor Generals Reports on the balance of Pagodas 1500 outstanding against Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy late Paymaster of His Majesty's 19th Regiment Light Dragoons - pointing out precedents for paying an equal allowance for Passage money to the wives of Officers, as to the Officers themselves, called for in the case of wives of Major Henry and Captain Lisle of His Majesty's 19th Regiment Light Dragoons embarked for England. -

17th Do. 1806. 6865. From Ditto - Reports on an additional Estimate of Cash of the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings Troops for the Current month. -

18th Do. 1806. 6866. From Ditto - Reports on an additional Estimate of Cash of the Military Paymaster at Fort Saint George for the Current month. -

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6369 From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. Forwards the Proceedings of the Medical Board with Duplicate for Indent for medical Stores for the Year 1807.

Ibid From Ditto. Submits the Proceedings of the Medical Board regarding the transmission of unserviceable Stores to England.—

Ibid From Ditto. Requests that Major General Dickens may be permitted to proceed to Bengal.—

Ibid From the Adjutant General of the Army. Forwards for transmission to England Papers regarding Casualties of Officers &c. &c.

Ibid From the Accountant General. Returns certain Receipts to be adjusted in the Military Department.—

Ibid. From the Chief Engineer. Returns Plans &c. sent to his Office to be transcribed.—

6370. From Lieutenant Colonel T. Graham. Solicits his Share of Seringapatam Prize money.—

To

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8870 To the Military Auditor Generals Desiring payment of Bills and advance of money recommended may be authorized - Captain Lieutenant Cleavelands of Artillery to draw Batta instead of Commission while employed on public Works at Quilon. —

Ibid. To Ditto - Directs he will authorize payment of allowances recommended by the Commander in Chief to the Officers of His Majesty's 88th Regiment at this Presidency. —

Ibid To Ditto. Directs an issue of four months pay and Allowances viz: advance to Lieutenant Morgan of the 7th Regiment Native Cavalry. —

Ibid To the Military Paymaster General. Transmits Copy of the Military Auditor Generals Report on the additional Estimate of Cash required by the Deputy Paymaster General of the Kings Troops for the Current month. —

8871 To the Accountant General. Directs the adjustment

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adjustment of Lieutenant Colonel Hills
Claims on the Bazar and Office Accounts
Funds in the same manner as those of
Major General Smith. —

6871. To the Commander of the Honourable Compa:
=ny's Ship Jane Duchess of Gordon. Di:
=rects he will receive in Charge Twelve Boxes
of Instruments &c.

Ibid To the Military Paymaster General. Transmits
Military Auditor Generals Report on the
additional Estimate of Cash required
from the Military Paymaster at Fort Saint
George for the Current month. —

20^th^ October 1806. Ibid From the Deputy Military Auditor General
Reports that the Military Auditor
General has embarked for the Cape of
Good Hope and eventually for Europe
and that he has received Charge of the
Office of Audit — Reports on the security
left by Mr. Hawkins and on the
Claim

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claim preferred by Lieutenant Stewart.—

20^th^ October 1806 6874 To the Military Board. Forwards Copy of Orders given by the Government at Fort William for accommodating and forwarding to England the four Colts from the Honourable Company's Stud, and directs various reports and arrangements respecting them.—

20^th^ D^o^ 1806 6876. To the Commanders of the Honourable Company's Ships Europe, William Pitt and Jane Dutchess of Gordon. with particular directions for the care and safe delivery in England of the Colts embarked from the Honourable Company's Stud.—

20^th^ D^o^ 1806 6878. To the Commander of the Honourable Company's Ship Streatham. With particular directions for the Care and safe delivery in England of the Colts embarked from the Honourable Company's Stud.—

6880. To the Marine Board. Directs same rated—

of

of Passage money being allowed to the Wives of His Majesty's Officers proceeding to England on Duty as are granted to their Husbands. —

6880. To Ditto - Forwards Copies of Orders issued regarding the Four Colts about to be sent to England. —

Ibid To the Military Auditor General - Forwards Extract of the Proceedings of His Lordship in Council in this Department the 17th Instant.

6881. To the Deputy Military Auditor General - Directs his authorising payment of Fifty Pagodas to Mr Murray Surgeon of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons for his attendance on the Mysore Princes from Vellore to this Presidency. —

Ibid. To the Commanders of the Honourable Company's Ships William Pitt Streatham Jane - Duchess of Gordon Europe and Sir W Pulteney - Directs their receiving on Board

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Party Passengers the men specified in the accompanying List. —

15th October 1806. 6881. From the Military Auditor General. Reports on the applications of Lieutenant Colonel Taylor and Captain Waugh and recommends the allowances being granted. —

6884. Resolution thereon. —

23 August 1806. Ditto From the late Commanders of the Ship Asia and Alin and the Chief Officer of the Asia — Being on Parole and requesting to be exchanged to enable them to follow their profession. —

30th Dec 1806. 6885. From the late Commander of the Ship Asia, Requesting a reply to his joint letter to be exchanged as Prisoners of War. —

9th October 1806. 6886. From the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army — Having authorized Lieutenant Colonel Rumley to make the necessary repairs to the Place of Arms and Hospital at Coimbatore.

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and to erect temporary Stables for 16 Sick Horses.

P. October 1806. 6889 Proceedings of the Medical Board - States that the medical aid afforded to the Malabar Rangers by Mr. Palmer may be provided for by the Superintending Surgeon - Forwards Duplicate annual Indent for Medicines for 1807 for transmission to England. -

15th Do 1806 6891 Proceedings of the Medical Board - Forwards a List of Instruments &c returned for transmission to England. -

21st Do 1806 6893 From the Deputy Secretary to the Military Board - Forwards a letter from the Superintendent of the Stud regarding the disposition of the Colts on the Honorable Company's Ships for England. -

6897 Order thereon. -

1st Do 1806 Ibid. From the Military Auditor General - Forwards Duplicate Statements of Expences arrising on account of French and Dutch Prisoners

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on the Coast and at Malacca. —

6898. Order thereon. —

13th October 1806. Ibid. From the Military Auditor General - Encloses a Bill of Bills on the Agents of the 59th Regiment in favour of the Honourable Court of Directors. —

6899. Order thereon.

20th Do 1806. 6900. From the Deputy Military Auditor General. Forwards for transmission to England General Statement of Passage money &c. on account of the Hired and Company's Service. —

6903. Order thereon.

9th Do 1806 Ibid. From the Accountant General - Forwards Papers and states his opinion in consequence of an encrease of the Establishment for keeping the Spaces of Stores from England. —

6906. Order thereon. —

10th Do 1806. 6907. From the Accountant General. Forwards Statement.

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Statement in Triplicate of Sums deposited in the Treasury on account of Estates of Deceased Military Persons for transmission to England

690 Order thereon. —

4th October 1806 690 From the Military Paymaster General. Forwards a List of Incumbents admitted on Lord Clives Fund since January last for transmission to England. —

690 Order thereon.

1st D° 1806 Ibid From the Judge Advocate General. Forwards for transmission to England Courts martial on Captain David and on Captain Lieutenant West. —

Ibid Order thereon. —

17th D° 1806 691 From the Mathematical and Drawing Instructor of the Military Institution. Forwards two Copies of the Survey of the Senior Class, one to be deposited in the Quarter Masters Generals Office, and the other for transmission to England regarding the progress of the

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the Institution. —

6917 Order thereon. —

17^th October 1806. 6918 From the Committee for Examining the accom:
=modation of Officers &c^a proceeding to —
England. approving the arrangements made
by the Commanders for the reception of —
Troops for Europe. —

6920 Order thereon. —

20^th Do. 1806 Ibid From M^r. Heurdis Acting for the Military —
Paymaster General — Forwards Papers —
regarding Security required from Lieu:=
=tenant Colonel Kennedy of 19^th Dragoons.

6923 Resolution thereon.

22^d Do. 1806 Ibid. To Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Ma:=
=jesty's 19^th Dragoons. Directs he will
without delay comply with the orders —
he has received relative to depositing —
Security for a Claim. —

17^th Do. 1806. 6924 From the Officer Commanding the South:=
=ern Division of the Army. Forwards —

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a letter from Major Stuthall of the 6th Regiment Statew Cavalry regarding the necessity of erecting certain Buildings. —

22 October 1806. 627 To the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army. authorised constructing the additional Stabling agreable to Estimate [illegible] recommended by him. —

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Diary

Received the following Letter.

20th

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council

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My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General — Reports an additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster at Trichinopoly for the Current Month admissible —

Having examined an additional Estimate of Cash of the Military Paymaster at Trichinopoly for the Current Month, I have the honor to report that the Amount thereof, Viz.t Pagodas Six Thousand (Ps. 6000) is admissible and payable by Bills from the Presidency — this Sum is required for the use of His Majesty's 19.th Regiment of Foot, recently arrived at Negapatam from Ceylon, under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Buchan.

I have the honor to be
Sir Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. Brunton
Milty. Audr. Genl.

Milit.y Audr. Genl.s Office
Fort St. George 19.th September
1806.

To

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Fort St. George. September 1806.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council.

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General. Reports the General Estimate of Cash for the Month of October, admissible.

1 Having examined the General Estimate of Cash for the payment of the Army, for the Month of October 1806, I have the honor to report, that the Sum of Pagodas Four Lacs Thirty Nine Thousand and Ninety four (P.s 4,39,094) is admissible and issuable as follows, being required for the payment of Military Charges which become due on the 1st of the ensuing Month.

From the Military Auditor General's Treasury

To the Military Paymaster at Fort St. George	90,000	"
To the Deputy Paymaster General King's Troops	36,955	"
To the Paymaster to the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force	81,092	"
By Bills from the Presidency	2,28,046	"
Pagodas	4,39,094	"

I have

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2. This amount is exclusive of the sum that will be required by the Paymaster at Vellore, whose Estimate has not yet been received.

3 The following deductions have been made from the Amount of the Estimates of the undermentioned Paymasters.

4. The sum of Pagodas Three Thousand Seven hundred and fifty (P. 3,750) from the Estimate of the Paymaster in Mysore, over-estimated for on account of the 22d. Dragoons, half of that Corps having been directed to proceed to the Carnatic, and is now stationed at Vellore and Arcott.

5. The Sum of Pagodas Eight hundred (800) from the Estimate of the Paymaster at Masulipatam, over-estimated for under the head of "Division Staff" and also the Sum of Pags. Three Thousand Six hundred and fifty (P. 3,650) over-estimated for under the head of "Occasional Charges", as in former Months.

6. Not having yet received the Abstracts of Receipts and Disbursements of the Undermentioned

Paymaste

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Fort St. George September 1806.

Paymasters for the Month of August last, it has not been in my power to ascertain the correctness of the Sums deducted from the Amount of their respective Estimates as the balance of Cash in their hands on the last day of that Month.

Paymaster at Fort St George
Paymaster at Masulipatam
Paymaster at Palamcottah
Paymaster in Kanara.

I have the honor to inclose a Statement shewing the probable Amount of the Sums required by the different Paymasters, for the payment of the Army for the ensuing Month, after making the deductions before mentioned.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ J. Brunton
Mility. Audr. Genl.

Mility. Audr. Genls. Office
Fort St. George 20th Septr.
1806.

Received and Sent the following Letters entered in M. B. N.52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57.

From

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From the Acting Secretary to the Government at Fort William -

From Mr. Hill - Transmits the letter addressed to the Secretary to the Military Board at Fort St. George.

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell. Forwards a letter from the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army, respecting the Route proposed for the return of His Majesty's 19th Regiment.

From the Military Auditor General -

From Lieutenant Colonel Brunton. An Authenticated Copy of the books of his Department has been forwarded to the Accountant General.

From the Military Paymaster General -

From Mr. Roebuck. With a Register of Bills drawn in August by the Paymaster at Poonah.

To the Military Auditor General -

To the Military Auditor General. Encloses Extract from the Proceedings of the Governor in Council on the 19th Instant.

To the Military Paymaster General -

To the Military Paymaster General. Transmits Copy of the Military Auditor General's report on the Additional Estimate of Cash required by the Military Paymaster at Trichinopoly for the

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the Current Month.

21st. Received the following Letter

To G. Strachey Esqre.

Secretary to the Government

in the Military Department

&c. at Fort St George.

From the Acting Secretary to the Government at Fort William. Orders have been given for the &c Hon'ble Company's Ships Streatham, Wm Pitt, and Europe to receive on board four colts at &c Vizagapatam.

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor General in Council to Acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 9th Instant, with its &c Enclosure; and to inform you that Orders have been given to the Commanders of the Honorable Company's Ships Streatham, William Pitt, and Europe to &c receive on Board their Ships at Vizagapatam the four Colts referred to in your letter Viz.t Two on board the Streatham, one on board the William Pitt, and one on board the Europe.

Orders have also been given for the necessary Quantity of Hay and Gram being put on Board these Ships for the use of the Colts during their passage to England.

Fort William
the 23d August 1806.

I have the honor to be &c &c &c
(Signed) Tho.s Hill
Actg Mil.y Dep.t Sec.t

Fort S.t George — September 1806.

To the Mil.y Paymaster General.

Sent a Letter to the Military Paymaster General entered in M. B. N.o 58. Directs Instructions being given to the Paymaster at Vellore for repaying to Lieutenant H. I. Close 4.th Regiment Native Cavalry in Bank Notes the Sum of Pagodas 150, — paid by that Officer in June last to the late — Paymaster at Vellore.

22.d Received the following Letter.

To George Strachey Esq.re

Military Secretary to Government

Fort S.t George

Sir,

From Major General Smith. States the Security which he has provided to indemnify Government for the Sums ordered to be advanced to him, on account of the Bazar Fund, and — Seringapatam Prize.

The Resolutions of the Right — Honorable the Governor in Council of the 16.th Instant, which have been delivered over to me by my Attorney Captain Mebbestone, requiring Security in India to indemnify the Honorable Company for such Amount in which the Sums ordered to be paid to me on — account of the Bazar and Seringapatam Prize, Viz.t the former making 5000 pagodas, the latter Pagodas 16,200, might exceed what may be ultimately pay-

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payable to me from the respective funds, I trust that it will be considered satisfactory to His Lordship in Council my passing an Indemnity Bond for the same, and a further Security for such demands lodging in the General Treasury a Government 8 per Cent Common Bond Amounting to Pagodas 9,216. 5. 46.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) D. Smith
M. G.

Madras 22d September 1806.

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Received the following Letter.

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

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General. Reports the Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster at Vellore for October, admissable.

Having examined the Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster at Vellore, for the Month of October 1806, I have the honor to report that the Amount thereof Viz.t Pagodas Forty Six Thousand Nine hundred and Sixty nine (Pag.s 46,969) is admissible

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admissible and issuable by Bills from the Presidency, being required for the payment of the Troops and Departments within his range in arrear for the present, and in advance for the ensuing Month.

I have the honor to be

Sir &c. &c.

/Signed/ J. Brunton
Mily. Audr. Genl.

Military Audr. Genl's Office
Fort St. George 23d Septr. 1806.

Sent a Letter to the Military &c.

To the Military Paymr. General.

Paymaster General entered in M. B. 59 - Transmits Copy ... of the Military Auditor General's Report on the General Estimate of Cash required for the ensuing Month.

24th. Sent the following Letter.

To the Accountant General

Sir,

To the Accountant General - Directs he will prepare Bills on the Honble Court of Directors in favor of Major General Smith and Major Leith.

I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor in Council to desire that you will prepare the Undermentioned Bills on the Honble Court of Directors in favor of Major General Smith and of Major Leith.

One

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One Set of Bills in favor of Major General Smith for the Sum of Pagodas Five thousand on Account of that Officers computed share in the Bugar Fund for the year 1805/6.

Another Set of Bills in favor of the same Officer for Pagodas Sixteen thousand two hundred on Account of his further claim to Seringapatam Prize Money.

One Set of Bills in favor of Major Leith on the same Account, for Pagodas Two thousand one hundred and sixty.

I have the honor to be

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Sir &c.
/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy to Govt.

Received and Sent the following Letters entered in M. B. No. 61. 61. 62. 63. 64.

From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay.

From Mr. Warden. With a Packet for the Secretary to the Military Board at this Presidency.

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell.

Requests

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Requests Authority for an Advance to a Detach=
=ment of Marines on Account of the Bombay
Government.

From the Judge Advocate General.

From Major Leith - Requests an advance of Pay and Allowances. —

To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General -

Directs that he will Authorize an advance of
1000 Rupees to Lieutenant Jones of His Majesty's
84th Regiment Commanding a Detachment of 50
Men serving as Marines on board His Majesty's
Ship Pitt.

To the Military Paymaster General.

To the Military Paymaster General -

Encloses Copy of a Report of the Military Auditor General's, on additional Estimate of Cash, required by the Pay=
=master at Vellore.

25th Sent the following Letter.

To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Military Auditor General -
Declines tendering Major General Para 1.
with being
satisfactory; &
directs

I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor in Council to furnish for your inform
=ation

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directs the Bond of Indemnity to be prepared directs an advance of Six Months pay and allowances being issued to the Judge advocate Genl. about to proceed to England on public service.

information and guidance the enclosed Copy of a Letter from Major General Smith, and to acquaint you that His Lordship in Council is satisfied with the Security tendered by that Officer, in conformity to the Resolutions of the Governor in Council of the 16th Instant.

2 The Company's Solicitor has accordingly been instructed to prepare in communication with you the Bond of Indemnity to be executed by Major General Smith, and you will direct the proper Officer to receive from Major General Smith the Promissory Note of this Government which he has agreed to deposit in the General Treasury.

3 The Judge Advocate General being about to proceed to England on the Public Service, I am directed to desire that an Advance of Six Months pay and Allowances may be issued to that Officer.

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I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) G. Strachey
Sec.y to Govt.

Revenue

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From the Chief Engineer

Received a Letter from Colonel Trapaud entered in No. B. No. 65. Returns Plans &c. Copies of which Accompany them.

At a Consultation

Present

Friday the 26th September 1806

The Right Honorable Lord William Bentinck

Governor and President

Lieutenant General Sir J. F. Cradock K. B.

Commander in Chief

William Petrie & Thomas Oakes } Esqrs.

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved.

The following Minute of the Commander in Chief having returned from Circulation is ordered to be recorded.

Minute of the Commander in Chief

Minute of the Commander in Chief submits Copy of a Reprimand he directed to be read to Capt. Watt, in consequence of the Sentence of a

I have the honor to lay before Government the Copy of a Reprimand that I directed Major General Campbell to read to

Captain

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a General Court-Martial. Requests that it may be laid before the Court of Directors.

Captain Lieutenant West of the 3d. Regiment of Native Cavalry, in Consequence of the Sentence of a General Court Martial, and which was published in Orders to the Army - except the Garrison of Fort St. George.

To be read by Major General Campbell, to Captain Lieutenant West.-

Sir,

"In consequence of the Sentence "of the General Court Martial, held upon your "Conduct, I am directed by His Excellency the "Commander in Chief to reprimand you. His "Excellency desires me to express to this Court, "that from the Proceedings submitted to him, and "the Proofs upon Record of the Validity of the "Charge, he expected to have read your Dismissal "from the Service, which Sentence, if the Court had "awarded he would not have hesitated to approve, "and Confirm -

It had fully appeared to His "Excellency's Conviction, on a former, and very recent

occasion

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"Occasion, that your Conduct, in the Regiment was
"not only Insubordinate, but highly contumacious,
"and His Excellency directed, that the General
"Officer Commanding the District, should severely
"reprimand, & admonish you — But it seems to have
"had no Effect, and proves, only, a Waste of Forbear-
"ance — His Excellency has not discovered in the
"Prosecutor, any Oppressive conduct, or improper
"Motive, but on the Contrary, Captain O. Donnell
"appears to have equally supported Military
"Discipline, and private Character.

"His Excellency further desires me
"to tell you — Captain Lieutenant West, that unless
"he shall be persuaded, from the Testimony of
"your Superior Officers, that a Solid Amendment
"of your conduct has taken place, at the Period
"of expected Promotion, he will not recommend
"you, and put an End to the supposed Pretension,
"in the Service of the Honorable Company, that
"Seniority is to have resistless Weight and stand
in the Place of required merit and Respect.

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It has reached my knowledge that this order has occasioned Meetings among some of the Officers at different Stations, and that a Paper has been sent in Circulation for Signature to express Disapprobation, but except the general Impropriety of the Measure, I am unacquainted with other Circumstances.

I lose no time, however in making known the Transaction, and repeating the Sentiment, that at the Time, produced the Order.

In every Army & Large Body of Men, as Experience proves, worthless Characters will be found. To these Persons, I addressed the Spirit and Expression of that Order, and no Power can force me to recommend the Promotion of a Person, that my Judgment tells me will injure and disgrace the Service. I shall of course, state his Seniority to Government, but my active Recommendation shall be wanting. No Law or Reason could ever contemplate

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this Torture.

The Government will then adopt the conduct, they shall judge most beneficial, or most just, and in their Wisdom avail themselves, or otherwise, of the Act of Parliament of 1784. which gives to them the Power of departing from the claims of Seniority on Urgent Occasion.

I conceive that the Circumstance I now lay before the Council, should not be passed over in Silence, or without Observation. I therefore request that the order, with my Statement, may be laid before the Honorable Court of Directors, as I think, it will obtain some Explanation on the subject of more Seniority, and consequent Promotion, in the Face of Good Conduct, that will produce Benefit to a Service I most highly value and Respect, and whose Advantage I have unceasingly at Heart.

I shall communicate this Paper to the Commander in Chief in India.

Madras 9th September 1806.

(Signed) J. F. Cradock
Lieut. Gen.

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The Commander in Chief records the following Minutes.

Minute of the Commander Chief

Minute of the Commander in Chief Recommends Promotions in consequence of Captain Wainhouse being Invalided - Recommends Mr W. B. Trustrain to the Rank of Cornet Submits Applications from Captain Mackenzie for a Furlough to Europe - and from Mr Cadet Stewart to proceed to Prince of Wales Island - Appointments recommended by Colonel Gillespie - a Riding Master from 19th Dragoons to the Horse Artillery - recommended -

I recommend the following Promotions, in consequence of the transfer of Captain Wainhouse of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry to the Invalid Establishment.

16th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant John Edmonds to be Captain of a Company Vice Wainhouse transferred to the Non Effective establishment, and Lieutenant P. N. Caffley to be Captain Lieutenant, Vice Edmonds promoted; date of Commissions 20th September 1806.

Lieutenant Henry Agar to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment of Native Infantry Vice Edmonds promoted.

I recommend the promotion of Mr W. B. Trustrain Cadet of Cavalry to the Rank of Cornet - date of Rank the 27th of June 1806.

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I submit Applications from Captain John Mackenzie of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry (Serving with the Pioneer Corps) requesting permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough; and from Mr. William Stuart, Cadet of Infantry, requesting leave of absence to Prince of Wales's Island; I recommend compliance with these requests.

Colonel Gillespie having found it necessary to make certain Appointments of Officers of the detachments lately under his Command, when employed at Vellore, and in the Escort of the Princes to the Presidency, for the Staff duties of the Force under his Command, I recommend that the Appointments may be confirmed by Government; and that the Officers so appointed receive Allowances from the date of Appointment, untill the return of the Detachment to Arcot on the 11th of September 1806, as follows-

Lieutenant Keighly of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons to Act as Major of Brigade

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Brigade, and Lieutenant Kennedy of the same Corps, as Quarter Master to the Detachment, from the 10th July 1806."

"Lieutenant Keighly to act as Post Master, and Mr. Surgeon Murray of His Majestys 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons to afford Medical Aid to the Princes on the March to Madras, from the 17th August 1806."

"Lieutenant Moore of the 1st Regiment of Cavalry to take personal charge of the Princes in absence of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott, from the 25th August 1806."

The Officer Commanding the Squadron of Horse Artillery has stated through the Commandant of Artillery the difficulty of procuring a proper person to act as Riding Master to that Corps on the present very inadequate allowance of five Pagodas Monthly; and being desirous to profit by an Opportunity which now Offers, to obtain a well qualified person from His Majestys 19th Dragoons, he has

requested

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requested my attention to this part of the establish-
ment of the Squadron. He has also stated that the
large description of Horses attached to that Corps,
and the work they necessarily undergo, in the Draft
of Heavy Carriages, requires an increase of Feed,
such as is allowed to the Gun Horses of the
Cavalry Regiments. Sensible of the Importance
of a good Riding establishment in this young Corps,
I adopt the suggestion of the Commandant of Artillery,
and recommend that the Riding Master be borne
on the Strength of the Squadron as a Supernumerary
Serjeant, and receive the Staff Pay of Riding in
addition to that of his Rank:— And, as the
Necessity for increased allowance of Gram to
Gun Horses in the Cavalry Regiments, has been
ascertained, I am of Opinion the same Allowance
of six Seers daily, should be given to those of the
Squadron of Horse Artillery.

(Signed) J. T. Cradock
Lieut. General

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To

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To the Right Honorable
the Governor in Council

My Lord,

Being desirous of proceeding to Europe on Furlough, I beg permission to avail myself of the present Opportunity which I hope will meet with your Lordships Consent and Approbation.

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I Signed I I. Mackenzie Captn
2d Battn Pioneers.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council

Fort St. George

My Lord,

I have the honor to acquaint your Lordship in Council that since my Arrival (as a Cadet) at this presidency, I have received information which renders it of immediate importance to me that I should take the earliest opportunity of proceeding to Prince of Wales Island. In addition to which consideration the Indisposition which I at present experience would render my temporary

departure

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departure from this place a measure of necessity, as can be instructed if required by a reference to the two Medical Gentlemen who have attended me since the commencement of my Complaint

I therefore beg to request the permission of your Lordship in Council to proceed to Prince of Wales Island so soon as an opportunity may offer.

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

(Signed) Willm. Stuart

Ordered that the Promotions recommended in the foregoing Minute be directed to take place.

Resolved that Captain J. Mackenzie of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, be permitted to proceed on Furlough to Europe, on producing the prescribed Certificates, and that Mr. W. Stuart Cadet of Infantry be permitted to proceed on Leave of Absence to Prince of Wales Island

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Resolved that the Appointment of Staff Officers with the Detachment lately Commanded by Colonel Gillespie be confirmed in the manner recommended by the Commander in Chief.

Resolved that Lieutenant Moore of the 1.st Regiment of Native Cavalry be permitted to draw an Allowance of Pagodas 100 for the period during which that Officer had charge of the Sons of the late Tippoo Sultan, and that it be debited to the proper Head of Account in the General Department.

Resolved that a Riding Master be attached to the Troop of Horse Artillery on the pay recommended by the Commander in Chief, and that the daily Allowance of Gram for the Horses of the Troop, be increased to the Quantity proposed.

Minute of the Commander in Chief

Minute of the Commander in Chief. Recommends that Captain Lieutenant Brown be appointed a Commissary of Ordnance - Stations for the lately appointed Commissaries - and

Captain Stone of Artillery having obtained permission to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate, I recommend that Captain Lieutenant J. D. Brown who has long acted as Commissary of Ordnance

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and that application may be made to the Government at Bombay to give Orders for receiving the Invalids of His Majestys 80th Regiment on board the Ships to be despatched to Europe from that Presidency Submits Copy of the Parole signed by the Officer and Passengers Captured on board the Honble Company's Brig Grayhes. and reports the death of Lieutenant Challenger worth.

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Ordnance be appointed to that Situation vice Stone on leave to Europe.

I recommend that the Commissaries of Ordnance Recently appointed, Captain Lieutenant Brown inclusive, be appointed to Stations as follows.

Captain I. Taynton to the Mount.

Captain I. Limond to Cannanore.

Captain Lieutenant Brown to Seringapatam

The Officer Commanding His Majestys 80th Regiment having reported to me that 91 men of that Corps are from disease unfit for further Service, I have in Consequence authorised their being Invalid. — as it will be necessary to send them to Europe, and the expense of their Removal to this Presidency (independant of the inconvenience) would be very Considerable. I request that the Government of Bombay may be Solicited to make Arrangements for receiving them on Board the Ships despatched for Europe from that Presidency by directing one or more Ships to take them on Board at Cannanore although no longer fit for Service in the Field they will add Considerably to the

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the Security of the Ships in which they may be embarked

I Submit to the Board the Copy of a parole signed by the Officers and Passengers of the Honorable Company's Armed Vessel Grapsler lately Captured by the French Frigate Lapiedmontoise in Consequence of which they were permitted to land in India. Captain Mc Bean of the 13th Native Regiment of this Establishment, who was proceeding on Sick Certificate to Bengal is amongst the Number this made Prisoners of War.—

Lieutenant Joseph Chellingworth of the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment of Native Infantry died on the 14th Instant at Seringapatam.—

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/Signed/ J. F. Cradock
Lieutenant General

Colonie

A la Mer.

La Piémontaise Frgte Impériale Commandé par Mr. Giron

An 1806.

Rôle d'Equipage de la Corvette de la Compagnie Anglaise Le Grappling prise faite par la Frgte

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Frgte La Piemontaise, 5 Septembre 1806

Rainsay ..... Capitaine
Brande ..... 2d idem
Tanners ..... 3e Officier
Macoy ..... Master
Port ..... Aspirant
Wm Thomas ..... Chirurgien
Capne Igner Mc Bean .....
Lt Strickland
Lt Henriot Marine de la Compe } Passagers
Henry Green ..... Boatman
Josept Bartelet ..... Canonier
Jean Newberg ..... Charpr
Louis Philippe ..... Mtre d'Hotel
Jean Hock ..... 2d Maitre
George Walton ..... Voilier
Thomas Quarter ..... Qr Mtre
Thomas Chapman ..... Matelot
Wam Carr ..... idem

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John Ololoh ..... Matelot

John Warren ..... Idem

Thomas Rudd ..... d.

Jgnes Duhat ..... d

Jgnes Williams ..... Mousse

Garnison

Arnotte
Bruyth
Nruyth
Jolly
Larman
} Sergents

Flrgarly ..... Soldat

Costello ..... d

Duffy..

Eusterbrook

Cliffin

Flurly

Warr

Sparman

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Moon
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Forest
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Kelly
Talsford
Brilnier
Blavers
Dauyet
La femme
Loafton
Gaddard
Baldza
Chelders
Ryan.

Lascars Scipailles

Ipk. Nagniac Serg.t de Marine
Chler Eugnir Caporal
Rupnac Colenac Soldat
Barnac Ragnac id
Runag Ranuag
Donnag Calnac
Durna Flernac
Meidnac Jernac
Donnac Dannac
Bapnac Flernac
Bapnoic Yonnac
Balnac Donnac
Norgur Mittah
Donnac Commenac

Domestiques.

Domingo
Fortune
Williams
Jumier
Boscos
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Fait a la Mer le 6 September 1806.
Le Capne De Fregte
L. J. Epron
Le Lt. Chge du detail

L Agent Comptable

Nous soussignes Capitaine commandant la Corvette de la Compagne des Indes et Officiers. Nous engageons de faire echanger et a envoyer un pareil nombre des prisonniers francois de meme Grade, et de ne point servir jusqua ce que le dit echange ait eu son effet.

Lieut. in Command Jn. Alex Ramsay
G. W. Brande A. G. Lt.
J. Morcbean Captn
Wm. Thomas Asst. Surgeon
Thos. Tennnes A. G. 2d. Lt.
Thomas Llewriot 2d. Lt.
R. B. Pond. Mid
Thos. Mc Coy
P. C. Strickland
Lt. 1st Battn. 3d. Regt.
B. by. Nat Jnfy.

Resolved that Captain Lieut. Brown of the Artillery be appointed Commissary of Ordnance, vice Stone permitted to return to Europe; and that the Commissaries of Ordnance Recently appointed to Stations as recommended by the

Resolution thereon

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The Commander in Chief

Resolved that the Governor in Council at Bombay be requested to provide for the Accommodation of the Invalids of His Majestys 80th Regiment on board of the Honorable Company's Ships proceeding to England from that Presidency

Read the following Letter from

the Acting Resident in Mysoor

To George Buchan Esqre

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Acting Resident at Mysoor. Reports that Captain Pittle has proceeded with his sanction to the Sea Coast of Malabar, for the Recovery of his health.

The Surgeon attached to the Residency having strongly recommended that Captain Pittle should proceed without delay to the Sea Coast of Malabar for the recovery of his health, I have the honor to report to you for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor that Captain Pittle has proceeded thither accordingly with my sanction: the Circumstances of his case not admitting the delay of a reference to the Presidency.

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Presidency -

Mysoor 20th
September 1806.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
/Signed/ M. Wilks
Actg Resdt

Resolved that the Leave of
Absence granted to Captain Little, Commanding
the Escort of the Resident at Hydrabad be
confirmed and published in General Orders -

Resolution thereon

Read the following Letter
from Captain Gowlay of Artillery -
To the Secretary to Government
Military Department

Sir,

From Captn Gowlay
of the Artillery
With Copy of a
letter to the
Adjutant General
Complaining of
the conduct of the
Officer Commanding
the Southern
Division of the
Army -

Trichinopoly
12th September
1806.

Be pleased to lay the enclosed
letter before the Right Honorable the Governor
in Council.

/Signed/ J. Gowlay
Captn Artillery

True Copy
/Signed/ P. A. Agnew
Adjt Genl

To

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To the Adjutant General of the Army

Sir,

If His Excellency the Commander in Chief is not determined to support Colonel Campbell at all hazards, he will judge of the necessity of laying this letter, and every other paper connected with my arrest before Government, without any delay, in Order that they may be able to form an Opinion whether or not Colonel Campbell is a proper person to remain a Moment longer in the Command of the Southern Division of the Army.

Since I have been placed in Arrest Colonel Campbell has thought proper to turn my Company of Artillery neck and heels out of the Barracks they have occupied for these 13 Years past, and which I had rendered comfortable at a very considerable expense, into a Gun Shed, which is not sufficient to cover them either from rain, wind or dust, under the pretence of accommodating a part of the 94th Regiment, old and Seasoned Campaigners, who could very well have made it

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out any where; and in consequence of which 7 or 8 of the Recruits lately joined the Company are now dangerously ill in the Hospital, one of the finest young men among them died there the day before yesterday, and another is not expected to live. This sickness if not entirely occasioned, certainly greatly augmented by this brutal behaviour. My Barracks contain Cotts for 60 or 70 Men, you may judge if this could be any great acquisition to a Regiment.

As I deem this matter of too much consequence to be delayed a Moment, in order to favor any Man, I shall transmit a Copy of this Letter direct to Government.

/Signed/ J. Gourlay
Captn. Artillery
Under Arrest

Trichinopoly
11th September 1806.

/True Copy/
/Signed/ P. A. Agnew
Dpy. Genl.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing

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Order thereon

Foregoing Letter be Recorded, and that the Original be delivered to the Commander in Chief.

Read the following Letter from the Advocate General.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Advocate General. Requests further information on the subject of the Commander in Chiefs Claim to participate in the Bazar allowance.

I received on the fifteenth Instant your letter transmitting, for my Opinion, by directions of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the Statement relative to the Claim of His Excellency the Commander in Chief to participate in the Bazar allowance.

Having referred to the several General Orders of Government upon the subject, dated the 22d. September 1802, and 16th. October 1804, I have no doubt as to the proper construction to be put upon those Orders, nor of the actual meaning of Government at the time; but as the general object of the paper submitted to my consideration tends rather to dispute the propriety and Justice, than the meaning and construction

of

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of those Orders. I am afraid that in confining myself to the latter I might seem to evade the discharge of a part of the duty expected of me by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, while on the other hand I do not feel myself perfectly warranted without more express directions, to offer any observations upon the propriety of the existing orders of Government. I request therefore that you will obtain for my guidance the further directions of Government.

If it be intended that my Opinion shall go beyond the mere construction of the existing Orders, I have in that case to request to be furnished with Copies of the several communications between Government and the Honorable Court of Directors on this subject. I shall also have to request to be informed how far alterations of the orders of Government upon such subjects, made before final decision by the Honorable Court of Directors, have in practice been considered as affecting the rights accruing between the dates of

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the original orders and of such subsequent alterations, and in particular, as most directly applicable to the present Question, I beg to know whether the division of this Allowance for the time intervening between the 22d September 1802 and the Subsequent General Order of 16th October 1804 was made upon the principle of the Original order, or of this subsequent alteration of it.

I am
Sir
Your most
obedient Servant
(Signed) A. Anstruther
Advocate Genl

Madras 24th
September 1806.

Ordered that the Advocate General be furnished with the following Reply.

To the Advocate General

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 24th Instant, and in Reply to state the following Question for your Opinion.

To the advocate General. Requires his Opinion whether the Commander in Chief in Justice or Equity is entitled to a share in the Bazar Fund or the principles of that Institution - any papers he may wish to consult, will be open for

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Whether in justice or Equity the Commander in Chief is or is not entitled to a Share in the Bazar Fund, on the principles which appear to have influenced the institution of that Fund?

Such Papers as you may require to consult in the consideration of this Question will be open for your perusal in the Military Office.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most obedient Servant
(Signed) G. Strachey
Secy to Govt

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The Board proceed to pass Orders on the following Proceedings of the Medical Board.

Proceedings of the Medical Board Report on Mr. Surgeon Grant being absent from his Station and resident at the Presidency, without acquainting the Board, - and suggest the publication of a G.O. for the better Regulation of such matters.

Resolutions of the Governor in Council. Dated 26th September 1806.

The General Order which has been lately published by the Commander in Chief for the purpose of enforcing the Respect which

Medical Board
15th August 1806.

1 Accidentally understanding yesterday, that Mr. Surgeon Grant of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, had arrived at the Presidency from

which is due to the Medical Board from all Subordinate Officers in the Medical Department, renders it unnecessary for the Governor in Council to pass a particular censure on Mr. Surgeon Grant for having failed to report himself to the Medical Board on his Arrival at the Presidency.

from the Mysore Country and not being informed of the cause, or the Authority by which he relinquished his professional charge, the Medical Board, from a just sence of their public duty, were led to instruct their Secretary, to address a Letter to him, Copy of which with Mr. Grant's Reply, they herewith take the liberty of forwarding to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

2. Mr. Surgeon Grant having been correct, in absenting himself from his Corps and Station, upon the plea, and by the Authority of his Commanding Officer "alone"

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alone; which he has now been pleased to mention, the Medical Board are not at all inclined to doubt they trust however, it will appear to Government, that there has some where, been a Remissness in his leave of absence, when obtained not having been officially communicated to them — That Mr. Grant has, in this instance, shewn an unjustifiable indifference and want of humane consideration, in not informing himself, on whom was to devolve, the important charge of his Hospital; which, from the length and nature of the journey he found

With Respect to the departure of Mr. Grant from his Regiment without having first ascertained the mode in which his duties were to be discharged during his absence, the Governor in Council is unwilling to

to attach to his conduct
in that instance the same
severity of censure, which
it has been deemed to
merit in the judgement
of the Medical Board
Refering to the Letter
from Mr. Grant, on
which the Medical
Board have founded an
opinion so injurious to
the character of a
Medical Officer. His
Lordship in Council
deems it to be just, that
an Opportunity should
be afforded to Mr. Grant
of explaining the careless
expression, which has
been made the ground
of imputing to him

himself capable of undertaking,
his health could not have
prevented his delivering over
in the most regular manner,
before leaving his Station.
And that he has, in not
reporting himself to the
Medical Board immedi-
ately on his arrival here,
as well as in the tenor of
his present letter manifested
a disrespect towards them,
and a spirit of insubordi-
nation tending to subvert
the execution of their public
duties.

From the little
weight, which the Animad-
versions of the Medical
Board have had, with
the

Subordinate

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the serious charge of want of Humanity -

The Governor in Council approves the regulation recommended by the Medical Board for effectually providing for the performance of the duties of all Medical Officers, absent from their Corps and Stations; and it is accordingly Resolved that a General Order be published to that effect.

subordinate Servants, on late similar occasions, and under their present circumstances of suspense, which they took the liberty of intimating in the 3d Para of their Proceedings dated the 30th June. They are induced to submit the above facts to the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council; and to recommend, in order that the Rules and Forms of the Service may be fully understood; as well as effectually to provide for the duties of all such Medical Servants, as may at any time be absent from their Stations or Corps on leave,

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(a strict attention to which is so essentially necessary towards guarding against the ill consequences that might otherwise ensue) is being published in General Orders, that every Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon, desirous of leave of absence, shall in the first place, obtain the written sanction of his immediate Superior, — whether in the Civil or Military Service - that such written Sanction, attend his further applic= =ation to the Superintend= =ing Surgeon of his Respec= =tive Division, whose immediate duty it will be

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be, to provide a temporary
successor, and who will then
forward it to the Medical
Board, for the ultimate
concurrence of the Commander
in Chief and Government.

4 By this means all
Commanding Officers, and Heads
of Departments, will be
regularly informed of the
leave of absence of Surgeons
and Assistant Surgeons, on
whatever occasion granted.

5 It will however
be requisite to pay a just
regard to cases of Sickness
in distant and remote Situ-
:ations, when an immediate
or early removal for change
of Air, or Medical advice,
may be necessary for profes-
:sional

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professional Servants — And when time not admitting of the prescribed modes of application being attended to the regular Certificates and Reports from the Commanding Officers, and Head Surgeons may at a future period, be forwarded to the Presidency.

/Signed/ Terence Gahagan M.D.
2d Member Medical Board.
" James Richardson
3d Member Medical Board.

By Order of the Right "
Honorable the Governor in Council.
/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy to Govt.

To Mr. Surgeon Grant
19th Regiment Native Infantry

Sir,

The Medical Board understanding that you are now residing at this Presidency,

have

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have directed me to request that you will be pleased to state to me, for their information the grounds and the Authority on which you happen to be from your Corps and Station — as well as how your public duties are provided for during your Absence from them.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Obt. Servt.
(Signed) Wm. Horsman
Secy. Medical Board

Fort St. George
Med. Bd. Office
14th August 1806.

True Copy
(Signed) Wm. Horsman
Secy. Medical Board.

To the Secretary of the Medical Board

Sir,

In reply to your letter I have to request that you will be pleased to inform the Medical Board, that I left my Corps for the recovery of my health, on Sick Certificate — and by Authority of my Commanding Officer, to whom alone, I am to apply in such cases —

I

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I have not been made acquainted with the mode in which my public duties are performed, during my absence; but should suppose that, as there is an Assistant Surgeon Stationed in the Garrison, they would of course fall upon him.

/Signed/ John Grant
Surgeon

True Copy
/Signed/ Wm. Horsman
Secy. Medl. Board

Island
August 14th 1806.

Proceedings of the Medical Board. Report on the conduct of Mr. Surgeon Jones, with respect to his being resident at the Presidency without acquainting the Board.

Resolutions of the
Governor in Council
Dated 26th Sept. 1806.

The General Order of the Commander in Chief for enforcing the respect which is due to the Medical Board, does not, as in the case of Mr. Surgeon Grant, render

Medical Board
5th September 1806.

1 After the trouble which the Medical Board were, in the due execution of their duty, led to offer Government, in their late representation of the Conduct of the Surgeon of the 18th Regiment of Native.

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render it unnecessary for the Governor in Council to record his particular disapprobation of the conduct of Mr. Surgeon John Jones of the 1st. Regiment of Native Infantry -

The mode of explanation adopted by Mr. Jones in his letter to the Commander in Chief, so far from tending to extenuate his conduct, has confirmed the unfavorable sentiments with which His Lordship in Council had been impressed towards him, by the facts stated in these Proceedings. His Lordship in Council is concerned that any Gentleman

Native Infantry - they are extremely sorry, to be under the necessity of reporting a similar instance of neglect and disrespect, on the part of Mr. Surgeon John Jones of the 1st. Regiment of Native Infantry who it appears, has been several days at the Presidency, on leave of absence.

2. Under existing circumstances it was the earnest wish of the Medical Board, to avoid every thing like Complaint against any Medical Officer, and Doctor Gahagan accordingly on Tuesday last, took an

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Gentleman on the Medical Establishment of this
cal Establishment of this ing to Mr. Jones, that a
Presidency should betray report to them, either in
such ignorance of the writing or otherwise would
common Rules of Subor- be expected from him-
dination, as to avow. D The ungracious
that his feelings of regret manner however, in which
at having incurred the he received this mark of
censure of his immediate candour and forbearance,
Superiors are under the from their second Member,
influence of no better and the contumacy which
principle than the fear he has since evinced, in
of suffering from the more not following the advice
serious displeasure of offered him, in so liberal
higher Authorities. and friendly a manner,

Ordered that the oblige the Medical Board
displeasure of the Governor to submit his conduct to
in Council be signified the consideration of the
to Mr. Surgeon Jones Right Honorable the
through the channel of Governor in Council - and
the Medical Board, at the same time to observe

and

that

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and that he be further apprized of the Resolution of the Board to consider him as liable by the effects of this censure, until conduct more respectful and subordinate, shall have entitled him to the favorable consideration of his Professional Superiors.—

that it is not the first instance, in which they have had occasion to disapprove of Mr. Jones's perverse mode of conducting his public duties.

(Signed) Terence Gahagan M.D
and 2.d Member Medical Board
" Ja.s Richardson
3.d Member Medical Board.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. G. Staachey
Secy to Govt

Read the following Letters from the Military Auditor General.

To

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Fort St. George 26th September 1806.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c &c &c

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General - Reports on the Extra Camp Equipage of Brigade Majors.

1 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from the Secretary to Govern=ment in the Military Department, dated the 10th Instant, conveying your Lordship's orders on the subject of Extra Camp Equipage Allowance to the General and Division Staff of the Army when employed on Tours of review.

2 Having considered with attention the Remark which your Lordship in Council directed to be made in regard to the Extra Camp Equipage of Brigade Majors, it is incumbent on me to represent to your Lordship that the existing Regulations on that head are generally considered to apply, principally, if not exclusively, to the Brigade Majors attached to Brigades of the Army when employed on actual

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actual Field Service, whose duties in issuing Orders &c. appear to render the present Extra Allowance indispensable, those Officers being obliged to employ Writers and to carry Official Records, for which an additional private Tent more than is allowed to Aid de camps has been considered requisite.

3 It is also to be observed that a personal Brigade Major to a Colonel in Command of a Division of the Army cannot now be considered as a fixed or general Appointment — there is but one at present, and if the Establishment of General Officers on the Staff was complete, there would exist, according to the late Regulation, no such Appointment under your Lordship's Government, but admitting that the Appointment may continue and that the duties of Officers of that description do not require more Camp Equipage than those of Aid de camps, yet the demands of the former regarding Extra or Field Camp Equipage, are but occasional, being confined to the periods of Annual Reviews,

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Review, it is very humbly submitted to the further consideration of your Lordship in Council whether existing Circumstances require any Alteration of the Already established Regulations in this particular.

4 Should it however be the pleasure of your Lordship in Council to direct that the personal Brigade Majors of Colonels in Command of Divisions of the Army when employed on Tours of Review / to which situation alone the present Question has reference / shall only muster and draw for the same Extra Camp Equipage as is allowed to Aid de Camps of General Officers similarly circumstanced, a General Order to that effect will probably be deemed expedient to publish, of which I take the liberty to submit a draft herewith.—

The Brigade Majors of the Commandant of Artillery and of Cavalry,— also the Brigade Majors of the Travancore subsidiary Force and of Malabar and Kanara are not admitted to those Officers being only entitled to Extra Tent Allowance when on actual Field Service in

which

which situation it is presumed the present established allowances may be permitted to apply.

6. Before concluding this subject I beg leave to state for your Lordship's further information that Brigade Majors are in the receipt of an allowance not granted to Aid de camps. Viz.t Pagodas Six per Month for Candles and Stationary — in other respects their Staff Pay and personal Allowances with the exception of the Extra Tent Allowance, are exactly the same.—

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

Mily. Aud.r Gen.l's Office
Fort St. George 16th September
1806.

(Signed) S. Braunton
Mily. Aud.r Gen.l

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council having adverted to the distinction recently established between the Appointments of Aid de Camp and personal Brigade Major, the latter being inferior in point of Rank has been pleased to resolve that the Extra Tent Allowance to be drawn by

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by the Brigade Major of a Colonel Commanding a Division of the Army, when employed on tours of Annual Review, shall not in future exceed the Allowance granted, on the same account, to an Aid de Camp of a General Officer when similarly circumstanced.

This order is not considered to affect the established Regulations in regard to Brigade Majors when employed with Brigades of the Army on actual Field Service or in the Authorised performance of General Duties.

Military Aud.r Gen.l Office
Fort St. George 16th Sept.r 1806.

/ Signed / J. Prendergast.
Dep.y Mr. Aud.r Gen.l

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

From the Military Auditor General. Submits the claims to pensions of two old Servants in his Office.

My Lord,

I beg leave to represent to your Lordship in Council, that there are two public Servants in my Office who have served the Honble Company, the one Ramasawmy Examiner of Accounts

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Accounts twenty three years, the other Rajah Chan
head Peon twenty five years, the Monthly pay of
the former is Pagodas Fifteen per Month, that of
the latter Pagodas five, they are both men who
from my own experience of fifteen years have
conducted themselves with particular attention
to their respective duties, but they are now incapa
ble of further exertion, the former from a failure
in his sight, the latter from severe Rheumatism
they therefore solicit from your Lordships Bounty
each a Pension, and if I might be permitted
to recommend what their Pensions should be, the
Examiner of Accounts, I am of Opinion should
have Pagodas Ten per Month for life, the head
Peon Pagodas three, it will however rest with
your Lordship in Council to adopt these Opinions
or not as you shall see fit.

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

Military Audr. Genl. Office
Fort St. George 26th Sept.
1806

/Signed/ J. Brunton
Military Audr. Genl.

ordered

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Ordered that the following Reply be despatched.

To the Military Auditor General.

Sir,

To the Military Auditor General.

a General Order published allowing to Brigade Majors attached only as personal Staff to Commanding Officers, the same allowances as Aides due Camp- grants a pension equal to half their present pay to each of two Native Servants recommended in his letter.

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letters of the 16th and 25th Ultimo.

It is the desire of His Lordship in Council that Brigade Majors, attached only as Personal Staff to Commanding Officers, shall receive in every respect the same Allowances as Aides de Camp, and a General Order has accordingly been published to that effect.

His Lordship in Council is pleased to grant to each of the Two Native Servants recommended in your Letter, a Pension equal to half the Amount of his present pay.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your

Fort St. George

26th September 1806.

(Signed) G. Strachey

Secy. to Govt.

Read

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Read the following Letters-

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government at

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Acting Secretary at Fort Willow states that Lieut. Bruton of H.C.N. 75th has been authorised to draw Company's Allowances, from the date of the Order Embodying the Company's Recruits at Salvadore

I am directed by the Honble the Governor General in Council to transmit to you the inclosed Copy of a Letter from the Military Auditor General of the 27th Instant to be laid before the Right Honorable in Council, and to request that you will inform his Lordship that as the Officers and Cadets of this Establishment and the Officers of His Majestys Service belonging to Corps serving or proceeding to serve under this Presidency who acted with the Army under the General Sir David Baird at the Capture of the Cape of Good Hope have been permitted to draw Company's Allowances from the date of the Order embodying the Company's recruits at Salvador, deducting from these Allowances the out-fit Bat and forage Money which they received

in

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in consequence of their being employed on that Service, the Governor General in Council has Authorized the Military Auditor General to pass their Allowances to Lieutenant Boulton.

I am

Fort William
25th August 1806.

Wm Wm
[Signed] Thos. Hill
Actg Secy Mily Dept.

To the Honorable
Sir George Barlow. Bart
Governor General in Council Wm Wm

Honble Sir,

1 I have the honor to lay before you, a Bill No. 63 Kings Troops Book 2. Drawn by Lieutenant John Boulton of His Majestys 75th Regiment of Foot, for Company's Allowances from the 23d November 1805, to the 22d April last, in consideration of his having served with the Armament at the Capture of the Cape of Good Hope.—

2 Lieutenant Boulton it appears

come

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come from England and landed at Fort St. George as an Ensign in His Majestys 59th Regiment of Foot; previously however to his arrival in India, he had been appointed by the Right Honorable the Commander in Chief, an Ensign on the 17th September 1804, and afterwards was promoted to a Lieutenancy in His Majestys 75th Regiment of Foot, and soon after his Arrival at Madras on the 23d of April last, proceeded to join his Corps in Bengal, and Arrived at Fort William on the 23d June last.

3 That Lieutenant Bruttom acted with the Armament at the Capture of the Cape of Good Hope is ascertained by the Documents which Accompany the Bill, and I am not aware of any Objection sufficiently Strong to preclude Lieutenant Bruttom from receiving Companys Allowances from the 23d November last, the date from which they have been admitted to all those Officers who served at the Cape of Good Hope, and were attached to Corps serving or proceeding to

same

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Sense under this Presidency. I beg leave however at the same time to suggest that communication may be made to the Presidency of Fort St. George stating that such Allowances have been granted to Lieutenant Bruton with the view of preventing similar Allowances being granted to him as an Officer attached to a Regiment serving at that Presidency, and which was employed at the Capture of the Cape of Good Hope.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c.
/Signed/ W. S. Greene
Mily Audr Genl

Military Audr Generals
Office 27th August
1806

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ Tho. Hill
Actg Sy Mily Dy

To George Strachey Esqre
Secretary to the Government
in the Military Department
at Fort St. George

From the Acting Secy at Fort William. The Governor General requests that orders may be given for paying to the Commanders of Certain of His Majesty's Ships the allowances for providing a table for the Officers, and

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor General in Council to transmit to you

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and for Victualling the Men of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons.

the enclosed Copy of a Letter from the Marine Board dated the 25th Instant, and of its Enclosure; to be laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with the request of the Governor General in Council that His Lordship will give orders for paying to the Commanders of the Ships referred to in the Letter from the Marine Board the regulated allowance for providing a Table for the Commissioned Officers and for Victualling the Men of His Majesty's 25th Regiment of Light Dragoons Embarked on those Ships during their passage to Fort St. George. Viz. 125 Rupees for each Officer and Sonat Annas 12 ₱. diem for each of the Men.

The Governor General in Council likewise requests that in the event of the Voyage of these Ships from Bengal to Fort St. George being protracted beyond 31 days, His Lordship will direct an additional allowance of 14 Rupees ₱. Diem for such protracted period to be paid to the Commanders of these Ships for each Commissioned

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Commissioned Officers of His Majestys 25th
Regiment of Light Dragoons, accommodated on
Board their respective Ships.

I have the honor to be

Fort William
the 28th August
1806.

Hble Sir
Yr Mt Obt Hble Servt
/Signed/ Tho. Hill
Actg Secy/Mily Dept

To the Honorable
Sir George Hilaro Barlow, Bart.
Governor General in Council.

Hble Sir,

In consequence of the orders contain-
ed in Mr. Acting Secretary Hills letter of the 7th
Instant, We Communicated to the Commanders of
the Honorable Company's Ships William Pitt,
Europe, Streatham, and Jane Dutchess of Gordon,
the Arrangement submitted by us in our address
of the 4th Instant for conveying to Fort St. George
His Majestys 25th Regiment of Dragoons, and
for Victualling the Troops During the Voyage,
advising the Commanders at the same of the allow-

ances

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allowances authorized by Government for providing a Table for the Officers and for Victualling the Men.

2. The Commanders of the William Pitt, Europe, and Streatham have now addressed a letter to us, Copy of which we have the honor to transmit dated the 21st Instant, in which they request an allowance for the Table of the Officers for the time during which their Ships may remain in Port at the several places at which they may stop on the Coast on their Voyage to Madras, in addition to the regulated allowance granted for their direct Passage to Madras.

3 In our Letter of the 18th Instant we had the honor to state to you, that We considered the Commanders of the Honorable Company's Ships to be under an obligation during their Stay in Port to furnish a Table for the use of the Officers embarked on their Ships. It is evident however that the period of their Stay in Port, unless very limited, must subject the

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the Commanders to an additional expence proportioned to the time of their remaining there.—

In the present Instance, we consider the allowance of One hundred and twenty five Rupees which the Commanders will receive to be calculated for a period of thirty one days, at the rate of Sicca Rupees four per day, the regulated Allowance for each Officer, and we think it probable that the Commanders will be able to perform their Voyage to Madras within that period. If however, in Consequence of the detention of the Ships at the Ports at which they may touch on their Passage to Madras, the Voyage should be protracted to a period exceeding thirty One days, we conceive that the Commanders will have a fair Claim to a further allowance being granted to them, at the rate of Sicca Rupees Four per day for each Officer, for such additional period, and We submit that the Government of Fort St. George may be requested to pay such

further

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further allowance accordingly.

4 We also beg leave to submit to you that the Government of Fort St. George may be desired to pay to the Commanders of the Ships abovementioned, the regulated allowance for providing a Table for the Officers, and for Victualling the Troops Viz.t

Sicca Rupees 125 for the Table allowance of each Officer.

Sonat Annas 12 p.r day for Victualling each of the Men embarked on their Ships.

We have the honor to be

Fort William
25th August 1806.

Y.r V.ry
Signed J. Taylor
Rich Becher

To John Shore Esq.r
Secretary to the
Marine Board

Sir,

I am aware that there is an established price

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price for the Maintenance of Military Officers Ordered on the Honorable Company's Ships from hence direct to Madras. We humbly request, the Board will be pleased to take into consideration the Delays Naturally attendant on the Service we are about to perform, and allow us a Certain Sum per day, during the time We may necessarily be detained at anchor on the passage to Madras.

We have the honor to be

Sir Your

Calcutta 21st August 1806.

/Signed/ W. Edmeads
Commanding H.C.S.
William Pitt.
" John Dale H.C.S.
Wentham.
" William Gelston. H.C.S.
Europe

/A True Copy/
/Signed/ J. Shore
Secy Mar: Board

/True Copies/
/Signed/ Tho: Hill
Actg Sy Mry D.

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To George Buchan Esq.re
Chief Secretary to the Government
at Fort S.t George

From the Secretary at Bombay. With copy of a letter from the Accountant General at Bombay, respecting disbursements on account of the Bombay troops at Poonah.

Sir.

In acknowledging the receipt of Mr. Secretary Strachey's letter of 13.th ultimo I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit, for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council Copy of one from the Accountant General at this Presidency of the 30.th following.

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I have the honor to be
S.r &c.
/Signed/ F. Warden
Secy to Govt

Bombay castle
1.st September 1806.

No 1

Francis Warden Esq.re
Secretary to Government

Sir,

In reply to your letter of yester-day's date, enclosing Copies of an Address from the Secretary (Strachey) to the Government of Fort

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Fort St. George of the 13th Instant and of its enclosure for my further Opinion and Report.

I beg you will inform the Honorable the Governor in Council that by a reference to my Communication of the 4th Ultimo it will not be found that any intimation is thereon conveyed of the Madras Government not having been credited for the payment of such part of our Troops as had hitherto Composed a part of the Subsidiary Force at Poonah as seems to have been Apprehended by the Deputy Military Auditor General at Fort St. George, on the Contrary, I am aware that Credit has been afforded to that Government for such disbursements as have been made by the Paymasters on Account of the Bombay Troops at Poonah and I conceive the same must have been Charged against this Presidency on the Books of this Military Department at Madras.

2. The mode proposed in my Letter of the 4th Ultimo for bringing to Account

the

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The Remittances to Poonah on Account of the Subsidiary Force, in the Current official year having been Sanctioned by Government has been already Carried into Effect.

I have the honor to be

Bombay Castle
Accountt. Genl. Office
30th August 1806.

/Signed/ J. Alphinston
Accountt Genl.

True Copy

/Signed/ R. T. Goodwin
Sub. Secy

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From Lieut. Town Major with Return of Troops &c. captured on board the Honorable Company's Brig Grappler.

I have the honor to enclose herewith for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, a Return of Troops &c. Captured on Board the Honble Company's Brig Grappler by the French privateer Piedmontese and who were this day landed at Fort St. George from the Arab Ship Octomana.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ F. Thompson
Town Major

Town Majors Office
Fort St. George 16th Sept. 1806

Return

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Return of Troops &c. Captured on Board the Honble Companys Brig Grappler by the Piedmontese French Frigate and landed at Fort St. George from the Arab Ship Octomana 16th September 1806.

	Sergeants	Drummers	Rank & File	Seamen	Ex. Women	Havildars	Naigues	Sepoys	Ist Lascars
His Majestys 34th Regt.	2	"	21	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Ditto 59th Ditto	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Ditto 67th Ditto	"	"	9	"	1	"	"	"	"
" Ditto 8th Dragoons	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"
Seamen of the Grappler	"	"	"	14	"	"	"	"	"
Sepoys (Bombay Marine)	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	10	2
Total	2	"	33	14	1	1	1	10	2

Town Majors Office
Fort St. George 16th September 1806.

(Signed) T. Thompson
Town Major

To

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To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir.

From Commandt. of Poonamallee. Requests sanction for payment of one half years Expenditure, on Account of Polygar Prisoners.

I beg leave to inclose you the last half years expenditure for the Clothing, &c. and of the Polygar Prisoners, at this Station, as also the expenses paid for the funeral, of one of the Polygar Women. and I shall be much obliged to you to obtain the Right Honorable the Governor in Council's Sanction for payment.

I Signed I G. Dodsworth
Lieut. Coll. Comg
Poonamallee

Poonamallee
11th September 1806.

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing Letters be furnished to the Military Auditor General for his information and guidance.

Order thereon

Read the following Letter from Lieutenant Strickland of the Bombay Establishment.

To the Secretary to Government
in the Military Department

From Lieutenant Strickland of the 1st Battn. 3d Bombay Native Regiment. Requests authority

Sir,

I beg leave to request that you will

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Authority for drawing his pay and Allowances and the regulated sum due for his Passage to England.

will have the goodness to procure the necessary order to be issued by Government to enable me to draw the pay and Allowances due to me and also the regulated Sum for my passage to England having agreed for a passage to Boston in America on board the American Ship Laura Captain Blackler which will sail in a few Days from thence I shall make my way to England by the first Opportunity.

/ Signed / J. Strickland
Lieutenant 1st. Battn. 3d. Regt.
Bombay Native Infantry

Madras 26th. September 1806

Ordered in consequence that the following Letter be dispatched to the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Military Auditor General Directs he will Authorise the payment of Allowances due to Lieut. J.C. Strickland of the 1st Battn. 3d Regt.

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to inclose Copy of a letter from Lieutenant J. C. Strickland of

the

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of Bombay — Native Infantry — also the usual Allowance for passage Money until the day of his Embarkation —

the 1st Battalion 3d Regiment of Bombay Native Infantry and of a Letter from the Secretary to that Government, and to desire that you will authorize the payment of allowances due to him until the day of his embarkation and also the usual Allowance for passage Money —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
(Signed) G. Strachey
Secy to Govt

Fort St. George
26th September 1806.

Read the following Letter from the Acting Secretary at Fort William —

To George Strachey Esqr.
Secretary to the Government at
Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Acting Secretary to the Government at Fort William — Directions have been given for paying the usual Compensation for the Loss of the Baggage of Captn McRae of His Majestys 80th Regiment.

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor General in Council to acquaint you that directions have been given for paying to Lieutenant McRae of His Majestys 76th Regiment the usual compensation for the loss of the Baggage of his Father, Captain John McRae of His Majestys 80th Regiment

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Regiment which was Captured on board the
Admiral Aplin the Amount to be placed to
the debit of the Presidency of Fort St. George -

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Fort St. George
28th August 1806

Jnos Jnos Jnos
" " "

/ Signed / Tho. Hill
Actg Sy. Mst. Dt.

Ordered that the following Reply
be dispatched.

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

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honble
the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt
of your letter of the 28th Ultimo -

His Lordship in Council directs
me to request that you will state the amount
of the usual compensation granted to Officers
for the loss of Baggage agreeably to the Regu-
lations of the Service in Bengal, and also the
circumstances under which it may be customary

to

To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William - Requests he will state the usual Compensation to Officers for loss of Baggages according to the Regulations at Bengal with the Circumstances under which it may be customary to grant - His Lordship in Council Considering himself restricted from granting any under the orders of the Honble Court of Directors, a Copy of which is enclosed -

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to Grant it, as His Lordship in Council has generally considered himself restricted under the Orders of the Honorable Court of Directors, of which I have the honor to enclose a Copy, from granting any Compensation of that Nature to Officers belonging to the Establishment of Fort S.t George.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
Sign.d G.o Strachey
Secy to Govt

Fort S.t George
27.th September 1806.

Ordered that the following Letter be dispatched to the Town Major of Fort S.t George.

To the Town Major of Fort S.t George.

Sir

To the Town Major of Fort S.t George.
Directs that Mustapha Beg 1st Batt.n 1st Reg.t of Native Infantry be pensioned on the full Pay of a Subadar of the first Class.

It being the intention of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that Mustapha Beg of the 1.st Battalion 1.st Regiment of Native Infantry to whom a pension was granted by the General Order of the 7.th Ultimo. shall be pensioned on the full pay of a Subadar of the first Class, I am directed to state to you this circumstance in

order

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order that you may be guided by it in granting a pension or
Certificate to Mustapha Beg.

I am

Fort S.t George
29.th September
1806.

Y.r Y.r
/ Signed / G. Buchan
Chief Secr.y to Govt.

Read the following Letter from the
Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort S.t George

From the Offic.r Commanding the Southern Division of the Army - Forwards correspondence with the Magistrate of that Place in Consequence of the inconvenience that the Public Service experienced by the interference of Mr. Lathom in the mode of procuring Cattle &c.a

Sir,

Although it is with the utmost reluctance that I trouble the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with the Accompanying Correspondence which has taken place with the Magistrate of this place, I feel myself compelled to do it from the great confusion and distress which has been occasioned in the Department of Public Supply as well as to Individuals.

It is unnecessary for me to make any observations on the most extraordinary conduct

of

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of Mr. Pathorn who in the first instance in the most sudden and unexpected manner interrupted and deranged the long established mode of procuring Cattle and Coolies, and in as sudden and extraordinary manner abandoned his intention, by publishing the Proclamation which I now submit to His Lordships consideration.

The derangement and inconvenience that has been occasioned by the original interference and subsequent Proclamation can hardly be immagined, the Inhabitants withhold their voluntary Services and the labour of their Cattle for fear of being treated in the manner the Paymasters Servants were, and the Magistrate now declines affording his aid, and has informed the Inhabitants of his intention by beat of Tom Tom.

I had always considered although perhaps erroneously that it was the intention of Government that people should not be prevented from Voluntarily engaging for the public Service, and that the Magistrate should only be resorted

to

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to whom Individual exertions failed, and that it then became his duty to exert his authority when indispensably necessary for the furtherance of the Public Service.

The indelicacy of the Magistrates reply to the Public letter of Major Innes of His Majestys 94th Regiment is too obvious to require any comment. The reference to a Native Servant is so indecorous, and the manner of conveying his official Answer so Galling to every feeling of a Gentleman, that I am satisfied it will not meet His Lordships Approbation.

I have the honor to be

Sir &c &c

/ Signed / A. Campbell.

Col.

Head Quarters Southern Division of the Army Trichinopoly 18th Sept. 1806.

No. 1.

To Colonel A. Campbell

Commanding the Southern Division of the Army

Sir,

I received the several Indents for Dooley bearers Bamboo Coolies, and draught, and Carriage Bullocks &c. for the use of His Majestys

19 Do

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19th Regiment of Foot this Morning, and Judging from former Experience, as well as my actual state of Preparation I entertained little or no doubt of being able to Complete them before the day was at an End, but I am concerned to be Obliged to report to you, that whilst my Office writers were occupied in writing the Certificates for the Fort Adjutant to sign after mustering the Supplies, and drawing out a Roll of the Dooley bearers, to enable me to make an advance of Pay to each, (which I always do in Person) the Cutwal of this place sent Peons to Seize every Man who had Voluntarily engaged with me for the Public Service, and Accordingly they were Carried Off from my Office door to his Choultry together with the Bullocks and Carts, where they now are, and I further understand that some of the owners and Head Mastry Dooly bearers were slippered and otherwise ignominiously punished - Under these Circumstances you will I am persuaded, hold me exempt from any

Blame

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Blame for the delay which has occurred in providing the supplies and for the consequent Injury sustained by the public Service; and you will, I further trust be pleased to take such measures as may appear to you necessary upon this Report.

I have the honor to be

Sir &c &c

Tuchinopoly
9th September 1806.

/ Signed / Wm Mainwaring
Paymr & Comy of Supplies

/ A true Copy /

J: P: M:

/ Signed / A. Campbell
Colonel

No 2

To R. Lathom Esqr

Judge and Magistrate

Sir.

I have the honor to forward herewith Copy of a letter Addressed to me by the Paymaster, and as from the Statement therein contained the public Service appears to have been interrupted in an unusual and improper manner by the Cutwall. I am convinced you will loose no time in correcting the evil that has already taken place,

and

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and also give such directions to your people, as may prevent similar occurrences taking place in future -

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient

Humble Servant

/Signed/ A. Campbell

Col.

Fort
10th September 1806.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ A. Campbell

Col.

No 3

To Colonel A. Campbell

Commanding the Southern Division of the Army

Trichinopoly

Sir

Para 1. I have to acknowledge yours of this date, together with its enclosure, and in reply must Remark that if the Paymaster had applied to the Cutwal in writing to supply him with the descriptions of Persons you required for the public Service that the Cutwal would have met his wishes -

2d. I have given Orders to the Cutwall,

to

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to prevent all persons under the description of Bearers, Bullock and Cart owners, to engage themselves, without his orders; in Consequence of the recent Application made to me, (on the departure of His Majesty's 94.th Regiment from this place) on the Commanding Officer of that Regiment failing to procure through his own means, the requisite Number of bearers &.a and endeavouring to throw the blame of the inability of his Regiment to procead upon myself, and Cutwal; for the want of the requisite Number of Bearers.

3.d These Orders I have judged it necessary to give to the Cutwall since individuals expect me to assist them when their own exertions fail, and I hope it will be allowed, that I have adapted the most efficacious mode of exonerating myself from blame, by assuming to myself the power, of preventing their supplying themselves with bearers &.a without application in Writing to the Cutwall while they are so ready

to

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to attach negligence to his Department when their own Individual exertions fail.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your Obedient Servant
/Signed/ R. H. Lathom
Magistrate

Trichinopoly
Gillah Court
10th. September
1806.

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ A. Campbell
Colonel

No. 4.

— Lathom Esqre.

&c. &c.

Sir. I have the honor to inform you that the left wing of the 94th. Regiment will march from hence about the 23d. or 24th. Instant for Madras, I will be obliged, if you will have the goodness to direct the Cutwall to supply the Detachment with such Carriage &c. as it may be required.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ John Innes
Major Comg. Detach.
94th. Foot

Trichinopoly
15th. September 1806.

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ A. Campbell
Colo.

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Sir,

The Cutwall has received general orders to supply all persons with bearers Coolies, Carts and Carriage Bullocks, and therefore beg leave to refer you to him - It is necessary that you apply to him in the Native language stating the Number required, to what place bound, whether for the Month or hire to the place.

Yours &c &c

/ Signed / R. H. Pathorn
Magistrate

A true Copy

/ Signed / A. Campbell
Coll.

No. 5

Proclamation

Whereas I understand that my Orders to the Cutwall relative to Bearers, Coolies Bandies and Carriage Bullocks have given general dissatisfaction, this is to give notice to all persons, that I have Countermanded those orders to the Cutwall, and that all persons are at liberty to provide themselves with those descriptions of persons and things to the best of their Ability, and that though

they

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they should apply to me for Assistance, after their indi-
: vidual exertions shall have failed them, they are not
to expect I shall comply with any such requisitions
nor that I shall reply to any of them.

Trichinopoly
Hillah Court
17th September
1806

/ Signed / R. H. Sathom
Magistrate

True Copy
/ Signed / A. Campbell
Colt.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing
letter be furnished to the Judicial Department.

" A Bentinck
Member
" W Petrie
" J Oakes

Ed Hank

26th September 1806.
Pages 32 Copied
by Soobaroy.

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Diary

27th Received the following letter.-

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord,

From the Military auditor General Report on two additional Estimates of Cash of the Paymaster at Trichinopoly for the current and ensuing two Months.-

Having examined two additional Estimates of Cash of the Paymaster at Trichinopoly one for the current, the other for the ensuing Month, I have the honor to report that the amount thereof, Viz.t Pagodas Eight thousand eight hundred (8,800) is admissible and issuable by Bills from the Presidency, being required for the payment of the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and the 1st Battalion 14th Regiment Native Infantry for the ensuing Month and some arrears which appear to be due to those Corps for the preceding Month, no part of which has been included or provided for before in any former Estimate.-

I have

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Military Auditor Generals Office I have the honor to be &c.
Fort St. George, 27th Sept. 1806.

&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) J. Brunton

Military Auditor General

Received and Sent the following -
letters entered in M/B, Nos 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71.-

From the accountant Generals.-

From Mr Smith - Recommends that pay and allowances for October may be issued on the 1st of that month. -

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.-

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell - Requests the issue of authority for an advance of Pay and allowances to Ensign Byrne. -

To the Secretary to the Government at Bombay.-

To Mr Warden - Requests he will submit to the Government at Bombay enclosed Extract of a Minute of the Commander in Chief at this Presidency - also States His Lordships wish that the Invalids of His Majesty's 80th Regiment in Malabar may have a passage to Europe - on the Honorable Company's Ships this Season from the Presidency

at

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at Bombay -

To the Military Auditor General -

To the Military auditor General -

Directs his authorizing the issue of one Months pay in advance to Ensign Byrne of His Majestys 59th. Regiment -

To Mr. Raebuck - Transmits Copy of

To the Military & Paymaster General -

the Military Auditor General's report on additional Estimates of Cash required by Paymaster at Trichinopoly for current and ensuing month. -

To Major General Smith -

To Major General Smith - Transmits Extract of a Letter to the Military Auditor General on the - Subject Submitted in letter of the 22d. Instant. -

28th.

Sent the following letter. -

To the Military

Auditor General.

Sir,

Para. 1

I am directed by The Right Honorable The Governor in Council to furnish for your information and guidance the enclosed Copy of a Letter from the Secretary

To the Military auditor General - Encloses Copy of letter from the Secretary at Fort William reporting payment of Companys allowances to Lieutenant Bruton of H. M. 75th Regt. late H. M. 59th Regiment from the date of his being on duty at the Capture of the Cape of Good Hope - also Copy of a letter from the Secretary at Fort Wm. regarding

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regarding the sums which will become payable to the Commander of the H: C: Ships Wm. Pitt, Europe. Streatham and Jane Duchess of Gordon for H: M: 25th Regiment Light Dragoons enclosing Copy of a Letter from the Secretary at Bombay on the subject of his Letter of the 4th Ultimo - Encloses copy of a return of English Prisoners of War captured in the Honorable Company's Ship Grappler - desires payment of Charges Subsistence on account of the Polygar Prisoners at Poonamallee may be authorized -

at Fort William reporting the payment of Company's Allowances at that Presidency to Lieutenant Bruton of His Majesty's 75th Regiment, late of His Majesty's 59th Regiment, from the Date of that Officer's employment on duty at the Capture of the Cape of Good Hope -

2 I also enclose for your information and guidance the Copy of a Letter from the Secretary at Fort William, regarding certain sums which will become payable at this Presidency to the Commander of Honorable Company's Ships, William Pitt, Europe, Streatham and Jane Dutchess of Gordon on account the Officers and Men of His Majesty's 25th Regiment of Light Dragoons. -

3. I enclose for your information Copy of a Letter from the Secretary at Bombay on the subject of your Letter to His Lordship in Council of the 4th Ultimo

4 I enclose for your information Copy of a Return received from the Town Major of Fort Saint George of English Prisoners of War captured in the Honorable Company's

Ships

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Ships Grappler and landed at this Presidency.-

5 I am directed to desire that you will authorize payment of the Charges on account of the Polygar Prisoners at Poonamallee as submitted with the enclosed Copy of a Letter from the Commanding Officer of that Station.-

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I have the honor to be.-
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) G. Stracey
Secretary to Government

From the Commander of the Extra Ship Sarah Christiana.-

Received and Sent the following letters entered in No. 73. Nos. 72.-73.- Requests payment of Charges incurred by a detachment of His Majesty's 59th Regiment from England to this Presidency on that Ship.-

To the Military Board.

To the Military Board.- Refers for Report Copy of letter from the Acting Commercial Agent on Ceylon with Copy of Proposal for supplying a quantity of Arrack for the use of this Presidency.-

Sent

6384.

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Sent the following letter.

To Captain L. Hook

Secretary to the Government at

Fort William.

Sir,

Para 1 I am directed by The Right Honorable The Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 3d July last, and to acquaint You that the Staff allowances of the Deputy Adjutant General with the Subsidiary Force of Hydrabad have been reduced to the scale prescribed by The Honorable The Governor General in Council.

2 I am further instructed to acquaint You for the information of The Governor General in Council that as the Spirit of His Orders appeared to be equally applicable to the case of the Deputy Quarter Master General with the Subsidiary Force, and of the Deputy Adjutant and Deputy Quarter Master General with the Forces serving in Mysore,

His

To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William - Staff allowances of the Deputy Adjutant General with the Subsidiary force at Hydrabad have been reduced to the scale prescribed by the Honorable the Governor General in Council also has reduced in a similar manner the staff allowances to the Deputy Quarter Master General with the Subsidiary force, and of the Deputy adjutant and Deputy Quarter Master General with the forces serving in Mysore - Submits Copy of a Minute recorded by the Commander in Chief on this subject, and will be happy if it answers a Detail of the orders conveyed in his letter of the 3d July last. Encloses Statement of the late and present allowances of the staff officers in question with their letters which are submitted to the Governor General in Council. -

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His Lordship in Council has directed that the Staff allowances of those officers shall experience a similar reduction.

3 His Lordship in Council however has not carried these measures into effect without consi-derable reluctance, as on a late revisal of the allowances of Staff officers serving under this Presidency, His Lord-ship in Council had perfectly concurred in the sentiments of the Commander in Chief respecting the propriety of not interfering with the allowances of the Deputy Adjutant General and Deputy Quarter Master General of the Forces serving at Hyderabad and in Mysoor.

4 His Lordship in Council directs me to request that You will submit to the Governor General in Council the enclosed Copy of a Minute recorded by the Com-mander in Chief on this subject, and as a recent application has been received from the Deputy Adjutant General and Deputy Quarter Master General in Mysoor respecting their

reduced

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reduced allowance, His Lordship in Council will be
happy if the reasons stated in the Minute of the Com
-mander in Chief should induce the Governor General
Council to recal the orders conveyed in your Letter of
3d. July last.-

5 I have the honor to enclose a Statem
of the late and Present allowances of the Staff Officers
question, which together with the accompanying copies
the Letters received from the Deputy Adjutant General
Deputy Quarter Master General in Mysore, I am directe
to request that You will submit to the Governor Gener
in Council.-

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I have the honor to be.-
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) G. Strachey
Secretary to Government

Statement

0387. Fort St. George 30th. September 1806.

Statement shewing the difference between the late and present Staff Salary and Allowances of the Deputy Adjutant General and Deputy Quarter Master General in Mysore and with the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force for a Month of 30 Days.-

	Difference of Batta			Staff Pay			Horse Allowance			Candle Allowance			Office Establishm.t			Total			Difference between the late & present Allowances for a month of 30 Days.-		
	Ps.	Fs.	Bs.	Ps.	Fs.	Bs.	Ps.	Fs.	Bs.	Ps.	Fs.	Bs.	Ps.	Fs.	Bs.	Ps.	Fs.	Bs.	Ps.	Fs.	Bs.
Deputy Adjutant General late allowances	"	"	"	190	14	"	"	"	"	4	"	"	50	"	"	244	14	"			
Deputy Adjutant General present allowances	28	5	20	70	13	10	6	"	"	"	"	"	20	"	"	124	18	30	119	37	50
Deputy Quarter Master General late allowances	"	"	"	190	14	"	"	"	"	4	"	"	20	"	"	214	14	"			
Deputy Quarter Master General present allowances	28	5	20	70	13	10	6	"	"	"	"	"	25	"	"	129	18	30	84	37	50

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Fort St. George, 30th. September 1806.-

/Signed/ J. Brunton
Military Auditor General

In this Statement each Horse Allowance to the Corps Pluckt and Regimentalls

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N.B. It may be proper to state that the Deputy Adjutant Generals at Hyderabad and Mysore (whose duties are similar to those of the Assistants) are in the receipt of 50 Pagodas pr. Month for Writers. and 4 Pagodas pr. Month for candles, but the allowances granted to these Officers were regulated on principles which do not apply to the other Divisions of the army; and it may be proper further to state that the duties which attach to the assist-ant Adjutant Generals under the new regulations are those which were formerly performed by the Brigade Major of the Division, and the personal Brigade Major of the General officer commanding; both of which appointments have been abolished - The office Allowances which were granted for those appointments were 6 Pagodas pr. Month to each, making Pagodas 12 for the two; in therefore proposing - Pagodas 20 pr. Month for Writers and Stationary, the - Allowance must be considered ample in every respect, - admitting even for an extension of duty by the late Regulation

for

6389. Fort St. George 6th. September 1806.

for Division Staff.-

Signed J. Brunton

Military Auditor General

Sent the following letters entered in

No: B: No: 74-75-

To the Military Auditor General.-

To the Military Auditor General-

Transmits Extract from the Proceedings of the Governor in Council on 26th. Instank.-

To Ditto

To Lieutenant Colonel Brunton-

Directs him to adjust as soon as practicable the claim of the Commander of the Extra Ship Sarah Christiana for charges on account of a Part of His Majesty's 59th. Regiment-conveyed in that Ship from England to this Presidency.-

To the Commander of the H: C: Extra Ship Sarah Christiana.-

1st. Oct.

Sent a letter To the Commander of the Honorable Companys Extra Ship Sarah Christiana-entered in No: B: No. 1- Directs his receiving on board as Charter Party Passengers the men Specified in accompanying List.-

Received

6390

Fort St. George 2 October 1806.

2d Received the following letters.-

To The Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General. Reports part of an additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster at Fort St. George for the current month, admissible.-

1 Having examined an additional Estimate of Cash of the Military Paymaster at Fort Saint George for the current Month, I have the honor to report that the sum of Pagodas Twenty two thousand eight hundred and forty Nine /Pagodas 22,849/ is admissible and issuable from the General Treasury, being required to make sundry Advances, and for the Payment of Bills passed in this office under Authority from Government.-

2 I have deducted the sum of Pagodas Four Thousand /Pagodas 4,000/ which was included in this Estimate on account of the Pay and allowances of the 1st Battalion 18th Regiment Native Infantry in arrears for

augmt

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Fort St. George 2d October 1806.

August and advance for September last, the Paymaster at Trichinopoly having reported to me that he advanced the Pay and allowances of that Corps, for that Month, previous to its March from Sankeydroog to Trifassore at the request of Lieutenant Colonel McCally the Commanding Officer.-

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Fort St. George 2nd October 1806

I have the honor to be.-
&c.a &c.a &c.a
Signed J. Brunton
Military Auditor General

To The Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c.a &c.a &c.a

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General.- Reports on an additional Estimate of Cash of the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings Troops, for the current Month.-

I Having examined an additional Estimate of Cash of the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings Troops for the current Month, I have the honor to report

that

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10th Regt. Light Dragoons.

that the amount thereof Viz.t Pagodas Seventeen Thous-
-and Eight hundred and forty one / Pagodas 17,841 / is
stated to be required for the following purposes.-

To Six Months Subsistence in advance to the Officers from the 25th November 1806 to the 24th April 1807 being 5 Months; one Months Subsistence having already been provided for	7,252--
To Three Months ditto to the Non Commissioned Officers and Privates from 25th November 1806 to the 24th January 1807, One Months Subsistence having already been provided for	2,339--
To Company's Allowances for September last	5,100--
To Bounty Money for 400 Men about to be drafted into H. Mo: 22nd & 25th Light Dragoons at 3 Guineas each man	3,150--
Pagodas	17,841--

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Fort St. George 2d October 1806.

2. I have not yet received your Lordships orders for the advances stated in the 1st and 2nd items, and can therefore only say that it has been usual to make such advances on the embarkation of His Majesty's Regiments for Europe.-

3. The amount of the 3d item is unobjectionable.-

4. With respect to the 4th and last item, I beg leave to observe that I have not received any orders from your Lordship relative to the payment of a Bounty to the drafts from the 19th to the 22d and 25th Dragoons, but it is usual to give a Bounty, not exceeding 3 Guineas per man, to men drafted from one of His Majesty's Regiments to another on the embarkation of a corps for Europe, and will no doubt be authorized in the present instance.-

5. The amount of the different items beforementioned is payable from the General Treasury.-

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

(Signed) J. Brunton

Military Auditor General

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Fort St. George 2d October 1806

6394. Fort St. George 3d. October 1806

To the Commander of the H. C. E. Ship Sarah Christiana.

Sent a letter to the Commander of the Honorable Company's Extra Ship Sarah Christiana entered in No: B: No. 2, Directs his receiving on board as Charter Party Passengers the men Specified in accompanying List.-

3d.

Received the following letters.-

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c.a &c.a &c.a

My Lord.

From the Military Auditor General Reports an additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster at Trichinopoly for the present month admissible-

Having examined an additional Estimate of Cash, of the Paymaster at Trichinopoly for the present Month, I have the honor to report that the amount thereof, viz. Pagodas Four Thousand five Hundred /Pagodas 4500/ is admissible and issuable by Bills from the Presidency, being required for the Payment of His Majesty's 69th Regiment in arrears for the last, and in advance for the present Month.-

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 3d. October 1806.-

I have the honor to be.- &c.a &c.a &c.a
/Signed/ J. Brunton Auditor Genl.

Received

6395. Fort St. George 4th. October 1806.

From the Secretary to the Commander in Chief.

Received a letter from the Secretary to the Commander in Chief entered in No. 13. of No. 3. Requests authority for an advance of Pay to Mr. Assistant Surgeon Williams of His Majesty's 69th. Regiment.-

At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor and President

Saturday the 4th. Octr. 1806

Lieutenant General Sir J. F. Cradock K. B.

Commander in Chief

William Petrie

and

Thomas Oakes

} Esqres.

Minutes of last Consultation read and Approved.-

The Commander in Chief records the following Minutes.-

Minute

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Fort St. George 4th October 1806

Minute of the Commander in Chief

Minute of the Commander in Chief. Recommends that the 3d Regiment Native Cavalry be relieved from a longer stay at Hyderabad, and proposes the mode of relief. Recommends also that according to the desire of the Officers of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons, their horses be received by the Honorable Company at the regulated price.

The 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry having been above Six Years absent from the Carnatic, I am desirous to comply with the request of the commanding Officer, founded on the earnest wishes of the Corps, by an arrangement for its relief, a measure, which the good conduct of the Corps has induced Colonel Montresor, commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, to recommend.

If this proposal shall receive the sanction of the Government, for which I now submit it, I propose that the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry shall without delay relieve the 3d at Hyderabad, that the 4th from Coimbatore shall replace the 8th at Ballary, and that the 3d Regiment, when relieved, shall march to, and be stationed at, Coimbatore.

It is my intention also to direct the immediate return to their several Regiments, of the Native Detachments which have been assembled at Arcot for the purpose of Drill.

The

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The officers of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons are desirous that their Horses should be received at the regulated rate of officers Horses by the Honorable Company, if found on examination perfectly sound and fit for the service, by a committee to be ordered for their inspection. as this arrangement will, in my opinion, be advantageous to the Service as well as convenient to the Individuals, by affording the means of giving to the officers of His Majesty's 25th & that selection which by the Regulations of the Service they are entitled to claim, I recommend that the measure be sanctioned by the Government, and that I may be authorised to give it effect previous to the embarkation of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons.

October 4th. 1806.

(Signed) J. F. Cradock
Lieutenant General

Resolution thereon

The Board approve the distribution of the corps of cavalry recommended by the Commander

in

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in Chief, who is requested to give such orders as may be necessary for carrying it into effect.

The Board also approve the proposed arrangement for the purchase of the horses belonging to the officers of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons; and the Commander in Chief is requested to order a Committee to be assembled for the inspection of the horses.

Minute of the Commander in Chief.

I submit to the Board applications from the undermentioned officers for permission to proceed to Sea for the Benefit of their Health on Sick Certificate, and recommend that leave be accordingly granted. Viz.t

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Boiswell, for six Months.

Captain Warburton Barrack Master of the Presidency Division.

Captain Whitney Macbally of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry and eventually to Prince of Wales Island.

Invalid Surgeon Edward Mackay.

Captain

Minute of the Commander in Chief. Recommends that leave of absence on Sick Certificate be granted to the following Gentlemen Viz.t Mr. Superintending Surgeon Boiswell, Captain Warburton, Captain Macbally, Invalid Surgeon Mackay. Reports the Death of Captain Lieutenant Mackay 5th Native Infantry and recommends the consequent promotion.

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Captain Lieutenant John Mackay

of the 5th. Regiment of Native Infantry died at Mangalore

on the 15th. September 1806.-

I recommend in consequence the

following Promotion.-

5th. Regiment of Native Infantry.-

Lieutenant Thomas Douglas to be

Captain Lieutenant vice Mackay deceased, date of Rank.

16th. September 1806.-

October 4th. 1806.

(Signed) J. F. Cradock

Lieutenant General

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

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

Fort St. George

My Lord,

I have the honor to submit to your

Lordship in Council a Sick Certificate, and to request Your

Permission

6400.

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Permission to proceed to Sea for Six Months for the Recovery of my Health.

Fort St. George
29th September 1806.

I have the honor to be.
&c.a &c.a &c.a
(Signed) Alexr. Boswell
Superintending Surgeon Mysore

Alexander Boiswell Esqr. Superintending Surgeon, having for many months, labored under a fever, contracted in The Mysore Country. of which, he has had several relapses, attended with imminent danger. and being still debilitated in consequence. We are of opinion, his return to Mysore at present would be highly improper, and recommend him to proceed to Sea, as the most likely means of restoring his health and Strength. and preventing a return of the disease. which would be attended with the most serious consequence.-

Fort St. George
September 18th. 1806.

(Signed) William Ord
Surgeon
P. D. White
Surgeon

To

6401.

Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

To The Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

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

My Lord,

I do myself the honor to enclose a certificate by Mr. Surgeon Ord of the necessity of my proceeding to Sea for the recovery of my Health, and request Your Lordship will permit me to take advantage of an opportunity which now offers by the Honorable Company's Ship Asia.

Captain Thompson is kind enough to take charge of the Barrack Department during my absence, of which arrangement, I trust, your Lordship will approve.

Fort St. George
15th September 1806.

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

Signed G. Warburton
Barrack Master
Presidency Divisions.

6402. Fort St. George 4th. October 1806.

Captain Warburton Barrack Master of the Presidency Division having for some time past laboured under a variety of complaints arising from Visceral obstructions it is my opinion that he ought to go to sea, and be absent from his station for some months, as I conceive a change of climate the most likely mode of answering a recovery of his health. -

Fort St. George / Signed William Ord

25th. September 1806. Surgeon

To The Right Honorable

Lord William Cavendish Bentinck

Governor and President in Council &c. &c. &c.

My Lord.

I have the honor of enclosing a Certificate of State of my health, and to solicit your Lordships in Councils permission, to proceed to Sea for six Months, or eventually to Prince of Wales's Island, for the restitution of my health. -

Trichinopore 25th. September 1806 / Signed Whitney Macbally Captain

2nd Battalion 20th Regiment Native

6403.

Fort St. George 4th. October 1806.

I do hereby certify that Captain Mc. Cally of the 20th. Regiment Native Infantry still labours under severe Liver Complaints which from their long continuance, have now materially injured his health, and that, from having hitherto derived but little benefit from the changes of climate he has had recourse to in this Country, it is my opinion, he should without delay, make a trial of a sea voyage, as the most likely means of effecting his recovery.-

Trichinopore Septr. 25th. 1806 (Signed) A. L. Smith

assistant Surgeon

To The Adjutant General of the Army

Sir,

In consequence of the Ill State of health which I have laboured under for a series of time back, I have been recommended to proceed to Sea as will appear by the enclosed Certificate from the Garrison Surgeon, and trust you will be pleased to lay the same before his Excellency

the

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The Commander in Chief.

Negapatam
22nd. September 1806.

I have the honor to be.

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

(Signed) Edward Mackay
Surgeon

This is to certify that Edward Mackay Esq.r Surgeon is afflicted with a cough and pectoral com-plaints which require a voyage by sea.-

Negapatam
September 21st. 1806.

(Signed) Ja.s Wylde
Assistant Surgeon

Negapatam and Nagore.

Resolved that the several recom-

Resolution thereon -mendations stated in the above Minute be complied with.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief

Minute of the Commander in Chief - Recommends that Shaik Dewan a Jemadar, acquitted by the General Court martial at Vellore, be dismissed from the service. Submits an application for leave of absence from Captain May 18th Native Infantry - Recommends that Mr. Paske a Cadet of Artillery be promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. -

Shaik Dewan Jemadar of the 1st Battalion 1st Regiment of Native Infantry, having from deficiency of Evidence, been acquitted by the General Court-Martial assembled at Vellore, of the Crime of Mutiny, with

which

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which he was charged, I deem it proper to submit the case to Government.-

Two Witnesses have sworn that they saw him in the Fort of Vellore on the Morning of the 10th. of July, engaged in the Mutiny and in a state of Intoxication, and that he twice spoke to them, Three others declare on Oath that he was sitting with them in the Pettah, from the time of the first alarm until the arrival of the Dragoons, and that he took no part in the affair.- Thus embarrassed by Evidence directly contradictory, the Court have leaned to the side of Mercy, and acquitted him entirely.-

But as the general persuasion is, that he was very actively engaged in Mutiny within the Fort, and as the fact he himself alledges, of remaining passive on such an occasion, is disgraceful to an Officer I recommend to the Board the Discharge of Jemadar Shaick Dewan, from the Service, as unworthy to bear a Commission.-

I submit to the Right Honorable

the

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the Governor in Council an application from Captain Edward Hay of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, requesting permission to proceed on Furlough to the Cape of Good Hope for the benefit of his Health as stated to be necessary in the certificate which accompanies his application.-

The Commandant of Artillery having Reported Mr. J. S. Paske Cadet of that Corps, qualified for a Commission, I recommend his promotion to the Rank of Lieutenant Fireworker of Artillery from the 7th July 1806, and to be a Lieutenant of Artillery from the 8th July 1806.-

4th October 1806.

/signed/ J. F. Cradock

Lieutenant General

To the Right Honorable
The Governor in Council
My Lord,

I have the honor to enclose a Surgeon's Certificate, recommending that I should proceed to the Cape

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of Good Hope for the recovery of my health.

Beg leave in consequence to solicit

your Lordships permission for my proceeding thither -

/Signed/ Edwd. Hay-

Captain 18th. Regiment N.I.

Commanding Mysore Escort-

I do certify that from November

last, I have attended Captain Edward Hay of the 18th.

Regiment Native Infantry who has suffered severely

by repeated attacks of Inflammation of the Liver - the -

remedies I have employed for the removal of this complaint

have been mercury and blisters - these have had but a par-

-tial effect, and have occasioned only a temporary relief - every

six or seven weeks - he has had a fresh attack of inflammation

which although considerably relieved, the disorder has never

been completely removed -

As I have tried every remedy used in

similar complaints and without any appearance of success.

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reestablishing his health, I recommend him to proceed without loss of time to the Cape of Good Hope.-

Mysore September

/Signed/ Wm. Ingledew

Surgeon Mysore Residency

Resolution thereon

The Board entirely approve the Grounds on which the Commander in Chief has recommended the dismission of Jemadar Shaik Dewan from the Company's Service; and the Commander in Chief is requested to give the necessary orders for his being discharged.-

Resolved that the other recommendations stated in the foregoing Minute be complied with.

Read the following Letters from the Military Board.-

To the Right Honble Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

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

My Lord.

From the Military Board. Forward the report of the Committee appointed for the annual survey of the Fortifications &c.a of Fort St. George with

We have the honor to enclose the Report.

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with an accompanying Plan. The Piles of Shot have begun to be removed from the western Berm.

of the Committee of our Board appointed for the annual Survey of the Fortifications and public Buildings at Fort St. George.

2 The Report is accompanied by a General Plan exhibiting the actual State of the Works of the Fort, and by an Appendix, wherein the Repairs recommended as indispensable by the Committee, are brought under a general View.

3 Wishing to bring to your Lordship's Notice as early as possible the Substance of the Committee's Report, we have not waited for Plans and Estimates of the Works considered immediately necessary, they have however been called for, and shall be forwarded as soon as they are prepared.

4 The necessary orders have been given for removing the Piles of Shot from the Western Berm to the Body of the Place, but owing to an unusual Demand which there has been for Lascars for some Months past, it has not been practicable to effect the removal, it has however been commenced upon, and no Time shall be lost in completing the Work.

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

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15th. September 1806.

/Signed/ J. F. Cradock
Robt. Bell
E. Irapaud
P. A. Agnew
J. Munro.

Report

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Report of the Annual Committee of

at Fort St. George on the 6th. Ja

Colonel Bell

Colonel Trapaud. Chief Engineer

Lieutenant Colonel Orr. Quarter Master General of the

The Committee having met, proceeded to Survey Fort

Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
Ramparts and casemates	In good condition, except at the South East Angle which has two considerable cracks through the whole Rampart, and the part between the cracks has moved forward from its original position - there is also a crack through the 3d. cistern, but it does not yet extend to the Foundation.-	Sea
South Spur	A new Work in perfect order Rebuilt on a Foundation of Wells in the Year 1806.-	
Wall for defence against the Sea, counterscarp and Palis-ades.....	In good order.-	The Shunnaming white Washed Saline exhalations it should be
South Sea Gate and Bridge	Gate in excellent order - the Timbers of the Bridge rotten, and a hole through the Planking.-	The Timber for a new Bridge and in readiness to be laid, is no longer Serviceable.-
North Sea Gate and Bridge	Ditto.....Ditto.....Ditto	Ditto.....Ditto.-
South East Demi Bastion	In Serviceable condition.-	

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Survey held on the Fortifications and Public Buildings
nuary 1806 and Continued by adjournment.
commandant of Artillery - President

Army } Members { Colonel Agnew Adjutant General - and

the Fortifications and Public Buildings, which were found to be in the following State Viz.
St. George 1st. September 1806.

Improvements wanting	Remarks	Remarks by the Mily Board
Face	Since last Survey report, these Brackets have been cut out, and the Wall united by long Peices of grey Granite, and which appears to have prevented the injury from encreasing - Water has been let into the Cistern which it now retains without leaking. -	
Ff (from the repaired. -	The Six small Brackets have been carefully cut out, and the Wall united with long Peices of grey granite since last Report. -	
should be prepared when this Bridge		
..... Ditto		

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
		North
North East Demi Bastion	In very good condition - there is a small crack in the Arch of the expense Magazine under the Ramp of this Work	The Small crack to be cement.-
North curtain and cavaliers	In good Serviceable condition.-	The Original Settle in arches of the Bomb Proofs left of the Gateway shou[ld] strong cement to prevoizing through - some to the arched Doorways
West Bastion.-	In excellent Order.-	
Royal Bastion.-	In good Serviceable condition - there are 2 cracks in the Exterior Revetment of this Work near the Salient Angle of the North and West faces, caused by a failure of the Scarp of the Ditch, which has also failed near the N: E: Orillon.-	The Scarp of the Ditch repair, or its failure injury to the Bastion Opposite Ravelin.-
Fausse Braye	In good Order.-	
Detached Demi Bastion.-	In good Serviceable condition, but the Scarp of the Ditch having failed opposite the Salient angle of this Work, it has produced a crack in the exterior Revetment.-	As soon as the Scarp of the crack in the Rock- and United with the long
North Caponier.-	In good order, excepting two Small cracks in the Retaining Wall.-	The cracks should be to prevent their enlarg-

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Improvements wanting	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board
Face filled with Strong	The Crack of no importance.	
the Crown of the on the right and be filled with - vent the Rain from Pointing is also required in the Partition Walls.		
	The Magazine in this Work is of no use from its contiguity to the Cistern, which renders it Damp.	
requires immediate may produce much and Flank of the	Authority has been given to the Superint.g Engineer for the Repair of the Scarp of the Ditch near the Saliant or N. West Angle, but no authority has yet been given for repairing the Scarp near the Drillow.	
the Ditch is repaired ment should be cut out pieces of grey granite.	Orders have been given to the Super.g Engineer for the Repair of this Part of the Scarp of the Ditch.	
but out without delay ing.		

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
North Ravelin	In excellent order, but the counterscarp of the Main ditch at its South West-ern extremity in Ruins which may be injurious to this Work	North Face The counterscarp to the be rebuilt as soon as the Foundations of the being Sapped by the Water
North East Blind	The cracks in this Work have encreased much, it is now completely disunited, ex-cept at the Western extremity..	The whole of the East be Rebuilt and the great face..
North East Counterguard	Unserviceable - Partly Removed by the Superintending Engineer..	
North East Lunette	This Work is now in Serviceable condition - Its extremity which terminates in the Ditch of the Body of the Place having been Rebuilt in 1805..	
North West Lunette	In Serviceable condition, there is a crack in the Arch of the Western case-mate and in the Passage in the South Flank..	These cracks should be cement, they are not of
Scarp, Counterscarp & Gallery	There are some cracks in the Scarp and Counterscarp of this Face, which ought to be instantly attended to, to prevent the Water getting in and Sapping the Works. The Scarp Wall and Gallery opposite the Ravelin in excellent order: but the parts pointed out "under the Head of "Royal Bastion" and "North Ravelin" as requiring Repair, are in a dangerous state.	The Scarp and counter to be rebuilt without

6415. Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

Improvements wanting	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board
Continued.. South West to possible, to prevent Ravelin from in the Ditch..	The counterscarp of the Ditch at the South Eastern extremity of the Ravelin has been Rebuilt since last Survey..	
Face of this Work most est Face of the North	Authority has been given for Rebuilding a part of this Work, but the committee strongly recommend that the whole of the East Face be Rebuilt, as marked in the accompanying Plan / No. of Appendix /	
	Materials are collected for Rebuilding this Work, which has been Authorized.	
kept filled with thing material consequence.	The greatest part of the Northern Face of this Work was rebuilt in 1802 by the Superintending Engineer, the Cracks are in the old Work.	
scarp where defective delay.—	The Counterscarp opposite the Ravelin rebuilt in 1802 by the Superintending Engineer. Authority has been Collicited for Extending a similar Repair to the other defective Parts now defective.	

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
		North Face
Covertway of the Place	In good Order	
Glacis	Ditto ... Ditto	
Sortie	Ditto ... Ditto	
Shoultry Gate North curtain	Ditto ... Ditto	
North Gate	Ditto ... Ditto	
Fausse Braye Barrier Gate	Ditto ... Ditto	
North Ravelin Gate	Ditto ... Ditto	
Barrier Gate North Sortie	Ditto ... Ditto	
Bridges of Communication	Ditto ... Ditto	
		West
North West curtain, St. George's Bastion, South West curtain, Nabobs Bastion..	In excellent order, excepting a few places where the basemates leak particularly the arches of the Passages to the Berm..	The Earth should be re Arch of the Passages part into the Berm and 57, boated with Blu the Water oozing through..
St. George's Ravelin..	In Excellent Order lately rebuilt	

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Improvements wanting.-	Remarks	Remarks by the Military B
Continued.		
Face		
moved, and the a through the Ram- at Nos 44, 52, 56 nam to Prevent a	These repairs should be made to Prevent the leaks, now trifling, from encreasing and injuring the Work..	
	The Exterior Faces of this Work rebuilt on a Foundation of Wells and Bands of Masonry carried across the Ditch for the Support of the adjoining Lunettes since last Survey.-	

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
		West Face
Lunette North of St. George's Ravelin.	There are Seven Cracks in the Exterior faces of this Work, all of which have been cut out and filled with new Masonry, and Jointed with pieces of grey granite. The Revetment of the North face has moved forward considerably from its original position	The numerous and ishes decidedly that nothrebuilding this Work will
Lunette South of St. George's Ravelin	The Exterior Faces of this Work have moved forward from their original position The South Face particularly is Much cracked and disunited.	Ditto
St. George's Caponier	In good Order.	
Wallajah Ravelin	In tolerable good condition. It has however some cracks in its exterior Revetment, and part of the South Face has moved out a little.	Bands of masonry should the Ditch opposite these possible.

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Improvements wanting.—	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board
continued.—		
encreasing cracks ing short of entirely answer.—	Bands have been carried across the Ditch connecting the work with the St. George's Ravelin and counterscarp of the West Face. But the North Face has moved out so far that the committee deem it absolutely necessary that the Work should be entirely rebuilt altho the Bands for a time may support the West face.—	
Ditto	The cracks on the North Face and interior extremity opposite the Ravelin have been cut out and united with pieces of grey granite as low as the base of the Wall, and as Bands are carried across the Ditch, that part may be considered secure for the present.—	
	The cracks have been cut out and repaired, and the Walls plastered with Cement Chunam as low as the Foundation.—	
be carried across cracks as soon as	If these Bands are carried across the Ditch opposite the cracks in time, the Work may perhaps be saved.— The Platform lately constructed over the Gateway has completely answered the purpose for which it was intended.— It has stood two Rainy Seasons without admitting water and the Gate appears to be in perfect good order.—	

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now West Face
Lunette North of Wallajah Ravelin	This work is unserviceable it being broken and disunited; there are no less than nine cracks through the Exterior Revetments, as well as transverse cracks near both the Flanks which are very alarming.—	This Work should be preparations are made for Crack should be constantly Masonry to prevent its
Lunette South of Ditto	There are two considerable cracks in each face of this Work and the South face has moved forward between them there is also a crack through the Rampart, which devides the whole Work.	This work may be for a application of the Bands Ravelin of this Front.
Caponier	cracked in several places.—	Requires constant attention
Berme	In bad Order, It being sunk in many places.—	The holes immediately to be well filled with Rubbish to prevent the getting at the Foundations &c.
Sorties at Wallajah and St. George's Gates..	In good Order..	

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Improvements wanting.	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board.
Continued		
Rebuilt, but till that purpose, the kept filled with the ~ giving way altogether	These cracks were filled in last year and the Work united with pieces of grey granite. The stones are broken by the further setting of the Work, and so many new cracks appear, commencing from the Foundation, that its downfall may be daily expected, and it appears dangerous to suffer the casemates to be inhabited / See Plan appendix in No. /	
time saved by an recommended for the	The Stones which were placed across these cracks last year have been broken by a further setting of the Work, a convincing proof that the foundations have no longer to be depended on.	
behind the cracks clay and Brick water in the Ditch of the Bastions +	Much of this Mischief arises from want of attention to filling in such Hollows in the Berm as are occasionally produced by Water or other cause as soon as they occur. to which duty the Establishments + of the Engineer should be applied.	

6422.

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
		West Face
St. Georges Gate /Body of the Place/	at present in good condition..	
Do. Bridge	In good Order	
St. George's Ravelin Gate and Bridge	In good Order	
Barrier Gate	much injured by white ants	To be repaired and the -ced by new Timber..
Bridges of Communication	In Serviceable Condition	

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Improvements wanting	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board
Continued.	The Platform laid over the Gateway has answered perfectly in excluding the water the cracks which extended along the arch, and which were filled in before the Platform was laid, have not given in the least, and the channels in the Pavement being completed, the Committee are of opinion, that the Gateway will continue serviceable for a great many Years.	
	A New Draw Bridge has been recently fixed - The Committee again recommend that the Draw Bridges should be kept in order, by being frequently raised - The neglect of this, for a length of time renders it a work of labour and difficulty when necessary.	
	A new Draw Bridge has been laid.	
damaged parts repla	The State of this Gate evinces much negligence in those whose duty it is to attend, to its preservation.	

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
		West Face
Scarp and counterscarp of the South West and North West Faces	A Number of small cracks in the Scarp and counterscarp and the latter particularly opposite the Wallajah Ravelin much undermined by the action of the Water in the ditch.-	These cracks should be delay to prevent their increas opposite the Wallajah Rave State.-
Wallajah Gate and Bridge	The Beams of the Bridge decayed at the Mortices.-	
Wallajah Ravelin Gate and Bridge- Bridge between Caponier & Ravelin	The whole in good condition except the Draw Bridge which is much decayed at the Mortices.	
Barrier Gate	In good Order.	
Bridges of communication	In good condition	
Covertway and Palisades	In good Order	
Galleries and Traverses-	The repairs Ordered to be made to the Galleries and Traverses are in hand, but the Gallery of the Wallajah Ravelin and Lunettes undermined.-	

6425.

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Improvements wanting:-	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board.
(continued		
epaired without ng- the Gallery n in a dangerous	The repairs of the Traverses and parts of the Counterscarp already authorized have been commenced upon by the superintending Engineer - but - the Gallery opposite the Saliant Angle of the Walltajah Bastion is so much undermined, that immediate measures are necessary for its security - It appears to have suffered not only from the action of the Water, but from the improper practice of knocking off the oysters which adhere it, and which if left, would protect the Wall from injury	
	A New Bridge has been authorized, and is in readiness to be laid down.-	
	The New Draw Bridge authorised is in readiness to be laid	
	The Gallery requires immediate attention.-	

6426. Fort St George 4th October 1806

Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
		West East
Berms.	Many holes immediately behind the Scarp Wall where the Water of the Ditch enters and Saps the Work - The Berms still covered with Piles of Shot. -	
Glacis	In Excellent Order. -	South
South Curtain	In very good Order	
Caponier	In good Order. -	
West Lunette	A New Work constructed on a foundation of Wells by the Superd. Engineer - just finished. -	
East Lunette	A New Work. -	

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Improvements wanting	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board.
Continued. -		
	The Committee strongly recommend that these holes be filled before the Monsoon, as should it be Severe considerable damage may be expected to be done from the water lodging behind the Retaining walls - The Piles of Shot should also be removed. -	
Face		
	The Crack noticed last year has been cut out and repaired and the walls pinned and pointed. -	
	In perfect Order. -	
	This Work was finished in the latter part of 1805 by the Superintending Engineer and furnished with Stone Platforms - it is in perfect Order. -	

6428. Fort St George 4th October 1806.

Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
Ravelin	The North Western extremity of this Work is very much cracked the failures on the Eastern Face have not encreased since last Survey	South Face Bands have been carried opposite to the cracks which use for some time. one near the South East considerable crack.
South Bonnet	In good serviceable condition	
South East or Bootes Countiguard.	A new Work in perfect Order	
Covertway; Traverses Palisades, Scarp and Countersearp	The repair of the Traverses and Countersearp is now in hand.	
Sortie	In good Order.	
Berm	Many holes immediately behind the Scarp Wall where the Water of the Ditch enters and saps the Foundations of the Walls.	To be filled in with P. and the Crack repaired
South or St. Thome Gate and Bridge	In good order.	
Dt. Lunette Gate & Bridges	Middle Gate and Bridge in good order The Standing part of the Lunette Bridge very much decayed.	The Standing part of t. removed and a New or

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Improvements wanting.	Remarks.	Remarks by the Military Board.
Continued		
the Ditch of- keep the work is wanting where there is a	Owing to the connecting Band which was carried across the Ditch at the Gateway, the further Settling of that part has been stopped, and the arch of the Gateway which constantly leaked is now perfectly dry and in good order, and likely to continue so— This is to be attributed to the Platform which was laid over the Gateway.-	
	The cracks observed in it last year have been cut out and repaired and some Bands connecting it with the New Lunette constructed.-	
as	Has been two Years finished.-	
Rubbish and Clay	This should be done as soon as possible and constantly attended to, by the Engineer's Establishment of Lascars.	
To Midge to be	Recommended to be authorized.-	
and do. do.		

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Name of the Place.	Present State	Necessary Repairs, and
		now
		South Face
South Barrier Gate	In good Order.	barrack. within. one East h.
Bridges of communication	Ditto Ditto	
Glacis	In perfect Order	
Cisterns	In excellent order except the 3rd Cistern from the South East Angle which is cracked. -	
Drains	In good order. -	
Ditch	Extremely Shallow in many places	To be cleared out as soon
Esplanades	The Western and Northern Esplanades are in excellent order except the part next the Sea which cannot be raised in till the Terraced Road is finished - a Number of Buildings of Combustible Materials have been lately erected on the North Esplanade, and the North Western extremity is much incumbered by straw &c. &c.	
Saluting Battery and Furnace	In good order except the Shed for the attending Serjeant. -	To be repaired. -
Furnaces on the Sea Face	In good Order. -	

6431.

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Improvements wanting	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board
Continued..		
	The South East Retaining Wall completed since last Survey.-	
	The crack in this Cistern has been cut out, and the Wall united with pieces of grey granite, and filled in with Strong Cement, Water has been let into the Cistern which it retains.-	
as possible.-	The parts near the new Works have been cleared out, but a great deal still remains to be done- The Machine was constructed similar to those used in clearing Harbours the very great expense of constructing Banks and Bailing out the Water would be saved.-	
	It is highly unmilitary that any Buildings should be allowed within the limits of the Esplanade, the Committee therefore Strongly recommend that it be immediately cleared.-	
	Lately constructed by the Superintending Engineer.-	

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
		Military Buildings
Main Guard and Quarters adjoining	In Serviceable Condition	
Bomb Proof adjoining the Main Guard Room	The Doors and Windows in bad order - the Chunaming much Jutted off	New Doors and Windows and the apartments Chunam of the Arches have never which means they are not
Government House Fort Square	The upper part of this Building in very bad Order, the Chunaming Puling off the Walls, and the Ceiling Cracked in every part - the whole House extremely dirty.-	
Apartments in Fort Square	In general good Order.-	
Do. in Portuguese Square	In good Serviceable Condition The Exterior Walls are a good deal decayed from the Sea Air, they have never been Chunamed.-	The Exterior Walls shou the Wood work Painte
Board of Trade Office Export Ware House and Great Godown	In excellent Order.-	

Civil

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Improvements wanting

Remarks

Remarks by the Military Board.-

Continued.-

The Necessaries at this Range of Quarters which were in a shockingly disagreeable State have lately been cleaned out and the Guard Room and Quarters white washed which they much required.-

should be furnished, and the Spandrils been filled in, by strictly Bombproof.-

These Quarters are used as an Import Ware House- The Roof should be completed in the same manner as the Main Guard.-

Buildings

Orders have been issued to the Superintending Engineer for the Repair of this Building.-

Since last Report the apartments South of the Gateway, have been fitted up for the accommodation of the Government Bank.-

to be Shunned and

The Great Godown and upper Range of apartments lately constructed by the Superintending Engineer.-

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
		Civil Buildings
House for the Captains of the Navy	In good Order	
House allotted to the Accountant General	The Southern Rooms leak, the Windows and Shutters require repair and some parts of the Walls where the Chunamming is Fallen off.	
Admiralty House	This Building is in a very dangerous State - the Walls appear forced out from the weight of the Roof.	A great part of the upper Story must be Rebuilt, also required - the whole Chunamed.
Medical Board office Dispensary, Medical Store Rooms, and Medical Store Keeper's Office	The new part of this Building is in excellent order, a part of the Old Building has been repaired.	
		Black
Fortifications of the Black Town - Blives Redoubt and Water Cisterns	A New Work in excellent order.	
Boat Mans Gate and Guard Rooms	Ditto	Ditto

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Improvements wanting.	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board
Continued		
	Lately repaired	
	Orders have been given to the Superintending Engineer for the repairs recommended last Survey.	
Walls of the upper and a New Roof is House should be x.	If much longer neglected this valuable Building will be completely ruined.	
	Water has been carried in Pipes into the Dispensary, as recommended by the last Committee. Glass Windows and a railing have been fixed in the Shop, and two of the Rooms have been Terraced as has the back Varandah.	
Town		
	Constructed in 1804 by the Superintending Engineer a Cistern Capable of holding 200 Tons of Water constructed in the rear of the Battery since last Survey - and the Water carried to it by Cast Iron Pipes from the Water Works.	
	Constructed in 1804 by the Superintending Engineer, and in good Order.	

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and new
		Black Town
Bastion No 1	The interior retaining Wall of the West Flank not completed. The Exterior Retaining Wall near the angle cracked.	This work should be & the cracks repaired.
Bastion No 2	A crack in the Exterior Retaining Wall near the Salient angle.	The Crack to be cut out
Pallee Street Gate	The Gate a good deal decayed.	A New Gate to be prepared
Bastion No 3 and Barbet Platform on its left	No interior Retaining Wall, the Guard room under the Platform leaks.	The interior Retaining pleted, and the leak over stopped.
Elephant Gate and Guard Rooms	In good Order.	
Goal Bastion or No 4	The Bomb Proofs leak much, the drains choaked with filth. The wooden Steps leading to the Ramparts much decayed. The Exterior Revetment much cracked. Shrubs which are growing in the Walls.	The Shrubs should be -ately and the Drains de be done to the Bomb Proofs in them.
Bastion No 5 or Fortieus Bn	In good Order.	
Bastion No 6 or Water Works Bastion	Not Completed, the exterior retaining Wall wanting.	Should be completed.
Cunnare Gate	In good order, except the Guard Room which leaks a little.	The Guard Room should be Arch plastered with cement

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Improvements wanting	Remarks.	Remarks by the Military Board
Continued.		
Finished and		
and Repairing.		
Wall to be com= the Guard room.		
to Row out immedi ately. Nothing can while the Felons are	This should be done.	
recovered, and the Inmates.		

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and new
		Black Town
Bastion No 7 or old Pr. Mills Bastion, & Sally Port near it.	The North Eastern Face moved forward a little - the Parapet much bracked, the crown of the arch of the Sally port sunk and bracked - the interior Retaining Wall of the Bastion wanting. -	The Bastion should be com will filled in with Strong bo
North West or Flag staff Bastion and adjacent curtn.	Not finished, the interior Retaining Wall wanting - about 100 feet of the interior Retaining Wall of the Curtain fallen down for want of filling in. -	The Bastion to be finished Wall rebuilt. -
Bastion No 8 and Barbet adjoining	The interior Angles of the Parapet in Ruins, and fallen into the Body of the Place for want of a Retaining Wall - The Exterior Faces much decayed, the arch of the Barbette bad.	The interior of this Bastion the arch repaired. -
Bastion No 9 or Magazine Bastion and Barbette adjoining.	The interior Retaining Wall wanting, the Parapet bracked, and the Barbette in Ruins. -	Should be finished. -
Bastion No 10	In the same State of the above. -	Do Do
Elephant Gateway	The Brick Work decayed, otherwise in good Order. -	Should be Pointed and Plastered
Bastion No 11 and Barbet adjoining	In bad condition, the whole of the Earth of the Curtain washed away for want of a Retaining Wall - The Exterior corroded. -	To be Completed -
Bastion No 12	Ditto	Ditto
Bastion No 13 and Barbet adjoining	Ditto	Ditto

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Improvements wanting.	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board
Continued		
pleted, and the Cracks	The Parapets should be filled in,	
ment.	and the Shrubs removed from the walls	
	by the Engineer's Lascars.	
, and the Retaining	Should it be the intention of Govern.t	
	to Complete this Fortification the Committee	
	recommend that this Bastion be Redoubted.	
to be completed, and		

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now
Bastion № 14 or Hospital Bastion	The exterior Revetment decayed from the Salt air - the Parapet much cracked in from want of being kept filled in.	The Parapet to be Repaired

Black Town

Bridge leading to the Black Town or Pountheson's Bridge	In good Order	
Magazine near the Burying Ground	In good Condition.	
Old Powder Mills	Unserviceable	
New Powder Mills	Unfinished.	
Black Town Magazines № 1 and № 2	The Magazines are in good condition, the Doors require to be Repaired and Pointed, the Surrounding Walls cracked and bulged out.	
Native Infantry Barracks on the North Face of the Black Town Wall	In good Order - there being no drains to carry the Rain through the Rampart, the Water lodges round the Barracks during the Monsoon, and renders it extremely damp.	Drains should be open part to let off the Super collects round the Barracks
Native Infantry Barracks South West Angle of the Black Town Wall	In serviceable Condition	Some trifling Repairs the Roof before and after the Mon
Granary South of the Custom House	In good Order.	

Environs

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Improvements wanting	Remarks	Remarks by the Military Board.
Continued	Doors should be repaired and framed, and the Walls secured by Buttresses where required.—	
through the Ram. liquids water which during the Monsoon.—	This should be authorized without delay.—	
be given to the oon.—		

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Name of the Place	Present State	Necessary Repairs and now Environs
General Hospital	In good Order	Some additional Godowns at the General Hospital – to the westward of the com opened – the Drains which from the Hospital should be the Canals and the Wards times a Years. –
Custom House and Godowns attached	The Custom House in excellent order many of the Godowns of the old Building leaks much. –	The Tiles should be turned work Painted. –
New Marine Yard	In good Order –	
Barracks and Stables for the Body Guard	In good Condition	
Chinda respectable Barracks	In serviceable condition – the Exterior walls a good deal corroded by the saline Exhalation, and some of the Tiles near the Eves removed. –	The Walls should be Tiles wanting replaced. –
Bridge near the Governors Garden	In excellent Order	
Brohier's Bridge	In good Order	
Government Garden House. –	New under repair in the Manner pointed out by the Annual Committee who Surveyed the Building last year. –	
Banqueting Room	Ditto	Ditto

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Improvements wanting.—

Remarks.

Remarks by the Military Board.

Continued.

are much wanted the Large Godown pound should be carry the fil the be lengthened into white washed &

and the Wood

The Committee observed that large quantities of valuable Goods were exposed to the Sun and Weather without Cover, in the Custom House Yard. This the Custom Master states to the Committee to result from the insufficiency of accommodation which was extremely wanted to receive the imports of the Port.—

Plastered, and the

Lately constructed by Lieut.t Fraser Superintending Engineer.—

The additional Rooms at the South End ordered by the Right Honorable the Governor and finished.—

Signed { Robt. Bell
C. Trapaud
P. A. Agnew
Alex.r Orr
D.M.G.

Appendix

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Appendix to the Report of a Committee of the Military Board appointed in Meeting the 6th. of January 1806 to Survey the Fortifications and Public Buildings at Fort St. George.

The Committee have the honor to Submit their detailed Report on the State of the Fortifications and Public Buildings at Fort St. George in the prescribed form, and in order that the real State of such of the Works and Buildings as require immediate attention, may be brought more fully to the notice of the Board, the Committee deem it to be their duty to Submit the accompanying general Plan / Plan No1 / shewing the visible failures of the Works laid down from actual measurements; and to point out more particularly, the Works which they conceive could not be depended upon in the event of attack; that Measures may be immediately adopted for the better Security of the Place.

Although the last Monsoon was extremely mild, the failures in the Out Works reported by the

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the last Annual Committee have very much encreased, particularly in the Lunettes of the St. George's and Wallajah Fronts. In the Lunette North of the Wallajah Ravelin there are no less than nine Cracks through the Faces of the Work. See the accompanying Plan No 2 and Elevation, shewing the Position and Extent of the Cracks. The North Face of the Lunette North of the St. George's Gateway has bulged out considerably into the Ditch, and is broken and disunited from the rest of the Work. See the annexed Plan No 3 and Elevation shewing the extent and Position of the Cracks. These two Works the Committee conceive to be totally unserviceable and incapable of being held up by any means whatever, and therefore recommend that they be entirely Rebuilt, as soon as possible.

The Committee had an opportunity of examining the Foundations of the latter Work, when the Ditch was drained by the Engineer for the erection of the Ravelin, and this examination confirmed the opinion they before formed, that an insufficiency of Foundation (what there

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there is having been laid without any base upon a Soil extremely treacherous / is the cause of the total failure of these Out-Works.

Although the other Out Works on the Western Face are not at present in so alarming a State as to induce the Committee to recommend that they be immediately rebuilt, yet the Committee could not be justified in concealing their belief that the whole are in a rapid state of decay, and will ere long require rebuilding from the Foundation - every Month new Cracks appear, which opening from the bottom gradually extend to the Top, and separate the Works entirely. The concussion which would be caused by the fire of Cannon on such Works, would quickly occasion their ruin.

A hope however still remains of keeping up many of these Works until they can be rebuilt with convenience.

Where Bands across the bottom of the Ditch have been applied, to connect the Works on the opposite

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opposite sides, the Committee observe with satisfaction that the failures have not encreased. It therefore appears that the adoption of this measure where the revetment has not actually moved forward, might for a considerable time prevent its occurrence.

If the above mode of securing the revetments does not succeed, the expence (as has been stated in the special reports of several Committees) is comparatively small, and these Bands will add considerable security to the New Works with which they will hereafter be connected.

The Works of the body of the Place are in general in good order. There are however some slight settles in the Arches of some of the Bomb Proofs, in the western and North curtains, which should be attended to. There is little more required than uncovering those Arches, filling the Cracks with Strong Cement, and new Plastering the parts of the Arch corroded by the Water lodging upon it.

The

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The State of the Berms of the Body of the Place have been repeatedly reported on by former Committees. The Western Berms are still loaded with Piles of Shot and Shells, and although no accident has yet happened, the Committee conceive that a severe Monsoon added to the great weight of these Piles, might injure materially the adjoining Revetments. a Berm is besides in a Military point of View, a very unfit place for the lodgement of Shot.

Those Parts of the Ditch, adjoining the new Works lately constructed, and emptied for that purpose by the Engineer have been cleared to a proper depth, but much remains undone of this necessary work; and as the expense of Bailing out the Water and constructing Dams, would be very great, and dangerous to Works in the tottering State in which many of the Outworks appear to be, the Committee Recommend that, the Superintending Engineer be authorized to construct a Machine, to be Placed upon a double Boat with Windlass's &c. for this Purpose.

The

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The counterscarp of the Ditch of the Body of the Place opposite the interior extremity of the North Ravelin, remains nearly in the same State as reported last year - See the annexed Plan No 4 - the immediate repair of this part of the Scarp of the Ditch the committee Strongly recommended: as should the retaining wall move further forward into the Ditch, the failure of the Extremity of the Ravelin may be looked for as a certain consequence - The Committee of the Military Board who Surveyed the Fortifications in January 1805 Reported particularly on this defect, an Estimate of the Expense of the Repairs required was forwarded to Government with their Report, but has not yet been Sanctioned. -

The repair to the 3d. Cistern in the Sea Line, has been performed in the manner pointed out by the last Annual Committee - and it has so far Succeeded that the Cistern retains the Water which has been let into it - The Cracks in the Rampart adjoining the cistern

were

were cut out before the Rains, and Revited with Pieces of Grey Granite, and although a considerable extent of the Exterior Revetment had moved forward from its original position, the Committee think that, that part may be kept up for some time by keeping the Crevices constantly filled, so as to prevent Water from penetrating the Work- This mode of repair they are induced to recommend as they conceive that it would be injudicious to throw open the body of the Place in time of War.

The Sea Face excepting at the Angle above- mentioned, is in excellent order, but too Narrow to allow of the Recoil of Guns on Trail Carriages, to remedy this defect the Number of Traversing Sweeps necessary for its defence have been laid by the Engineer.

In the event of a Siege the whole of this Line is Subject to Enfilade from the faces most liable to attack- A Committee assembled in October 1803- proposed a remedy for this defect-

The Counterscarp Wall for defence

against

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against the Sea is in good Order, all the Settles reported on by the last Annual Committee have been cut out and repeired; and as the Foundation of this Wall is laid upon Wells, the Committee are of Opinion that it will continue in good Order. It will however occasionally require to be Chunamed to preserve the Bricks from the Corroding effect of the Sea Air.

Since the Estimate was authorized for Repairing the North East Bund, two more Cracks have appeared on each Face near the Salient angle. It will therefore be necessary to take down the whole of the East Face of this Work, and the North Face as far as is marked on the accompanying Plan No. 5, Shewing the extent already authorized, and the Addition required for the Security of the Work. The only additional Charge will be for the Masonry as the same expense must be incurred for Dams and Bailing out the Water, whether the whole or a part is rebuilt.

The Committee particularly examined the Gateways of the Body of the Place and Ravelins which have

had

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head Platforms of Masonry laid over them, and have to report that this expedient has perfectly answered the purpose.- These Gateways which constantly leake the cracks in the Arches appearing to open more and more every year, are now tight and may be considered in perfectly Serviceable condition.-

The Embrazures of the whole Fortress are constantly requiring repair from the Water lodging on them.- they should be Kept well filled in.-

The Berms are full of holes, and in many Places sunk behind the Scarp Wall, which allows the Rain Water to lodge, and may in the end throw the Walls into the Ditch.- The whole ought to be filled up with Earth, and sloped towards the Drains, particular attention is recommended to be paid annually to this Work.-

Since last Survey the Traverses - and part of the Counterscarp of the Ditch between the Royal Bastion and Southern Lunette of the St. George's Front have been completed, the St. George's Ravelin has been finished,

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and the West Lunette of the South Front Rebuilt.-

The Ruined Traverses between the St. Georges Front and South East Counterguard are in hand, - which when finished, the defences of the Coverteway may be looked upon as very complete.-

The Public Buildings within the Fort, remain nearly in the same State as reported last year - The upper Part of the Kings Barracks however appears to require immediate attention - This Building has never been Chunamed on its exterior, and the Bricks are of course much decayed from the Corosive effects of the Sea air - added to this in almost every apartment Baths have been made in the Cells of the Windows - the Damp from which has penetrated the Walls and caused the Bricks to Moulder away; and if this Practice is not prevented there can be little doubt, but that the damp will entirely destroy the Timbers of the Floor - The Committee recommend that these Baths be removed and the Exterior of the Building Chunamed, as also the exterior of the Portuguese Square.-

The

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The Roof of that part of the Kings Barracks allotted to the Senior Officer of His Majestys Regiment in Garrison has been new Terraced; also the Varandah of the Quarter occupied by the Fort Adjutant as recommended by the last Annual Committee.

The Bomb Proofs of the Body of the Place, have ben Paved with Brick on edge, and are converted into Store Rooms for Grain and Provisions, for which purpose they are extremely well adapted - and a Bake House for the use of the Garrison has been constructed in Clive's Street.

Powder Magazines are still much wanted, there being only one in Fort St. George disconnected with the Rampart - the Gun Powder has hitherto been Kept in the expense Magazines in the Body of the Works - a Situation highly improper during a Seige - The Committee therefore strongly recommend that at least two Magazines capable of containing 2000 Barrels each be erected - When the new Powder Mills are completed, accommodation must be provided for the Lodgement of the Powder, and the Committee conceive that it will

be

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be attended with economy in the end, to make that accommodation at once permanent by the construction of the two Magazines before recommended.-

Former Committees have urged the necessity of completing the Fortifications of the Black Town, and it now only remains for this Committee to recommend the Measure to the Serious Consideration of Government.-

The Shrubs which are growing in the Walls, are Cracking the Revetments from Top to bottom, and the whole of the Parapets of the Bastions, and Barbette Batteries are falling into the interior of the Bastions - the Small quantity of Earth with which they were originally filled, being washed away by the Rains.-

Should it not Suit the convenience of Government at present, to disburse the whole Sum required for this necessary Work; the Committee beg leave to Suggest that, those Bastions only which defend the Passage of the Bridges acrofs the Canal, be placed in a defensible State, and cannon mounted on them - the others might be in a great degree preserved, if the

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the Pioneers while excavating the Canal now in hand on the West Face, were directed with a part of the Earth to fill the Bastions, so as to support the Revetment and afford footing within them.-

Since last Survey, a Cistern capable of containing 200 Tons of Water has been constructed within Clive's Battery at the North East Angle of the Black Town, and the Water carried in Iron Pipes to it- Two Cisterns have also been Built at the Wells, for the purpose of supplying the one at Clive's Battery with Water- this improvement will completely prevent the delays experienced by the Ship-ping in receiving Water, and the Officer in Charge of the Water Works should be directed to Submit an Indent on the Honorable Court of Directors for the quantity of Cast Iron Pipe required to replace the lead one now in use between the Fort and Wells which is constantly giving way from its decayed State.- Several additions and Some Small Repairs are required to the Roofs of the Old Godowns at the Custom House- The other Public Buildings on the Beach are in excellent order.-

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The Committee have to report that the New Bridge over the River at the Government Gardens was completed before the commencement of the last Monsoon. It consists of Eleven Arches, and is an useful Structure.

The canal now forming along the West Face of the Black Town Fortification is very far advanced; and two of the Bridges across it are nearly completed.

All the Buildings at the New Powder Mills are completed, the Machinery it is expected will be finished this Season.

A New Mint has been commenced upon on the Site of the Old Powder Mills, which when finished will allow of the Old Buildings within the Fort being removed, the Ground there being much wanted for Military purposes and a New Gaol has been authorized, and the Building commenced.

Fort St. George
1st September 1806.

Signed { Robt. Bell
C. Trapaud
P. A. Agnew
Alexr. Orr Dn. G.

To

6460. Fort St. George 4th. October 1806.

To The Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military Board-
Recommend the construction of Guard Rooms in the lower fort St. Mary-and that Adjutants of Corps may be allowed to receive a proportion of Stationary from the Import Department at prime Cost-
Forward a return of Double Iron Ordnance, and also a letter from the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency, respecting the Salt Petre Store rau at the new Powder Mills with recommendations on the subject- Recommend that authority be given for paying the hire of a house at Masulipatam, and for the purchase of 10 Camels- Recommend also payment of Bills and Advances of Cost-

We have duly examined the Estimate referred in Mr. Secretary Strachey's Letter of the 3d. Instant, and we find that the measurements agree with the Dimension on the Plan, and the charges with the Price Lists of the Station, we therefore recommend that authority be given for constructing a Main Guard room and Guard Rooms at the East and South Gates of the lower Fort of Bellary at the computed Expence of Pagodas 2,164:- 25:- 30:-

2 We have at various Times received applications from Adjutants of Corps, requesting that they might be allowed to receive a Proportion of Stationary from the Import Department at Prime Cost, grounding their applications on the inadequacy of the Stationary allowance to

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the Demands on them, we are fully aware that the allowance of Stationary to Adjutants of Corps in the Honorable Companys Service is far from being sufficient to Purchase the necessary supply at the rates at which Stationary is usually sold in this Country, we therefore beg to recommend that a General Order may be issued Authorizing Adjutants of Corps in the Honorable Company's Service to receive at Prime Cost an Annual Allowance of Stationary

No1 not exceeding the Quantity Specified in the enclosed List, their Indents for the same being Previously passed by order of our Board.-

3 We have the honor to forward a

No2 Return of the Unsable Iron Ordnance, which has been Shipped on Board His Majestys Ships Woolwich and Duncan, and we recommend that the Amount Value, as that article is rated in England, may be debited to His Majestys Government agreeably to an Invoice which we shall have the honor to submit to Government.-

4 We beg to forward Copy of a

No3 Letter

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Letter from the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency, recommending that the Salt Petre Terrace at the new Powder Mills may be covered with smooth Granite Stones, which for the reasons assigned by the Engineer, we conceive would be a very great Improvement, we therefore Submit an Estimate of the Probable Expence, which would attend the Measure, amounting to Pagodas 1,807.-6.- and we recommend that it may be authorized.-

5 The Officer Commanding Masulipatam having addressed a Letter to us on the Subject of a House which it has been found necessary to rent for the accommodation of the European Artillery- We have the honor to forward Copy of the Communication, and to recommend that authority may be given for the expence which has been incurred.-

No 4

6 We request Authority to purchase Ten Camels for the Public Service, they have been tendered to us at the rate of 70 Pagodas each, which we consider cheap.-

7 We

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7 We beg to recommend Payment of the following Bills and advances of cash &c Reis.-

No 1 Bill or Invoice of charges of the Principal Collector in the Ceded Districts for Boats employed on the Kistnah and Tombudrah Rivers from the 26th May to the 30th June last under authority of the Officer Commanding amounting to Pagodas 40 " " "

No. 2 Bill of the Garrison Store keeper in Mysore for Coolies employed in the Months of November and December 1805, January, February March and April 1806 in receiving and issuing Grain at the different Posts to the Troops in Mysore and under the authority of the Officer Commanding in addition to the Establishment admitted - Amounting to Pagodas 322 " "

No. 3 Bill of the Garrison Store keeper in Mysore for Coolies employed in cleaning and sifting

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sifting the Grain at the different Posts in Voynaad in December 1805 - Amounting to Pagodas - 183.11.-14.11.-48.-

No. 4 Bill of the Superintendant of the Gunpowder Manufacture, being his commission on 316.-60.- ℔ Barrels, and 108 of Gunpowder made in August 1806 - amounting to Rupees 628.4.-20.-

No. 5 Bill of the Barrack Master in the Presidency Division for Articles supplied under our authority. amounting to Pagodas 241.-7.-40.-

An advance of Pagodas 8,526.11.-9.-49.- to the Agent for the supply of Military Stores at the Presidency for Providing articles required for the Service of the Arsenal of Fort Saint George.-

An advance of Pagodas 4,757.-23.-11 to the Superintending Engineer in the Presidency Division, being one third of the estimated cost of the

alterations

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Alterations to be made to the Government House at Cuddalore and for erecting new Quarters for the accommodation of the Cadets.

Fort St. George
15th September 1806.

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

(Signed) J. F. Cradock
Robt. Bell
E. Trapaud
P. A. Agnew

Allowance

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Allowance of Stationary proposed to an Adjutant of a Battalion or Regiment To be Supplied at Prime Cost from the Import Warehouse.

Royal	Ream	1/4
Medium	Ditto	1/2
Demy	Ditto	1/2
Kings Arm and Foolscap	Ditto	1/2
Letter	Ditto	1
Ink Powder	Papers	12
Quills	No	150
Wafer Boxes	No	2
Rubber	No	1
Penknives	No	2
Pencils	No	6
Folder	No	1

Military Board Office
Fort St. George
15th September 1806.

By Order
/Signed/ J. Marshall
Secy Mn. B.

Report

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Report of the following Iron Ordnance consider=ed as Unserviceable and Delivered to His Majestys Ships by Order of the Military Board for Huntlodge.-

				Weight			
His Majestys Ship Woolwich			No of Guns	Tons	Cwt	Qrs	Lbs
Irons Gun	32	Pdr	5	12	17	1	23
Do Do	24	ditto	7	16	13	3	10
Do Do	18	ditto	4	8	7	3	13
Do Do	12	ditto	2	1	4	"	26
Do Do	6	ditto	1	"	12	2	14
Do Do	Foreign		5	10	6	"	"
		Totals	24	50	2	"	2
His Majestys Ship Duncan							
Iron Gun	18	Pdr	1	2	"	3	21
Do Do	12	ditto	2	3	7	"	5
Do Do	Foreign		12	14	14	"	"
		Totals	15	20	1	3	26

Fort St. George
13th September 1806.

/Signed/ M. Beaumont
Comg. Stores

A true Copy
/Signed/ J. Marshall
D. M. B.

To

6468. Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

No. 81

To The Secretary
to the Military Board

Sir,

Having ascertained by repeated ex-
periments that, the Oil Cement with which the Salt
Petre Terrace at the New Powder Mills is ordered
to be plastered, will not for any length of
time resist the corroding effects of the Salt
Petre, and also is liable to crack and Peel off
from the vicissitudes of the Weather - I am there-
fore induced to recommend that the Terrace
be floored with Polished Grey Granite - It will
be expensive in the first instance, but it will be
found to be the cheapest in the end as it will not require
any repair for ages -

If Grey Granite is not used, recourse
must be had to a flooring of Sheet Copper or Lead, either
of which will cost considerably more than the Stone, and be
much

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much more liable to injury.

The enclosed Estimate shews the Probable expence of the Granite Platforms.

Fort St. George
6th September 1806.

/Signed/ Thos. Fraser
Superintending Engineer

Probable Estimate of the Expense of covering the Salt Petre Terrace at the New Powder Mills with Smooth Granite Stones

Measurement						Prices			Pagodas		
Long	Feet	Inches	Feet	Inches		Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash
90	50	"	4500	"	Stone Platforms of five smooth Granite with 2 courses Wall Bricks in Chunam underneath.....	"	15	/per foot/	1,607	"	6

Pagodas.... 1607. 6.

Fort St. George
6th September 1806.

/Signed/ Thos. Fraser Supt. Engr.
/True Copies/
/Signed/ J. Marshall Sub. Engr.

To

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[No 4]

To The Secretary

to the Military Board

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have to request you will lay before the Military Board the accompanying Copy of a Letter from Major General Smith when commanding the Northern Division ordering that a house shall be rented for the accommodation of European Artillery at this Station it appearing absolutely necessary, that some Barracks should be provided for those men who have from the ruinous and uninhabitable state of the old Barracks lived in Tents for a considerable time past, and are getting daily more and more sickly, in consequence of this and the near approach of the Monsoon from the violence of which no tents could secure the Men, I have rented a House formerly used as a Messroom by the Officers of the Madras European Regiment in the Cantonments at the rate of

Twelve

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Twelve Star Pagodas per Month, the open parts of the Veranda requiring to be closed and also lines of Pegs and arm racks to be put up; I have taken upon myself to authorise the Barrack Master to make those additions/the Total expence of which will not amount to more than 75 Star Pagodas/and hope the Board will approve of what I have done.-

Masulipatam
4th September 1806-

/Signed/ Alx: Taylor
Lieutenant Colonel
in Charge N. D:
of the Army.-

To The Officer Commanding
at Masulipatam

Sir,

From the great necessity of providing a Barrack for the European Artillery before the commencement of the Monsoon/the old Barracks not being habitable/ Major General Smith directs that the house in the Cantonments formerly used by the Mess of

The

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the Officers of the Madras European Regiment be rented for the present for that purpose.

Assistant Quarter Master General's Office Masulipatam September 5th 1806.

/Signed/ J. R. Vernon
Assistant Quarter Master General N. D.

A true Copy
/Signed/ Alx. Taylor
Lieutenant Colonel Commanding

True Copies
/Signed/ J. Marshall
S. M. B.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c.a &c.a &c.a

My Lord,

From the Military Board— Report on the expediency of discharging the Artificers at Vellore, and on the Gun Carriage Manufactory at Cossipatam — Recommend that the bills of the late agent for the supply of military stores may be discharged, and a report on the principles on which that agency was conducted. —

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Letters from the Chief Secretary of Government dated the 13th September — and from the Secretary in the Military

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Military Department dated 10th and 11th and to report that the necessary Orders have been given.-

2 It is not practicable for us to ascertain with any degree of accuracy the actual proportion of the Expence of cleaning the Ditch of Vellore, which will be produced by employing the Pioneers on that Work, The Estimates of the expence of the different parts of the Work amount together to Pagodas 16,476.- 27.- 54.- instead of which, it will only be necessary for the present to incur the Expence of Pickahs to bale out the Water, when the Pioneers may be at Work.-

3 The inconveniencies which have arisen from the offensive State of the Water in the Ditch at certain Seasons, may be entirely removed by simply cleansing the Ditch, to which process alone we have referred in the foregoing Paragraph; additional Expences will be unavoidable, if the Ditch is to be deepened, and the Cuvette sunk along the South Front, as was at one time proposed.-

4 We

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4 We have the honor to submit State
ments exhibiting the Amount of Issues to the Gun
carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam, from
the 1st February 1805 to the 31st January 1806, &
accompanied by an account Current, from which it
appears that the Saving which the Public has derived
from this Institution amounted at the latter period to
Pagodas 28,575/- 33/- 40½ - independent of which
a Saving has arisen by the discharge of a considerable
proportion of the Ordnance Establishment at Serin
-apatam. -

5 We have the honor to submit Copy
of a Minute recorded by the Adjutant General, relative
to the mode adopted by the late Major Macleane, &
in conducting the Duties of the Agency for the Supply
of Military Stores, accompanied by 5 Bills for Articles
supplied, which we recommend to be discharged; - the -
Bills together Amount to the Sum of Pagodas 3162/- 39-
but as credit has been given to the Public for Pagodas -

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13,428-25-62.- being the amount of Saving during the period that Major Macleane held the agency, the Balance only, being Pagodas 18,198-19-57.- remains to be paid by the Public.-

6 ..... We entirely concur in the Sentiments which the Adjutant General has expressed, regarding the Principle which has enabled the late Agent, to make the purchases on Terms so far preferable to any which have hitherto been procured.- The enclosed Abstract account of Savings beyond the 17 per Cent, at which the Table of Rates was fixed, affords incontrovertible Evidence of the justness of the principle upon which Lieutenant General Stuart proposed an alteration of the System of Supply; and of the Integrity and Zeal of the late Agent.-

7 ..... We shall take into our immediate consideration the means of securing to the Government, the advantages which may be derived from the knowledge which the perusal of these Accounts may afford, and submit our Report regarding the mode which may be proper to adopt for the conduct of the Agency; in the mean time we recommend that the present Agent may be permitted to continue the System, which has proved so beneficial, without any alteration.-

We have the honor to be.-
My Lord,
&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) I. F. Cradock
Robt. Bell
E. Fraser
P. A. Agnew

Fort St. George
15th September 1806.

Statement

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Statement of Military Stores Issued from the Arsenal of Fort St. George and from the Subordinate Magazines at Out Stations upon the Coast to the Gun Carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806.-

1805
June 7th Supplied from the Arsenal at Fort Saint George.-

Lead white	lbs 1000		94	29	22
do. Red	do. 100		3	22	45
Indigo	do. 20		13	19	60
Black Lamp	do. 20		3	24	-
Canvas Europe	Bolts 50		492	-	30
Cittery	do. 12		196	13	76
Tickleinburgh	do. 13		232	26	66
Turpentine Spirit	Gall. 8		18	24	66
Oil Linseed	do. 100		129	29	40
		Package			
Barrels Packing	6		3	5	18
Box	1		1	10	40

Fort St. George 1st. Octr. 1806

Nails		Cs 1/2			—	— 60
Bags Gunney		81			3 —	24 — 60
Twine do		Cs 6			—	7 — 16
Spunyarn		Roll 6			5 —	9 — 60
carboy		1			—	7 — 40
Jars large for the Oil		4			24 —	8 — 32
Oakum		Cs 65			2 —	14 — 22
Rope Europe for Slings 4 Inch						
Coil 5/6 is bwt 1 — 25					12 —	30 — 19
Cloth Waxed		Piece 12			20 —	30 — 36
July 2nd	Iron Flat Bars 506 Cs 49 19 23		candy 70		1214 —	24 — 40
do	Square do 166 do 20 — 2					
do	Bolt do 198 do candy 10				215 —	20 — —
Files of Sorts		Dozen 16			40 —	4 — 66
				carried Over Pagodas	2733 —	8 — 26

Fort St. George 6th Oct. 1808

Brought forw.d Pagodas --- 2733 — 8 — 26

1805
July 2nd Supplied from the Arsenal of Fort St. George Continued.-

Saws Hand	6	6 — 16 — 76
do. Whip	3	15 — 8 — 74
Brushes Painting	30	7 — 30 — 20
Anvils Smith Large	12	159 — 37 — 12
Kettles Iron Pitch	2	8 — 25 — —
Yokes Double	2	2 — 41 — 72
do. Single	2	3 — 39 — 16
Spunyarn	Rolls 9	7 — 35 — 50
Rope Coontry 6 Inch fanthoms 7 do. — do. — 1½ — do. — Coil 7½	lbs 28	1 — 16 — 7
Tarpaulin Cart	1	1 — 33 — 30
Tar and Grease	Kegs 4	8 — 31 — 8

Package

Case	1	1 — 10 — 40

Fort St. George 4th October 1805.

	Nails	Cts 1/2		"	1 — 40
	Oakum	do 6		"	9 — 6
September 15th	Iron Flat largest 935 Bars or Candy	90		1561	25 — 40
	Tar common	Ps 1		11	4 — 17
	Package				
	Spunyarn	Rolls 10		8	30 — 20
	Rope Coir 1/2 Inch Coil 1	Cts 32		2	25 — 42
	Tar and Grease	Galls 4		1	22 — 38
	Yokes Single Common	2		3	39 — 16
1806 January 16th	Iron Flat Bars 1/4	Candy 12 — 12		208	26 — 39
	Package				
	Spunyarn	Rolls 2		1	31 — 20
1805 July 12th	**Supplied from the Magazine at Ballary**				475 15 69
	Iron Old	Cts 17991	From breaking up the Sumbrils and carriage	359	34 — 35
	Brass do	do 1001		198	" — "
	Copper do	do 3		"	15 — 60
	Grenelus	1		"	10 — 40
			Carried Over Pagodas	558	18 — 55
			Carried Over Pagodas		475 15 69

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Fort St. George 1st. October 1806

			Brought forward Pagodas		4757	15 69
1805 August 18th	Supplied from the Magazine at Ballary continued					
			Brought forward Pagodas	558	18	55
	Carts Plat forms with Pole Trace Yokes	20		541	25	20
Sept. 7th	Iron Old	lbs 500		10	"	"
Decr. 24th	Traces Chain	6 Pounder 2		24	10	40
	Tar and Grease	Kegs 2		4	15	44
	Collars Bullock	4		"	13	47
	Yokes common Pole	4		7	36	32
	do. do. Trace	12		17	41	32
					1134	35 30
1805 April 30th	Supplied from the Magazine at Chandernaghorry					
	Iron Old	lbs 9119				
June 30th	Iron do.	do. 9400	is lbs 36,488		729	31 74
Sept. 30th	Iron do.	do. 17969				
1806 January 1st	Supplied from the Magazine at Chittledroog					
	Carts Platform	Rupiaalle 6		74	36	76
	Bucket Gun leather	1		"	16	17
	Collars Bullock do.	10		"	33	78

Handspikes Purchasing ..... 2 ..... 11 35 56

Horses bosses ..... 1952 ..... 7 25 16

Keg Empty ..... 1 ..... 27 24

Traces Chain Heavy Gun 18 Pounder 1 ..... 39 25 11

Do. ... Rope for Cart Repairable 4 ..... 8 7 16

Yokes Common Pole ..... 3 ..... 5 37 64

Do. Do. Trace ..... 8 ..... 11 41 48 911 356

1805 July 29th Supplied from the Magazine at Gooty

Iron Old	lbs 6,000	From breaking up the Unserviceable Carriages and Tumbrils	120	"	"
Brass Do.	Do. 313		61	40	73
Copper Do.	Do. 1		"	5	20

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Carried over Pagodas 7765832

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Fort St. George 1st. October 1806

				Brought forward Pagodas		475	15 69
1805 August 18th	Supplied from the Magazine at Ballary continued						
				Brought forward Pagodas		558	18 55
	Carts Platforms with Pole Trace Yokes		20			561	25 20
Sept. 7th	Iron Old		lbs 500			10	" "
Decr. 24th	Traces Chain		6 Pounder	2		24	10 40
	Tar and Grease		Kegs	2		4	15 44
	Collars Bullock			4		"	13 47
	Yokes Common Pole			4		7	36 32
	do.	do.	Trace	12		17	41 32
1805 April 30th	Supplied from the Magazine at Chandermaghery						1184 35 30
	Iron Old			lbs 9119			
June 30th	Iron do.			do. 9400	is lbs 36488		
Sept. 30th	Iron do.			do. 17969			
							729 31 74
1806 January 11th	Supplied from the Magazine at Chittledroog						
	Carts Platform		Repairable	4			74 36 76
	Bucket Gun Leather			1			" 16 17
	Collars Bullock do.			10			" 33 78

Handspikes Purchasing ..... 2 ..... 11 35 56

Hoops coopers ..... 1952 ..... 7 25 16

Keg Empty ..... 1 ..... 4 27 24

Traces Chain Heavy Gun 18 Pounder 1 ..... 39 25 11

Do. ... Rope for Cart Repairable 4 ..... 8 7 16

Yokes Common Pole ..... 3 ..... 5 37 64

Do. Do. Trace ..... 8 ..... 11 41 48 911 35 6

1805 July 29th Supplied from the Magazine at Goaty

Iron Cls ..... lbs 6,000	From breaking up the	120	"	"	
Brass Do. ..... Do. 3/3	Unserviceable Carriages	61	40	73	
Copper Do. ..... Do. 1	and Tumbrils	"	5	20	
				182 4 13	

Carried over Pagodas 7/1653832

Ord. Dept. Fort St. George 4th October 1805

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Brought Forward Pagodas 7763. 3832

1805 August 31st Supplied from the Magazine at Gundecottah

Iron old of Malabar Gun lbs 109280 ..... 2185 25 16

1805 Nov. 21st Supplied from the Magazine at Seerah .....

Iron Old from Malabar Gun lbs 6785 ..... 135 29 32

1805 February 22nd Supplied from the Magazine at Seringapatam

Rope European 3/p Inch Coil 1/p Cwt. 1 3 18	20	19	29	
Spunyarn ..... Rolls 10	8	30	20	
Tar and Grease filled Kegs 4	8	35	8	
Paint Blue Mixed ..... lbs 100	10	"	"	
Carts Platform 20	581	25	20	
Collars Bullock Leather 50	6	1	18	
Traces Rope for carts 20	61	12	"	
Tar and Grease filled ..... Kegs 3	6	23	26	
Yokes Common Pole 20	39	14	"	
do. do. Trace 20	29	41	"	
Rope Country 2½ Inch Coil 1lb 67	3	1	2	

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28th	Iron Obs	Lbs 6.352	From breaking up 17 Limbers and 4 Carts	127	1	54
	Brass do.	do. 532		105	14	9
March 8th	Brass Obs Gun Metal	Lbs 1000		334	34	40
	Iron do.	do. 10,500		200	"	"
	Junk Europe	do. 500		14	41	4
	Rope Europe 3½ Inch Cable	do. 424		40	23	12
	Spunyarn	Rolls 9		7	35	50
	Tar and Grease filled	Kegs 36		78	27	72
29th	Carts Platforms	No		1235	25	76
	Traces Rope for Carts	No		134	32	64
	Yokes Common Pole	No		86	22	32
	do do Brace	No		65	39	64
	Rope Europe 4½ Inch Cable	Lbs 653		62	19	"
	Tar and Grease filled	Kegs 10		21	35	60
			Carried Over Pagodas	3310.	11.	10
			Carried Over Pagodas	100879	"	

Brought forward Pagodas 6087 9 "

1805
March 23d. Supplied from the Magazine at Seringapatam Continued

		Brought forward Pagodas			3300	11	10
	Collars Bullock leather	108			8	30	70
31st	Iron Ola	lbs 3540	From breaking up the 3 unserviceable Tilt Carriages and 2 Platforms		70	33	28
	Brass do.	do. 98			19	16	77
April 28th	Brass Ola Gun Metal	lbs 2000			167	17	20
	Iron Flat Europe Bars 30 or	lbs 15347			532	22	20
	do. Bolt	do. 200		do. 3,652	157	16	10
	do. Rod	Bundles 50		do. 2796	117	18	12
	do. Square	Bars 100		do. 6790	235	26	34
	Anvils Iron Smiths Europe Large	2			106	18	8
	do. do. do. do. Small	6					
	Hoops Copper	600			236	10	40
May 30th	Brass Ola Gun Metal	lbs 8000			669	27	"
	Blue Prussion	do. 50			78	12	60
	Brushes Painting hair	12			2	41	56
	Chalk Europe	lbs 100			2	1	"

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	Rubbers file		50	43	5	20
	Hoops Copper Spare		1100	551	10	40
	Iron Square Captured Bars		lbs 5,000	106	36	60
	Iron Ols		lbs 10,000	200	"	"
	Junk Ols Europe		do 300	14	41	4
	Oil Linseed		Gallons 150	196	23	20
	Pitch		Bs 2	11	25	64
	Rope Country 2 Inch Coils 2		lbs 100	4	30	43
	do Europe 3/4 do do 1		do 453	43	13	54
	Tar and Grease filled	Kegs	30	65	23	20
	Spirits of Turpentine	Bottles	12	6	40	64
	Tickin	Pieces	5	35	34	75
July 22nd	Carts Platform		43	1207	18	47
	Collars Bullock leather		90	7	11	58
	Traces Rope for Carts		43	135	32	8
	Yokes Common Pole		43	84	23	64
	Carried Over		Pagodas	8415,	5,	63
	Carried Over		Pagodas	10087	9	"

1805

July 22nd. Supplied from the Magazine at Seringapatam Continued..

Brought forward Pagodas			10879	"	
Brought forward Pagodas			8415	5	63
Yokes Common Trace	43		64	18	68
Sept. 2nd ---- Axes Pick with helves	22		16	8	27
Brass Ob Gun Metal	lbs 6000		502	9	60
Iron Square captured Bars 500 lbs. 3928			83	40	29
Do. Ob	Do. 5,000		100	"	"
Crows Iron	8		16	28	64
Jars Empty	6		36	12	48
Mamoties with helves	30		31	3	"
Pitch	Bg. 6		34	35	32
Rope Country 3/4 Inch Coil 1 Do. Do. 2 1/2 Do. Do. 2	lbs 259		12	10	17

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	Tar and Grease filled	Kegs	13	28	17	6
	Tickin	Pieces	10	71	27	70
Octr. 30th	Hoops Copper Spare		1000	393	31	40
Novr. 29th	Brass Old & Gun Metal	lbs	6,001	502	9	60
	Hoops Copper Spare		130	51.	7	70
	Iron Old Castings	lbs	5,000	100	"	"
	Barrels Muskets 2 3/4 is	lbs	1,000	20	"	"
	Rope Europe 3½ Inch Coil	lbs	153	43	13	51
	Spunyarn	Roll	10	8	30	20
	Twine Europe	lbs	20	10	25	40
	Pitch	Bgs	6	34	35	32
30th	Tar and Grease Mixed	Kegs	17	37	6	14
1806 January 3d.	Cartridges Shotted Musket		100	"	27	37
	Flints Musket		12	"	1	2
					1,641	32 70
	Carried Over Pagodas			2,703	1	70

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Brought forward Pagodas 2703 1/70

1805
Feby 1st **Statement of Payment Made by the Paymaster at Seringapatam on Account of the Gun Carriage Manufactory from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806.**

Paid Saick Shamiah as per Bill for cutting the Timber ..... 73:— 19:— 72

2nd Paid Captain I: G: Scott Public Agent as per abstract in Arrears for January and advance for February ..... 2073:— 43:— 16

Paid Captain I: G: Scott Public Agent as per abstract in Arrears for Supernumerary Lascars ..... 39:— 173:— 40

24th Paid do. do. do. as per Bill for Articles purchased in the Months of November December 1804 and January 1805 ..... 530:— 21:— 66

March 1st Paid do. do. do. as pr. Abstract
in Arrears for February and Advance
for March 1995:-26:-56

Paid do. as pr. do. do. for Supernumerary Lascars 39:-155:-60

3d Paid Naick Shamiah as pr. Bill for cutting Timber 63:-1:-57

22d Paid Mr. J. D. White Garrison Surgeon as pr.
Bill for Medical Allowance to the
Native Artificers and Lascars attached
for January 20:-3:-18

Paid do. do. as pr. do. do. For February 20:-14:-32

April 1st Paid Naick Shamiah as pr. Bill for cutting the Timber 86:-33:-40

2d Paid Captain J. G. Scott as pr. Abstract in Arrears
for March and Advance for April 2,096:-32:-28½

Paid ..... do. as pr. do. do. for Supernumerary
Lascars ..... 39:-127:-"

Carried Over Pagodas 7,078:-25:-15½

Carried Over Pagodas ... 21,703 1 70

Brought forward Pagodas..... 21703.1.70

Brought forward Pagodas 1078-25-15½

5th Inst. Paid Mr. J. D. White Garrison Surgeon as per Bill for Medical Allowance to the Native Artificers and Lascars Attached for March..... 20:-12:-48

2nd Paid Do. Do. as per Abstract in Arrears for April and Advance for May..... 2,084:-27:-26

Paid Do..... as per Do. for Supernumerary Lascars..... 39:-97:-11

Paid Do..... as per Do. Do. for Establishment Servants..... 101-31-70

12th Paid Mr. J. D. White Garrison Surgeons per Bill for Medical Allowance to the Native Artificers and Lascars Attached for April..... 20:-12:-48

20th Paid Captain J. G. Scott as per Bill for Articles purchased in the.....

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		Months of February March and April 1805	1823:-37:-66
June 2d	Paid	Do. Do. as per Abstract in Arrears for May and advance for June	2188:-31:-16
	Paid	Do. as per Abstract for Supernumerary Lascars	39:-12½:-"
	Paid	Do. as per Do. Do. for Establish-ment Servants	101:-31:-70
8th	Paid	Mr. J. D. White Garrison Surgeon as per Bill for Medical allowance to the Native Artificers and Lascars for May	20:-37:-66
9th	Paid	Naick Shamiah as per Bill for cutting the Timber	94:-37:-15
July 3d	Paid	J. G. Scott as per abstract in arrears for June and advance for July	2176:-5:-76
	Paid	Do. as per Do. Do. for Supernumerary Lascars	39:-12½:-"
		Carried Over Pagodas	15831:-9-22½
		Carried Over Pagodas	20773.1.70

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Brought Forward Pagodas 20703 1 70

Brought Forward Pagodas ... 15851 - 9 - 32½

1805
July 7. Paid Captains J. G. Scott as Per Abstract for Establishment Servants ..... 101 - 31 - 70

Paid Mr. J. D. White Garrison Surgeon as Per Bill for Medical allowance to the Native Artificers and Lascars for June ..... 21 - " - "

9th Paid Nauk Shamiah as Per Bill for Cutting the Timber ..... 157 - 18 - 1

August 7. Paid Captain J. G. Scott as Per Abstract in arrears for July and Advance for August ..... 2207 - 12 - 6

Paid Do. as Per Do. Do. for Supernumerary Lascars ..... 39 - 76 - "

Paid Do. as Per Do. Do. for Establishment Servants ..... 101 - 31 - 70

Paid Mr. J. D. White Garrison Surgeon as Per Bill for Medical Allowance to the ..... 21 - 1 - 66

	Native Artificers and Lascars for July		
25th	Paid Captain J. G. Scott as Per Bill for arti-		
	-cles purchased in the Months of		1115:-9:-33
	May June and July 1805		
Sept. 9th	Paid Captain J. G. Scott as Per abstract in Arre-		
	-ars for August and Advance for		2227:-11:-6
	September		
Paid Do.	Do. as Per Abstract for Supernume-		
	-rary Lascars		39:-12½:-4
Paid Do.	Do. as Per Abstract for Establish-		
	-ment Servants		101:-31:-70
Paid Sauk Shamiah as Per Bill for cutting the			
	Timber		98:-1:-37
	Carried Over Pagodas	22,610:-31:-39¾	
	Carried Over Pagodas	20703 1/4 70	

Brought forward Pagodas 31 70

Brought forward Pagodas ... 22,060: 31:- 39½

1805

Sept. 9th Paid Mr. Seaman Garrison Surgeon as Per Bill for Medical allowance to the Native Artificers and Lascars for August 21:- 3:- 48

Oct. 3d Paid Captain J. G. Scott as per Abstract in arrears for September and advance for October 219:- 26:- 16

Paid Do. as Per Do. Do. for Supernumerary Lascars 39:- 56:- 16

Paid Do. as Per Do. Do. for Establishment-Servants 101:- 31:- 70

1st Paid Mr. Seaman Garrison Surgeon as Per Bill for Medical Allowances to the Native Artificers and Lascars for September 21:- 7:- 16

7th	Paid Naick Shamiah as Per Bill for cutting the Timber		142:-34:-10
Nov. 2nd	Paid Captain J. G. Scott as per Abstract in arrears for October and advance for November		2,226:-18:-6
	Paid Do. as Per Do. Do. for Supernumerary Lascars		38:-93:-4
	Paid Do. as Per Do. Do. for Establishment Servants		101:-34:-70
1st	Paid Mr. Seaman Garrison Surgeon as Per Bill for Medical Allowance to the Native Artificers and Lascars for October		21:-3:-48
Dec. 1st	Paid Captain J. G. Scott as Per Abstract in arrears for November and Advance for December 1805		2,162:-26:-76
	Carried Over Pagodas	29131:-4:-15½	
	Carried Over Pagodas		29131 4 15½

Brought forward Pagodas 20703 1 70

Brought forward Pagodas 2913 : 6 : 13½

1805

Dec. 1st Paid Captain J. G. Scott as per abstract for Supernumerary Lascars ..... 36 : 57 : 40

Paid Do. as per Do. Do. for Establishment Servants ..... 101 : 31 : 70

Paid Captain J. G. Scott as per Bill for articles purchased in the Months of August September and October 1805. ..... 493 : 18 : 65

Paid Mr. Seaman Garrison Surgeon as Per Bill for Medical Allowance to the Native Artificers and Lascars for November ..... 20 : 30 : 68

4th Paid Captain J. G. Scott as per Abstract in Arrears for November to the Lascars ..... 14 : 46 : 0

Paid Do. as Per Do. Do. to 22d Supernumerary Lascars ..... 78 : 76 : 0

Paid Do. as Per Receipt an Advance for Articles pur-

Fort St. George 1st October 1806.

	Chased for November December 1805 and January 1806		1350:—:—
1806 Janʸ 2nd	Paid Dº as per Abstract in arrears for December 1805 and Advance for January 1806		2,192:15:66
	Paid Dº as Per Dº Dº for Establishment of Servants		101:—31:—70
	Paid Dº as Per Dº Dº for Supernumerary Lascars		39:—15:—:
6th	Paid Mr Searman Garrison Surgeon as per Bill for Medical allowance to the Native artificers and Lascars for December		20:—41:—32
7th	Paid Naick Shamiah as per Bill for building the Timber		137:—26:—30
		3,526 22 16½	
	Total Pagodas	5,629 24: ½	

Fort Saint George
Military Board Office
15th September 1806.

E. E. Jrs.
Signed J. Marshall
Secy & Actg No: Bs:

Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

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Fort St. George 1st October 1806

Statement of Ordnance Carriages &c. Constructed at the Honorable Company's Gun Carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam and Delivered for the Public Service from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806.

1806 Jany 31st Received into the Arsenal of Fort Saint George.—

Barrels Powder			100 lbs	12		12	—	—
do.	do.		50	do.	50	34	25	—
do.	Ammunition		50			29	10	40
Boxes	do.		56			67	27	60
Chests	Arm		40			93	28	—
Boxes	Packing		10			12	21	—
Poles	Limber for 16: & 12 Powder		2			3	26	76
do.	do.	do.	6	do.	8	13	4	46
Mamoties	with helves		100			102	24	—
Axes	Pick	do.	100			67	22	78

Helves Axes Broad					500				
do.	Pick				400				
do.	Felling				500				
do.	Mamuties				400				
do.	Hand				500				
Handspikes Purchasing					50				
Hoops Copper					428				
Handspike Traversing	12	Pounder	H.	A	2				
do.	do.	6	do.	do.	4	}	2	13	52

								837	10 12

March 26th Received into the Magazine at Seringapatam.

Carriages field New Construc= tion with Limber and Boxes for Horse Artil= =lery with woden ware					67	Nos.	6	1537	12 12
Carried Over Pagodas								1539	12 12
Carried Over Pagodas								837	10 12

6499. Fort St. George 4th October 1800

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Fort St. George 1st October 1805.

					Brought forward Pagodas	837	10	12
1805 March	27th				Received into the Magazine at Seringapatam.			
					Continued.			
					Brought forward Pagodas	1539	12	12
					Tubriels Old Construction Ammuni-			
					tion Common 6	961	7	4
					Platform Mortar complete 10 Inches 1			
		do.	do.	do.	8 do. 1	384	"	"
		do.	do.	do.	5½ do. 1			
					Parts Platform 12	336	40	28
					Barrels empty Ammunition with 4			
					copper hoops each 60	129	25	20
					Boxes empty Ammunition with 16			
					copper clamps each 25	31	13	50
					Keas empty Tar and Grease 50	32	24	"
					Handspikes Traversing Gun 6 pr. 16	6	8	32

	Yokes Common Pole		12		23	25 16
	do. do. Trace		24		35	40 64
	Pickets Range		50		6	10 40
	Traces Chain for Limbril		6		35	7 76
April 28th	Carriages field new construction with Limber and Boxes for Horse Artillery with New constructed Trail Plate &c. &c. with Wooden Naves 6 Pounder		2		769	27 6
	do. do. do. Brass Nave 6Dr.		2		1089	9 32
	do. do. do. do. with Limber and Boxes for Brass Howitzers 5½ Inch		2		557	" "
	Limbrils Ammunition New construction with Limber and Boxes for H. A. with Brass Naves 6 Pounder		2		1559	38 12
		Carried Over Pagodas			7527	35 20
		Carried Over Pagodas				837 10 12

1805
April 28th Received into the Magazine at Seringapatam

Brought forward Pagodas .. 837 10 12

continued

Brought forward Pagodas .. 7547 35 40

Tumbrils ammunition common				
Old construction	6	96	7	4
Carts Platform	8	224	26	72
Handspikes Traversing Gun 6pdr	4	} 2	13	52
do Howitzer 5 1/2 Inch	2			
Yokes common Pole	12	23	25	16
do do Trace	24	35	40	64
Chests Arm	12	28	4	16
Boxes empty Ammunition	50	62	27	20
Barrels empty do	50	} 402	"	20
Hoops Copper on do	200			
Barrels empty Packing	50	24	31	40
Kegs empty for Tar and Grease	50	32	25	"

May 27th Carriages fitted with Limber and

Boxes for Horse artillery 6 Pounder	4			1539	12	12
Tumbrils ammunition common	6			965	7	4
bar & Platform	12			336	40	28
Bed Mortar 10 Inch	1			228	5	20
do do 8 do	1			75	25	34
Barrels empty Ammunition	100			216	40	
Hoops Copper on do	100					
Boxes empty Ammunition	50			62	27	20
Chests Amn	12			28	4	16
Handspikes Traversing Gun 6 Pr	4			1	23	8
Yokes Common Pole	12			23	25	16
do do Trace	36			53	40	16
Frames Target Brickt	50			12	25	4
Traces Chain for Light Field Gun 6 Pr	3			36	15	40
do Tumbril	4			56	33	24
Carried Over Pagodas				1270	6	2
Carried Over Pagodas				837	10	12

6503. Fort St George 1st October 1806.

1806
June 20th Rec'd into the Magazine at Seringapatam

Brought Forward Pagodas 837 10 12

Continued

Brought Forward Pagodas		1270	6	2
Carriages Fitted with Limber and Boxes for Horse Artillery with Brass Naves 12 Pounder	2	132	1	72
Tumbrils Ammunition Common	4	640	32	56
Carts Platform	12	336	40	28
Yokes Common Pole	179	352	1	32
do. do. Draw	352	524	24	32
Handspikes Traversing Gun 12 Pounder	7	10	19	34
6 do.	20			
Barrels empty Ammunition	100	216		40
Hoops Coopers on do.	400			

	Boxes empty Ammunition	50	62	27	20
	Kegs empty for Tar and Grease	50	32	25	"
	Screws Elevating complete with Brass Boxes 12 Pounder	2	35	11	"
	Cart Mortar	1	120	"	"
	Trace Chain for Mortar Cart	1	12	5	20
July 27th	Carriages Howitzer Field with Limber and Boxes for Horse Artillery with Brass Naves 5 1/2 Inch	2	1084	27	44
	Tumbrils Ammunition 5 1/2 Inch. Howitzer with Limber and Braes for Horse Artillery with Brass Naves	2	1359	38	42
	Tumbrils Ammunition Common	4	640	32	56
	Carts Platform	12	336	20	28
	Do. Store Horse Artillery	1	54	22	63
	Spokes Common Pole	36	70	33	48
	Carried Over Pagodas		2420	11	57
	Carried Over Pagodas				837 10 12

July 27th Stowed into the Magazine at Seringapatam

continued..

Brought Forward Pagodas		837	10	12
Brought Forward Pagodas	20120	11	57	
Pikes common Face	100	169	37	"
Handspikes Purchasing	60	18	3	71
do. Traversing Howitzer 5½ Inch 4		1	23	8
Boxes empty ammunition	50	62	27	20
Barrels do.	do. 50	108	"	20
Hoops Copper	do. 200			
Kegs empty for Tar and Grease	50	32	25	"
Screws Elevating Howitzer 5½ Inch	2	37	4	22
August 23d Carriages with Limber and Boxes with Brass Naves for Horse Artillery 6 Pounder	2	1,089	9	20
Tumbrils ammunition with Limber				

6507. Fort St. George 5th October 1804.

and Boxes with Brass Naves for 5 1/2 Inch Howitzer K, K	1		779	40	28
Tumbrils Ammunition Common	6		961	7	4
Carts Platform	12		336	40	28
Carriages for Conveying the Sick	6		870	"	"
Bed Mortar — 5 1/2 Inch	1		50	"	"
Cast Forge for K. K with Bellows Large	1		76	23	27
Yokes Common Pole	24		47	8	32
do — do — Trace	36		53	40	16
Handspikes Traversing Gun & Pounder	2		"	32	22
Boxes empty Ammunition	50		62	27	20
Barrels do — do	100		216	"	20
Hoops Copper on do	400				
Staves Sponge Country	20		9	25	16
Traces Chain for Light Field Gun 6 Pr	6		72	35	20
Carried Over Pagodas		2,756		36	56
Carried Over Pagodas					837 10 12

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September 29th Received into the Magazine at Seringapatam

Brought forward Pagodas ... 837 10 12

continued.—

Brought forward Pagodas ... 25156:- 36:- 56.

Carriages fitts with Limber and Boxes with Brass Naves for Horse Artillery 6 Pounder	3	1633.	35.	5
do. with Limber & Box 6 Pounder	6	1678.	1.	40
Carts Platform	12	336.	40.	28
Carriages for conveying the Sick	4	580.	"	"
Yokes Common Pole	24	47.	8.	32
do. do. Brace	50	74.	39.	40
Boxes empty Ammunition	50	62.	27.	20
Barrels empty do. with 6 Copper hoops each	100	246.	"	40
Hands Spikes Traversing Gun 6 Pounder	9	3.	20.	38
Draces Chain Dumbril	7	99.	16.	22

October 29th Carriages fitts New Construction with

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Fort St. George 5th October 1826.

Limber and Boxes for Mast Gun Horse A: with wooden Nave 12 Pounder	2	937	1	32
do. do. do. do. do 6do.	5	1934	2	55
Tumbrils Ammunition Common	4	640	32	56
Carriages for conveying the Sick	6	870	"	"
Carts Platform	12	336	20	28
Yokes Common Pole	50	98	12	"
do. do. Trace	100	129	37	"
Ladles Copper with Worm & Rammer	20	30	"	"
Handspikes Traversing Gun 12 Pr.	2	2	29	74
do. do. do. 6Pr.	5			
do. Purchasing	30	6	1	24
Barrels empty Ammunition with 4 Copper hoops each	100	256	"	40
Carried Over Pagodas		35,101	9	70
Carried Over Pagodas			837	10 12

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	Brought Forward Pagodas		837	10	12
	Brought Forward Pagodas	3510	9	70	
	Boxes Empty Ammunition	50	62	27	20
	Wrenches for Screw Nuts	7	1	31	40
	Pompions with Collars	12 Pounder 2	"	14	"
November 27th	Tumbrils ammunition New Construction with Limber and Boxes with Brass Naves for Horse Artillery	7	5,459	29	67
	Tumbrils ammunition Common	5	800	40	70
	Carriages for Conveying the Sick	2	290	"	"
	Carts Platform	12	336	40	28
	Yokes Common Pole	26	51	5	18
	do. do. Trace	400	599	22	"
	Traces Chain for Tumbril	15	212	40	70

		do. ... do. for Light field Gun 12 Pounder	4		116.	"	"
		Handspikes traversing Gun 12 Pounder	4				
		do. ... do. ... do. 6 ditto	32		10.	3.	12
		Barrels empty ammunition	100				
		Hoops Copper on do.	400		216.	"	40
		Boxes Empty Ammunition	50		62.	27.	20
30th		Sponson with Collar Gun 6 Pounder	1		"	4.	66
		do. ... do. Howitzer 5½ Inch	2		"	31.	40
		Helves for Axes Pick	17		1.	27.	46
		Yokes Common Pole	4		7.	36.	32
		Traces Chain for Tumbril	3		42.	24.	78
Dec.	31st	Carriages field New Construction with Limber and Boxes for Horse Artillery with Brass Naves for Brass Gun 6 Pounder	2.		1089.	9.	30.
		Carried Over Pagodas			4464.	7.	57
		Carried Over Pagodas				837	10 12

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Brought forward Pagodas 837 10 12

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Brought forward Pagodas 44464. 7. 57

Carriages fitted New Construction with Timber and Boxes for Horse Artillery with wooden staves &c.ª					2	769.	27.	6
do.	do.	do.	do.	do. 3 do.	2	605.	29.	"
do.	do.	do.	Howitzer	8 Inch	2	1083.	24.	32
Tumbrils Ammunition Old Construction								
			Common		3	480.	24.	22
Sea Mortar			8	Inch	1	75.	21.	34
Carriages for conveying the Sick					4	580.	"	"
Carts Platform					12	336.	40.	38
Yokes Common Pole					47	92.	18.	16
do.	do.	Trace			112	167.	36.	32
Handspikes Traversing Gun & Mortar					4			
do.	do.	do.	3	do.	2	3.	36.	40

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6513. Fort St George Ft Ostber 1806.

do.	do.	Howitzer 8 Inch	4				
Boxes empty Ammunition			50		62	27	20
Barrels do.	do. with 4 copper hoops		50		108	"	20
Trace Chain for Light Field Gun	3 Pounder		1		12	"	"
Bed Mortar	10 Inch		1		248	5	20
Coins do.	10	do. upper	2				
do. do.		under	1		1	6	76
Coins Mortar 8 Inch upper			3				
do. do.		Under	3		1	25	1
do. do.	5½ Inch		3		"	12	79
Frames for Target Gun			4		29	12	66
Helves for Axes Pick			6		"	26	44
Staves for Sponge Country			4		1	38	57
Hames pikes Purchasing			9		2	29	79
				Carried Over Pags. 49	48	33	41
				Carried Over Pagodas		837	10 12

Brought forward Pagodas 837 10 12

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	Brought forward Pagodas		19048	33	41
	Tompion with Collar Gun 12 Pounder	1	"	7	"
	Do. Howitzer 8 Inch	1	"	26	20
1806 January 29th	Frames for Target	100	25	"	"
	Staves Sponge country	7	3	15	10
31st	Carriages field New Construction with Limber and Boxes for Horse Artillery with Brass Staves 6 Pounder	2	1089	9	30
	Do. Do. Wooden Do. Do.	2	769	27	6
	Tumbrils Ammunition New Construction with Limber and Boxes with Brass Staves	4	3119	35	4
	Wheels Carriages Spare 18 Pounder	4	314	5	"

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Carriages for conveying the Sick	4		580	" " "
Carts Platform	8		224	" 26 " 72
Paces Chain Pumbril	3		42	" 26 " 78
do. do. Light Field Gun 3 Pounder	1		12	" " "
Wheels Limber Spare 18 Pounder	4		144	" 24 " 40
do. do. do. 12 do.	4			
Handspikes Purchasing	31		9	" 14 " 49
do. Traversing Gun 6 Pounder	8		3	" 4 " 16
Trucks Hanoverian do.	2		15	" " "
Carriages Field with Limber and Boxes for Iron Gun 24 Pounder	2		780	" 37 " 60
do. Light Horse Artillery with Wooden Naves 6 Pounder	1		1539	" 12 " 12
do. Field with Limber and Boxes for Horse Artillery with Brass Naves 6 Pounder	2		1189	" 9 " 30
Carried Over Pagodas			58,811	" 15 " 68
Carried Over Pagodas				837 10 12

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Brought forward Pagodas 837 10 12

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Brought forward Pagodas 5881 15 68

Tumbrils Ammunition with Limber and Boxes

For Horse Artillery with Brass Axes 2 1559 38 42

Carriages for Conveying the Sick 4 580 " "

Carts Platform 10 280 33 50

Do. Mortar 10 Inch Large 1 120 " "

Do. Artificer 1 128 23 12

Handspikes Traversing Gun 24 Pounder 4
Do. Do. Do. 6 Do. 10 } 6 8 32
Do. Do. Do. 3 Do. 2

Do. Purchasing 50 13 3 19

Trucks Hanoverian 6 Pounder 4 30 " "

Doolies 30 320 36 "

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Fort St. George 1st October 1806

6517. Fort St. Georg 1st October 1816.

7	Boxes empty Ammunition		50	62	27	20
7	Barrels empty Powder	100 lbs	25	25	"	"
	do. do. do.	50 do.	50	34	24	"
	do.	Ammunition	50	29	10	40
	Hoops Copper on do.		500	196	36	60
	Boxes empty Packing		10	12	24	"
	Chests Arm		30	70	10	20
	Staves Sponge Country		39	18	30	19
	Yokes Common Pole		20	39	12	"
	Kegs empty for Tar and Grease		30	19	24	"
	Pompions with Collars	6 Pounder	2	"	9	53
	do. do. do.	3 do.	2	"	6	24
	Coin Mortar	10 Inch under	1	"	16	35
	do. do.	5½ do. upper	3	"	14	79
	Faces Chain	6 Pounder	6	72	35	40
				carried over Pagodas	62435	9 63
				Carried Over Pagodas		837 10 12

Brought forward Pagodas 837 10 12

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Brought forward Pagodas ..... 62,435.. 9.. 63

Trace Chain	3 Pounder	1	12	"	"
Screws Elevating Iron Gun	24	0	2	64	28	16
do	do	Brass	6	0	2	19	"	"
do	do	do	3	0	2	17	24	"
Helves for Axes Broad			100			9	38	60
do	do	Pick	77			7	24	10
do	do	Felling	100			9	38	60
do	do	Hand	100			9	15	"
do	do	Mamoties	100					
Mamoties			100			103	34	"
Axes Pick			100			57	36	58

Made and Delivered to Captain Lambton

Beacons Iron Small	2	4	37	60		

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Fort St. George Bastion Bd.

6 clamps Rings Basps with Staples and c. handles of Brass for 2 Boxes for holding Plan ..... Sett	2	.....	11	29 76
Brass Surveying Cylinders weighing lbs 66 is 0 ℔	1	.....	13	9 18
Flag Staff	1	.....	1	1 66
Pickets for do	6	.....	"	15 66
Coffers for bearing the Measuring Chain each 20 feet Long	5	.....	8	44 "
Standards Secured at the Top and Shod at the Bottom with Iron for the Top of Observatory Tent	2	.....	3	30 11
Rod Iron 9 feet Long and ½ Inch Square ..	1	.....	"	28 76
Box Large for holding the Theodolite complete with Hinges hasps Clamps Straps c Canvas Cover and Painted	1	.....	16	22 51
Carried Over Pagodas			62	46 33 27
Carried Over Pagodas ...			837	10 12

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Brought forward Pagodas 837 10 12

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Brought forward Pagodas 12766 23 27

Box Small for containing the Vertical circle of Theodolite	1	1	25	63
Screws wood Elevating with Stands	6		13	14 12
0 — Long Spare	2		21	50
0 Plates fine watch or blockmakers with 12 Tops	1		3	44 40
Pickets wood	40			
0 Shoes Iron	8		7	15 75
0 Heads for Brass frames to work on with circular Holders	8		5	23 64
Flag Staff Repaird	3		1	3 12
Brass frames for fixing on the heads of Pickets	2		4	17 56
Teak Board Superficial	feet 96		2	9 40

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Iron Flat ..... lbs 16		23. 26	
158 Carpenters and 38 Smiths employed at Captain Lambtons Quarter at 6/ⁿ each	26 6 "		
		124 38 3	

To Major Mackenzie

Trunks for Large Plans 3		3 7 60	

The following Materials Expended and Workmen employed by the Public Agent for the Construction of Ordnance Carriages &c. at Seringapatam for 13 6 Pdr. Field Carriages 1 Limbers Ammunition Gallopers with Limbers 16 Carts Platform and Arrack 222 Yokes Common Ox 51 Yokes Common Trace and 54 Traces Chain Iron of Different Callibers drawn up repaired and Delivered for the Service for which Captain J. G. Scott is Credited. –

Timber ..... Cubic feet 46 6 6		32 2 18	
Charcoal ..... Bc. 85		11 36 24	
Carried Over Pagodas	62918	23 52	
Carried Over Pagodas ...			837 1012

Brought forward Pagodas .. 837 10 12

Brought forward Pagodas .. 812 33 52

1806.

January 31st

Paddy Husk	Bls. 63 3/4		2	17 15
Brattics	Pairs 3,150		23	25 35
Iron	lbs 719 1/2		24	41 3
Spunyarn	Rolls 10		8	30 20
Wheel wrights Europeans	4 9/2	10	25	40
Carpenters do.	4 1/2	11	36	—
do. Natives	55	7	15	—
Sawyers Natives	16	1	4	20
Smiths do.	180	24	—	—
Hammer Men	183	12	9	—
Bellows Boys	183	4	3	—
Files	12	1	27	—

73 25 40

The following Materials expended, and Workmen employed in painting New Ordnance Carriages Sick and Platform Carts &c. &c. Lackering Carts Sick

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carriages Wheels and Chain Traces and Li-
-ning and caulking Tumbrils and Limber Boxes
&c.a as also those repaired at the Honorable company's
Gun carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam from
1st May 1805 to the 31st. January 1806 inclusive for
which Captain J.G. Scott is also credited.-

Brushes Painting hair	75		18.	29.50
do. do. Coconut	67		"	16.60
Blue Prussion	℔ 85/8		13.	21.25
Canvas	Bolts 11		108.	10.13
Chalks	106		2.	2.10
Cotton	℔ 60 7/8		4.	5.76
Gunney	Pieces 29		6.	20.77
Indigo	℔ 124 3/4		24.	".69
Carried Over Pagodas		63289.	11.	1
Carried Over Pagodas			837	10 12

		Brought forward Pagodas		837	12	12
1806		Brought forward Pagodas	63,289	11	1	
January 31st	Lamp black	Lbs 68 1/2	29	15		
	Leathers Sheep	100	11		40	
	Lead White	Lb 1921 3/4	181	41	35	
	Do. Red	Do. 45 3/4	1	25	77	
	Oil Coconut	Gallons 43 1/2	18	32	35	
	Do. Linseed	Do. 2195/8	286	36	6	
	Nails Copper	Lb 58 1/2	32	7	28	
	Turpentine Spirit	Gallons 5	11	26		
	Do.	Do.	Bottles 83/8	4	36	28
	Twine Europe	Lb 19 3/4	5	12	74	
	Pottery	Pieces 18 3/4	316	32	24	
	Wax Bees	Lb 36 1/4	5	9	41	
	Dammer	Do 997	42	23	50	
	Pitch	Barrels 9	52	11	8	
	Ticklenburgh	Piece 1	17	37	48	

Tar or Grease	8 44		1	29 16
To 1 Head Painter from 15th May 1805 to the 31st January 1806 inclusive being 8 Months and 15 Days at 15 Pagodas Per Month			127	25 "
To 1 Caulker from 15th May 1805 to the 31st January 1806 being 8 Months and 15 Days at 4 Pagodas Pr Month			34	" "
To 1 Moochee from 0 " 0 " 0 " at 2½ Pagodas			2	10 " 60
Painters	828 at " 3/80 Pr each		6	9 " "
Caulkers	220 at " 4. 40 0 " 0 "		22	" " "
The following Articles are made and Delivered to the additional Buildings at the Honorable Company's Gun Carriage Yard at Jeringapatam.				
Frames Window	18		42	37 12
Carried Over Pagodas			64	13 37 13
Carried Over Pagodas			837	10 12

		Brought forward Pagodas		837	10 12
1806		Brought forward Pagodas		64,653 „ 37 „ 13	
January 31st	Shutters Window	Pairs 18		19 „ 20 „ 38	
	Frames Door and Door	Do 5		23 „ 26 „ 30	
	Gate Large for New Yard	1		14 „ 7 „ 26	
	Hinges for Window Shutters	Pairs 26		15 „ 13 „ 18	
	Do Door	Do	Do 10	4 „ 39 „ 23	
	Do Gate Large	Do	Do 2	2 „ 37 „ 75	
	Cross Bars Staples Bolt and hasp with Large and Small Padlock for Gate		1	4 „ 29 „ 76	
				64,699	2 29

Articles Returned

Into the Magazine at Ballary

1805 December 21st	Carts Platforms with Pole and Trace Yokes		20	561	25 20

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Fort St. George 1st October 1806

1805						
May	29th	Carts Platform	25	702	"	5
		Yokes Common Pole	25	49	7	"
		do do Trace	25	37	19	60
		Traces Rope Cart	25	76	25	40
	31st	Timber Teak Cartes 20 feet in length No 5 is				
		Cubfeet 102 10 7		22	38	66
June	7th	Carts Platform	25	702	"	5
		Yokes Common Pole	25	49	7	"
		do do Trace	25	37	19	60
		Traces Rope Carts	25	76	25	40
	30th	Timber Teak Cartes No 10 is Cubfeet 199 4 11		44	14	7
October	14th	Carts Platform	14	393	5	6
		Collars Bullock Leather	22	2	11	9
		Traces Rope for Carts	12	42	37	64
		Carried Over Pagodas		2236	1	42
		Carried Over Pagodas		66,097	37	41

			Brought forward Pagodas				86,097.	37.	61
1805			Brought forward Pagodas		2,236.	1.	42		
October	14th.	Yokes common Pole		14	37.	22.	32		
		do. do. Trace		14	20.	61.	24		
	31st	Carts Platform		20	561.	25.	20		
		Traces Rope for Cart		20	61.	12.	"		
		Yokes common Pole		20	39.	14.	"		
		do. do. Trace		20	29.	61.	"		
		Handspikes Traversing Gun 12 Number		1	3.	36.	60		
		do. do. do. do. 6 do.		6					
		Tumbril Cavalry C.C. Repaired		1	123.	22.	10		
1806									
January	31st	Timber	Pieces 10 but set 200. 3. 9.		46.	23.	10		
								3128.	29. 38.

Into the Magazine at Sellore

1805									
April	18th	Carts Wreck		3	39.	38.	35		

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do. Platform	16	449	11	62
do. do. Repairable	12	224	26	68
Collars Bullock Leather	61	4	39	17
Yokes Pole Single	31	60	40	48
do. Face double with Rope Face	31	142	8	13

1806
January 31st **Articles Tools &c. Remaining on Hand and in use at the Gun Carriage Manufactory on the 31st January 1806.** 971 39 4

Adzes Iron Carpenters	25	16	19	45
do. do. Hallow	1		28	15
Anvils Iron Smiths Europe of Sorts	120	1707	12	20
do. Smiths Country	31	197	26	20
Augers of Sorts	177	53	10	67
Awls Broad	8		12	
Carried Over Pagodas		1975	25	27

Carried Over Pagodas 7021 22 23

			Brought forward Pagodas	1975.	26.	39
1806 January 31st	Axes Broad Europe	50		32	34.	10
	do. Felling	14		6.	19.	20
	do. Hand	28		5.	2.	50
	do. Pick	28		14.	7.	28
	do. Millarights or Coopers	3		1.	5.	20
	Barrows wheel	6		33.	38.	62
	Bellows forge Europe	Pairs 22		630.	18.	52
	do. do. do. Muster made in Country	29		235.	7.	61
	do. Smith Country	268		43.	9.	56
	Benches Carpenter	10		40.	"	"
	do. for Vice	4		12.	"	"
	do. for Screw	1		3.	"	"
	Bevil Brass	1		2.	"	"
	Blue Impression	lbs 41 3/8		64.	33.	35
	Braces and Bitts	2		3.	"	"

Brought forward Pagodas 1975. 26. 39

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Brass Old	lbs 4,981 3/8	439.	26„	7
Brattices	Pairs 50,400	39„	12„	48
Brushes Painting Hair	19	4„	31„	2
Buckets Gun Leather	15	5„	25„	70
Do. Do. Warden	22	73„	33„	48
Canvas Europe	Bolts 42	413„	12„	6
Carriage Sling for Transporting Heavy Timbers in the forest with wheels & set High	1	138„	„	„
Carts Large for Transporting Heavy Timbers in the forest with wheels the same Size as 18 Pounder Carriage	8	1,104„	„	„
Do. Do. Do. Do. the Size of 12 Pounder	1	138„	„	„
Carried Over Pagodas		5,462„	7„	42
Carried Over Pagodas		70,218„	22	23

Brought Forward Pagodas ..... 70,218.. 22.. 23

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Brought Forward Pagodas ..... 5,562.. 7.. 42

January	31st	Carts Platform	Serviceable	82	2,384..	27..	66
		Do. Do.	Reparable	2	77..	23..	8
		Do. Attack large for watering the Yard		4	119..	37..	20
		Chalk	Lbs	174 7/8	3..	31..	31
		Chests Carpenter for Tools		6	12..	..	..
		Do. Turners Smiths and Wheelers		5	8..	31..	40
		Do. Arm		4	9..	15..	32
		Chissels Iron of Sorts Europe		525	66..	17..	5
		Coal Char	Candagums	2205	128..	4..	16
		Do. Sea	Lbs	9428	54..	30..	6
		Collars Bullock leather		613	46..	..	20
		Compasses Iron	Pair	26	9..	27..	22
		Do. Do. Guage		1	2..	..	..
		Do. Do. Calliber Large		1	..	20..	57

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Do.	Do.	Do. Small	1	"	20	57
Do.	Brass	Pair Repairable	1	"	7	42
Copper Oz		lbs	5½	"	28	70
Cotton		Do.	3	"	8	46
Counter Sinks Smith			7	2	26	"
Cramp Iron for Wheelers or Carpenter			1	"	15	47
Crows Iron			6	12	21	48
Cutting Skaters of Sorts			62	5	38	"
Dammar		lbs	1	"	1	32
Drills			14	1	"	"
Driver Cooper			1	"	12	"
Dungaree		Piece	½	"	20	20
Duppers Common			8	3	23	32
Dyes for Cutting Elevating Screws Set			1	2	13	75
Carried Over Pagodas				8218	12	32
Carried Over Pagodas						70,218 22 23

		Brought forward Pagodas		70218.	22. 23
1806		Brought forward Pagodas		2218.	12. 34
January 31	Engines for cutting Elevating Screw	3		381.	8. 56
	Do. Fire	1		128.	31. 75
	Do. Wood Screw	4		6.	6. "
	Fat or Grease	lb 31¼		1.	6. 4
	Files of Sorts	898		222.	15. 16
	Frame and Wheel for the use of drawing water out the Well at the Yard with Iron Axeltree	1		4.	" "
	Timblets of Sorts	32		2.	16. "
	Glue	lb 75½		6.	35. 10
	Do. Sal Lead	2		"	24. "
	Gouges	20		11.	" "
	Hammers Claw	3		"	38. 74
	Do. Hand of Sorts	125		53.	21. 37

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do.	Masan	6		39	16
do.	Sledge Large Europe of Lorts	23		29	15
do.	do. Country	46		6	24
Handspikes Purchasing		2		35	56
Hob fast		2		4	
Hooks Bench		2		2	
do.	Bill	3		31	61
Hoops Copper		1494		588	11 2
Husk Paddy	Candagums	10½		1	39 72
Indigo		18	155¼	104	23 51
Instruments for Bushing Guns		12		9	30
do.	for cleaning the inside of Gun			1	24

Carried Over Pagodas ... 9983 25 19

Carried Over Pagodas ... 10218 22 23

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		Brought Forward Pagodas			10,288. 22. 23
		Brought forward Pagodas		9983 „ 25. 19	
1806					
January 31st	Irons Beak	32		268. 38 „ „	
	do. Bolt	8	4,392 ½	190 „ 34 „ 36	
	do. Rod	do.	2,180 ¾	91 „ 24 „ 67	
	do. Flat Milled Sheets	do.	327 ½	11 „ 19 „ 54	
	do. Mysore	do.	5,406 5/8	185 „ 23 „ 64	
	do. do. Europe	8	31,952 ¾	55,172 7/8	1914 „ 26 „ 37
	do. Square	do.	23,220 1/8		
	do. of Sorts Working upon hand	lbs.	2,213 3/8	70 „ 34 „ 62	
	do. Old	do.	91,341	1826 „ 34 „ 35	
	do. Single for Planes	92		12 „ 11 „ 16	
	do. Double do.	64		18 „ 20 „ 64	
	do. Fillers for Pit Saws	10		„ 40 „ „	
	Jack Hand Large	1		7 „ 32 „ 46	
	Jars for Oil Large	6		36 „ 12 „ 48	

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6534 Fort St. George 5th October 1805.

Keg Empty		1	"	27	24
Kettles Iron Deep		2	8 "	21	"
Knives Drawing		11	4 "	6	17
Do. Do. Hallowing Coopers		2	"	20	62
Do. Laboratory		8	"	40	"
Lead Red	lbs 268		9 "	20	12
Do. White	Do. 107		"	40	22
Leather Panned Country Side		1/4	"	2	52
Leather Punners with wheels frame and Belt Complete		4	100	"	"
Levels wooden for Bricklayers		2	"	21	"
Locks Pad with Keys Double		10	8 "	21	"
Do. Do. Do. Single		20	8 "	14	44
Mallets wooden		3	"	18	"
Mamoties with Helves		41	12 "	19	40
Carried over Pagodas				14,735	21. 37
Carried over Pagodas				7,218	22. 23

		Brought forward Pagodas		70,218	22	23
1806		Brought forward Pagodas		14,735	25	37
January 31st	Mathematical Instrument Picket cases	2		40	36	72
	Mandrills	25		1	8	"
	Nails Large	lbs 222		21	33	60
	Needles Gunney	9		"	6	29
	Nippers	Pair 2		"	25	58
	Oil Linseed	Gallons 3/8		"	6	64
	Ordnance Brass Mortar 13 Inch 16 wt. 12 3	Old Gurry		119	22	25
	Pincers of Sorts	105		23	18	30
	Planes Iron of Sorts	294		84	11	2
	Plates Screw with Taps of Sorts	53		116	17	20
	Pokers of Sorts	73		13	38	"
	Punches Smith	12		"	12	"
	Rasps File	136		40	6	32
	Rattans	390		1	8	19

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Reel wooden with Line	1		"	20	60
Rivits copper	lbs 2		"	38	46
Rope Country 2 Inch Coils 2					
do do 2½ do do 1	lbs 259		12	10	17
do Europe 4½ do do ½	lbs 326½		31	9	40
do do 3½ do do 1 do	453		43	13	52
Rubbers of Sorts	121		103	20	74
Rulers Carpenter 2 feet	23		6	30	72
Saws Cross Cut	29		129	3	37
do Tellies	1		"	30	"
do Hand	33		31	31	61
do Lock	5		2	30	"
do Pitt with Boxes	22		181	23	60
do Spring	1		2	"	"
Carried Over Pagodas			15,766	8	64
Carried Over Pagodas			70,218	22	23

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		Brought forward Pagodas	70,218	22	23
		Brought forward Pagodas	13766	8	64
1806 January 31st	Saws Tenon	34	35	1	62
	do. of Sorts	2	2	"	"
	Scales Gunter 2 feet	6	2	20	50
	do. Copper with Weights Large — Sett	1	55	"	"
	do. — Wooden — do.	1	55	"	"
	Screw Vice	1	"	38	20
	Screw Plates for Polishing Brushes	2	8	9	"
	do. Wood Small of Sorts Dozens — 1,576		190	18	16
	Setters Axeltree upper and under	4	"	13	"
	Setts Saw Pit	7	26	"	"
	Spirits of Turpentine — Gallons	3	6	40	66
	Spoke Sheaves	4	"	31	52

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Squares Iron and Wood		13		2	7	"
Steel	lb	2549 3/8		143	16	72
Stones Grinding with Iron axeltrees		2		8	6	"
do — Turkey Oil		4		9	37	64
do — Rag		6		"	3	54
do — Wheat		1		"	6	"
Taps and Dyes for cutting Elevating Screws		4		23	27	"
Tar	Bls	3/4		38	35	60
Tar and Grease filled with Keg		1		2	7	62
Tarpaulins Magazine Smalls		6		95	29	32
Tickinburgh	Bolts	12		214	31	16
Carried Over Pagodas				1,688	12	48
Carried Over Pagodas				7,218	22	23

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		Brought forward Pagodas			70218	22 23
		Brought forward Pagodas			16688	12 28
1806 January 31st	Timber Teak of Sorts		Cubfeet 2901	7 9	932	28 18
	Tongs Smith		52		13	" "
	Traces Rope for Cart	Serviceable	86		263	22 16
	do do do	Repairable	4		8	7 16
	do Chain	B Pounder	1		39	25 11
	do do		4		48	25 "
	Tools Turners for Heavy Iron or Brass work	Sets	1		3	" "
	Twine Europe	lb	24		6	18 72
	Vices Iron Bench		10		24	28 20
	do do Hand		91		52	2 22
	do do Standing		70		900	27 10
	Vitty	Bolts	8¼		134	21 7

Wax Buss	lb	155	22	15	55
Wrenches for the nuts of Screw Bolts		14	3	25	"
Yokes Common Pole Serviceable		85	171	9	"
do do Repairable		3	4	1	16
do do Trace Serviceable		117	216	15	78
do do do Repairable		8	9	36	24
do Quadruple Pole		17	58	27	75
do do Trace		8	24	"	"
Model of 8 Inch Howitzer and Carriage		1	50	"	"
do 13 do Mortar and Bed		1	1	"	"
do of Garrison Truck Carriage Large		1	2	"	"
do do do do Small		1	2	"	"
Carried Over Pagodas			19,686	25	8
Carried Over Pagodas			70218	22	23

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		Brought forward Pagodas		70,218	22.23
		Brought forward Pagodas		1680	25. 8
1806 January 31st.	Models of field carriage with a Brass Gun 6 Pounder	1		4	" " "
	Ditto ... Ditto Wooden one do.	1		3	" " "
	Ditto ... of an Ammunition Tumbril	1		2	" " "
	Ditto ... of 10 Inch Mortar Bed	1		1	" " "
	Ditto ... A Depressing carriage	1		"	10 40
	Ditto ... An Hanoverian Truck	1		2	" " "
	Ditto ... A Platform for Night firing	1		1	" " "
	Ditto ... A Travelling Forge	1		"	31 40
	Ditto ... A Field carriage on the Principal of				

Captain Shank of His Majestys Navy	1	2	"

19,696. 25. 8

Total Pagodas ... 8,915. 5. 31

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Signed J. Marshall

Secy and Acct. M. B.

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Dr. Gun Carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam in Account

1806		Pagodas Fs.		
January 31st	To Amount of Articles Tools &c. Remaining on Hand and in use at the Gun Carriage Manufactory on the 31st January 1805	16,621	38	57
	To Amount of a Shed and other Buildings in the Manufactory Yard	5,653	20	42
	To Amount of Military Stores Supplied from the Arsenal of Fort St. George for the Service of the Gun Carriage Manufactory from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806	4,757	15	69
	To Amount of Military Stores Supplied from the Magazine at Ballary from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806	1,184	35	30
	To Amount of Old Iron Supplied from the Magazine at Chandernagherry from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806	729	31	7
	To Amount of Military Stores Supplied from the Magazine at Chittoor in the Month of January 1806	911	35	6
	To Amount of Military Stores Supplied from the Magazine at Gooty in the Month of July 1806	182	4	13
	To Amount of Old Iron Supplied from the Magazine at Gunnacottah in the Month of August 1805	2,185	25	16
	To Amount of Old Iron Supplied from the Magazine at Surah in the Month of November 1805	135	29	32
	To Amount of Military Stores Supplied from the Magazine at Seringapatam from 1st Feb. 1805 to 31st January 1806	10,615	34	70
	To Amount of Payments made by the Paymaster at Seringapatam on Account of the Gun Carriage Manufactory as Agent Salary, Establishment of Artificers, Purchase of Timbers, Contingent Bills &c. from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806	35,326	22	10½
	To balance in favor of the Manufactory on the 31st January 1806	78,304	41	25½
		28,575	33	40½
	Pagodas	106,880	32	66

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Current with the Honble Company from 1st July 1805 to 31st Jany 1806. 6r

1806			Pagodas	Fs.	Cash
January	31st	By Amount of difference in favor of the Manufactory on the 31st January 1805 brought from last account Current	11,312.	6.	73
		By Amount of Barrels &c. Made and dispatched by the Public Agent to the arsenal of Fort St. George in the Months of January 1806	837.10.12		
		By Amount of Ordnance Carriages &c. Constructed by the Public Agent at the Honble Company's Gun Carriage Manufactory and Delivered into the Magazine at Seringapatam as well as those repaired & Painted from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806	6455.29.		
			65536.	12.	41
		By Amount of Platform Carts returned into the Magazine at Ballary in the Month of December 1805	561. 25. 20		
		By Amount of Platform Carts &c. returned into the Magazine at Seringapatam from 1st February 1805 to 31st January 1806	2128. 29. 38		
		By Amount of Arrack and Platform Carts &c. returned into the Magazine at Vellore in the Month of April 1805	971. 39. 4		
			4682.	9.	62
		By Amount of Articles Tools &c. Remaining on hand and in use at the Gun Carriage Manufactory on the 31st January 1806	19,696.	25.	8
		By Amount of a Shed and other Buildings in the Manufactory Yard	5,653.	20	42
		Pagodas	106880.	32.	66

E. E. pr.

(Signed) J. Marshall

Asst & Act. M. Board

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Minute of the Adjutant General

The recent communication to this Board from the Secretary of Government on the subject of the Agency for the supply of Military Stores, has induced me, from near connexion with the late Agent, to obtain the sanction of the administrator to his Estate, for submitting to this Board a statement on the subject, for the information of the Government.

The sudden and most unexpected death of Major Maclean, has prevented the production to the Board of the accounts of his Agency in that perfect form, which I know it to have been his intention to have prepared for submission at a very early period. But I trust the Board will be convinced that no blame could be imputable to him for what was a necessary delay, connected with the avowed object of the Plan he was entrusted to conduct. The object of that Plan was to ascertain by a course of experiment the actual cost of those articles of Military Stores which he, as Agent, was employed to procure, thus affording a criterion for the correction of the Table of Rates which now guides the Estimates for such supplies. Such an experiment could not be made without

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the experience of at least two years. The mode adopted by the late Agent I shall now state to the Board, together with the general result, for the information of Government.

It will be in the recollection of this Board that the Table of Rates prepared by Major Macleane for the Estimate of his Supplies, was nearly 17 Per Cent below the average Rates of Supply under any former System, persuaded that even these reduced prices might be greatly lowered, if those employed on the subordinate duties of the Agency believed the savings made, to be a personal profit to himself, Major Macleane encouraged this Idea, and to stimulate their utmost exertions for his benefit, he allowed the Native Servant principally employed in the collection of the Stores made & purchased 5 Per Cent on the aggregate of Profit to be derived from the difference between the actual rates of purchase, and those ostensibly fixed by the Table of Rates.

The consequence of this arrangement has been a very considerable saving to the Public on every Indent, and, by the application of the sums thus saved to the timely purchase of Stores, when the state of the Markets afforded an opportunity of making such

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purchases on advantageous terms, the late Agent was enabled to keep up a stock of Stores sufficient to answer the public requisitions without exposing himself to the exorbitent demands of the dealers for articles wanted on Emergency, which, if not thus previously provided, must have been purchased by him when required, at any Price however high.

I have now the honor to present to the Board from the administrator to the Estate of the late agent Bills with accounts current annexed in the usual Form, supported by the Indents passed by this Board, and the annexed Receipts of the Commissary at the Arsenal, for all the Stores supplied to the conclusion of the late Agency, which have not been already paid for, and I request, if they are found correct, that such Balances as have not been already sanctioned may be recommended for payment. In the Account Current annexed to the last Bill (№ 2.) credit is given to the Honorable Company for Pags. 13,428. 25. 62. being the Estimated amount of Profit, or saving, on the general disbursements of the Agency, arising from the difference of the actual cost of articles supplied below the Estimated Prices of the Table of Rates. This sum compared with the Amount of those disbursements as charged by the Table of Rates, Viz. 106,005 Pagodas, forms a benefit to the Honble Company of nearly 13 pr. Cent in addition to that resulting from the original reduction in the Table of Rates.

The Statement now given of this Account and Balance

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is the general result, and must be considered as subject to future correction when the detailed accounts can be made up and produced to the Board. This cannot at present be done with that precision which the duty of an administrator requires, as all outstanding claims are not finally adjusted, but the alteration in the general Balance will be trifling if any, and the administrator, in authorizing me to produce the present Statement, reserves to himself the right, on a final adjustment to correct such trifling Error in the Balance on either side, as may then appear to exist.

The Board will perceive that the expenditure of Stores since the Establishment of the Agency, has, from whatever cause, been much less than that of former years, but the advantages of the System now introduced are not the less apparent as they must apply in similar proportion to any extent of purchase.

The death of the late Agent has prevented his confirming by the pledge of his honor, or his oath, the just Statement of the accounts of his agency, but I trust that their internal evidence is ample to prove to this Board and to the Government, that in the execution of the Plan which he himself projected for reducing to a just level the cost of Military Stores, Major Macleane has fully established his claim to that confidence in his Honor, Integrity & Zeal, which led the late Commander in Chief to select and recommend him for this duty, and produced his subsequent appointment by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

So soon as the detailed accounts of the late agency can be prepared I shall propose to the Board a revision of the Table of rates, to guide the Estimates for purchase by the present Agent, some of the Articles of Supply having uniformly cost much more than the prices fixed by that Table, while others, as has been shewn by the general result, have been rated much too high.

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(Signed) P. A. Agnew
Asst. Genl.

A true Copy

(Signed) J. Marshall
A. W. S.

Abstract

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Abstract Account of Savings on Purchase of Military Stores by the late Agent - specifying the Saving on each Indent. -

	Gross Profit on each Indent.			Net Profit after deducting 5 per Cent.		
	Star Pags	Fanams	Cash	Star Pags	Fanams	Cash
On Indent No. 1, 2, and 3	424	27	64	403	17	31
" " No. 4	1141	19	61	1084	16	42
" " No. 5	926	29	53	880	14	55
" " No. 6	207	15	55	196	44	12
" the Order for Bros and Pillows	16	30	,	15	37	40
" do for Camp Equipage	248	33	60	236	14	5
" Indent No. 7	1088	11	69	1033	38	22
" " No. 8	456	29	29	433	36	72
" " No. 10	268	41	28	255	21	23
" " No. 11	65	39	40	62	26	22
" " No. 12	1062	32	48	1009	26	38
" " No. 13	253	37	76	241	6	62

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"	"	No. 12	309	1	55	293	26	28
"	"	No. 15	122	33	42	116	27	25
"	"	No. 16	847	37	13	805	19	45
"	"	No. 17	153	22	65	145	37	34
"	"	No. 18	343	8	56	326	1	41
"	"	No. 19	1261	36	35	1198	32	26
"	"	No. 20	79	29	50	75	30	32
"	"	No. 21	738	22	49	701	25	39
"	"	No. 22	242	31	49	230	25	43
"	"	No. 23	368	17	43	349	43	53
"	"	No. 24	938	43	65	892	1	10
"	"	No. 25	136	44	23	130	6	6
"	"	No. 26	2430	11	25	2308	33	16
			14135	15	23	13428	25	62

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Signed P. A. Agnew

A true Copy

Signed J. Marshall

S. M. B.

Read

6554 Fort St. George 4th. October 1806.

Read also the following Letters from the Commandant of artillery.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

Sir,

From the officer Commanding at St. Thomas Mount. Transmits plan and Estimates of a Lock hospital.

I have the honor to transmit, for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council Plan of a Lock Hospital for this Station. also two Estimates furnished by Native Builders No. 1. 214:-33.- No 2. 175:-39:-46.-

If the Building is made of Brick instead of Mud, an increase of Thirty Pagodas will be required.-

St. Thomas's Mount 27th. September 1806.

I have the honor to be-

&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Robt. Bell

Colonel

To

555. Fort St. George 2th October 1806.

To a House Building with mud Walls.

32 feet Length } For the House
12 feet Breath }
6 feet Varandar Round the house
2 Rooms and a Hall.

			P	F	C
250	Palmars @ 100 for 10 Pagodas		25	"	"
100	Repers @ 100 for 4 Pagodas is		16	"	"
4	Bundy hire		4	"	"
	Large and Small Nails		4	22	"
10	Ceiling Board for Door and Window		20	"	"
	Bundy hire		"	30	"
	Palmar Frame for the Door		"	"	"
	Hooks Hinges small Nail and Latchet		7	22	"
28	Wood Pillar		7	"	"
3	Bundy hire		1	"	"
	Carpenter cooly		14	22	"
1000	Enquire Tiles		5	22	"
11	Bundy hire		"	27	40
25000	Round Tiles		25	"	"
62	Bundy hire		3	21	20
	Chunam		3	"	"
20	Bundy of Sand		1	5	
	Jaggery		"	30	"
	Bricklayer cooly Man & cooly Boys and woman		20	22	"
3500	Wall Bricks		3	22	"
23	Bundy hire		1	12	40
	Chunam for Top the house		4	"	"
30	Bundy of Sand		1	30	"
	Jaggery		1	"	"
		Pagodas	174	21	"

Cook Room and Necessary

10 feet Length } 8 feet Length }
8 feet Breath } 8 feet Breath }

			P	F	C
70	Palmars		7	"	"
120	Repsers		5	"	"
5	Bundy hire		1	30	"
	Large and Small Nails		2	22	"
2	Common wood Door		2	22	"
	Carpenter cooly		4	"	"
	Palamar frame for the Door				
	Hooks and hinges		2	"	"
8000	Round Tiles		8	"	"
20	Bundy hire		1	5	"
	Bricklayer cooly Man				
	cooly Boys & womans &c &c		6	22	"
		Pagodas	40	12	"

Total Pagodas 214 33 "

If Bulk of Brick will be 234 33 –

Estimate

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Estimate to Building the Hall Two Room Varanda Kitchen Necessary.—

Paid for booly for Rest mud wall	10	"	"
To 134 Palamars	19	42	60
To 12 bart for to Bringing	4	"	"
To 300 Reapers	9	"	"
To 5 barts for to Bringing	1	30	"
To 28 Trinkamallee Wood	16	"	"
To 4 bart for to Bring	1	15	"
To 16 Pillow	4	"	"
To 2 bart hire for bringing	"	30	"

Kandy the 1st October 1804.

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Fort St. George 5th October 1806

To 9 biling Board	15	"	"
To 1 carts Hire for to Bring	"	15	"
To 26 Vss of Large Nails and Small Nails	6	22	40
To 12 Hings and 12 Hooks for door	6	"	"
To 6 Vss of Hings and Hook for Windows	1	22	40
To Bolt and Small Nails for door and Window	"	33	60
To 6000 Squire Tiles	3	"	"
To 15000 Tiles	15	"	"
To 43 carts Hire for Bringing	2	39	"
To 4000 Bricks for Paveing floor	4	"	"
To 7 carts Hire for Bringing	"	25	"
To Chunam	3	22	40
To 3 carts Hire for Bringing	"	10	40
To 20 carts of Sand	"	30	"
Carried Over	126	19	40

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Fort St. George the 8th October 1804.

To 9 biling Board	15	"	"
To 1 carts Hire for to Bring	"	15	"
To 26 Vts of Large Nails and Small Nails	6	22	40
To 12 Hings and 12 Hooks for door	6	"	"
To 6 Vts of Hings and Hook for Windows	1	22	40
To Belt and Small Nails for door and Window	"	33	60
To 6000 Squire Tiles	3	"	"
To 15000 Tiles	15	"	"
To 43 carts Hire for Bringing	2	39	"
To 4000 Bricks for Paveing floor	4	"	"
To 7 carts Hire for Bringing	"	28	"
To Chunnam	3	22	40
To 3 carts Hire for Bringing	"	10	20
To 20 Carts of Sand	"	30	"
Carried Over	126	19	40

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Brought Over	126	19	40
To Jaggery			
To 20 Brucklayers	1	"	"
To 90 Boys	5	20	"
To 25 Coolys	3	"	"
To Cooly for fillup the Ground	1	30	"
To Cooly for take the Well	6	"	"
To Cherpenters Cooly	15	"	"
To 10 Sawer	15	"	"
To Pots and Chuttys &c.	1	15	"
	1	"	"
Totab Pagodas	175	39	40
If built of Bruck will be	205	39	40

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Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

To the Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir,

From the officer commanding at the Mount. With a letter from the commandant of Horse artillery, respecting a shed required for the use of that Squadron.

I have the honor to enclose a Letter from Captain Noble Commandant of the Squadron of Horse Artillery, pointing out the necessity of having a small Building for measuring and Boiling Gram for the Horses of the Squadron.

I request you will submit it for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, as such place appears to be requisite.

St. Thomas's Mount
28th. September 1806.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Robt. Bell
Colonel

To

6560.

Fort St. George 1th October 1806.

To Colonel Bell commanding

St. Thomas's Mount

Sir,

When I had the honor to address you formerly regarding some Buildings required to compleat the accommodation for the Horse Artillery at the Mount. I Omitted to include as a necessary work a small shed under which to measure and boil the Gram for the Horses during the rains - a Building on this account is very necessary and might be constructed upon the same place as the Stabling ordered for the Sick Horses - the expence would not exceed fifty Pagodas, and if a building as now proposed should be Ordered, I would recommend its being erected upon the same principle as that for the Sick Horses -

St. Thomas's Mount
16th September 1806.

/Signed/ John Noble.
Captain commanding
Horse Artillery.

Ordered that the following Letter be addressed to the Military Board -

To

6561. Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

To the President and
Members of the
Military Board.

Gentlemen,

To the Military Board desires the Estimates of Expence attending repairs of public Works at Fort St. George may be forwarded - authorizes constructing Guards Rooms required in the Fort of Bellary - G. O. published relative to Stationary for assistants of Corps - doubts the propriety of debiting the value of the Ordnance shipped on the Woodlands & Duncan to His Majesty - authorizes improvement to Salt Petre Terrace at the new Powder Mills at Petamalay, Page 66 as 1807 - authorizes the charge for House rents at Masulipatam and the purchase of two Camels, Peons ordered to clean the Ditch at Vellore - the state of the Gun Carriage manufactory at Trichinopoly - Factory Report regarding the Department of Ingeneer of Supplies to be forwarded at an early period - the duties of that office well conducted by the late Agent Major Macleane - Authority given for the payment of Bills drawn recommended to authorise erecting a building for boiling Grain for Horses of the Horse Artillery - also conditional authority for constructing Cook House at St. Thomas Mount -

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letters of the 15th Instant.

His Lordship in Council is desirous of being furnished as soon as may be practicable with the Estimates of the expence which will attend the repairs of the Public Works and Buildings at Fort St. George, as recommended by the Committee of Survey.

His Lordship in Council gives the authority for constructing the Guard Rooms required in the Fort of Bellary.

His Lordship in Council has been pleased to adopt your recommendation relative to the Supply of Stationary for the use of the Adjutants of Corps in the Service of the Honorable Company,

and

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and a General Order has been published for that purpose -

His Lordship in Council has some -
Doubts of the propriety of debiting to the account of His Majestys
Government, the value of the Ordnance Shipped on the wool-
-wich and Duncan, as it was understood to be an object
of mutual accommodation to relieve the Stores of a description
of Ordnance which could not be converted to any useful purpose
further than for that of Dead Weight - His Lordship desires
however that you will submit the Invoices specifying the -
rate at which you may propose that the account shall be
adjusted. -

His Lordship in Council authorizes
the improvement which you have recommended to the Salt
Petre Terrace at the New Powder Mills, at the estimated
expence of Pagodas 1607-6-

Authority has been given for admit
-ting the charge for a house rented under the authority
of the Officer Commanding at Masulipatam - and His -
Lordship in Council authorizes the purchase which you
have

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have recommended of two Camels.-

His Lordship in Council has resolved that the Pioneers shall be employed in the work of cleansing the ditch at Vellore, and orders will be given by the Commander in Chief for the movement of the Pio=neers to that place.-

His Lordship in Council has observed with much satisfaction the favorable Report which has been submitted regarding the State of the Gun Carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam; and His Lordship considers the management of that institution to reflect great credit on the Superintendent Major Scott.-

His Lordship in Council will be desirous of receiving from you at an early Period the further Report which you propose to submit regarding the Department of the Agent of Supplies- In the meantime the facts exhibited in the Papers recorded by the Adjutant General evince in a satisfactory man-ner the attention and rectitude with which the duties of

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the department were conducted by the late agent Major Macleane; and will remain ... a valuable testimony of the honorable Zeal and fidelity of that intelligent Offi-cer.-

Authority has been given for the Payment of the Bills and advances of money recommended by you.-

I am directed to enclose the Copies of two letters from the Commandant of Artillery, as His Lordship in Council concludes it is necessary that a separate building should be constructed for boiling the Grain for the horses attached to the horse Artillery, I am directed to desire that you will give authority for erecting the building if you should deem it requisite.-

His Lordship in Council also gives similar conditional authority in regard to the proposed construction of a Lock Hospital at Saint Thomas's Mount, but I am directed to observe that His Lordship is not aware of the necessity of incurring greater expense in

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the construction of a Lock Hospital at that Station, than has been incurred at any of the other Stations under this Presidency.—

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5th October 1806.

I have the honor to be.—
&c.a &c.a &c.a
(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt.

Read the following Letters from the Military Auditor General, from the Town Major of Fort Saint George, from the Military Paymaster General, and from the Commander in Chief's Military Secretary.—

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council.—
&c.a &c.a &c.a

My Lord,

From the Military auditor General, Hopes—communicates to His Deputy the approbation of his conduct in proposing by no communication first that he will be allowed an advance of Salary, before proceeding to Sea.—

1 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from Mr. Secretary Strachey addressed to me by your orders under date the 10th Instant.—

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2 In answer to which I have the honor to state that I have with great pleasure executed your Orders by communicating to my Deputy Captain Prendergast your perfect approbation of the manner in which he conducted the duties of my Office during my absence on sick certificate, a circumstance which will I trust not only secure to him your Lordships future favor, but be productive of more solid advantages.—

3 Perhaps I may have erred in asking an advance of salary, but as it has been your Lordship's pleasure to give me leave to go to the Cape, considering me still at the head of my Office until it shall have been ascertained that I have passed that promontory, I trust the Monthly Salary allowed the Military Auditor General will be appropriated to my use and benefit until your Lordship shall be made acquainted with my having proceeded on to England.—

4 Colonel Kerr Military Auditor General at Bombay when he went to Europe on sick certificate + was

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was allowed by that Government one years Salary pre
vious to embarkation, and the Honorable Court of Directors
gave him another years Salary, and without arrogating
to myself, it will perhaps be found on enquiry my asserts
at least equal Colonel Kerr.

5 Your Lordship must be well aware
that necessity and not choice has compelled me to relin-
-quish (I trust only temporarily) the duties of my Office,
from this circumstance, I am induced to hope I shall
not be deprived of those advantages which Colonel Kerr
was allowed to enjoy, who was similarly situated with
myself.-

6 I will however submit the whole
to your Lordships final determination, satisfied that you
have ever expressed the most unequivocal approbation of
my official conduct on all Occasions.-

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

(Signed) J. Brunton

Military Auditor General

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St George 23d Sept. 1806.

To

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To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military and Ster General Pe ponts unfavorably on the claim of Major General Smith to fuls allowances.

1 I have the honor to submit for the consideration and decision of your Lordship in Council the accompanying copy of a letter from Major General Smith Commanding the Northern Division of the Army, and of the Retrenchment to which the Major General's letter has reference.-

2 In the reply given by Major Gener Smith he represents the additional expense which he necessarily incurred by the great extent of Country whic his tour of reviewing the Troops of the Northern Divisio required him to traverse, and in further support of his claim the Major General states that the Officer who preceded him in Command was in receipt of an Extra Field allowance not only when on these tours, but at all times

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times.-

3 In regard to the additional expense incurred by Major General Smith, it appears to require no other observation than that the allowance already admitted to that officer on account of Camp Equipage Viz. 125 Pagodas per Month when compared with the allowance for Camp Equipage drawn by full Colonels / Pagodas 35 per Month / must be considered as ample and competent to defray all expenses attending the number of Tents of different descriptions which a General Officer may be supposed to require on a tour of review, the number of which is not limited or specified in the Regulations.-

4 With respect to Major General Smith's second Observation of his Predecessor having been in receipt of Extra Tent allowance, I beg leave to state that Colonel Campbell of His Majesty's 69th Regiment the Officer alluded to was only in receipt of his Regimental Tent allowance Viz. Pagodas 30 per Month

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Month when he applied for permission to draw the Extra Tent allowance which his command authorized when on Service amounting to Pagodas 22 per Month which your Lordship was accordingly pleased to authorize, as Colonel Campbell was at that time preparing to take the Field and during the subsequent period of his command he was considered entitled to a continuance of the allowance in order to keep himself in constant readiness for Field Service.

5 The whole Tent allowance drawn by Colonel Campbell when in Command of the Northern Division of the Army amounted per month to Pagodas 52-11-11 The Tent allowance already drawn and admitted to Major General Smith amounts per Month to Pagodas 125 as before stated, I have therefore only to add the following Extract from the Regulations of the 12th July 1796 on the subject of the Extra Tent allowance claimed by Major General Smith which has not been allowed to any other Officer similarly circumstanced, and to request your Lordships

orders

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orders for my guidance:- "The General officers upon the
"staff at your Presidency are to receive an aggregate al-
"lowance of 812½ Pagodas per Month in addition to their
"Regimental Emoluments of Pay as Colonel, and their share
"of the profits arising from Clothing in lieu of all Clearms
"whatever, in peace or War except for Camp Equipage
"Carriage &c.a and travelling Expenses, for which they are
"to draw Pagodas 125 per Month, in time of peace, and
"Pagodas 312½ per Month when employed on actual Ser-
-vice in the Field during War.-

Military Auditor Genl. Office
Fort St. George 26th. Sept. 1806.

I have the honor to be.-
&c.a &c.a &c.a
(Signed) I. Brunton.
Military Auditor General

To the Military
Auditor General
Fort St. George

Sir,

I transmit to you a reply to a retrenchment

6572. Fort St. George 2d. October 1806.

furnished me by the Paymaster of Vizagapatam for the difference between Garrison and Field Tent allowance whilst on my annual Tour of Review through the Northern Division of the Army in December. January February and March last - as it would be impossible for me to know the result before I leave India was I to forward the Reply through the Paymaster at Vizagapatam, it will on this account I presume in the present instance not be thought necessary, and I have to request if you find from the explanation I have given, that you are still not at liberty to admit the Charge on record, that it may without delay be submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for his consideration. -

Madras 25th
September 1806 -

Signed D. Smith
M. G.

Extract

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Expences 1805/6

Extract from the Retrenchments made by the Military Auditor General on the Disbursements of Mr. Henry Wilson Paymaster at Vizagapatam and its Dependencies in the Month of March 1806 on account of Expences 1805/6.-

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Vizagapatam Division Staff

20: 21
22 & 23 } Major General D: Smith draws the difference between Cantonment and Field established allowances from 22nd December 1805 to 10th March 1806 at 187½ Pagodas per Month ..... Pag.s 500 →

Which is Retrenched Field allowances being only granted to Major Generals on the Staff when employed on actual Field Service ..... 500 " "

Pagodas .... 500 " "

Signed H. Wilson

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 15th July 1806.-
Vizagapatam 24th July 1806.-

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In reply to this Retrenchment made between the Tent allowance granted to a Major General on the Staff in Cantonment or Garison and when in the Field, I have to state that I always considered an officer on Field allowances when his duty required his being under Tents and in consequence drew that difference, which principle having been lately sanctioned by Government to the Staff of the Army, I trust the same will extend to Officers commanding Divisions whose situations require of them in equipping for a Tour of review very considerable additional expence as much if not more than when taking the Field against an Enemy, and I can add upon honor that the 500 Pagodas which is now retrenched is less than the necessary additional expence that attended my Tour of the Northern Division of the Army from the 22d December 1805 to the 10th March 1806. The extent of this Division makes the Duty of a Reviewing General particularly arduous and before a Tour can be accomplished he travels about Nine hundred

Miles

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Miles - the officer who preceded me in command of this Division was in receipt of an extra Tent allowance - not only when on these Tours but at all other times. -

Madras 25th. September 1806. (Signed) D. Smith

Major General

True Copies

(Signed) J. Prendergast

Dy. Mj. Adt. Genl.

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council. -

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord.

From the Military Audr. Genl. submitting copy of a letter from Mr. Surgeon Gobie relative to the continuance of a Sub Assistant Surgeon to the Lunatic Hospital, also copy of a Memorandum on Passage money for the Officers of His Majesty's 76th Regiment, and papers relative to a claim of J. Delcosta formerly employed as a Writer &c. at Vizagapatam to arrears of Pay &c.

I have the honor to lay before your Lordship copy of a letter from Mr. Surgeon Gobie to the Military Paymaster at Fort Saint George, dated the 18th Instant (Marked A), relative to the continuance of the Sub Assistant Surgeon attached to the Lunatic Hospital - it may perhaps be your Lordships pleasure to direct, in

consequence

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consequence of the circumstances stated by mr Gobie, that the Sub Assistant Surgeon to whom he alludes may be continued at the Hospital under his /Mr Gobies/ superintendance, in lieu of the Native Doctor included in the Establishment of the Lunatic Hospital at Bombay which is what Mr Gobie is desirous of effecting. The Pay and allowances of the Sub Assistant Surgeon amounts to Pagodas 25-3-11- per Month- That of the Native Doctor to Rupees 20-11 or Pagodas 5-30-0-11-

2 I have also the honor to submit, for the decision of your Lordship in Council, the accompanying Copy of a Retrenchment /Marked **B**/ from the Disbursements of Major J. Campbell, Paymaster of Company's allowances to the Kings Troops in the Month of September 1805- on account of an overcharge of one Rupee per day in the passage Money drawn for the Officers of His Majestys 72d Regiment during the Voyage from Bombay to Madras in August 1805, amounting to Pagodas 88-0-11 together with a Copy of the Reply of Mr W. Pelsey, late Paymaster to that Regiment

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3 The Regulations of this Presidency allow 2 Rupees per day for each officer proceeding on duty from Port to Portin India as passage Money besides the difference between the half and full Batta of their Rank, but the Paymaster of the 74th Regiment has drawn Passage Money at the rate of 3 Rupees per day for each officer, during the Voyage from Bombay to Madras besides the difference between the half and full Batta of their Rank, and it became my duty to retrench the differ-ence between the sum drawn and that allowed by the Regulations, Viz. One Rupee per day for each officer; it will however rest with your Lordship in Council to determine whether the retrenchment may be remitted in consequence of the circumstances stated by the late Pay-master in support thereof.-

4 I take the opportunity of sub-mitting for the consideration of your Lordship in Council at the request of the Military Paymaster General the accom-panying papers / C / relative to a claim of Frances D'Costa, who

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who was formerly employed as a Writer, &c. in the Pay and Store Departments at Vellore, for arrears of pay from the Month of September 1780 to December 1784 Amounting to Pagodas 832-11-11-

5 This claim was referred for my opinion by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council on the 20th February 1802, and I had the honor to report thereon on the 4th of the following Month / March / but the Governor in Council did not consider the circumstances which had been stated at that time, sufficient to remove the objections arising from the remote period of the claim.-

6 The circumstances which appear to have occasioned the delay in bringing forward this claim are stated by D. Costa in the accompanying Copy of a letter addressed to the Chief Secretary to Government, under date the 6th April 1805, and another Certificate is now produced from Mr. J. H. Casamajor, who Certifies that D. Costa was employed under him in the Pay and Store Departments at Vellore, and that he left him / D. Costa / in the Office when he was succeeded, as

Paymaster

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Paymaster and Storekeeper at Vellore, by Mr. Ogilvie in the year 1778. Mr. Cas Majors certificate corroborates the other testimonials in favor of D.r Costas character, and states that he was an able diligent and attentive Servant.

I In the event of its being your Lord-
-ships pleasure to authorize the payment of the claim in question, I beg leave to recommend that D.r Costa be required, previous to his receiving the money, to de-
-clare upon Oath, before a Magistrate that he has not already received the Pay which he now claims, and
that he has not received from the Honorable Company
/nor from any of the Paymasters or Storekeepers at Vellore/
any remuneration whatever over and above his Batta
/as stated in Captain Bailies certificate/ on account
of his Services in the Pay and Store Departments at
Vellore from September 1780 to December 1782.

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

/Signed/ J Munro Maj.r Gen.l

To

Military Auditor Gen.l Office
Fort St. George 26th Sept.r 1806.

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To Joseph Greenhill Esqr

Military Paymaster

Fort St George

Sir,

Having been furnished with an Extract of a letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department to the Deputy Military Auditor General, dated the 2d August 1806, which directs, that the claim preferred by me, on account of the Establishment for Servants at the Lunatic Hospital may be admitted, deducting from the Amount, the Pay of a Sub Assistant Surgeon employed under my Orders— I request, you will be pleased to communicate to the Military Auditor General for the information of Government, that it is with the utmost regret I am under the necessity of soliciting the notice of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, to a part of the above order which sanctions the allowance for a Native Doctor, deducting the Pay of the Sub Assistant Surgeon employed there.—

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The allowance for a Native Doctor in the establishment for Servants, is 20 Rupees per month I cannot pretend to say at what rate such a person may be procured at Bombay, but will venture to assert, that a Native Doctor in all respects qualified for this situation at the Lunatic Hospital here, is not to be obtained at a more reasonable rate, than a Sub assistant Surgeons pay in the Honorable Company's Service. I therefore humbly solicit, that Government should they deem it necessary, will be pleased to discontinue the allowance for a Native Doctor, and permit their Sub Assistant Surgeon to do duty as hitherto at the Hospital for Lunatics, his long experience having rendered him very conversant on the mode of managing the unhappy Patients and his constant residence, and unremitting attention making his services there, truly Valuable.

Madras 1st September 1806 Signed Jno. Goldie Surgeon
Superintendant of the
Lunatic Hospital

A true Copy
Signed J. Brunton
Secy to Govt

Extract

6582.

Fort St. George 2th October 1806.

Extract of Retrenchments from the Disbursem

of Major John Campbell, Paymaster of Company's allowanc

to the Kings Troops, in the Month of September 1805.

No. of Vouchers	74th Regiment of Foot:	Ps.	Fs.
24	Captain Tolfrey, Charges Passage Money for 22 Days from Bombay to Madras at 3 Rupees per Day, for 5 Captains 6 Lieutenants 1 Adjutant 1 Quarter Mr. and 1 Assistant Surgeon Amounting to Pagodas	264	—
	Admitted at the rate of 2 Rupees per Day, that being the established rate of Passage Money allowed by the Regulations of this Presidency to Officers proceeding on duty from Port to Port in India	176	—
	The Overcharge is inadmissible and Retrenched	88	—

A true Extract

Signed John Campbell.

Paymr

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Fort St. George 4th. October 1806.

Reply

The Captains of the Vessels employed in conveying the 74th Regiment to this Presidency were informed by the Bombay Government that they would receive Passage . . . Money at the daily rate of three Rupees for each officer, agreeably to the Regulations of that Establishment, but that this allowance could not be paid to them until their arrival at Madras as it was impossible to foresee the exact duration of the Voyage.—

Confiding in the above promise on the part of the Bombay Government the Captains of the Transports regulated their Expences for the accommodation of the Officers in proportion to the Rate of Passage Money which they understood was to be paid them on their arrival at Madras.—

On becoming acquainted with these circumstances, I thought it my duty to fulfil the reasonable Expectations of the Ship Captains, by drawing, & paying to them Passage Money for the Officers of the 74th Regiment at the Bombay

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Bombay rate of three Rupees each per day instead of adhering in this particular Instance, to the Madras Regulations by which only two Rupees per Day are allowed for each Officers Passage Money.-

The above Explanation will I hope enable the Military Auditor General to remove this Retrenchment without a Reference to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, but should such a Step be necessary, I trust that his Decision will be favorable, especially as it is wholly out of my Power to recover the Amount of the Retrenchment in the event of its being enforced against me.-

(Signed) Wm. Tolfrey

Late Paymaster 74th Regiment

Extract of a Letter from William Tolfrey Esqr. late Paymaster to His Majesty's 74th Regiment to Major Campbell Deputy Paymaster General King's Troops. Dated Columbo 15th July 1806.-

"Amongst those I am concerned to observe

"one for Pagodas 88-4-1. on account of an overcharge of 1 Rupee per

day

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"any Passage Money for 22 Days from Bombay to Madras
"for the Officers of the 74th Regiment. I was led to believe that
"my Explanation of the Motives which operated with me
in making this charge, would have afforded the Military
Auditor General sufficient Grounds for removing the Re-
trenchment above alluded to, but since it has failed to pro-
duce that effect, and as I cannot now for obvious reasons
collect the Amount from the Officers of the 74th Regiment
who ought to be called upon to refund their respective proportions
of it - I have to request that the circumstances of the case may
be submitted to the consideration of the Right Honorable the
Governor in Council, on whose Equity I confidently rely for a
favorable Decision. my Books are at Madras, and may if nec-
essary be consulted to prove that every Officer has had Credit at
the rate of 3 Rupees per Day - Passage Money from Bombay
to Madras, and the same Books will likewise shew, that each
Officer paid at the rate of 5 Rupees per Day to the Captain of
the Ship for his Diet, whilst on Board, so that even admitting
the charge of three Rupees per Day which has been made for
them

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them, Table money, they are evidently no Gainers by that Allowance."—

/A true Extract/

/Signed/ John Campbell

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ J. Brunton

Dy Asst. Genl.

To the Military

Auditor General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to lay before you, copy of a Letter from Mr. Paymaster Greenhill with the claim prefered therein, from Francis D'Costa formerly writer in the Pay Department at Vellore, and which I have to request may be submitted to Government for their sanction.—

Fort St. George

25th August 1806.

I am &c &c &c

/Signed/ B. Roebuck

Dy Pay. Genl.

To

0587. Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

To the Military

Paymaster General

Sir,

I beg leave to enclose you copy of a letter and abstract &c. presented to me by Francis de Costa late writer at Vellore; for the arrears of Pay and allowance due to him at the former war, supported by the certificate from Mr. Casmajor and others, under whom he served - and request you will be pleased to procure, the Orders of Government for its being passed. -

Fort St. George

25th August 1806.

/Signed/ J. Greenhill

Paymaster

To the Military Paymaster

Fort St. George

Sir,

I beg leave to submit to you a Claim to arrears of Pay due to me as Clerk in the Pay Department at Vellore; but which for want of sufficient Documents, I was not able fully to state. -

I have

6588.

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I have the honor to enclose your a certificate which I have obtained from Mr Casamajor, who recently returned to the country, as also the abstract of Arrears - the Military Paymaster General's certificate, the certificate of Mr Ogilvey and Captain Baillie, upon which I humbly trust, my Claim will be admitted by Government.

I am,

Fort St. George
25th August 1806

&c &c &c

Signed Francis deBosta

A true Copy

Signed J Greenhill

Paymaster

True Copies

Signed B. Roebuck

Maj. Pay. Genl

To George Buchan Esq.

Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

Finding all my efforts for the recovery

of

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of my Claim for Arrears due to me by Government not having been deemed sufficient, I once more beg leave to intrude on your Goodness as the only proper Channel to pursue in the absence of Mr Marson the late Paymaster of Vellore, stating the cause of the delay in not having applied my Claim in proper time, which I humbly request your Goodness will be pleased in Compassion of my distressed circumstance to make known to the Right Honourable the Governor in Council.-

I humbly beg leave to inform you, that I have served the Honorable Company for upwards of 24 Years as a Clerk in the Pay Office at Vellore, and was regularly paid for until the Invasion of the Country in the year 1780 by Hyder ally Cawn when all the Inhabitants and Native Servants dispersed and abandoned, the Garrison. I was the only person left entrusted in the Pay and Store Department by the Paymasters from the above period to the year 1784 during which time, Night and Day I attended - while the Enemy were besieging the Garrison from this laborious

fatigue

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fatigue and hardship I undergone, found myself much impaired of my health. In the year 1784, after the peace been concluded with Hyderally Cawn, I applied for leave from Mr. Thomas Ogilvie then Paymaster to repair to Madras, after having obtained from him and the Gentleman acted for him Captain J. Baillie the necessary Certificates to settle my own private affairs at Vellore has taken some time in the year 1786, I arrived at Madras where I continued about 4 years under the prescription of a Dutch Doctor, but finding the disease without any material difference from Nervous complaint it verted into Hypocondriak disorder by the advice of the said Doctor in the year 1790 I was obliged to remove to Negapatam where I continued a long time without any relief, and from thence removed to far as Tutecorym; a Native Doctor treated me with much Efficacy than any former ones, in this dilemma I have entrusted all my Papers and Documents to a relation of mine who was then employed

as

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as Clerk to the late Mr Hugh Boyd Master attendant
to make application in my behalf to Government for
my arrears, but unfortunately the relation of mine
have entrusted these papers to the said Mr Boyd to use
his interest towards the recovery of the same, and long time
has been elapsed without any effectual steps been taken
and in this interval Mr Boyd died in 1794, the Certificate
were left amongst his papers, with much difficulty and
researches they were found in 1798, when I myself so
much recovered from my tedious complaint, and repair
to Madras in 1800 from which time I procured the Certificate
from the Paymaster General after reference to Bombay
granted and waited for one Season, through whose neglect
they should be presented as advised to me by the late Master
Sirring that without any application would not be save the
Weight, as for the length of time that has been past the stores-
without making an earlier application I humbly hope
that this my candid declaration would meet the gracious
disposition of His Lordship in Council, to and fill Payment
this

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discharge of my just claim as has been admitted of several others who were under the same predicament of mine, as I have night and day for upwards of 3 Years attended in issuing out Military Stores, while at that critical period which I may confidently refer to the Testimonies of several Military Officers then present Vizt. Colonels Dallas, Thomas Parr, Robert Sale and Robert Strange then Lieutenants and Colonel Sappage then Captain and several others.

I have the honor to be.

&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Francis D'Costa

True Copy

(Signed) J. Greenhill

True Copies

(Signed) J. Brunton

Secy. Govr.

These are to certify that the Bearer hereof Francis deCosta, Writer to His Highness the Nabob, who did attend and discharge his duty with the utmost attention, in such business

St. George April 1805.

6593.

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business as he was directed under the Paymaster, and he had the management of Issuing out Provisions, Artillery and other Stores to the Entire Satisfaction of the Troops from the Beginning to the end of Hyders Invasion in the Carnatick he has received only his Batta from the Company-

Vellore 31st July 1782.

Signed J. Baille
Actg Paymr

A true Copy
Signed J. Greenhill
Paymr.

This is to certify that the Bearer hereof Francis De Costa Clerk, to his Highness the Nabob did assist, and discharge his duty with the utmost care and attention at Vellore, from the Beginning to the Decision of Hyders Invasion, in Carnatick in such business as he was ordered to observe, and have the management of Issuing out Provisions Artillery and other Stores-

Vellore 31st December 1784-

Signed W. E. Ogilvie Paymr.

A true Copy
Signed J. Greenhill Paymr.

This

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Fort St George

21st January 1802

This is to certify that no pay appears on the Books of my Department to have been paid to Francis Debosta late Writer in the Paymasters Department at Vellore from the 1st of September 1780, to the 31st December 1784.

Signed Ben: Roebuck

Military Paymaster Gener

A true Copy

Signed J. Greenhill

Paymaster

One Francis Debosta, who was one of the Pay masters Writers at Vellore, when I was Paymaster and Store Keeper, has at this distance of time applied to me to certify that he received pay as a Writer employed in that Depart I can certify that Francis Debosta, was employed, that I found him in the Office, and that I left him at Vellore, wh Mr. Thomas Ogilvie succeeded me, I can also assert that D Losta was an able diligent and attentive Servant, that the gr

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share of the business of both Departments Paymaster and Storekeeper was copied by Debosta, and that he in consequence received the greater share of the charge of Twenty Pagodas per Month charges for Writers - Debosta says he received 12 Pagodas per Month, and I believe him, and to the best of my recollection he did receive what he avers, as the Brahmin Writer was new in office, and was not acquainted with the manner the Storekeeper's Accounts and Returns were made out. Mr. Ogilvie succeeded me at Vellore in the year 1778 - how at a Period so remote Debosta, can have any arrears due of Pay he must explain, but from the character he bore during the time he was a Servant under me in my office, I think he has a claim to the testimony I now give - applying to his Services at the Station where he was employed for many Years -

Fort St. George.
19th July 1806 -

Signed Ja: Hy: Casamajor

To

6596.

Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

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

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General Pabs rably submits a memorial from an Examiner of his office soliciting a Pension.

Importuned by a most deserving man of my office, John Luke Thorpe, I lay the enclosed Memorial before you, to his conduct in office, I have the pleasure to state that it has been uniformly correct and examplary, his present pay is Pagodas Sixty per Month as an Examiner of accounts, and his hope is that your Lordships will be pleased to Allow him two thirds of such as a Pension, his own health is greatly on the decline and with his death his family will be entirely destitute.

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 26th Sept. 1806.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
Signed J. Brunton
Military Auditor General

To

6597.

Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George

The Memorial of John Luke

Thorpe Clerk in the Military

Auditor General's Office.-

Fort St. George.-

Humbly Sheweth.

Your Memorialist with the greatest

deference and submission begs leave to represent to your

Lordship in Council, that he has from the close of the year

1784 up to the present period excepting only of a few months

which intervened in changing from one line of the Service

to another, had the honor to serve the Honorable Com-

-pany in different situations for a period of two and twenty

years as follows-

Your Memorialist from the year

1784

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1784 to about the close of the year 1786 has served as will appear on record at the India House, London, on board the Honorable Company's Ship the General Coote in a Voyage to Saint Helena and China round early in the year 1787, Your Memorialist entered into the Honorable Company's Military Service in which he continued till the year 1792 three years of which your Memorialist was employed on actual Field Service with the Honorable Company's 4th Battalion European Infantry in the Army, under the Command of Generals Sir William Meadows and the Marquis Cornwallis, and as a testimony of your Memorialists conduct whilst he served in that line, he begs leave to enclose a Certificate granted to him by the late Lieutenant Colonel George Ure who was your Memorialists Commanding Officer for some years. your Memorialist also begs leave to state to your Lordship that he had received other testimonials of his conduct with strong recommendations for the appointment of Sergeant Major to the late 18th Battalion Native Infantry

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all which he delivered to Colonel Close then Adjutant General of the Army, but previously to your Memorialists being appointed to that situation, he was recommended by his friends to Colonel Henry Malcolm the former, and to Colonel James Brunton the present Military Auditor General, in whose Department he has been ever since embracing a period of nearly 15 years which completes the 22 Years before mentioned and for a testimony of his services in discharging with integrity and diligence the important duties entrusted to your Memorialist in the Department of the Military Auditor General during the long period he has had the honor to serve under Colonel Brunton and his predecessors, your Memorialist trusts to that Gentleman's love of justice, which has always been acknowledged the distinguishing characteristic, & his disposition to satisfy your Lordships in Council on that head.—

Your Memorialist in detailing the length of his servitude to the Honorable Company begs

leave

6600 Fort St. George 2th October 1806.

leave to bring to the notice of your Lordship, near two Years that he served on board His Majestys fleet employed in India under the Command of Vice Admiral Sir Edward Hughes, previous to his entering the Honorable Companys Service, and of his having shared in the Memorable Battle off Cuddalore in June 1783, while cooperating with the Honorable Companys Army then before that Place, which if your Lordship will be pleased to admit to his credit on the score of Servitude, your Memorialists Services will amount to a Period of four and twenty Years—

Your Memorialist sincerely regrets the occasion that induces him now to address your Lordship in Council, but his infirm state of health renders it unavoidable, he therefore begs your Lordship's Permission to state that for the two last Years his health has suffered much, by a complication of diseases Viz. an expectoration of blood which has brought on a debility— and a gradual consumption, together with the gravel Complaint

which

6601: Fort St George 4th October 1806.

which during the last three Months had almost proved fatal to him, has so much impaired your Memorialists constitution that he finds it impossible, from his frequent inability, to continue to discharge his duty in the Office to the approbation of his Superiors or with satisfaction to his own Mind, and as your Memorialists further endeavours to hold with Credit the situation he has so long held in the Military Auditor Generals Office may hasten his dissolution, your Memorialist is compelled to solicit from your Lordship's known benevolence and liberality a provision for the future support of himself and family consisting of a Wife and five Children, which your Memorialist is encouraged to look up to, after a Service of four and twenty years the greater part of which he has diligently and faithfully served the Honorable Company, and your Lordship's favorable consideration on the claims of your Memorialist will ever excite a lively sense of Gratitude in him, who as in duty bound will

ever

6602. Fort St George 4th October 1806.

will Pray.-

Madras 26th August 1806. Signed John Luke Thorpe

Condapellee 15th December 1798

This is to certify that John Luke Thorpe was a Private Soldier in the European Company of the 4th Regiment which I had the honor to command, and that his merits in every point of view attracted my particular Notice - so much, so as to induce me to have him always near myself, as my confidential Orderly - the same observation of his merits induced the Commanding Officer to attach him to the drill - as one of the most expert in the Corps.-

My leaving the Regiment, and his soon after quitting it too was the cause he was not promoted to Serjeant - and that on the Staff, would soon had followed -

If any arrangement is making to form a Corps of Militia, John Luke Thorpe is qualified for any Rank in it - and I am persuaded his abilities to wield the Sword (as well as the Pen) will do honor to the new Corps -

and

6603.

Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

and the more so, as his Rank may be elevated.-

/Signed/ George Ure

To the Chief Secretary

to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that

From the Town Major states that he has authorized the admission of a Moormanin to the Lunatic Hospital.-

I have Authorized the admission of Boudoo a Moorman into the Lunatic Hospital agreeably to the accompanying Certificate.-

I have the honor to be-

&c. &c. &c.

/Signed/ T. Thompson

Town Major

Town Majors Office

Fort St. George 23d. Sept. 1806

I do hereby Certify, that I have examined Boudoo, a Moorman, and find him under mental derangement, therefore think him an object for the Lunatic Hospital.-

/Signed/ Terence Jahagan M.D

1 2nd Member Med. Board

September 23d. 1806.

To

6602. Fort St George 4th October 1806.

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My leaving the Regiment, and his soon after quitting it, too was the cause he was not promoted to Serjeant - and that on the Staff, would soon had followed -

If any arrangement is making to form a Corps of Militia, John Luke Thorpe is qualified for any Rank in it - and I am persuaded his abilities to wield the Sword as well as the Pen, will do honor to the new Corps -

and

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and the more so, as his Rank may be elevated.-

(signed) George Abe

To the Chief Secretary

to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Town Major states that he has authorized the admission of a Moorman into the Lunatic Hospital.-

I have the honor to inform you that I have Authorized the admission of Bundoo a Moorman into the Lunatic Hospital agreeably to the accompanying certificate.-

I have the honor to be -

&c. &c. &c.

(signed) J. Thompson

Town Major

Town Majors Office

Fort St. George 23d. Sept. 1806

I do hereby certify, that I have examined Bundoo, a Moorman, and find him under mental derangement, therefore think him an object for the Lunatic Hospital.-

(signed) Terence Jahagan M.D

& 2nd Member Med. Bd.

September 23d. 1806.

6604

Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Town Major states that he had authorized the admission of a Moorman into the Lunatic Hospital.-

I have the honor to inform you that I have authorized the admission of Rohummun an inhabitant of Madras, into the Lunatic Hospital agreeably to the accompanying Certificate.-

I have the honor to be.-

&c. &c. &c.

/Signed/ F. Thompson
Town Major

Town Majors Office
Fort St. George 30th Sept. 1806.-

This is to certify that I have examined Rohummun a Moorman, and find him under mental derangement and recommend that he be sent to the Lunatic Hospital.-

September 30th 1806.-

/Signed/ Terence Gahagan M. D.
and Bumber Medical Board

George

6605

Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

George Buchan Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Military Paymaster General forwards copy of a letter from Captain Campbell explanatory of the grounds of his claim to an Extra Office Establishment.

I have the honor to enclose a letter from Captain Campbell late Commissary of Grain Provision and Cattle Northern Field Detachment of this date, which I take the liberty of requesting you to lay before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, as it contains so full a justification of what Captain Campbell has asked, that I hope the circumstances brought forward will induce His Lordship in Council to comply with his Request.-

Fort St. George
28th September 1806.

I am,
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) Ben: Roebuck
Asst Pay. Genl.

To

6606

Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

To B. Roebuck Esqr.

Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 28th Instant with the enclosed Extract of Proceedings of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council in the Military Department dated 18th Instant.

The Military Auditor General in his Letter dated the 27th Instant says that "Captain "Campbell has given little or no Explanation, nor stated "for what Period the Servants were required" I beg therefore to state during the Period I held the Appointments of Commissary of Grain, of Provisions and of Cattle, and also of Agent for Public Cattle to the Northern Field Detachment, a Period of nearly three Years, it was my constant Endeavor and Practice to keep my accounts regular and to transmit them as soon as possible in the succeeding

month

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Fort St George 4th October 1806.

Month this is mentioned by the Military Auditor General, but it will be found on reference to the Dates of Transmission of my accounts, the Period differed materially according to circumstances, and to the Nature of the service on which the Troops were employed, my accounts for March were transmitted on the 10th and 26th April and those for April on the 25th May, the long halt of the Detachment at Pudnapoor while on Service against the refractory Zemindar of Vegianeger and after at Bhimacole to receive Pay for the Troops enabled me to make up my accounts for those Months at the usual time, from that Period the constant Marching of the Troops untill their Arrival at Masulipatam the 30th June and also my necessary absence from the Detachment, having proceeded in advance to Vizagapatam &c. to procure the necessary Supplies in readiness, put it out of my Power to [illegible] any thing towards finishing and forwarding my accounts untill after my Arrival at Masulipatam, and in consequence I was unable to forward my Accounts for May untill the 5th

August

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August and those for June untill the 28th August. I should hope that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council would consider my regularity in transmitting my accounts during the period of my being employed rather in favor of my being allowed what I consider and declare upon my Honor to be absolutely necessary to compleating my accounts, than as a Bar to it, which consequently would operate as a punishment to me for such Regularity.-

The Office Establishment allowed me by Government a list of which I had the honor of forwarding amounted to 92 Star Pagodas per Month 45 Pagodas of which was for English Writers who were necessarily retained by me untill my accounts were finished and found to be correct, the latter end of August a Period of two Months after the abolition of my Appointments a further Sum of 33 Pagodas was for Comicoplies or Native Writers and for a Cash Keeper whom I trust it will be evident to Government I could not discharge untill all the accounts were examined and found to be correct, as ... had I discharged them in a hurry

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it would then have been out of my power to have corrected any inaccuracy in their accounts after their Departure - as most of them had been brought some hundred Miles from their Places of Abode and of course could not be detained without their pay for any time more especially as they had rather to extract some Renumeration for their Journey back, and it consequently became necessary for me to retain them the same Period as the former Description of Servants: the remaining Sum of 16 Pagodas was for Measure Men, Peons and Massalgies, the receipt of the Government Order was about the 10th Inst. and they were discharged as soon after as possible, but as they had to return to their Homes a distance of some Hundred Miles I conceived it only just to pay them up to the end of the Month as some remuneration to them for their long Journey -

I have to request you will be so Kind as lay this Statement before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council who I trust will with their usual

consideration

6610. Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

consideration grant me an adequate allowance to cover the expences I have been necessarily put to for the Public Service.

I have the honor to be.

&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Jn. Campbell Captain late Comy. Gn. P. G. Battle A. F. D.

True Copy

(Signed) Bn. Roebuck

Asst. Pay. Genl.

George Buchan Esqr.

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

From the Secretary to the Commander in Chief. Requests that Lieutenant McNeale of His Majesty's 84th Regiment may be permitted to draw his Pay and allowances to Europe, on account of the Bombay Government.

Vizery 29th September 1806

Lieutenant McNeale of His Majesty's 84th Regiment has received the Permission of the Right Honorable Lord Lake to proceed to Europe and is detained at this Presidency waiting for a Passage.

I have the honor to request that you will be pleased to issue the proper authority for

Lt.

6611. Fort St George 4th October 1806

Lieutenant McNeale to draw his Pay and allowances on account of the Bombay Government, during the Period that he may be detained here.-

Fort St George
2d October 1806.

I have the honor to be.-

&c &c &c

(Signed) Thos. Reynell

Military Secretary

Ordered that the following Letter be dispatched to the Military Auditor General.-

To Lieutenant

Colonel Brunton

Military Auditor General

Sir,

Sarat

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letters of the 23d and 26th Ultimo.-

2 His Lordship in Council has resolved that you shall be permitted to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope, and eventually to Europe for the recovery

To the Military Auditor General. Permits his proceeding to the Cape of Good Hope and eventually to Europe for the recovery of his health, and if that is not established of returning his Office, but is totally interdicted from complying with his request of a continuance of his official Salary - Major General Smith not considered to have a claim to Field Tent allowance of a Genl Officer, on his Leave of absence - continues the Assistant Surgeon in the Lunatic Hospital, but allows of his charge for a Native Doctor in that case - Relieves the late Paymaster of His Majesty's 74th Regiment

6612. Fort St. George 4th. October 1806.

Regiment from the Re-
-freshment on account of
Extra passage - resolves
that the claim of the Writer
Francis Debosta be adjusted
as proposed for his services
&c. - Also allows the Writer
J. L. Thorpe 15 Pagodas
per Month pension for life
Enclosed copies of Letters -
respecting admitting two
patients into the Lunatic
Hospital, & desires he will
state his opinion regarding
the claim of the late Paymas
-ter of the Northern field De
-tachment to additional
allowance for Servants -
also to authorise payment
of bills and advances re-
-commended and to admit
the charge for a house
hired for the purpose stated
in the Extract inclosed -
desires he will authorize
payment of Pay and allow-
-ances of Lieutenant &c.
-male of His Majesty's 84th.
Regiment. -

recovery of your health. -

3 If the restablishment of your Health should enable you to return to this Presidency without proceeding to Europe, His Lordship will have great satisfaction in authorizing you to resume your present Station; and in assigning to you the arrear of Salary - which may have become due in the intermediate period - As His Lordship will consider your former services to have amply entitled you to that indulgence. -

4 If however a necessity should exist for your availing yourself of the permission to proceed to Europe, His Lordship in Council apprehends that it would not be practicable to authorize the continuance of your official Salary, without departing from the positive and repeated Orders of the Honorable Court of Directors - His Lordship has no Knowledge of the circumstances - under which the Government of Bombay have acted in the Payment of the Allowances of the Military Auditor General at that Presidency, but there is no Precedent at

this

this Presidency which could enable his Lordship in Council to authorize an extension of allowances similar to what is stated to have occurred at Bombay, and the indulgence has been specifically interdicted under any circumstances.-

5 His Lordship in Council has no doubt that in adverting to these facts, you will be satisfied of the impossibility of meeting your wishes to the extent which you have suggested, which His Lordship would have been happy to have done if the measure had not been opposed by insuperable objections.

6 His Lordship in Council is of Opinion under the explanation which you have stated, that Major General Smith cannot be considered to have a claim to the Field Tent allowance of a General Officer while employed on his tours of inspection.-

7 His Lordship in Council authorizes the continuance of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon employed in the Lunatic Hospital under the direction of the Superintendent

Superintendent, but no charge will of course be in that case incurred for the employment of a Native Doctor.

8 His Lordship in Council is pleased to relieve the late Paymaster of His Majesty's 75th Regiment from the Retrenchment on account of extra passage drawn for the Officers of that Corps, as it appears to have been drawn under erroneous information, and as the Amount cannot now be recovered from the Officers of the Corps.

9 His Lordship in Council has been pleased to resolve that the claim of the Writer Francis Debosta shall be adjusted in the Manner which you propose, in consideration of the testimonies which have been produced of his good conduct and services, and of the proof which has been stated, of his having received no allowance during the period for which he now claims remuneration. You will accordingly take the necessary measures for requiring that person to attest his Claim on Oath.

10 In consideration of your recommendation of the Writer in your Office named J. L. Thorpe, His Lordship

in

Fort St. George 1th October 1806.

in Council has resolved to allow him a pension during his life equal to half his present pay, being fifteen Pa-goodas per Month.--

11 I am directed to enclose the copies of two Letters from the Town Major of Fort Saint George, reporting the admission of two Patients into the Lunatic Hospital.--

12 I am directed to refer to you the enclosed copy of a letter from the Military Paymaster General with a Copy of its enclosure, containing a farther explanation from the late Paymaster of the Northern Sub Detachment, in support of his claim to an additional allowance for Servants. His Lordship in Council desires that you will state your Opinion regarding the circumstances now represented by Captain Campbell.-

13 I am directed to desire that authority may be given for the payment of the Bills and advances of Money recommended in the enclosed extract of a Letter from the Military Board.-

14 His

6616.

Fort St George 4th October 1806.

His Lordship in Council desires that you will admit the Charge for a house which has been hired under the authority of the Commanding Officer at Masulipatam for the purpose stated in the enclosed extract of a letter from the Military Board.

I am directed to enclose the Copy of a Letter from the Military Secretary of the Commander in Chief, and to desire that you will authorise the Payment of the pay and allowances of Lieutenant Mr. Neale of His Majestys 84th Regiment, and debit the Amount to the Presidency of Bombay.

Fort St George
5th October 1806.

I have the honor to &c. &c. &c.
(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Secretary to Government

Read the following Letter from the Accountant General.

To

6617. Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Accountant General. Transmits Statements of receipts and disbursements on account of the 1st Regiment Native Pencibles up to 30th April and to 31st July last.

Para 1. I have the honor to forward accompanying two Statements of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the 1st Regiment Native Pencibles from the formation of that Corps to the Quarters ending 30th April and 31st July last.-

2 These accounts have been unable to prepare at an earlier period for want of the necessary information from the Office of the Military Paymaster General which was only received here on the 20th Instant.-

I have the honor to be.-

&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Cecil Smith

Accountant General

Fort St. George

Accountant Generals Office

22nd September 1806.-

Statement

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Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the 1st Regiment Native Fencibles from the formation of that Corps to the 30th April 1806.-

	Net Receipts									Military Expences commencing 1st May 1806.-			Result						Balance owing by Individuals on account of Subscription on the 30th April 1806.-		
	Individual Subscription commencing 1st April 1806.			Additional Duty on Bulk commencing 1st June 1806			Total						Surplus			Deficiency					
	Pagodas	Fs	Cs	Pagodas	Fs	Cs	Pagodas	Fs	Cs	Pagodas	Fs	Cs	Pagodas	Fs	Cs	Pagodas	Fs	Cs	Pagodas	Fs	Cs
Total to the end of last Quarter or to 31st January 1806.-	14447	38	28	29132	13	46	40580	9	74	47652	28	55	"	"	"	6972	18	61	"	"	"
Total from 1st February to 30th April 1806	1851	36	14	3635	8	59	5487	"	73	6638	19	57	"	"	"	1151	18	64	4172	37	37
Grand Total	13299	30	42	32767	22	25	46067	10	67	54191	6	32	"	"	"	8123	37	45	4172	37	37

400 Broad Cloth supplied from the Imports not included in the above Expence - - - - - 1631 4 38

Deduct Balance owing by Individuals - - 7755 " 3
4172 37 37

Net Deficiency - - 5582 4 46

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22nd Septr 1806.-

(Signed) Cecil Smith
Accountant General

Statement

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Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the 1st Regiment Native Fencibles from the formation of that Corps to the 31st July 1806.

	Net Receipts			Military Expences commencing 1st May 1806.-	Result		Balance due by Individuals on account of subscription on the 31st July 1806.-
	Individual subscription commencing 1st April 1806.-	additional duty on Batta commencing 1st June 1806.-	Total		Surplus	Deficiency	
	Sa Ps ∱ ℔	Sa Ps ∱ ℔	Sa Ps ∱ ℔	Sa Ps ∱ ℔	Sa Ps ∱ ℔	Sa Ps ∱ ℔	Sa Ps ∱ ℔
Total to the end of last Dr or to 30th Apl 1806	13,299 30 42	32,767 22 25	46,067 10 67	64,191 6 32	" " "	8123 3 45	" " "
Total from 1st May to 31st July 1806	1,345 7 49	2,111 19 3	5,456 26 52	9,638 40 35	" " "	3,982 13 63	2740 41 27
Grand Total	14,644 38 11	34,878 41 28	51,523 37 39	63,830 4 67	" " "	12106 9 28	2740 41 27

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22nd September 1806.-

Add Broad Cloth supplied from the Imports not included in the above Expences 1631 4 38
13737 13 66
Deduct Balances due by Individuals 2740 41 27
Net Deficiency 10996 14 39

(Signed) Cecil Smith
Accountant General

Resolved

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Resolved that reference be made in the

Resolution thereon General Letter, about to be dispatched from this department

to the foregoing Statements.

Read the following Letters from the Prize

Agents for Lieutenant Colonel Brown's Detachment, and

from the Seringapatam Prize Committee.

To George Strachey Esqr.

Military Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Prize agents for Lieutenant Colonel Brown's detachment — Propose a mode of providing security for the payment of the prize property that remained in the hands of the late Captain Smith on account of Lt. Col. Brown's detachment and request a decision on their claims as prize agents to a per centage —

We have had the honor to receive your Letter of the 16th Instant, and beg you will assure the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the prize property that remained in the possession of the late Captain Harry Smith Treasurer to the Agents appointed by the Detachment under Lieutenant Colonel Brown in the late Mysore War would have been tendered at the time we had the honor to address His Lordship on the 17th Instant had we been aware such a measure would have been approved of

J.

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It appears by Captain Smiths papers that the amount collected by him on account of the Captors of Seringapatam exclusive of Grain which — River Nerl
Mr. Hurdis at that time Collector South of the took charge of by Order of Government is as follows — Cash

	Ps.	fs.	b
collected in the Southern Detachment —	627	—	—
Cash received from Lieutenant Mungo Campbell	170	—	—
Total Star Pagodas	797	—	—

as Security for which the Trustees for the Estate beg permission of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to lodge in the Genral Treasury an 8 per Cent New Loan promissary Note for 1000 Pagodas dated 22nd. July 1802 made payable to Captain Webb Stone and William Linley Esqr. Sub Treasurer as Trustees. —

The Prize Agents of Colonel Browns Detachment never entertained an Idea till lately that the Prize Agents of the grand Army Wished to get into their hands the Funds appropriated by the Honorable Court of Directors to the Payment of that force to exclude them from a participation in the Percentage arising therefrom, We therefore trust His Lordship in Council will

excuse

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excuse the trouble we have occasioned and favor us with such a decision on the claim we had the honor to submit on the 11th. Instant as its justice may appear to merit.

We have the honor to be

&c. &c. &c.

Signed C. Bruce Major one of the Prize agents for Colonel Brown's Detachment.

Signed W. Lindley Trustee as Sub Treasurer for the time being for Captain Smiths Estate.

Signed Webb Stone

Trustee for Captain Smiths Estate.

Madras
22d. September 1806.

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

My Lord,

In consequence of the Junior Member and acting Secretary Captain W. G. Maughs having obtained

From the Committee for adjusting the final distribution of Nunga-patam Prize Money. Stating that as their Secretary is about to proceed to Europe it will

your

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will be necessary that the papers in his hands be delivered over to some other person - Captain Kearsberg will have great pleasure in undertaking the charge -

your Lordship in Council's sanction to proceed to Europe by the present Ships now under dispatch. The Members now present at Fort Saint George of the Board of Officers appointed for the final adjustment of Seringapatam Prize Funds beg leave to state to your Lordship in Council the necessity of having the papers and Documents now under his Charge relative to its proceedings delivered over to some person appointed in the Room of Captain W. G. Maingh by your Lordship to receive the same -

It may not perhaps be improper to state for the information of your Lordship, that Captain Kearsberg now present at Madras will have great pleasure in officiating in the duties of Secretary in the Room of Captain W. G. Maingh -

We have the honor to be with the greatest respect -

&c. &c. &c.

J. Braeston
J. Munro
T. Boles

Fort St. George
24th September 1806 -

(Signed)

Ordered that the following Letter be dispatched to the Prize Committee -

To

6624.

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To the Committee of
Seringapatam Prize Money

Gentlemen,

To the Committee of Seringapatam Prize Money allows the transmitting duties of Secretary to their Committee to Captain Heasberry requires the same to state as soon as possible their opinion on the claim of certain Officers appointed Prize agents for Colonel Brown's Detachment during the last Mysore War, to participate in the agency allowed to the Prize agents of the Army.

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th Ultimo, and to acquaint you that His Lordship in Council concurs in your recommendation for transmitting the duties of Secretary of your Committee to Captain Heasberry.

I am directed to take this occasion of referring to your consideration the Copies of two Letters which have been received in the names of the Officers who appear to have been appointed to act as Prize Agents for the detachment which served under the command of Colonel Brown during the last Mysore War, as a claim has been preferred on the behalf of those Officers to participate in the agency allowed to the Prize Agents of the Army; it is His Lordships desire that you will state as soon as may be possible your opinion regarding the grounds of that claim.

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

Signed G. Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt

Fort St. George
5th October 1806.

Read

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Read the following Letter from the Contractor for Victualling the French Prisoners of War.-

To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that in consequence of severe indisposition I have been induced to solicit permission to proceed to Sea in the Honorable Company's Ship Asia, and that Captain Thompson has been kind enough to charge himself with the care of Victualling the Prisoners of War during my absence, which arrangement will I hope meet with the approval of Government.-

From Captain Warburton states that Captain Thompson has undertaken to charge himself with Victualling the Prisoners of War during his absence on sick health.-

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25th September 1806.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) G. Warburton

6626. Fort St George 1th October 1806.

6627. Fort St George 4th October 1806.

6628. Fort St. George 4th October 1806.

Read the following Letter from the late Paymaster at Trichinopoly, and from the Paymaster at Vellour.

To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

Sir.

From the late Paymaster at Trichinopoly Regrets that any part of his conduct should meet with the disapprobation of the Government, will lose no time in occupying his new Station.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter to me dated the 10th Instant, and in reply beg leave to express my very great concern that any part of my conduct should have excited the disapprobation of the Right Honorable the Governor. In obedience to His Lordship's Commands I shall be prepared to deliver over the Charge of my present situation to Mr. Wetherell, and thereafter to proceed with all possible dispatch to the station which His Lordship has been pleased to appoint me to.—

I have the honor to be.—

&c. &c. &c.

Signed Wm. Mainwaring
Paymaster

Trichinopoly
17th September 1806.

To

6629.

Fort St George 4th October 1806.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
President and Governor in Council
Fort St George

My Lord.

From the Paymaster at Vellore Requesting on account of ill health to be allowed to reside at Pondicherry, and states the Paymasters house at Vellore to be uninhabitable.-

I hope your Lordship will excuse my troubling you at this busy Juncture, and that the necessity of the case, plead my Apology.-

I am concerned to acquaint your Lordship, that I have had exceeding ill health, since I have been at Vellore, under this unpleasant circumstance, I take the liberty of observing to your Lordship, that as Pondicherry, is in my range of Payment, I should consider it as an act of great indulgence, if your Lordship will grant me permission to transfer my Residence thither - I have also to remark, that I shall take the necessary measures that the Publick Pay affairs at all other Stations under me, should not be misguided by my removal from Vellore, but that they should be managed with equal diligence and the same degree of attention by my residing at Pondicherry -

I further beg leave to observe to

your

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your Lordship, that had my health admitted of my residing here, that the House allotted to the Paymaster in the Fort having been condemned by a Committee of Survey, for the purpose, it is not safe to inhabit - should your Lordship therefore be pleased to acquiesce with my request, it is my wish to remove before the Monsoon sets in in these Districts.-

Since my arrival at Vellore, I have occupied a Bungaloo I have rented close to the Hill, which I have been assured would not be proper to inhabit in the rainy Season.-

I have the honor to be with great respect-

Vellore 1st October 1806.

&c. &c. &c.

Signed C. Dent

Paymaster

Ordered that the following Letter be dispatched to the Military Paymaster General.-

To the Military Paymaster General

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honorable

To the Military Paymaster General desires he will state whether the

the

6631.

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the Paymaster at Vellore can be permitted to reside at Pondicherry without interfering with the convenience of the public Service.

the Governor in Council to enclose the copy of a letter from the Paymaster at Vellore containing an application for permission to reside at Pondicherry. His Lordship in Council desires that you will state whether a compliance with that application would be liable to interfere with the convenience of the public Service.

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5th October 1806

I am,
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt.

Read the following Letter from the Secretary at Bombay.

To George Buchan Esqr.
Chief Secretary to the Government
at Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay. Requests copy of the Regulations of this Government for the recovery of retrenchments against the estates of deceased officers.

I am directed to request that you will be pleased to submit to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the wish of the Honorable the Governor in Council to be furnished with a copy of the Regulations existing at Fort St. George for the recovery of " " Claims on

account

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account of Retrenchments against the Estates of deceased officers of the Army under that Presidency.-

Bombay Castle
9th September 1806.

I have the honor to be-

&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) F. Warden

Secy to Govt.

Order thereon

Ordered that the Military Auditor General be desired to prepare for transmission to Bombay a copy of the Regulations mentioned in the foregoing Letter.-

Read the following Letter from the Military Auditor General.-

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

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General Reports on bills presented by the Commander of the Sarah Christiana on account of a part of His Majesty's 59th Regiment conveyed from England to this Presidency-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from the Chief Secretary to Government of yesterday's date, directing me to examine and adjust as soon as

may

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may be practicable certain charges of the Commander of the
Extra Ship Sarah Christiana on account of a part of
His Majesty's 59th Regiment which was conveyed from
England to this Presidency on board of that Ship" which
I shall immediately do- in the mean time I have the honor
to report to your Lordship in Council as follows.-

2 The Bill No 1 contains charges for
Harbour allowance for the Military and amounts to £
386-"-" these charges are exactly similar to those pre-
ferred by the Commanders of the Extra Ships Glory and
Union, which your Lordship in Council was pleased to
resolve "should be referred for the determination of the
Honorable Court of Directors" agreeably to the suggestions
contained in my Reports to your Lordship for those claims
under date the 5th May and 2nd June last, I therefore beg
leave to propose that the present Claim may likewise
be referred to the determination of the Honorable Court.-

3 The Bill No 2 contains passage
Money for one officer and Charterparty allowance for 150 Non
Commissioned

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Commissioned and Privates, 2 Women and 1 Child of His Majestys 59th Regiment received on board as stated in the Bill by order of Commodore Sir Home Popham at Saint Salvadore on the 17th November 1805, and amounts to £ 737-10-0 Captain Mackeson has not produced the order from Sir Home Popham for receiving these people on board his Ship, but, as it is presumed he is in possession of that document, I shall endeavor to get a copy of it from him - a deduction of £32-10-0 falls to be made from this Bill owing to the Passage Money of the Officer being short drawn by £10-0-0 and the Charter party allowance being overcharged in the sum of £ 12-10-0 the Passage Money for the Officer is charged at £95-0-0 instead of £105-0-0 and the Charter party allowance is charged at £15 instead of £ 14-0-0 - 2

The Bill No3 is for 7 Dozen of Port Wine served out to the Sick of the Detachment of His Majestys 59th Regiment during the Voyage, and amounts to £ 16-16-0 Charges of this kind seldom occur, but when they do they are admitted on a Certificate upon honor from the Officer in charge

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Charge of the Troops, certifying that the Articles were &c. were indispensably necessary and actually furnished for the use of the Sick - if this document cannot be obtained I propose passing the Bill on the declaration upon honor of the Commander of the Ship to the above effect.

5 The Bill for Harbour Allowance &c. is accordingly herewith returned.

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I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
Signed J. Braeton
Dy Audr Genl

The Board approve the mode in which Resolution thereon the Military Auditor General has adjusted the claims of the Commander of the Honorable Companys Extra Ships Sarah Christiana, which appear to be capable of adjustment in this Country, and it is Resolved that the further Claim of Captain Mackeson on account of "Harbour Allowances" be referred to the Honorable Court of Directors.

Ordered that the following Letter from

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From the Military Auditor General be Recorded.

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c &c &c

From the Milty Auditor General Submits a Statement in detail of all Military Expences for the Year 1805/6, also an Estimate for 1806/7 for transmission to the Honble Court of Directors with an Analysis of the Work & Seperate Copy of the address preceding the Work enclosed.

My Lord,

It being annually a duty incumbent on me to lay before your Lordship in Council a detail of all the Military expenses incident to the Army serving under this Presidency, as the same stood on the 30th April of each year, I have now the honor to submit that statement for the year 1805/6, Estimate for 1806/7, for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, accompanied by an Analysis of the Work; I have also the honor to enclose a seperate Copy of the address to your Lordship in Council which precedes the Work, particular pains having been bestowed on both the preliminary address and the Work itself, it will afford me great pleasure if they are considered worthy of your approbation.

I have

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Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St George 10th July 1806

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
Signed J. Braunton
Actg Aud. Genl.

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

My Lord.

1 It being a material and important part of my duty to submit to your Lordship in Council /Annually/ for transmission to the Honorable Court of Directors of the Honorable East India Company, a /Statement/ in detail /of/ the whole of the Military Disbursements on account of the Army under this Presidency, I have now the honor to lay that work before you for the year 1805/6, together with an Analysis of it.

2 This Statement, My Lord, has been compiled with every attention to correctness, and the results

on

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on a comparison with the Statement for year 1804/5, is as follows.

1804/5	Pd.			1805/6			
Establishments	76,31,311.	22:	52	Establishments	7352,092	23	8
Extra Charges	15,32,715:	10:	16	Extra Charges	98,98,72	2:	56
Total Pagodas	91,64,026:	32:	68	Total Pagodas	83,47,965	25	64

3 From the above comparison it appears that the Military Expenditure of the year 1805/6 is less than that of the preceding year by the sum of Pagodas 8,16,061.7.4. which extensive reduction is to be attributed principally to the Peace recently established with the confederated Mahratta Chiefs, and the consequent return to Quarters of the Troops which had been employed in various directions, and in considerable force, on Field Service. at all events, My Lord, it affords me more pleasure to find that my Estimate has exceeded the actual expense incurred in the amount of the difference before stated, than that it should have fallen short of it in that sum, and the result will, I trust, prove equally satisfactory to your Lordship in Council, and the Honorable Court of Directors, who have already expressed their sentiments

on

6639. Fort St. George 5th October 1806

on the manner in which all Estimates of Military Expences should be drawn out, Viz.t that they should rather exceed than fall short of the actual expense incurred.

I beg leave however in this place to point out to your Lordship in Council, and to account for the difference between the amount of my probable Estimate for the year 1805/6, submitted in the Annual Statement of 1805/5, and the expense which appears by actual Disbursement to have been incurred, for the purpose of convincing your Lordship that the Probable Estimate abovementioned was at the time it was framed as correct as circumstances would admit Viz.t

Probable

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Probable Estimate ....
of Military Expenditure under the
Presidency of Fort Saint George
for the year 1805/6 ..... } 85,58,437 11 7

Deduct

Amount of Establishments and Extra
Charges actually Disbursed in the official
year 1805/6, as appears by the present
Annual Statement ..... } 834,965 25 64

Difference between the Amount
of the Probable Estimate and the
Actual Expence incurred ..... } 210,521 27 23

Carried forward Pag.e 210,521 27 23

Which

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Brought forwd. Pags. 210,521 27 23

which is accounted for as follows.-

First Decrease of expence on account of His Majestys 73d. & 74th. Regiments and the Regiment De Meuron embarked for Europe 28,382 " "

Second Difference between the amount paid for Gram for feeding the Horses of the Cavalry in the years 1804/5 & 1805/6 the expence incurred on that account in the former year having exceded the latter in the sum of..... 10,967 " "

Third Decrease of Expence on account of Bombay Troops serving under this Presidency in 1805/6, the Amount of which has been placed to the debit of Bombay Presidency and consequently not included in the present Statement 20,574 " "

Difference Pagodas 8,947 27 23

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5 The items forming the above decrease your Lordship will perceive could not possibly have been foreseen when the Probable Estimate for the Official year 1805/6 was formed, and the small difference of Pagodas 8,94,27.23 in an Estimate of such an extensive nature, will it is presumed, be considered too trivial to require explan

6 With a view more effectually to meet the wishes of the Honorable Court of Directors, I added the sum of Pagodas 1,15,896.-.11. 13. to the Probable Estimate f the year 1805/6, in order to cover, undefined contingencies and alth' no event occurred to require such a disbursem yet the propriety of the measure will no doubt be readi admitted by your Lordship, and the Honorable Court, on a consideration of the various circumstances likely to occur every year to swell the expences of such an extensive ar as that of this Presidency.- Under the same consideration I have added the sum of Pagodas 100,000 to the Estimat of the Current Year.-

7 In proceeding to form an Estimat

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the Public Expensis under this Presidency in the Military Department for the year 1806/7, it is With much satisfaction I am enabled to calculate on the following extensive reductions, which the present tranquil state of the Territories under your Lordships Government affords strong reason to hope will not be opposed by the intervention of any material increase of expense to reduce its effect on the Public finances beyond what is set off against it under the head of "Probable Increase".-

Probable

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Probable Increase.-

1	On account of Pay and allowances to His Majestys 59th Regiment of Foot which arrived in India about the commencement of the present official year, estimated for 11 Months and 22 Days at	85,588	"
2	On account of Pay and allowances for 3 Months to His Majestys 69th Regiment, the expence of which in the past official year was paid by this Government only for nine Months and a half	17,617	"
3	Increase of expense on account of Repairs of Fortifications and Military buildings the excess estimated for the year 1806/7 at	32,776	"
4	Estimated amount of the loss by exchange incurred by the Troops serving with His Highness the Nizam, which is in the contemplation of Government to make good to those Troops	34,426	"
	Probable Increase carried over	172,207	"

Probable Decrease

1	His Majestys 73d and 74th Regiments having proceeded to Europe in September 1805 a decrease of 4 Months Pay and allowances exclusive of three Months full Batta gratuitously granted to the Officers of the latter Regiment is calculated in the Military Expences of the Year 1806/7 amounting to	28,382	"
2	His Majestys 4th Swiss Regiment De Meuron having proceeded to Europe early in February 1806, a decrease of 9 Months pay and allowances is effected in the Military Disbursements of the Official year 1806/7 amounting to	32,918	"
	Probable decrease carried over	61,300	"

Probable

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Pagodas Fs. 6.

Probable Increase Brought Down 173,207 " "

5 Increase of expense arising from the Establishment of a Permanent Corps of Dooley Bearers under the Command of a Commissioned Officer Estimated for 11 Months at ..... 40,000 " "

6 Increase of Expense under the head of Public Cattle arising from an addition of 50 Elephants received from Bengal which for 12 Months is calculated at ..... 21,600 " "

7 Increase of Expense arising from one additional General Officer / Major General Fuller / being received on the Establishment which is calculated / including his staff / for 10 Months at ..... 10,000 " "

8 Estimated amount of additional expence in consequence of Government having been pleased to authorize the Payment of an allowance to the Different Corps of the Army which shall establish Regimental Messes ..... 10,000 " "

Total Probable Increase — 253,807 " "

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Probable Decrease Brought over ... 4300 " "

The following reductions of Field Charges are Estimated for the official year 1806/7 in consequence of the return from Field Service of the several Detachments serving in the undermentioned Countries and the Probability of their not being again called out Viz.

3 Field Charges of the Force lately employed in Wynaad incurred in the official year 1805/6 ... } 33,570 " "

4 ... Ditto ... Ditto in Bellary ... 1,17,460 " "

5 ... Ditto ... Ditto in Cuttack ...

6 ... Ditto ... Ditto in Travancore ... 30,699 " "

7 ... Field charges of the Force lately employed at Poonah, the Subsidiary Force serving with His Highness the Peishwah having been transferred to the Bombay Presidency ... } 63,166 " "
1,83,699 " "

8 Estimated reduction of extra Field Charges of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force, including the Department of Victualling the Europeans, the Bullock Agency, and the Dooley Contracts of Native Corps which have been abolished ... } 329906 " "

9 Probable saving in the price of Grain for the Cavalry with exception of two Native Regiments, the saving of which is included in the Estimated reduction of the expenses of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force ... } 30,000 " "

Total Probable Decrease — 859,796 " "

Abstract

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Abstract

	Pr. Fs.	b
Amount of Probable Decrease	85,796	" "
Amount of Probable Increase	253,807	" "
Difference in favor of a Decrease	605,989	" "
	Pag. Fs.	b
The actual Military Disbursements of the official year 1805/6 as shewn by the result of this Statement Amount to	83,57,965	26 32
The Probable reduction which is Estimated for the official Year 1806/7 Amounts to	6,05,989	" "
Probable Estimate for the Year 1806/7 ... Pagodas	77,51,976	26 32
Add to cover undefined Contingencies	1,00,000	" "
Making the Sum of Pagodas	78,51,976	26 32

as the probable Amount (including Contingencies) of the expenses of the Military Department in the Official Year 1806/7.

8 The foregoing Statement of Probable Increase and Probable Decrease will enable Government to judge how far the Estimate I have formed is likely to be realized, which your Lordship in Council will be pleased to recollect must in a great degree depend on circumstances but to the

unforseen

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imperfectly known to me, Viz.t the Political State of public affairs, equally in regard to the European Pow-ers as to the Native Princes of India, and of which a Government alone is competent to form a correct judgement.—

9 I have not stated any Decrease in the public Expenditure of the year 1806/7 as likely to be produced from the Probable departure for Europe of His Majestys 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons—and 94th Regiment of Foot, as the former is expected to be replaced by a Regiment of Light Dragoons from Bengal, and the latter in the event of its embarkation by the first fleet of next year, will probably not produce any saving of sufficient magnitude to notice in this work, for supposing the Regiment to embark in February, the advance of Pay and the Passage Money of the Officers would nearly if not fully counterbalance the saving produced by the departure of the Regiment three Months before the expiration of the official Year.—

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10 The Probable departure for Europe of the French Prisoners of War now at Poonamallee is also omitted from similar considerations in the calculation of Probable Decrease of the present official Year.—

11 Having thus detailed the Increase and Decrease which are considered probably in the Military Expenditure for the current Year, according to the information which has reached me, and in which no additional Force from England is calculated on, it is proper to notice to your Lordship in Council, that if any new Regiments shall arrive for this Presidency, a proportional addition of expence must take place in the present probable Estimate—and in order further to provide for those events which in almost every year occur to increase the public Expenditure, however unforeseen or improbable such a circumstance may be at this Moment, I will suppose the necessity of a mixed force of Six Thousand fighting men taking the field for six Months of the current year, the Extra Expence of which would Increase the Estimate as

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as follows.-

	P	F	b
Amount already stated as the Probable Military Expenditure for the Year 1806/7.	78,41,976	26:	32
Extra Expense of Six Thousand Fighting Men on Field Allowances for one Month.-			
1 Regiment of European Cavalry 500 Strong	4193 "	"	
1 Co. European Infantry, 100 Strong	838 "	"	
1 Co. Native Cavalry, 500 Strong	5190 "	"	
3 Companies of Artillery, 300 Strong			
9 Companies Gun Lascars, 450 Strong	2318 "	"	
3 Battalions of Native Infantry 3000 Strong	6855 "	"	
Staff and all other incidental Charges proportionate to a force of the above stren. 9th	3600 "	"	
Total Extra Expence for one month Pag.	25,597 "		
For Six Months	153,582 "	"	
Total aggregate Estimate for the year 1806/7. Pagodas	79,95,558	26.	32

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12 Since the calculation of reductions in the expense of the Troops serving with His Highness the Nizam, I have been informed that the order to discontinue the Victualling of the Europeans serving with that Force has been suspended by the President, should it ultimately be deemed expedient not to carry that measure into effect, the estimated reduction on that account, Viz.t Pagodas 63,212. - - - will become an Increase to the Amount of the Estimate for the 1806/7.

13 As the expense of the Corps of the Dooly Bearers may appear at first View to be considerable, I beg leave to state a few observations which must naturally occur on a consideration of the circumstances which induced Government to embody that Corps, the additional expence of which it is confidently expected will be very considerably reduced by its being employed in time of Peace in the carriage of the sick of Corps / European and Native / marching from one Station to another, and the carrying of Treasure and Stores of various kinds which have hitherto / in different

Departments

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Departments of the Service, been a heavy Charge to
Government, but of which no Estimate is at present made,
as the Corps is yet so much in its infancy, that the saving
of this year can be but trivial in a Public point of View -
but supposing the expence of the Dooley Corps to be a
positive Increase, it would be fully compensated by
the benefit which the European Army in particular
will derive from this useful and indispensable class
of men being attached to the Service, in the first place
a great impediment to the March of Corps, on short
Notice, is removed by the Establishment of the Dooley
Corps, and the lives of many valuable Soldiers saved,
which hitherto have been, but too often, sacrificed
by the insufficiency of carriage of this description
owing to desertion of the bearers, which the regula-
tions established for the present Corps are eminently
calculated to prevent. -

12 The destitute state in which the
Families of these Men remained in time of War by the

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the bearers not being permitted to allot a portion of their pay to be paid to their Families, in the same manner as the regular Army on Family Certificates, and the hardship which the Dooly Bearers themselves experience by not being included in the indulgence granted to Native Troops of receiving rice from the public Stores at certain Moderate rates when the prices becomes exorbitant in the Bazar, are amongst the former grievances, which the present System has removed, and it is also a material public advantage that the Bearers carrying Arms will render them not only independent of the protection which has hitherto always been required to be allotted to the Sick, but on occasions of Emergency they may be considered as an addition of strength to an army in place of being as formerly a source of incumbrance to the fighting Men, Dooly Bearers for European Corps required in the proportion of Six Bearers to every 10 Europeans or 480 Bearers to a Regiment of 800 Strong, half of which number of bearers it is presumed would be sufficient during an action to protect the sick of the Corps and the remainder might of course be subject to be called on to act offensively against an Enemy.—

15. The usual Statement of Staff appointments is prepared to this Work, and a Separate and distinct Statement shewing the aggregate amount of the expence Peace and Field of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force for the official year 1805/6

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1805/6 is also included, Vide Page 227; the Poonah Subsidiary Force having been transferred to the Presidency of Bombay, a Statement of the expense of that Force is omitted.

11 I have the honor to report to your Lordships in Council that the extensive business of my Office is now in its usual state of forwardness, the accounts of Paymasters being audited up to the latest practicable period, and re-audited as far as the replies of Paymasters have been transmitted for that purpose. I have also the satisfaction to state that all references to me from Government have been replied on up to the present date.

Military Auditor Genl Office
Fort St George 18th July 1806.

I have the honor to be &c &c &c
(Signed) J. Brunton Asst Auditor

Ordered that the Military Statement Order thereon and Analysis mentioned in the foregoing Letter be transmitted to the Honorable Court of Directors by the present Dispatch

A Bentinck

Mc Dowall

W Petrie

J Oakes

R Hyde Ffranck

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Diary.

5th

Sent the following Letters entered in

M. B. Nos. 4.5.6.7.

To the Military Auditor General. Directs

To the Military Auditor General.

a Copy of the Regulations mentioned in the Copy of a Letter from the Secretary to the Government at Bombay may be prepared for transmission to that Presidency.-

To Ditto. Desires he will authorize an

To Ditto.

advance of Six Months' pay to Mr. Assistant Surgeon Williams of His Majesty's 69th Regiment.-

To the Military Paymaster General. Trans-

To the Military Paymaster General.

mits Copies of Reports from the Military Auditor General on the additional Estimates of Cash required by the Military Paymaster at Fort St. George and the Paymaster at Trichinopoly.-

To Ditto. Transmits Copy of the Military

To Ditto.

Auditor General's report on the additional Estimate of Cash required by the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings' Troops.-

Received and Sent the following Letters

entered in M. B. No. 8.9.-

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell. Requests

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in chief.

authority for an advance of pay to Mr. Paymaster Serjeant of His Majesty's 34th Regiment.-

From

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell - Re=

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief

=quests authority for the payment of passage allowance to Captain Campbell of His Majesty's 74th Regiment.-

'To the Military Auditor General - Au=

To the Military Auditor General.-

=thorising the payment of Bills and advances of Money recom=

=mended in the enclosed Extract of a Letter from the Military Board dated 8th September.-

7th Received and Sent the following Letters entered in M. B. Nos 11. 12. 13.

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell -

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief

Submits application for an advance of Subsistence from Major Overend. Lieutenant Cracroft and Captain Hay.-

From Ditto - Requests authority for an

From Ditto

advance of pay to the Officers of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons, and such Officers as are about to return to Europe on Sick Certifi=

=cate.-

From Mr. Wetherell - Returns his security

From the Paymaster at Palamcottah.-

Bonds Signed.-

To the Military Auditor General - De=

To the Military Auditor General.-

=sires he will give the necessary Authority for payment of passage allowance to Captain Campbell of His Majesty's 74th Regiment, and of Six Months' pay in advance to Mr. Paymaster Serjeant of His Majesty's

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Majesty's 34th Regiment.-

8th

Sent the following Letters entered in

M. B. No. 15. 16.

To the Military Auditor General Desires

To the Military Auditor General.

he will give the necessary authority for payment of the advances mentioned in the enclosed Copies of Letters from the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

To Ditto- Desires he will report on

To Ditto

papers enclosed relative to an unadjusted Balance of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons.-

The following Minute is ordered to be Recorded.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief

As the Volunteering from His Ma-

Minute of the Commander in Chief.

jesty's 19th Light Dragroons appears to have, in a great Degree, subsided, I take the earliest Opportunity of bringing to the View of Government the Number of Officers, and the probable Number of Men belonging to that Corps, and also the Number of Officers of other Regiments, and of Invalids of His Majesty's Troops, that will have to proceed to Europe in the present Fleet.-

There may, from unavidable Circum-

stances, some alteration take place in the Statement, previous to the time of the Fleets sailing, but I deemed it most proper to give the earliest Information on this Head possible, that the Marine

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Board may be furnished with the necessary Instructions, for preparing Accommodation, and making the due Arrangements with the different Commanders of the Honorable Company's Ships.-

	Officers	N. Commis.ry and Private.
19th Light Dragoons	26	250.
In Charge of Invalids	3	"
Invalids	"	150.
Officers on Sick Certificate	4	"
An Officer of 77th Regiment his Corps going home from Bombay	1	"
Officers, to proceed by the Fleet who are to defray the Expence of their Passage	6	"
Total	40	400.

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9th October 1806.

/Signed/ J. F. Cradock.
Lieut.t General.

Memorandum

The Names and Rank of the Officers in the above Statement are contained in the Paper, which accompanies this Minute.

/Signed/ J. F. Cradock.
Lieut.t General.

Officers.

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Officers Names and Rank proceeding to

Europe by the Fleet.-

19th. Light Dragoons — Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy

Majors — Catheart.

" Hennery.

Captain — Lisle

" Sale.

" Skelton.

" Wilson.

" Giels.

" Spinluffe.

Lieutenant — Sir G. Twite, Bt.

" Young.

" Crooks.

" atkins.

" Chapman.

" Dunbar.

" Heighley.

" Martin.

" Wilson.

" Gladwin.

" Buckle.

" Saunders.

" Anderson.

Paymaster — Captn. Neville.

Surgeon — Murray.

Ajst. Sugeon Allordyce

Vetty Surgeon Erratt.

In

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Officers

In Charge of Invalids.

19th Regt. of Foot Captn. Macdonald.

69th Do. — Captn. Machlachlan.

66th Do. — Lieut. Kinder.

Officers going home on Sick Certificate entitled to Passage Money.

94th Foot — Lieut. Munro.

— Astt. Surgeon Scott.

69th — Astt. Surgeon Williams.

34th — Lieut. Wm. Baker.

77th Regt. — Lieut. Stock.

Officers who are to defray the Expence of their own Passage.

33d Regt. — Lieut. Colonel Elliott.

— Lieut. Haigh.

34th — Mr. Paymaster Sarjeant.

— 2d. Mr. Furse.

72nd — Captain Morgan.

22nd Dragoons Cornet Broughton.

/Signed/ Thos. Reynell.
Actg. D. A. Genl. H. J.

Received.

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Received the following Letter.

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

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General. Reporting on the additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster in the Ceded Districts for the present Month. —

Having examined an additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster in the Ceded Districts, for the present Month, I have the honor to report that the amount thereof, Viz.t Pagodas Four thousand five hundred (Pgs 4,500) is admissible and issuable by Bills from the Presidency, being required to make an advance to the 2.nd Battalion 10.th Regiment Native Infantry (equal to one Month's Pay and allowances) under authority from Major General Campbell, previous to the march of that Corps from the Ceded Districts for Hydrabad. —

I have the honor to be,
&c. &c.
(Signed) J. Brunton.
M. A. G.

Military Auditor General's Office
Fort St. George. 9.th October 1806.

Received and Sent the follow.g Letters entered in M. B. Nos. 17. 18. 19. 20.

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell.
Requests-

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Requests sanction for the payment of Contigent allowance due to His Majesty's 59th Regiment.-

To the Military Auditor General-

To the Military Auditor General - Di-
=rects he will authorize payment of £ 235. 8. 5. due to the Officers of His Majesty's 59th Regiment for Contingent allow-
=ances; and to receive Bills of Exchange on the agent of the Regiment for that advance.-

To Ditto.

To Ditto - Directs he will authorize
payment of advance of money recommended by the Military Board the 4th August 1806.-

To the Military Paymaster General.

To the Military Paymaster General - Trans-
=mits Copy of the Military Auditor General's report on additional Estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster in the Ceded
Districts for the current month.-

At

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At a Consultation.

Present.

The Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck.

Governor and President.

Lieutenant General Sir J. F. Cradock. K. B.

Commander in Chief.

William Petrie, and Thomas Oakes, } Esqrs.

Friday the 10th October 1806.

Minutes of last Consultation read and Approved.-

The Commander in Chief records the following Minutes.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief. Recommends that His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons may receive some mark of approbation and reward for their long and distinguished services in this Country. Favorably submits an application from Mr. Surgeon Fallowfield for full batta. on account of extra services. Submits a

The long and very eminent Services of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons in India, are too well known to this Government, to render any Detail of them necessary, or any particular Representation from me, requisite to dispose the Council, to mark their Embarkation for Europe, by some Public Testimony of its' Approbation.-

In

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a complaint against Mr Paymaster Wetherell - also an application from Captain Cleaveland to be permitted to draw the allowance usually granted to Subalterns, returning to Europe on Sick Certificate.-

In addition to an Order expressive of this Sentiment, as the Services of this excellent Corps have been of longer Duration, and by no means inferior to those of His Majesty's 74th Regiment, I should beg Leave to suggest that a Similar Act of Munificence, as was granted to that Corps, upon its Departure from India, be extended towards them, and that Government may be pleased to order such a Donation of Full Batta to His Majesty's 19th Dragoons, as their distinguished Conduct, upon all occasion in a Series of Twenty four Years Service under the Madras Government, may appear to merit.-

2 I have the honor to lay before Council a Letter from Mr Surgeon Followfield, praying to be permitted to draw Full Batta, from the Period of his being directed, by Order of Major General Macdowall, to afford Medical attendance to the Sick of His Majesty's 22nd Dragoons at Sera.

When the Fatigue and unavoidable Expence attached to this additional Duty, are considend, the Distance from Chittledroog to Sera, being 50 Miles, I am inclined to view the Request of Mr Followfield, as not unreasonable, and I therefore recommend it

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to the favorable Determination of the Board.

3. I have also to submit to the Board a Letter from Captain Blair of Engineers, employed on Survey in Travancore, setting forth a Complaint against Mr. Paymaster Wetherall, for making his Corrections in Captain Blair's Abstracts in Pencil, where as the Regulations prescribe, that they should be marked in Red Ink.

As the Lascars attached to the Engineer appear to be thrown in Arrear by this Proceeding, I have only to request, that should it be found that Mr. Wetherall has not conformed to established Rule, he may receive Orders to be more attentive in future.

4. I have also to lay before Council a Letter from Colonel Bell, Commanding the Artillery, forwarding an Application from Captain Cleaveland of that Corps, praying to be permitted to draw the Allowance usually granted to Subalthern Officers, returning on Sick Certificate.

At the time that His Lordship in Council was pleased to sanction Captain Cleaveland's proceeding to Europe for the Benefit of his Health, that Officer held the Rank of Lieutenant only, having in the late Promotion, that has taken place in the Artillery, been advanced to that of Captain Lieut.t.;

I am.

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I am perfectly aware that the Spirit of the Regulations preclude all Officers above the Rank of Subaltern from receiving any Compensation for Passage allow-ances and can only submit the present Solicitation, that Government may consider, how far Captain Cleavelands Pro-motion, being so much Subsequent to the Date of his Leave of absence and his receiving no pecuniary Advantage from his Advancement to cover the Expence of a Passage, may under his Case, worthy of Exception to a general Rule.-

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(Signed) J. F. Cradock.
Lieut. General.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck.
Governor in Council

My Lord,

I have the honor to enclose a Copy of an Order of Major General Macdowall, Commanding the Mysore Division, requiring me to afford medical aid to the Sick of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons at Sera; and beg leave to inform Your Lordship that I find the stated allowance of travelling Batta inadequate to the expence incurred in the performance of this duty, which obliged me between the 14th and end of August.

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August to travel four times between Chittledroog and Sera, the distance between these Stations being about 50. Miles.—— I hope therefore that your Lordship will authorize my drawing full Batta from the date of the annexed Order.—

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

Chittledroog 23d. September 1806. /Signed/ Wm. Followfield, Surgeon. 10th. Regt. N. Infty.

Head Quarters. Mysore Division, Seringapatam. 14th. August 1806.

D. O. By Major General Macdowall.

Mr. Surgeon Followfield will afford Medl. aid to the sick of the 22d. Regiment Light Dragoons, and to the Detachment of the 1st. Battalion 10th. Regiment Native Infantry at Sera, in addition to his duties at Chittledroog until and he Pleasure of the Commander in Chief be known.-

/Signed/ R. Barclay D. A. G.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ Wm. Followfield. Surgeon.

To, Lieutenant Colonel Reynell.

Military Secretary to His Excellency.

The Commander in Chief. — —

Sir,

It is with so much reluctance that I come forward

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forward again to solicit His Excellency the Commander in Chiefs interference between the Paymaster Mr. Wetherell and myself.— before the determination of Government has been communicated to me upon the point referred by his Excellency to the Board in consequence of my letter of the 21st of November last, that I have put up with several very disagreable annoyances occasioned by the irregularities in his pay Office: but I find it impossible any longer to avoid it, and therefore request you will have the goodness to lay my complaint before His Excellency.—

The Military Auditor General having retrenched some allowances which I conceive I draw under sanction of a Government Order, Mr. Wetherell discontinued to pay them: to this I have nothing to object but he made the corrections in my abstracts with a pencil instead of Red ink as Ordered by Government: I stated the irregularity of this to him and requested that in making any corrections in future he would Comply with Government Orders on that head. I wrote at the same time to the Brigade Major at Quilon who receives the amount of my abstracts not to sign the receipt to any of them that should be corrected merely with pencil. I have now to state that Mr. Wetherell has again sent abstracts corrected only with pencil and the payment has been refused although the Brigade Major Offered

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a seperate receipt for the amount until the corrections should be made in a proper manner. This will throw the Lascars with me again three Months in arrears.-

I have also to state that retrench-ments of which the total amount was added up wrong and which mistake I pointed out have notwithstanding been stopped out of my pay without an alteration.—

I have the honor to be

&c.a &c.a

/Signed/ John Blair, Captain

Engineer, Travancore Detatch.t

employed on Survey.

Travancore.

19th Sept.r 1806.

To the Military Secretary to His Excellency

The Commander in Chief.—

Sir.

I have the honor to transmit a Letter from Captain Cleaveland to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council respecting Passage Money usually allowed to Subal-tern Officers going to Europe on Sick Certificate—His promotion to Captain Lieutenant having taken place since his leave of Absence was granted. I request you to lay it before His Excellen-cy the Commander in Chief, for the purpose of being submitted

to

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to Government.-

St. Thomas's Mount. /Signed/ Robt. Bell.

18th September 1806. Colr. Commg. Artv.

To the Right Honorable

The Governor in Council, &ca &ca

Fort St. George,

My Lord,

Having obtained your Lordship's permis-
=sion under date 17th June, (at which time I held the Rank
of Lieutenant) to proceed to Europe for the benefit of my Health.
I trust the usual indulgence granted to Subaltern Officers on Sick
Certificate will be allowed: and that your Lordship in Council
will authorize my drawing the allowance of 1000 Rupees, as the
only means I have of procuring my Passage.

I have the honor to be, &ca &ca

St. Thomas's Mount. /Signed/ Samr. Cleaveland.

18th September 1806. Captn. Lieutt. Artillery.-

The Board entirely concur in the sente-
Resolution thereon =ments which has been stated by His Excellency the Commander in
Chief. with respect to the meritorious services of His Majestys' 19th
Regiment of Dragoons; and it is Resolved, that the following
General Order expressive of these sentiments be accordingly published.

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G. O. By Government.

G. O. By Government conveys the high approbation of His Lordship in Council of the constant conduct of His Majt.'s 19th Dragoons, and extends a similar donation to the Officers of that Corps, as was conferred on His Majesty's 74th Regiment on their embarkation for Europe.—

On the occasion of the intended return of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons to Europe, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, feels the Greatest satisfaction in testifying in the most public Manner, his highest approbation of the conduct of that distinguished and valuable Corps—From the period of the arrival of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons in India, in the Year 1782., until the present time, that Regiment has shared, in almost every action of difficulty and of glory, in which the British arms have been engaged during that long and eventful interval, and has deservedly established a degree of reputation seldom equalled, and never surpassed.—

His Lordship in Council deems it unnecessary at this moment to enumerate the various instances in which His Majesty's 19th Dragoons have rendered the most important Services to their Country. But the glory required by that Regiment in the field of Assaye; and the important advantages which resulted from its bravery, discipline and activity on a late memorable occasion, an instance which cannot be omitted, and which can never be obliterated from the annals of this

Country

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Country, or from the Memory of the British Native.-

His Lordship in Council was pleased by a Government Order under date the 27th. August 1805. to confir a particular mark of His Lordships' approbation on His Majesty's 74th. Regiment at the period of the embarkation of that Distin=guished Corps. for Europe, by granting to the Officers a donation of three months full batta.- Impressed with similar sentiments on the present occasion, His Lordship in Council has in Consideration of the long and brilliant services of His Majesty's 19th. Regiment of Light Dragoons, resolved to extend to the Officers of that Regiment, a Donation of the same amount,- which is according=ly directed to be paid previously to their departure for Europe.-

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

(Signed) G. Buchan.

Chief Secretary to Govern.t.—

Resolved that authority be given for the payment of full Batta to Mr. Surgeon Followfield, while em=ployed in giving Medical attendance at Sera.-

Resolved that the Military Auditor General be directed to investigate the circumstances of Complaint stated by Captain Blair with respect to the conduct of the Paymaster at

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at Palamcottah.-

The Board apprehend that under the specific Orders of the Honorable Court of Directors regard=ing the payment of passage Money, it is impracticable to comply with the application of Captain Cleaveland on that subject.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief.

I submit to the Board the follow=ing Letters.-

Minute of the Com=mander in Chief— submits several ap=plications, from Cap=tain Fraser to resign his situation as assis=tant to Captain Pol=lock - from Captain Steele to proceed on sick Certificate to Europe - from Captain Heming on Furlough to Europe - from Lieu=tenant Mc Intosh to proceed to Sea - re=commends that Cap=tain Gregson's name be struck out of the Army List.—

No. 1. From Captain Fraser of the Madras European Regiment, requesting to resign his situation as an Assistant to the Officer Commanding the Cadet Company.-

No. 2. From Captain Steele of the 2nd Regiment of Native Infantry, requesting leave to proceed to Europe on sick Certificate, enclosed.-

No. 3. From Captain Heming of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, requesting leave to proceed on Furlough to Europe.-

No. 4. From Lieutenant Mc Intosh of the 2d Battalion 1st Regiment, requesting leave to proceed to Sea on Sick Certificate, for the benefit of his Health.-

I recommend that the requested indulgence

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I recommend that the requested — indulgence

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indulgence in the instances above stated may be granted.-

I submit to the Board a Letter addressed to the Adjutant General by Lieutenant Parmenter Senior Lieutenant of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry stating the death of Captain Gregson of that Corps in England on the 17th December 1805, and his consequent claim to promotion. As the intimation bears every mark of authenticity, I recommend that the name of Captain Gregson be struck out of the List of the Army.-

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7th October 1806.

/Signed/- J. F. Cradock.
Lieut.t Gen.l

To the Right Honorable
The Governor in Council.

My Lord,

My health has suffered so much from the severity of my duty with the Cadet Company, that I am induced to request your Lordship's permission to resign the appointment of Assistant to the Officer commanding it.-

I have the honor to be,

&c.a &c.a

Cuddalore.
3d October 1806.

/Signed/- Edward Fraser.
Capt.n Lt.t Mad.s Eu.n Reg.t

To,

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To the Right Honorable

The Governor in Council.

My Lord,

Being desirous of proceeding to Europe on Furlough, I have the honor to request your Lordships' concurrence, in Order that I may have it in my power to Embark by the ships now under dispatch— Long and severe indisposition aided by the opinion of my Medical friends as expressed in the Enclosed Certificate are the inducements for my requesting such a favor at this time.—

My application has been delayed — until this period from the hopes of recovery by change of climate from the interior of the Country to the sea Coast, — that having faild I trust I may not now be too late.—

/Signed/ Thos Steele.

Captn 2nd Battn 2nd Regt

Native Infantry.

This is to certify, that Captain Thomas Steele of the 2nd Battalion 2nd Regiment has been under my care for some time past with an Intermittent fever, of which he has had frequent relapses, and which has impaired his General Health to a very great degree. It appears that he contracted it in the —

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Mahartta Country, in November last, and has never since, been free from it, for any length of time, although he has taken ~~—~~ Bark, Mercury &c. It is therefore my opinion, that he should proceed to Europe as the most likely thing to restore him to health.—

/Signed/ J. D. White.
Garrison Surgeon.

Fort St. George
3d. October 1806.

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

My Lord,

I beg leave to solicit of your Lordship in Council permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough on account of my Private affairs.—

I have the honor to be,
&c. &c.
/Signed/ Richd. Heming, Captn.
2nd Battn. 18th Regt. N. I.

Madras
16th Sept. 1806.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor, &c. &c.

My Lord,

May I request your Lordship will be pleased

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pleased to grant me permission to proceed to Sea for the re. establish.
ment of my health upon the Accompanying Certificate.—

Fort St. George. (Signed) J. Mc. Intosh, Lieut.
1st October 1806. 2d. Batt.n 1st Reg.t N. I.

I do hereby Solemnly declare that Lieutenant John Mac=
Intosh of the 2d. Battalion 1st. Regiment Native Infantry was
attacked with an Intermittent Fever in the Month of Aug.t
1805. in Wynaad during the Sickly State of the Troops in that
Province attended with severe Bilious Symptoms of which
he had not experienced any Remission till on his Arrival
at Seringapatam in September 1805— he has likewise had
frequent renewal of these Attacks at Seringapatam, on
the March with the Corps to Wallajabad in May 1806.
and since his Arrival Symptoms of Obstruction in the Viscera
prevailing he underwent a slight Salivation, but as the general
State of his health required his proceeding to the Sea Coast, he
obtained from me a sick Certificate to go to Madras. early in
July 1806. he was at this place attacked with the Bilious=
remittent Fever attended with delirium & was in this State
removed to Pondicherry where I had no Opportunity of attend=
=ing him— his constitution having received a severe Shock,
and the debility under which he labours rendering a relapse
by

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by no means improbable during the heats which prevail before the Monsoon. I do hereby declare upon my Honor that I think it absolutely necessary that Lieutenant John Mac Intosh should proceed to Sea for the benefit of his Health with as little delay as possible.—

Wallajabad. /Signed/ J. J. Riviere.
September 26th 1806. Asst. Surgeon 2d Battn 1st Regiment.

I do hereby Certify that Lieutenant John Mac Intosh 2nd Battalion 1st Regiment has been under my care for several Months past with Fever and obstruction, accompanied with Delirium. It is in my Opinion absolutely necessary that he should proceed to Sea with as little delay as possible for the recovery of his health.

Fort St. George /Signed/ J. Scott.
1st October 1806. Assist. Surgeon 94th Regt.—

To the Adjutant General of the Army.
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I beg leave to represent to you for the infor-
= mation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief of the Army, that Captain Gregson of the 6th Native Regiment is stated to have deceased

in

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in England the 17th of December 1805. and that no promotion has taken place in his Room. If the Accompanying document to which I request His Excellency's notice, being an Extract of a letter from an Officer of the same Corps in England, containing a Statement of that event, together with the public Advertisement in the Madras Courier, should appear sufficiently authentic, I am hope- ful His Excellency may have no objection to recommend me to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for Promotion.—

I trust my application will not be deemed intrusive, when it is considered that untill I shall be in Orders I am subjected to the loss of the difference in the Tent Allowance, the arrears of which are limited by the Regula- tions, and that I am at present excluded from the exercise of the Rank to which I am entitled.—

I am further induced to trouble His Excellency with this representation, from an Idea, that the length of time elapsed since the death of Captain Gregson considered that event may not have been Officially communicated by his Friends to the Honorable Court of Directors.—

/Signed/ R. Parminter.
Lieut.t
2nd Batt.n 6th Reg.t N. I.

Quilon
25th Sept.r 1806.

Extract

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Extract of a Letter from Lieutenant Robert Kelby Cox of the 2d Battalion 6th Regiment Native Infantry to Captain Lieutenant Townsend of the same Corps. Dated London January 10th 1806.

I have a melancholy piece of intelligence to send to you tis no less than the death of our worthy friend Gregson - which gives Parminter the Captain Lieutenantcy - I saw him for the last time December the 5th He was then going to Bath on his way to Plymouth, whether he was sent by order of his Physician, he was rather better when he sett out than he had been for some time, but it seems the journey was too much for him. for on his arrival at Bath he was attacked very violently, and the Physicians removed him to Clifton near Bristol, when he was again attacked and died on the 17th December 1805 - he had no friend or relation near him. which makes his end the more melancholy - His Uncle was sent for but could not have arrived till he was dead, he told me he intended as soon as he got better to return immediately to India -

/ A true Extract /

/ Signed / R. M. Grant.

Lieutt Colo Comg 2d Bn 6th Regt

Resolved -

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Resolved to comply with the several

Resolution thereon

applications submitted with the foregoing Minute.

Resolved on the grounds stated by the Commander in Chief that the name of Captain Gregson be discontinued in the List of the Army.

Minute of the Commander in Chief.

Minute of the Commander in Chief submits an applic-cation from Mr. Surgeon Murray 19th Dragoons, on account of attend-dance on the Lock Hospital at Arcot, also one from Mr. Errott, for attendance on the Horses of the Horse Artillery. Recommends that Lieutenant Brooke have leave to proceed to Europe.

I submit to the consideration of the Government two claims from Medical Officers of His Majes-ty's 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons, which I recommend to the favourable decision of the Board.

No. 1. Contains Bills of Mr. Murray, Surgeon, of His Majesty's 19th Regiment for the difference from the Month of December 1805. to the Month of August 1806. between 1 fanam and 40 Cash pr. Day the Sum first allowed, and 2 fanams pr. Day, the Amount since found to be necessary to defray the expences of Patients in the Lock Hospital at Arcot, to which Mr. Murray has paid the greatest attention. The difference amounts to 57 Pagodas. 28 fanams - which I recommend for pay-ment.

No. 2. Is a charge from Mr. Erratt Veterinary Sur-geon of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons, supported by the Orders under which he acted, and the Statement of the Number of Horses.

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Horses under his Charge, for his attendance in professional —
Charge of the Horses attached to the Squadron of Horse Artillery.-
This he did by my sanction: as the Officers and Men of that
Corps on its formation were equally unaccustomed to the care
of Horses, and it appeared to me to be an object of impor-
=tance that during the time the Troops was stationed at
Arcot, they should see and benefit by the most approved —
practice of Modern Saience in the treatment of the diseas-
=es of Horses.- Mr. Erratts charges are, inproportion to
the Number of Horses, similar to those which attach
to the Regiments of Dragoons in this Country, amount-
=ing for five Months and a half to Pagodas. 178=32=56.
and I recommend that Authority be given for their pay-
=ment.-

I submit an Application from —
Lieutenant Brooke of the 2nd Battalion 8th Regiment
of Native Infantry for permission to proceed to Europe on
Sick Certificate:— and I recommend compliance with
his request.—

/Signed/ J. F. Cradock.
Lieut. General.—

7th October 1806

To,

6683. Fort St. George 10th October 1806.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck.
&c.a &c.a &c.a

My Lord,

Enclosed I have the honor to send your Lordship a Certificate from Messrs Goldie and White/ Surgeons/ specifying that the ill state of my health renders it absolutely necessary for me to proceed to Europe for the recovery thereof, which I beg leave to hope your Lordship will have the goodness to sanction.

I have the honor to be,
&c.a &c.a
/Signed/ Richd. J. Brooke. Lieut.
2nd Batt.n 8th Regt.

Fort St. George
29th September 1806.

We, John Goldie and John Douglas White, Surgeons in the Honble Company's Service, do hereby declare on Oath that in our Opinion it is absolutely necessary for Lieutenant Brooke of the Honble Company's Infantry, to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.-

/Signed/ Jn.o Goldie, Surgeon
J. D. White.
Garrison Surgeon.

Sworn in Fort St. George.
this 26th day of September 1806, before me
/Signed/ W. Grant.
J. P.

Resolved.

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/Signed/ Jn.o Goldie, Surgeon
" J. D. White.
Garrison Surgeon.

Sworn in Fort St. George
this 26th day of September 1806, before me
/Signed/ W. Grant.
J. P.

Resolved.

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Resolved that authority be given for admit-
Resolution thereon = ting the Medical Charges submitted in the above Minute.

Resolved that Lieutenant Brooke be per-
= mitted to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.—

Minute of the Commander in Chief

Minute of the Commander in Chief Favorably submits a Bill from Captn allow of His Majes= =tys 94th Regiment for allowances = while serving in the reduction of the Cape - also ap= =plication from the Commanding = Officer at Masu= =lipatam, and the Officer Comman= =ding the Dooly Bearers for an al= =lowance of State= =onary - Submits a Memorial = from Captain Lisle, 19th Light Dra= =goons - Recommends that the officers of the 2d Battalion 10th and of the 1st Battalion 16th be allowed full batta from the period of their being order= =ed to hold them= =selves in readi= =ness to March.

I have the honor to lay before the Board a Letter from Captain Allan of His Majesty's 94th Regiment, enclosing a Bill for his allowances while employed on ser= =vice, at the Cape of Good Hope, having been attached to do Duty with the 93d Regiment by Order of His Excellency Sir David Baird.—

As Government has been pleased to grant the allowances solicited by Captain Allan, to the Officers of this Establishment, who were employed at the Reduction of the Cape of Good Gope, I beg leave to recommend that an indulgence in such proportion, as has been received by the Officers of his Rank be extended to Captain Allan, and that the Bill he forwards, be referred to the Military Auditor General for Examination.—

2. I have also the Honor to submit Letters from Lieutenant Colonel Taylor and Captain Waugh. The former soliciting an Allowance for Stationary &c &c for the—

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District of Masulipatam which he Commands, and the Latter making a Similar Application for the Corps of Dooley Bearers for the period that he commanded it, no allowance of this nature having been affixed since the formation of that Corps.-

I recommend a reference of these Applications to the Office of the Military Auditor General, and that an allowance equal to what is usually given in similar instances, be granted to those Officers.-

3. I have also to lay before Council the Memorial of Captain Lole of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons upon which I shall not offer any other remark than that the circumstance of this Officer's being Ordered to India and put to a heavy expence, in providing a passage for himself and Family, at the very Moment that his Regiment were on the Point of embarking for Europe, appears so great a Hardship, that I could not refrain from bringing the case to the View of Government.-

4. I have also to submit a Letter from Major General Campbell, forwarding an Application from Lieutenant Colonel Berkeley Commanding the 2d Battalion of the 10th Native Infantry, representing that in Consequence of

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of recent Orders from Major General Campbell for his Regi=
=ment to hold themselves in readiness to March at a Moments
Notice, the Officers had incurred considerable expence
in the entertaining of Carriage Cattle, Coolies &ca &ca and
praying that Government might be pleased to allow them
their Full Batta, for the Period, that they were subject
to this additional Burthen of expence.— As the 2d Bat=
=talion of the 10th Regiment, as well as the 1st Battalion
of the 16th Regiment have since their receiving an Order to
hold themselves in Readiness to move, commenced their
March from the Ceded Districts to Hydrabad, I recommend
accordingly that they be permitted to draw the allowance
of Full Batta from the period of their receiving the First
Order, as the Officers of both Corps have been since that time,
subject to every expence attending Field Equipment.—

/Signed/ J. F. Cradock.
Lieut. Genl.

Lieutenant Colonel Reynells
Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.
&ca &ca &ca

Sir.

I take the liberty of enclosing you an
Abstract for allowances in Consequence of my retention and Service

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at the Cape Good Hope with His Majesty's 93d Regiment — which you will oblige me by submitting to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.—

The Military Auditor General has informed me, He thinks, I am equally entitled to those allowances as any who have received them. My Regiment being on the establishment of the Presidency—and detained on the same duty.—

My Absence from my Corps was occasioned by a dangerous and inveterate Liver Complaint which compelled me to quit the Country on Sick Certificate, I had to pay a large Sum for my passage home, as well as returning, and put to very great expence, being attached by Sir David Baird to the 93d Regiment, and the unavoidable detention so considerable an expedition occasioned by a passage of ten Months.—

I am,
&c.a &c.a
/Signed/ James Allan.
Capt.n
His Majesty's 94th Regt.

Fort St. George.
24th September 1806.

To

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To, His Excellency
Lieutenant General Sir J. Cradock, K.B.
Commander in Chief &c. &c.

Fort St. George.

Sir,

Placed in a Situation of Considerable Respon-
sibility, and which includes various Compilicated details and
Arrangements requiring a Constant and extensive Correspon-
dence which entirely falls to be executed by myself, there
being no Staff Officer attached to the District, I feel myself
under the necessity of Submitting through your Excellency
to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, a Claim, which
on Consideration will I trust appear Just and well founded for
an allowance to support an Office Establishment such as shall
appear requisite and necessary to His Lordship in Council, to whom
I beg leave to mention that as much employment for the pen falls
to my lot as Commanding the Masulipatam District as in the
whole of the Northern Division, that such and so much writing,
Could not possibly have been performed by any single individu-
al whose duties are so various, and in Consequence I have
been at considerable expense for Writers and Stationary since
my Nomination to the Commond. Under these Circumstances

I hope

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I hope and trust that a retrospect to that period will be thought no improper Request, and that I may be authorized by His Lordship in Council to draw in arrears for that time such allowance as the liberality of Government may now deem proper to establish for the future expence of the Office of this District.-

I have the honor to remain with respect.-

Masulipatam
29th September 1806

&c &c

(Signed) A. Taylor.-

L. Col. Com.g
Mas.re Dist.t

To, Lieutenant Colonel J. Reynell.
Military Secretary to His Excellency
the Commander in Chief. &c &c &c

Sir,

I have to request you will be pleased to submit my Case to His Excellency the Commander in Chief relative to an allowance being granted me during the period of my being in Command of the Corps of Dooley Bearers in lieu of Stationary - never having drawn any of that article from the Public Stores, nor any allowance of Money in lieu since my nomination to the Command of it, no allowance for that Article being fixed on the

raising

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raising of that Corps.

I beg leave to observe that the Officer in Com-
=mand of the Corps of Dooley Bearers has in every respect
the same duties to perform of both the situation of an
Officer in Command of a Company and an Adjutant to a
regular Corps, that of furnishing Books and paper for the
whole of the transactions relative to it, and in making
out the Returns and Abstracts of all the Companies seperately
The Officer in Charge of a Company being allowed to draw
the following allowances for a Pay Serjeant Pagoda s —"— —"—
or Havaldar Pagodas —"— Pfs 24 —"— and stationary Pags —"— Pfs 21 —"—
per month, and an Adjutant Pagodas 2— 21 —"—

I therefore trust His Excellency the Commander
in Chief will be pleased to take my case into his Consideration
and obtain the sanction of the Right Honorable the Gover
=nor in Council, for my being permitted to draw such allow-
=ance as may be deemed sufficient from the period of my
raising the Corps to the delivery of it to Major Tratter.

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

Madras.
2d October 1806.

/Signed/ Wm Geo Waugh, Capt
late Comg Corps
of Dooley Bearers.

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To the, Right Honorable

the Governor and Council of Fort St. George.

Sheweth. That his Majesty's 19th Dragoons, which your Memorialist belongs to, are under Orders for their immediate embarkation for England, that your Memorialist came out in Command of a Detachment, of Upwards of One hundred men, with the last Fleet, for which he had not any allowance made him, for passage Money, and the very heavy expence he was at for the passage of himself, and Wife, has totally deprived him, of the means, of paying, for her return. Your Memorialist had been eleven years, and a half with his Regiment, before he left it, for England, most of that time, on Active Service, had he been permitted to have remained in England, when his Regiment were under Orders for leaving India, he would have been enabled as Senior Captain, to have purchased the Majority, of his Regiment, which from the expences, your Memorialist has been at, he was obliged to let pass by him he therefore hopes, the Right Honorable the Governor and Council will take the peculiar hardship of his case, into their consideration, and enable him to provide for the return of his Wife.-

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-mand of the Corps of Dooley Bearers has in every respect
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out the Returns and Abstracts of all the Companies seperately.
The Officer in Charge of a Company being allowed to draw
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or Havaldar Pagodas —"— Fa. 24—"— and stationary Pags. "— Fa. 21—"—
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I therefore trust His Excellency the Commander
in Chief will be pleased to take my case into his Consideration
and obtain the sanction of the Right Honorable the Gover-
-nor in Council, for my being permitted to draw such allow-
-ance as may be deemed sufficient from the period of my
raising the Corps to the delivery of it to Major Tratter.—

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

Madras.
2d October 1806.

(Signed) Wm. Geo. Waugh, Capt.
late Comg. Corps
of Dooley Bearers.

To

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To the, Right Honorable

the Governor and Council of Fort St. George.

Sheweth. That his Majesty's 19th Dragoons, which your Memorialist belongs to, are under Orders for their immediate embarkation for England, that your Memorialist came out in Command of a Detachment, of Upwards of One hundred men, with the last Fleet, for which he had not any allowance made him, for passage Money, and the very heavy expence he was at for the passage of himself, and Wife, has totally deprived him, of the means, of paying, for her return.- Your Memorialist had been eleven years, and a half with his Regiment, before he left it, for England, most of that time, on Active Service, had he been permitted to have remained in England, when his Regiment were under Orders for leaving India, he would have been enabled as Senior Captain, to have purchased the Majority, of his Regiment, which from the expences, your Memorialist has been at, he was obliged to let pass by him he therefore hopes, the Right Honorable the Governor and Council will take the peculiar hardship of his case, into their consideration, and enable him to provide for the return of his Wife.-

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I do hereby certify that Captain Lisle of His Majesty's 19th Regiment Light Dragoons, came from England in Charge of Seventy three Men, belonging to the said Regiment landed at Fort St. George on the 29th June 1806.

/Signed/ J. Kennedy
Lieut. Colo. 19th L. D.

Madras
8th October 1806.

To the Military Secretary to His Excellency
The Commander in Chief.

Sir,

I have to request you will do me the honor to lay the enclosed application from Lieutenant Colonel Berkeley, for Batta to the 2nd Battalion 10th Regiment Native Infantry from the day he received Orders to be in readiness to march, before His Excellency the Commander in Chief. — Should Batta be granted to this Corps. I beg leave to state, that the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment Native Infantry having been ordered in readiness to March at the same time, may expect a similar indulgence. —

/Signed/ Duig. Campbell.
M. G.

Ballary 30th
September 1806.

To

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To the Military Secretary.

to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

Fort St. George.

Sir,

I beg leave to represent for the information of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, a few circumstances relative to the peculiar situation of the Battalion under my Command. In the first place, conformably to instructions received from Major General Campbell, Commanding in the Ceded Districts; under date the 15th Ultimo, the Corps was Ordered on the 19th following, "to hold itself in readiness to March at the Shortest Notice". - preparations were accordingly made, to render its capable of moving with all possible dispatch - as Cumbum Could in a very disproportionate degree only, supply Carriage, I was under the necessity of applying to the Sub Collectors of this Division, to assist us in procuring Cattle, and Coolies from other Villages, these were accordingly soon provided, and Some from no inconsiderable distances; all of whom we have since been obliged to support, at a great additional expence. Having strongly urged the men to allow their families to accompany them; a point I at that time deemed of importance,

they,

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they have more or less been exposed to similar demands.—

On the 26th of August I received further intimation from the Head Quarters of Division, that the 1st Battalion 22nd Regiment Native Infantry, was then on its march to relieve us, that Corps has been encamped in our Neighbourhood several days, and we are in daily expectation of receiving the final orders respecting our destination.—

In consequence of these Circumstances I am induced to request, that Batta may be allowed to the Officers and Men of the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment Native Infantry from the period they have been subject to the extra expenses alluded to; and I trust His Excellency the Commander in Chief will have no objection to submit this application to Government, and afford it His support.—

Cumbum
23d September 1806

/Signed/ W. Berkeley
Lieut.t Col.o Com.g 2d B.n 10th R.t
Native Infantry.—

Resolved that the application of—

Resolution thereon. Captain Allan of His Majesty's 94th Regiment, on the subject of Allowances while employed at the Cape of Good Hope be referred for Adjustment, by the Military Auditor General.—

Resolved.

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Resolved also to refer to the Military Auditor General the applications of Lieutenant Colonel Taylor, and of Captain Waugh, on the subject of Stationary for his Reports.

The Board are sensible of the hardship of the situation of Captain Lisle; but it does not appear possible for the Board to grant to that Officer the relief which he solicits, without departing from the Regulations of the public Service.

Resolved that authority be given for the payment of full Batta to the 2d. Battalion of the 10th Regiments and to 1st. of the 16th. Regiment from the period of time recommended by the Commander in Chief.

Minute of the Commander in Chief.

Minute of the Commander in Chief. Submits a letter from Major General Smith requesting to proceed to Europe on Furlough from Captn. Grant for leave to proceed to Sea. Recommends that the resignation of Major of Brigade to Colonel Campbell be accepted. Recommends the promotion of Mr. Cadet Innes to the Rank of Ensign.

I submit to the Board the following applications from Military Officers.

1. A Letter from Major General D. Smith, requesting permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough after thirty Eight Years actual Service in India; and Soliciting that he may retain the appointment he holds on the Staff of the Army, untill the dispatch of the Honorable Company's Extra Ship Glory, on which he desires to Embark. Recommend that General Smiths' request may be complied with in

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in its fullest extend.—

2.

A letter from Captain P. Grant of the 17th. Regiment of Native Infantry, requesting permission to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health on Sick Certificate. I recommend that leave be accordingly granted.—

3.

A Letter from Colonel Campbell, Commanding the Southern Division, to the Adjutant General enclosing an application from Captain Allan W. Campbell his Major of Brigade, requesting leave to resign that appointment, that he may join his Regiment /His Majesty's 71st./ in Europe. I recommend that his resignation be accepted.—

Mr. John Innes, a Cadet of Infantry, has been reported to me qualified by his progress in Hindoostannee study, for promotion.— This Gentleman has suffered much from severe and repeated illness. has been in search of Health to Bengal, and must again it is supposed try the effects of a change of Climate to the Cape of Good Hope or to Europe. I recommend his Promotion to the Rank of Ensign from the 18th. July 1804: and to that of Lieutenant from the 25th. of September 1804 being that to which he is entitled by his Seniority as Cadet.

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/Signed/ J. F. Cradock.
Lieut.t Gen.l.

To

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

My Lord,

I have to request the permission of Your Lordship in Council to proceed to Europe on Furlough by the present Fleet, and hope, after a period of thirty eight Years actual Service in India, I may be indulged in holding my appointment on the Staff till the dispatch of the Ship on which I may embark.—

I have the honor to be, &c &c
(Signed) D. Smith.
Major Genl

Madras.
8th October 1806

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck.
President in Council.

My Lord,

I have to request your permission to proceed to Sea for the benefit of my health, agreeably to a Certificate, I have the honor to enclose herewith.—

I have

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I have the honor to be,

Cannanore. &c. &c.

19th August 1806 /Signed/ P. Grant.

Capt.n 17th Regt.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ Edw.d Snow

Brig.r Major.

Cannanore 16th August 1806.

We do hereby certify that Captain Patrick Grant of the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry has now laboured for five Months under a severe paralytic affection combined with frequent attacks of flux and Dysentery — Various remedies have been tried with no permanent — effect or marked progress towards a cure, we do therefore give it as our serious and solemn opinion and agreeable to the best of our skill, that a change of scene and climate are become absolutely necessary for him as affording the — only change of recovery. for these reasons we beg leave to recom- =mend that he may be immediately permitted to go to Sea — for the benefit of his health —

/Signed/ David White.

Garrison Surgeon.

Jas. Gilmour.

Sup.d Surgeon. a.

M. F.

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To the Adjutant General of the Army.

Sir.

I have the honor to forward herewith Captain A. W. Campbell of His Majesty 74th's application to resign his situation as my Brigade Major, and to proceed to Europe to join his Corps, which I hope His Excellency the Commander in Chief will comply with.

I have &c.

/Signed/ A. Campbell.
Col.

Trichinopoly.
September 20th 1806.

To, Colonel Campbell
Commanding the Southern Division
of the Army.

Sir.

I have to request you will be pleased to obtain His Excellency the Commander in Chiefs permission for me to resign my situation as Brigade Major, that I may proceed to Europe to join my Regiment.

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

/Signed/ Allan W. Campbell.
Capt. H. M. 74th Regt. &
Brigade Major.

Fort St. George
September 14th 1806.

Resolved

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Resolved that Major General Smith be permitted to proceed on furlough to Europe; and that he be permitted to retain his appointment on the Staff untill the departure of the Ship Glory.—

Resolution thereon

Resolved that the other applications submitted with the foregoing Minute be also complied with.—

Resolved that the promotion of Mr. Innes to the Rank of Lieutenant be Ordered to take place.—

Read the following Letters from the Secretary of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.—

George Buchan Esqre

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Sir,

From the Military Secy to the Commander in Chief - Forwards the proceedings of the Medical Board with an address from Mr. Surgeon Ainslie relative to the new mode of treating a dangerous disease for transmission to England.—

The Commander in Chief requests that you will submit the accompanying Proceedings of the Medical Board of this Days' Date to Government.—

As the Medical Board have withheld their observations upon the substance of Mr. Ainslie's Address, His Excellency has only to support their Recommendation of its being transmitted, by the earliest Opportunity to the

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The Honorable Court of Directors.—

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

Fort St. George
October 4th 1806.

/Signed/ Tho. Reynell.
Mil.y Sec.y

As the Board deem it proper that the Resolution thereon Medical Board should be required to give an opinion in all points of Medical discussion, which may be submitted by that Board, for the consideration of the Governor in Council, and as the Board conclude that their will be sufficient time for the Medical Board to report their sentiments on the Paper which has been received from Mr. Ainslie, previously to the departure of the Ships, it is Resolved accordingly that the Medical Board be directed to state their opinion on that subject.—

George Buchan Esq.r

&.ca &.ca

Sir,

From the Military Secretary to the Comm.= mander in Chief= Recommends that a ... to the Appreciation of the Officers of His Ma= jesty's 19th Light Dragoons, their Mess-Room at Arcot may be pur= chased by Govern= ment.—

The Commander in Chief has directed me to forward to you, to be laid before Government, the enclosed Application from Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy, on the part of the Officers of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons.—

As the Building in Question is repre= sented to be in every respect well calculated for the purpose intended,

and

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and as the Cantonment of Arcot cannot be considered Complete without a Mess-House, for the Officers of the Corps. that may be stationed their: His Excellency recommends that Instructions may be given to the Military Board, to have the Building valued and purchased by them, for Government.

I have the honor to be,

&c. &c.

/Signed/ Tho. Reynell.
Mil. Sec.

Fort St. George.
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P.S. A Considerable saving will accrue to Government from the Purchase recommended as the Allowance usually granted to Regiment for a Mess-House will of Course be discontinued at that Station.

/Signed/ - T. R.

To His Excellency
Lieutenant General Sir John Cradock, K. B.
Commander in Chief.

Sir,

&c. &c. &c.

The Officers of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons request permission to state to your Excellency, that Money to a large amount has been disbursed by them, in building and repairing Mess-Houses at the Various Stations

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Stations they have been at—particularly at the Cantonment of Arcot—

They hope your Excellency will have the goodness to take their case into consideration, and if you approve of their Claim, that you will recommend to the Government to appoint an Engineer to Examine and Value the Mess-House at the Cantonment of Arcot— and they further hope that your Excellency will recommend that it should be taken off their hands at whatever sum the Engineer may deem it worth, and become a Public Mess House.—

I have the honor to be,

&c.a &c.a

/Signed/ J. Hennedy.

Lieut.t Col.o 19th L. D.—

Camp. Mount
October 3d 1806.

Resolution thereon

Resolved that a Copy of the above papers be sent to the Military Board, with directions for the purchase of the Mess-House in the Cantonment of Arcot, being concluded.—

George Buchan, Esq.re

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

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief with application for an advance on account of the Off.-Reckoning Fund, from Lieutenant Colonel Hill.—

Sir,

I am directed, by the Commander in Chief to transmit to you, to be laid before His Lordship in Council, the accompanying application from Lieutenant Colonel Hill, with

His

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His Excellency's Request, that the same may be referred to the Ord
Office of the Military Auditor General, and such advance made
to that Officer, as upon Examination, he may appear to be
justly entitled to.—

I have the honor to be,

&c.a &c.a

Fort St. George
8th October 1806.

/Signed/ Tho. Reynell.
Mil.y Sec.y

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Cavendish Bentinck.

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

My Lord,

As I am going on Furlough to
Europe, in far from affluent circumstances. I have to request
your Lordship will have the goodness to direct an advance
being made of what Offrecknowing Balance, may still remain
due me, while I commanded the 1st. Madras Battalion ups.
to the 30th April 1802—when that Corps was reduced.—

The Military Auditor General can
clearly ascertain the sum I may be entitled to, their being no
Contractors' Charges on Account of Clothing &c.a &c.a to be esti-
-mated, as the Corps received the detailed Compensation in
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view of Clothing for 1801 and being disbanded in April 1802 no Cloth-
-ing was furnished them for that year.-

I shall feel myself particularly thank-
-ful for this further Mark of your Lordship's favor.-

I Remain &c &c

Madras. /Signed/- Jos. Hill.
7th October 1806. Lieut.t Col.e.

Resolved that Authority be Communicated
Resolution thereon to the Military Auditor General for the payment to Lieutenant Colonel
Hill of the proportion of Offreckonings, which may be due to that
Officer, on his depositing the Security usual in such Cases.-

George Buchan, Esq.re
&c.a &c.a &c.a

Sir.-

From the Military Secretary to the Com-
-mander in Chief-
With an Application from Lieutenant Colonel Hill for an Advance, on Account of the Bazar Fund.

The Commander in Chief requests that you
will be pleased to lay before Government the enclosed Application
from Lieutenant Colonel Hill, with His Excellency's Request that
a Reference of it be made to the Committee, instituted for regula-
-ting the Division of the Bazar Fund.-

When the Sum is ascertained, to
which Lieutenant Colonel Hill may most probably be entitled,
and (if Government see no particular objection) His Excellency
feels disposed to recommend an advance to be made to Lieut.t
Colonel Hill previous to his Departure from Madras, for Europe.-

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

/Signed/- Tho. Reynell.
Mily. Secy.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck.
Governor &c.a &c.a &c.a
Fort St. George.

My Lord,

Being on the eve of my departure for Europe through unavoidable necessity and far from affluent circumstances, Your Lordship will confer a most particular and indeed a very seasonable favor on me by permitting my share of the Bazar Fund, as far as I shall appear entitled to share, to be advanced to me, for which mark of Your Lordship's indulgence, I shall be particularly grateful.-

Madras.
September 29th 1806.

I have the honor to be,
&c.a &c.a
/Signed/- J. Hill.
Lieut.t Col.l

Resolutions thereon

Resolved that authority be given for the payment of the proportion of Bazar allowance which may be due to Lieutenant Colonel Hill.-

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The Commander in Chief lays before the Governor in Council the following Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Hill.—

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Cavendish Bentinck.—
Governor, &c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

I was ordered on Service into Wynaad in September 1805, in the most unhealthy season of the Year, and when the Country was in a most distracted state, and the Rebels in great Power.—

From Lieutenant Colonel Hill. Submitting his Services when Commanding in Wynaad, to the favorable Consideration of Government.—

It must be in your Lordship's recollection, That between Lieutenant Colonel Mac Leod Commanding in Canara and Malabar and the Civil Authorities, there existed violent contentions, and which, added to the circumstances before stated, will prove to your Lordship's discerning Mind, that I had entered upon a Service extremely arduous and not a little discouraging.—

My first reflections upon the Nature of the difficult Warfare to be carried on Against the Rebels in Wynaad, were of such a description, as to convince me of the propriety of being on the most cordial terms possible with the Civil Power.

Mr. Baber and (Captain Watson who also acted partly in a Civil capacity) I soon perceived well understood the

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manners and Customs of the Natives and were besides Masters of their lan-
-guages - My great object therefore, was to pay attention to their Council
and advice, - as Unanimity in such a cause, was Judged of the first importance,
and I thought it my duty to conciliate and take advantage of their experience -

In consequence of the intelligence and infor-
-mation I received from the Gentlemen, in conjunction with whom
I cordially acted agreeably to the orders of Government, such a disposition
of the Force under my Command was made as proved Completely success-
-ful - The Pyche Rajah and three of his principal adherents, were
killed by the Parties whom I had detached from my Corps; and a Coun-
-try, which for a Series of Years had baffled the exertions of every
attempt to subdue it, was brought into compleat subjection in
the short space of 7 Months! - That Country My Lord has ever since
been tranquil, and the Inhabitants entirely obedient to the Com-
-pany's Government, in which happy situation, there is reason to
suppose it will Continue. -

My Lord, I presume not in speaking of myself,
to detract from the Merits of my Coadjutors in the above arduous
service, but I have now been upwards of 28 Years in the Service of my Coun-
-try, and finding myself on the eve of returning Home for the re-esta-
-blishment of a Constitution, seriously impaired by my professional
exertions in this climate, it is natural for me, honorably to covet from the
Government under which I have served, some appropriate testimonial of
its sense of my faithful services during the above period -

Mr

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Mr. Baber has I am told not only been

Commended but rewarded. —

While Commanding the district of

Wynaud my Public Letters ever spoke highly in his praise;

but I have to regret that whatever little Merit my exertions

may have deserved has been hitherto overlooked. Deign

my Lord, to forgive the enthusiasm of an old Soldier in —

seeking from his Superiors the tribute of Just and honora-

-ble praise. —

I have only to add my Lord that

any advantage your Lordship might be pleased to Confer —

on me as also, any favorable mention your Lordship might

be kind enough to make of my late services to the Hono-

-rable Court of Directors, would be highly gratifying —

to my feelings on leaveing this Country. —

I have the honor to be,

&c.a &c.a

/Signed/ Jos. Hill.

Lieut.t Colonel.

Madras.

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Resolved

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Resolved that Lieutenant Colonel

Resolution thereon Hill be mentioned to the Honorable Court of Directors,

as a zealous and deserving Officer.-

The Commander in Chief lays before

the Board the following Extract from a Letter addressed

to His Excellency's Military Secretary by Order of the

Commanding Officer of Vellour, relative to the Loss stated

to have been sustained by the Wine Merchant Ramah,

during the late Insurrection at that Station.-

Extract of a Letter from Lieutenant Kutzleben,

Dated Vellore September 19th 1806.-

Extract of a letter from Lieutenant Kutzleben to the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief - Forwards Statement of Losses by a Native during the Muting at Vellore objected to by the Court of Inquiry for that Purpose.-

"I had the pleasure to receive your

"letter of the 17th last Night, and submitted it this Morning

"to Colonel Harcourt, who desires me to say that the

"Man, who has given in that Statement of his losses, is not

"only of a very bad Character, but that he is convinced

"he never experienced the Loss he mentions and as a

"Proof of it, the Man refused himself to swear to it, and

"got another Man to swear for him this other Man

declared

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"declared, that he knew nothing about the Statement, and
"did not know what he had sworn to, but was desired
"to do it by the Wine Merchant, moreover Colonel
"Forbes says, he will not change his opinion to that given
"in at the Court of Inquiry."

Lieut.t Col.o Reynell. (A True Extract
&.ca &.ca (Signed/- Tho. Reynell.

Articles Lost at Vellore on the 10th July 1806—
the property of Ramah, Wine Merchant, by the mutineers—

19½ Dozen of Madara at 3 Pagodas	58.	22. 40
7 ..... D.o and 3 Bottles of Brandy at 4 Pag.s ..	29.	" "
9 ..... D.o and 4 D.o of Beer at 3 Pag.s	28.	" "
1 ..... D.o ..... of Port wine at 4 Pagodas	4.	" "
9 Bottle of French Clarret	3.	" "
22 Quire Dimmee Paper at 16 f.s 5 70 Cash ...	8.	11. 20
8 D.o of Gelt Paper at 11 f.s 5 20 Cash ...	2	" "
6 Bottle of Sweet Oil	1.	22. 40.
7 Peace of Nunker at 33 fan.s 5 60 Cash	5.	11 20
Star Pagodas	139.	22 40.

Ido.

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I do hereby swear that the above is a true account of what I have lost in the Mutiny at Vellore.—

Mark of Ramah.

Sworn before me this
14th of August 1806

} Signed N. Webb.
Act. Mag. and Sent. Judge Nr. Dr.

Resolution thereon—

Resolved under the circumstances stated in the foregoing Paper, that the Claim of the Wine Merchant Ramah be finally rejected.—

Proceedings of the Medical Board—
Forward a letter and address from Mr. Surgeon Ainslie, an prevented by want of time from offering any remarks on the Subject.—

The Board Proceed to pass Orders on the following Proceeding of the Medical Board—

Resolution of the Governor in Council, 10th October 1806.

Medical Board. 4th October 1806.

As the Board deem it proper that the Medical Board should be required to give an opinion on all points of Medical Discussion, which the Governor in Council, and may be submitted by that Board, for the Consideration of the Governor in Council, and as the Board conclude that there will be sufficient time for the medical Board

1. Read a letter from Mr. Surgeon Ainslie of the 2d Battalion of Artillery, accompanied with one to the Right Honorable the Court of Directors all dated the 3d Instant.—

2. The Short time given by Mr. Ainslie, prevents the Medical Board

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Board to report their Sentiments on the Paper which has been received from Mr Ainslie, previously to the departure of the Ships, it is resolved accordingly, that the Medical Board be directed to state their Opinion on that Subject.-

Board entering into the merits of or making any remarks, on the above mentioned address, which, agreeably to ... that Gentleman's earnest request, they take the earliest opportunity of forwarding to Govern.t ment.-

/Signed/ Terence Gahagan. M.D.
& 2d. Member Medical Board.

" Jas. Richardson
3d. Member Medical Board.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

/Signed/ G.n Strachey.
Sec.y to Government.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Cavendish Bentinck.

Governor in Council, &.ca &.ca

My Lord,

I have the honor of laying before you, a letter for the Honorable Court of Directors, respecting a new method of treating a violent and very frequent disease in our Indian dominions; which, should it meet with your Lordship's approbation,

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approbation, I shall be particularly gratified by its being forwar-
-ded by the fleet now under Dispatch.-

I have the honor to be,

&c.a &c.a

Mount.

October 3d 1806. /Signed/ Whitelaw Ainslie.

Surgeon.

2d Battalion Artz.-

Read the following Letter from the Military

Board.-

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

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

From the Military Board.
Favorably submit the
Claim of the agent for
Spirituous Liquors for
interest on disbursements
& remuneration for
Losses.

My Lord,

1. We have the honor to submit Copies

of two letters from the Agent for Spirituous Liquors. Containing his

claim for Interest on the Amount of Sums which he has disbursed

on Public Account, and for a Remuneration for Losses said to have

arisen from leakage beyond the allowance specified in the Regula-
-tions.-

2. As Mr. Cochrane's request regards a

Claim not sanctioned by the Regulations of the Service. We do not

feel

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feel ourselves Authorized to recommend its admission, but we conceive that the Circumstances stated by him are entitled to a considerable degree of attention, and we recommend the subject to the favorable consideration of your Lordship in Council.—

We have the honor to be,

Fort St. George
29th September 1806.

&ca &ca

/Signed/ J. F. Cradock.
" E. Trapaud.
" P. A. Agnew.
" J. Munro.

Ordered in Consequence that the follow-
Order thereon — ing letter be dispatched to the Military Auditor —
General.—

To, Lieutenant Colonel Brunton.

Military Auditor General.—

Sir,

To the Military Auditor General. Desires he will state whether the explanation of the Honorable Basil Cochrane is sufficient to remove the objection against his Claims.—

The Military Board having brought under the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council farther papers connected with claims of the Honorable Basil Cochrane, which were discussed in your Report at the Military Board of the 16th April last,

Sam.

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I am directed by His Lordship in Council, to refer those papers for your perusal, and to desire that you will state as soon as may be practicable whether the explanation which has been given by Mr. Cochrane is sufficient to remove the objection to the admiss-sion of his Claims which was stated in your former report.-

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

Fort St. George.
18th October 1806.

/Signed/ G. Buchan.
Chief Secretary to Govt.

Lt. Col. Wilson &c.

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Diary

11th Received the following letter.

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

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General - Reports an additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster of Fort St. George for the current month admissable -

Having examined an additional Estimate of Cash of the Military Paymaster at Fort St. George, for the Current Month, I have the honor to report that the amount thereof Viz.t Pagodas Twenty seven thousand seven hundred and Ninety five (Pagodas 27,795) is admissible and issuable from the General Treasury, being required for the payment of Sundry Bills and advances of Cash to the Agent for the Supply of Military Stores, and the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency, under Authority from Government, and for the payment of other demands on this Office not provided for before in any former Estimate. -

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

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George, 10th October 1806. -

Signed J. Brunton
M.y Aud.r Gen.l

Received.

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Received and Sent the following letters entered in M: B: Nos. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25.—

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.— From Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Reynell— Requests that authority may be issued for payment of pay and allowances to Lieutenant Morgan, and also for an advance to that Officer, he being about to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope.—

To the Military Board.— To the Military Board— directs them to purchase the Mess Room at Arcot, belonging to the Officers of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons, on the public Account.—

To the Military Auditor General To Lieutenant Colonel Brunton— Directing him to make arrangements for advancing to Lieutenant Colonel Hill his share of the Off reckonings and Bazar Funds, that Officer finding the usual Securities.—

To the Military Paymaster General.— To Mr. Roebuck— Transmits Copy of Military Auditor General's Report on additional Estimate of Cash required by Military Paymaster at Fort St. George for the Current month.—

To the Commanders of the H: C. Ships Europe— Streatham and William Pitt.— To Captains Gelston— Dale— and Edmeades— Directs them to receive as Charter Party Passengers

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Passengers for England the Men Specified in the Accompany=
=ing List.-

12th Sent the following Letters entered in
M: B: Nos. 26- 27- 28- 29.

To the Military Auditor General.-

To the Military Auditor General.- Directs the Issue of Authority for an advance of Pay and al=
=lowances to Lieutenant Morgan.-

To the Commander of the H: C: Ship Comet. To Captain Morring- Directs him to retain certain persons of His Majesty's 75th Regiment on board his Ship as passengers to England.-

To the Commander of the Honorable Com=
=pany's Ship Sir Wil=
=liam Pultney.- To Captain Barker- Directs him to retain certain persons of His Majesty's 75th Regiment on board his Ship as passengers to England.-

To the Commander of the Honorable Company's Ship Phanix.- To Captain Ramsden- directs him to retain a Child on board his Ship as a Passen=
=ger to England.-

13th Received the following Letter.-

To the Right Honorable Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council Vce Vce Vce

My Lord.

From the Military auditor 1. Having examined an additional Estimate

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Auditor General Reports on an additional Estimate of Cash for the payment of the King's Troops for the present month.-

Estimate of Cash of the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings Troops for the present Month. I have the honor to report that the Sum of Pagodas Twenty six Thousand two hundred and thirty (Pagodas 26,230) does not appear Objectionable, being required for the payment of His Majesty's 25th Dragoons recently arrived at this Presidency from Bengal in Arrear for the present and advance for the ensuing Month, and for the payment of Passage Money to the Officers of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons and to Officers of different Corps in His Majesty's Service proceeding to England on duty and on Sick Certificate: the amount is issuable from the General Treasury.-

2. I have deducted the Sum of Pagodas One Thousand One hundred and forty two (Pgs. 1142-) from this additional Estimate being the difference between the rate of Passage Money allowed by Government and that included in the Estimate for the Quarter Masters of the 19th Dragoons:- persons of that description are only entitled, as per Mr. Secretary Webb's letter of the 20th April 1799, to

half

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half the passage Money of an Ensign, but the Deputy Paymaster General has included (by mistake, no doubt) the full Passage Money of an Officer of that Rank for each of the Quarter Masters of the 19th Dragoons.—

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) J. Bruntón
Mty Audr. Genl.

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 13th October 1806.—

I sent the following Letters

entered in M: B: Nos. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35.—

To the Military Auditor General.—

To Lieutenant Colonel Bruntón.— Desires him to report, if in his opinion the State of business in the Pay Office at Vellore, requires that the departure of Captain Wilson from this Country should be delayed for some time.—

To the Military Auditor General.—

To Lieutenant Colonel Bruntón.— Transmits Extract of Proceedings in the Military Department.

To the Military Paymaster General

To Mr. Roebuck.— Transmits Copy of the Military Auditor Generals report

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Report on an additional Estimate of Cash of the Deputy Paymaster General to the King's Troops. —

To the Commanders of the Honorable Company's Ships Phanix Ann Sir William Puttney Glory Tigris Calcutta and Union. —

To the Commanders of the Honorable Company's Ships — Phanix — Ann — Sir William Puttney — Glory — Tigris Calcutta & Union — directs them to receive certain persons on board their Ships as Charter party Passengers for England. —

To the Commander of the Ship Union. —

To Captain Fairfax — directs him to receive certain persons on board his Ship as Charter party Passengers for England. —

To the Commander of the Honorable Company's Ship Tigris

To Captain Graham — directs him to receive on board his Ship a Private of His Majesty's 80th Regiment as a Passenger to England. —

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At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor and President

Tuesday the 14th. October 1806.-

Lieutenant General Sir J. F. Cradock K. B.

Commander in Chief

William Petrie } Esqrs.
and
Thomas Oakes. }

Minutes of last Con=

=sultation read and approved.-

The Commander in Chief

records the following Minute.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief- Recommends that a supply of worsted Sashes may be annually demand=ed from Europe.-

Considerable delay in the provision of Cloathing for the Army occurring annually from the difficulty which is found to exist in pro=curing proper Sashes for the non Commissioned Officers to be made in India, I recommend, at the request of the Agent, that a supply of Worsted Sashes may be annually demanded from Europe.-

Should the Board adopt this Recommendation, I submit a Statement of the number and Quality of Sashes for non Commissi=oned officers, required for the present Establishment of the Army; and Recom=mend that a demand for that supply be made by the present despatch, to be continued annually.-

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(Signed) J. F. Cradock.
Lt. General.-

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The following worsted Sashes required for the Army Cloathing of the Years 1806/7 for Serjeants - and Hairdars of the Madras Army.-

Corps.	Colour of Sashes.	Number of Sashes.	Remarks.
1st Regt. Native Cavalry.	Red white Stripe	26.	Cavalry Sashes.
2d. - ditto - ditto -	Red with deep Green Stripe	26.	
3d. - ditto - ditto -	Red with Buff - ditto	26.	
4th - ditto - ditto -	Red with deep Yellow ditto	26.	
5th - ditto - ditto -	Red with black - ditto	26.	
6th - ditto - ditto -	Red with French Grey ditto	26.	
7th - ditto - ditto	Red with Bright yellow ditto	26.	
8th - ditto - ditto -	Red with Pale Yellow - ditto	26.	
2. Battalions of Artillery	Red with white - ditto	156.	Artillery Sashes.
Madras European Regt.	Red with French Grey ditto	48.	
1st. Regiment N. I.	Red with white - ditto	104.	Infantry Sashes.
2d. Regiment N. I.	Red with Deep Green - ditto	104.	
3d. Regiment N. I.	Red with white - ditto	104.	
4th. Regiment N. I.	Red with Orange - ditto	104.	
5th. Regiment N. I.	Red with Black - ditto	104.	
6th. Regiment N. I.	Red with Buff - ditto	104.	
7th. Regiment N. I.	Red with French Grey - ditto	104.	
8th. Regiment N. I.	Red with Bright yellow ditto	104.	
9th. Regiment N. I.	Red with Goslin Green - ditto	104.	

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Corps.	Colour of Sashes.	Number of Sashes.	Remarks.
10th Regiment N. I.	Red with white Stripe	104.	Infantry Sashes.
11th Regiment N. I.	Red with Pale Buff ditto	104.	
12th Regiment N. I.	Red with Willow Green ditto	104.	
13th Regiment N. I.	Red with Philemot yellow ditto	104.	
14th Regiment N. I.	Red with black ditto	104.	
15th Regiment N. I.	Red with white ditto	104.	
16th Regiment N. I.	Red with Pale yellow ditto	104.	
17th Regiment N. I.	Red with Deep yellow ditto	104.	
18th Regiment N. I.	Red with Saxon Blue ditto	104.	
19th Regiment N. I.	Red with Buff ditto	104.	
20th Regiment N. I.	Red with full Green Stripe	104.	
21st Regiment N. I.	Red with Bright yellow ditto	104.	
22d Regiment N. I.	Red with Pale yellow ditto	104.	
23d Regiment N. I.	Red with white ditto	104.	
2 Garrison Companies	Red with Blue ditto	20.	
Garrison Staff and Supernumeraries	Red with Blue ditto	40.	
2 Battalions of Pioneers	Red with Black ditto	96.	Pioneer Sashes.

(Signed) P. A. Agnew
Adjutant General of the Army.

N.B. If two Years supply was sent at first, it might prevent delay from accidental detention of Ships.

Resolved

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Resolved that an application be submitted to the Honorable Court of Directors for a supply of Worsted Sashes, agreeably to the recommendation of the Commander in Chief.-

Resolution thereon

Read the following Letters from the Secretary of the Commander in Chief.-

George Buchan Esqr.

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

Sir,

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief - Recommends that Captain Lieutenant Cleaveland may be allowed the passage Money usually granted to subalterns. -

The Commander in Chief is so sensible of the Hardship, that attaches to the Case of Captain Cleveland, that he cannot refrain from submitting to the Consideration of the Board of Council, this Second Application from that Officer.-

It appears that he had made Arrangements for his Passage to Europe, with the full Expectation of receiving the Allowance, granted to Subaltern Officers, he having held only that Rank, at the time he obtained his Leave of absence, and did not Know of his Promotion, until his Arrival at the Presidency, after a long and fatigueing Journey from the

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the Southern Part of the Peninsula.-

Independant of the Circumstance of the individual Case before the Board, His Excellency is desirous of stating his opinion, that the Court of Directors, in when the Regulations on the Score of Passage Allowance, were framed, must have overlooked the peculiar situation of Officers, holding the Rank of Captain Lieutenant, who receive no additional pecuniary Emolument by their advancement from the Moment of their ceasing to do Duty in India and are from the period of their Embarkation until their Return in the Receipt only of a Lieutenants Subsistence

His Excellency is further induced to view the Application of Captain Cleveland, as deserving of the Consideration of the Board, from his very impaired State of Health, and his being obliged to relinquish the advantage allowed him by His Lordship in Council, of benefitting by a Change of Climate, in the Event of this his Solicitation not being granted, and also to forfeit the Sum he has promised to pay for the Accommodation he had secured.-

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) Thomas Reynell

M.J.Sec.y

upon

Fort St. George
October 13th 1806.-

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Resolved that an application be submitted to the Honorable Court of Directors for a supply of Worsted Sashes, agreeably to the recommendation of the Commander in Chief.—

Resolution thereon

Read the following Letters from the Secretary of the Commander in Chief.—

George D. Lieutenant appears to come under following Order in the 25th Section of the Military Regulations.—

"On a Reference from the Supreme Government, we have agreed that Subaltern Officers holding only the Brevet Rank of Captain, shall be allowed Passage Money of Subalterns under the new Regulations, when obliged to come home from ill Health, with the usual Certificates."—

Signed Thos. Reynell.—

To His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir John F. Cradock K.C.B.

Commander in Chief

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

Sir,

Having been furnished with a

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the Southern Part of the Peninsula.-

Independant of the Circumstance of the individual Case before the Board, His Excellency is desirous of stating his opinion, that the Court of Directors, in when the Regulations on the Score of Passage Allowance, not promoted, to have overlooked the peculiar situation of even with such rank, Precive Lieutenant, who receive only; that altho' it is of the utmost importance Advancement to health, I shall not be able to go home without the Assistance of Government.- and that I have travelled at considerable expence and inconvenience from the Southern point of the Peninsula, with the expectation of meeting with that Assistance, and only learned of my Promotion on my arrival at the Presidency under these circumstances I am induced to hope that my case may be re-considered and received in a more favorable light, particularly when the hardship of the late supercession to which I have been subjected, shall have been adverted to, by Your Excellency and His Lordship in Council. I trust

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Upon further Consideration of this Case His Excellency is inclined to view the Situation of Captain Lieutenant and Brevet Captain, in the same Light, from Both holding the Rank of Captain, and receiving the Pay of Lieutenant, and in such Consideration, the Captain Lieutenant appears to come under the following Order in the 25th Section of the Military Regulations.-

"On a Reference from the Supreme Government, we have agreed that Subaltern Officers holding only the Brevet Rank of Captain, shall be allowed Passage Money of Subalterns under the new Regulations, when obliged to come home from ill Health, with the usual Certificates."-

Signed Thos. Reynell.-

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
Sir John F. Cradock K.C.B.
Commander in Chief
&c.a &c.a &c.a

Sir,

Having been furnished with a

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Copy of the resolution of Council, upon the claim which I presented for Passage Money to Europe as a Subaltern,

Beg leave to represent to your Excellency that at the time I obtained permission to proceed to Europe I was not promoted to the rank of Captain Lieutenant: that even with such rank, I receive the Pay of a Subaltern only; that although it is of the utmost importance to my health, I shall not be able to go home without the assistance of Government.- and that I have travelled at considerable expence and inconvenience from the Southern point of the Peninsula, with the expectation of meeting with that assistance, and only learned of my Promotion on my arrival at the Presidency - under these circumstances I am induced to hope - that my case may be re-considered and received in a more favorable light, particularly when the hardship of the late supercession to which I have been subjected, shall have been adverted to, by your Excellency and His Lordship in Council. I

trust

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Chief Records the following Minute.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief. Recommends that Lieut. Morgan may have permission to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope - that Lieutenant Trewman be appointed Assistant to the Officer Commanding the Cadet Company - and that promotions may take place in the 5th and 6th Regiments of Native Infantry - Reports that Major General Campbell is now on his route to the Presidency. -

I submit to the Board an application from Lieutenant Morgan of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry, founded on a Sick Certificate, for permission to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope for the benefit of his Health: and I recommend Compliance with his request.-

I recommend the appointment of Lieutenant I. T. Trewman of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant to the Officer Commanding the Cadet Company, vice Fraser, permitted to resign.-

I recommend the following Promotion and succession to the vacancy of Captain Gregson, deceased in Europe.-

6th Regiment of Native Infantry

Captain Lieutenant H. Townsend to be Captain of a Company, vice Gregson deceased;

and

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and Lieutenant R. Parmenter to be Captain Lieu-
-tenant, vice Townsend Promoted; date of Com-
-missions 18th. December 1805.-

I recommend the following

Promotion to supply a vacancy.-

5th. Regiment of Native Infantry.-

Ensign P. Whannell to be

Lieutenant; date of Rank the 17th. July 1805.-

I have the honor to report

that Major General Campbell left Ballary on his
route to the Presidency on the 7th. Instant Lieu-
-tenant Colonel Webber is the Senior Officer in the
Ceded Districts: but Major General Campbell
retains the general direction of the Military
arrangements there during his temporary
absence.-

14th. October 1806.-

(Signed) J. F. Cradock
Lieut. General.-

To

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To The Right Honorable

Lord William C. Bentinck

Governor in Council

Fort St. George

My Lord.

I have the honor herewith to enclose to you a Sick Certificate signed by Mr. Surgeon Norman, and have to request your Lordship's permission to proceed on the Honorable Company's Ship Streatham, to the Cape of Good Hope for the re-establishment of my health.—

I have the honor to be

&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Jno. W. Morgan

Lieut. 1st Reg. N.C.

Fort St. George

October 10th. 1806.—

This is to certify that Lieut. J. W. Morgan of the Native Cavalry of this Establishment, has for several years past, been afflicted with frequent and severe attacks of Epilepsy - which appear to have been

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been always aggravated by the heat of this climate -
and that in my opinion, it is absolutely necessary for
him to proceed immediately to the Cape of Good Hope,
as the most promising means of his being restored to,
and Confirmed in his health. - Given under my hand
at Madras this 9th October 1806. -

(Signed) W.m Horsman
Surgeon

Resolution thereon

The Board approve the recommendations and arrangement stated in the foregoing Minute. -

Read the following Letter from the Military Auditor General -

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
Fort St. George

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General

In obedience to your Lordship's orders signified

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General - Submits a detailed Statement of the amount of Loses sustained by Individuals at Vellore and payable by Government - Reports on the best mode of discharging the different claims. -

signified by Mr. Secretary Strachey in a letter dated the 17th. and Received in my Office on the 26th. ultimo, I have the honor to transmit the accompanying Statement shewing under distinct heads the amount payable by the Honble Company in Remuneration of Losses sustained by Individuals in consequence of the late Insurrection at Vellore.

2. I have also the honor to state according to your Lordship's desire that in my opinion "the most "Convenient Arrangement for discharging the different claims" will be that Copies of the papers which I have received with the Secretary's letter of the 17th. ultimo containing the particulars and Amount of those claims may be transmitted to the Commanding Officer of Vellore accompanied by a Copy of the Statement which is herewith submitted, if approved, and with your Lordship's Orders that the amount stated in the latter may be drawn by that Office from the Military Pay Office of Vellore and issued by him or under his immediate instructions to the different claimants, taking receipts from each person of the particular sums so paid and acquainting them of the liberality manifested towards them in extending that relief and of the further intentions of Government

to

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to recommend the remainder of their claims to the most fa=
=vorable notice of the Honorable Court of Directors.—

3. Should this arrangement be approved I propose to pass the different Bills for the amount payable on them, and as soon as I am honored with your Lord=
=ship's orders to that effect shall forward them with the necessary instructions to the Command=
=ing Officer of Nellore.—

4 It is proper to observe to your Lordship in Council that a few errors in Cal=
=culations have been corrected in the list received from Government, Viz.t

The Total amount of loss in No. 4 is stated in the list to be Pagodas 3,406:39.50. but the amount of the different Sums Com=
=prized in that Voucher amount to Pago=
=das 3,416: 39. 50.—

The Total amount of

loss

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loss in No. 13 is stated in the same list to be Pagodas 149- 36-.-. but the actual amount of the different sums comprized in that Voucher amounts to Pagodas 251: 38: 44..

5. As a further explanation is re-
-quired in support of the amount of No. 7 that sum, Viz. Pagodas 139- 22- 40 is not includ-
-ed in this Statement.-

6. The Commanding Officer at Vellore, who superintended the examina-
-tion of these claims, will be best able to judge of the propriety or impropriety of the corrections alluded to, and it will be adviseable that Colonel Harcourt shall be instructed to deduct the excess should the Sums originally stated

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stated prove to have been correct notwith-
=standing they at present appear to be
otherwise.-

I have the honor to be
With the greatest respect
My Lord.
Your Lordship's most Obedient
humble Servant
(signed) J. Brunton
Mily and Dr. General

Military Auditor Genl. Office
Fort St. George 4th October 1806.-

Statement

Statement shewing the Amount of the Actual Loss represented to have been sustained by the Public and Individuals, in Consequence of the Recent Disturbances at Vellore, and the proportion of that Loss to be defrayed by Government agreeably to a Resolution of Council, bearing date 16th September 1806.-

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	Amount stated to have been Lost.	Proportion to be admitted	Total to be admitted
Public Property.-			
Amount of Public property, stolen from Captain Maclachlan, acting Paymaster to the Detachment of His Majesty's 69th Regiment	496. 28.		496. 28.
Amount of Public property stolen from the Fort Adjutants Office, being the Pay of European and Native Invalids and Pensioners &c. &c. &c.	1887. 596. 50.		1,900 11. 50.
Amount of Public property stolen from the Cash Chest of the 2d Battalion 23d Regiment Native Infantry	934. 52. 40.	935. 7. 40.	3,332. 2. 10.

Private Property

His Majesty's 69th Regiment

Major Coates	687.	"	"	343.	22.	40.
Captain Barrow	136.	"	"	68.	"	"
" Donespe	200.	"	"	100.	"	"
" Maclachlan	700.	"	"	350.	"	"
Lieutenant Bissett	74.	"	"	37.	"	"
" Gunning	120.	"	"	60.	"	"
" Mitchell	75.	"	"	37.	22.	40.
" Jenour	150.	"	"	75.	"	"
" L. Baby	300.	"	"	150.	"	"
Asistant Surgeon Williams	550.	"	"	275.	"	"
					1496.	"

1st Battalion 1st Regiment Native Infantry

Captain P. D. Martt	37.	22.	"	18.	33.	40.
Lieutenant and Asjitant Ewing	482.	42.	2"	241.	25.	"
Surgeon John Jones	650.	13.	"	325.	6.	40.
Quarter Master Allen	40.	"	"	20.	"	"
					605.	16.
Carried forward					5433.	18.

1506. 34. 40.

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Brought forward				753	34	10	5433 18 10
2d Battalion 23rd Regiment Native Infantry.							
Captain C. P. Stevenson			346	"	"	173 " "	
" Greensell			250	"	"	125 " "	
Lieutenant and Adjutant Coombs			442	68	20	221 34 10	
" Dunn			375	"	"	187 22 10	
" Blake			266	"	"	133 " "	
" Oliver			256	"	"	128 " "	
Mr. Assistant Surgeon Dean			121	"	"	60 22 10	
Mess of the 2d Battalion 23d Regiment			450	"	"	225 " "	1,253 34 10
Garrison Staff.							
Mr. Pritchard	Garrison Surgeon		820	"	"	410 " "	
Lieutenant Maclean	Fort Adjutant		200	"	"	100 " "	

M. McBain	Barrack Serjeant	653.	44. 60.	326.	44. 70.		
J. Ward	Store Serjeant	150.	" "	75.	" "		
J. Charters	Key Serjeant	251.	33. 44.	125.	41. 62.		
Solomon Frost	Serjeant	680.	7. "	340.	3. 40.	1378.	" 12.
	European Invalids						
John Laws	Gunner	11.	22. 40.	5.	33. 60.		
Coper	Ditto	2.	" "	1.	" "		
James Huetson	Private	2.	6. "	1.	3. "		
James Alexander	Ditto	5.	25. 40.	2.	35. 20.		
Thomas Newman	Ditto	10.	" "	5.	" "		
Francis Hansard	Ditto	2.	8. "	1.	4. "		
James Naldy	Ditto	25.	18. "	10.	31. 40.	27.	17. 40.
	European Pensioners.						
Serjeant Keason		196.	14. 20.	98.	7. 10.		
John Read, Private		2.	27. "	1.	13. 40.	99.	20. 50.
				Carried forward		3192.	" 42.

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Brought forward ---------- 8192. " 42

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Individuals

Mrs. Fancourt	3339 9. 40.	1669. 27. 20.	
" Ly.	895. 22. "	447. 33. 40.	
Mrs. Potter	2216 17. "	1108. 8. 40.	
Aarinda Rubere	26. 35. "	13. 17. 40.	
Charlotte Watters	157. 16. 50.	78. 30. 65.	
Sied Mustapha	2218. 22. 40.	2218. 22. 40.	5536. 5. 5.
	+ 8853 32. 50. +		

Grand Total to be admitted Pagodas ---------- 13728. 5. 47.

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(Signed) J. Brunton
Mily. Audr. General

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Resolved that the Arrange=
=ment submitted in the foregoing Letter be approved,
and that the Commander in Chief be requested to
give the necessary directions to the Officer Comman=
=ing at Vellore.

Resolution thereon

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c &c &c

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General - Reports on Retrenchments that are at present standing against the Paymaster of His Majesty's 34th Regiment

Mr Sarjeant Paymaster
of His Majesty's 34th Regiment being about to
proceed to Europe on Furlough. I beg leave to state
that Retrenchments are standing against him
on account of Major Fenwick of the above Corps
being difference between the pay and allowances of
a Captain and those of Major, the Retrenchment
Originates in Major Fenwick's promotion not ha=
=ving been notified in public Orders by His Excel=
=lency the Commander in Chief. Mr Sarjeant
however

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however produces a Copy of a letter from the Agents of the Regiment announcing the promotion from the War Office which in the present instance may perhaps be considered sufficient to remove the Retrenchment. Captain Campbell of the 34th. is exactly as Major Fenwicks predicament, having obtained a Company in Consequence of his (Major Fenwicks) promotion which is also announced to the Regiment in the same Manner, but as it is an established rule in this Office never to admit of allowances in advanced rank until the promotion is announced in General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief - I cannot take upon me to relieve Mr. Sargeant in the present instance without your Lordship's Authority. -

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I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c. &c.
(Signed) J. Brunton
Mily. Audr. Genl.
To

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To The Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck.

Governor in Council

Vcu. Vcu. Vcu.

My Lord,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from the Chief Secretary to Govern=ment, of yesterday's date, transmitting, for my Examination and Report, a letter and sundry papers submitted to your Lordship by the Military Paymaster General, relative to an unadjusted balance against Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majesty's 19th. Dragoons.

From the military Auditor General — Reports on the unadjusted balance against Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majesty's 19. Light Dragoons, and is of opinion that it ought to fall upon Mr. Hawkins late Paymaster at Tuckinopoly.

2. Having attentively examined and perused the above mentioned documents I have the honor to report as follows.—

3. It appears that sometime between the Months of February and May 1800 (the date not being particularly specified in any of the papers

before

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Before me a Bill was drawn by Captain (now Major) Cathcart (who was either in Command of, or Acting Paymaster to a detachment of the 19th. Dragoons) on Captain (now Lieutenant Colonel) Kennedy, who was at that time the Paymaster of the Regiment, for Pagodas 1500..... in favor of the Paymaster at Madura, who, it would appear, advanced the Money, and that the Bill in question was forwarded to the Paymaster at Trichinopoly, to be recovered from the Paymaster of the Regiment.-

4. Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy's Conicopoly makes Oath that the amount of the Bill beforementioned was actually deducted from the Amount of his Masters Abstract for April 1806 (meaning the Abstract of the Regement for that Month) by the Head Writer at the Trichinopoly Pay Office when the Abstract was presented for payment - that the balance only was paid to him by the Head Writer - that the Bill could not be found at the time - that the

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the Head Writer told him he would send the Bill and send it to him the next day, but the Head Writer failed in his promise, in as much as the Bill was never sent to Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy.

5. These circumstances are corroborated by Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy who says he is ready to support his assertions upon Oath, which I think he should be required to do in order to render the affidavit of his Conicopoly more valid.

6. Mr. Hawkins being in Europe his representative (Captain Keay) it appears has been requested to explain the circumstance, but that Officer, not having any knowledge of the transaction, has called upon Mr. Hawkins Head Writer for an explanation - the Head Writer (C. Anantiah Braminy) states that the Bill in question, was forwarded to the Military Paymaster General for the purpose of enabling him to make the necessary stoppages from the Pay-

-master

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Paymaster of the 19th Dragoons, but he is totally si-
lent as to the stoppage said (and sworn) to have
been made by him from the abstract of the Regiment
for April 1800 on account of that Bill. Vizt Pags. 1,500 ---
which appears (in my Opinion) to imply guilt on his
part, and if the Oath of the Conicopoly is admitted -
there cannot be any doubt but a defraud has been
committed by the Native Servants in the Trichino-
poly Pay Office. --

7. I am therefore of Opinion that
Mr. Hawkins, who was Paymaster at Trichi-
-nopoly when this transaction occurred, and who
it is presumed, is alone Answerable for the Conduct
of his Official Servants, should be held responsible
for the Amount of the public Money now de-
-manded from Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy,
Vizt Pagodas 1,500. --

8. The approaching departure
of the 19th Dragoons for Europe renders it expedient
that

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that Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy should be relieved (in some measure) from this demand, which may be done on his giving proper Security to indemnify the public in the event of any circumstance occurring hereafter tending to remove the guilt, which, under the present view of the Case, attaches to the Native Servants of the late Paymaster at Trichinopoly—

9. I cannot conclude this Report without noticing the neglect on the part of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy in allowing such a deduction to be made from the Abstract of the Regiment without even a receipt for the Amount, the latter should certainly have been required by Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy when he found that the Bill was not forthcoming.—

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
(signed) J. Brunton
Dy. Audr. Genl.

Military Auditor Generals Office
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N.B.

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N.B. The enclosures connected with this report being originals are herewith returned.

(Signed) J. Brunton
Mty Audr General.

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Sir,

From the Military Paymaster General. Forwards Letter from Lieut. Col. Kennedy of H. M. 19th Lt. Dragoons & reports his opinion that an unadjusted Balance of Pags. 1,500 should fall on Mrs Hawkin's Servants.

I request, you will be pleased to lay before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of H. M. 19th Regt. Light Dragoons.

The facts stated by Colonel Kennedy as far as came within my knowledge are fairly stated.

I closed my Accounts as Pay-master of Company's allowances to the Kings Troops on the 30th September 1797.

In the Month of June 1798. Captain Kennedy addressed me a Letter No. 1 & my Answer to Mrs Hawkins No. 2 Complaining that he could not get his Accounts Settled.

The Bill in dispute for 1,500 Pagodas was payable out of his May Abstracts

and

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and ought to have been deducted from it, instead of this Being done it was sent with Mr. Paymaster Hawkins Accounts in May which reached my Office the Middle of July and must have left Trichinopoly in July. as a demand against Captain Kennedy and for which I was debited without any endorsment on the Bill or any Letter accounting for the transmission of such a demand in his Account Current — Various Correspondence took place respecting this sum and others to a much larger Amount which had been in like manner Confused and neglected by the Trichinopoly Pay Office and all is adjusted excepting this 1500 Pagodas: from the declaration of Colonel Kennedy and from the Affidavit of his Servant No. 3. I have no hesitation in saying that it is my Opinion that it ought to fall on Mr. Hawkins Servants es= =pecially as Colonel Kennedy is ready to support by Affidavit what he has advanced which he should in my humble Opinion do — Captain Keay who has

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has acted for Mr. Hawkins has expressed to me his decided bad opinion of his Servants at various times & he has Known done the same to others. — Anantiah Mr. Hawkin's man in his explanation No. 6 asserts that he transmitted several sums for adjustment by the Paymaster General as the Regiment had left Trichinopoly, but the sum was due on the May abstract, and in August of the same Year he drew a Bill on me in favor of Captain Kennedy for 3643. 35. 16. why should this Bill have been sent to me to recover for 1500 Pagodas when there was the Means of recovering it at Trichinopoly, and why was it sent to me in such a shape that it could not attract my notice, but lay over as it did for a long time without any Communication with the Party's by Letter stating the cause of the non receiving of the Amount."

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) B. Roebuck

Mr. Y Paymr Genl.

To

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To the Military Paymaster General

Sir,

I have to request that you will call upon the person who had the Management of Mr. Hawkins Accounts for a final adjustment of my Accounts with him which have been so long depending and on which I have had repeated Correspondence with you. - In 1805 I transmitted a Letter to you with the affidavit of my Conicopoly which will clearly prove that my Receipt which ought to have been returned to me, was not sent to me. I will here adduce further Arguments in sup-=port of what I have advanced, and what is Collateral and Circumstancial evidence to support the positive evidence of my Conicopoly. -

If I was endebted to the Tychinopoly Office in April why was not that deducted from my Arrears due in the begining of May when my Acceptance was due. The fact is the Bill was said to be lost and was not therefore dilivered

to

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to me and I foolishly admitted of this excuse, and I can have no difficulty or hesitation in giving my affidavit to the Circumstances which are clear in my Memory that my Conicopoly Came back to me and repeated to me that the Bill was not to be found at that time but should be sent to me - But as Cash was due and the Paymasters Servants did not deduct the Amount of this Bill, I think with the evidence I have adduced it is sufficiently established that it was paid and the Paymaster must be responsible for the Acts of his Servants. I have never hesitated in meeting this Question - I have done every thing in my Power to clear it up, and I call upon you to say if the like Conduct has been adopted on the other side. -

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

Signed/ J. Kennedy
Lieut. Coll. 19. L. D.

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3. October 1806 -

A true Copy
Signed/ B. Roebuck
Ass. Paymr Genl.

Extract

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Fort St. George 14th October 1806.-

Extract of a Letter from Captain Kennedy Pay
=master 19th Light Dragoon to B. Roebuck Esq
Military Paymaster General - Dated Trichinopo
June 1st 1798.

I have never been able to settle
my Abstracts for September October November or De=
=cember last with the Pay Office here, as they say they
have not got the Accounts from your Office of the sum
I have drawn upon you for.-

True Extract

(Signed) Benjamin Roebuck
Military Paymr Gen

Extract of a Letter to Mr. Hawkins Paymaste
Trichinopoly Dated 27th June 1798.-

Captain Kennedy Paymaster
of the 19th Light Dragoons complains that he cannot
get your Office to come to an adjustment of his abstracts for
September October November and December every thing
has been done in my Office and forwarded to you.-

True Extract.

(Signed) B. Roebuck
Mily Paymr Genl.

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Extract of a Letter from Colonel Kennedy to the Military Paymaster General, dated Arcot March 7th 1805.

I have made every Search in my power but have not been able to find the original Statement, but it was exactly the same as the one you enclosed, the 1500 Pagodas in question was Stopped the preceeding Month from my April Abstracts. when I settled Major Cathcarts Account (then Captain Cathcart) I mentioned to him the 1500 Pagodas and also stop-ped that Sum from him. If the Conicoply's affi-davit is not Sufficient perhaps his that I had men-tioned the Circumstances to him might be useful. his Account will only Shew that I charged the 1500 to him, a Bill for the 500 & 491. 35. Shall be sent the 24th of this Month which clears every thing in your Office.-

Had I stood indebted to the Office in April why did they send me an order for the balance from the Arrears of May and Advance for June 1800 there was time enough from April to Nov.-

True Extract

(Signed) B. Roebuck
M. P. G.

Signed

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(Here is Vencatachellum - a Declaration written in the Malabar Language given by - - - A Translation whereof immediately follows)

Attestation of the Magistrates affixed to the Malabar Declaration

Signed and Sworn to this day thursday the 1st. of the Month of November 1804 in my Presence.-

(Signed) W. Gordon

Senior Judge

Provl. Court C. D.-

Translation of a Declaration given by Vencatachellum Conicopilla of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy Dated 12th. May 1800.-

That I Vencatachellum went to the Office of Mr. Hawkins with the Abstract of my Mr. for April for Pagodas 3,000 odd Pagodas and Demand the Money from the Head Writer who replyed that he got a Bill of Captain Cathcart for 1500 Pagodas he will Deduct it out the Abstract when my wanted to see that Bill he could not found at that time than the Head Writer Say that he will find out the Bill and will Send him next day My Master Desired him to deduct that Money from the Abstract he Accordingly deduct 1,500 Pagodas on Account of that Bill the Remainder

1500

Abbreviation for Master

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1500 and odd Pagodas he paid - the next day he did not send the Bill in the meantime we came away to Arcot I declare this as far as my Knowledge -

True Copy

(signed) B: Roebuck. -

M. P. G.

Extract of a Letter from Captain Keay acting for Mr. Hawkins late Paymaster Trichinopoly to the Military Paymaster General dated 21st. December 1804. -

I have had the pleasure of your different Communications and Explained to Aunantiah the Contents of your Letter of the 13th Instant, and in reply he gave me the enclosed letter and Account Current requesting I would forward them to you from which you will see he is averse to Ac= -cede to what you wish and can only add that it would have afforded me much pleasure if he had Acquiesced. -

Captain P. H. Keay

Sir,

In reply to your quiries of the day

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day before yesterday I beg leave enclose you an Account Current - you will be pleased to observe that the first and Second Items on the Debtor Side of this Account are Bills received from the Paymaster of Madura for Pagodas 6,200 advanced by him to the Detach= =ment of His Majesty's 19th. Regiment Light Dragoons on Account of Captain / now Lieutenant Colonel / Kennedy late Paymaster of that Regiment - these Sums were duly Carried to the Credit of the Military Pay= =master General by Mr. Hawkins in his Account Current respectively, you will further observe that from this Sums the first and Second Items on the Creditor Side Amounting to Pagodas 3,500 were Actually Stopped from the Abstract of Pay= =master Kennedy and for the latter two Sums as well as for the last 5,000 Pagodas advanced to Lieutenant Anderson at this Office were debited the Military Paymaster General on the Regiment leaving this and the Original Receipts Accom= =panied the respective Months Account Current for the Express purpose of enabling him to make the Necessary Stoppages from the Paymaster of

the

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the 19th. Light Dragoon.

Therefore I am perfectly Con-
vinced Sir that I have no Right whatever to pass
or enter into any Kind of Agreement as you Requires.

I remain
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(signed) C. Aunantiah
Bramny

Trichinopoly
20th. December 1806.

Dr
"

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Dr. Benjamin Roebuck Esqr. Military Paymaster

1800.			
Febuary	To Paymaster Madura.		
	Received of him for a Bill drawn by Captain Cathcart on Captain Kennedy Paymaster of the 19th Light Dragoons and Credited the Military Paymaster General in the Months Account Current - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	1500	" "
May	To Ditto		
	Received for 3 Bills drawn on Captain Kennedy which Credited in this Months account Current with the Military Paymaster General - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	4700	"
July	To Cash for Servant paid to Lieutenant P. Anderson of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons as pr. his receipt dated 9th June 1800 on account of Captain Kennedy. - - -	5000	"
	Pagodas - -	11200	" "

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General in account Current with Wm. Hawkins Esqr. Paymr. &c.

1800.				
February	By Cash Stopped on the 25th. March 1800 from the abstracts of His Majesty's 19th. Light Dragoons Arrears for January and advance for February & Arrears for February and advance for March	1,500	..	--
	By Dr. on the 12th. May 1800 from the abstracts of Dr. Dr. Arrears for April and advance for May 1800	2,000	..	--
	By Dr. for a Draft drawn by Captain Cathcart on Captain Kennedy in favor of Mr. T. Hawkins dated 21st. April 1800 as pr. the same draft sent with the Account Current to the Military Pay-master General	1,500	..	--
	By Dr. Dr. Dated 16th. May 1800 as pr. the same sent with Dr. to the Military Paymaster General	1,200	..	--
July.	By Dr. for the amount of Lieutenant P. Anderson's Receipt dated 9th. June 1800. debited in the Account Current for this month as pr. the same Receipt sent to the Military Paymaster General	5,000	..	--
	Pagodas	11,200	..	--

Errors Excepted

W. (signed) C. Aunantiah 1st.

True Copy (signed) Benjamin Roebuck

Military Payr. Genl.

Benjamin

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Benjamin Roebuck Esqr.

Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George.

Sir.

In Compliance with your letter of the 1st. March last Covering the attested Copies of Bills amounting to Pagodas 7,700-.-.-on account of His Majesty's 19th. Dragoons, I have written to the Paymaster of that Corps Lieutenant Lesle, Copy of the reply thereto made by Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy who acted as Paymaster to the Regiment at the time the transaction took place, I beg leave to transmit to you for your information.-

I am Sir

Your &c. &c.

(Signed) J. Campbell

Acting Deputy Paymr. General

King's Pay Office.

Madras 1st. May 1804.

Major Campbell

Deputy Paymaster General King's Troops

Sir,

I have perused your Letter of the 2d. Ultimo

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Ultimo to Lieutenant Lesle Paymaster to His Majesty's 19th. Regiment of Light Dragoons with its Accompany=ing enclosures from the Military Paymaster General.-

I marched from Trichinopoly the 15th. of May 1800 for Arcot with three Troops of the Regiment. Lieutenant Anderson Acted as paymaster pre=vious to this end of April I accepted a Bill drawn by Captain Cathcart on Command to the Southward for 4500 Pagodas which I paid out of the April Allowances, at the time I received them about 10th. or 12th. of May. The Accepted Bill in question was mislaid in the Office together with other Vouchers Anuntiah the Head Writer promised to send them to me, Some of the Vouchers I particularly recollect were for Cash advanced a Party of the Regi=ment at Negapatam. The Conicopoly who received the Money also recollects the Circumstances perfect=ly. The Vouchers for this party have been forwarded to the Regiment Sometime only.- In July 1800 I received a Statement from the Pay Office at Trichi=

=nopoly

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Trichinopoly with a Balance in favor of the Regement of upwards of three thousand Pagodas which Sum I sent to the Paymaster General to answer any Balances there might be against the Regiment as I knew Lieutenant Anderson has got Money on Account. Previous to the other three Troops of the Regiment leaving Arcot had the 1500 Pagodas remained unpaid I should Imagine it ought to have been deducted from the Statement sent me in July. The 1,200 Pagodas drawn by Captain Cathcart the 16th. of May I never accepted or Knew any thing of. When I gave up the Paymaster-Ship to Lieutenant Boyle all Balances for and Against the Regiment were settled with him, and the balance paid to him. I shall perhaps be able to furnish you with further particulars when I see his Books, which I believe are at Arcot.—

I am &c. &c.

/Signed/ J. Kennedy

Lieut. Colonel 19th. Lt. Dragoons

/A True Copy/

/Signed/ J. Campbell

True Copies

/Signed/ B. Roebuck

Mty Paymr Genl.

Extract

Camp Poonah

April 16th. 1804.

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Extract of a Letter to Captain Keay acting for Mr. Hawkins Late Paymaster Trichinopoly dated 2d. May 1804.-

Having addressed the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings Troops on the Subject of advances made at Trichinopoly on account of the 19th Lt. Dragoons in May and June 1800 Amounting to Pago-das 7,700:-..-- the enclosed is Copy of Major Kennedy's answer to which I have added Copies of the Original Receipt.-

It appears to me that these Sums ought to have been deducted from the Regimental Abstract, and Major Kennedy States that the Amount of the One for Pagodas 1,500 -..-- was actually deducted.-

Major Kennedy States also that he received a Statement from the Trichinopoly Pay Office in July 1800 by which the Balance Appeared in his favor.-

I am led to think that these Sums remaining Still open and apparently unadjusted is a Mistake as they must have been Known to the Pay Office at Trichinopoly at the time the Statement mentioned

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mentioned by Major Kennedy was drawn out in July 1805.

In adjusting the Balances these Vouchers have been Brought forward and I hope with the Assistance of the Copies and Major Kennedy's Letter you will be able to unravel the transaction as also of the 3000 Pagodas deposited.

True Extract

(Signed) B. Roebuck

Asst Pay. Genl.

Extract of a Letter to Captain Keay Acting for Mr. Hawkins Late Paymaster Trichinopoly Dated 28th August 1804.

I will thank you to favor me with an answer to my Letter of the 2d. may last as I wish to adjust with the Kings Pay Office the advance stated by me therein.

True Copy

(Signed) B. Roebuck

Asst Pay. Genl.

Captain

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Fort St. George 14th October 1806.-

Captain P. H. Keay

Acting for the late Paymaster Trichinopoly

Sir,

The account Current Called for by me and mentioned in Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy's Letter is the A/C drawn out in the office with him as Regimental Paymaster on the Regiment leaving the Range of Payment of the Trichinopoly Pay Office, a Copy of which I request may immediately be forwarded to me.-

Fort St. George
26th December 1804.

Sam Jeve Jeve
/signed/ B. Roebuck
Mty P. Genl.

P.S. The Account Current stated in my Letter of the 2d. may 1804 is what is required by Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy.-

/signed/ B. Roebuck
M. P. G.

True Copy
/signed/ B. Roebuck.
Mty P.G.

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Dy Payr Genl.

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Fort St. George 14th. October 1806.-

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Fort St. George
26th. December 1804.

I am &c. &c.
(Signed) B. Roebuck
Mty P. Genl.

P.S. The Account Current stated in my Letter of the 2d. may 1804 is what is required by Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy.-

(Signed) B. Roebuck
M. P. G.

True Copy
(Signed) B. Roebuck.
Mty P.G.

Extract

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Extract of a Letter from Captain P. H. Heay acting for Mr. Hawkins late Paymaster Trichinopoly to the Military Paymaster General dated 22d. January 1805.-

Your Letter of the 2d. May last respecting the Transaction of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy was duly Answered by a Letter in which I enclosed you one addressed to me by the Head Servant of Mr. Hawkins, a Copy of which with the Account Current alluded therein are again enclosed in this for your perusal. Respecting the Affidavit of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedys Concioply, the Head Servant of Mr. Hawkins Corroborates the truth, as you will find by his Account Current.-

The Account Current required in your letter of the 26th. December last Cannot be found at present, it must be amongst the Papers, but I have directed to make a Particular Search for it, and as soon

as

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as it is found it will be sent to you immediately. Sent on application to Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy who I suppose can furnish you with the Original or a Copy as he states having received one from this office.-

/True Copy/
/Signed/ B: Roebuck
M.J. P. General.-

Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy
Late Paymaster 19th. Regiment L.D.

Arcott

Sir,

Captain Kay acting for Mr. W. Hawkins has sent me an A/C as he states it with my Office respecting the advances and abstracts of your Regiment Copy of which together with Extract of his letter and Copy of its enclosure are enclosed.-

You will perceive that the deductions of one 1500 Pagodas is admitted as stated in the affidavit you furnished me, but you will see that exclusive of that, there was another draft for Pagodas 1500 unjusted.-

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I therefore the original of the a/c furnished to you by the Trichinopoly Pay Office or an attested Copy is produced, the matter will I should suppose be cleared up.-

I have again written to Captain Kay for a Copy, if it can possibly be obtained at Trichinopoly but the Original in your hands is more wanted.-

Fort St. George
1st. February 1805.-

I am &c. &c.
(Signed) B. Roebuck
M. P.G.

(True Copy)
(Signed) B. Roebuck
M. P.G.

Extract of a letter from Captain P. H. Kay Acting for Mr. W. Hawkins late Paymaster Trichinopoly to the Military Paymaster General Dated 7th. February 1805.-

Respecting the account Current called for by you on the 26th. December and 26th. February last I have repeatedly over looked all the Papers where

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where I could not find it at all But should I how-
-ever find it hereafter I will immediately forward
it to you.-

True Extract

Signed B. Roebuck
Pm. P.G.

To the Military Paymaster General
Fort St. George

Sir. I have the honor of enclosing the
Account Current Called for by you and Mentioned
in Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy's letter Dated
the 26th. December 1804.

I am &c. &c.

12th. February 1805.- Signed P. H. Keay

Acting for W. Hawkins
late Paymaster

Disbursements

Disbursements on Account of Paymaster of His Majesty's 19th Re=
giment of Light Dragoons

Fort St. George 14th October 1800

No.				
1.	Paid Lieutenant Thomas Stewart Fort adjutant as pr. Bill Coun=			
	=tersigned by Major General Thomas Bridges Subsistence=			
	for 18 Men of His Majesty's 19th. Regiment Light Dragoons			
	from 25th. June to the 24th. July 1800		84. 15. 60.	
2.	Paid Do. as pr. Do. Do. from the 25th. July to the 24th. August		87. 7. 70.	
3.	Paid Do. as pr. Do. Do. from the 25th. August to the 24th September		87. 7. 70.	
4.	Paid Do. as pr. Do. Do. from the 25th. September to the 24th. October 1800		79. 28. 70.	338. 18. 30.
5.	Paid Do. as pr. Do. Bill Subsistance for Horsekeepers and Grass Cutters			
	attached to His Majesty's 19th. Regiment of Light Dragoons			
	for June 1800		18. 33. 40.	
6.	Paid Do. Do. as pr. Do. Do. for July		17. 19. 50.	
7.	Paid Do. Do. as pr. Do. Do. for August		15. 25. 18.	

8. Paid Dº Dº as pr Dº Dº for September ——— 14. 28. .. 66. 22. 28.
9. Paid Dº Dº as pr Dº Dº for Bill allowance for European Women
of His Majesty's 19th Regiment Light Dragoon for June ——— 6. 18. ..
10. Paid Dº Dº as pr Bill Dº Dº for July ——— 6. 27. ..
11. Paid Dº Dº Dº as pr Dº ——— for August ——— 6. 27. ..
12. Paid Dº Dº Dº as pr Dº ——— for September ——— 6. 18. ..
13. Paid Dº Dº as pr Dº ——— for October ——— 5. 22. 20. 31. 28. 20.
14. Paid Mr James Richardson Head Surgeon as pr Bill Medical al-
lowance to the Sick Men of His Majesty's 19th Regiment Light
Dragoons for June 1806 ——— 24. 9. ..
15. Paid Dº Dº for July ——— 18. 26. ..
16. Paid Dº Dº Dº for August ——— 21. 23. 40. 64. 21. 40.

Pagodas ——— 501. 6. 38.

Tuticorin
1st October 1806

E. E. Fr.
A true Copy
(Signed) W. Hawkins Paymaster
(Signed) P. H. Keay
acting for W. Hawkins
late Paymaster

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Dr. Captain J. Kennedy in Account

To 1 Abstract of His Majesty's 19th Regiment
Light Dragoons Dr. Arrears for May
and advance for June 1800. - - - - - - - - 3333. 3467/1. 13.
3467/1 @ 46 Fanams p. Pagodas - 753. 33. - -

Pagodas 4086. 33. 13.

N.B. This Draft seems dated the 31st August 1800 and
was presented for Acceptance 24th November 1800.
(Signed) B. Roebuck
Mr. P.G.

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with Mr. W. Hawkins Paymaster.---£

By the amount of the Disbursement and
Vouchers herewith sent.---------- 501. 6. 38.

By the Amount of Refund for the Retrenchment
of February 1800.---------- 61. 37. 13.

By the Amount Credited to the Military Paymaster
General in the Account Current for
August 1800.---------- *3523. 31. 42.

Pagodas 4086. 33. 13.

Trichinopoly
1st. October 1806.

E. E. Ps.
(Signed) W. Hawkins
Paymaster

* a draft for this Sum on the Military Paymaster General in favor of Captain Kennedy dated 31st. October 1800 was sent to him in a letter dated 4th. November 1800.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) P. H. Heay
Acting for W. Hawkins
Late Paymaster

(True Copies)
(Signed) B. Roebuck.
M. P. G.

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Extract of a Letter from Colonel Kennedy to the Military Paymaster General dated Arcot February 17th. 1805.

I have made every Search in my power to find Hawkins Account and on the 13th. of May 1800 Bills drawn by Cathcart were stopped from me to the Amount of 2000 Pags. 1500 and 500 and I recollect perfectly I did not receive the draft as it Could not be found - The total of the Sums I paid to that Officer on Account of Captain Cathcart 7000 Pagodas it is very improbable that they should omit Charging the Amount in May when the draft was accepted in April the Balance paid my Servant the 13th. of May was Rs 15714-35-29. the Amount of the Abstract 3001-26152-29.

There surely can be no difficulty in furnishing Copies of the Statements with me from Mr. Hawkins Office. my Books Papers &c. are in such a State from my long absence that I really Cannot lay my hands on many Documents that might tend to clear the business, perhaps an attested Copy of Captain Cathcarts Account might be useful, if so I can furnish that, which will

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Shew the Sums Paid on his Account, and the Charges against him.-

(Signed) B. Roebuck.
Mily Payr Genl.

Extract of a Letter to Colonel Kennedy of the 19th. Light Dragoons dated 20th. February 1805.-

Accompanying I send you Copy of Captain Keays letter with an Account Current 1st. October 1800. This Relieve was the last. I do not observe the draft for 1500-.-.-. It is therefore absolutely necessary that you make another Search for the Account Current you mention, Send me a Copy of Captain Cathcarts Account which I will forward to Trichinopoly.*-

(Signed) B. Roebuck
Mily Genl

* This a/c. has not been produced.-

Extract of a Letter to Captain Keay Acting for Mr. Hawkins Late Paymaster Trichinopoly Dated 14th. March 1805.-

I enclose you Copy of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy's letter to me of the 7th. Instant, in

therefore

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therefore you will send me the Account for April the affair will be cleared up.-

/True Extract/

/Signed/ B. Roebuck

Dy. Pr. General.

To the Military Paymaster General.-

Fort St. George

Sir,

I beg leave to return you the State=ment of the Balance against Mr. W. Hawkins late Paymaster of Trichinopoly as it stood upon the Books of your Office on the 31st. October 1804, and transmitted to me in your letter of the 26th. January 1805, sub=joined with my Explanations, the result of which I requested may be acknowledged as soon as possible.-

I am

&c. &c.

/Signed/ P. H. Keay

Acting for W. Hawkins

late Paymr.

Fort St. George

20th. August 1805.-

Extract

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Extract from the Statement of Balances standing on the Books of the Military Paymaster General against the Paymaster of Trichinopoly.-

1800 May	No. 1	Amount of Capt. Cathcarts draft on Captain Kennedy in favor of Mr. W. Hawkins Paymaster at Trichinopoly dated 25th. April 1800 which Bill Charged By Paymaster -- 500-- --	No. 1 Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy to be Collector for the Sum Agreeable to Letter from the Secretary of Mr. Hawkins Date 10th. December 1806 and transmitted to the Military Paymaster General on the 22d. January 1806 the Accounts for April Requisite by the Military Paymaster General's Letter under date the 14th. March 1806 shall be transmitted to him on the Receipt of the remaining + Books and Papers from Trichinopoly.-
		Dr. Dr. 16th. May -- 1200-- --	
		A Receipt of Lieut. P. Anderson dated 9th. June 1800 -- 5000-- --	
		7700-- --	
		Deduct Amount Received from Colonel Kennedy on 26th. January 1795.- -- 5000-- --	
		2700-- --	

(Signed) B. Roebuck
Mr. P.G.

(Signed) P. H. Kay
acting for Mr. Hawkins
late Pay. Trichinopoly

+ N.B. This Account has never yet been produced.-

(Signed) B. Roebuck
Mr. P.G.-

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Fort St. George 14th October 1806.

To The Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

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

My Lord,

I have the honor to Acknowledge the receipt of a Letter from the Chief Secretary to Government dated the 13th Instant, transmitting a Copy of a Letter from the Military Paymaster General and directing me to state my opinion "whether the state "of the business in the Office lately held under a tempo- "rary Arrangement by Captn Wilson of His Majesty's 19th "Dragoons may be of a Nature to require that "Officer to postpone his departure from this "Country. -

From the Military Auditor General Reports the state of his opinion that the state of business in the Pay office at Vellore requires that the departure of Captain Wilson from this Country should be postponed for a few months. -

2.° The most part of the disburse- ments of the Paymaster at Vellore in Arrear for June and advance for July 1806 were made by Mr. Smith previous to his decease, but the Accounts for that Months (July) were pre- pared and Signed by Captain Wilson - the whole of the disbursements in Arrear for July and advance for August were made up by Captn Wilson

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Wilson and will of course be Signed by him, the Ac=
=counts of that Month (August) have not yet been
received in this Office, those for the Month of July were
only received on the 24th. Ultimo, and are now under Audit
Mr. Dent who was appointed Paymaster at Vellore
on the 1st. August did not join his Station in time
to make any of the payments in Arrear for Au=
=gust and advance for September they were Conse=
=quently Made by Captain Wilson on Account
of that Gentleman, but the Accounts for that
Month (September) will be prepared and Signed
by Mr. Dent.—

3d. It therefore appears that Captain
Wilson is partly responsible for the Vellore disburse=
=ments for the Month of July and wholly respons=
=ble for those for the Month of August— neither of which
have yet undergone Audit, the latter (as before
observed) have not yet been received, and
as I am apprehensive there will be many
objections to the Vellore Accounts for those two
Months in consequence of the loss of the Public
Money Vouchers &c. at that Station, I have
the

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I have the honor to report that I am of Opinion the present state of the Accounts before alluded to / the Disburse=ments of which are very Considerable / is of a nature to require the attendance of Captain Wilson to Superin=tend their adjustment, and that his departure from this Country, should be postponed for a few Months for that purpose.—

I have the honor to be

&c. &c. &c.

/Signed/ J. Brunton

Military Aud.r General

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 14th. October 1806.—

In Consideration of the Circum=stances stated in the above Letter from the Military Auditor General; it is Resolved that Captain Wilson be required to remain in India until the departure of the next fleet: and that the Commander in Chief be requested to give such orders on the subject as he shall deem proper.—

Resolution thereon.

Ordered that the following Reply be despatched.—

To Lieutenant Colonel Brunton

Military Auditor General

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the

Para 1.

To the Military Auditor General

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General - States that Government approves of the arrangement he has proposed for adjusting the balance against Lieut.t Colonel Kennedy; and directs that he may be required to furnish Security - The Commander in chief will be directed to give orders for detaining Captain Wilson of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons - States that the retrenchment against Major Tennuick may be remitted. -

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The Governor in Council to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letters of the 4th 9th and 14th Instant -

2d His Lordship in Council approves the arrangements which you have recommended of the unadjusted balance against Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons - The Subject will accordingly be stated for the information of the Honorable Court of Directors, in order that they may take measures for eventually recovering the amount of Mr. Hawkins, provided that the Security left by that Gentleman in this Country should not be sufficient to answer the demand - You will accordingly report on this subject for His Lordship's information. -

3. His Lordship in Council desires that Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy may be required to furnish Security holding him eventually responsible for the demand, in the manner which

You

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you have proposed.-

4. From the explanation which you have stated, it appears to His Lordship in Council to be adviseable that Captain Wilson of His Majesty's 19th. Dragoons, should postpone his departure from India, and the Commander in Chief will accordingly be requested to give orders for that purpose.-

5. His Lordship in Council is of opinion from the circumstances which you have stated that the Retrenchment on account of Major Fenwick of His Majesty's 34th. Regiment may be remitted.-

I have the honor to be
Yr. Yr.
(Signed) Geo: Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt

Fort St. George
15th. October 1806.

Read the following Letter from
Capt

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Fort St. George 14th. October 1806.

Captain Maclachlane and Mr. Assistant Surgeon
Williams of His Majesty's 69th. Regiment
To George Buchan Esqr.
Secretary to Government

From Captn. McLachlane and Mr. Assistt. Surgeon Williams of H. M. 69th. Regt. Request that their proportion of the allowance made by Government, on account of Losses sustained at Vellore may be paid to them before their departure for Europe.

Sir,

Being informed at the Auditor General's Office, that Government admits of the payment of one half of the Amount of Losses sustained at Vellore. We request you will have the goodness to give directions that the proportion we should receive may be paid us as soon as possible at the Presidency, being about to proceed to Europe by the Ships of the present Fleet.—

We remain

Sir

Your

Obt. Servts.

(Signed) A. Maclachlane
Captain.
" Thos. G. Williams
Assistt. Surgn. H. M. 69. Regt.

Order thereon

Ordered that the Military Auditor General be directed to adjust at the Presidency the claims submitted in the foregoing Letter.

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The Commander in Chief records the following Minute.

Minute of the Commander in Chief

Minute of the Commander in Chief suggests the propriety of appointing a Committee to report upon the accomodation provided for the Troops about to proceed to Europe.

I beg leave to suggest to the Board, the Propriety of appointing a Similar Committee to that which assembled last year, for the purpose of examining, and reporting upon the accommodation, allotted to the Officers Soldiers, Invalids &c. &c. belonging to this Presidency, that are about to proceed to Europe, by the present Fleet, and that this Committee do consist of the following Persons viz.t

The Master Attendant
The Deputy Dr. Mr. General of His Majesty's Troops in India
and
the Senior Commander of the Honorable Company's Ships.

(Signed) J. F. Cradock
Lieut.t General

Fort St. George
October 12th. 1806.

Resolved that Lieutenant Colonel Reynell, Mr. G. Taswell and Captain Edmeades Commander of the Honorable Company's Ship William Pitt be appointed to be a Committee for examining

Resolution thereon

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examining the accommodation allotted on board the different Ships to Officers, Soldiers, and Invalids about to proceed to Europe.—

Ordered that the Committee be furnished with the following Instructions.—

To Lieutenant Colonel Reynell
Mr. George Taswell
and
Captain Edmeads

Gentlemen,

To the Committee appointed for the purpose of examining the accomodation allotted to the Troops that are to proceed to Europe by the present Fleet— appointing them to inspect the state of certain of the Ships about to proceed to Europe, & to report the Number of Officers & troops which they may be capable of accomodating. On any points of detail they may communicate with the Marine Board.

Para 1. It being the intention of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to embark for England on board of the Ships under dispatch, the Officers and a portion of the Men of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Dragoons, and also other Officers and Invalids of this and the Ceylon Establishments, who are returning to England, and it being at the same time the wish of His Lordship in Council, that every care should be taken in providing for their accomodation, I am directed to acquaint you that His Lordship has been pleased to appoint you to be a Committee for the purpose of inspecting the state of the Ships, whose Names are noted in the Margin, and of reporting your Sentiments with respect to the number of

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Streatham
Europe
Duchess of Gordon
Sir William Puttney

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of Officers and troops whom there may be the means of accomodating.-

2. I herewith enclose a Return of the number of Officers and Men whom it will be probably necessary to embark.-

3. The Marine Board having been apprized of your appointment, I am directed to desire that you will communicate with that Board on any points of detailed information which you may require; and His Lordship in Council is desirous of receiving your suggestions on any Subjects which may be deemed Conducive to the object of your nomination.

I am
Gentlemen
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Geo. Buchan.
Chief Secy to Govt.

Fort St. George
14th. October 1806.-

E. Hanay

" R. Benfield

" Mr. Cole

" W. Petrie

" J. Oakes

"

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Diary

15th. Received and sent the following

Letters entered in M.B. Nos 36. 37.

From Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons.-

From Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy - Submits a Memorial from Major Henry and Captain Lisle of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons, represent-ing that no provision has been made for the passage of their wives to Europe.-

To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William.-

To Captain Hook - Transmits General Return for the Month of September serving under this Presidency.-

16th Sent the following Letters.-

To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Military Auditor General.

I am directed by the Right Ho-norable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of the ..... Instant, and to acquaint you that His Lordship in Council entirely approves the arrangement which you have submitted. for the payment of the Compensation to be granted for the

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the Loss of Property sustained by Individuals during the late Insurrection at Vellore.-

The requisite orders will accordingly be issued to the Commanding Officer of that Station through the channel of the Commander in Chief.-

In the meantime I am directed to desire that you will authorise payment at the Presidency of the Sums admitted in favor of Captain Maclachlan and of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Williams of His Majesty's 69th Regiment for the reasons stated in the enclosed Copy of their Letter on the subject.-

Fort St. George
16th October 1806.-

I have the honor to be
Gc.a Gc.a
(Signed) Geo. Strachey
Secy. to Govt.

To Captain Maclacklan
Mr. Assistant Surgeon Williams
of His Majesty's 69th Regiment

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Right Honorable

To Captain Maclachlan and

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and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Williams of His Majesty's 69. Regiment. -

Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter without date, and to acquaint you that the Military Auditor General has been instructed to give the necessary directions for the payment of the Compensation which has been allowed to you on account of your late loss of Property at Vellore. -

Fort St. George
16th. October 1806. -

Sam
Jno. Jno.
(Signed) Geo: Strachey
Secy to Govt.

Received and Sent the following Letters entered in M. B: Nos. 38 - 39. 40.

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. -

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell - Requests that authority may be issued for an advance of pay and allowances to Lieutenant Morgan, about to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope. -

To the Military Auditor General. -

To the Military Auditor General - Directs the issue of authority for an advance of pay and allowances to Lieutenant Neent and

that

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that he will report on the application of two Officers of His Majesty's 19th. Regiment of Dragoons. for an allowance of passage Money on Account of their Wives. —

To the Military auditor General. —

To the Military Auditor General — Transmits Extract of Proceedings in the Military Department under date the 14th. October. —

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in chief. — 17th.

Received a Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Reynell entered in M: B: No. 41. Forwarding Proceedings of the Medical Board. —

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At a Consultation
Present
The Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor and President
Friday the Lieutenant General Sir J. F. Cradock K.B.
17th October 1806.- Commander in Chief
William Petrie
and } Esquires
Thomas Oakes

Minutes of last Consul-
-tation read and Approved.-

The Commander in
Chief records the following Minute.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief

A short time since I felt it to
be my duty to submit to the Board a Copy of a Re-
-primand which, in consequence of the Sentence of a
General Court Martial, I had directed to be Read,
in Open Court, to Captain Lieutenant West of the 8th
Regiment

Minute of the Commander in Chief- Reports the results of a further Court Martial on Captain Lieutenant West of the 8. Regiment of Cavalry: Animadverts on the character of that Officer- and recommends that the Papers relative to his case be transmit-ted to the Court of Direc-tors, in order that they may decide on the expe-diency of removing Captn Lieut. West from the Service or of transferring him to the

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the Invalid Establishment.-

Regiment of Native Cavalry, and to be published with that Sentence in General Orders to the Army.-

I have now to Report that almost immediately after the publication of that Sentence and Reprimand, to Captain Lieutenant West at Ballary, a Repetition of Conduct, similar in its character to that by which he has incurred this public censure, led to another Arrest of that Officer, and to another Trial; the result of which I have now the honor to lay before the Right Honorable the President in Council, together with a copy of the Orders issued on the former Trial.-

In the Reprimand which the last Sentence has required me to annex to the punishment of Six Months Suspension from Rank and Pay awarded by the Court.- I have stated my intention of bringing the Conduct of Captain Lieutenant Mont: H: West to the notice of the Honorable the Court of Directors "that the subject of his continuance in their "Service may meet discussion."- In this view I now submit these Documents to Government, that they may be forwarded to Europe by the present Dispatch.-

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Despatch.—

Captain Lieutenant West has
long suffered much inconvenience from a disorder
which compells him to have frequent recourse to Sur-
-gical aid, and, at times, renders it impossible for
him to perform his duty as a Cavalry Officer— Cir-
-cumstances however have led to the belief that he evad-
-ed duty more frequently than his case required, as
it seldom appeared to interrupt the course of his
amusements:— His immediate Commanding Officer
on this ground appears to have strictly enforced those
regulations which cases of this nature have rendered
it necessary to institute; and Captain Lieutenant
West has, in return, manifested on every occasion
that presented itself, a persevering insubordination
and spirit of opposition to authority, mixed with
calumny, and threats of personal resentment
when that authority should cease to operate, calcu-
-lated to destroy the discipline and to disturb the
peace of the Corps which is so unfortunate as to
bear him on its Returns.—

The Sentence of the Court
Martial

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Martial which first tried Captain Lieutenant West, did not declare him guilty of that Crime, of which the Evidence, defective as it was, left no doubt on my mind. His immediate renewal of offence affords no hope of his amendment, but exhibits the continued operation of a violent, stubborn, and irritable temper, connected with an ill regulated mind! Such a character is calculated to ruin a Regement, and should not in my opinion be allowed to remain in the Service. -

For three Years Captain Lieutenant West has done little of any duty: If this is the result of actual inability from rooted disease, it seems proper to remove him to the non effective list; to prevent his rising to Rank in which inefficiency would be more seriously injurious to the Service. - If on the contrary, illness is only the pretext for avoiding duty, it appears necessary to remove from the Service entirely an Officer whose disposition leads to the occurrence of continual dissention in the Corps to which he is attached. -

I have

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I have directed the Judge Advocate General to furnish as soon as practicable, Copies of the Proceedings of the several Courts Martial on Captain Lieutenant West for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, that their determination may be guided by the fullest information on the Case.-

(Signed) J. F. Cradock
Lieut. General

17th. October 1806.-

General Orders,

Head Quarters of the Army.

Choultry Plain 23d. July 1806.-

G. O. By The Commander in Chief.

The following Extracts from the Proceedings of a General Court Martial, of which Lieutenant Colonel Berkeley is President, held at Bellary on Wednesday the 11th. June 1806, and continued by several adjournments 'till the 11th. day of July 1806, under authority of Major General Campbell Commanding the Troops in the Ceded Districts, in virtue of powers vested in him by the Commander in Chief,..

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Chief, are published to the Army.-

Captain Lieutenant M. H. West of the 8th. Regiment of Native Cavalry - ordered in ar=
=rest by me this day on the following Charges.-

Charge 1st. — For Conduct unbecoming the character of an Officer and a Gentleman and highly sub=
=versive of good order, and Military Descipline;
in having propagated, and publicly asserted, the most Scandalous, and Infamous falsehoods
— highly injurious to my Character, and tending to prejudice the minds of the Officers of the Re=
=giment, as well as those of the Station, against me, his immediate Commanding Officer - in
the following Instances.- That I had, on or about the 6th. May last, given my word of honor to
Lieutenant Colonel Martin that, provided he Captain Lieutenant West, signed the Apology
which had been drawn up by Lieutenant Colonel Martin, and approved of by me, I would with=
=draw the charges I had preferred against him, to Major General Campbell, and im=

=mediately

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immediately afterwards give him a private meeting or, in other words fight a duel with him; and that it was in consequence of this assurance, communicated to him by Lieutenant Colonel Martin that he was induced to sign the Apology. –

2°. For Conduct as stated in the 1st. Charge, in having publicly asserted that Lieut. Colonel Martin had called upon me, the Morning after, or some other Morning shortly after, he, Capt. Lieutenant West had been released from arrest and delivered to me a verbal Challenge from him. Capt. Lieutenant West, but that I had positively refused to give him the Meeting. I had pledged my word of honor only the day before, or a few days before, to do, and that he Captain Lieutenant West, was therefore determined to make my conduct as public as he possibly could. –

(Signed) H. C. Donnelly Captain
Comng 3d. Regt. N.C.

By Order (Signed) W.C. Campbell
M. B.

Cantonment Bellary,
17th. June 1806. –

Sentence

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Sentence. — The Court having maturely weighed and considered the Evidence produced in support of the Prosecution as well as what the Prisoner Captain Lieutenant West has advanced in his defence, is of opinion that with respect to the 1st and 2d Charges preferred against him viz. 1st — "For Conduct unbecoming the cha-
"racter of an Officer and a Gentleman, and highly
"subversive of good order, and Military Descipline,
"in having propagated, and publicly asserted, the
"most Scandalous and Infamous falsehoods, &
"highly injurious to my Character, and tending
"to prejudice the minds of the Officers of the Regi-
"ment, as well as those of the Station against me
"his immediate Commanding Officer in the fol-
"lowing Instances. — That I had, on, or about the
"6th. May last, given my word of honor to Lieu-
"tenant Colonel Marten, that provided he Captain
"Lieutenant

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"Lieutenant West signed the Apology, which had been
"drawn up by Lieutenant Colonel Martin, and approved
"of by me. I would withdraw the Charges I had preferred
"against him to Major General Campbell, and immedi-
"ately afterwards give him a private Meeting, or in
"other words fight a Duel with him; and that it
"was in consequence of this assurance Communicated
"to him by Lieutenant Colonel Martin that he was
"induced to sign the Apology.-

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"in having publicly asserted that Lieutenant Colonel
"Martin had called upon me the Morning after, or
"some other Morning shortly after he Captain Lieu-
"tenant West, had been released from Arrest, and
"delivered to me a Verbal Challenge from him
"Captain Lieutenant West, but that I had positively
"refused to give him the Meeting, I had pledged my
"word & honor only the day before, or a few days before,

"to

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"to do - and that he, Captain Lieutenant West, was there-
-fore determined to make my Conduct as public as he pos-
-sibly could." - The Court find the Prisoner Captain Lieut.
West, "guilty" of "having propagated Reports tending
"to prejudice the minds of the Officers of the Regiment,
"as well as those of the Station, against me, his immed-
-iate Commanding Officer" - But the Court acquit
the Prisoner of all and every other part of the 1st and
2d Charges - The above being to the prejudice of good
order, and Military discipline - The Court
doth Sentence him the said Captain Lieutenant
West, to be reprimanded in such manner as
his Excellency the Commander in Chief may think pro-
-per to direct. -

/Signed/ W. Berkeley
Lieutenant Colonel
and President

/Signed/ B. Mackintosh
acting Dpty Judge advocate

Confirmed

/Signed/ J. Bradock
Lieut. Genl

Reprimand

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June 30th 1806 - -

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Reprimand

To be read by Major General Campbell, to Captain Lieutenant West.-

Sir,

In consequence of the Sentence of the General Court Martial held upon your conduct, I am directed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, to reprimand you.- His Excellency desires me to express to this Court, that from the Proceedings submitted to him, and the proofs upon record of the validity of the Charge, he expected to have read your dismissal from the Service, which Sentence, if the Court had awarded it, he would not have hesitated to approve and Confirm.-

It had fully appeared to His Excellency's conviction, on a former and very recent occasion, that your conduct in the Regi= =ment, was not only insubordinate, but highly con=

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contumacious, and His Excellency directed that the General Officer Commanding the District, should severely reprimand, and admonish you; - But it seems to have had no effect, and proves only a waste of forbearance. - His Excellency has not discovered in the prosecution, any oppressive conduct or improper motive, but, on the contrary Captain O'Donnell appears to have equally supported Military discipline, and private character. -

His Excellency further desires me to tell you, "Captain Lieutenant West" that unless he shall be persuaded, from the testimony of your Superior Officers, that a solid amendment of your conduct has taken place at the period of expected promotion, he will not recommend you, and put an end to the supposed pretension, in the service of the Honorable Company, that Seniority is to have irresistless weight, and stand in the place of required merit, and respect. -

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His Excellency has further commissioned me to advert to the evidence of Lieutenant Colonel Martin and Captain Barclay - "That" if both was reluctant, and defective, and more explicit testimony should have been required by the Court - Mystery before a Court Martial cannot be tolerated -: It obscures the judgment and defeats justice: - Captain Barclay assumes the delicate ground of not criminating himself: but "where" this bar arises, it is difficult to understand, and the admission stops the progress of investigation and truth. - Lieutenant Colonel Martin instead of stipulating before the Court for what he would say or what he would not, ought to have sought the fullest disclosure, to vindicate in the most ample manner, that such a "monstrous case" could not exist, as "an engagement to fight a Duel" in order to effect "an Apology" or "if the Apology was made" that oblivion and peace should not be the final result. -

(Signed) J. F. Cradock
Commander in Chief

P. A Agnew
adjt. Genl. of the Army.

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Head Quarters: Choultry Plain

14th. October 1806.

G.O. By the Commander in Chief.-

The following Extracts from the Proceedings of a General Court Martial, of which Lieutenant Colonel George Bowness is President, held at Bellary on Monday the 8th. of September 1806, and continued by several Adjournments till the 19th of the same Month under Authority of Major General Campbell Commanding the Troops in the Ceded Districts, in virtue of Powers vested in him by the Commander in Chief, are published to the Army.-

Cantonment near Ballary: 12th. July 1806.

Captain Lieutenant M. H. West of the 8th. Regiment of Native Cavalry ordered in arrest by me this day, on the following Charges.-

Charge ... 1st. For having in violation of the Rules

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Rules and Regulations of the Service, quitted the Lines of the Regiment whilst in the Sick Report, on the Evening of the 11th, and on the Morning of the 12th Instant, without either my permission, or that of the Medical Person attending him.—

Charge — 2nd. For disobedience of my Orders twice communicated to him by the Adjutant of the Regt., and also disobedience of a Regimental Order of the same purport, which had been issued by me, in consequence of his former and repeated non-compliance with the Rules of the Service, and laid down in the 4th Paragraph of the 29th Section of the Code of Regulations.—

Charge — 3rd. For disrespect and Contempt of my Orders, in having called at Mr. Superintending Surgeon Miller's House, and there sat a considerable time in a large Party, instead of immediately waiting upon me, his immediate Commanding

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Commanding Officer, notwithstanding he had just before received an Order from the Adjutant of the Regiment to that purpose.—

(Signed) H. O'Donnell Captain
Comdg. 8. Regt. Nat. Cavalry

By Order of Major General Campbell

(Signed) Thomas Webster
Asst. adjt. General C. D.

Additional Charges preferred by me against Captain Lieutenant West. 8th. Regiment Native Cavalry.—

Charge 1st. For Conduct unbecoming the Character of an Officer and a Gentleman, and highly subversive of good Order and Military Desicipline, in having addressed a Letter through me to Major General Campbell, containing scandalous, and false Accusations, tending to injure my Character. This im-

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immediate Commanding Officer, both as an Officer and a Gentleman with Major General Campbell: commanding the Ceded Districts.-

2do. For scandalous and infamous Conduct, unbecoming the Character of an Officer and a Gentleman, in having preferred against me whilst under arrest, false and unfounded Charges, impeaching my Character as a Commanding Officer and a Gentleman.-

(Signed) H. O'Donnell Captain
Commanding 8th. Regiment Native Cavalry

Cantonment Ballary
21st. August 1806

By Order
(Signed) Thos. Webster
Assistant Adjutant General

Sentence.- The Court having maturely considered the Evidence produced in support of the Prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner has advanced in his defence, is of Opinion, that Captain Lieutenant West is Not Guilty of the 1st. Charge preferred

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preferred against him, and he is hereby acquitted accordingly.-

And the Court doth likewise find the Prisoner Not Guilty of the 2d. Charge preferred against him, and he is hereby acquitted.-

And the Court is further of Opinion that the Prisoner is Not Guilty of the 3rd. Charge, preferred against him, and he is hereby acquitted.-

The Court is of Opinion, that with respect to the 1st. of the Additional Charges, that the Prisoner Captain Lieutenant West is Guilty in part, Vizt.- "Of un-officer-like Conduct, highly "subversive of Good Order and Military discipline, "in having addressed a Letter to Major General "Campbell, containing accusations, tending to injure "the Character of his immediate Commanding Of-"ficer." But the Court acquit the Prisoner of the rest of the Charge.-

And the Court is of Opinion that with respect to the second of the additional Charges,

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The Prisoner Captain Lieutenant West is guilty in part. Viz.t "For Conduct unbecoming the Character of an Officer, "in having preferred against his Commanding Officer "whilst under Arrest, false and unfounded Charges, impeach- "ing his Character as a Commanding Officer and a Gentle- "man;" but the Court acquit him of the rest of the Charges- the same being in Breach of the Articles of War, and highly subversive of good Order, and Military discipline, the Court doth sentence Captain Lieutenant West to be suspended from all Rank and Pay for six (6) Calandar Months and to be reprimanded in such manner as His Excellency the Com- -mander in Chief may think proper to direct.-

27th. September 1806.-

(Signed) Geo. Browne Lt. Col
and President

(Signed) D. Mackintosh
Acting Dpy Judge Advocate

Confirmed

(Signed) J. F. Cradock
Lieut. General

The Suspension will com- -mence from the date of publication at Bellary on the 6th. October 1806.-

Reprimand

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Reprimand

to be read by Major General Campbell

or

the Officer Commanding.-

Captain Lieutenant West.

The Sentence of the General & Court Martial is, that you should be suspended from Rank and Pay for six Months, and be reprimanded by the Commander in Chief, in such manner as he shall think proper.-

The object of reprimand is to amend, but it appears its force cannot reach you, therefore His Excellency to avert from the 8th. Regiment of Native Cavalry the injury your Conduct must inevitably produce in that Corps, is compelled to adopt a more active measure, and will lay before Government, to be transmitted to the Honorable the Court of Directors his late reprimand under date 30th. June last, with a Statement of your present Offence, that the Subject of your continuance in their Service may meet discussion.-

/True Copy/

/Signed/ P. A. Agnew

Adjt. Genl. of the Army

/Signed/ J. Gradock.

Resolved

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Resolved that a Copy of the foregoing

Resolution thereon. Minute and of the Papers submitted with it be forwarded to the Honorable Court of Directors by the present Despatch, and that the subject to which they refer be particularly stated to the Honorable Court.-

Minute of the Commander in Chief.-

Minute of the Commander-in-chief - Submits Papers on the subject of Retrenchments from the charges of the late Paymaster to the Subsidiary Force of Poona - States the case, and recommends that it be referred for the Military Auditor General's consideration - Recommends compliance with an application for Gratuity & Tent allowance on the part of two Subalterns of His Majesty's 65th Regiment doing duty in Fort St. George -

I have the honor to lay before Council a Letter from Colonel Wallace, Commanding the Poonah Subsidiary Force, enclosing an Extract of Retrenchments made from the Disbursements of Captain Billingham, when acting as Paymaster to that Force.-

It appears by the Extract of a Letter (also enclosed) from Major Trotter, Commanding at Ahmednugger under date the 8th. December 1806 to the Deputy Adjutant General of the Poona Subsidiary Force, that the Bheels had attacked and taken a Convoy of Rice and Money proceeding to Toka for the Troops there, and which had been bravely tho' ineffectually defended by the Havildar's Party, that escorted it.-

In this affair it appears, as that Captain Billingham unavoidably sustained the

Loss

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Loss of 387 Pagodas 44 - 54/72 and Colonel Wallace stated his Recollection, that the Dificiency upon the arrival of the Treasure in Camp, Corresponded, exactly with the Representation made by the Paymaster.-

As Colonel Wallace assents to his Conviction of the Justness of Captain Billinghams Application, I am inclined to recommend a Reference of the Papers to the Examination and adjustment of the Military Auditor General.-

2. I have also to submit to the Board an application, forwarded to me, by Major Nicol of His Majesty's 66th. Regiment, from Lieutenants Blakeney and Jordan, the Subaltern Officers of that Corps now doing Duty with a Detachment at this Presidency, praying to be permitted to draw the usual Gratuity and Tent allowance from the Period of their Arrival, which is granted to the other Subaltern Officers of His Majesty's Service on this Establishment.-

I am perfectly aware, that Government has been pleased to authorize the Payment of Full Batta to this Detachment, in Consideration

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a Variety of Expences, to which they must be subjected in leaving their Regiment, and being kept in an unsettled State; but as they forfeit all allowances from the Ceylon Government from the Moment of their leaving that Island, I cannot but deem the present Solicitation reasonable, and I accordingly recommend that the Officers of the Detachment of His Majesty's 66th. Regiment receive from the Period of their Debarkation, such allowances, in their respective Ranks, as they would be entitled to if independant of Full Batta, if they actually composed a Part of this Establishment.-

I have &c.

(Signed) J. F. Cradock

17th. October 1806.

Lieut. General

To the Secretary of His Excellency
The Commander in Chief.

Sir,

Having received from Captain Bellingham the enclosed extract of Retrenchments made from His Disbursements when Paymaster to the Poonah Subsidiary Force, with a request that I would endeavour to obtain the Authority of Government for the expences therein specified being passed by the Military

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Military Auditor General. I request that you will lay the papers before His Excellency the Commander in Chief.-

The circumstance of public Treasure which was dispatched in December 1804 from Ahmednuggur, for the Payment of a Detachment of the 2d. Battalion 3d. Regiment Madras Native Infantry stationed on the Godavery at Toka, and for the purchase of Sheep, being plundered by a party of Bheels or thieves I well recollect, but have no other account upon record of the manner or extent of this loss but the enclosed one.-

Although however I have no more satisfactory documents on the subject of these occurrences to which I could now refer still from the Recollection I retain of them, I readily can express my opinion that the Charges made by Captain Billingham for the loss of the Treasure

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Treasure above adverted to, as well as for the deficiency found to exist in a Sum of Money received into the Treasury in Camp are Correct- I therefore hope that his Excellency may recommend to Government that they be admitted of.— I may have long since signed some authority for the latter Charge being made by the Paymaster which he presented to me- but of that I have now no recollection or Copy.-

I have the honor to be
Dear Sir Dear Sir
Your most obedient
Signed W. Wallace
Colonel

Camp at Seroor
11th. September 1806.-

To Captain D. V. Agnew
Deputy Aajutant General to the
Poonah Subsidiary Force.

Sir.

I herein enclose you an Extract for Sum Pagodas 387: 44: 54½ Retrenched from my Disbursements 1st. January 1805. for the information of Colonel Wallace, and Request you will return to me the same with remark to the authority therein required by the Military auditor

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Auditor General to pass the charge.

Seringapatam
23d. August 1805.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) J. G. Bellingham

Sir,

Late Paymaster

Agreeable to the G: O: of 3d. April 1792 and 8th. July 1796 annexed, you will receive Extract for Sicca Rupees 90,000 Retrenched against you from my Disbursements for 1st. January 1805, which amount I request you will be pleased to pay into the hands of the Paymaster of your Station and hold his receipt for the same.

I am further directed by the Military Auditor General to inform you that due Regard will be paid on re-audit to such further authority as you may have to offer in support of the charge.

Seringapatam
23d. August 1805.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) J. G. Bellingham
Late Paymr.

Extract

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Extract of Retrenchments from my Disbursements for 1st. Jany 1805.

The Paymaster takes Credit for the following Sums Viz.:-

Difficiency found in the carriage of Treasure from Poonah to Camp, and which is authorized by Colonel Wallace to be Wrote off to the Head of Profit and Loss - - Chandody Rupees 55 or Star Pagodas - - - 2 15: 32-10.

Amount of Pay and allowances in Arrears for November and advance for December 1804 to a Detachment of the 2d. Battalion 3d. Regement Native Infantry Stationed at Toka, and Cash sent in Charge of a Guard for the purchase of Sheep on account of the Public Service, the whole Amounting to Pagodas 372-12-44½ & stated to have been taken by a Body of Wheels on the 29th. November 1804 - - - - 372. 12-44½.

387:44:-54½

No Orders being received in the Office of Audit for passing the above Charge, the Amount is Retrenched untill authorized by Government - Pagodas 387: 44-54½.

/a true Copy/

/Signd/ P. Vans Agnew

Dpy asst. Genl. P.S.F.

Extract

6826.

Fort St. George 17th October 1806 —

Extract of a letter from Major Trotter, Commanding at Ahmednuggur to Captain Agnew Deputy Adjutant General Poona Subsidiary Force — Dated 8th Dec. 1806 —

I have to acquaint you for the information of Colonel Wallace that the Bheels have attacked and taken a Convoy of Rice and Money proceeding to Tokla for the Company there on the 6th inst. under the escort of a Havildar Guard, who gallantly defended it to the last; against a force of several hundred horse and foot; and was not overpowered until his Ammunition was expended, and himself and 7 of his party Killed and wounded. —

A True Extract

(Signed) P. F. Agnew

Deputy Adjutant General

Poona Subsy Force

To

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Fort St. George 17th October 1806.-

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord,

We beg leave to represent to your Lordship in Council that since our Arrival on duty at Madras with a Detachment of the 66th Regiment under Major Nicol, we have neither drawn the usual Gratuity nor the Tent allowances of our Rank, and we understand, that it will be necessary to have the authority of the Government for making these Charges, We submit our claim to your Lordship and Request that we may be placed, upon the same footing with the Officers of the same Rank on this Establishment.-

We have the Honor to be, &c &c

(Signed) H. Blakeney Lt. 61st Regt.

" Jno Jordan Lt. 66th Regt.

Ordered

6828.

Fort St. George 17th. October 1806.

Order thereon

Ordered that the Papers connected with the claim of Captain Bellingham be referred to the Military Auditor General for examination and report.-

Ordered that the Military Auditor General be desired to authorise payment of Company's allowances to the Officers of His Majesty's 66th. Regiment doing duty at this Presidency, in the Manner recommended by the Commander in Chief.-

The Board proceed to read and pass Orders on the following Proceedings of the Medical Board.-

Resolution of the Governor in Council Dated 17th. October 1806.-

From the Medical Board - Report on Mr. Ainslie's address to the Court of Directors relative to the treatment of ulcers. Have applied in consequence for a further quantity of the Balsam of Peru from England. Regret that Mr. Ainslie should not have

Medical Board 15th. October 1806.-

1. The Medical Board have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Resolution of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, dated the 10th. instant

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Have reported more circumstantialy on the several cases, or have applied for information to the Surgeons of the General and Naval Hospitals.—

Fort St. George 17th October 1806.—

The Governor in Council is of opinion that it will be just towards Mr. Ainslie that the Medical Board should communicate to that Gentleman the doubts expressed in these Proceedings, in order that an opportunity may be afforded to him of removing these doubts by further explanation.—

instant, relative to Mr. Surgeon W. Ainslie's address, to the Honorable the Court of Directors, on the subject of ulcers.—

2°. The time granted by Government having afforded the Medical Board an opportunity of considering with attention, the contents of the aforementioned address, they have no difficulty in offering it as their opinion, on the facts stated by Mr. Ainslie, and the authorities he has quoted, that the external use of the Balsam of Peru, may prove a considerable improvement, in the treatment of the particular sort of ulcers he has specified, and they have accordingly

directed

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directed, that an additional quantity of that Article, be applied for from England, by an Extra Indent, for the year 1807.-

3°. The Medical Board however, considering it, in their public situation, their indispensible duty, on this, as wellas on every other occasion, to give the most Candid Statement to their employers. Cannot help observing, that, in endeavouring to establish the reputation of a Medicine, in the cure of any particular disease, every practicable mode ought to be resorted to, towards it's being justly appreciated- and they accordingly regret any accident, that may have prevented Mr. Ainslie obtaining a circumstancial

6831. Fort St. George 17th. October 1806.-

Circumstantial account of the success attending the external application of the Balsam of Peru- on the 200 Cases of Malignant Ulcer, stated to have been, under the care of Mr. Underwood, in the Naval Hospital, in Decem-ber last- nor can they help regretting, (as neither any scarcity of the Medicine, + nor the want of inclination on the part of the Gentlemen, appear by Mr. Ainslie's paper to have stood in the way of the fullest and fairest + trial by them) that Mr. Surgeon Dalziel of His Majesty's Naval Hospital- and Mr. Surgeon Ord of the Honorable Company's

General

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General Hospital, should not have been referred to on the present occasion, feeling assured, that the testimony of the only two Professional Gentlemen, who are generally and extensively employed here, in the treatment of ulcers, would have been particularly satisfactory - and that it would by such general application, so easily to have been made, have proved the truest means, of enabling the Honorable the Court of Directors, to attach a just value, to the virtues of the Balsam of Peru, in the cases, for which it now stands recommended.

(Signed) Jas. Anderson
Physician General

By Order of " Terence Gahagan
M. D.
the Right Honble the Governor in Council. " 2d. member Med. Bd.

" Jas. Richardson
3d. member Md. Board

(Signed) Geo. Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt.

Read

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Fort St. George 17th. October 1806.-

Read the following Letter

from the Military Auditor General.-

To The Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military auditor General - Requests to be relieved from further Public Duty, Recommends his Deputy and assistants - Reports the state of his Office, and the sentiments with which he leaves it. -

1. The Ship being arrived in the roads on which my passage to the Cape and eventually to England has been taken, and as I shall require some time for preparation, I solicit from your Lordship in Council the indulgence of being relieved from the performance of further public duty. -

2. In taking Leave only a temporary leave of an Office which I have so long filled, my feelings are naturally much agitated, but I derive superior pleasure from the reflection that I have conducted myself in the discharge of my public duty to the satisfaction of your Lordship in Council. -

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Fort St. George 17th October 1806.—

3. It is a duty I owe to my Deputy Captain Prendergast in particular, to notice with great satisfaction to your Lordship in Council, the very great attention which he has at all times shewn, and the ability which he has uniformly displayed in the discharge of his duty, impressed with these Sentiments in a more than ordinary degree, I have conceived it to be incumbent on me to communicate them to your Lordship, in Common justice to a most meritorious and very deserving public Officer, and it is with no small degree of satisfaction that I have observed his conduct in my absence met with such particular encomium from your Lordship in Council, a circumstance which convinces me that his Official character has been as much praized by your Lordship as it is always been by his principal in office.—

4. My other Assistants according to their respective situations also particularly merit every praise from me, and I have great pleasure in recom-

6835. Fort St. George 17th. October 1806.-

recommending them to your Lordship in Council.-

5. Nothing now remains for me to notice but that the different branches of the several duties which require to be performed in my office are brought up as far as it has been found practicable, and that the system in use is so particularly well established that attention is only necessary to keep it completely in motion.-

6. In concluding this address on an occasion so interesting to myself I have particular pleasure in stating to your Lordship in Council that I derive the purest consolation from the reflection that in the discharge of my public duty on all and every occasion, I have according to the best of my ability and of my judgement decided with the most rigid impartiality between the public and the Individual.-

I have the honor to be

&c. &c. &c.

/Signed/ J. Brunton

Mily. Audr. General

To

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 6th. October 1806.

6836. Fort St. George 17th October 1806.

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General. - Is satisfied with the determination of Govt regarding his situation and Salary - Begs that it may be recommended to the Court of Directors to re-appoint him Military Auditor General, in the event of his return to India. -

1. I consider myself much obliged to your Lordship in Council for the communication made to me by the Chief Secretary of Government under date the 5th Instant. I am perfectly and completely satisfied with the sentiments expressed in that letter as connected with my late addresses to your Lordship relative to my own situation. -

2. In my public letter of yesterday's date I omitted, in the event of my being obliged to proceed to Europe, to request of your Lordship in Council the favor of being recommended to the Honorable The Court of Directors, to be permitted to return to my situation in the event of the Complete Re-establishment of my health, your Lordship's compliance on this Occasion will essentially add to the many

attentions

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attentions I have already experienced, and for which I am particularly grateful.-

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 7th. October 1806.

I have the honor to be
&c.a. &c.a. &c.a.
(Signed) J. Brunton
Mily. Aud.r General

Ordered that the Military Auditor General be furnished with the following Reply.-

To Lieutenant Colonel Brunton
Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Military Auditor General in reply.

I am directed by the Right Honora=ble the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letters of the 6th. and 7th. Instant.-

His Lordship in Council has observed with great satisfaction your favorable Report of the conduct of Captain Prendergast the Deputy Military Auditor and of the Assistants in your Office; and the attention of the Honorable Court of Directors will be attract=ed

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attracted to your testimony of their merits.-

From your long and approved Services in the department of Audit, His Lordship in Council would have had particular satisfaction, if the state of your health had permitted of your prolonging your residence in this Country.- But as it is a declared principle of this Government, approved and confirmed by the Honorable Court of Directors, that all officers Civil and Military holding situations in the Service of the Company, shall be considered to have vacated them on proceeding to Europe, His Lordship in Council could not consistently with His public duty propose the observance of a different course.-

I am directed to acquaint you that His Lordship in Council will not fail to express in the despatches to the Honorable Court of Directors, the sense which is entertained of your zeal, fidility and ability in the discharge of your official duty.-

His Lordship in Council

desires

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desires that at the period of your embarkation you will transfer for the present the duties of your Office to the Charge of your Deputy Captain Prendergast.

I have the Honor to be

Sir &c.

Fort St. George
17th October 1806.

(signed) Geo. Buchan

Chief Secy to Govt.

Read the following Letter from the Military Auditor General.

To The Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General - Reports the proportion of Off Reckonings and of the Bazar Fund payable to Lieut. Colonel Hill under the usual security - Encloses a Letter from the Military Paymaster General on the subject.

I have the Honor to report, that agreeably to your Lordship's orders of the 11th Instant. I have made the necessary arrangement for advancing to Lieutenant Colonel Hill the proportion of Off Reckonings and Bazar allowance which may (ultimately) become due to him, requiring, at the same time, the security usually taken

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taken in such cases — for your Lordship's more par-
-ticular information I do my self the honor to
enclose a Copy of my letter to the Military Pay-
-master General on that subject, dated the 16th
Instant.-

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) J. Brunton
Mily Audr Genl

Military Auditor General's Office
Fort St. George, 17th October 1806.

To The Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George

Sir,

Having been directed
by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council
to make an arrangement for advancing to
Lieutenant Colonel Hill the proportion of Off-
-Reckonings and Bazar allowance which may
be due to him, I have the honor to acquaint
you

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Fort St. George 17th. October 1806.--

you that he is to receive as follows.-

Reckonings.

Remaining one third share as Comman- dant of the 1st. Madras Battation for the year 1801. ----------	768-27-40.
Computed full Share as Ditto from 1st. Ja- -nuary to 30th. April 1802.- ----------	506-10-23.
Pagodas	1274-37-63.

Bazar Allowance

An advance on Account of his share in the Bazar Fund for 1804/5 & 1805/6. for Commanding a Field Detach- -ment from Poonah from 12th. July to 4th. September 1804. for Comman- -ing the Garrison of Seringapatam from the 23d. September to the 1st. De- -cember 1804 and from 8th. Febry. to 28th. Augt. 1805. and for Commanding the Detachts. in Wynaad from 6th. Septr. 1805 to 9th. Janry. 1806 & from 25th. Febry. to 12th. April 1806. equal to the Sum of Pagodas -	1500 --
Total Pags.	2774: 37. 63.

You

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You will therefore be pleased to give the necessary directions for the payment of the Sums abovementioned to Lieutenant Colonel Hill (in the usual manner) on his giving a Bond of Indemnity from his Agents to secure the public from loss in the event of his being over paid, as well in regard to the Bazar allowance as the Offreckonings.-

(Signed) J. Brunton

Mr. Aud. Genl.

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St George 16. October 1806.-

(A True Copy)

(Signed) J. Brunton

Mr. Aud. Genl.

Order thereon: Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter be furnished for the information and guidance of the Accountant General, and that He be desired to complete the adjustment of Lieutenant-Colonel Hill's claims on the Offreckoning and Bazar Funds, in the same manner as was observed in the late case of Major General Smith.

To

6843. Fort St. George 17th October 1806.

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Strachey's letter of the 16th Instant, and to report as follows on the application of Lieutenant Stewart of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry for a further advance of "Pay" for two months and to be permitted to draw his "allowances" from the 12th August last to the day that the Ship (on which he proceeds to Europe) may be dispatched.-

2. I am not aware of there being any objection to the first part of Lieutenant Stewart's application, Viz. a further advance of "Pay" for two Months, being acceded to by your Lordship in Council, nor am I aware of there being any

objection

From the Military Auditor General- Reports on the application of Lieut. Stewart of the 13th Native Regiment, for a further advance of Pay and for Payment of allowances- Does not object to the advance of Pay requested, or to payment of his allowances to the date of his leaving Bengal- uncertain as to a farther period.-

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objection to the payment of his "allowances" up to the date of his Embarkation at Calcutta for Europe; but with respect to the continuance of those allowances subsequent to that date, I beg leave to state as follows.-

3. Captain M.cPherson of his Majesty's 88th Regiment, who proceeded to Europe from Bengal on a Ship that touched at this port in January 1805 (and remained here for some Months) was permitted (on his application to that effect) to receive the Company's allowances of his rank whilst he remained in India according to the practice observed at this Presidency, but it appears by a Letter from the Chief Secretary to

Government

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Government, dated the 13th. March 1805 (enclosing copy of a Letter from the Secretary to the Supreme Government) that a compliance with Captain M.Pherson's application was not conformable to the rules or practice of that Presidency — Captain M.Pherson did not belong to a Regiment serving in India, but Lieutenant Stewart belongs to this Establishment and his return to this Presidency from Bengal (where he went on Furlough) may perhaps be admitted to plead in favor of his application.—

4. Under these Circumstances it will rest with your Lordship in Council to determine whether the payment of Lieutenant Stewart's Allowances subsequent to the date

of

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of his embarkation at Calcutta for Europe
can be authorized.-

I have the honor to be
Yr. Yr. Yr.
(Signed) J. Stanton
Mily Auor General.

Military Auditor General's Office
Fort St. George, 17th October 1806.

Ordered that the following Reply
be dispatched to the foregoing Letter.-

To The Military Auditor General.

Sir,

To the Military auditor
General- Yr. reply-

I am directed by the Right Honorable
the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of
your Letter of the 17th Instant.-

His Lordship in Council desires
that Lieutenant Stewarts application may be de-
-termined by the established Practice of this Presi-
-dency, which His Lordship in Council has not been
enabled to ascertain from the observations stated

in

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stated in your Letter.-

His Lordship in Council is further of opinion that if the Practice of this Presidency should admit the claim of Lieutenant Stewart to draw Indian allowances after that Officer's embarkation at Calcutta for Europe, it has not been founded on correct Principles. In that case therefore you will submit the Draft of a General Order for the purpose of preventing in future the admission of similar Applications.-

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

(Signed) Geo. Strachey.

Fort St. George
18th October 1806.-

Secy. to Govt.

Ordered that the Commander in Chief be furnished with ... Copies of the foregoing Letters.-

Order thereon

Read the following Letter from the Resident at Hydrabad.-

To

6848 Fort St. George 17th October 1806

To George Buchan Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Resident at Hydrabad - Reports the reduction of Expence which has taken place in the Subsidiary Force - Encloses a Statement of the Amount, and submits observations. -

Para 1st. I am extremely sorry that I have not been before able to supply you with the General Estimate of all the late Reductions in the Subsidiary Force, which was required by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council. -

2d The accompanying Document, with which I am just furnished by the Commanding Officer of the Subsidiary Force, contains, I believe, every Reduction that has taken Place in the Establishments and fixed Expences of the Force. It will be found to contain a Statement of every Reduction that can be ascertained or Calculated. But there are many Expences that are contingent and fluctuating which depend upon the Distance of the Force from the Sources of Supply, upon the state of the Country thro' which it moves, upon the Nature of the Service on which it is employed and upon many other Circumstances which cannot be subjected to any Calculation. -

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3d. But the Statement exhibits, to the greatest Degree of attainable Precision, what is generally termed the Difference between the War and Peace Establishment and Expences of the Force.-

4th. This Difference by the Estimate amounts to Arcot Rupees one Lack twenty Two thousand Three hundred and Ninety five Rupees (1,22,395) To this must be added 16,000 Rupees for the Hire of the Bullocks maintained at the Residency Granary during the War, and about 12,000 Rupees for other Contingent Charges - so that the Aggregate difference, may, at a Moderate Calculation be Estimated at one Lack and an half of Rupees per Mensem, or eighteen Lacks of Rupees per Annum.-

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

Hydrabad
October 10th. 1806.-

(Signed) Thos. Sydenham
Resident

P.S. As it may be of Consequence to the Government to be supplied with the enclosed Document before the Despatch of the Fleet, I take the Liberty of sending this Letter by Express.-

Signed T. Sydenham.-

Statement.-

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Statement of the detailed Establishments of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force, while Serving in advance. Shewing their Monthly Expence.

Fort St. George 1st October 1850.

		ps	f.	c.	ps	f.	c.
	Pay Department						
1.	Head Writer and Accountant	50.	"	"			
1.	Second Writer	30.	"	"			
2.	Writers	40.	"	"			
3.	Coincopolies	45.	"	"			
1.	Cash Keeper	10.	"	"			
1.	Moochy	5.	"	"			
1.	Head Shroff	10.	"	"			
1.	Assistant	6.	"	"			
2.	Gollas	8.	"	"			
2.	Peons	6.	"	"			
	Candle and Stationary allowance	30.	"	"			
	Tent allowance	31.	21.	"			
	Double Carts for the use of the Office Records	15.	"	"			
1.	Pucktally Pay and Batta	4.	20.	72.			
	At Hussain Saugur.						
1.	Writer	20.	"	"			

1. Conicopoly	10.	.	.
1. Shroff	5.	.	.
1. Peon	3.	.	. 328. 41. 72.

Provision Department

1. Head Writer	25.	.	.
1. Writer	15.	.	.
1. Writer	10.	.	.
1. Head Conicopoly	15.	.	.
2. Assistant Conicopolies	20.	.	.
1. Sergeant	10.	.	.
Allowance for providing 900 Europeans Agreeable to the Regulations	107.	31.	36.

Hydrabad.

1. Conicopoly	8.	.	.
1. Measuring Man	4.	.	.
1. Butcher and Shephard	5.	.	.
Tent allowance	18.	.	.

Artificers

1. Cooper	5.	.	.
2 Carpenters	8.	24.	.
2. Smiths	8.	24.	.
2. Hammer Mens	6.	18.	.
2. Bellows Boys	2.	6.	.
1. Chuckler	3.	9.	.
	271.	28.	36.

Carried Over 328. 41. 72.

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Statement of the Establishment of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force with the Monthly Expence of them as they now Stand in Cantonments near Hydrabad.-

		Ps	F.	C.	Ps	F.	C.
	Pay Department						
1.	Head Writer and Accountant	30.	..	..			
2.	Second Writer	30.	..	..			
2.	Writers	40.	..	..			
3.	Conniecopolies	45.	..	..			
1.	Cash Keeper	10.	..	..			
1.	Moochey	5.	..	..			
1.	Head Shroff	10.	..	..			
1	Assistant	6.	..	..			

2	Collas	8	..	..
2	Peons	6	..	..
	Candle and Stationary allowance	30	..	..
	Tent allowance	31	28	..
	Carriage of Records	15	..	..
1	Puckally Pay and Batta	4	20	72
			290	41 72

Provision Department

1	Head Writer	25	..	..
1	Head Conniccopoly	15	..	..
3	Conniccopolies	30	..	..

Artificers

1	Cooper	5	..	..
1	Carpenter	4	12	..
1	Smith	4	12	..
1	Hammer man	3	9	..
1	Bellows Boy	1	3	..
		87	36	..

Carried over Star Pagodas 290 41 72

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Field Expence — Continued

	Pags.	F.	C.	Pags.	F.	C.
Brought Over	271.	28.	36.	328.	41.	72.

Lascars.

1. 1st. Tindal	3.	39.	--			
1. 2d. Tindal	3.	18.	--			
24. Lascars	69.	6.	--	348.	7.	36

Bullock Department

1. Writer	20.	--	--			
1. Assistant	10.	--	--			
1. Conicopoly	10.	--	--			
1. Head Maistry	5.	--	--			
2. Peons	5.	--	--			
1. Conicopoly	5.	--	--			
Stationary	7.	--	--	62.	--	--

Store Department

1. Commissary
3. Conductors
2. Sub Conductors
2. Syrangs
2. 1st. Tindals

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2. 2ds Tindals
141. Lascars
3. Maistry Armourers
18. Carpenters
1. Maistry Smith
11. Smiths
3. Armourers
11. Hammer Men
11. Bellows Boys
2. Sawyers
1. Cooper
1. Painter
4. Chucklegars
1. Tin Man
1. Caulker
1. Moochey
1. Chuckler
4. Puckallies
1. Muspalgie
1. Maistry Cooley
9. Common Coolies
6. Momatie Coolies
28. Bamboo Coolies.

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Carried Over Star Pagodas - - - - - - 1779. 5. 26.

Cantonment Expence continued

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	Ps.	F.	C.	Ps.	F.	C.
Brought Over	87.	36.	..	290.	41.	72.
Lascars						
1. 1st. Tindal	3.	39.	..			
1. 2d. Tindal	3.	18.	..			
12. Lascars	34.	24.	..	129.	33.	
Bullock Department						
Superintendant	20.	..	..			
Head Conicopoly	10.	..	..			
Head Mastry	5.	..	..			
Pion	3.	..	..			
Stationary	6.	..	..	44.	..	..
Store Department						
1. Commissary						
3. Conductors						
2. Sub Conductors						
2. Syrangs.						

2. 1st. Tindals
2. 2d. Tindals
100 Lascars.
2 Maistry Carpenters
16. Carpenters
1 Maistry Smith
10 Smiths
3. Armourers
10. Hammer Men
10 Bellows Boys
2. Sawyers
1. Cooper
1. Painter
4. Checkledars
1. Tin Man
1. Caulker
1. Moochey
1. Chuckler
3. Puckallies
1. Mussalgie
1. Maistry Cody.
9. Common Coolies
6. Paumtie Coolies

920. 37. 40. 920. 37. 40.

Carried over Star Pagodas - - - - - - 1385. 28. 32.

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Field Expence Continued

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		Ps F. C.	Ps F. C.
	Brought Over	1779. 5. 26.	
Medical Department			
To the Establishment of Medical Servants for a field Hospital and Carrying Medical Stores per Month	226. 25. --	226. 25. --	
Engineer and Surveyors Department			
To the Establishment of Servants, artificers &c.	298. 30. 6. --	298. 30. 6.	
Dawk Establishment			
Average of Monthly Expence when in the field	350. " --	350. " --	
Contingent Charges.			
Average of the Commanding Officers Contingent Bills and those of the Commissary of Supply	1500. " --	1500. " --	
Dooley Bearers.			
65. Setts of Dooley Bearers attached to His Majesty's 33d Regiment	1165. 30. --		
Contract for the Carriage of Sick for artillery and Native Troops	1692. " --	2857. 30. --	
Cavalry Grain Department			
To the average Expences of Feeding two Regiments of Cavalry for One Month including Hire of Cattle	9000. " --	9,000. " --	
Grain Department			
To One Commissary of Grains Salary	300. " --		
1 Writer	20. " --		
1 Comicopoly	10. " --		

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2 Assistant Conicopolies		10 " "	
4 Measuring Men		20 " "	
3 Peons		7 21 "	
To the Amount of the Average Monthly Issues of Rice, Gratis to the fighting Men, and the Amount of Money Paid in lieu of Rice to the Detachment at Hussain Saugur	There is not the Means of calculating this Item correctly but say	17,000 " "	17,367. 21. "

Public Cattle

Draught & Carriage Bullocks Hire	11492. 32. 32.	
Feeding Elephants with their Servants &c	510. 10. 40.	
Provisions for 930 Europeans for 1 Month deducting the usual Stoppages @ 1 1/2 42 1/2 per diem	1788. 40. 22.	13791. 41. 14.

Extra Staff

Brigadiers Staff and Establishments including Line Adjutant and Paymaster of Families at Hydrabad	1019. 15. 50.	1019. 15. 50.
		48190. 38. 16.
Amount of Present Expence		13219. 40. 54.
Difference of Expence Star Pagodas		34970. 39. 42.

N.B. Several contingent Charges that there is no means of Calculating are not included in the above. Such as the Expence of Transporting Military Stores &c from the Presidency to this Station and the Extra Expence incurred when the Army was in the Field by advancing them to the Frontiers.

Cantonment Expence — Continued.

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	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Brought Over				1385.	28.	32.
Medical Department						
To the Pay &c.ª of three Mortar Coolies retained in the Medical Store Keepers Department till the pleasure of the Commander in Chief is Known	12.	"	"	12.	"	"
Engineer & Surveyors Department.						
To the Establishment of Artificers, Servants &c.ª	298.	30.	6.	298.	30.	6.
Dawk Establishment						
Average of Monthly Expence in Cantonment	12.	"	"	12.	"	"
Contingent Charges.						
Average of the Commissary of Supply Monthly Bills	150.	"	"	150.	"	"
Dooley Bearers.						
1. Head Maistry				4.	"	"
8. Subordinate Maistries				24.	"	"
300. Dooley Bearers	757.	6.	"	785.	6.	"

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Cavalry Grain Department

To the average Expence of feeding two Regiments Cavalry per Month including hire of Cattle ---- 4500. " " — 4,500. " "

Grain Department

1. Superintendant Writer ---- 20. " "
1. Head Conicopoly ---- 10. " "
2. Measuring Men ---- 10. " "
1. Peon ---- 3. " "

To the Average Loss sustained by Government on account of Money paid in lieu of Rice to the Native Troops — 3100. " " — 3143. " "

Public Cattle

347. Draught Bullocks ---- 1835. 4. —
16. Maistries ---- 32. " "
Feeding Elephants with their Servants Wages ---- 510. 10. 40. — 2427 14 40

Barrack Department

To purchase of Barrack Articles per 1000 Europeans ---- 502. 3. 56.
To 1 Barrack Serjeant ---- 4. " " — 506. 3. 56.

Total Star Pagodas ---- 13219. 40. 54.

(Signed) Thomas G. Montresor Colonel Commanding Subsidiary Force.

(A True Copy)

(Signed) Charles Russell.

acting Assistant to the Resident at Hyd.

Resolved

1st October 1806

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Resolved that particular

Resolution thereon reference be made to the Subject of the foregoing Communica-

tion in the Letter about to be dispatched to the Honorable

Court of Directors.—

W Bentinck

"

Kydd

" W Petrie

E Hanyk

J Oakes

Officia Acta Consilii 17 Oct 1806.
Page 69. Copied by Lazaro.
30 April 1807.

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Diary

18th. Received the following Letters.

Geo: Buchan Esqr.
&ca &c &ca

Sir

The enclosed Copy of a Letter from the acting Secretary in the Military Depart = ment of Bengal to the Military Auditor General of that Presidency has been Officially transmit = ted to me by the Officer Commanding His Majes = ty's 25th. Regiment of Dragoons - and I am desired by the Commander in Chief to request, that a = Government Order may accordingly be issued to receive that Regiment upon this Establishment from the 1st. of September last. -

From the Military Secretary to the Com = mander in Chief - Sub = mits Papers from Bengal and requests that a G.O. be in consequence issued admitting the 25th. Dragoons on this Establishment.

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October 18th. 1806

I have the honor to be
&ca &c

/Signed/ Thos. Reynell
Mily Secrety

To

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18th To Captain W. S. Greene

Military Auditor General

Sir

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th Instant and to inform you that the allowances of His Majestys 25th Regiment of Light Dragoons are to be charged to this Presidency for the Current month, and from the 1st of September to Fort St. George -

I am - &ca &ca

/Signed/ Tho. Hill

Actg Secrety Mily Dept

Council Chamber

23th August 1806

True Copy

/Signed/ W. S. Greene

Mily Audr General

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council &ca &ca &ca

My Lord

From the Military Auditor General - Reports on the balance of Pay

I have had the honor to receive

your

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Pagodas 1500 outstanding against Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy late Paymaster of His Majestys 19th. Regiment Light Dragoons - points out precedents for paying an equal allowance for passage money to the Wives of Officers, as to the Officers themselves, called for in the case of the wives of Major Henry and Captain Lisle of His Majesty's 19th. Regiment Light Dragoons embarked for England. -

your Lordships Commands communicated to me by the Chief Secretary of Government under date the 25th. Instant, in reply to my addresses to your Lordship in Council under date the 4th. 9th. and 14th. Instant

2 Since I had the honor of reporting on the circumstances stated by the Military Pay-master General relative to the balance of Pagodas One thousand five hundred outstanding against Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majestys 19th. Regiment of Light Dragoons, and formerly Paymaster to that Corps, I have had a conversation with Captain Keay (now Mr. Hawkins's represen-tative in this Country) on this subject, who does not admit that responsibility attaches on account of this transaction to Mr. Hawkins, and has assured me he will make this satisfactorily ap-pear on being officially called on so to do, this opportunity shall therefore be afforded him and the Security recommended by your Lordship in Council to be taken from Lieutenant

Colonel

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Colonel Kennedy shall be immediately communi-
=cated to the military Paymaster General -

3 If it shall be your Lordships plea-
=sure to defray from the public treasury the ex-
=pense of the passage money of the Wives of Major
Henry and Captain Lisle of His Majesty's 19th Light
Dragoons, I am of opinion that the same sum
should be paid to the Captains of the Ships (on
their account) as the Regulations allow for their
husbands according to their respective Ranks -

4 I beg leave to add, for your Lordships
information, that passage money was authorized
and defrayed by the public on account of the
wives of several of the Officers of His Majestys
53d and 67th Regiments from hence to Bengal in
September 1805, and also on account of the Wives
and families of the Regiment De meuron -
which embarked for England in February last
- in both instances the allowance paid on ac-
=count of the Ladies was equal to that allow-
=ed by the Regulations for their husbands -

I have

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Military 18th Auditor
Generals Office
Fort St. George
17th October 1806 —

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ I. Brunton
Mily Audr. Genl.

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

My Lord,

From Dille. Report on an additional Estimate of Cash of the Deputy Paymaster General to the King's Troops for the Current month.

Having examined an additional Estimate of Cash of the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings Troops for the Current month, I have the honor to report that the amount thereof Vizt Pagodas Five thousand Eight hundred and seventy seven (Pags. 5.877) is admissible and issuable from the General Treasury being required for the payment of three months Full Batta granted to the Officers of His Majesty's 19th Dragoons by the orders of Government of the 11th Instant. —

I have

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Generals Office
Fort St. George
17th. October 1806

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I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ J. Brunton
Mily Audr. Genl.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William P. Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From Dr. Stile - Reporting an additional Estimate of Cash of the Military Paymaster at Fort St. George for the Current month -

Having Examined an additional Estimate of Cash of the Military Paymaster at Fort St. George for the Current month. I have the honor to report that the amount thereof. Viz. Pagodas Thirteen thousand Eight hundred and seventy seven (Pags. 13,877) is admissible and issuable from the General Treasury being required for the payment of sundry demands on his Office, not provided for before in any former Estimate.

Military Auditor Generals
Office Fort St. George
18th. October 1806. -

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ J. Brunton
Mily Audr. Genl.

Received

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18th

Received and Sent the following Letters entered in M. B. Nos. 42-43-44-45-46-47 48-49-50-51-52-53-54 - -

From the Military Secty to the Commander in Chief

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell - Forwards the Proceedings of the Medical Board with Duplicate of Indent for medical Stores for the year 1807 - -

From Ditto

From Ditto - Submits the Proceedings of the medical Board regarding the transmission of unserviceable Stores to England -

From Ditto.

From Ditto - Requests that May General Dickens may be permitted to proceed to Bengal -

From the adjutant General of the army.

From Colonel Agnew - Forwards for transmission to England Papers regarding Casualties of Officers &c. &c.

From the accountant General.

From Mr. Smith - Returns certain Receipts to be adjusted in the Military Department.

From the Chief Engineer

From Colonel Trapaud - Returns Plans &c. sent to his office to be transcribed. -

From

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From Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Green.

From Lieutenant Colonel Green.

Solicits his Share of Seringapatam Prize money.

To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General.

Desires payment of Bills and advances of money recommended may be authorized. Captain Lieutenant Cleaveland of Artillery to draw Batta instead of Commission while employed on public Works at Quilon.

To Ditto. Directs he will authorize

To Ditto.

From [illegible] payment of allowances recommended by the Commander in Chief to the Officers of His Majesty's 60th Regiment at this Presidency.

To Ditto. Directs an issue of

To Ditto.

four months pay and allowances in advance to Lieutenant Morgan of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry.

To the Military Paymaster General.

To the Military Paymaster General. Transmits Copy of the Military Auditor General's Report on the additional Estimate of Cash required by the Deputy Paymaster General of the Kings Troops for the Current month.

To

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To the Accountant General. Directs the adjustment of Lieutenant Colonel Hills claims on the Buzar and Offreckoning funds in the same manner as those of Major General Smith.

To the accountant General.

To Captain Cameron. Directs he will receive in Charge Twelve Boxes of Instruments &ca.

To the Commander of the Honble Companys Ship Jane Dutchess of Gordon.

19th

Sent a letter to the Military Paymaster General entered in M. B. N.o 55. Transmits Military Auditor Generals Report on the additional Estimate of Cash required from the Military Paymaster at Fort St. George for the Current month.

To the Military Paymaster General.

20th

Received the following Letter

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bintinck

Governor in Council

&ca &ca &ca

My Lord.

From the Deputy Mily Auditor General. Reports that the Military Auditor General has embarked for the Cape of Good Hope

1. I have the honor to report to your Lordship in Council that Lieutenant Colo. Brunton Military

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Hope and eventually for Europe and that he has received charge of the Office of audit. Reports on the security left by Mr. Hawkins and on the claim preferred by Lieutenant Stewart.

Military Auditor General embarked on the 19th. Instant on furlough to the Cape of Good Hope and eventually to Europe according to the permission of Government granted to that effect.

2 They leave also to report that in obedience to your Lordship's Orders contained in the Chief Secretary's letter under date 18th. Instant, the charge of the Office of Audit has been made over to me.

3 In reply to the 2d. Paragraph of the Chief Secretary's letter dated the 15th. Instant, I have the honor to state for your Lordship's information that the Security left by Mr. Hawkins formerly Paymaster at Trichino-poly on his departure for Europe is considered to be more than equivalent to the additional charge of Pagodas 1,500—— which is likely to be established against that Gentleman, a consi-derably greater sum having been admitted on the further audit of Mr. Hawkins accounts since

since his departure for Europe -

4 I have also the honor to represent to your Lordship in Council in reply to Mr. Secre=tary Stracheys letter dated the 18th Instant, that no precedent is found and consequently that no established practice exists in regard to the claim of Lieutenant Stewart to Indian allowances — subsequent to the date of that Officers embar=kation from Calcutta on furlough to Europe by permission of the Supreme Government -

5 Your Lordship in Council having directed that a draft of a General Order to pre=clude the admission of such applications in future shall be submitted to Government in the event of a contrary practice having obtained and the opinion of Government being fully ex=pressed on the subject, I shall consider it my duty to reject Lieutenant Stewarts claim in the present instance and all similar Claims in future should any occur - but as there is no Contrary system to be abolished, I hope I shall be

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be deemed correct in not troubling your Lord-
=ship in Council further on the subject by
submitting the Draft of a General Order before
alluded to which is now presumed to be unn-
=necessary.

Military Auditor
Generals Office
Fort St. George
20th October 1806.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ J. Prendergast
Depy Mily Audr. Genl.

Sent the following Letters

To the President & Members of the
Military Board

Gentlemen,

To the Military Board—
Forwards Copy of orders
given by the Govern-
=ment at. Fort William
for accommodating and
forwarding to England
the Four Colts from
the Honorable Com-
=pany's Stud, and
directs various reports
and arrangements
respecting them.

I am directed by the Right Honor
=able the Governor in Council to furnish for your
information the enclosed Copy of a Letter from the
Secretary to the Government at Fort William
reporting the orders which had been issued at
that Presidency for accommodating on board
of different Ships of the Fleet under dispatch
the Four Colts from the Honorable Company's
Stud

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Stud which it has been resolved to send to England.

His Lordship in Council desires that you will ascertain from the Superintendant of the Stud, who is now at the Presidency, the present condition of the Colts on board the Ships in question.

His Lordship in Council further desires that you will specify the Ships on which the Colts of each Lot have been embarked, as His Lordship in Council understands that the arrangement made in Bengal has been subsequently modified.

I enclose for your information the orders which His Lordship in Council desires that you will dispatch to the Commanders of the Ships on which the Colts may have been finally embarked, and I am directed to desire that you will in communication with the Marine Board take such further steps as may be necessary for

the

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their accommodation. -

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20th October 1806.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secrety to Govermt.

To Captain Gelston

Commander of the Honorable Company's Ship

Europe

Sir.

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to desire that the utmost care may be taken of the Colt from the Honorable Company's Stud, which has been placed under your charge for the purpose of being conveyed to England.

To the Commander of the Honorable Company's Ships Europe, William Pitt and Jane Dutchess of Gordon. -

2 His Lordship in Council desires that the Grain provided for the Colt may be regularly washed in fresh water, and that the Colts daily allowance of water for Drink may be two Pails or at least Eight Gallons. I am further directed to desire that you will consider

yourself

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yourself authorized to procure supplies of Provender if necessary at any Port at which the Honorable Company's Ships under your Com=mand may touch.

His Lordship desires that you will with the permission of the Senior Officer of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Light Dra=goons on board of the Ship under your Com=mand employ an experienced Trooper of that Corps in taking care of the Colt and His Lordship in Council will request the Honble Court of Directors to allow to the person so employed, a reasonable compensation if his conduct in the Charge of the Colt during the voyage shall have been considered sa=tisfactory.

His Lordship in Council attach=es considerable importance to the strict ob=servance of these directions, and desires that you will take the earliest opportunity of reporting to the Honorable Court of Directors the

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the arrival of the Colt, and the general condition
in which it may have arrived.

Fort St. George
20th October 1806.

I am &c &c
/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Govermt

The same to Captains Edmeades
& Cameron
the Commanders of the Honorable Companys
Ships William Pitt & Jane Dutchess
of Gordon

To Captain John Dale
Commander of the Honorable Companys Ship
Streatham

Sir

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to desire that the utmost care may be taken of the Colt from the Honorable Companys Stud, which has been placed under your charge for the purpose of being conveyed to England.

His Lordship in Council desires that

To the Commander of the Honorable Companys Ship Streatham.

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that the Gram provided for the Colt may be regularly washed in fresh water and that the Colts daily allowance of water for Drink may be two Pails or at least Eight Gallons - I am further directed to desire that you will consi-=der yourself authorized to procure supplies of Provender if necessary at any Port at-= which the Honorable Company's Ship under your Command may touch -

His Lordship in Council having been informed that a Groom in the Service of Major General Maitland has embarked on board of the Streatham, I am directed to desire that you will engage that person for the purpose of taking care of the Colt, in-=forming him that the Honorable Court of Directors will be requested to grant to him a reasonable Compensation in the event of the Colt arriving in England in good con-=dition, or if he shall have taken care of it during the Voyage in a manner satisfactory

to

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Lieutenant Colonel Taylor and Captain Waugh and recommends the allowances being granted.

20th the receipt of a letter from Mr. Secretary Strachey under date the 13th. Instant. and to report as follows on the applications of Lieutenant Colonel Taylor and Captain Waugh.

2 In consequence of the particular circumstances stated by Lieutenant Colonel Taylor Commanding in the masulipatam District. I beg leave to observe that I am of opinion he may be permitted to draw the same allowance for Writers Hircarrahs and Stationary as is drawn by the Officer Commanding in the Vizagapatam District Viz. Pags. 15.- per month. the duties and respectability of the former being at least equal if not superior to those of the latter.

3 I have also the honor to state that I am of opinion Captain Waugh may be permitted to draw the same allowance for Stationary on account of the Corps of Dooley Bearers lately under his Command. as is granted to Officers Commanding Companies of

Native

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21 to

Native Infantry and Pioneers Viz.t twenty one
persons per month for each Company. —

4 The Commandant of the Dooley
Corps being exposed to the same trouble and
expense as Officers Commanding Companies of
native Infantry and Pioneers if not more —
(owing to the very numerous Detachments from
it every month) in making out separate abstracts
of Pay and muster for each Company. I beg
leave to suggest the propriety of making this
allowance permanent to the Corps of Dooley
bearers - the additional expence will be but —
trifling, while it will preserve regularity in the
public accounts and relieve the Officer Command-
-ing that Corps from personal loss, which he
must certainly experience (as in the instance
of Captain Waugh) if the allowance is not granted. -

I have the honor to be
&c.a &c.a
(Signed) J. Brunton
Mil.y Aud.r Gen.l

Military Auditor
Generals Office
Fort St. George
15 th October 1806. -

Resolved

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Resolved agreeably to the recommen
Resolution thereon — =dation of the Military Auditor General that the Sum of Pagodas 15 per month be allowed to the Officer Commanding the District of Masulipatam for Writers Hircarrahs and Stationary; and that the same allowance for Stationary as is granted to Officers Commanding companies of Native Infantry be paid to the Commanding Officer of the Dooley Corps.

Received the following Letters

To the Right Honorable

The Governor in Council

My Lord & Gentlemen

From the late Com. =manders of the Ship Actaon.

We the undersigned take the liberty of representing to your Honorable Coun. =cil that having arrived here as Prisoners of War on the Cartel sent in by the French Imperi =al Frigate La Semillante Commanded by Captain Montard, who has exacted from us our Paroles not to serve until exchanged, and being thereby prevented from following our Profession until such

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such exchange is effected. We presume to request that your Honorable Council will adopt such speedy means for that purpose as they may see most fit and that we may be favored with separate Certificates of our application.

With the highest respect and Consideration &c. &c.

(Signed) Robt Holl

Late Commander Ship Actaon

Dupe Street

No 10. august 23d 1806

" Row. W. Loan

Late Commander of the Olive

" Saml Ashmore

Late Chief Officer Ship Actaon

G. Buchan Esqr.

Secretary to Government &c. &c.

Sir

I take the liberty of request-

From Ditto -

-ing to know if the Governor and Council have yet given any reply to the application made through you, by myself Messrs Loan & Ashmore) by our letter to them of date the 24th.

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24th. Instant praying for our exchange as Prisoners arrived on the Ship Active, sent in by the Semillante.

August 30th. 1806. — your answer will greatly oblige.

&ca. &ca.

/Signed/ Robt. Holl

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the army.

I have the honor to forward for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, Copy of a letter received from the Officer Commanding 5th. Regiment of Cavalry at Coembatore, and in consideration of the particular circumstances stated in Lieutenant Colonel Rumley's letter, I have authorised him to make such repairs to the place of arms and Hospital as are absolutely necessary, and to erect temporary stables for Sixteen sick Horses, which I hope will meet the approbation of His Lordship in Council.

Head Quarters Southern Division of the army Trichinopoly 9th. October 1806.

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

/Signed/ A. Campbell Col.

To.

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To the Assistant Adjutant General

of the Southn Division of the Army

Sir

I have to report for the informa-
=tion of the Officer Commanding the Southern —
Division of the army, that, on the arrival of the
Regiment at this station, I found the place of
arms, Hospital, Gyarn, and Stores Houses in it
considerably in want of repair: none of them
having been used for a great length of time, in
particular one end of the Place of arms back —
given way so much that the Roof had fallen in —

The near approach of the monsoon
and the necessity that appears of getting them
in a fit state if possible before the rains —
should set in, has induced me to commence
repairing them, I hope this will meet with
Colonel Campbell's approbation, or that he will
grant me authority for executing the necessary
repairs.

I beg leave further to report that
there

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20th there are no stables for the Sick Horses, and to request permission to erect Stabling for 16 of those Horses which may most require cover.—

Coembatoor
6th. October 1806.

/Signed/ C. Rumley
Lieut.t Colonel

A true Copy

/Signed/ A. Campbell
Coll.

At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor and President

Lieutenant General Sir J. F. Cradock K.B.
Commander in Chief

William Petrie
and
Thomas Oakes
} Esqres.

Tuesday the
25th. October 1806

Minutes of last Consultation
Read and approved.

The Board proceed to Read and pass orders on the following Proceedings of the

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Fort St. George 25th October 1806

Proceedings of the Medical Board - States that the medical aid afforded to the Malabar Rangers by Mr. Palmer may be provided for by the Superintending Surgeon. Forwards Duplicate annual Indent for medicines for 1807 for transmission to England -

the Medical Board -

Resolutions of the Governor in Council Dated 21st October 1806 -

It is deemed proper to postpone a Resolution on this subject until a provision shall have been made for affording medicab aid to the Judges of the Zillah Courts in malabar -

Medical Board

3. October 1806

The Medical Board have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from the Chief Secretary to Government dated the 10th Ultimo enclosing one from the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, bearing date the 18th August last, in reply to which they beg leave to state, that the medicab duties of the Malabar Rangers, may in their opinion be easily provided for by the Superintending Surgeon of Malabar, and that Mr. Surgeon Palmer

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Ordered that the Du=
=plicate Indent mention
=ed in this Paragraph be
transmitted to England
by the Ships under Dis=
=patch. -

Palmer may accordingly
be directed to proceed to th
Presidency of Bombay.

2 The medical Board
have also the honor to forwa
the Duplicate annual
Indent for Medicines and
Medical Stores for the
use of this Presidency for
the year 1807. for transmis
=sion to the Honorable the
Court of Directors by the
present dispatch -

/Signed/ Terence Gahagan M.D.
& 2. Member medical Board
" Jas. Richardson
& 3. Member medical Board

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

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secrety to Govern.

Medical

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Proceedings of the Medical Board. Forwards a List of Instruments &c. returned for transmission to England.

Resolution of the Governor in Council Dated 25th. Oct. 1806.

Ordered that the Instruments mentioned in this Paragraph be transmitted to England by the Ship Jane Dutch. =esp. of Gordon.

Medical Board 15th. October 1806

The Medical Board have the honor to enclose for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors a List of Instruments &c. and they request that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council will be pleased to issue the necessary orders for the Instruments &c. thereinmentioned, to be received on Board one of the Honorable Companys Ships now under dispatch.

/Signed/ Jas. Anderson
Physician General

" Terence Gahagan M.D
2. Member medical Board.

" Jas. Richardson
3. member medical Board

By Order of the Right Honorable the

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the Governor in Council -

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretg. to Government

The Undermentioned Articles being Superfluous and unserviceable are ordered by the Superintendant of Medical Stores to be sent to Europe -

No 1. Case Contg Wathens Splints Superfluous & unserviceable Setts 26.

No 2 D°. - D°. Sharps D°. - - D°. - - - - - Setts 40

No 3 D°. - D°. Wathens D°. - - - D°. - - - - Setts 24

No 4 D°. - D°. - D°. - D°. - - - - D°. - - - - Setts 24

No 5 D°. - D°. - D°. D°. - - D°. Setts 12
Stantons Fracture machine D°. Setts 11 } in a Case
Wathens Leg Splints - - D°. - - Setts 16

No 6. Case containing Old and unserviceable Instruments

No 7 to 12 Electrical machines rendered useless from not being Capable of being worked in the Country

Total 12 Boxes. -

/Signed/ M. Fitzgerald
Medical Storekeeper
" Terence Gahagan MD
& Member medical Board
& Superintendt. Medical Stores

Read

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Read the following Letter from the Deputy Secretary of the military Board To the Secretary to Government in the Military Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Military Board to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th Instant with its enclosures, and to inform you that the Superintendent of the Honorable Companys Stud was immediately called upon to give the necessary information regarding the present condition of the Colts which have been embarked on the Ships about to sail for England. I have the honor to forward for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the Superintendents Letter which has just been received. -

From the Deputy Secretary to the Mily Board - Forwards a letter from the Superintendent of the Stud regarding the disposition of the Colts on the H.C. Ships for England.

It appears that a Colt has been accommodated on board of each of the following Indiamen Viz.t the Streatham, Europe, Pitt and the Ianthe Dutchess of Gordon, and I have

the

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the honor to report that the letters of instruction which accompanied your Letter have been address=ed and dispatched to the respective Captains of these Ships.

I have also the honor to report that the Marine Board have been requested to instruct the Captains of the Streatham and Pitt to re=move to a greater distance the Cattle that have been placed too near to the Colts on board these Ships.—

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ W. Morison
Depy Secy mily Board

Fort St. George
25th October 1806

To the Secretary.
Military Board

Sir

Fort St. George

In reply to your letter I have the honor to state that four Colts from the Stud were put on board the Pitt, the Europe and the Streatham at Vizagapatam on the 26th of September in the highest

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highest Condition - there had been no preparation made on those Ships for their reception, and they were to be very badly accommodated, those on the Streatham in particular where there had been two Colts were placed in the long Boat exposed to the weather, and have suffered accordingly - one Colt has been moved from this Ship to the Jane Dutchess of Gordon two days ago -

The Colts are now in very different condition from the want above stated of proper accommodation for nearly a month which they have been on those Ships - the Colt now on the Streatham is so close to a Buffaloe and her Calf, and the Colt on the Pitt to Cows &c that they must suffer from Ticks and Vermin, and it wont be possible for a Groom to prevent it -

The Colts on the Pitt and Streatham are those of the last Lot sent to madras which would then have been sent to England had they not suffered, as had then been stated, by a Committee of the Military Board in coming through

the

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the Guntoor Circar &c.

These Colts are both Bays, that on the Pitt was got by Legs on a strong Cutch Mare of 4 ft. 2 in. the Colt on the Streatham was also got by Legs on a real Moun Mare of 4 ft. 1 1/2 in. of fine action and good temper.

The grey Colt on the Jane Dutchess of Gordon was got by a yorkshire Hunter on a very strong Cattiwar Mare, and the Nutmeg grey on the Europe was got by Toby a real Arab on a good Cutch Mare. these Colts are of the same class as the lot now prepared at Chatterpore to be sent to Madras.

I can have no hope that these Colts may get to England in proper condition, and I trust that before judgement be passed on them some time may be allowed for their getting into Condition, and recover that fine appearance and free use of their limbs which they had when put on the Ships.

/Signed/ H. Evans Capt.
Supt. of the Stud

Madras
21st October 1806.

A true Copy
/Signed/ W. Morison
D. Sm. B.

Ordered

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Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be transmitted to the Secretary of the Honorable Court of Directors by the present Dispatch.

Read the following Letters from the Military Auditor General and his Deputy.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c &c &c

My Lord.

I have the honor to lay before you in Duplicate Statements in detail shewing the Expences incurred on account of French and Dutch Prisoners of War for the purpose of being transmitted to the Honorable the Court of Directors

From the Military Auditor General. Forwards Duplicate Statements of Expences on account of French and Dutch Prisoners on the Coast and at Malacca.

These Statements shews the ex-

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-pence incurred on the Coast on account of Prisoners of War above mentioned from August 1805 to July 1806. inclusive; and at Malacca from May to December 1805 inclusive amounting as per General abstract accompanying to Pagodas Seventy one

thousand

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thousand Five hundred and Fifteen Pagodas Seven and Cash Forty two (Pags. 7/1515. 7. 42).

3 In order to render the subject as complete as possible, I have accompanied the abstracts with Copies of all Muster Rolls of the Military and Marine of both French and Dutch Prisoners, and which exhibits the names of all the persons drawn for in the abstract.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) J. Brunton
Mily Audr. General

Military Auditor
Generals Office.
Fort St. George
1st October 1806.

Order Thereon

Ordered that the Statements of the Expences incurred on account of the French and Dutch Prisoners of War submitted with the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable Court of Directors by the present Dispatch.

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council &c. &c. &c.
My Lord

From the Military Auditor General. Encloses a Sett of Bills on

I have the honor to enclose a sett of

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on the Agents of the 59th Regiment in favor of the Honorable Court of Directors.

of Bills drawn by the Paymaster of His Majestys 59th. Regiment on the Regimental Agents Messrs. Greenwood & Cox of London in favor of the Honorable Court of Directors at thirty days sight for Pounds Two hundred and thirty five, Shillings Eight and five Pence (£ 235. 8. 5) being the amount of Contingent Allowances due to the Officers of that Regiment previous to its becoming a charge to this Presidency, payment of which was authorized by your Lordships in Council on the 9th Instant.

I have the honor to be

&ca &ca

(Signed) J. Brunton

Mily Audr General

Military Auditor Generals Office Fort St. George 13th October 1806.

Ordered that the Bills of Exchange referred to in the foregoing Letter be forwarded to the Honorable Court of Directors by the Ships William Pitt and Streatham

Order thereon

To

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To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council
&c &c &c

My Lord

From the Deputy Military Auditor General — Forwards for transmission to England several Statements of Passage money &c on account of the King's and Company's Service —

I have the honor to transmit the following Statements in Duplicate for the purpose of being forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors by the present dispatch —

1st ——— Statement shewing the amount of Passage money* paid at Fort St. George on account of Officers in His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Service proceeding to Europe under authority from Government since the 11th February 1806, amounting to Pags. 18000 —

2nd ——— Statement of advances made to the Officers and men of His Majestys Regiments proceeding to Europe — amounting to Pagodas 14,264 .. 31 .. 22½ —

3rd ——— Statement shewing the amount of Passage money paid at Fort St. George under

authority

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authority from Government on account of Offi-
=cers Cadets and men saved from the Honorable
Companys Ships Britannia and Lady Burgess
and brought from St. Salvadore and St. Iago
to Madras, amounting to Pagodas 4136. 29. —
4th ——— Statement shewing the amount
and description of payments made at Fort
Cornwallis to a Detachment of His Majestys
73d. Regiment which proceeded to Europe on the
Honorable Companys Extra Ship Devaynes, and
landed at that place during the time the —
Devaynes was undergoing some repairs, amount-
=ing to Sonaut Rupees 4023. 4. —
5th ——— Statement shewing the amount
paid to Surgeons of Ships for medical atten-
=dance on account of Troops saved from the
Honorable Company's Ship Britannia, amount-
=ing to. Pagodas 106. 36. 60. —
6th ——— Statement shewing the amount
paid to Commanders of the Honorable Compa-
=ny's Ships for articles and necessaries supplied.

for.

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for the use of Troops during the Voyage to India amounting to Pagodas 85.13.10 =

7th ------- Statement shewing the amount of advances made to Officers on account of the Off.=reckoning and Bazar Funds since the 11th February 1806. amounting to Pagodas 16995.1.29 - Viz.t Off.reckon=ings Pag.s 10495.1.29 - Bazar allowance Pag.s 6500.- -

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ J. Prendergast
Depy Mily Audr Genl.

Military Auditor
Generals Office
Fort St. George
20th October 1806

* It may be proper to observe to your Lordship that this Statement of Passage money is made out principally from a memorandum received from Mr. Dick, and that the Sums included on account of the Officers of the 19th Dragoons and several other Officers of His Majesty's Service have not yet been disbursed by the Deputy Paymaster General to the King's Troops, nor has any authority been received in this Office to that effect from your Lordship in Council - I have however

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however been informed that the necessary autho-
-rity has been issued to the Board of Trade for
that purpose -

/Signed/ I. Prendergast
Depy mily Audr Genl

Ordered that the several Papers -
Order thereon submitted with the foregoing letter be transmit-
-ted a number in the Packet by the present
Dispatch

Read the following Letters from
the Accountant General.

To the Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir

From the Accountant General - Forwards Papers and states his opinion in consequence of an increase of the Establishment for keeping the issues of Stores from England. -

Para 1 Having sent Copy of the enclosure
from the Accountant General at Fort William
forwarded to me in your letter of the 2d april
last to the Secretaries of the military and -
medical Boards - and to the Import warehouse-
-keeper and marine Storekeeper. I have the honor
to transmit the Statements forwarded by the

two

two former Officers those from the two latter not being received -

2d I enclose also Copy of the letter from the Secretary to the military Board which accompanied his Statement Explaining the difficulty he experienced in the preparation of a Statement agreeable to the apparent intention of the Supreme Government.

3d I am aware that the Statements now forwarded cannot afford the information required in the Enclosure alluded to, and have therefore written to the Secretaries of the Military and medical Boards to take the necessary steps to prepare distinct Statements for the present Official Year alphabetically arranged, but I do not think from the variety of Stores, it will be practicable, to shew the separate Expenditure of each years Receipt from England without a considerable Encrease of Warehouse Room to separate each article of each year, and of Establishment to look after them, and keep so

detailed

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detailed an account. -

Fort St. George
Account. Genl. Office
9th October 1806. -

I have the honor to be
&ca &ca
/Signed/ Cecil Smith
Account. General

To the Accountant General
Fort St. George.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 4th May I have the honor to forward an account of the Ordnance Military Stores received from England into the arsenal of Fort St. George during the year 1804/5 & similar one for each succeeding year shall likewise be forwarded.

With regard to the Expenditure of Stores received from England during the same period I beg to state that it is utterly impossible to frame an accurate Statement. It has not been usual to make a distinction in the arsenal Books between articles received from England and those of the same description

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description which are occasionally supplied by the agent for the supply of military Stores, from the Import and marine Departments consequently the Expenditure of the Stores which have been received from England cannot be exactly ascertained.

Should it however be deemed necessary that an account of the expenditure of Stores received from Europe shall be transmitted annually, orders shall be sent to the Commissary in charge of the arsenal desiring that he will keep separate Books for entering all receipts and Issues of military Stores received directly from England.

Fort St. George
26th July 1806.

Sam. & ca & ca
/Signed/ J. Marshall
Secy & accounts mily Board

A true Copy
/Signed/ Cecil Smith
Accounts General

Order thereon

Ordered that the Papers referred to

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in the foregoing letter be transmitted to the Honor=able Court of Directors a number in the Packet by the present Dispatch. -

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose in Triplicate for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors Statements of the Sums deposited in the Treasury on account of the Estates of Military Persons deceased during the Quarter ending 30th. April and 31st. July 1806 - Shewing the Sums which have been paid out again to administrators and others and speci=-fying also the Sums still remaining Un=-claimed. -

From Ditto. Forwards Statement in Triplicate of Sums deposited in the Treasury on account of Estates of Deceased military Persons for transmission to England. -

Fort St. George
Account. Gen.s Office
10th. October 1806.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ Cecil Smith
account. General

Order thereon

Ordered that the Statement of the Sums

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Sums deposited on the Treasury on account of the Estates of Military Persons deceased submitted in the above letter be forwarded to the Honorable Court of Directors a Number in the Packet by the present Dispatch.

Read the following letter from the Military Paymaster General.

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to enclose for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors a List of Persons to whom the Donation granted by the late Lord Clive has been given since the date of my List of the 27th January last.

From the Military Paymaster General. Forwards a List of Incumbents admitted on Lord Clives Fund since January last for transmission to England.

Fort St. George
4th October 1806.

I am
&c &c
(Signed) B. Roebuck
Mily Paymr General

List

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List of Persons to whom the Donation of the late Lord Clive has been granted since 27th January 1806.

Widows Names	Their Husbands	Rank
Mrs anne Durand	John James Durand	Lieutt. Colonel
" G. A Jeannerett	Samuel Jeannerett	D:.
" Ann Euphrasia English	John English	D:.
" Phillipina Frederica Isaacke	William Bassett Isacke	Captain
" Petronella Holdsworth	Thomas Holdsworth	Conductor
" Mary Hartly	Francis Hartly	D:.
" Sarah Chapman	Isaacke Chapman	Serjeant
" Mary anna Beek	Richard Beek	D:. of artillery
" Sophia Parker	Henry Parker	D:. of D:.
" Mary Tovey	John Tovey	Matross of D:.
" Mary Tooze	arthur Tooze	Private

Military Paymaster
Generals Office 4th October 1806.

/Signed/ B. Roebuck
Mily Paymr Genl

Ordered For St. George 21st October 1806

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Order thereon. Ordered that a Copy of the List referred to in the foregoing letter be transmitted a Number in the Packet by the present Dispatch.

Read the following letter from the Judge advocate General.

To Chief Secretary to Government

Sir

From the Judge advocate General. Forwards for transmission to England Courts martial on Captain Davis and on Captain Lieutenant West. -

I have the honor to send for transmission to the Honorable Court of Directors Proceedings of a General Court martial on Captain Edward Favel Davis 18th. Regiment Native Infantry and on Captain Lieutenant M. H. West 8th. Regiment Native Cavalry.

Fort St. George
1st. October 1806.

Signed / J. Leith
Judge advocate General

Order thereon. Ordered that the Proceedings of the Courts martial submitted with the foregoing letter be transmitted a Number in the Packet by the present Dispatch.

Read the following Letter from the Mathematical and Drawing Instructor to the Military

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Military Institution

To the Right Honorable

The Governor in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord

I have the honor of presenting to your Lordship two Copies of the Survey by the Senior Class of the Military Institution, the one upon a Scale of 4 inches to the mile destined by your Lordships directions to be deposited in the Quarter master Generals Office, and the other upon a scale of 2 inches to the mile, which your Lordship may be pleased to send to the Honorable Court of Directors. The accompanying Skeleton of the Survey shews the part which each Gentleman has Surveyed and drawn, the united plans from the hands of 12 Gentlemen form the first mentioned Copy, namely that upon the larger Scale.

From the Mathematical and Drawing Instructor to the Milty Institution. Forwards two Copies of the Survey of the Senior Class one to be deposited in the Quarter master Generals Office and the other for transmission to England regarding the progress of the Institution.

This topographical Survey was made by means of the accurate bases given by

the

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the previous operations of major Lambton Landon, the great treiangles determined by him were filled up with the details, which constitute a topographical, and properly speaking, a Military plan.

The instruments used in this Survey were two Common telescopic theodolites, and the rest plain-tables, such as local circumstances could furnish.

A succinct report of the course of Studies made by the Gentlemen since the beginning of the Institution will, I dare hope be here found as conformable to the wishes of your Lordship, as it is to my duty.

The first object of the Military Institution having been confined to such instructions as might enable the young Officers to Survey topographically, and to be assistants in more extensive Surveys: a selection of Theorems and problems was made for that purpose, the application of them with respect

to

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to Surveying was shewn to a great extent not without practical exercises with all the different instruments which it was possible to procure. The surveying at sight followed as a consequence from the regular geometrical method.-

Military drawing was at the same time practised of which the specimens exhi= =bited every month to your Lordship shewed the gradual progress of each Gentleman.

This branch of Mathematics, com= =prehending merely an abstract of symple = Geometry almost fulfilled the first object of the Institution. but as the application and pro= =gress of the Gentlemen had gained upon time and expectation in the first 4 months, the = instruction was extended to the doctrine of pla= =nes and Solids. the logarithmic Calculations, and plane trigonometry-

Besides this another study having a nearer connection with military Science was begun namely Field- fortification attack and

defence

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defence. The Elements of fortification in general were explained, and the principles thereof esta-
=blished upon the authority of some eminent writers upon the subject. according to these principles the different systems of construct-
=ing single works and intrenched Camps were examined with the strictest view to practica-
=bility throughout the whole the application of Mathematics to Military subjects was shewn

As to the method followed in the instruction I shall only permit myself to remark, that all possible care was taken to make it elementary, and to raise practise above mere mechanism, by theoritical investigation.

So much was done before the beginning of the mentioned Survey during the months of February, March and april of the Current year, which was to be the practical application of the Theory explained.

Your Lordship in Council having been pleased to encrease the number of the

Students

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Students by 18 Gentlemen which were to form the Junior Class of the Institution the same objects of Studies were pursued by them with some change in the order of matters I cannot omit here acknowledging the zealous applica-tion and Capacity which Lieutenant Garling, as assistant has displayed in the instruction of the Junior Class.

Mean while the Senior after having completed the mentioned survey were shewn the more extensive trigonometrical operations. The reducing and finishing of the plans of their respective surveys filled the hours usually allotted to drawing. For their future proficiency in Mathematics it was found necessary to make an elementary course of Algebra Confined in the limits of what appeared convenient to the immediate purposes in view, namely the en-larged practical Geometry. The Elements of Catoptrics and Dioptrics were made to coalesce with a treatise upon levelling and trigonometrical levelling

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levelling. an introduction into higher Geography will terminate the till now intended course of Mathematics.

To the instruction in fortification the 2nd. part comprehending attack and defence was added. in which the connection between fortification and Tactics was traced out. without any pretension to teach the art of a General.

This is an exposal of what was pursued in the space of 18 months. which is the duration of the Institution.

Preparations are made for a Second topographical expedition with both classes of the Institution. for which the orders of Government are expected.

The present plans of the whole Survey, the dispersed parts of which have met with the kind approbation of your Lordship will shew the progress of the Gentlemen in the art of surveying and drawing; their general application. so much incited and encouraged

by

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by your Lordship's attention to their proficiency may favour the presumption that they are acquiring a foundation of useful Mathema-tical and military knowledge which they may enlarge in future as far as their own Genius and honorable occasions in the Service of their Country will prompt them to pursue.

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

/Signed/ A Troyer

Mathematical & Drawing Instructor to the Military Institution. -

17th. October 1806.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter together with the Survey by the Senior Class of the military Institution be transmitted to the Honorable Court of Directors a Number in the Packet by the present Dispatch. -

Order thereon

Read the following letter from the Committee appointed for the purpose of examining the accommodation allotted to the Officers

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Officers Soldiers Invalids &c. that are to proceed to Europe by the present Fleet.

George Buchan Esqr.
&c. &c.

Sir

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter under date the 14th. Instant, and in obedience to the orders of Government therein contained, We proceeded this morning on the Inspection of the Ships specified in the Margin of your letter.

From the Committee for Examining the accommodation of officers &c. proceeding to England - approve the arrangements made by the Commanders for the reception of Troops for Europe -

In consequence of the indisposition of Captain Edmeads the next Senior Officer of the Honorable Companys Ships Captain Dale took his Place as a member of the Committee appointed - We have much satisfaction in reporting to you for the information of His Lordship in Council that we most entirely approve of the arrangements that have been made by the respective Commanders of the Honorable Companys Ships Wm. Pitt, Streatham

Jane

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Jane Duchess of Gardon and Europe in preparing accommodation for the Officers and men that are to be embarked.

In visiting the Honorable Com=pany's Extra Ship Sir Wm. Pulteney as directed in your letter we have the honor to state that we found no Officers or Soldiers of the Bengal Establishment embarked in her.

We have no further Remarks to offer on the state of this Vessel, than that from the circumstance of having no Orlop Deck she does not appear calculated for the Reception of Troops.

Fort St. George
October 17th 1806.

We have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ Tho. Reynell
D.A.2r M.r G.l Kings Trosps
" G. Taswell
Master attendant
" John Dale
Commanding H.C.S Streatham
Ordered

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Officers Soldiers Invalids &ca. that are to proceed to Europe by the present Fleet.

George Buchan Esqr.
&ca. &ca.

Sir

From the Committee for Examining the accommodation of officers &c. proceeding to England - approve the arrangements made by the Commanders for the reception of Troops for Europe -

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter under date the 4th. Instant, and in obedience to the orders of Govern=ment therein contained, We proceeded this morn=ing on the Inspection of the Ships specified in the Margin of your letter.

In consequence of the indisposition of Captain Edmeads the next Senior Officer of the Honorable Company's Ships Captain Dale took his Place, as a member of the Committee appointed - We have much satisfaction in reporting to you for the information of His=Lordship in Council that, we most entirely approve of the arrangements that have been made by the respective Commanders of the Honorable Company's Ships Wm. Pitt, Streatham

Jane

6919.

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Fort St. George
October 17th 1806.

We have the honor to be
&c &c
/Signed/ Thos. Reynell
D.A.Q.M.G. Kings Troops
" G. Taswell
Master attendant
" John Dale
Commanding H.C.S. Streatham

Ordered

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Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be transmitted a Number in the Packet by the present Dispatch.

Read the following Letter from Mr. Hurdis acting for the Military Paymaster General.

The Chief Secretary to the Government &c. &c.

Sir,

From Mr. Hurdis. acting for the Military Paymaster General. Forwards Papers regarding Security required from Lieut. Colonel Kennedy of 19th Dragoons.

The enclosed paper which I request the favor of you to lay before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council - only this moment reached me - nor was I before acquainted with any of the circumstances therein noted. -

2 I understand the claim for - which security is now demanded is the same that was referred for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council by the Military Paymaster General under date the 6th instant to which no answer has as yet been received. -

3. Adverting to the circumstance of

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of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy having embarked,
I request the favor of you to obtain from the
Right Honorable the Governor in Council those
orders which may produce the security - The
Office of audit requires -

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

/Signed/ T. B. Hurdis

for the Mily Paymr. Genl.

Fort St. George
20th October 4 P.M.
1806.

T. B Hurdis Esqr.

Sir,

I am given to understand tha
Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy embarked this d
on board the Pitt - the enclosed was commu
=cated to the Deputy Paymaster General to the
Kings Troops on Saturday - on Friday it was
received in the Office and a Copy furnished
to Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy with the usual
Security Paper for his Agents Signature - he
wrote to me that he would call at the Office
and do the needfull on Saturday, but fearing
he

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he might forget, the communication was also made to the Kings Pay Office - Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy I am informed acquainted major Campbell that he would call at this Office and give the required Security, which he has not done - major Campbell has sent off to the Ship, but for fear of accident I think it my duty to acquaint you of the circumstance that you may write to Mr. Buchan, if the Ships are expected to sail to morrow, if not Major Campbell may succeed in obtaining the Security -

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I remain - &c &c

/Signed/ G. E. Askin

To the Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George

Sir.

Previous to the departure for Europe of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy formerly - Paymaster to His Majesty's 19th. Regiment of Light Dragoons, the Military auditor General requests that you will require of that Officer Security for his paying to the Honorable Company's Pagodas Fifteen hundred

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hundred (1500) now at present standing unad=
=justed between him and Mr. Hawkins late Pay=
=master at Trichinopoly. -

Milty Audr. Genls. Office
Fort St. George 17th. October 1806. -

(Signed) I. Prendergast
Depy Milty Audr. Genl.

Resolved in consequence that
Resolution thereon the following letter be dispatched to Lieutenant
Colonel Hennedy. -

To Lieutenant Colonel Hennedy
Commanding H. M. 19th. Regiment of Dragoons

Sir.

To Lieutenant Colonel Hennedy of H. M. 19th. Dragoons Directs he will without delay comply with the orders he has received relative to depositing Security for a Claim. -

The Right Honorable the
Governor in Council having received a represen=
=tation from the Office of the Military Paymaster
General of your having failed to deposit security
for a claim to the amount of 1500 Pagodas in
which you are concerned according to a decision
which was communicated to you through the
Office of the Military Auditor General, and it
having appeared that you have transmitted
no reply to a letter which was addressed to
you

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you on that subject under the orders of the Comm.
= mander in Chief - I am directed by His Lordship
in Council to desire that you will on the receipt
of this letter comply with the orders which you have
received without delay. -

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22d. October 1806.

I am &c. &c.
/Signed/ G. Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt.

Read the following Letter from
the Officer Commanding the Southern Division
of the army.

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

Sir,

From the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the army Forwards a letter from Major Nuthall of the 6th Regt Native Cavalry regarding the necessity of erecting certain Buildings. -

I have the honor to forward for
the information of the Right Honorable the Gover.
= nor in Council Copy of a letter received from Major
Nuthall Commanding the 6th Regiment of Cavalry
From the reasons stated in
Major Nuthalls letter and from my own observa.
= tion and knowledge of the circumstances I think
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it absolutely necessary that the Buildings he pro=
=poses should be immediately erected, and as the
Rains have set in at an unusually early period,
I request his Lordship in Councils sanction to
direct Major Nuthall to Commence on the
Buildings as soon as possible, as he has engaged
to erect them upon honor, and the Probable
expence is included in the accompanying Esti=
=mate, and when they are Completed I will with
the Engineer inspect and report upon them. -

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ A. Campbell
Colonel

Head Quarters
Southern Division
of the army Trichinopoly
17th. October 1806. -

To Colonel Alexander Campbell
or Officer Commanding the
Southern Division of the Army

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you
of my having received intimation from the
adjutant of the 6th. Regiment Cavalry, that all
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the Recruits and details sent under his Command from the Corps in December last are ordered to join the Regiment having with them the Re-mount retained and Horses originally De-tached, amounting to about 150 Men and 160 Horses.

I beg leave in consequence to call your attention to the smallness of the old Buildings at Worriore that I repaired in April last to render them habitable for that part of the Regiment doing duty at this station and which I have since been under the necessity of again repairing in some degree to render as Comfortable as my means will allow for the Residence of the men during the approaching monsoon. I imagine it is needless on my part to point out what must have appeared on the Inspection of those quarters that the number of men present completely occupies the Ranges even without the detail allotted to the Gun Troop who are in a separate Building

and

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and on this account it is, I request to draw your par-
=ticular consideration to the means of obtaining some
place of shelter for the details and Recruits of the
Detachment about to join: which I respectfully deem
must appear of consequence when their arms-
accoutrements. Saddles and Horse appointments
are also considered. I deem it my peculiar Province
as Commanding the Corps to point out the de=
=ficiencies that must be experienced in respect
to Barracks and places of Arms for the Detach=
=ment about to join, and that there is not a
Single stall for the shelter of any Horse who
may be taken sick during the period of the
continuance of the approaching Rains which are
frequently very heavy at this station, and on
this account I am further induced to mention
these circumstances for the consideration of the

Officer.

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Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the
army; and at the same time if I may be permitted
to suggest my opinion of the probable expence that
may be incurred for temporary Buildings suffi-
=cient to protect both the Detachment and shelter
for about 50 Horses in case of illness - I have no hesi-
=tation to add, I am inclined to Calculate about
250 or 300 Pagodas will suffice for the whole, at the
same time I request permission to observe that
should the Lives of only three Horses be by these
means preserved to the service, this preservation
alone will amount to an equal or larger sum
than the required expenditure for the Shelter of
so many men and Horses from the inclemency
of the season -

/Signed/ Tho. Nuthall
Major Comg 6th Reg. Cav.

Warriore
15th October 1806.

True Copy

/Signed/ A. Campbell
Col.

Memorandum

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Memorandum of the

Probable Expence of erecting temporary Stables for 50 Sick Horses and temporary Barracks for two Troops of the 6th Regiment of Cavalry.

	S.Ps.	F.	C.
25 Double Stalls ten feet wide and Depth ten feet on Coconut tree supporters and Roof of Bamboo and thatch mud wall through the Centr and at each end, and Estimated at 6 S.Ps. each Double Stall is	150	"	"
One Range of Barracks for two Troops, arms accoutrements &ca &ca 100 feet long 15 feet wide 9 feet high Brick in Chunam Pillars and Brick in mud between the Pillars Malabar Roof of Coconut trees Bamboos and thatch 4 Doors and 12 Windows of Bamboo covered with Matts and arm Racks, the whole Estimated at	150	"	"
Total S. Pags.	300	"	"

As stated by Major Nuthall.

(Signed) A. Campbell Col.

Ordered that the following Reply be dispatched.

To Colonel Campbell

Commanding the Southern Division of the army

Sir

I am directed by the Right Honorable the

Com. Southern army. Towards

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authorizes construct-ing the additional Stabling agreeable to Estimate &c. recommended by him.

the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th Instant, and to acquaint you that His Lordship in Council authorizes the construction of the additional Stabling which you have recommended agreeably to the stated Estimate.

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

/Signed/ G. Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt.

Fort St. George
22nd. October 1806.

The Military General Letter of this date for transmission to the Honorable Court of Directors by the Honorable Company's Ship William Pitt is approved and Signed by the Board.

E. Barnard

" Meadows

" W. Petrie

" J. Oakes

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