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which have been now brought to Light by the Committee.

Under this impression I beg

Lordship or Council to direct particular credit to be

due to the Commissioners for the commissioned Boat which

they have recommended in the Arrangements of those matters

which their reports have occasioned

His Lordship in Council is of

opinion that there can be no doubt of the propriety of

declaring in our Dividend the whole amount of

Prize Money now about to be issued, and His Lord-

ship approves of your having called on the Prize

Agents for the information which you require for

that purpose - His Lordship thinks it at the same

time proper to request his desire that the Prize Agents

may be required to verify their accounts on Oath,

as His Lordship Considers that the accounts are

now in a sufficient state of arrangement to admit

of their adopting that mode of attestation -

His Lordship in Council is

desirous of receiving your opinion with regard to the

Rights

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Rights of the Prize Agents receive Commission on that part of the Prize Property which was assigned by the Crown to the Company according to the particular explanation conveyed on the instructions of the Supreme Government founded on a Letter from the Advocate General at Fort William—

6 His Lordships in Council desires that you will communicate to the Prize Agents such parts of this Letter as you may consider proper for their guidance—

Fort St. George
26th August 1807

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
Signed Go Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt

Read the following Letters from the Presidents of the Committee of Health at Tringa-patam—

To George Buchan Esqr
Chief Secretary to Government

From the President of the Committee of

Sir,

Fort St. George

I have the honor to transmit to you

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Relative to the further Proceedings of the Committee appointed to report on the Expediency of altering the Establishment of the Scavengers Carts and further relative to the Drains

Sir

I have to request that the Rights Honorable the Governor in Council may be informed that the Committee appointed to report on the Expediency of increasing the Establishment of the Scavengers Carts and further relative to the Drains in the Black Town & Suburbs of this Place have recommended to be made in order to keep the Streets as clean as possible and that it may take place from the 15th. Instant

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient

Servant

Signed H. Symons

Magistrate

Seringapatam

14th. August 1807

Further Proceedings of the Committee appointed by Government on the 27th April 1807

Seringapatam 13th. of August 1807

Present

Lieutenant Colonel Symons Magistrate

Captain Dyas Assistant Superintending Engineer

Lieutenant George Cotsell Acting Town Major

Read the accompanying Papers

produced

Read with the further Proceedings - submitted a minute of the Superintending Engineer stating the ascertained Expense of a Establishment an addition to the number of Scavengers Carts Carts relative to their former recommendation relative to any increase of the Rates - intimating Government Department Report on the Drains —

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Produced by the Superintending Engineer of which
the Committee [illegible] and requests that he will for-
ward them to the Military Board, to whom his
former remarks on the same subject was referred.
for their Consideration

2d.

The extents of the Works on the Fort
having of late been much increased, the Committee
after having maturely considered the Subject is of
opinion that the number of Scavengers Carts at pre-
sent employed is inadequate and begs to recommend
that the Barrack Master to whom Government
in their Instructions of the 7th April 1807 authori-
-sed the Committee to apply for the necessary means
for keeping the Fort clean, be allowed to add Six
Carts and Twelve Coolies to his Department for
that purpose until the Improvements are finished
when the Committee will determine whether any
further and what increase will be requisite

3rd

The Superintending Engineer
informs the Committee that the ten advances of

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2000 Star Pagodas each recommended to be made to him have been remitted by Government but the [illegible] necessary to finish Embankments which is formerly suggested having been Sanctioned

4 The Committee adjourns to meet [illegible] ordered by the Superintending Engineer to have been completed and now executing and finds them to be as follows

1st The Drain on Barrack Street composed of Stone and Chunam is finished and apparently well executed

2d The Drain, the Pavements and Covering of which is of Stone and Chunam, and near the new Native General Hospital is Completed about half its length, and appears well executed

3rd The Drain constructing at the East extremity of the Barrack Street to connect the Sewer in that Street with the Main Sewer is nearly

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[illegible] well done The Pave-
[illegible] Stone in Chunam and the
[illegible] Chunam

5th Resolved that the Superintending
Engineer be requested to [illegible] upon the Drain in
the Square of St. George the Pavement and Co-
-vering to be of Stone in Chunam and the Walls of
Brick and Chunam

6th Resolved that the Committee do
adjourn

A true Copy

Signed George Cadell
Acting Town Major

Minute of the Superintending Engineer

The Superintending Engineer lays
before the Committee a Statement of the Expence incur-
-red in the construction of the Drain in the Street to
the Eastward of the Custom House which [illegible]
(to right) [illegible]
meeting of the [illegible]
[illegible] It was determined
should be of Stone and Chunam, in order to secure
the

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Mr. Parr of your Cabinet Office

The Section of this Drain is in

(This figure is in the Margin & Mr. Parr mentions it) the Margin & Mr. Parr mentions it. The Length of the

Drain being 591. feet it contains 6534. Cubic ft. and the

Natural Cofferdams and Channels 306. in all 6840.

Cubic feet

Deductions from this Statement first

that including the Excavation the Cubic foot comes to 3d

6 6
and without it 2. ft 12 or 3 fanams

In my former Remarks on this

Subject I had stated the price of the Cubic foot in this

6 6
former Case to be 3. 24 fa. in the Cutlet 3. 1/2 which is some

what more than this Estimate may be partly thus accounted

for. Dredgeing for this Drain a great quantity of large

wrought Stones have been found which being converted

to this work have contributed to make it a little Cheaper

than it otherwise would have been—

The Committee may recollect

having seen used Stones when they examined this

Drain during its Excavation; and this is evident in

particular

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York St. George 7th August 1807.

Pursuant to the generality of Clauses and Numbers of Articles and Specifications Read before mentioned of for the Stone Quay Locks and Coalgarroughs Dimensions required by Council and Workmanship—

Other Hands the Contractor may employ greater preparation here, therein my former Statement which is owing to the Difficulty of digging up and moving those Large Stones—

It is however impossible that in works of this nature whatever care may be taken in their Superintendance the Contractor can always be precisely the same numbers Concerning Times which cannot be enumerated tend to vary at all Times—But any thing considered I am of opinion that this kind of Masonry executed with the Stone procured on the Average comes to £ 6 10 without the excavation at which rate it may fairly be Calculated on all Estimates—

(Signed) H. D. Hamilland

Superintg. Engineer

Estimate

Stonage Harbour

7th August 1807

Estimate of the Expense incurred in constructing the Drain in the Barrack Stables

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Measurement						Nature of Work	Rupees	Fanams	Cash
Rod	Bundles	Hundreds	Square Feet	Feet	Feet				
						From a to b agreeably to the annexed Statement of Iron Grates 1½ feet Square fixed in Stone with Lead not included above, these I am told Lead received from the Store and not allowed for			
						From b to c before executed the walls of Buckun Chunam			
33	5	.	1	65	.	Pavement Flat & Chunam & Inches thick	4	32	.
33	44	.	1	32	.	Paving with Ditto	6	8	0
33	2½	2½	.	.	2053/4	2 Walls Buck in Chunam	.	3	70
33	5	.	1	65		Buck Cement to the interior of Buck work	2	.	.
33	5	3/5	.	.	528	Excavation	.	15	.
						Total Rs 624 Fs 33 Fs 61 Cash			

Total Rupees 332 11 20

Total Rupees 375 40 24

Statement of the Expense incurred on Construction a Drain of Stone on Edmonton
Agreeably to the Section accompanying inclosure of 28 Culverts and Cesspools &c &c
Containing in all 6868 Cubic feet the Length being 574

133	Cundreeves of Chalcom	@	22/44	51	6 10
266	Ditto ... of Sand	@	5	21	28
267	Hundds of Faggots	@	1/70	10	21 24
	Sundries such as Chuzzles Charcoal			12	16
1060	Stone Cutters	@	3 60	96	27
1126	Bricklayers (from 4/2 f. to 3/2 forams)	@		101	22

27 Smiths	@	4 "	2 26 "
27 Hammer Men	@	2 20	1 10 60
90 Head Coolies	@	2 40	5 15 "
3360 Men Coolies	@	2 20	180 " "
2985 Women Do	@	1 "	71 3 "
4000 Bricks in Brick Beds for Jelly under the Pavement &c			5 8 40
Carriage of Ditto			1 14 "
		Total Rupees	530 8 4

. . Which is at the rate of 3 20/32 Each. but in the Excavation and filling in are included which is about 1/8 Cub.ft 40 run.ft or in all 41.56 Cub.ft — That at the usual rate of 15 Cash is 4 Dog. which substracted from the above total leaves Pagodas 487. 41. 4 — Reducing the Masonry to 2 .99/100 — 3 Feet

Cubic feet —

Seringapatam

11th August 1807 —

(Signed) H. D'Havelland

Superintending Engineer

Dated

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Fort St. George 8th August 1807

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir

I have to report, for the information of Government, that the Troops in this Garrison must suffer very much during the ensuing Monsoons if the Barracks and Main Guard are not speedily Tiled; also the Gunshed & Hospital Verandy - the latter of which requires an entire new Roof and the former will soon fall down unless speedily attended to - neither the Main Guard or Barracks have been habitable for some days past from the Rain beating in, in all directions through the Roof -

I have further to state, that the Glacis round the Fort (except that) is destroyed and mostly fallen into the Ditch -

From the Officer Commanding at Chillaw Station the Main Guard Barracks Gunshed and Hospital are necessary to require Repair and that the Glacis of the Bastion has fallen into the Ditch -

Chillaw

22 August 1807

(Signed) E Boardman Captain

& Brigade Major 18th N. Regt

Comdg Chillaw &c

Ordered

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Order thereon —

From the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Canara — Ns Nairs to be Combe applies for leave to proceed to Goa as a preparatory Step to his returning to Europe —

Provincial Regt Dated

Cananore

August 11th 1807

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Fort St. George 27 August 1800

To Colonel Barry Close

Commanding in the Province of

Barcelore and Canara

Sir Sir &c.

Thereby of my Wealth, the education
of my Children and the Situation of my affairs, af-
ter 24 Years absence from my Country must engage
to demand that I should proceed to Europe
Some decision of going to Sea by some Portuguese
Vessel leaving the approaching Monsoon —

As a preliminary Step it is indis-
pensably necessary that I should go to Goa
for the purpose of securing a Passage for my self &
family which is numerous, and I should wish
to proceed to that Place in September next in order
to return to Madras in October following. If you
will favour me with your permit for that Port for
one Month, without its being any obstacle to the
continuation of my Subsistance, which I do not in-

intend

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[illegible] intended to undergo the ensuing Court Martial be confined in a

Passage Vessel at Madras & not have allowed from the

Government the accustomed contingency situation

[illegible] which he actually receives Royal Pleasure

Madras

26th August 1807.

Fort St George

Signed by Hugh Scott

A True Translation

(Signed) G.G. Noble

Secy to Govt

to Government

Resolved to Comply with the

Resolution thereon Requested of Mr Hugh Scott be submitted with

the foregoing Letter

From Captain Bogle

Commanding Bogle of Artillery

Fort St George Madras Esqr

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St George

Sir,

I take the Liberty of requesting

Sir!

From Captain Bogle of Artillery soliciting an Extension of his Allowance on Account of Ill Health & proceeding to the Coast of Malabar

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York Barrack 26th August 1807

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that I have
[illegible] Knight of the Officers Commanding
[illegible] Senior Officer
[illegible] and Pondicherry on or
[illegible] Month's Pay
[illegible] Detachment
[illegible] Military Pay master
[illegible] having the same in future in
[illegible] Allowance in question being objected
to by those Governments, but having been subsequently
ordered by Head Governments by a Decision of date the
[illegible] has thought proper to allow me
the Sum of Twelve Pagodas per Month for the
above recommended period, I beg leave with Submission
to request you will be graciously
pleased to grant me, in consideration of the very
exorbitant Rate of Living and of House Rent, to the
Lieutenants, an exclusion of the Indulgence of the
above reduced Allowance of thirty three Pagodas
per Month as Senior Officer of Artillery from July
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1804 until the conclusion of that Service on which I was employed December 1805 at which time the Detachment under my Command was re-called from the Settlement of Pulauobang and placed under the Authority of the Presidency of Prince of Wales's Island

Trusting that the foregoing Statement and Request with Your favorable Representation may meet with the indulgent Consideration of His Lordship in Council

I have &c.

Malacca
15th July 1807.

Sgd Jno Sgd
Sgd J. Fitzs.
Captain Artillery

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter be referred to the Military Auditor General for consideration and report

From the Officer Commanding at Tanjore

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Fort St. George 21st. August 1807

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

I have the 12th. of July last above

From the Officer Commanding Sangoire proposes to manage the collection of the Bazar duties on the Cattle for 3 and Outcasts for consideration whether this may not appropriate the Amount of the Collections to himself

which period the Ahtelony Bazar funds ceased

The Amounts has been received On as before waiting for New Orders of Government how it should be disposed of — the Amount of the Bazars raised since on those Articles by the Regulations

Comes to pray all Expences — Sixty one Star Pagodas Monthly —

Now if it will please His Lordship in Council — I will manage the Bazars here as it was under my directions before — and remit the Amounts Regularly to my Treasury Thought proper —

On my Arrival here to Commands the Rajah of Tanjore wanted me to Receipts of the Bazars from him — as there were Orders existing that no Commanding Officer was to meddle with the Bazars but in the manner

Laid

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Sir I have the honor to inform you that I have received your letter of the 24th Instant, with the Copy of a letter from the Collector of Tanjore, and a Copy of your reply thereto, which I have communicated for the information of His Excellency the Commander in Chief — to the Adjutant General — wherein reference was made to the Collector of Tanjore, as to the Origin of the Little Fort of Tanjore — and his reply Enclosed — in Consequence the Bazar was placed under the Military guard — and the Amount remitted as ordered —

How as it was a Gift of the Rajah of Tanjore originally to me. I hope I have some Claim to the Amount of the Bazar of the Little Fort of Tanjore in future — This of Course depends on His Lordship in Council to the same I have to assure His Lordship that I should be thankful for it —

On the other hand if my Claim is not founded — so as to entitle me in some degree I of Course must submit — and only beg an Order on the Occasion —

I have the honor to be Sir Your most obedient humble Servant (Signed) G. Walker Col. Comg. Tanjore

Tanjore 16th August 1807 —

To

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To the Officer Commanding Sanjore

Sir

I have the honor to reply to the question put to me in your Letter of this day, that I have not received any orders to occupy the little Fort of Sanjore within the limits of my authority, it being exclusively a Mahratta Post and as such not connected with matters of Revenue. Whether there be ever occasion for the interposition of Magisterial authority within the little Fort, I should hold it to have been my duty to exercise that authority on their its walls —

I have the honor to be Sir &c

Signed J. Wallace

Principal Collector

Ordered that the following reply be dispatched

To the Officer Commanding at Sanjore

Sir,

Fort St. George

I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 16th Instant

&c

Sanjore is has been garrisoned by our Troops —

Vegapalam
11th August 1806

To the Collector — acquainting him that the Officer of collecting the Sanjore Duties has stated that no emolument can be allowed to him on that account —

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2 His Lordship in Council will be happy to avail himself of your offer for managing the Bazars of the Station under your Command, but His Lordship regrets that under the Established Rules of the Honorable Court of Directors it will not be practicable to allow to you any emoluments from the Public Account

Fort St. George
27th August 1807

Sam Hy Lr
(Signed) G. Strachey
Sect to Govt

The following Letter from the Garrison Storekeeper is ordered to be recorded—

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Garrison Storekeeper Recommending to favorable consideration the Merits of Vencata Runga Pillah

I have the honor to enclose an Extract of a Letter from Mr Strachey to the Military Board regarding certain Claims preferred by Vencata Runga pilly and soliciting a Gratuity as a Remuneration for his Services. I trust His Lordship in Council will not deem it presuming in my part to recommend Vencata Rungapilly to their favorable Consideration.

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I cannot dismiss this recommendation, but in already
in possession of such ample testimony of his zealous
and strenuous services during a very momentous
period, and I shall with confidence to Facts
fecundet or personal observation that his exertions
in the Department I am about to vacate, have
been uniformly prompt, faithful and unremitting.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
Signed A. Kennaway
Garrison Storekeeper

To
Lieut Colonel
Wilkinson &c

W. Petrie
Orkey

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Copied for Office use
by [illegible]

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Received and Sent the following —

Letters entered in — H. P. S. — N. 60 — 61 — 62 — 63 — 64 — 64 B. — 65 — 66 — 67 A — 67 B —

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief — With Proceedings of the Medical Board 25th August —

From Lieutenant Colonel Reynell — Requesting Authority for an advance to Officers of His Majesty's 65th Regiment on the Bombay Establishment —

From the Acting Brigade Major to the King's Troops —

From Lieutenant Colonel Nicolson — Requesting authority for a further advance to the Detachment of His Majesty's 34th Regiment doing duty as Marines on board of His Majesty's Ship Pitt —

From the Deputy Adjutant General to the King's Troops —

From Mr. Coles — Requesting that all the Work required to be printed for this Office may be sent to the Government Press as early as practicable —

From the Editor of the Government Gazette —

To the Military Auditor General —

With Copy of a Letter from Captain Rose of Artillery, for a further allowance while on command of a Detachment of that Corps serving to the Eastward also

To the Military Auditor General —

Colonel

Fort St. George 4th August 1807

21st Extract from the Proceedings in this Department and Extract of a Letter from the Military Board the 18th September also copy of a Letter from the Town Major of Fort St. George respecting admission of a Patient into the Lunatic Hospital —

To Mr. Parry — Forwards Extract of a Letter from the Military Board & this Presidency with Information that the Value of the Military Stores therein mentioned has been debited to account of the Government of Fort William —

To the Military Board — With Extract from the Proceedings in the Revenue Department —

To the Military Board — Directing authority for an advance to this Detachment of His Majesty's 84th Regiment serving on board His Majesty's Ship P. 10 —

To Ditto — Ditto — Ditto — Directing authority for an advance to Officers of His Majesty's 65th Regt —

To the Officer Commanding in Malabar

To the Military Board — Extract from the Proceedings in the Revenue Department —

To the Military Board — Directing authority for an advance to this Detachment of His Majesty's 84th Regiment serving on board His Majesty's Ship P. 10 —

To Ditto —

To the Officer Commanding in Malabar

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27 Malabar and Canara — Complying with the request submitted by them on the part of Mr. Migot La Combe —

28 Received and sent the following —

Letters entered in Mr. B. P. 68. 69. 70 —

From Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm —

From the Resident at Mysore —

Requesting leave of Absence for the Residency Surgeon —

To the Military Board. } To the Military Board — With Copy of further Proceedings of the Committee of health at Seringapatam, and of a Letter from the Commanding Officer at Chittoor relative to repairs required at that Station —

To the Military Paymaster General

To the Military Paymaster General — acknowledge Receipt of his Letter dated the 2 & 3d Instns and transmits for his Guidance Extracts of a Letter from the Military Auditor General and of the reply thereto relative to that Officer.

Sent the following Letter —

To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Military Auditor General — Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honble

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-With copy of a Letter from the Military Board, and Reply thereto: referring him to the determination regarding the payments of an allowance and Warrant to the Barrack master of Mysore, and to the charge for Grain supplied the Army in the field.

Honorable Sir Governor in Council to enclose for your information and guidance the Copy of a Letter from the Military Board with the Copy of a Reply dispatched to that Board — His Lordship in Council desires me particularly to refer you to the determination regarding the payment of an allowance of interest to the Barrack Master of Mysore, and regarding the charge for Grain supplied to the Army in the field —

2.

His Lordship in Council desires that the other Bills and advances of money recommended by the Military Board may be passed for payment —

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I am directed to enclose an Extract from the Proceedings of the Medical Board and to acquaint you that His Lordship in Council has been pleased to sanction the payment of an allowance of five Pagodas per Month to Mr. D. Barrett late Sub-Assistant Surgeon —

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Sy to Govt

Fort St George
2d August 1807 —

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At a Consultation

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Present

The Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor and President

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

Commander in Chief

Saturday the 29th August 1807

William Petrie Esqr.

and

Thos. Oakes

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved

The President records the following Minutes

Evening the last Siege of Fort

St. George Many of the Tombstones were taken from the Church yard and the Fort and made use of as Platforms for the Batteries on the Northern Face where they have since remained. A Second Chaplain has appointed to me the Inspexity of those Monuments being Referred to the Church yard for Inspection of Cleaning.

Minute of the President Recommends that some Tombstones employed during the last Siege of Madras as Platforms on the North Face may be removed to the Church yard

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appointment very proper one. I recommend that the Military Board may be directed to carry it into execution.

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(Signed) W. Bentinck

Resolution thereon

Resolved that the Military Board for carrying the President's recommendation into effect.

Minute of the President

I have the honor to propose that the following Appointments shall take place

Minute of the President
Recommends the following Appointments
Captain Colgrave to be Superintending Engineer on the Northern Division of Military Establishment to be Engineer on Malabar & Canara
Lieutenant Blagrave to be Deputy Judge Advocate with the Northern Division
Captain J. W. Blythe 6th 33 regt. Aga 3 Brigadiers Lieut. Cunningham to be Deputy Judge Advocate with the Northern Division

Captain Colgrave of Engineers to be Superintending Engineer on the Northern Division of the Army vice Lewis removed

Lieutenant Ravenshaw to be Engineer on Malabar and Canara vice Colgrave

Lieutenant Blagrave to be Engineer at Vellour Chittoor and Arcott Division

Captain J. W. Blythe of the

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13th. Regiment of Native Infantry to be Major of Brigade to the Troops in Cantonment at Bangalore —

Lieutenant C. Cunningham of the 13th. Regiment of Native Infantry to be Deputy Judge Advocate in the Southern Division of the Army vice Wyte —

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29th. August 1807

(Signed) H. Bentinck

Approved and Ordered —

The Commander in Chief records the following Minutes

Minute of the Commander in Chief —

Lieutenant R. Bryant of the 7th. Regiment of Native Cavalry has reported on the 26. Instant his return to his duty from the Cape of Good Hope where he has been for the benefit of his Health —

Captain C. Ray of the 18th. Reg.t of Native Infantry also at the Cape for Health has forwarded

Minute of the Commander in Chief records the return of Lieutenant Bryant of the 7th Regt. of Native Cavalry from the Cape of Good Hope, and the Departure of Captain Ray of the 18th Regt. of Native Infantry for Bengal, and directs that the Pay and Allowances of Lieutenant Bryant and Captain Ray may commence from the Dates of their Arrival at Madras of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry for a Fortnight after the Expiration of his Furlough

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Leave and for permission eventually to proceed to Europe at the request from Colonel Gillespie to visit the Coast for the benefit of his health — From Captain Langford of the 22d. Regiment of Native Infantry for a Furlough to Europe on urgent business and from Captain Watson of the 15th Regt. Native Infantry on sick Certificate Notice the promotion of Lieut. Colonel Lang to be desirable as it prevents the Resignation of a Corps of Engineers in that Establishment —

forwarded a Certificate which I submit to the Board stating that I continued illness prevents him from proceeding now returning to his duty —

I submit a Letter received by the same conveyance from Lieutenant J. W Morgan of the 1st. Regiment of Native Cavalry, enclosing a Certificate from two Medical Officers at the Cape and requesting a prolongation of Leave to remain there with the eventual permission to proceed to Europe should the state of his health require this measure —

I lay before the Board an application from Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie Commanding Corps soliciting leave of absence to proceed to the Sea Coast for a Month or two Weeks for the benefit of His health, on such Recommendation may be granted —

Captain Langford [illegible]

Regiment of Native Infantry [illegible]

to proceed on Furlough to Europe on Urgent

[illegible]

forwarded

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private Affairs, and as that Officer's period of Service
authorises him to ask this indulgence, and the proper
tion of Captains with his Regiments admits of his
obtaining it, I recommend that Leave be granted
Captain Wilson of the 15th Regt.
of Native Infantry solicits permission to proceed to
Europe on Sick Certificate by way of Bengal — I re-
commend a compliance with his request —

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28th August 1807

Signed J. F. Cradock
Lieut Gov.

The Service of Lieutenant Colonel
Lang as President of a Court of Enquiry being extremely
desirable at Arcot I beg to request the permission of
the Government to direct that Officer to proceed to Arcot
on that duty without delay — I shall not detain him
for more than two days from Vellore — If the Board
sanction this measure I will communicate with Lieut
Lieutenant Colonel Lang — as public order on this sub-
ject seems unnecessary, I have not thought it necessary
Officer during his absence — Signed J. F. Cradock

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Cape of Good Hope June 15th. 1807

I hereby certify that Captain Edwd. Hay of the Madras Establishment is Still Suffering from Hepatitis and that it would be unsafe for him to return to his duty on Sea Service at this time

Signed J. A. Baillie

Head of the Medl. Staff

To the Right Honble the Governor in Council

Fort St. George

My Lord

I have the Honor to enclose to your Lordship a Certificate signed by two Surgeons, and have to request your Lordship to grant me a prolongation of my leave on this Colony, with permission to leave to Europe

I have the honor to be

Yr. Yr.

Signed Jno. W. Morgan

Lieut 1st. Regiment

Native Cavalry

Cape

Cape Town

June 4th. 1807

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Cape good Hope 14th June 1807

We do hereby Certify That it is necessary for Lieutenant John Woodley Morgan of the 5th Regiment of Madras Cavalry to remain here some time longer for the recovery of his health and if it is not then reestablished he should proceed to Europe or some Cold Climate

(Signed) A Saunders
Staff Surgeon
A Bell
Hospital Mate

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Cavendish Bentinck
Governor &c &c &c

My Lord

Having been Recommended by Mr. Surgeon Paterson to proceed to the Sea Coast for the benefit of my Health I beg leave to solicit your Lordships permission for my being absent from the Command of my Station for a Period of six Months

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or Four Weeks or until such time as my Health shall be re established

Arcot

24th August 1807

I have the honor to be

Sir Sir

Signed R. R. Gillespie

Lieut. Col.

To the Right Honorable

The Governor in Council

Fort St. George

My Lord,

I have the honor to solicit your Lordships permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough for three years private affairs of a most urgent nature involving the future Interest and Welfare of my family at home requiring my presence, and having likewise served my ten years in India — I trust your Lordship will be pleased to grant my request —

I have the honor to be Sir Sir

Your most obedient humble Servant

R. E. Langford Capt.

1st Bn 22d Regt N. I.

Trimbuen

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To His Excellency Sir I. F. Craddock K.B.

Commander in Chief

&c &c &c

Fort St George

Sir

In requesting you will do me the honor to lay the enclosed application for leave to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, may I hope if it meets your approbation that you will give it your Support

I am

Madras

2d. August 1807

Sir

Your most Obt. Hble Servt

Signed Thos. Wrenn

Capt. Lt. 1st. B. 7th Regt.

To the Right Honorable

Lord W.m C. Bentinck

Governor in Council

Fort St. George

My Lord,

Having experienced a series of ill health for upwards of ten years my Constitution

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Constitution is so much impaired as to render it necessary that I should have recourse to a Voyage to Europe for my recovery (as will appear by the accompanying Certificate) I therefore beg leave to solicit your Lordship's permission to proceed thither on the Honorable Company's Ship Devaynes Commanded by Captain Adderley, to whom I am nearly related, and to obviate the inconvenience I should experience by that Ship sailing direct from Calcutta which I am given to understand is probable I have further to request your Lordship will permit me to proceed immediately to join the Regiment at that place

Madras
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I have the honor to be
&c &c
(Signed) Tho.s Wren
Capt Lieut 1st B.n 15th Regt

We the undersigned do hereby declare upon oath that We are of opinion it is absolutely necessary that Captain Wren of the 15th Regiment Native

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Native Infantry should leave this Country and
return to Europe for the Recovery of his Health

(Signed) Willm Ord

Surgeon

Sworn to at the Public
Office this 29th August
1807 — Before me —

(Signed) R. C. Sherwood

Surgeon

(Signed) R. A. Maitland

Justice of Peace

Resolved that Captain E. Kay
of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry and
Lieutenant J. M. Morgan of the 1st Regiment
of Native Cavalry be permitted to remain for a
further period at the Cape of Good Hope for the
recovery of their Health and eventually to proceed
to Europe on Sick Certificates —

Resolved that Lieutenant
Colonel Gillespie Commanding the Cavalry Can-
tonments of Arcot be permitted to proceed to the
Sea Coast on Leave of Absence for Sea Bathing for
such period as may be necessary further to establish

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of her health

Resolved that Captain Langford of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry be permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough and Captain Wren of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed thither on Sick Certificate by way of Bengal

Resolved that the Commander in Chief be authorized to require the attendance of Lieutenant Colonel Lang at Arcot, for the purpose stated by His Excellency

Minute of the Commander in Chief

I have the honor to lay before Government a Letter from Colonel Campbell of the 7th Regiment forwarding a Petition from Subidar Venkety Rajah of the 2nd Battalion of the 1st Native Infantry praying that Government may be pleased to take into Consideration his long and faithful Services and permit him to retire

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until the embarkation - claims the reward to be given to the natives who distinguished themselves as Hyderabad

retire upon the full Pay of his Rank with such other Gratuity as he may appear to merit from his own Commanding Officer, and that of his Corps than of whom Petitioner is obliged to Support — The Subadar States, that he has served in this Army a Term of 23 years — Twenty of which he has held the Situation of an Officer, and twenty that of a Non Commissioned Officer, and that he has been repeatedly wounded — In addition to these well found claims Colonel Campbell bears the strongest Testimony to his Gallantry — Heads and that when Commanding the Southern Division, he employed him upon a late important Occasion in the most confidential manner, and uniformly derived Satisfaction from his Fidelity and Exertion — I beg leave to recommend in the strongest Manner to the Board the Petition of the Subedar Venkety Rajah —

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2. I have also to submit an Application from Colonel Campbell soliciting Permission to draw his Pay and Allowances as Lieutenant Colonel of His Majesty's 7th. Regiment from the Period that his Appointment in the 69th Regiment has been cancelled until his Embarkation on the Fleet that will sail in October

As this Case is exactly similar to that represented by Lieutenant Westcott of the 7th. Light Dragoons upon the 4th. Instant, and upon which a favourable Resolution was passed, I feel it almost unnecessary when Colonel Campbell's long Service in India are taken into Consideration, to express my hope that he will meet with similar Indulgence

3. In obedience to the Desire of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council signified in the Resolutions of Government of the 18th Instant, I have the honor to state what in my Opinion would be an appropriate Reward, to the Individual

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Individual Native Commissioned and Non Commis-
-sioned Officers belonging to the Hydrabad Subsidiary
Force, who, as represented in my Minute of the 18th
Instant have evinced a Solid attachment and Zeal
for the Interests of the British Government—

To the Subidars Sasdik Beg
and Lutchman Sing
2nd Battalion of 11th Native Infantry

I would recommend that Allowance for a Palanquin
be granted to each during Life, and that upon the
Death of either, one Half his Pay be allotted for
the Pension of his Family.

To the Subidar Bachoo Sol
2d Battalion of 15th Native Infantry—

I should recommend Horse Allowance with the
Reversion of Half Pay as above to his Family

I should also recommend that
the Havildar Shaik Hussain—
1st Company 1st Battn 15th N. Infy
and Havildar Shaik Ismail 3d Company

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2nd Battalion 11th Native Infantry

to be promoted immediately to the Rank of Jemidar

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Signed J. F. Craddock

Lieut Col.

To His Excellency Sir J. Craddock K.C.B.

Commander in Chief

&c &c &c

Sir,

I have the honor to forward to your Excellency a petition from Subidar Venkety Rajah of the 2nd Battalion 16th Regiment. I have particular satisfaction in bringing to your Excellency's notice so highly respectable Gallant and deserving an Old Officer in the hope that your Excellency will reward His long and faithful Services. I feel myself bound on honor and duty to bear testimony to this Veterans merits, as I employed him in a most confidential manner upon an important Occasion when he acquitted himself entirely to my satisfaction and for which it has not been in my power to afford

him

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form any adequate remuneration —

I therefore rely on your Excellencys favorable representation of Subidar Venkety Rayahs case to Government in the persuation that he is strongly entitled to its Liberal consideration —

I have the honor to be

Sir &c &c

(Signed) A. Campbell Col.

& Lieut. Col. 74th Regt.

To Colonel Alexander Campbell

Late Commanding Officer of the Southern Division of the Army

The Humble Petition of

Subidar Venkety Rayah

of the 2d Battalion 16th Regt

Native Infantry —

Sheweth.

That as Lieutenant Colonel Dyce his late Commanding Officer departed for Europe before Your Petitioner could reach the Presidency

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Presidency he has no other friend but you to lay
his case before His Excellency the Commander in
Chief and the Right Honorable the Governor in
Council. he therefore hopes you will excuse the
Liberty he takes as you know his character, and can
support his claims as he was Confidentially employ
-ed by you on a late important occasion where he
hopes he gave entire Satisfaction —

Your Petitioner begs leave to
State that he has served the Honorable Company
13 years 20 Years of which he has been a Com-
-missioned Officer and 20 years a Non Commissi
-oned Officer. that in the Course of this Long Service
he has received one wound in his face one in his
Body and two in his Limbs that he has had three
Brothers Commissioned Officers killed fighting
for the Honorable Company who have all left large
families solely dependant on your Petitioner there-
fore Prays that your Honor will be pleased to
recommend that he may be allowed to retire as

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a Pensioner on his full Pay being worn down with
age and wounds and unfit for Service, and that
your honor will be also pleased to recommend your
Petitioner for such further reward as you may think
his long and faithful Services and the Service on
which you particularly employed him may merit —

Madras
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Your Petitioner will ever Pray &c.
(Signed) Venkety Rajah
Subidar —

To the Military Secretary to His Excellency
the Commander in Chief

Sir

It appearing by the orders lately
received from His Royal Highness the Comman
der in Chief that my appointment by the Right
Honorable the Commander in Chief in India to
the 69th. Regiment has not been confirmed by His
Majesty and that in consequence thereof I ceased to
my situation as Lieutenant Colonel of the 74th
Regiment —

And as the 74th Regiment has
been

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I am removed from the establishment Sawanake

to draw my allowances without the special authority

of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council

I humbly solicit His Excellency the Commander in

Chief may be pleased to obtain for me the indulgence

of being permitted to draw my pay and Allowances

from the period of my removal from the 6th

Regiment until an opportunity occurs for my pro-

ceeding to join my Regiment

I have the honor to be

Sir Sir

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(Signed) A Campbell Colo

& Lieut Col H.M. 74th

Highland Regt

Resolved that Subidar Venkatyer

Rajah of the 2d Battalion of the 16th Regiment of

Native Infantry be permitted to retire on the Full Pay

of the Rank, and that a Gratuity of Three Hundred

Pagodas be of the same time presented to that Officer

Resolved that the application of

Colonel

Resolutions thereon
Subidar Venkatyer
Rajah procured on
Full Pay and presents
and with a Gratuity
of 300 Pags to him
other pensions com-
mensurate to his
Commissioned Offi-
mentioned in the
above minute to be
recorded as proposed
by the Commander in
Chief

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Colonel Campbell of His Majesty's 5th Regiment

for permission to continue to draw the Sudan allow-

ance of that Supernumerary Rank be referred to the

Military Auditor General for consideration and re-

port

The Board concede to the recom-

mendation of the Commander in Chief respecting the

nature and amount of the Rewards proposed to be

granted to the Native Commissioned and Non Com-

missioned Officers mentioned in the foregoing Minute

Ordered accordingly that an Extract from the Minute

be furnished for the information and guidance of the

Military Auditor General and the Commander in Chief

in the promotion of the Non Commissioned Officers

Shaik Hayder and Shaik Ismael

Minute of the Commander

in Chief

Have the Honor to submit to

Government a Letter from Major Cleaves of His

Majesty's

Minute of the Com-
mander in Chief
dated the
[illegible]
[illegible]

Fort St. George 29th. August 1807.

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that the Commander in Chief has been pleased to appoint Major Colin Campbell of the 69th. Regiment to be Deputy Adjutant General to the Forces on this Establishment, in the room of Lieutenant Colonel Agnew, who has proceeded to Europe on Furlough.

I am Sir
Your most obedient
Humble Servant
(Signed) Geo. Harris
Secy. to Govt.

To
Lieut. Colonel Close
Military Secretary
&c. &c. &c.

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(Signed) Geo. Harris
Secy. to Govt.

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&c. &c. &c.

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Humble Servant
(Signed) Geo. Harris
Secy. to Govt.

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&c. &c. &c.

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I am Sir
Your most obedient
Humble Servant
(Signed) Geo. Harris
Secy. to Govt.

To
Lieut. Colonel Agnew
&c. &c. &c.

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beyond any Doubt—

I beg leave to state that when the late Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie was removed from the Command of a Brigade of which two own Corps made a Part to take Command of the Subsidiary Force, to which the Brigade was ordered by Government, that the Officer next in Seniority on the Regiment should draw the Superior Batta—

Under all Considerations, Major Clarges appears entitled to the Batta which he solicits and accordingly recommend that the Retrenchment existing against him on this account may be removed—

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

Lieutenant Colonel Bignell
Military Secretary

Sir,

I am directed by Lieutenant General Sir John Cradock to request you will obligeme by laying before

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Before the Commander in Chief the enclosed
Copy of a Letter from Colonel Campbell, relative to
a Retrenchment made against me by the Military
Auditor General for the difference of Half Batta
between the Rank of Major, and that of Lieutenant
Colonel during the Period I had charge of the 69th
Regiment as Fractional Duty - and shall
as a favor if His Excellency will be pleased to Sub-
mit it to the Consideration of the Governor and
Council - I beg further to State that the Monthly
Returns for that Period were always Signed and
forwarded by me to the Heads of Departments -

Poonamallee
1st. August 1807 -

I have the honor to be
Sir Your
(Signed) C. Clarges
Major 69th Regt.

To Major Clarges
&c. &c. Majesty's 69th Regiment
&c. &c.

Sir

I am favored with your Letter of
Yesterday's

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Yesterdays date informing me that you are Retrenched
the Offices of Major and Lieutenant Colonel
half Batta for the months of September October & No-
vember and December 1806. as Soon Considered to be
the Senior Officer present with the Corps —

This Retrenchment will no doubt
be removed when you state through the regular Channel
to the Office of Audit that I never took upon me the im-
mediate Command of the 69th Regiment and always
held you responsible for the discipline of that Corps —
Although the 69th Regiment is
on the 1st Division under my Command it was impos-
sible for me to personally attend to the interior discipline
of the Regiment. Neither were the
Regiment within three miles of the Fort when Circum
stances rendered it uninterpretible for me to reside
although the Corps furnished guards in the Fort —
By the regulations of the 1st. March
1806. Section II under the head "Batta" I deem you
entitled to that of Lieutenant Colonel as I must be
considered

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Considered on an Attached duty besides the General Command of a Division as well as eventually of Fortifications

Besides I must in this as well as in other respects be Considered in the Situation of a General Officer exempted from immediate Regimental Command - Tho' from the want of a General officer I am appointed to discharge the duties of a General on the Staff and accordingly receive the Emoluments of a Brigadier General and have been on Duty as Lieutenant Colonel whereby Course entitles me to the Difference between Major and Lieutenant Colonels daily Batta -

If however this Medical General cannot submit with this explanation you should request him to submit the Case for the decision of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council -

Confidentially

26th May 1807.

I have the honor to be

Sir &c

Signed A Campbell

Lt Col. A. D. Army

Headed

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Resolved that Major Charges be

permitted to draw the Difference between the Staff

Allowance of Major and Lieutenant Colonel for the

period during which He exercised the Command

of that Corps at Seringapatam

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

Minute of Commander in Chief

Shall have the Honor to lay before Government the Proceedings of the Medical Board of 24th Instant

Minute of the Commander in Chief—Instructs Medical Proceedings—

just Instance extract of a Letter they have received from Assistant Surgeon Longdill 1st. Native Cavalry, relative to the Allowance for Tolls not being included in the Code of Regulations which took Effect from the 1st. of this Year—Mr. Longdill and also Mr. Superintending Surgeon Kennedy

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Resolved having reference to the Orders of the Medical Board, that Surgeon Kennedy be permitted to proceed to Europe on the Ship Cowper, and that the Allowances formerly granted for Voices be restored, and that the Retrenchments existing against Surgeons and Assistant Surgeons of Cavalry, on this Account, be removed.

The Medical Board recommend that Sub Assistant Surgeon Macfarlane, who has specified to be invalided, should be permitted to proceed on account of his good Character and long Service to retire on the Half Pay.

An Abstract is forwarded by the Superintending Surgeon of the Presidency specified, of the Number of Patients admitted, discharged, and dead since the last Establishment.

The Medical Board also recommend that from Assistant Surgeon Fitzgerald succeeding Duncan to assign the Salaries to

Salds

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holder as Medical Store Keeper — Applications to
succeed Mr Fitzgerald have been transmitted by
Messrs Golden Medley and Norsman — the former
has been recommended by the Medical Boards as
the Person best qualified to fill the Office of Medical
Store Keeper —

A Minute from Doctor Gahan
was objecting to this Selection and proposing the
Candidate Mr Surgeon Norsman is annexed to
the Proceedings of the Medical Board —

Signed J. F. Cradock
Lieut Genl

The Board proceed to pass
orders on the following Proceedings of the Medical
Board —

Resolutions of the Governor in Council 29th August 1807

Proceedings of the Medical Board with Resolutions thereon — Governor noticed in the Public Medical Regulations respecting the Examination of Petitions in Case of Candidates for Assistant Surgeons &c &c and Directed on that Subject —

Medical Board
29th August 1807

Read a Letter from
the Superintending Surgeon
of the Hyderabad Subsidiary
Force, forwarding a repre-
sentation

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Representation from Mr. Co
When the Medical Assistant Surgeon Longhill
Board shall have explained of the 1st Regiments of Na-
tive Cavalry relative to dis-
allowance Marked in Mess. pra- -centaining the Pay of Native
-ing Officers are intended to for Cavalry Corps
be confined to Medical Do Staff officers that
Officers attached to Corps of the allowance has been re-
Cavalry, instructions will be issued in consequence of
regard to the Military its not being included in
Auditor General for Asia the new Code of Regulations
being the inconvenience since the first of the present
which has occurred. Year, and as the expediting
ment has been made up-
pursuant by the Statement
of Mr. Assistant Surgeon
Longhill, as under by the
of Mr. Superintendent Surgeon
Surgeon Kennedy, the
Medical

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Medical Board would
recommend that the
Allowance formerly granted
may be considered as not
having been discontinued,
and that such Retrench-
ments as may be on the
Auditor Generals' Office,
against the Surgeons or
Assistants Surgeons of
Native Cavalry, on this
account, be accordingly
taken off

The Medical Board

Resolved that Sub. Assts having Received from Sub-
tant Surgeon Nicholas Mac Assistant Surgeon Mackz
of Jamaica his Invalided on his Musfortune an Ap-
his Full Pay plication to be invalided;

By order of the Right Worshipful the Governor
Hon'ble the Governor in Council Nations of the Supreme
Signed G Strachey
Sec.y to Govt

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Superintending Surgeon of
the Ceded Districts and the
Garrison Surgeon of Bellary
the Medical Board recom-
mend that he may be plac-
ed on the Invalid List on
his next Pay: Mr Macfarlane
being an old man of respec-
table character, who has
conducted himself with great
propriety as a Sub. Assistant
Surgeon on the Honorable Com-
pany's Service since 1789 and
is now unfit and unable
for further duty —

(Signed) Jas. Anderson
Physician Genl

(Signed) Terence Cahagan
M.D.
& Second Member M. B

Signed Arnd. Berry
Sec. Mem. M. B.

Medical

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Proceedings of the Medical Board. Sets forth report on the State of the Lunatic Hospital. Mr. Mr Fitzgerald resigns the situation of Medical Store-Keeper at the Presidency Fort St. John Goldie recommended, and appointed to succeed him. Minute of the Dr. Member of the Medical Board dissenting from their Proceedings in both cases.

Resolutions of the Governor in Council 29th August 1807

Medical Board 24th August 1807

The Medical Board have the honor to forward a letter from the Superintending Surgeon of the Lunatic Hospital, and an Abstract of the Numbers admitted, Discharged Dead, since the first Establishment

The Governor in Council has perused with satisfaction the very favora ble opinion expressed by the Board of Medical Health regarding the State and Management of the Lunatic Hospital, and the advantages which have resulted therefrom to the Public from that long Dungeon of Horrors a charitable Institution

The Board of Health

Dr. Member of the Board

Superintendent

arrangements, cleanliness and comfort of those unhappy

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[illegible] Sir, the Board have pleasure in forwarding their accounts of the benefits that continued on the plan by the Institution

The Medical Board have the honor of transmitting to Government a Letter from Mr. Fitzgerald requesting permission to resign the Situation of Medical Storekeeper —

Resolved that Mr. Fitzgerald be informed that in forwarding this application to resign the situation Government, the Board of Medical Superintendence recommend that in consideration of his Services and that ill health he should have leave to proceed to England

Mr. Fitzgerald being informed that in forwarding his application to resign the situation of Medical Storekeeper, the Board of Medical Superintendence recommend that in consideration of his Services and that ill health he should have leave to proceed to England

Mr. Fitzgerald being informed that it was necessary for Mr. Fitzgerald to resign on account of his recommended Effect the Duties of such

situation

&c.

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recommendations of this Board he has performed much

dical Board — to their Satisfaction —

By order of the Right The Medical Board

Honble the Governor in Council have received two applica-

Signed G. Heathcy tions for their appointment

Asst to Govt — one from Mr John Goldie

addressed to Hum. Mwatter

from Mr William Horse

man with an address to

the Right Honorable the

Governor in Council —

The Medical Board

have the honor of forwarding

their Secretary's address to

the Right Honorable the

Governor and of recommend-

ing to Government Mr

John Goldie as Medical

Storekeeper. Mr Goldie

having acted for several Mo

mths

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Honble sir Thos Officers
comg. 10th Fitzgeralds
Observe to Mysore, being
Eight on the List of Surgeons
and well qualified for the
Situation —

The Medical Board
have also the honor to forward
for the information of Govern
ment an application from
Mr. Kirkby Surgeon for the
appointment of Medical
Storekeeper —

The second Member
begs leave to Dissent from
the Medical Board's re-
commendation in favor of
Mr. Gillies conceiving that
Mr. Surgeon Horsman
has the fairest claim to
that

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Succeed. Mr. Surgeon Fitz-
Gerald as Medl. Storekeeper and having some
Remarks to submit on Mr.
above recommendation of
Mr. Surgeon Goldie I beg
leave to offer his sentiments
in a
Seperate Minute for the
consideration of the Gover-
nor in Council. He also
subjoins a few lines on the
subject of Mr. Dalton's
Letter to the Medical Board
dignd Jas. Anderson
Physician General

Agreed Jeremiah Cahagan
M.D.
8th Member M.B.

Agreed Jno. Berry
3d Member

Medical Board

Minute

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York St George 24th August 1807

Minute of the Second Meeting

24th August 1807

1 Doctor Gahagan enquiring his

Present to the foregoing proceedings requests he may

be permitted in the first place to state, that the Letter

from Mr Surgeon Tilly Gould, purporting his re-

signation of the Office of Medical Storekeeper and

the Letter from Mr Surgeon Goldie, making appli-

cation for that appointment are both dated the 21st

Instant, that they appear to have been forwarded

that day at the same time and with one consent to

the Members of Doctors Harrison and Berry

instead of being transmitted thro the usual mode

to the Public Office of the Medical Board — and that

the Second Member did not receive those Letters, un-

til the forenoon of the 23rd Instant — when they were

accompanied with a note under an Official address,

from the Physician General to the Secretary of that

Board. Dated the 21st Instant and received by

the Secretary until the 23rd Instant a Copy of

which

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which note Doctor Gahagan takes the Liberty of sub-
joining — "My Dear Sir — Doctor Berry having
"already seen the enclosed Letter from the Medical
"Storekeeper, and Mr. Goldie; you need only to shew
"them to the Second Member, and arrange Proceedings
"for transmitting them to Government ere Monday" —

Yours

Signed Sam. Anderson

2d. Should Peculiar Letters have been
thus forwarded, by any Junior Servant to Strangers
at the Presidency, the Circumstance should not
perhaps have attracted much notice, But when such
a Deviation from the usual Channel of Communi-
cation with the Board, appears to have been
Concerted, and in a case like the present
put in practice by two Medical Officers of the
Standing and experience of Mess.rs Surgeon Pelly
Gerrard and Goldie who have each of them been
in the daily habit of forwarding Official documents
to the Office of the Medical Board, which to guide
an Inferior

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contiguous to that now occupied by Mr Fitz Gerald in the Fort & must be considered some what Remarkable

3 The Second Number has Enclosed particulars on taking notice of this evening arrangements for the Medical Stores between Messrs Fitz-Gerald and Goldie one having lately taken place between Messrs Surgeon Goldie and Dalton relative to the Medical charge of the Lunatic Hospital previously to their making application to Government and from which Doctor Gahagan deemed his duty to withdraw his Sanction for the reasons stated in his Minute dated the 19th of June last

4 The Letter from Mr Surgeon Goldie dated the 5th of June last on which his agreement with Mr Surgeon Dalton appears, founded not having been previously forwarded to Government by the Second Member he now takes the liberty of Enclosing a Copy of it & Does Sir Conveyance of the anxiety you express to hold for

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"Medical appointment which would enable you to
"reside at the Presidency and the communication
"you have had with me on the Subject of the Lunatic
"Hospital, I have to request you that of the Medical
"Board will be directed to command you to be there
"Superintendant. I am also directed to request you to
"think further to obtain from you the Name of Some
"Lady to Assign the Situations, and to enquire you to Make
"every Acquiescence from Those Used to the Board public
"by if you Choose"

Madras
8th June 1807

Yours faithfully
(Signed) Jno. Gordon

To. H. Addison

The consequences of Amputating
for ep[i]phoridiem's under Government and thereby entro
ducing a System on which the accommodation of the
Lunatics would be chiefly considered in preference to a
due Regard to legitimate objects, and to the Welfare of the
public Service, are not deemed to be foreseen and
therefore cannot be sufficiently guarded against

Yrs

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6. When Doctor Gahagan took the Field with the Army under the Command of the late General Sir Hector Munro in the year 1780 Mr. Surgeon Horsman was placed in charge of the whole Sick of the Army in the Great Pagoda at Conjeveram after the Retreat from that Post to Chingleput & In a few months after he marched with the Army under the Command of the Late Sir Eyre Coote — shared in all the difficulties experienced, in that defensive and calamitous War — and was subsequently actively employed in all the Field Services under General Sir William Medows, and the Late Marquis Cornwallis —

7. Mr. Surgeon Horsman has now been Twenty Six Years Secretary to the Medical Board and having conducted the various details of that Office with ability attention, and the approbation of his Superiors, he is in the opinion of the Second & Member peculiarly well qualified for the Situation now vacated by the resignation of Mr. Surgeon Fitzgerald —

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B Doctor Galloway would there-
fore, in his capacity of Second Member of the Medi-
cal Board, so well as in that of Superintendant of
Her Medical Stores, earnestly recommend to the
Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that
the appointment of Medical Storekeeper be now
conferred on Mr. Surgeon Norman from whose
knowledge, experience and care, the Second Member
feels assured, the Public Service in the Medical
Store Department would be much benefited.

B The Second Member thought it necessary
fully concurring with the Medical Board regard-
ing the utility of the Vaccine Hospital on General
cannot help remarking that Mr. Surgeon Dalton's
present Panegyric and testimonial view, might
as well have been spared, and he could with
more entire confidence have referred to the merits of the
Institution, from his own experience. The Medi-
cal Board, Government and the Honorable

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The Court of Directors are already in possession of all Returns shewing the Comparative advantages which have been derived from it, and as there appears to the Second Member a mistake in Mr. Dallas' Statement of the Number of Persons cured, a Letter that There is not a sufficient distinction made between those discharged, and those Restored to society as useful Members, he will be more explicit to Government on this and some other points at a future period in which in the course of his Superintendence Laws, which will commence on the first of next Month, the Surgeons Hospital will come more immediately under his notice. For the remainder the Second Member begs leave to add that he has frequently witnessed the care and humanity of those gentlemen who Several by preceded Mr. Surgeon Dallas in the charge of the Hospital for Lunatics

(Signed) Terence Gahagan M.D.
F.R.S. Member Medical
Board

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To Doctor James Anderson

Physician General and President and

Members of the Medical Board

Gentlemen.

I have the honor to forward to you the Monthly Returns of the Patients in the Lenatic Hospital to which I have taken the Liberty to annex an Abstract, corresponding with the Registers of the Number, who have been admitted and Discharged as well as who have died, from the first Institution of this Charity to the present time.—

As I wish your Board to see at a glance, without the trouble of referring to the Returns already given into you, how matters stand with us on this head, as well as how things are situated at this instant—

I shall hope you will do me the favor to lay the whole with your Sentiments thereon before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council—

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. It will cannot fail being highly Satisfactory to be authentically proved that out of 141 Patients admitted under the dreadful infliction of Insanity, 63 have been restored to society —

Which is I have every Reason to believe, a greater proportion than any other Hospital of the kind can boast of having recovered in any part of the World during such a period —

Respecting the management of the Patients the instruct[illegible] Member of your Board will I trust Report to your perfect Satisfaction — consequently it will be unbecoming in me to say any thing on the subject, except to assure you that no attention on my part shall be wanting to merit your approbation, as well as to deserve the good opinion you have always been pleased to favor me with —

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) J. Dalton

A true Copy — Deputy of the Lunatic Hospl

(Signed) W. Horsman

Secy pro tem

Fort St. George
24th August 1807 —

Return of Patients in the Hospital for Lunatics. Received. Discharged. Deceased and Remains from the 5th October 1806 to the 1st August 1807—

European Male				European Female			Native Male			Native Female			Portuguese Male			Portuguese Female			Male of the Armenian nation			Female of the Armenian Native			
Admitted	Discharged	Dead	Remains	Admitted	Discharged	Dead	Remains	Admitted	Discharged	Dead	Remains	Admitted	Discharged	Dead	Remains	Admitted	Discharged	Dead	Remains	Admitted	Discharged	Dead	Remains	Remains 1st August 1807
106	45	42	16	5	4	"	1	20	8	6	6	1	1	"	"	6	5	"	1	"	"	"	"	2	"	"	2	1	"	"	1	27

	Admitted	Discharged	Dead	Remains
European Men	106	45	42	16
Ditto Women	5	4	"	1
Portuguese Men	6	5	"	1
Natives of St. Helena (Women)	1	"	"	1
Native Men	20	8	6	6
Ditto Women	1	1	"	"
Men of the Armenian Nation	2	"	"	2
Grand Total	141	63	48	27

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August 1st 1807—

A true Copy
(Signed) Mr. Horsmeen
Secy M. C.

(Signed) Jr. Dallon
Superint. of the Lunatic Hospital

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To James Anderson Esqr.

Physician General and President &c

Members of the Medical Board

Gentlemen,

Having for a considerable time past labourned under the pressure of extreme ill health which will make it necessary for me to proceed to Europe by the first opportunity - and finding that each succeeding day only contributes to an encreased degree of Debility - I am under the painful necessity of hereby resigning my situation as Medical Storekeeper, and of requesting that it may be forwarded to Government as soon as possible in order to enable me to close the Accounts and deliver over the Charge of the Department -

I have the honor to be

Fort St. George
at
21st. August 1807

Your Obt
Signed Mr Fitzgerald

True Copy
Medical Storekeepr

(Signed) W.T. Horsman
Asst Mt Bd

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To the President and Members of the

Medical Board

Gentlemen,

Adt. Mr. FitzGerald in conse-

quence of the very bad State of his health being I

understand under the necessity of resigning his

situation as Medical Storekeeper, I take the liberty

to request that the Board will be pleased to re-

commend me to Government as a proper person

to succeed to that appointment, and trust that

having already acted in that capacity for a consi-

derable period and performed its duties to your

satisfaction to entitle with my standing in the Service

will be considered as fair claims to that Recom-

-mendation I presume to solicit

I have the honor to be

Sir Your

Most Obedt. Servt.

Signed J. Goldie

Surgeon

Madras

21st. August 1807

True Copy

Signed W.C. Horsman

Secy. M.B.

To

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To the Right Honorable

Lord William C. Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord,

Mr. Surgeon Fitzgerald

having given in to the Medical Board his

resignation of the Office of Medical Storekeeper

with a request that it may be forwarded to

Government I take the liberty of begging from

your Lordship in Council the favor of my being

nominated to that appointment.

Although my name may pos-

sibly not stand altogether so high on the List of

Surgeons as some other Candidates, yet, I can

with truth say that I have as a Medical

Officer been in the Pay and virtually in the

Service of the Honorable Company, for nearly

28 years. That a great part of the best of my

life has been devoted to active Professional

duties

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duties, and on the most trying occasions with-
their Armies in the Field since the year 1780
and that my Constitution has necessarily been
proportionally impaired —

I would also beg leave to state
to your Lordship in Council that previously
to the appointment of Mr. Fitz Gerald, the
charge of the Medical Stores, had, as intended in
the cases of Doctor Berry and Mr. Boswell
been actually given in Exception to the Secretary
of the Medical Board. That situation I have
now held, and I trust to the Satisfaction of my
Superiors for nearly six years — I would there-
fore anxiously hope that I may be considered
by your Lordship in Council, in every way
qualified to succeed to the appointment which
I now submissively solicit —

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) Wm. Hosman

Surgeon

To

Madras
22 August 1807 —

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To the Secretary

of the Medical Board.

Sir.

Being informed that the situation of Medical Storekeeper is about to be vacated by the resignation of Doctor Fitzgerald induced by the hope, that the nature and extent of my Services, (with which the Board is not unacquainted) may warrant the application I respectfully beg leave to solicit their favorable consideration, in Recommending me for the succession —

St. Thome
August 24th. 1807 —

(Signed) John Meddy

True Copy.

(Signed) Wm. Horsman
Secretary. Med. Board

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Medical Board

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Proceedings of the Medical Board submitting an application from Mr. Surgeon Arnold for the situation of Medical Storekeeper

The Medical Board

have forwarding their Proceedings of yesterday recommending Mr. Goldie as Medical Storekeeper having received an application for that Office from Mr. Whitelaw Assistant to the Senior Surgeons they have now the honor of transmitting it for the consideration of Government

(Signed) Jas. Anderson
Physician General

(Signed) Jerome Cahagan
M.D. & Second Member Me. Board

(Signed) Andrew Berry
3d Member Me. Board

Recorded

By order of the Right Honble. the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Brackley
Sec.y to Govt.

To

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To James Anderson Esq.r P.S.

and Members of the

Medical Board

Gentlemen,

I have just been informed that Dr. FitzGerald intends proceeding to England by the first Fleet that leaves this Country; a circumstance which must necessarily render vacant the situation of Medical Storekeeper and Snow take the liberty of addressing you, to request that you will do me the honor of recommending me for that situation — my Claims to this succession I am induced to hope are not slender and were as follows — a Residence of upwards of Nineteen Years in India, during which period I have done duty with all descriptions of Men Natives as well as Europeans — in the Field and in Cantonments, in the most unhealthy Districts of the Circars and on the plains of the Carnatic — When the Grand Army took the Field in 1803. I was deemed a

proper

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proper person to take Charge of the General Field Hospital established at Kurrychur, and of the satis=
=faction I gave on that occasion I have on my profes=
=sion the most flattering Testimonials from Doctor Alexander Anderson the Superintending Surgeon of the Army; I was appointed to take Medical Charge of the 2nd Battalion of Artillery at St. Thomas's Mount in January 1802. which situation I have ever held, and when it is considered, that this duty must in its Nature Involve the Speedy loss of every young Assistant that Comes out for the Coast Establishment during the first six Months he is on the Country it is to be presumed that the change is not a little Arduous ——— For the success that has attended my Exertions and for the approbation I may have obtained in the Execution of this Duty there are the existing Evidences of the Records of your Board and that of my Superiors at the Station to which I belong, Military as well as Medical ——

Such

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Such then and such only Gentlemen are the Claims I can allege on the present occasion and by which I hope it will appear, that at least in a professional point of view my Labours have not been less than any of those who ask the appointment in question, and of to such recommendations in my favor. As also to be entitled the extra step of Seniority. I confidently trust that the application I now make will meet with your approbation and that

I have the honor to be

St. Thomas's Mount

25th. August 1807

Sir Sir

(Signed) Whot. Anstie

Surg.n 2. Batt.n A.A

Mr. Oakes records the following

Minute

Among the Candidates for the Medical Storekeepership, Mr. Forsman appears to have the best Claims for though junior to them on the List of Surgeons, he was in the Company's pay

Minute of Mr. Oakes stating his reasons for recommending Mr. Forsman in the room of them with the intimation to them of his claim to the situation of medical storekeeper in respect to Mr. Forsman

and

and Served with their Armies in the field many Years,
before any of his present Competitors, accumulation in India,
— for the 4 last Years Mr. Horsman has been Secre=
tary to the Medical Board from which Situation
Several of his Predecessors in Office have been promo=
ted to the Storekeepership — Mr. Horsman's Character
professionally and as a Member of Society is highly
respectable — if the Consideration I have thought due
to the great length of Mr. Horsman's Services in
India be not fully admitted, and that his Lord=
=ship in Council is disposed to favor Seniority simply
as a Surgeon of the Company, Mr. Ainslie would
seem entitled to succeed to the Office he solicits on the
grounds of active Service and Character — he is by
Several Years Senior to Mr. Goldie who has been
recommended by a Majority of the Medical Board.
It is however to be observed, that at the Date of their
proceedings Mr. Ainslie being ignorant of Vacancy
had not made his application —

not being aware of any one

Circumstance

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Circumstances which give to Mr. Goldie a prefer-
ence over the Claims of Mr. Ainslie I have thought
it an Act of Justice to my self

29th August 1807 (Signed) F. Oakes

Read the following Letters from
the Military Board

To the Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord,

We have the honor to forward
and to recommend payment of the following Bills
as also the following Advances of Money Viz.t

From the Military Board Recommend payment of Bills and advances of money

No.1 Bill of the Garrison Storekeeper
of Trichinopoly for the purchase of 120 Garce of
Paddy for the Store at Tanjore Amounting to
Pagodas 6360

No.2 Bill of the Garrison Storekeeper
of Trichinopoly for extra charges incurred on ac-
Storing

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storing the above Paddy — Amounting to Pago-
das 42. 4. 60

No 3. Bill of the Officer Commanding
ing at Ganjam for repairing the roof of the Gun-
Shed at that Station — Amounting to Rupees
119. 10

No 4. Bill of the Superintending
Engineer at Seringapatam for white washing the
Lall Mahal Barracks under authority of the Offi-
-cer Commanding in Mysore, and for other small
repairs executed under the Orders of the Military
Board — Amounting to Pagodas 152 — 2 — 46 — a-
Balance is due to the Engineer of Pagodas 145. 26. 46 —

No 5. Bill of the Superintending
Engineer at Seringapatam for repairs and improve-
ments executed at the European Hospital sugges-
ted by the Superintending Surgeon in Mysore —
Amounting to Pagodas 171 — 40 — 47

No 6. 2 Bills for Establishments
employed with the Pioneers in clearing the Fort of
Seringapatam

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Seringapatam in the Month of June last - Amounting to Pagodas 533 - 18 -

No 1 ... 2 Bills for Establishment employed during the Month of July with the Pioneers in cleaveing the Fort of Seringapatam Amounting to Pagodas 330 - 66 -

No 2 ... Bill of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency for rebuilding the ruined re-entering angles and traverses of the Counter-scarp of the ditch between the St. George's Bowdier Gate and Counterscarp opposite Coote's Counter-guard agreeably to the Estimate passed by the Military Board on the 24th September 1806, Amounting to Pagodas 16.144 - 22 - 16 - whereof a Balance is due of Pagodas 9,673 - 22 - 16 -

No 3 ... Bill of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency for making a Dam and fixing Pecottahs to drain off the water to enable the Pioneers to excavate the Canal at the Hospital Gate from the 22d April to the 10th June, Amount-

ing

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Amounting to Pagodas 24. 29. 27—

No 10 .... Bill of the Superintending Engineer at this Presidency for expences incurred in drawing off the Water from the River near the Saluting Battery between the 15th. May and 3d. August Amounting to Pagodas 641. 21. 79

No. 11 .... Bill of the Superintending Engineer at this Presidency for erecting Quarters at Cuddalore for the accommodation of the Gentlemen Cadets - Amounting to Pagodas 13,366. 25. 19. - wherein a Balance is due of Pagodas 10,669. 2. 19. -

This Bill includes the expence of a Koping Veranadah along the front of the Quarters, which was approved by Government according to the recommendation contained in our Letter of the 10th. July 1806 - and ordered to be executed, altho' the Amount was not contained in the Estimate, which we had the honor to forward on the 1st. September 1806 -

An Advance of Pagodas 1st 46. 6.

20. to the Engineer at Bangalore being one moiety of the

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Joining a pattam on the 1st month of June last - Amounting to Pagodas 534 - 18 -

Rec.d 2 Bills for Establishments employed during the Month of July at the Presidency on clearing the Fort of Joingypatam Amounting to Pagodas 350 - 66 -

Rec.d 3 Bill of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency for rebuilding the remained re-entering angles and traverses of the Counterscarp of the ditch between the St. Georges Bastion Gate and Coomberscarp opposite to the Centre Counter-guard agreeably to the Estimate passed by the Military Board on the 24th September 1806. Amounting to Pagodas 16.148 - 22 - 16 - whereof a Balance is due of Pagodas 9693 - 22 - 16 -

Rec.d 4 Bill of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency for making a Dam and fixing Penstocks to draw off the water to enable the Pioneers to excavate the Canal at the Hospital Gate from the 22d April to the 10th June, Amounting

to

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Amounting to Pagodas 24 9. 29 27—

No 10 .... Bill of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency for expences incurred in drawing off the Water from the River near the Saluting Battery between the 15th. May and 3d. August Amounting to Pagodas 641 21 19

No 11 .... Bill of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency for erecting Quarters &c Cuddalore for the accommodation of the Gentlemen Cadets — Amounting to Pagodas 13.316 23 19 — — —

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The estimated cost of constructing 3 pillars of Stone Hospitals Store Rooms and Sepoys Quarters for 3 Native Battalions at that Station

Are Advances of Pagodas 234

to the Engineer in the Southern Division being one third of the Estimated expense of repairs required to the Lower fort Guard Rooms, Store Rooms in that upper fort and the Gun Shed at Dindigul

Fort St. George

28th August 1807

We have the honor to be

Sir &c

(Signed) A. J. Cudlock

" P. A. Agnew

" S. Munro

" P. Bruce.

Ordered that Authority be given for the Disbursements of the Bills and Advances of Money recommended in the foregoing letter

Ordered accordingly

To

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To The Right Honorable
Lord William Bentinck
Governor in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord,

From the Military Board condemn the conduct of the Commanding Officer at Onore towards the Civil Magistrate submits an explanation relative to the fall of the roof of the Admiralty Room mends the construction of a Powder Magazine &c Dated —

1. We have the honor to know

ledge the Receipt of Letters from the Secretary of Government in the Military Department dated 5th 11th and 12th August, and to report that the necessary orders have been given.—

2. Having duly considered the Conduct of Lieutenant Brown Commanding at Onore as Represented by the Acting Magistrate in that District, we are of opinion that he has acted upon principles totally unauthorized, and that in his Correspondence he has manifested a degree of Arrogance and Petulance which we consider highly improper.

3. We have been fully aware that the failure, which has lately taken place in the

Roof

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Roof of the Admiralty House was to be expected
In the year 1803 an Estimate for a temporary Repair
to the Roof of that Building was forwarded under the
Authority of Government. These Repairs were partially
executed but the state of the Roof on more minute
examination induced us to state in the annual Re-
ports for 1803 that the Building required a new
Roof and a thorough Repair; that the Repairs for-
merly authorized were but a Step to, as being in-
effectual, and that Delay in the removal of the
Roof was dangerous to the Safety of the Building
under this Impression We did not conceive it pro-
per to place any Stores of Value in the Admiralty
and it has accordingly been allotted as a Store
Room for Unserviceable Arms and other Articles,
the preservation of which was of Comparatively
little Importance —

4 We have the honor to enclose a
Plan and Estimate for the Construction of a Ma-
gazine for Gunpowder at Dublin; which we con-
ceive

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concave to be a necessary Work if the Fore is to Continue at that Station, the Estimate Amounts to Pagodas 375. 26. 19. and Should Your Lordship in Council authorize the Construction of the Building, We recommend that in addition to the enclosed Plan, a Traverse may be placed in front of the Door, and that a Double Window with Closer Bars, and Shutters be placed at each side of the Door to admit Light when Necessary.

Fort St. George
August 1807.

We have the Honor to be
Your Lordships most obedient Servants
(Signed) J. F. Cradock
P. A. Agnew
J. Munro
P. Bruce

Estimate

Estimate of the Expence of building a Magazine at Quilon for the reception of the Gun Powder
&c.d. Marquis's ammunition of the Travancore Subsidiary Force and proposed to be roofed with a
double coverze of Flat Tiles laid on Chunam and over these a course of Pan Tiles. The Materials
at this station not being adapted to any more suitable mode of Building and the Workmen unac-
quainted with Arching and Terracing —

Quilon 8th August 1801.

Measurement

Length	Breadth	Height	Square Feet	Cube Feet	
90	3	3	-	1350	To the Magazine walls
240	3	3	-	3600	To the Enclosure ditto
90	9	1.6	-	1080	To the Magazine ditto
240	8	1.6	-	2880	To the Enclosure ditto

Foundations

Above Ground

			8910		Total Stone in Chunam				2 20	644	445 22 40
12	5	4		83/4	Fifty Teakwood Rafters for the Roof including allowance for Lop at the Gable ends and turning four angles						
10	5	4		15/4	Eleven for Cross joists for Eleven Couples						
				92/2	Total Wrought and put up				38	do	83 11 13
90	6	3		11/4	Wall Plate do do				30	do	7 22 40
29	26		7	3/4	Tyling with two Course of Flat Tyles in Chunam				5 27	do	12 10 6
26	16		4	16	Flooring with one Course of Jelly and two of Chunam				1 5	do	4 28
6/2	3				One Door of Strong Plank for the Magazine with Frame Hinge Bolts. Padlock &c				6	For one	6
6/2	4				One do for the Enclosure do do				6	22 do	6 22
											595 26 14

Total of Estimate Star Pagodas 595 26 14

Dated
1st July 1807

(Signed) J. J. Mackintosh
Capt. Lieut 1st Bn. 4th

A True Copy
(Signed) W. Morison
H. M. 33d

(Signed) J. M. Chalmers
Lieut Co. Engr

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Estimate Q.M. Stores August 1807

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Data

	P	f	c
Red Stone in Chunam per Cubic foot 4 Stones at 20 Rupees per 1000	"	1	5
Hire of Cutting and Cayeng at 1/2 a Rupee per 100	"	"	65
Chunam	"	"	30
Total for one Cub: foot	"	2	20
Wood work. Roofing			
Teak per Cubic foot	"	26	
Two Sawyers half a day at 4 f: each per day	"	4	
One Carpenter one day and a half at D°	"	6	
Iron work to each Cubic foot	"	2	
Total for one Cub: foot	"	38	
Wood Work wall plates			
Teak per cubic foot	"	26	
One Carpenter for one day	"	4	
Total	"	30	

	P	f	c
Tyling with two courses of Flat Tyles in Chunam and one of Pan Tyles per Square			
2000 Flat Tiles at 33 f: per 1000	1	21	"
1400 Pan Tiles at 40 f: per 1000	1	11	"
28 Teakwood Rafters or Battens	"	35	"
100 Small Nails	"	12	"
Chunam. Twenty Baskets	"	26	"
Jaggery	"	5	40
5 Bricklayers for one day at 4 fanams each per day		20	"
2 Carpenters at D° D°	"	8	"
4 Men Coolies at 1 2/2 fanams per day each	"	17	40
4 Women D° beating Chunam at 1 1/2 fanam	"	6	"
		1	
Total for Square of 10 f: by 10	5	27	"
Flooring with one course Tyles & two Chunam			
Chunam 13/2 Baskets	"	13	"
Jaggery	"	4	"
3 Bricklayers for one day at 4 f: 2 per day	"	12	"
4 Coolies at 2 f: 40 Cash each per day	"	10	"
4 Women for one day at 1 1/2 f: each per day	"	6	"
Total for Square of 10 f: by 10	1	5	"

(signed) J. J. Mackintosh
Capt. Lieut. 1st. Batt. 1st. Regt.
J. M. Chalmers
Lieut Col Comdt Resolve

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Resolved that the Commander in Chief be requested to give orders for the removal of Lieutenant Bacon from the Command of Oroor without delay.

Resolution thereon

Resolved that a Battery be erected for the reception of a Battering Train of Ordnance recommended by the Military Board.

Read the following Letter from the Military Auditor General

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

My Lord,

I have the honor to lay before your Lordship in Council the accompanying letter addressed to your Lordship from Lieutenant Colonel J. M. Chalmers on the subject of a Retrenchment opposed to him forwarded to me by the acting Paymaster at Seringapatam, with quarterly returns of which I beg

From the Military Auditor General submitting an appeal from Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers against a Retrenchment of Allowances drawn by him while Commanding a Brigade on its march from Poona to Seringapatam

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Sir, I have to state—

2.. Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers having been Commanded a Brigade of Native Infantry, composing a part of the Poonah Subsidiary Force during which period he was authorized to draw the allowance of a Brigadier, but having been ordered to proceed to Bombay upon the 17th April 1806, with three Battalions of Native Infantry, he was not from that date considered to be entitled to the allowance—As Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers continued to Command the Detachment consisting of three Corps which had before composed his Brigade, with the Poonah Subsidiary Force, and as the costand adduced by him is in favour of Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majestys 19th Light Dragoons who similarly situated drew the allowance of a Brigadier under the authority of an order issued by Major General Wellesley and Confirmed by Government, your Lordship under the circumstances may be pleased to remove the Retrenchment—

against

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against Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers—

Military Auditor
Generals Office
Fort St. George
25th August 1807

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) P. Bruce
Mily Aud. Genl.

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

My Lord

I beg leave to lay before your Lordship
The Circumstance of a Retrenchment against me for Pa-
godas 275. being the allowance of a Brigadier for-
marching down three Battalions of Sepoys and a
Company of Pioneers from Poona into Mysore—
On the 19th April 1806. I was order-
ed to March to the Mysore Country with Madras Brigade
to which I stood appointed as second in Command of the 1st Battn
2d Regiment, 2d Battalion 3d Regiment and the 1st
Battalion 8th Regiment— Prior to my marching I did

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not receive any Order for my dissolving the Brigade, and Major General Macdowall did not Dissolve it, on his arrival at Seringapatam till he got an Order so to do—

I have ever known the Usages of the Service to allow to an Officer on the Command, and remaining three Battalions the allowances of Brigadier. I believe that Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of His Majestys 19th Light Dragoons drew the allowance for marching down from Poona two Regiments of Cavalry—

As the Command of a Brigade on a march is attended with unavoidable Expences. I hope my Case will meet with your Lordships favorable Consideration—

I have the honor to be &c &c

Signed S. Mc. Chalmers
Lieut Col—

August 1807—

Resolved, that it will be proper to permit Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers to draw the Allowances of a Brigadier until the Separation of

the

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The Detachment which was ordered under the Command

from Poona to Seringapatam

From the Resident at Poona

To G. Strachey Esqr.

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

I am favored with your Dispatch

of the 29th Ultimo

From the Resident at Poona - in reply to the remarks of the Court of Directors relative to certain sums of money taken up for the use of the Army commanded by Major General Wellesley —

When Major General the Honble Sir A. Wellesley proceeded with the Army from hence to the Southward he desired me to take up Money for the use of the Troops on the most favorable terms possible. The sums that were procured were to be forwarded to this Camp whenever it might be, and it became a matter of consideration how the Cash was to be forwarded without exposing it to the hazard of falling into the hands of the Enemy or the Freebooters who infested the Country in Communication. To have packed it in Gunny Bags and sent it forward on hired

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hired Palanquins would have been a cheap but a slow and hazardous mode of Conveyance. I was therefore determined to send it by Gola Peons, especially as the Havildar who furnished these Peons agreed to be responsible for the Cash, provided the Peons should be paid at the rate of one Rupee per Thousand Rupees, for every 10 Cos. This plan was adopted as most eligible, and of course no part of the Cash was lost, although a proportion of it was forwarded as far as Gooty.

The difference then observed by the Honorable Court between the 2500 Rupees taken up by me, and the Sum entered in the Statement Viz. Rupees 24.859 3/4, and also the difference between the 15000 Rupees taken up by me, and the 16.646 for are to be accounted for Coercion by the expence of conveyance at the rate before stated. Why this expence was not noticed by the Paymaster of the Army, I cannot explain.

The Honorable Court has further

observed

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observed that the premium on the 25000 Rupees is
charged at 7/8 per Cent. and that on the 15000 Rupees
at 3/4 per Cent; this is accounted for by a slight fluc-
tuation in the Exchange between Poona and Bombay
the Honorable Sir B. Webberley has accounted for
the loss by exchange having been so great while his
Army was employed against the Enemy in the Deccan
From a change of circumstances the exchange between
Poona and Bombay has of late been as much in
favor of Government as it was against Government
at the period of the War

I have the honor to be

Poona
13th August 1807

Sir &c

(Signed) B. Close

Resident at Poona

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing
Resolution & Letter be forwarded to the Military Auditor General
and that the explanation which it contains be
communicated to the Honorable Court of Directors in the
next General Dispatch

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To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit to you for the Consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council a Letter addressed to me by Mr. Yeoman late Captain in His Majesty's 34th. Regt. requesting permission from His Lordship in Council to remain in this Country until an answer can be received to a memorial which he has addressed to His Excellency the Commander in Chief - has transmitted from him to His Royal Highness the Duke of York and also for the purpose of settling some pecuniary concerns in this Country -

From the Town Major - Submits an application for leave to remain in India on the part of Mr. Yeoman late a Captain in His Majesty's 34th Regiment

Town Major's Office
Fort St. George
29th. August 1807

I have the honor to be &c &c
(Signed) R. Barclay
Town Major

To Major Barclay
&c &c &c Fort St. George

I request the favor of you to submit the following

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following to His Excellency The Right Honorable the
Governor with a view of obtaining from His Lordships
permission to remain in this Country until I shall
have time to communicate with my Relations in
Europe on the Subject of my present distressed Situa-
tion as also for the means of a Memorial abroad
transmitted by the Commander in Chief to His
Royal Highness the Duke of York

In addition to the Loss I am
involved in by the Loss of my rank and situation
in the Army, I have since been exposed to other
pecuniary Matters, which absolutely deprive me of
the means of proceeding to England and on the
leaving of my Affairs in this Country unsettled
must subject me to total Ruin. I have only to
hope that this Country will for the above reasons
permit me to stay, in compliance with my
request, the more so when Sculpect that Her
Lordship will encourage my hope that after a Re-
sidence of more than Eight Years in India my

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intercourse in Society have always been remarkable
for a favorable Deportment—

I will feel much obliged to His
Excellency Lord Wellesley Bentinck for a favorable
answer to this Letter—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obt
Humble Servt
Samuel B. Yeaman
late Capt. 34th Regt

Resolved that Mr Yeaman be
Resolution thereon not permitted to proceed to India beyond the Presi-
dency of this dispatch of their Most Obedt Servts—
By Order
John Lindsay Colonel & Garand.
To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St George

From Lieutenant Colonel Durand Commanding Officer of Cannanore transmitting the Memorandum of Gangamoodoo towards him at the funeral of Hyder Ally Khan Walker—

Sir,

I have the honor to accompany this
with a Packet the contents of which I request you will
have the goodness to submit to the Right Honorable the
Governor in Council—
I have the honor to be Sir Your
Obedt Humble Servt
Fort St George
the 25 August 1807—
J. Durand
Lieut Col
To

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To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council &c &c &c

Fort St. George

My Lord.

Thoroughly informed as you are upon the Facts, from the circumstances under which the present appeal is respectfully laid before your Lordship in Council, in the accompanying Papers - I shall not presume to take up your time with repetitions, well assured that I shall meet with every justice upon so extraordinary, and painful an occasion -

I beg leave therefore merely to observe that an additional Satisfaction attends, now I have the honor to address my case to your Lordship in Council, which is that it comes after the conciliatory endeavours which is admitted of have been gone through - although they have proven inadequate to prevail on the Obduracy of a Person whom it is dreadful to fancy insensible to that Offence which he must.

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must be conscious to have committed towards God
and Man — by not only acting in the disingenuous
manner he did — but doing it at the most awful of
moments to a true Christian that in which he should
have been discharging the highly respectable and moral
duties of a Magistrate in his Capacity as Judge at the
head of the Pleas of the Dead. in the Actual performance
of the most solemn Act of Devotion we know
i. e. returning to Parent Earth the Dust which God
had endowed with Life after the Lapse of its appointed
endurance, when it is made to reproach him that humble
dust of his Creatures would with Propriety to attribute
contempt to themselves — either therefore Death aggravated
by
aggravated Commits with all the crimes of foul desire
and embrue[d] how [illegible] guilt! —

Thereby upon Lordships pleasure

upon the case with all due Respect and deference —

I have the honor to be

Sir Yr

Obt Servt

D. Briand

Lieut. Col. Fo

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the 25th. August 1807

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To Peter Cherry Esq.r

Magistrate of the Garrison Zillah

Sir,

I am this Moment informed as follows—

1st. That you being along with Mr. Stark when he observed upon the occasion of Colo. Major Walkers Funeral, that it was a pity the Executioner or Promoter of such a Service as that upon which he fell—a words to that effect and meaning—had not been made of the way long before it could happen—you had not only concurred in the same opinion, but added that it was a pity the fate had not fallen on the Person alone meriting it—or words to that effect and meaning—and named me Lieutenant Colonel Durand, as that Person—

All that I have to ask at this Moment is whether you did utter such opinion or not—My Author is Mr. Stark himself—and my reason for calling upon you on your Public character, is that You as well as myself most probably, if correct as Public conveyances, vindicate

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The Character of
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Guernsey the
1st September 1807
Signed, I. Durand
Lieut Col

True Copy
Signed, I. Durand Lieut Col

To Lieutenant Colonel Durand

Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge your Public Letter of this date, calling upon me in a most extraordinary manner to answer certain queries upon charges such as implicating your Public Character. The only answer I can give is that I beg to refer you to that Public Investigation you appear to wish, and I shall be ready when called upon to answer either to that or any other charge.

I have the honor to be Sir
Your most obedient humble Servant
Signed J. Cherry
Magistrate

Guernsey 1st Sept
Magistrate's Office

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Mr. Stark

Chatterpore

Dear Sir,

I send you herewith the true Copies of what passed yesterday between myself & Mr. Cherry for your information—

In consequence thereof allow me to request of you to grant me the affidavit of what I asked, which you were so good as to say you would do—

Was I not too unwell to go out. I should have done myself the pleasure of making the request in Person

Yours &c &c

Ganjam the 2. September 1806

(Signed) S. Durand
Lieut Col

True Copy

N.B. Sent with this, my letter to Mr. Cherry of the 1st Instant & his reply of the same Date (Signed) S. Durand

Dear Sir

I am favored with your Letter of this date with a written paper inclosed, Stating to be a Copy of a Letter written by you to Mr. P. Cherry in consequence

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consequence of a conversation which had passed between him and me at the Funeral of the late Major Joseph Walker and I do hereby declare, that the Words contained in that said Copy were as nearly as possible those which had passed at the time and which it would appear to me from Mr. Cherry's Answer he does not mean to deny. It would therefore be (in my opinion) perfectly Unnecessary for me to Volunteer an affidavit but should I be called on by a Court or Committee or on any Investigation that you may think proper to enter into, I certainly will declare on my Oath, what I have Inadvertently mentioned in the Course of Conversation—

I am Sorry to hear of your Indisposition—

I remain Yrs &c

(Signed) G. B. Mack Lt

6th N. I. 5th Regt

To Captain D. Mc Kelfont

Dear Sir

Public business has precluded me from earlier attention to the communication which you

personally

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personally made me the Day before Yesterday morn=
=ing, authorized thereun as you declared at the time
by Mr. Cherry —

If I recollect right, it was to inform
me that Mr. Cherry being sensible of the impropriety
of what he had uttered would at once have come for=
=ward with an apology appropriate to the occasion —
had not my Letter to him of the 1st Instant been coun=
=ed in terms that had prevented him from so doing —

In reply to this I have only to observe
that I am unconscious of any expression therein that
can authorize Mr. Cherry to withhold the Justice he
professes to be due to the Man whom he acknowledges
to have injured — They must be strong indeed, that
could operate to that end — but I think
consequently must leave to Mr. Cherry to reconcile the inconsis=
=tency

As you were good enough to communicate
to me Mr. Cherry's declaration — I hope you will not refuse me
the justice of letting him know my reply thereto as above
stated — that he may not have to plead ignorance thereon —
and be enabled to act as he may please —

Yours &c. &c. &c.

1st. September 1806 —

A true Copy
(Signed) J. Durand

(Signed) J. Durand

To

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To P. Cherry Esq.

Magistrate of the Ganjam Zillah

Sir,

As bringing you forward under the accusation I intended for having espoused my Public Character thro' means of the most atrocious calumny would be inconsistent now, after the voluntary avowal thereof, and meeting so you wish to be supposed in atoning for the same, communicated to me by a third Person, at your desire (but I am sorry to observe, in terms tending only to aggravate the original injury) and intending to lay before Government the whole tenour of your conduct upon this occasion - in your Capacity of Magistrate of Ganjam in the Solemn and actual discharge of the Clerical functions attached to his Office - I think it but fair to apprize you thereof; and further to furnish you with the accompanying Copies (3 Letters) of correspondence connected therewith -

I have the honor to be &c &c

A true Copy (Signed) J. Durand
Lieut Col

(Signed) J. Durand
Lieut. Col

To this no reply was received

N.B. - 3. 4. & 5 of the foregoing correspondence

Ordered, in consequence that the following Letter be dispatched to Mr. Cherry -

To

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To. W.m P. Cherry

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Sir,

Para 1 I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to You the enclosed Copies of Papers submitted to His Lordship in Council by Lieutenant Colonel Durand relately Commanding in the Ganjam District

To. W.m Cherry — strongly condemning the Language which he is stated to have uttered at the Funeral of the late Major Walker —

2 Under an impression that the offence imputed to you is sufficiently substantiated by the evidence adduced in proof of it, His Lordship in Council directs me to express to you His concern that any circumstance should have betrayed you into the utterance of expressions so incompatible with your public Station, with the solemnity in which you were at the period in question engaged —

3 So manifest a departure from the rules of public decorum cannot be otherwise Considered than as deserving of the highest Censure, but from the opinion entertained by His Lordship in Council favorable to the Character of your Character, they are satisfied that the unfortunate Coalitions of your Conduct may only have proceeded from a feeling of momentary warmth, which your own Calmer reflection must have Condemned.

4. Under this explanation of His Lordship's sentiments, His Lordship in Council Considers any further observation to be unnecessary —

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I have &c.
(Signed) G. Stracey
Secy to Government

ordered

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Ordered that Lieutenant Colonel
Order thereon Durand be furnished with a Copy of the forgery
Letter

E Wallace

Macdowall

W Petrie

Oakes

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Diary

30th Sent the following Letters—

To the President

& Members of

The Military Board

Gentlemen,

To the Military Board Stating that the Commander in Chief has been requested to direct the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Canara to remove Lieutenant Brown from the Command of Onore without delay— approving Plan and Estimate for a Powder magazine at Dwlon, and directing the Execution of that Work and the Improvements suggested — authority given for the payment of the Bills & advances of Money recommended the 18th Instant.—

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Hon.

Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the

receipt of your Letters of the 18th Instant.—

2 The Commander in Chief has

been requested to direct the Officer Commanding in Mala-

bar and Canara to remove Lieutenant Brown from

the Command of Onore without delay.—

3. His Lordship in Council has

approved the Plan and Estimate for a Powder &

Magazine at Dwlon, and I am directed to desire

that you will authorize the execution of that

work with the improvements which you have

suggested.—

4. Authority has been given

for the payment of the Bills and Advances of

Money

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Money recommended in your Letter of the 18th Instant

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

To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

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 opinion that it will be proper to permit Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers to draw the allowances of a Brigadier until the separation of the Detachment which marched from Poona at Serinagaptam under the Command of that Officer.

I enclose for your information the Copy of a Letter from the Resident at Poonah on further explanation of the Loss by Exchange incurred with the Army under the Command of

To the Military Auditor General concurring in permitting Lieut. Colonel Chalmers to draw the allowances of a Brigadier until the Separation of the Detachment under his Command which marched from Poonah to Serinagaptam — With Copy of a Letter from the Resident at Poonah on further Explanation of the Loss by Exchange incurred by the Army under the Command of Major General Wellesley.

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of Major General Wellesly as particularly noticed
by the Honorable Court of Directors in their late
Dispatch.

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I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) W. Strachey
Secy to Government

Received and Sent the following -

Letters entered in M. B. Nos. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75.
76. 77. 77 -

From the Military Auditor General.

From Major Bruce - Reporting on
an additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster
at Fort St. George for the Current Month -

To the Military Board - With -

To the Military Board -

Extract from the Proceedings in the Public Depart.

ment of the 6th and 29th Instants -

To the Military Auditor General -

To the Military Auditor General.

With Extract from the Proceedings in this Depart.

ment of the 29th Instant -

To the Military Board - Direct.

To the Military Board -

ing the replacing in the Church yard certain
Tomb Stones removed therefrom during the last
siege

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Judge of Madras.

To the Military Paymaster General.

To the Military Paymaster General — With Military Auditor Generals report on the additional Estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster at Fort St. George for the current month.

To Lieutenant Colonel Durand Commanding 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N.I.

To Lieutenant Colonel Durand — With Copy of a letter to Mr. Sherry.

To the Editor of the Government Press.

To the Editor of the Government Press — With List of the Printed Forms required for the use of this Office for the ensuing 12 Months.

To the Town Major of Fort St. George.

To the Town Major. Deeming it inexpedient to comply with the request of Mr. Yeaman for permission to remain in India beyond the period of the departure of the next Ships.

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At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor and President

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

Commander in Chief

William Petrie
and
Thomas Oakes
} Esqrs.

Tuesday the 1st. September 1807.

Minutes of last Consultation

Read and approved.

The following Minutes are recorded.

Minute of the Commander in Chief.

It gave me great Pleasure to receive the directions of the Council to give effect to the appointments to Military Commands, since the Operation of His Majesty's Brevet of the 30th March 1805 and which has been recently cancelled, as far as it comprehends the whole Period of my

Minute of the Commander in Chief on the Statements of Commands during the operation of His M. Warrant.

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my Command in this army.—

I have the honor now to submit to the Board's the necessary Statements with such observations annexed, as may render the Duties more distinct.—

I am anxiously to request — that the Chief paper, may be sent Home to the Honorable Court of Directors, as attached to the present representation before Council.—

Madras
August 27th 1807.

I have &c
J. F. Cradocke
Lieutenant General

To His Excellency
The Commander in Chief.

Sir.

In obedience to the orders I had the Honor to receive from Your Excellency on the 25th ult. Instant, I have the Honor to transmit a List of

No 1 Officers appointed to Commands under the Government of Fort St. George between the 30th March 1805 and the 19th July 1807. the period during which His Majesty's Troops served continued to operate

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operate under the Presidency of Fort St. George —
together with a List of Officers now commanding —
Stations by special appointment of Government —

A List of the Relative Seniority of the
Field Officers of His Majesty's and the Honorable
Company's Troops, during the time the Bengal Establish-
ment was in Force, and since it was annulled so far
as having in any Office as a Subsidiary of the subject of
Appointments to Command: but I have been un-
willing to delay the Papers required by your Excel-
lency for this document, which I will transmit —
when finished. —

I return the enclosure transmitted
with your Excellency's Letter and

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25th August 1807.

I have the honor &c.
(signed) P. A. Agnew
Adjutant General

List of Officers appointed to Commands between the 30th of March 1805 when His Majesty's Brevet arrived & certain Officers the Lists of whose Promotions were published the 13th of July 1805 when the injurious effect of that Brevet was Annulled.

Names and Commands	Date of Appointment	Remarks
Lieutenant Col. Pickeras of the 23d Regement of Native Infantry to Command at Madura	2d April 1805	Master of the Corps.
Captain Moore 74th Regiment to Command at Trincomalee	2d April 1805	An Officer of many years Service in India — totally disabled at the Battle of Assaye — was recommended by Sir Arr. Wellesley for some situation for a few Months to assist him in the Expence of his passage Home.

Copy of Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Pickeras dated 1st April 1805.

Brevet Colonel Sancourt of H. M. 34th Regiment to Command at Vellore.	22d April 1805.	Station of part of the Regement – His regular place – an Old Colonel and Senior to any officer who could be placed there at that time –	1529
Lieutenant Colonel A. Taylor 21st Regement of Native Infantry to command the Fort and District of Masulipatam	21st May 1805.	Station of the Corps.	
Major General Smith to Command the Northern Division of the Army.	31st May 1805.		
B Colonel A Campbell H. M. 74th Regiment to Command the Forces on Mysore	3d May 1805	B At the Head of the Colonels by real Rank – Commanding the Northern Division of the Army, and Immediate to the Command by the special mandate of the Supreme Government.	25

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Names and Commands	Date of Appointment	Remarks
C (Brevet) Colonel Montgomery K.M. 73d to Command the Garrison of Fort St. George	19th June 1805	The Corps on Garrison — C an old Colonel — Senior to all others that were eligible — Memo. This appointment took Place under the immediate nomination of the Governor
Lieutenant Colonel R. M. Strange 13th Regiment Native Infantry to Command the Garrison of Travancore	13th September 1805.	
D (Brevet) Colonel B. Forbes of the M. 80th Regiment to Command in Malabar and Canara	4th October 1805.	The 80th Regiment at Cannanore — D Colonel Forbes upon joining his regiment from England became the Senior Officer in the Province and displaced Lieut.t Colonel M.c Leod.

Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy H. M. 19th Dragoons to command in the Cantonment of Arcot	29th November 1805	Station of the Regiment and Senior Officer
Lieutenant Colonel Ogg 18th Regiment of Native Infantry to command at Bangalore	5th November 1806	Removed through the displeasure of the Madras and Supreme Government
Major General Macdowall to command the Force in Mysore	7th January 1806	
Colonel Campbell H. M. 6th Regiment to command the Southern Division of the Army	16th January 1806	The command of Mysore was taken from Colonel Campbell and given to General Macdowall by Lord Cornwallis as the Senior Officer as Colonel Campbell had lost the Command of the Northern Division by his translation to Mysore; Matters rested just that he should be placed on General Macdowalls retirement on the Southern Division otherwise

Reg.

Lt Colonel Campbell 19th Regt

Names and Commands	Date of Appointment	Remarks
Colonel Wahab 27th Regiment N. I. to Command at Tanjore	12th February 1806	Station of the Corps
F Lieutenant Colonel Macleod 10th N. I. to Command Chellidroog		
(Brevet) Colonel Davis of H. M. 22d Light Dragoons to Command at Seringapatam	1st March 1806	Station of the Regiment.
G Colonel Havecourt H. M. 12th Regiment to Command the Cantonment of Wallajahbad	11th March 1806. G	The oldest Colonel of rank except Colonel Richens H. M. 34th on the Madras Establishment.

since Major General Smith appointed to the Northern Division must have been removed.

F To report to Lieutenant Colonel M.Leod the Ly[illegible] of his Command in Malabar, this Command was given to him, as early as practicable.

[illegible] Appointments 1806

If Brevet Colonel Montresor Ft. M 22d Regt. to command the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force	18th April 1806	If an order was received from the Supreme Government to appoint an Officer Senior to Colonel Wallace — This made the Commanders descend from Officers of the highest Rank and removed the Selection exclusively Colonels Peter Gowdie Bicken, which Honorable Co. I placed it among the Colonels by the Late Brevet — There was not a Colonel in this Honorable company's Service
If Brevet Colonel Ar. K. Gillespie 56th Ft. 19th Dragoons to serve as Officer to Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy to Command at Arcot	18th April 1806	Station of the Regiment that could be employed as they never all on Either or on the Staff Lt. Colonel Montresor was selected by the Special Consideration of the Council as the fittest Officer among those Eligible by Rank

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Names and Commands	Date of Appointment	Remarks
Colonel Harcourt H. M. 12th Regiment to Command till further Orders at Vellore	11th July 1806	Colonel Harcourt commanded the Brigade at Vellore, and Defensive of Fort that unfortunately of March was recalled by Government at that unfortunate Crisis.
Lieutenant Colonel Agnew of Native Infantry to Command till further Order at Hyderabad	12th July 1806	As the first practicable opportunity to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Long to a Command of Importance having left the temporary Situation of Commanding the Troops at Hyderabad, which had devolved upon him on the death of Colonel Flaherty from Superior Rank.
Major General Fuller to Command the Center Division of the Army	29th July 1806	

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Brevet Colonel Gillespie to be Inspector and Exercising Officer of Cavalry from 10th of July last. — 26th August 1806.

Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers, 3d Native Infantry to command the Subsidiary Force in Travancore — 9th September 1806

Major General Gowdie to command the Northern Division of the Army — 31st October 1806

Brevet Colonel Davis C. of the 22d Dragoons to Command, and Dep. at Bangalore — 9th January 1807. Station of the Regiment and Senior Officer.

Brevet

Names and Commands	Date of Appointment	Remarks
Brevet Colonel Lockhart of the His Majesty's 30th Regiment as Senior Officer to Command at Wallajahbad vice Lang	27th January 1807	Station of the Regiment and Senior Officer
Lt Lieutenant Colonel R. Lang of the 4th Regiment N. I. to Command at Vellore	28th February 1807	Lt Lieutenant Colonel Lang having lost the Command at Wallajahbad from inferior Rank — He was appointed to this Command as soon as practicable.
Lieutenant Colonel Boveton 3d Regiment N. I. to Command a Detachment in Berar	24th March 1807	
Lieut. Colt. O'Reilly 7th Regiment N. I. to Command the Fortress of Sankerrydroog	6th June 1807	Station of the Corps

Copy of Letter from Lieut. Colonel Lang dated 28th February 1807

Brevet Colonel Hare of H. M. 22d Dragoons to Command at Newby Wiske	12th June 1807	The Regiment ordered to that Station and the late Commandant Lieutenant Colonel Burrage having received Leave to come to the Headquarters on the avowed cause of return to Europe
Major General D. Campbell to Command the Forces on Mysore	7th July 1807	Vice Lieutenant General Maedowall struck off the Staff.
Major General Sir Jno. Cradock Bart. to Command the Forces on the Coast of Coromandel	7th July 1807.	

/Signed/ H. Craddock
Lieutenant General

/Signed/ P. A. Agnew
Adjutant General of the Army

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N.B. On the 15th July 1807 the Rewards granted to the Lieutenant Colonels of the Army by General Orders of the 1st January 1783 were made the following appointments to Corps have since been made

Names and Commands	Date of Appointment	Remarks
Major General Fuller to Command the Southern Division of the Army vice Colonel Campbell being about to proceed to Europe.	17th July 1807.	
Lieutenant Colonel Sefton 16th Regiment of Native Infantry to Command	25th July 1807.	Removed to 2nd Battalion 6th Regiment and

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in the Tennevelly District from the 9th Ultimo		the Battalion ordered to that District.
The Center Division of the Army declared no longer a Separate Command	21st July 1807.	

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/Signed/ P. A. Agnew
Adjutant General of the Army.

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List of Commands as now held under the Presidency of Fort Saint George

Commands	Names of Commandants
Southern Division of the Army	Major General Fuller. H. M. Staff
Northern do	Major General Goudie H. C. Staff.
Mysore do	Major General Campbell H. C. Staff
Ceded Districts	Major General Sir William Clarke H. M. Staff.
Malabar and Kanara	Lieutenant Colonel Forbes H. M. 80th Regiment.
Hyderabad Subsidiary Force	Lieutenant Colonel Montresor H. M. 22d Dragoons.
Travancore Subsidiary Force	Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers 2d Regiment N. I.
Detachment of the Subsidiary Force in Berar.	Lieutenant Colonel Doveton 4th Regiment Native Cavalry.

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Masulepatam District	Lieutenant Colonel Taylor	Madras European Regiment.
Vizagapatam do:	Lieutenant Colonel Irton	25th Regiment Native Infantry.
Ganjam do:	Lieutenant Colonel Darley	4th Regiment Native Infantry.
Tinnevelly do:	Lieutenant Colonel Casper	6th Regiment Native Infantry.
Fortress of Tanjore	Colonel Wahab	17th Regiment Native Infantry.
Chittledroog	Lieutenant Colonel A. Macleod	15th Regiment Native Infantry.
Nundedroog	Lieutenant Colonel Hare	H. M. 22d Dragoons.
Bangalore & Cantonment	Lieutenant Colonel Davis	H. M 22d Dragoons.
Vellore	Lieutenant Colonel Lang	6th Regiment Native Infantry.
Pondamallee	Lieutenant Colonel Bodsworth	H. M. 34th Regiment.
Penecottah	Lieutenant Colonel Strange	13th Regiment Native Infantry.
Sankrydroog	Lieutenant Colonel O. Reilly	7th Regiment Native Infantry.

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Commands	Names of Commandants
Forts of Seringapatam	
" Ballary	
" Gooty	
" Madura	
" Dindigul	No appointments to Command made, but the Senior
" Tritchinopoly	Officers present from time to time exercise Command
" Palamcottah	
" Vellore	
" Bednore	
" Cannanore	
" Sellicherry	
Cantonment of Wallajahbad	Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart — H. M. 30th Regiment.
" The Mount	Lieutenant Colonel Bell — Commandant of Artillery.
" Arcot	Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie — H. M. 19th Dragoons.

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Stations of	Coimatore	Lieutenant Colonel Floyer 3d Regiment Native Cavalry
	Mangalore	Senior Officer of the Corps, Lieutenant Colonel Ogg
"	Coimbatore	
"	Cumbum	
"	Chicacole	
"	Samulcottah	No appointment, but the Senior Officers of the several Corps by
"	Ellore	which they are occupied, - Command. -
"	Trippatoor	
"	Seedashyguer	
Ports of	Gangam	Captain Holford of Invalids.
"	Nellore	Captain Kepspen of Invalids.
"	Negapatam	Lieutenant Sober of Invalids.

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25th August 1807

Signed P. A. Agnew
Adjutant General of the Army

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List of Colonels and Field Officers, of Regiments of His Majesty's and the Honble Eastindia Company's Forces serving under the Presidency of Fort St. George in succession of seniority, as they stood on the 31st of July 1807.

Colonels

Names	Date of Rank			Corps.
Thomas Scott	12th	October	1798.	9th Foot — Ft. St. George.
George Robert	12th	"	"	12th Native Infantry — do.
William Atkinson	26th	"	"	30th Foot — do.
G. M. R. Harcourt	26th	"	"	12th — do. — do.
James Taylor	26th	"	"	12th — do. — do.
Urban Vigors	26th	December	"	13th Native Infantry — do.
Archibald Brown	31st	July	1799	14th — do. — do.

Robert Crocker	18th	August	"	15th	do	
George Mahab	10th	December	"	17th	do	
Thomas Leighton	7th	May	1800	8th	do	to Europe
Francis Torrens	17th	June	"	18th	do	
Carey Lalande	17th	"	"	19th	do	
David Campbell	7th	January	1803	16th	do	to Europe
John Ort	29th	April	"	Cavalry		do
John Richardson	1st	January	1803	9th	Native Infantry	do
Elisha Shepard	15	"	"	Engineers		
Daniel M.Neil	1st	"	"	2d	Native Infantry	to Europe
William Kinsey	1st	"	"	3d	do	do
Thomas Bowser	1st	"	"	4th	do	do
Berry Close	26th	August	"	20th	do	

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Muster Roll of Captain [illegible]'s Company of the [illegible] Regiment of Native Infantry, for the Month of September 1807.

Names	Date of Rank	Remarks
[illegible]	[illegible]	Captain
William Mc Clure	1st January 1796	1st Lieutenant
Edward Caulfield	30th April 1796	2d Do.
Robert Mackay	12th " "	1st Lieutenant
Hector Mc Leod	12th " "	2d Do.
Gabriel Doveton	4th May "	1st Do.
Thomas Dallas	4th " "	2d Do.
Thomas Sheppard	12th " "	Ensign
William Taylor	12th " "	Do.

Thos Chalmers	31st	July	"	2d Native Infantry	
Alexander Dyce	18th	August	"	16th do	In Europe
Keith Macalester	4th	September	"	1st Native Cavalry	do
Honorable Arthur Sentleger	4th	"	"	6th do	
Robert Rollo Gillespie	21st	November	"	19th Dragoons	
James Hare	5th	December	"	22nd do	
Charles Corner	15th	"	"	19th Native Infantry	In Europe
Robert Montague Strange	10th	"	"	13th do	
John James Durand	10th	"	"	25th do	
Henry Davis	1st	January 1800		22nd Dragoons	
Benjamin Forbes	1st	"	"	80th Foot	

James

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Lists of Officers for Bengal

Lieutenant Colonels

Names	Date of Rank	Corps	
James Brunton	7th May 1800	20th Native Infantry	In Europe
Francis Casper	17th June "	16th do	
John Cuppage	19th " "	13th do	
Ross Lang	17th " "	6th do	
John Picton	1st January 1801	12th Foot	
William Lockhart	1st " " "	30th do	
John Long	27th March "	3d Native Infantry	
Thomas Brown	29th " " "	69th Foot	In Europe

Lieut. Colonels

Charles Rumley	20th	May	"	5th Native Cavalry	
Thomas Gage Montresor	27th	June	"	22d Dragoons	
Robert Bell	26th	September	"	Artillery	
Tredway Clarke	16th	October	"	do	In Europe
Alexander Macleod	10th	December	"	15th Native Infantry	
Samuel Gibbs	25th	"	"	59th Foot	
William Brooke	23d	January	1802	8th Native Infantry	
William Wilson	1st	February	"	9th Native Infantry	In Europe
Walter Elliott	29th	April	"	33d Foot	do
George Bidlesworth	29th	"	"	34th do	
Arthur Gore	23d	July	"	33d do	

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Lieutenant Colonels

Names	Date of Rank	Corps	
Samuel Smith	1st January 1803.	3d Native Infantry	In Europe
Colin Macaulay	1st " "	7th do	
Joseph Gubbins Hall	1st " "	4th do	In Europe
John Norris	1st " "	Engineers	
Thomas Parkinson	10th May "	14th Native Infantry	In Europe
John Bell	25th September "	Artillery	1st
John Brighton	2d January 1804	8th Native Infantry	
Thomas Munro	19th " "	10th do	
William Shepherd	1st May "	20th do	In Europe

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Robert Lobin Huddleston	1st	"	"	7th	Native Cavalry	
Alexander Deas	1st	"	"	2d	do	In Europe
John Darby	19th	"	"	4th	Native Infantry	
Samuel Irton	26th	"	"	25th	do	
Alexander Robertson	6th	June	"	14th	do	In Europe
William Mackeod	4th	July	"	Madras European Regiment		do
Edward O'Reilly	25th	September	"	7th	Native Infantry	
Henry Webber	25th	"	"	22d	do	
Alexander Greenhill	25th	"	"	15th	do	In Europe
George Boconyk	25th	"	"	25th	do	
Jeremiah Simons	25th	"	"	11th	do	
Samuel William Ogg	25th	"	"	5th	do	
John Malcolm	25th	"	"	2d	do	

James

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Lieutenant Colonels

Names	Date of Rank			Corps	
James Campbell	27th	September	1804	73rd Foot	
John Doveton	15th	October	"	4th Native Cavalry	
Jn. P. Adams	8th	December	"	25th Dragoons	
John Kelly Lynons	12th	"	"	17th Native Infantry	
William Berkeley	12th	"	"	18th — Do	
William Macleod	12th	January	1805	69th Foot	
Nathaniel Forbes	24th	"	"	24th Native Infantry	In Europe
Henry Nash	5th	February	"	10th — Do	
Augustus Floyer	15th	"	"	3d Native Cavalry	
Robert Monckton Grants	1st	March	"	16th Native Infantry	
James George Graham	13th	"	"	17th — Do	In Europe
George Martin	16th	"	"	5th — Do	

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Charles Godfrey	27th	June	"	12th	do		In Europe
Andrew M.Scally	27th	"	"	18th	do		
Alexander Barbier	9th	July	"	18th	do		
Samuel Crane	25th	"	"	9th	do		In Europe
Alexander Orr	25th	"	"	12th	do		
William Youngson	20th	September	"	11th	do		In Europe
James Dunn	23d	November	"	8th	Native Cavalry		
William Cunningham	27th	January	1806.	Madras European Regiment			In Europe
P.G. Wade	4th	February	"	25th	Dragoons		
Thomas Hayes	31st	May	"	Artillery			
George Hadow	11th	July	"	8th Native Infantry			In Europe
Hugh Buchan	22d	May	1807	22d	do		
Thomas Marriott	25th	June	"	24th	do		
James George Scott	4th	July	"	Artillery			

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Lt. Col. Fraser's Regt.

1st Battalion 15th Regt.

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Majors (1st 1751)

Names	Date of Rank			Corps	
William Wright	2d	March	1800	30th	Foot
Christopher Charges	10th	August	1801	69th	do
James Richard Coates	29th	April	1802	69th	do
Philip Saumarez	29th	"	"	30th	do
Walter C. Lennon	29th	"	"	Engineers	Ire Lingo
Colin Mackingie	29th	"	"	—	do
John Wilson	29th	June	"	12th	Foot
John Campbell	24th	November	"	33d	do
John White	26th	May	1803	80th	do
Alexander M.c Leod	15th	October	"	59th	do

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William Carden	22d	November	"	25th Dragoons	
Thomas Wilson	24th	April	1804	16th Native Infantry	
Pool Fleckman Vesey	1st	May	"	3d do	
Patrick Walker	1st	"	"	8th Native Cavalry	
James Rowles	1st	"	"	3d do	In Europe
James Nagle	19th	"	"	4th Native Infantry	do
Alexander Macfarlan	26th	"	"	5th do	do
Alexander Maitland	6th	June	"	6th do	do
Thomas Nuthall	27th	"	"	6th Native Cavalry	
Benjamin Harris	4th	July	"	9th Native Infantry	In Europe
Hamilton Hall	21st	September	"	2d do	do
Robert Munro	28th	"	"	20th do	

Mark

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Majors

Names	Date of Rank	Corps	
Mark Wilks	25th Novr 1804	Madras Infantry	
William Dowse	25th " "	8th do	In Europe
Lieut David Cuthbert Hill	25th " "	9th do	
James Leith	25th " "	25th do	In Europe
Patrick Bruce	25th " "	18th do	
Strickland Kingston	25th " "	22d do	In Europe
Charles Trotter	25th " "	25th do	
Frederick Pierce	25th " "	Madras European Regiment	
John William Freese	25th " "	Artillery	

Patrick Joyes	25th	"	"	7th Native Infantry	
Robert Shaw	25th	"	"	10th do.	In Europe
Robert Barclay	25th	"	"	11th do.	
Alexander Bryce	25th	"	"	12th do.	In Europe
Robert Fletcher	25th	"	"	17th do.	
Thomas Whillie	25th	"	"	19th do.	
William Henry Hewitt	25th	"	"	17th do.	
Galbraith Hamilton	25th	"	"	13th do.	
Robert Bruce	25th	"	"	24th do.	
John Innes	27th	"	"	74th Foot	
George Neal	15th	October	"	1st Native Cavalry	
Thomas Boles	15th	November	"	3d Native Infantry	

Henry

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Lt. Col. Alexander Reid
Deputy Adjutant General

Majors

Names	Date of Rank		Corps	
Henry William Radcliffe	12th	December 1804	15th Native Infantry	In Europe
Plampin Richardson	12th	" "	2d do	
Thomas Fleming	1st	January 1805	30th Foot	
L. A. Sturt	1st	" "	80th do	
Chas David Bruce	24th	" "	20th Native Infantry	
Joseph Harlewood	9th	February "	24th do	
Sir John Sinclair Bart	14th	" "	Artillery	
Francis Andrews Daniel	15th	" "	4th Native Cavalry	In Europe
James Armstrong	21st	" "	80th Foot	
Edward Batchelor	13th	March "	21st Native Infantry	In Europe

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Lyle Fraser	16th	"	"	5th	do	1st
Adam Goldsworthy	30th	April	"	10th	do	1st
Alexander Muirhead	27th	June	"	18th	do	
Solon Lindsay	9th	July	"	11th	do	
L. McLennon	25th	"	"	12th	do	
George Lang	25th	"	"	1st	do	
Hopetoun Stratford Scott	15th	August	"	9th	do	h Europe
Paul Bose	20th	September	"	8th	do	
Andrew McDowall	6th	October	"	15th	do	
Robert Fraser	25th	"	"	22d	Dragoons	
Robert Scot	9th	November		4th	Rifle Infantry	

John

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Majors

Names	Date of Rank	Corps	
John Overend	25th November 1805	7th Native Cavalry	In Europe
Thomas Tickborne	27th January 1806	Madras Establishment	
John Jones	4th February "	25th Dragoons	In Europe
William Lewis	5th March "	2d Native Cavalry	
Dennis Dunn	6th " "	33d Foot	In Europe
Nich. Matt.w Smyth	23rd April "	14th Native Infantry	
Henry Seaton	3rd July "	59th Foot	
J. M. Everard	10th " "	34th do.	
William Blackburne	11th " "	8th Native Infantry	

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Donald M.c Donell	11.th	July	1806	16.th	do.
John Colebrooke	2.d	August	"	5.th	Native Cavalry
Joseph Storey	2.d	"	"	19.th	Native Infantry
John Crosdell	5.th	November	"		Artillery
Cosmo Gordon	12.th	February	1807	96.th	Foot
William Peter Faulkard	22.d	May	"	22.d	Native Infantry In Europe
Thomas Gurnell	21.st	June	"	25.th	do.
Samuel Dalrymple	4.th	July	"		Artillery

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List of Colonels and Lieutenant Colonels of His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Service, as they stood under the Operation of His Majesty's Warrant of 10th April 1804.

Colonels.

Names	Date of Rank	Corps
Thomas Scott	12th October	1798 94th Foot
George Robert B	18th "	" 12th Native Infantry
G. Wm R. Harcourt	26th "	" 12th Foot
James Taylor	26th "	" 12th Foot
Alexander Campbell	26th "	" 69th do
Urban Vigors	26th December	" 13th Native Infantry
Archibald Brown	31st July	1799 14th do

Robert Bowker	18th	August	"	15th	do
George Wahab	10th	December	"	17th	do
Thomas Leighton	7th	May	1800	8th	do
James Oliver	17th	June	"	9th	do
Francis Jovens	17th	"	"	18th	do
Casey Lalande	17th	"	"	19th	do
David Campbell	7th	January	1802	16th	do
John Orr	29th	April	"	Cavalry	
John Richardson	24th	August	1803	Madras European Regiment	
James Munro	4th	April	1804	94th	Foot
William Wallace	4th	"	"	80th	do
William Cullen	4th	"	"	94th	do
Robert Rollo Gillespie	4th	"	"	19th	Dragoons

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Lt. Col. Sir Robert Kerr 1st Bt.

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Colonels

Names	Date of Rank		Corps
James Hare	4th	April 1804	22d Dragons.
Henry Davis	4th	"	22d do
Benjamin Forbes	4th	"	40th Foot
John Picton	4th	"	12th do
William Lockhart	4th	"	30th do
L.t John Fancourt	4th	"	34th do
Honorable William Blaquiere	4th	"	22d Dragoons
Thomas Gage Montresor	4th	"	22d do
Thomas Paterson	4th	"	22d do
Robert Bell	4th	"	Artillery

Lt. Col. Commandant Royal Artillery

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Lieutenant

Engineers

1st	May	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	Captain
2nd	Nelson	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
3rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
4th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
5th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
6th	Hitchcock	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
7th	Nelson	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
8th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
9th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
10th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
11th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
12th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
13th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
14th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
15th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
16th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
17th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
18th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
19th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
20th	Nelson	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
21st	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
22nd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
23rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
24th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
25th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
26th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
27th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
28th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
29th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
30th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
31st	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
32nd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
33rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
34th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
35th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
36th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
37th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
38th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
39th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
40th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
41st	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
42nd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
43rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
44th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
45th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
46th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
47th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
48th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
49th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
50th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
51st	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
52nd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
53rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
54th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
55th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
56th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
57th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
58th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
59th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
60th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
61st	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
62nd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
63rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
64th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
65th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
66th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
67th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
68th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
69th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
70th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
71st	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
72nd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
73rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
74th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
75th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
76th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
77th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
78th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
79th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
80th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
81st	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
82nd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
83rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
84th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
85th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
86th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
87th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
88th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
89th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
90th	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
91st	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
92nd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
93rd	"	"	1st	"	"	1st	"	"	"
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Lieutenant Colonels

Names	Date of Rank		Corps
Aldwell Taylor	19th	May 1799	25th Native Infantry
John Chalmers	31st	July "	2d do
Alexander Dyce	18th	August "	16th do
Keith Macalister	4th	September "	1st Native Cavalry
Honorable Arthur Sentleger	4	" "	6th do
Charles Corner	10th	December "	19th Native Infantry
Robert M. Strange	10th	" "	13th do
John James Durand	10th	" "	17th do
James Brunton	9th	May 1800	20th do
Francis Cupper	17th	June "	16th do
John Cuppage	17	" "	13th do
Ross Lang	17th	" "	11th do

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Robert Long	27th	March	1801	Madras European Regiment
Charles Rumley	20th	May	"	5th Native Cavalry
Fredway Clarke	16th	October	"	Artillery
Alexander Macleod	10th	December	"	13th Native Infantry
Samuel Gibbs	23rd	"	"	59th Foot
William Orrok	23d	January	1802	8th Native Infantry
William Wilson	1st	February	"	9th ——— do
Walter Elliott	29th	April	"	33d Foot
George Dodsworth	29th	"	"	34th ——— do
Arthur Gore	23d	July	"	33d ——— do
James Innes	1st	January	1803	3d Native Infantry
Colin Macaulay	1st	"	"	7th ——— do
Joseph Gulston Hall	1st	"	"	4th ——— do
John Norris	1st	"	"	Engineers

Thomas

Lieutenant Colonels

Names	Date of Rank			Corps	
Thomas Parkison	19th	May	1803.	14th Native Infantry	In Europe
John Bell	25th	September	"	Artillery	do
John Dighton	2d	January	1804	8th Native Infantry	
Thomas Munro	19th	"	"	19th do	do
William Sheppard	1st	May	"	20th do	do
Robert John Findlerton	1st	"	"	7th Native Cavalry	
Alexander Deas	1st	"	"	2d do	do
John Darley	19th	"	"	4th Native Infantry	
Samuel Sexton	26th	"	"	25th do	do
Alexander Robertson	6th	June	"	14th do	do
William Macleod	4th	July	"	Madras European Regiment	do

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Edward O'Reilly	25th	September	"	7th	Native Infantry
Henry Webber	25th	"	"	22d	Do
Alexander Greenhill	25th	"	"	15th	Do
George Boconess	25th	"	"	25th	Do
Jeremiah Simons	25th	"	"	11th	Do
Samuel William Ogg	25th	"	"	5th	Do
John Malcolm	25th	"	"	2d	Do
James Campbell	27th	"	"	94th	Foot
John Doveton	15th	October	"	4th	Native Cavalry
G. D. Adams	8th	December	"	25th	Dragoons
John Hilly Symons	12th	"	"	17th	Native Infantry
William Berkeley	12th	"	"	10th	Do
William Macleod	12th	January	1805	69th	Foot

Nathaniel

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List of Officers appointed by Lieut. Col. Stevenson to Command Detachments

Lieutenant Colonels

Names	Date of Rank			Corps	
Nathaniel Forbes	24th	January	1805	24th	Native Infantry
Henry Nash	5th	February	"	10th	do
Augustus Floyer	15th	"	"	3d	Native Cavalry
Robert Moreton Grant	1st	March	"	6th	Native Infantry
James George Graham	13th	"	"	17th	do
George Martin	16th	"	"	5th	do
Charles Godfrey	27th	June	"	12th	do
Andrew McCally	27th	"	"	18th	do
Alexander Baillie	9th	July	"	16th	do
Samuel Evans	25th	"	"	9th	do

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Lt. Col. Forbes

Lt. Col. Nash

Lt. Col. Floyer

Lt. Col. Grant

Alexander Orr	25th	"	"	12th	do.	
William Youngson	20th	September	"	11th	do.	In Europe
James Dunn	25th	November	"	8th	Native Cavalry	
William Cunningham	27th	January	1806	Madras European Regiment		In Europe
H. G. Wade	4th	February	"	25th	Dragoons	
Thomas Hayes	31st	May	"	Artillery		
George Hadow	11th	July	"	21st	Native Infantry	In Europe
Hugh Buchan	22d	May	1807	22d	do.	
Thomas Marriott	26th	June	"	24th	do.	
James George Scott	4th	July	"	Artillery		

Majors

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Majors

Names	Date of Rank			Corps	
William Wright	2d	March	1800	30th Foot	
Christopher Lerge	10th	August	1801	69th do	
James Richard Coates	29th	April	1802	69th do	
Philip Saumarez	29th	"	"	38th do	
Walter C. Lennon	29th	"	"	Engineers	In Europe
Colin Mackenzie	29th	"	"	do	
John Milson	27th	June	"	12th Foot	
John Campbell	25th	November	"	33d do	
John White	26th	May	1803	80th do	
Alexander McLeod	1st	October	"	59th do	

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William Carden	22d	November	"	25th	Dragoons	
Thomas Wilson	24th	April	1804	16th	Native Infantry	
Rob Hickman Neary	5th	May	"	3d	do	
Patrick Walker	15th	"	"	4th	Native Cavalry	
James Rowlet	15th	"	"	3d	do	In Europe
James Nagle	19th	"	"	4th	Native Infantry	do
Alexander Macfarlan	26th	"	"	5th	do	do
Alexander Maitland	6th	June	"	6th	do	do
Thomas Nuthall	27th	"	"	6th	Native Cavalry	
Benjamin Harris	4th	July	"	9th	Native Infantry	In Europe
Hamilton Hall	28th	September	"	2d	do	do
Robert Munro	26th	"	"	20th	do	
Mark Wilks	25th	"	"	6th	do	

William

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Majors

Names	Date of Rank	Corps
William Dowse	25th September 1804	8th Native Infantry
Sir David Ogilby Kint	25th " "	9th do
James Leith	25th " "	21st do
Patrick Bruce	25th " "	18th do
Strickland Kingston	25th " "	22d do
Charles Trotter	25th " "	25 do
Frederick Pierce	25th " "	Madras European Regiment
John William Freese	25th " "	Artillery
Patrick Joyce	25th " "	7th Native Infantry
Robert Shaw	25th " "	10th do

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Robert Barclay	28th	"	"	11th	do.
Alexander Bryce	28th	"	"	12th	do.
Robert Fletcher	28th	"	"	17th	do.
Thomas Whittle	28th	"	"	19th	do.
William Henry Hewett	28th	"	"	17th	do.
Galbraith Hamilton	28th	"	"	13th	do.
Robert Breece	28th	"	"	24th	do.
John Innes	28th	"	"	74th	Foot
George Neal	15th	October	"	15	Native Cavalry
Thomas Boles	15th	November	"	8th	Native Infantry
Henry William Radcliffe	12th	December	"	15th	do.
Hampin Richardson	12th	"	"	2d	do.

Thomas

Lieut. Col. Fraser

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Majors

Names	Date of Rank	Corps
Thomas Fleming	1st January 1805	30th Foot
J. A Stark	1st " "	80th do
Lieut. David Bruce	24th " "	20th Native Infantry
Joseph Eastwood	9th February "	24th
Sir John Sinclair Bart.	14th " "	Artillery
Lionel Andrews Daniel	15th " "	4th Native Cavalry
James Armstrong	25th " "	30th Foot
Edward Batchelor	13th March "	21st Native Infantry
Hugh Fraser	16th " "	5th do
John Goldsworthy	30th April "	10th do

Lieut. Colonels

Majors

Alexander Muirhead	27th	June	18th Dr
John Lindsay	9th	July	11th Dr
Mt Vernon	25th	"	12th Dr
George Lang	25th	"	13th Dr
Hopetown Stratford Scott	15th	August	7th Dr
Paul Box	20th	September	14th Dr
Andrew Mc Dowall	16th	October	15th Dr
Robert Towers	25th	"	22d Dragoons
Robert Nat	9th	Novembr	4th Native Infantry
John Averend	25th	"	7th Native Cavalry
Thomas Tickborne	27th	January 1806	Madras European Regiment
John Jones	4th	February	25th Dragoons
William Lewis	5th	March	2d Native Cavalry
Dennis Quin	6th	"	33d Foot

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Lt Col. Hamilton's Regt

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Majors

Names	Date of Rank			Corps
Nath.l Matt.w Smyth	23.d	April	1806	14.th Native Infantry
Henry Austen	3.d	July	"	59.th Foot
J. M. Everard	10.th	"	"	34.th do
William Blackburne	11.th	"	"	8.th Native Infantry
Donald M.c Donell	11.th	"	"	16.th do
John Colebrooke	2.d	August	"	5.th Native Cavalry
Joseph Storey	2.d	"	"	19.th Native Infantry
John Crosdell	5.th	November	"	Artillery
Cosmo Gordon	12.th	February	1807	94.th Foot
William Peter Heetland	22.d	May	"	22.d Native Infantry
Thomas Gurnell	25.th	June	"	25.th do
Samuel Dalrymple	4.th	July	"	Artillery

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Minute of the Right Honble the President

From the Statement laid before Council by the Commander in Chief, it appears that the Officers whose names are inserted in the Margin belonging to His Majesty's Service were appointed to Commands, which they now hold, at the time when they enjoyed the Superior rank of Colonel in Consequence of the Kings warrant since cancelled — The Board will recollect that the question proposed in my Minute of the 20th August for the consideration of Council was whether any particular cases of supersession which might have occurred in consequence of

President's Minute. - His observations thereon. —

Lieut. Colonel Gillespie
" Hare
" Davis
" Forbes
" Lockhart
and
" Montresor

of that Warrant, and which might still continue to the prejudice of the Individuals so superceded, should not now be redressed — Justice seemed to require that the subject should undergo a full investigation, and that the consequences of a cause now at end, which had occasioned some private injury and much public dissatisfaction should cease also — In order to form as just a determination as possible upon this question, I shall consider each case separately, the pretensions of the Officer actually holding the Command compared with the claims of

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Lieut.t Colonel Gillespie
19.th Dragoons
Commanding Do
at
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of those Officers now his Superiors.

The first in point of Rank is Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie.

This Officer superceded Lieutenant Colonel Kennedy of the 19.th Dragoons in the command of Arcot. Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie independant of the Brevet was at the time of his appointment the Senior Officer of Cavalry in India ——— Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger, immediately above Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie in the Army List, had not then arrived in India — In this instance no Officer was superseded in consequence

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Lieutenant Colonel Hare
22d Dragoons
Commanding At
Nundydroog.

-quence of his Majesty's Brevet-
There are only four Colonels
in the Company's service in-
India; Croker, Torrens, Lalande
and Wahab — The three
former are unemployed at their
own request, Colonel Wahab
has the Command of Tanjore-
Colonel Alexander
Lieutenant Colonel Hare
22d Dragoons
Commanding At
Nundydroog.
but page has complained of
having been superseded by
Lieutenant Colonel Hare-
The note annexed by the com-
-mander in Chief to the State
-ment No. 1. is a summary of
the explanation which on
my minute of the ....
I have given at greater length,
of the particulars of this transa-
-ction — All the Officers in
India whom the Warrant
placed

placed under Lieutenant-Colonel Hare and are now again become his Superiors have Commands — Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger now his Superior was not then in India.—

Lieutenant Colonel Davies 22d Dragoons Commanding at Bangalore.—

Upon the formation of the Cantonment at Bangalore Lieutenant-Colonel Davies succeeded to the Command as Senior Officer. All the Officers in India whom the Warrant placed under Lieutenant-Colonel Davies and are now again become his Superiors, except Lieutenant-Colonel Durand have Commands. Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger was not then in India

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India – Here appears the first Officer among the cases so far stated who in point of Seniority of Rank might claim the benefit of the abolition of the Warrant, and pretend to the Command of Bangalore in preference to Lieutenant Colonel Davies – Independant of the particular Satisfaction which has been given to the Mysore Government by Lieutenant Colonel Davies, Lieutenant Colonel Durand is not an Officer whom I should recommend for an appointment where conciliation would be an essential requisite –

Lieutenant Colonel Forbes upon joining his 1st Regiment

Lieutenant Colonel
Forbes 2d Regiment
Commanding Malabar
and Canara

Regiment from England
superseded Lieutenant
Colonel Alexander Macleod
in the Command of the
Malabar and Canara
Lieutenant Colonel Forbes
independently of the
Warrant was Superior in
Rank to Lieutenant Colonel
Macleod. By a reference
to Sir John Cradocks
Memorandum in Statement
C it will be seen that the
earliest opportunity was
taken to repair to Lieute-
nant Colonel Macleod
the Ops of his Command
by the appointment to
Chittledroog. Lieutenant
Colonel Forbes being next
to Lieutenant Colonel Davis
upon

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upon the List the same remarks
engrafted to Lieutenant Colonel
Sentleger and Lieutenant Colonel
Durand apply equally to the
present case.

Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart
30th Regiment — commanding at
Wallajahbad.—

The 30th Regiment
upon its arrival in India
was sent as a matter of course
to the healthy Station of
of the Warrant Lieutenant
Colonel Lockhart, superseded Lt Col
Lang then holding the Com-
mand, now became his
Superior on the List with
one intervening name —
Lieutenant Colonel Lang
has been since appointed
to Vellore, a Command of
equal importance. Except
Lieutenant Colonel Durand
Lieutenant

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Lieutenant Colonel Picton
of His Majesty's 12.th Regement
is the only Officer his Superi-
or who has not a Command
Lieutenant Colonel Picton
having had equally the
benefit of the Brevet comes
not within the present con-
-sideration. Lieutenant
Colonel Kemlleger was not
then in India.

I must refer the
Council to the Commander
in Chiefs note upon this
Statement No.1. The facts
stated are in the recollection
of the members who were
then in Council. All his
Superiors in the Kings
Service equally his Superi-
ors at the time of his appoint-
ment

Lieutenant Colonel Montresor
22.d Dragoons
Commanding the Subsidi-
ary Force at Hydrabad.

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-ement as at present proba-
-bly in their own breasts
gave a preference to their
own Claims — The same
feelings may now be experi-
-enced by the Company's
Officers become his superiors.

This Officer was chosen
by Council after long and
mature deliberation, atten-
-tion to Seniority is more
observed in India than
in any other Country, and
by any other Government:
but Cases of great importance
must frequently occur where
other considerations must be
preferred — By this Rule
the Individual in question
was chosen — The choice
was the right as well as the

Duty

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Duty of the Government —
Lieutenant Colonel Montresor
has Commanded the Force
in delicate times — He has
received the expression of
the approbation of the —
Government and I cannot
but consider him entitled as
well by his good conduct
as by his gradations to
retain the Command —
Having now brought
under the view of Council each
case with the separate interests
connected with it, I shall —
conclude with giving the —
opinion that in those instan-
ces where temporary injury —
was done to individual offi-
cers by the operation of the
Warrant the nomination
to

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to some other Command has long since compensated the disappointment, and that in the case of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor forming the single exception to the preceding remark, it would be inconsistent with the public Interests to make any alteration.

(Signed) Wm. Bentinck

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17th August 1807.

The Board having attentively considered the above papers, it appears that they afford abundant evidence that the greatest impartiality has been observed towards the Officers of His Majesty's and of the Honorable Company's Service in the allotment of the Military Commands, and it is accordingly Resolved that no immediate change in the distribution of the Commands is necessary.

George

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&c. &c. &c.

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief with an address from Lieutenant Colonel Lindsayer remonstrating against the Commissioner of Lieut.Col. Gibbs's appointment as Inspector of Cavalry—

Sir

The Commander in Chief has directed me to forward to you the enclosed Memorial from the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Lindsayer of the 6th Native Cavalry, which is now addressed as directed, to the Right Honorable the President in Council—

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

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Thos. Reynell

Military Secy.

To His Excellency

Sir John Gradock K.B.

Commander in Chief

&c. &c. &c.

Sir

I have the honor to transmit a Memorial for the Right Honorable the President in Council—

I humbly request your Excellency's support

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support to it, as I conceive it entirely a Military point, and of consequence to the Service at large, when a Junior Officer holds controuling power over his Senior.

I have the honor to be

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7th August 1807

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/Signed/ A. Sentleger
Lieut. Col. Comt.
6th Regiment Cavalry

To The Right Honorable
The President in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

Under my present situation, I cannot consistently with just feeling of what I owe to myself as an Officer, remain silent, however painful it may be, to make representations to Government.

It is ever disagreeable to an Officer, to be compelled to state his services, but when I find an Officer junior to myself, vested with inspecting and controuling power over that Branch of the Army, to which I particularly belong, I think it necessary

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necessary to shew that no part of my conduct in the course of 27 years service, has been such as to weaken my claim to Command --

I was appointed to the Cavalry in January 1781, since which period I have never commanded less than a Troop, or Squadron; it is with honest pride, I can state for your Lordships information, that I partook in the dangers of every action that occured during that eventful War in which Sir Eyre Coote Commanded the army of this Presidency, and that I had also the advantage, of serving during all the time, when the late Lord Cornwallis so ably led the forces in India, against Tippoo Sultaun in Mysore, I was subsequently much employed amongst the Southern Poligars, until the formation of the Army in 1798 under General Harris, when I had the honor to Command a Regiment of Cavalry --

Since that period I never commanded less than a Regiment, and frequently have been placed at the head of Brigades, or Divisions of the Army, on much active Service, as will appear by reference

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reference to a Memorial, I lately addressed the Honorable Court of Directors.—

What was my conduct in those Commands will best appear by a reference to the orders issued, at various times regarding me and my Corps, I have only to add that I commanded the Cavalry of the Army, in the Deckan until August 1804, when worn down with sickness, I was compelled to quit the Field after the War was concluded, against the Mahrattas, and to relinquish a distinguished Command to seek for health by a voyage to my native Country, to the serious detriment of my private fortune.—

Returning to my duty I find a junior Officer executing the General controul over the Corps of the Cavalry, whilst the trust vested in me is limited to the charge of my own Regiment—Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie being my Junior Officer, cannot respect the Corps I command, and if he continues to hold a situation of General controul over the Honorable Company's Cavalry, I must appear to that most respectable body in a degraded light—

recollecting

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recollecting as they must do, that six Regiments were entrusted to my Command during an active period of the late Mahrattah war.—

The merit of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie is universally acknowledged, and I admit in the fullest extent his well founded claims on the favors of Government.— But however meritorious the conduct of that valuable Officer has been he continuing to hold the appointments of Inspector of Cavalry &c. whilst I am placed in a situation of inferior Command or respec- tability — must degrade the feelings of an Officer and tend to lower me in the opinion of the Army.—

On these grounds I trust my — — case with the full confidence in the justice of your Lordship will be moved to remove the Hardships I complain of, or redress it otherwise as you may think fit—

I have the honor to be

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&c. &c.
Signed A. Sandleger
Lieut. Colo. Comdg —
6th Regiment Cavalry.

To

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To the Honorable

Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger

My Dear Colonel

I have the pleasure to enclose the Extract of a Letter which I have received from Government by which you will perceive that the Supreme Government are not unmindful of your Services — I conclude that — you will receive a Copy of this Letter.—

I am

Seringapatam

March 12th. 1800.

Dear Colonel Yrs. &c.

(Signed) Arthur Wellesley

Extract of a Letter from the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council — Dated 4th. February 1800.—

We were highly pleased with the — Decision and vigor of the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger's Conduct in driving the Mahrattahs from the Village of Kurlcull of which they had taken possession in violation of the Rights of the Company and of the Nizam under the treaty of Mysoor — We request our Sentiments on this occasion to be com.d communicated

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Communicated to Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger—

A true Extract

Bellary 27th December 1802.

Major General Campbell having—
concluded a detailed Inspection of the Honorable—
Company's 6th Regiment Cavalry, Commanded by
Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable Arthur Sentleger
has great satisfaction in declaring that the complete
order of the Horses Arms and Accoutrements, the
expertness of the Regiment in Squadron, Line and
Manœuvre, the Military Appearance and steady
Men on foot Parade, together with the system and
regularity that prevails throughout every department
far surpassed his Expectations and appears to him
exemplary.—

The Major General has much—
pleasure in observing a Spirit of Zeal and Emulation
among the Officers which cannot fail to maintain—
the present excellent state of the Corps—and insure
Credit and honor to themselves whenever the Regi-
ment may be called into action—or all these—

points

points the Major General will not fail to make a faith-
full report to His Excellency the Commander in
Chief.-

Extract of a Letter from the Resident of Hydrabad
to Colonel James Stevenson Commanding the
Subsidiary Force - Dated February 15th 1803.-

"The appearance of the 6th. Regiment
"of Cavalry, abundantly confirms the justness of
"the Reputation it has acquired for good order and
"discipline, and I cannot but congratulate you on
"the valuable addition of your Force which so excel-
"lent a Corps, and so able a Commander must be
"allowed to constitute."

Extract of a Letter from the Honorable Major General
Wellesley to the Right Honorable the Governor General
on the Battle of Argaum.-

"The British Cavalry then pursued them
"for several Miles, and destroyed great numbers, and
"took many Elephants and Camels, and much
"baggage."

"For the reasons stated in the com-
mencement

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"mencement of this letter the action did not begin
"till late in the day, and unfortunately sufficient
"ent day-light did not remain to do all that I could
"have wished, but the Cavalry continued their pursuit
"by moonlight, and all the troops were under arms
"till a late hour in the night."

"I have the honor to enclose a return
"of our loss in this action. The troops conducted them-
"selves with their usual bravery. The 74th and 78th
"Regiments had a particular opportunity of distin-
"guishing themselves, and have deserved and received
"my thanks. I am also much indebted to Colonel
"Stevenson for the advice and assistance I received from
"him; to the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Lindsay
"for the manner in which he led on the British
"Cavalry; and to Lieutenant Colonels Wallace
"Adams, who Commanded Lieutenant Colonel
"Harness's brigade, the latter being absent on account
"of severe indisposition; Haliburton, Macleane,
"Pogson, and Major Blakeney who Commanded
"brigades of Cavalry and Infantry, to Major Gen
Campbell

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"Campbell Commanding the 94th Regiment, to
"Captain Beauman Commanding the Artillery with
"the Division under my immediate Command, to
"Captain Burke Commanding the Artillery,
"with the Subsidiary Force, and to the Officers
"of the Staff with my Division, and belonging
"to the Subsidiary Force."—

Extract of the Memorial of the Honorable
Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Sentleger of the
Madras Cavalry to the Honorable Court of
Directors.

Para 3d. "Your Memorialist, therefore,
"shows that immediately after, and ever since has
"obtaining the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, he has
"held a distinguished Command in your Army.—
"In the year 1799 he was sent with a Detach-
"ment to expel the Mahrattahs out of the Soonda
"Province, for which he received the thanks of your
"Governor General, and also the thanks of General
"Wellesley. In the year 1800 your Memorialist
"Commanded Arcot, having at that Station under

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"his orders His Majesty's 19th and 25th Light Dragoons.
"In December the Regiment was recruited, eleven months
"after it was commenced with, and reported by Major
"General Campbell fit for field service - January 1801
"Major Skinner at Poona was called to the field, and nomi-
"nated to the Command of the Brigade in the ceded
"Districts, under Major General Campbell consisting
"of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons, 1st 4th and
"6th Regiments Cavalry, and 6 Battalions Sepoys
"Marches, some exceeding 60 Miles, under that experi-
"enced Officer Major General Campbell, terminat-
"ed different Forts, until the Insurgency came speedily
"prevented a long War.

"Your Memorialist, in January
1803, marched with his Regiment by
"ordinary Forces of the Nizam, and was immedi-
"ately appointed to the Cavalry Brigade. After
"the junction of the Forces under General Wellesley
"and Colonel Stevenson, he had the honor to have
"the two Brigades of Cavalry placed under him,
"consisting of His Majesty's 19th Light Dragoons,

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"the 3d 4th 5th 6th and 7th Regiments of Cavalry, and
"led them in that destructive charge on the enemy,
"at Argaum, which must be fully in the memory
"of your Honorable Court. During the siege of
"Gwalgher he was intrusted by General Wellesley
"with the Command of the Army covering the siege,
"including the Allies of 14,000 horse, 8000 Infantry,
"and 36 guns, Scindiah's Army being within one
"March."

Minute of the Right Honorable the President

Lord William Bentinck's Minute. Objects to the Removal of Lieut. Colonel Gillespie.

Lieutenant Colonel Huntleger has remonstrated against the Continuance of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie in the special appointment of Inspecting officer of the Cavalry — He states "that "his Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie's "continuing to hold the appoint- "ment of Inspector of Cavalry "whilst he is placed in a situation

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"of inferior Command or respecta-
"bility must degrade the feel-
"ings of an Officer and tend
"to lower me in the opinion of
"the Army."

It is necessary that

Presidents Minute

August 11th 1806 I should refer the Council to the

and Circumstances which led to the

Commander in Chiefs original Nomination of Lieute-

Minute dated 4th nant Colonel Gillespie-

August 15th 1806.

It will appear from

the Minutes noted in the 4th

Margin that the appointment

was created for Lieutenant 4th

Colonel Gillespie in the double

purpose of rewarding the 4th

extraordinary Service perform-

ed by that Officer at Vellour

and of improving the Cavalry

in India — The efficiency of

this branch of the Service in

England

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England has during latter years made great progress, and the opportunity seemed to be offered in the person of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie an officer of great experience and reputation recently arrived from England where he had served in Major General Lord Paget's Brigade of Light Cavalry of Commuican ting the same advantages to the Cavalry in India — It must also be observed that the office of Commandant of Cavalry whose duties were similar to those of the Inspector had been abolished by the Court of Directors — The revival of it could only be warranted by the very peculiar circumstances attaching to the time and to the Individual —

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The Continuance of the Office after the departure of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie has always appeared to me to be inconsistent with the orders of the Court—

Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger was not in India at the time of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespies appointments — Lieute. Colonel Gillespie by Virtue of the Kings Warrant since cancelled had at the time of his appointment an Rank Superior to Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger — Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie having been re-established in his natural rank, stands the next name in the List under Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger's —

The Question to be considered

considered is whether by the continu-
-ance of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie
in his present appointment the
Military usage is so far departed
from as to give just cause of Com-
-plaint to Lieutenant Colonel
Sentleger.—

I will for the sake of
more clear illustration suppose a
stronger case— I will suppose
that Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger
had been in India at the creation
of this appointment and had
been at that time Superior in
Rank to Lieutenant Colonel
Gillespie— Would this circum-
-stance of Seniority, I will ask
have been an insuperable bar
to the appointment of the latter to
Major General Paker of the Cavalry
is an example in point— He did

feel

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feel himself injured by the preference given to Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie — He appealed to the Council — his appeal was rejected, because his appointment was not only incompatible with the orders of the Court but would have frustrated all the objects in view — Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger's claim is liable to exactly the same objections as that of Major Ware General Baker without having the support of equal superiority of Rank. —

Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger founds his assertion of the incompetency of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie upon the supposition that the Cavalry in India form one Corps like a Regiment — and

– and that the appointment
of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie
affects him in the same manner
as the appointment of a Captain
to the Command of a Battalion
would affect a Major of the
same Corps actually present
with it – This reasoning
appears altogether inapplic-
able – Each Regiment
European and Native is per-
fectly distinct – Lieutenant
Colonel Sentleger has the
right to Command his
own Corps alone – He cannot
be superseded in this Com-
mand – But to all other
situations in the Service he
can only pretend in Common
with all those of his own
Rank – It will depend
upon

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upon the Government to elect the Officer whom they consider the most fit for the particular duty and Service to be performed — Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger would have cause to Complain if either he or his Regiment were made subject to the Superintendence of a Junior Officer — It was the impression that the arrival of a Superior Cavalry Officer would interfere with the entire Superintendence of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie that led me to adopt the opinion that the appointment must Cease but upon Consideration of the point the necessity was by no means apparent to my own Judgement — The Custom of the Military and Civil

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Civil Service is directly opposite—
Upon the arrival of a Senior—
no junior Servant
Civil Servant is ever removed to
make way for him, nor upon the
expected arrival of Lieutenant
Colonel Macallister Senior to—
Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger,
if the latter Officer should hap-
-pen to Command a Brigade
-ment of the former made no
part should I consider it indis-
-pensible to remove Lieutenant
Colonel Sentleger to make place
for Lieutenant Colonel Macallester-
-The Governor in Council might
do so if he thought proper but
where satisfaction has been given
it has always been customary
when no material inconvenience
was occasioned to continue the
Officer

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Officer in his Command —

In England the —
Inspecting Officer is a General
Officer Superior in Rank to
all Officers Commanding —
Corps — Here if the same choice
of General Officers existed which
is not the Case, and that an —
Inspector were necessary the
Superior Rank would be pre-
=ferable as the present embar-
=rassment could never exist —
But the Embarrassment does
not arise in any injury done
to the Individual but in the
Limitation placed to the Su-
=perintendence of the Inspect-
=ing Officer —

In short I am of
opinion that the removal
of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie

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Gillespie from his Command is not required by Military usage and is forbidden by a regard for the Service & which as far as I am informed has received much improvement under the inspection of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie — The Commander in Chief will no doubt give such orders as may be proper to prevent the Superintendence of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie from giving Lt. unnecessary offence to the feelings of Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger.—

/Signed/ Wm. Bentinck

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Minute of the Commander in Chief

Commander in Chief's Minute Concurs with the President in objecting to the removal of Lieut.t Col.e Gillespie.

I take the Liberty to express my entire concurrence with the general Sentiments of the Right Honorable the President upon the appointment of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie as Inspecting Officer of Cavalry — I view the Nomination, as a Favor done to an Individual, to whom the State was bound to shew a Mark of Public gratitude for a matchless act of Service, which appointment, at the same Time did advantage to the State by the superior Qualification of the same Person, in the object proposed —

The whole is an Exception from the common Rules, and therefore subject to no particular Course — The Fitness or the Contrary of the appointment, its Duration, or Dissolution, remains yet to be declared by the Honorable Court of Directors, and in my humble opinion, it would be extremely improper to disturb the Situation, in any shape, till their Pleasure, both as to the private and Public point of its View is ascertained — This Decision will probably arrive by

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by the next Ships, and I could only consider it a weakness to give way to the indecorous Impetuosity of the present Claimant, who would only have his Flour to weigh, as a Senior Officer is daily expected.—

Madras
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/Signed/ J. F. Cradock
Lieutenant General

The Board on full consideration of the Circumstances stated in the above Minutes, feel no hesitation in recording their opinion that there is no just ground for the removal of Lieutenant Colonel Gillespie from his appointment of Inspecting Officer of Cavalry; and there being on the contrary the strongest reason against that measure, it is accordingly resolved that it be not adopted.—

Resolution thereon.

Read the following Minutes of the Commander in Chief.—

Minute of the Commander in Chief.

Minute of the Commander in Chief relative to the inconvenience represented by Officers returning to England &c.

The Resolution of Council upon the Memorials of the Married Officers of His Majesty's 9th.

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in providing a passage for their wives & families.

94th. Regiment which I had the Honor to submit on the 11th. Instant, is expressed in such feeling Terms of regret at the obligation of Refusal, that I am encouraged to address the Government upon a Subject of Distress which has long occupied my Attention, and which is in my humble Opinion, deserving of every humane Consideration, and practicable alleviation.—

I seek a Confidence, founded upon the acknowledged Liberality of the Court of Directors, that whenever the Inconvenience and Distress to which the Officers of His Majesty's Regiments having Families, become subject upon their Embarkation in India for Europe, are represented through the Channel of proper Authority to the Honorable Court, that they will be inclined to give to such Representation, the Consideration that it so justly merits.—

In all Parts of His Majesty's Dominions upon the Embarkation of a Regiment to return to England, the Wives and Families of

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the Officers, are equally entitled with themselves to a Passage in such Vessels, Transports or Others, as may be appropriated for the Accommodation of the Corps — but in the East Indies, where the Difficulty of procuring a Passage, on account of Distance and other Circumstances, is greater than in any Part of the World, and the Sum demanded for Accommodation, even of the meanest order, is enormous, No Provision of any Kind is allotted for this Purpose —

That the Allowances granted by the Company, in addition to the Kings Pay, to a Subaltern Officer or even a Captain, will enable him in years of Oeconomy, to save a Sufficiency to meet this Contingency, I must beg Leave to deny, as such increased Subsistence, particularly in remote Stations, it is well known, will barely provide for the Carriage, and other additional Expence of every Article of Consumption —

It is impossible to imagine a any Situation more lamentable or afflicting to

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a feeling Mind than that of a Person, holding in
Society the Rank of a Gentleman, who is compelled
by Military Mandate to embark with his Lt
Regiment, Quarter'd, With a Wife and Family, for
whom no Admission with himself is granted, and
not possessing the Means of purchasing accom-
-modation for them, while conscious, that such
necessity cannot be ascribed to his own Improv-
-dence or Extravagance — Such scenes of Distress
may now be perpetually witnessed — as it is the
Intention to send two of His Majesty's Regiments to
annually to Europe in Conformity to the Arrangement
of His Royal Highness the Duke of York, contained
in the Instructions to the late Marquis Cornwallis,
and in lieu of two other Regiments, which by the
same Arrangement are to be annually embarked
in England for this Country —

Confident that the Right Honorable
the President and Council are fully acquainted
with the Hardships that must be experienced by
Officers under such Circumstances and Sensible

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of the humane Disposition, which the Government has uniformly evinced, whenever I have found it my Duty to lay before the Board Representations of this Nature, I am emboldened to hope, that the Situation of the Families of Married Officers in the King's Service returning with their Regiments to Europe, may be brought to the View of the Honorable Court of Directors in the next Public Dispatch, with the Recommendation of the Board, that some Provision may, on future like occasions, upon this account, be made according to the Rank of those entitled to such Relief, or in any other shape or Proportion, that the Honorable Court may be pleased to order their Bounty to be administered:—

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/Signed/ J. F. Cradock
Lieutenant General

The Board entirely agree in the sentiments recorded by the Commander in Chief with regard to the justice and propriety of providing accommodation at the public expense for the families of

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of Officers returning with their Regiments to England
and it is resolved That the Subject be accordingly
brought under the particular notice of the Honorable
Court of Directors.—

Minute of the Commander in Chief.

I have the Honor to lay before Govern-
ment a Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Montresor
forwarding a Letter with Several Enclosures from Ly
Captain Mandeville commanding the 2d. Batta-
lion 17th. Native Infantry a Contingent Bill
for approval of Government, and also an Extract
from Division orders authorizing a Third Mortar
Cooley to be maintained in the Department of the
Medical Storekeeper of the Hydrabad Force.—

The Cause of Captain Mandeville's
Representation is that the Paymaster had objected
to the Abstracts of the Regiment on account of his
having charged for Batta which had been issued
to some Recruits on their March to join the Corps,
and which he conceived by the Regulations of
the Service, he was perfectly authorized to do.—

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Minute of the Commander in Chief with Copy of a Letter received from the Commanding Officer of the Subsidiary Force at Hydrabad — Recommends that an additional Mortar Cooly may be employed in the Medical Department of that Force and that Captain Mandeville of the 17th. Regiment Native Infantry be relieved from a Retrenchment on account of Batta drawn for some Recruits while on march.

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The Regulations allow a Fanam per Day for each Recruit, for the Number of Days to run in the Month of his Enlistment, and it would appear that he is afterwards entitled to the same Pay and Allowances, as an Effective Soldier, and of course in Common with them, to the Indulgence of Travelling Batta. No order exists to prohibit the Recruit from having every allowance of an Effective Soldier, after the broken Period of the Month in which he is enlisted has expired.—

I think that the Restriction against Captain Mandeville should be removed, and in recommending that an order should be published to place this Question beyond future Doubt, I will beg Leave to call the attention of the Board to the following Extract of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor's Letter.—

"I also imagine that the consideration of the Distance many of the Recruits for this "Station have to come to join the Head Quarters "of their Corps and the great object of enabling them

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"them to bring their Families with them would "
"influence the Sanction of Government to their "
"participating as early as possible, on the Indul-
"gence of Travelling Batta, more particularly "
"when it is considered, that the Allowance of one
"Fanam per Day without even the Convenience of
"Credit, would afford them, but a bare Subsis-
"tence, probably during a March of Two or Three
"Months as for Instance in the Case of Recruits "
"enlisted at Trechinopoly for the 1st. Battalion 16th.
"Regiment having to march to Bevar the Conse-
"quences must be their non attendance, by their
"Families from the Want of Means to support "
"them on the Road.-

Cooley appears by the Letter of the Superintending Surgeon, to have been required for the good of the Service, I recommend that the order from the Commanding Officer for his being entertained, receive the Sanction of Government, as well as the Contingent Bill for Secret Intelligence,

should

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Should the amount upon Reference to the Office of Audit, be found Conformable to the Regulations.

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/Signed/ L. L. Bradocks
Lieutenant General

To His Excellency
The Commander in Chief's Military Secretary
Fort St. George

Sir.

I have the honor to enclose a Letter from Captain Mandeville Commanding the 2d Battalion 17th Regiment stating an objection made by the Paymaster to admit Travelling Batta for Recruits during their March from the distant Situations they are recruited at to this Station ——— In requesting you to submit the Subject to His Excellency the Commander in Chief for Consideration I beg leave to state, that it appears to me to be the Spirit of the Orders detailed in 15th 16th 18th 19th 20th and 22d Paragraphs of the 18th Section of the Code of Regulations, that a gratuity of one fanam per

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per day shall be drawn and paid to each Recruit for the number of Days to run of the Month he is enlisted, and that subsequent to that period he becomes entitled to his Pay and all other allowances as an Effective man, and therefore entitled while on his route to join to the indulgence of travelling Batta at the rate of 12 ½ miles per day, agreeable to the 4th Par. of the concluding Section of the Pay Tables published by the Military Auditor General, in like manner as the Recruiting Party that accompanies him — I also imagine that the consideration of the distance many of the Recruits for this Station have to come to join the Head Quarters of their Corps and the great object of enabling them to bring their families with them, would influence the Sanction of Government to their participating as early as possible in the indulgence of Travelling Batta more particularly when it is considered that the allowance of one fanam per day, without even the convenience of Credit, would afford them but

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but a bare subsistance, probably during a march of Two or Three Months, as for instance in the case of Recruits enlisted at Trichinopoly for the 1st Battalion 16th Regement having to march to — Dear the Consequences must be, their non attendance by their families, from the want of means to support them on the road.— Considering the importance of this Question, I trust that His Excellency will pardon the extension of my arguments.—

I have also the Honor to enclose a Contingent Bill for the Sanction of Government which has already been approved by the Commander in Chief in the Adjutant General of the Army's letter to me of the 4th Instant and also an Extract from Division orders, Published by me, sanctioning a Third Mortar Cooley in the Department of the Medical Storekeeper, and to which I have to request the Sanction of Government may be obtained.—

I have &c.
(Signed) Tho. G. Montresor
Asst. Adjt. Genl.

To

Cantonments
Secunderabad
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To the Deputy Adjutant General
Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.

Sir,

I beg leave to inform you
for Lieutenant Colonel Montresor's Information
that I have this date ordered Pay
respecting Pay and Allowances in Arrears for
Indge and Advance for August 1807 ordered
to be issued in rotation to the Troops composing
the Force, in conformity thereto I sent the Pay
Abstracts of the 2d Battalion 17th Regiment Native
Infantry for Payment, to the Pay Office, on 11th
Instant by the Battalion Havildar, who returned
and informed me that the acting Military
Paymaster refused to Pay them
being incorrect.

I have the honor to inclose Copies
of Correspondence between the Officer commanding
2d Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry and
the Acting Military Paymaster of the Hyderabad
Subsidiary Force No. 1 to 5. and request they may
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be submitted to the consideration of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor commanding the Force.

The Correspondence in question comes under the following observation:-

Whether Government prohibits Recruits, who may be Entertained for the Service of Native Corps of Infantry at any place distant from the Head Quarters of a Corps or Detachment thereof to which the Recruiting party or Parties belong, shall not be entitled to receive Batta in marching from such Place to join their respective Corps or Detachments when these Recruiting Party or Parties, have been Sanctioned by proper authority" and as the Regulations of the Service do not prohibit Recruits from receiving Batta when marching to join their Corps or Detachments more than other Sepoys belonging to the same; I do not conceive that the authority of the Military Auditor General can be brought in Competition with that of Government, in

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in endeavouring to deprive the Recruit of Batta on which authority the acting Paymaster has refuses to admit the Charge of Batta for the Recruits included in the Battalion abstracts which he declines paying.

I am sorry to be under the necessity in representing this cause as a matter of Grievance to Lieutenant Colonel Montresor's consideration — but it also prevents the immediate payment of the Abstracts in question, a thing which subjects the Corps to much present inconvenience.

/Signed/ Co. Mandeville
Captain Comdg.
2d. Battalion 17th
Regt. Native Infantry

Cantonments
Secunderabad
14th August 1807.

A true Copy

/Signed/ Co. Mandeville
Captain Commanding
2d. Battalion 17th. Regt.

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No.1

To the Acting Military Paymaster
Hydrabad Subsidiary Force

Sir

Having directed the Basket of
2.d Battalion 17.th Regiment Native Infantry
take the Pay abstracts of the Corps this forenoon for
Payment to the Pay Office, conformable to D.o Or.
under date 6.th Instant He returned and inform-
.ed me that you refused Payment on the plea so
that the abstracts were not correct, — as the
allowances included therein, are agreeable to such
as have hitherto been drawn and admitted of since
the Corps arrival at this Station, I request you
will state your reasons or authority for with-
holding the Payment of the Abstracts in question
in order that mistakes if any may be rectified
accordingly —

Cantonments
Secunderabad
11.th August 1807.

/Signed/ C.s Mandeville Capt.n Comg
2.d Batt.n 17.th Regt.t N.I.

A true Copy

/Signed/ C.s Mandeville Capt.n
Comg. 17.th Regiment
N.I.

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No. 2.

To the Officer Commanding

2d Battalion 17th Regiment

Sir

In reply to your Letter of this day, I beg leave to inform you, that I mentioned to your Cadet last Month, the Impropriety of Drawing Batta for Recruits and warned him that I would not admit of any Charge which was not sanctioned by the Regulations of the Service and is not for the Military Auditor General has made Retrenchments from the Disbursements of the Late Paymaster on this very account, I must therefore decline paying any such Charge, as it has been pointedly and repeatedly rejected by the Office of Audit.—

11th August 1807

/Signed/ Wm Ormsby
Acting Paymaster

A true Copy

/Signed/ G. Mandeville
Captain Comg 2d Battalion
17th Regiment Native Infy

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No. 3.

To the Acting Military Paymaster
Hydrabad Subsidiary Force

Sir,

By your letter of 11th. Instant in reply to mine of the same date you state that the Military Auditor General has made Retrenchments from the Disbursements of the late Paymaster, on account of Batta being drawn for Recruits, and that this Charge has been pointedly and repeatedly rejected, by the Office of Audit, not being Sanctioned by the Regulations of the Service.

As Batta has invariably been drawn for Recruits, entertained by the 2d. Battalion 19th. Regiment N. I. since its arrival at this Station — and as Recruiting parties were Detached from the Corps on the March hither by order of the Officer Commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, and as these must necessarily march from such places where they were entertained, to join the Battalion Head Quarters and thereby become

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become entitled to Batta in Common with other
men Sent on this Duty, which have always been
admitted off — and not being aware of any Retrench-
ment of this nature by the Military Auditor General,
against Officers at the head of Companies, in the 2d
Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry which
would necessarily have taken place previous to the present
period founded on the Tenor of your Letter of 11th Instant
"I have to request that you will furnish me with a
Copy of such Government order or Orders / received
by you / as might have been issued on the Subject
of Native Recruits, "not entitled to receive Batta when
marching from out Stations or Places where they
were Entertained, to join their Corps."

/Signed/ C. Mandeville
Captain Commanding
2d Battalion 17th Regt
Native Infantry.

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Secunderabad
12th August 1807.

A true Copy
/Signed/ C. Mandeville
Captain Comg. 2d B. 17th Regt
Native Infantry

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No. 4.

To the Officer Commanding

2d Battalion 17th Regiment

Sir

In reply to your Letter I beg leave to inform you, that the Disbursements of the Pay master have been only audited up to the month of March, I therefore presume, that in that month such Charges was Inserted in your abstracts, as the Auditor General would have retrenched it as well as he has, the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment with the Remark that "Extra Subsistance had been already admitted for Recruits" It is not in my Power to furnish you with a Positive order of Government prohibiting Recruits to become Batta but I have the authority of the Auditor General, who constantly rejects such a Charge, as well as the practice of Several other Corps who never Draw Batta for Recruits, for declining to receive your Abstracts in their present state, and I have to request, that should you not be

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be satisfied with this Explanation, you may lay the matter before the Officer Commanding for his Consideration.

12th August 1807.

/Signed/ Wm Ormsby
acting Paymaster

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ A. Mandeville
Captain Commanding
2d Battalion 17th Regt.

No. 5.

To the Acting Military Paymaster
Hydrabad Subsidiary Force

Sir,

As it is not in your power to furnish me with a Government Order or Orders, prohibiting native Recruits to receive Batta, when marching from Places where they have been Entertained, being distant from the Head Quarters of the Corps which they must join, and as the authority of the Military Auditor General cannot be quoted in Confirmation with the

that

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that of Government, I must beg leave to re-
fer the Subject in question to the Consider-
ation of the Officer commanding the Force.

Cantonments
Secundrabad
12th August 1807

/Signed/ C. Mandeville
Captain Commanding
2d Battalion 17th Regt

True Copies
/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Deputy Adjutant Genl

To the Deputy Adjutant General
of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force

Sir,

His Excellency the Commander in
Chief having been pleased to sanction the two Mortars
Howitzers, formerly applied for, for the manufac-
ture of Quick Silver, for the use of this Force, I have
now the Honor to enclose you Extract of a Letter
from the Superintending Surgeon to the Deputy
Medical Storekeeper of this Force, under date 7th
April last, together with Extract of a Letter
to the Secretary to the Medical Board, dated 2d

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8th April, in consequence of which, a Second large Mortar was furnished which arrived here on the 4th June when a Third Mortar being also accordingly entertained, and for whom I have now to request that the necessary Sanction may be obtained from the above date.

Secunderabad
4th July 1807.

/Signed/ Alex.r Kennedy
Supg Surgeon
Fy.e Subsy. Force

True Copy
/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Deputy Adjt. General.

Extract of a Letter from the Superintending Surgeon, to the Deputy Medical Storekeeper of the Fyderabad Subsidiary Force dated 7th April 1807.-

In Conformity to the instructions of the Medical Board, you will have the goodness immediately to Entertain, upon as reasonable Terms as may be practicable two proper people, for the large Mortar which are

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we now have, that the manufactory may be commenced upon, without Loss of time; and as our Stock of the Metal is large, and three Coolies, would I imagine be adequate to keeping two Mortars Constantly at Work, I conceive that it would be a Measure, both of Expedition & Economy that you should prepare an Indent for another large Mortar and that when it arrives, you should Entertain a third Mortar Cooly to keep both Mortars in constant use, till the Work can be finished.

True Extract

(Signed) Alex.r Flennedey

Surg.n Surgeon

Fly.d Subs.y Force

A true Copy & Extract

(Signed) T. H. A. Conway

Deputy Adjutant

General

Extract

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Extract of a Letter from the Superintending Surgeon of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force. to the Secretary to the Medical Board—

Fort St. George, dated 8th April 1807.—

"Having been furnished by the Medical Storekeeper with the instructions of the Medical Board, for the Manufactoring the Stock of Quick Silver, now in Store here, I have accordingly given the necessary directions in a Letter to the Deputy Medical Storekeeper of this Force of which Copy is enclosed, and which I hope the Medical Board will approve.—"

True Extract

(Signed) Alex Kennedy

Supg Surgeon of the

Subsidiary Force

A true Copy of Extract

(Signed) T. Ho. S. Conway

Deputy Adjt. General

Extract

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Extract from D. O.rs

Head Quarters Hydrabad Subsidiary

Force 3d July 1807.-

"The Deputy medical Store-

keeper is authorized to entertain a third Mortar

Lascar on the same Establishment as those sanctioned by the D.o O.rs of 18th April 1807."

True Extract

(Signed) T. H. S. Conway

Deputy Adjutant Genl.

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that authority be given to the Military Auditor General for passing the contingent charge of Pagodas 26-24- submitted by Lieutenant Colonel Montresor; and for admitting the charge for an additional Mortar Lascar in the department of the Medical Storekeeper at Hydrabad.

Resolved also that the Military Auditor General be authorized to admit the charge of travelling Batta for the Sepoy recruits mentioned by Lieutenant Colonel Montresor;

and

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and that directions be given to the Military Auditor General to prepare the Draft of a General Order for the removal of the doubt which appears to exist on that subject.

Minute of the Commander in Chief- Submits the Certificates of Widows claiming Pensions from Lord Clive's fund.

I have the honor to submit to the Board the undermentioned Claims on the Fund established by the Bounty of the late Lord Clive and as they are supported by the Prescribed Certificates I recommend that the Claimants be admitted to participate in the provision it affords. Viz.

No. 1. ..... Claim of Mrs. Tanner Widow of Lieute. nant Colonel Tanner of Artillery.

2. Claim of Mrs. Ballard Widow of Conductor R. Ballard.

3. Claim of Mrs. Campbell Widow of Sergeant Humphrey Campbell of Artillery.

4. Claim of Mrs. Taylor Widow of Sergeant Edward Taylor of Infantry.

5. Claim of Mrs. St. Laurent Widow

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Widow of Serjeant Nicholas St. Laurent of
Artillery.—

6. Do. Claim of Mrs. Smith Widow of
Serjeant John Smith of Infantry.—

7. Do. Claim of Mrs. Moore Widow of
Serjeant John Moore of Infantry.—

8. Do. Claim of Mrs. Barrett Widow of
Serjeant James Barrett of Artillery.—

9 Do. Claim of Mrs. Thompson Widow
of Serjeant Thompson of Artillery.—

10 Do. Claim of Mrs. Terrien Widow of
Matross Terrien of Artillery.—

11 Do. Claim of Mrs. Hoorn Widow of
Private Anthony Hoorn of Infantry.—

12. Do. Claim of Mrs. Phillips Widow of
Private John Phillips of Infantry.—

13 Do. Claim of Mrs. Vikard Widow of
Private John Baptist Vickaird of Infantry.—

1st. September
1807.—

/Signed/ S. F. Bradock
Lieutenant General

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1791 Marriage

Captain James Arthur Tanner

and Miss Mary Muat were

Married in St. Mary's Church

Fort Saint George on the 25th day

of August 1791. by me.

/Signed/ Richard Leslie

Chaplain

In the Presence of

Geo. Muat.

Andrew Ross } /Signed/

Thos. Chase.

Extracted from the Register of Marriages

in St. Mary's Church Fort St. George, this 17th

day of August 1807.

A true Extract

/Signed/ Rev. Hen. Hutton

Chaplain of Fort St.

George.

Affidavet

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

Affidavit

I Mary Tanner Relict of the late Lieutenant & Colonel James Arthur Tanner do hereby solemnly make oath that he died not die possessid of Three Thousand Pounds Sterling after all his debts were paid—

/Signed/ Mary Tanner.

Sworn to before me
At My Gardens in
St Thome this 20th
day of August 1807.

/Signed/ Henry Gwillim

Vizagapatam

This is to certify that Richard Butland Conductor of Stores at Vizagapatam and Ann Denton a native Widow were united in holy Matrimony according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England this 25th day of February in the year of our Lord 1805.

In the presence of Witness
/Signed/ C. Leslie
" D. Johnson

/Signed/ Rob. Alexander
Judge &
Magistrate.

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I anne Butland Widow of the late
Richard Butland, Conductor of Stores, do hereby
make oath and declare that my husband did
not die possessed of, or entitled to, the amount of
750 L.-

So help me God.

(Signed) Anne Butland

Sworn to before me at Vizagapatam this 10th
day of August A.D. 1807.-

(Signed) G. Paske
Magistrate and One of
H.M. Justices of the
peace.-

To whom it may Concern

These are to certify that Humphry
Campbell and Eleanor Fenton were married in
the Garrison of Seringapatam on Saturday the
Sixteenth day of December In the year of our
Lord one thousand Eight hundred and four
by me.

(Signed) G. Clarke
Chaplain.

Seringapatam
December 16th 1804.-

This

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This is to certify, that Edward Taylor, Sergeant of Invalids, and Marcia Domina Native Spenister were united in holy matrimony according to the rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England this sixteenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and five by permission of the Commanding Officer.

/Signed/ J. H. Symons
Magistrate where no ordained Clergyman resides

In the presence of
Witnesses
/Signed/ Schlothauer, Sergent
(a.") ⊗ /mark/
Seringapatam

This is to Certify I the undersigned, that Laurence Sokey Gillian Son of Andrew Sokey and Iranna Francisca Milliaon born in Comblow in the Kingdom of Saboya, Corporal of Invalids in the Service of the Honorable English Company, Married with Anna Vandapitter Daughter of Jacob Vanderpiller and Anna Volloy - in my presence and before

W. Lovejoi

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Witness's Matthew Cosp. and M. La Rivière —

Dated in the Church estramuror at Trichinopaly

the 18th February 1776

/Signed/ Father Machado

Miss. Apostolic.

This is to Certify that on the 10th of this Month

John Smith Serjeant in the 16th Battalion of

Sepoys was joined in Matrimony to Mary Santas

Native of Trichinopaly by me the under-written

English Missionary Vepery Church May 25th

1787.

/Signed/ Jno Ph. Fabricius.

This is to Certify that John Frederick Moor

was lawfully married with Miss Elizabeth

Burghall at Vepery Church on the 19th of

November 1814. by me the undersigned. —

Given at Vepery from the Church Register

this 10th Day of August 1807.

/Signed/ M. Pagold

Marriage

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Marriage

James Barrett and Catharine Steward
were married in St Mary's Church Fort
Saint George on the 11th day of November 1797
by the Reverend Richard Leslie -

Extracted from the Register of Marriages
in St Mary's Church Fort Saint George
this 25th day of May 1807

/ A true Extract /

/ Signed / R. H. Kerr

This is to Certify that Peter Shepman
2d Battalion Artillery was lawfully married
to Anna Fransvaugh by me on the 28th
day of April 1797 at St. Thomas' Mount

/ Signed / Richd Charleton
Lieutenant and
Adjutant
2d Batt. Artillery

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N.B. This original Certificate was lost on the Expedition to Egypt — by shipwreck having been shipwrecked.

/Signed/ Robt. Bell
Colnel

This is to certify that Charles Francois Favrin Corporate Soldier in the Light Company of His Majesty's Regiment De Meuron and — Margaret Aberg or spinster, were united in — holy matrimony according to the rites and — ceremonies of the Church of England, this — twelfth day of May one thousand eight hundred and five —

/Signed/ John Kelly Symons
Magistrate

Serenga patam
the 12th of May 1805

In the presence of
/Signed/ F. F. Berger. S. M.
" Evers Paije Sergeant.

This is to Certify that Anthony Horn private in Captain Mc Neales Company

2048 Fort St.t George 1.st September 1807.

1.st Battalion European Infantry, and Genevr.
Sarah Sesaya, a Native of Negapatam were united
in holy Matrimony according to the Rites and
Ceremonies of the Church of England this 2.d
day of February 1788, by permission of his
Superiors.

Extract from the Church - Register.

by me - Signed / Chr. Pohle

Trichinopoly
19.th March 1807.

English ... Miss.
& Offic. Chapl.

This is to certify that John Phipps
was lawfully Married to Catharine Flanslow
at Cuddalore Church by the late Mr. Newman
Lane Reader of the said place on the 21.st of
November 1789. Given at Vepery from the
Register of Cuddalore Church this 7.th Day
of June 1807. by me.

Signed / Jno. P. Rottler

Protestant
Missionary.

This is to Certify that John Baptist
Vekard

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Vikard, Private of European Infantry, a native of the netherlands was lawfully married, with Permission of the Commanding Officer John Paterson; to Ignasia Corell of Nagapatam on the 25th of October in the year 1782, by me

/Signed/ Christian Pohle
Officiating Chaplain &c.

According to the Church Register Trichinopaly
2d May 1803. (Signed) Christian.
Pohle at Supra.

Resolution thereon

Resolved that the persons mentioned in the above Minute be admitted as Pensioners on Lord Clives fund.

Minute of the Commander in Chief

Minute of the Commander in Chief Lieut. Willows of the Regiment &c. applies for Leave of absence.

I submit to the Board an application from Lieutenant Willows of the 25th Regement of native Infantry, soliciting permission to be absent from his duty at this Presidency for 4 Months to visit some near Relations at Tondor, the Cantonment of

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of the Poonah Subsidiary Force.-

1st September 1807.-

(Signed) J. T. Bradock

Lieutenant General

To the Right Honorable

Lord William Bentinck

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George

My Lord

Having some very near relations

at Seroor whom I am anxious to see, I beg to

solicit four Months leave of Absence from this

Presidency for that purpose.-

Fort St. George

August 28th 1807.-

(Signed) Jno. Willows

Lieutenant 2d Battalion

25th Regiment N. I.

Resolved that permission be

Resolution thereon

given to Lieutenant Willows to be absent

from his duty, for the purpose stated in the

above Minute.-

Read

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Read the following Letter from

The Military Paymaster General—

To the Chief Secretary

of Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Military Paymaster General Relative to a retrenchment of the Salary of Lieutenant Colonel Hutchisons as Paymaster in Cattack.

I have the honor to enclose a Letter addressed to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council received by me from Lieutenant Colonel G. Hutchison formerly Paymaster in Cattack together with Copy of his Letter to me of the 14th Ultimo with its enclosures, which I have to request you will be pleased to lay before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council—

I take leave to enclose Copies of Correspondence which has passed with Lieutenant Colonel Hutchison in order that his Lordship in council may judge how far Lieutenant Colonel Hutchison is correct, Colonel Brunton the late Military Auditor General, left India last October and my Letter and Statement was furnished from the 31st March 1806—

The first Months accounts made

up

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ure by Lieutenant Colonel Flatchison is for April 1804 in which the Office Establishment for March drawn by Captain Thompson, his Predecessor, is charged, as also an Office Establishment by himself for April, the latter has been Retrenched of this Retrenchment Lieutenant Colonel Flatchison Complains and of my Department, when he must have known that the Office of Audit alone could afford him relief, and that the sum still remained Retrenched he also must have been aware from its not having been admitted on the Letters of Re-audit and Final Audit forwarded to him by that Department.

I am &c. &c.

/Signed/ D. Roebuck

Military Paymr. Genl.

Fort St. George
25th August 1807.

To the Right Honorable
The Governor in Council
Fort St. George

My Lord,

As late Paymaster to the Northern Field Detachment at Cuttack, I take the liberty of addressing

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addressing you on the subject of a retrenchment made from my Disbursements for the Months of April 1804 by Colonel J. Brunton late Military Auditor General for Pagodas 246. 41. 40 - Copy of which retrenchment I have the Honor to enclose for your Lordships inform-ation.—

Mr. Roebuck Military Paymaster General having lately written me that this amount stands retrenched against me in the Books of his office — a circumstance which might easily have been removed had I been aware of it previous to the departure for England of Colonel Brunton, but as this cannot now be done, therefore trust your Lordships will excuse me in submitting this Retrench-ment for your consideration and decision thereon, as till such time as this amount is by the authority of Government removed, I cannot hope to effect an Adjustment of my Pay accounts with Mr. Roebuck, Military Paymaster General.—

Permit me therefore for your Lordships further information to state that the circumstance

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circumstance of my Salary and .. Office Establish-
ment having been inserted in my Aprils disbur-
sements instead of May, which was the Occasion of
the retrenchment as being a deviation from the 4
Established Form of Keeping the Pay accounts with
which I was entirely unacquainted at that period,
having but just join'd the 1st of April 1804 taken
charge of the Appointment —

In Consequence however of the 4
Communications afforded me by the Office of Audit,
I from that time took particular Care to insert my
Salary Office — Establishments &c. in Arrears or
my future Monthly disbursements by which no
loss whatever was sustained by Government. —
I am therefore encouraged to hope that your Lordship
will be pleased to authorize the removal of the
retrenchment which stands against me in the
Books of the Military Paymaster General. —

I have the honor to be &c.

Mutra.
14th July 1807. /Signed/ George Hutchinson
Lieut.t Colt. late Pay.r
at Cuttack —
Major

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Major George Hutchison

Paymaster

Cuttack

Sir

I herewith enclose your a Statement of the Balance upon my Books against you up to the 28th February 1806 as Page 32 Col. 11. 2 to which you will be pleased to attend.

Fort St. George
31st March 1806.

I am &c.
/Signed/ B. Roebuck
Military Payr. Genl.

To Benjamin Roebuck Esqr.
Military Paymaster General
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge

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ledge the receipt of your Letter of the 31st.
ultimo containing your Statement of the
Balance upon your Books against me
up to the 28th. February 1806, which after
examining with much attention and
care, I now beg leave to forward you my
Remarks thereon accompanied with
my Statement of Retrenchments made,
and Sums admitted by the Military
Auditor General, on my disbursements
from April 1804. to the present date 2d
which I trust will be found Correct.
I likewise enclose you my
final account Current with a draft on
Messrs. Harrington Cockburn & Co. Madras
at fifteen days Sight for the Balance
Pagodas 1100.33.60 being the amount
in full

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infull of all Retrenchments against me.

And permit me to request

that you will now be pleased to forward me a

discharge in full on account of Retrenchments and

vouchers forwarded me for Recovery, with as little

delay as possible.

I am

Sir

Your obedient Servant

/Signed/ Geo: Hutchison

Lieut.t Colonel late

Paymaster

Cuttack

24th April 1806.

Lieut.

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List of Packets

1 Account Current
2 Major Fletchers draft
3 & 4 Statements
5. Extract from the Remedist.

Remarks on the Statement of the Military Paymaster General dated

Amount at my debit on account of Offreckoning Fund ..... 22f. 15 60. This

Amount at my debit on account of late Lieutenant Birgis Retrenchment ..... 139. 19. " These

Amount at my debit being Balance of my account Current for February 1806 ..... 28 B. 8. 34 This

Amount of Vouchers transmitted me in your Letter of the 8th March 1806 ..... 58. 24 55 These

Total Star Pagodas ... 32 9f. 11 2.

N. B. Amounts of disbursements for February 1806 which are not yet audited by the Military Auditor General Star Pagodas 2,640 " 40. 2 -

Cuttack 24th April 1806

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29th. Received in his letter 31st. March 1806.-

Sum Short bredated by your Vizt.

Amount bredated me on account of Reandet as p your State-
ment ..... 6880. 32. 3.

Amount admitted in your Statement on that account ..... 6833. 5. 53.

Difference ..... Star Pagodas. 47. 27 30

Short bredated.

Amount short admitted by the Military Auditor General in my disbursements

Vizt. 1804. October Star Pagodas ..... 24. 9. "
1805 March ..... 199. - 60
" April ..... 4. 6. "
227. 15. 60.

Several Retrenchments have been passed by the Military Auditor General on his further Reandet dated 9th May 1805 under the Head of Quarter Masters Department copy of which Extract is herewith forwarded.-

Balance has been brought to Account Vide my account Current for March 1806-

Vouchers were returned you in my Letter of the 22d march 1806-

N. B. I beg to refer you to the Military Auditor General's credit of my disburse-
ments for January 1806. vide his Letter of the 25th March 1806.

Star Pagodas 2,483. 3. 61.
Short admitted on account of Half mounting for the year 1806- 153. 31. 40
2,640. 40. 21.

Signed / George Hutchesons Lieut: Colt late Paymaster-

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Dr. Lieutenant Colonel George Hutchison Late
in Account Current with B. Roebuck Esqr. Military Paymaster

1806			
April 1st	To Balance brought from last months Account Current		1,832. 2 22
	Total Star Pagodas		1832 2 22

Cuttack
24th April 1806

E. E. Pr.

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Paymaster to the Northern Field Detachment in account
General for the Months of April 1806. } C.r

1806.

April. For amount Admitted by the Military Auditor General upon further Recondit on my disbursements from June 1804 to September 1805 Vide Military & Auditor Generals Letter of the 31st March 1806. 731. 10.40

For Amount of accompanying draft of Mayor Rob.t Fletchers in my favor made Payable to you on the Honble Mess.rs Harington & Cockburn & Co.s Madras being in full amount on account of Retrenchments as Jointly ordered

N. B. ..... 1100. 33.60.

Total Star Pagodas 1832. 2. 20

N.B. Paid on account of Retrenchments against the following Officers

Captain R Hetzler 18. 16. 69

D.o Flickland ..... 3. 9. .

D.o Clarke 22. 15. 16

Lieutenant L. Parker 3. 13. 40

47. 12. 25

Paid on account of Retrenchment against me as Barrack Master ..... 1053. 21. 15.

Total Amount Paid Star Pag.s 1100. 33. 60

Signed/ George Fletcherson
Lieutenant Colonel late Paymaster

Statement

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

Statement shewing the Amount of Retrenchements and Sums admitted by the Military Auditor General on my disbursements. also the amounts debited and credited in my account Current between the 1st April 1804. and the 24th of April 1806.

Amount of Retrenchment made by the Military Auditor General on my disbursements 12850. 5. 5

Amount debited in my account Current Viz.t

1804.	December	6499. 18. 4	
1805.	March	3073. 8 40	
	May	427. 26.	
	June	2187. 32 62	
	November	400 14 29	
	December	178. 41. 25	
1806.	February	82 37. 42	
			12850. 5. 42

Amounts

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Amount admitted by the Military Auditor General, and credited in my account Current to Date.

1804	December		3061.	25 74.
1805	February		139.	19 "
	March		25	9 49
	April		197	6 16
	May		129.	26 70
	July		2187.	10 31.
	October		57.	" "
	February		1282.	38 3
	March		166.	16 50
	April		731.	10 40
				7,917. 37. 13.

Amount only Credited in your Acct. 6,833. 5 53.

The following Sums to be credited Viz.

On account of late Lieut. Wm Burjan's Retrenchments 139. 19 "

Retrenchment admitted by the Military Auditor General and Credited in my A/c for March ---------- 166. 16 50

Retrenchment to admitted by the Military Auditor General & Credited in my A/c for April ---------- 731. 10 40

Amount short Credited on account of Retrenchments Vide my remarks on your Statement of the 2d. March 1806. --- 47. 26. 73. 1084. 31. 3. 7,917. 36. 56.

Cuttack
4th. April 1806.

E. E. Fr. / Signd / G. Hutchison 4th Lt.
late Paymaster.
Contract

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

Extract from the further Reaudit made by the Military Auditor General on the disbursements of Major George Fletchson Paymaster to the Northern Field Detachments for the Months of June July 1804.—

Quarter Masters Department

Vide Voucher 102. The allowance for Tolies, sweepers Lamp Lighters Oil and Chattics for April and May Retrenched from this Voucher is admitted by an authority of Government under date April 1805 in Consideration of the situation of the Madras Troops in Cuttack acting with a Bengal detachment in that Province and it being deemed expedient to depart . . . . in this instance from the established Regulations by admitting to the Madras European Regiment the same allowance in the Barrack Department as are granted to the Bengal detachment.—

Military Auditor
Generals Office
Fort St. George
May 9th 1805.—

A true Copy
/Signed/ G. Fletchson
Lieutenant Colonel
late Paymaster
Major

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Major George Hutchison

Late Paymaster in Cuttack.

to the Care of Messrs. Fairlie Gelmore

and Co.—

Calcutta.

Sir,

I take leave to inclose you a

Copy of my Letter to the Military Auditor General

of the 20th instant together with Lists for your

information which have reference thereto, as also

a Statement which I have been furnished

with by him, from which you will perceive that

it corresponds with the amount stated by me—

The Balance to be paid into

my Office by you will be Pagodas 637. 33. 6. should

you have nothing further to offer to induce Govern-

ment to give up any part thereof,

I have to add that on receiving

your reply the necessary Certificate will be

forwarded to you— I am &c.

20th September 1806.— (Signed) J. B. Roebuck

M. B. G.

To

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

To the Military Auditor General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to inclose you a Statement sent me by Major Hitchison late Paymaster of Cuttack by which you will perceive he states that the following sums have been admitted to his credit in audit by your Communication Vizt.

In December	1804		Pagodas	30 61. 25. 74
February	1805		"	139. 19 "
March	—	"		25. 9. 49
April	—	"		197. 6. 16
May	—	"		129. 26 70
July	—	"		2,127. 10 31
October	—	"		57 " "
February	1806			1282. 38 3.
March	—	"		166. 16. 30.
April	—	"		731. 10. 46.
				7917. 37. 13.

And that the following sums have been admitted by to me

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Mr. Vizt.

Re. audit 7th March 1805 ... £ 2372.2..64

Further dc. 14th dc. ... 241.22.50.

dc. ... 9th May ... 7.14.20

dc. ... 9th May ... 72.24.69.

Reaudit dc. 22d dc. ... 197.6.16

Further dc. dc. 12th June ... 129.26.70.

Reaudit dc. 20th July ... 64.24.71.

Further dc. 20th dc. ... 1555.27.40.

D°. ... d°. 12th October ... 57.".".

Reaudit dc. 27th January 1806 ... 128.38.9.

D°. ... dc. 25th February ... 67.4.65.

D°. ... dc. 10th March ... 5.14.35

Further dc. dc. 22d dc. ... 94.39.30.

D°. ... dc. ... 31st dc. ... 73.12.40

D°. D°. 2d May ... 47.12.45

D°. ... D°. ... 25th July ... 28.7.".

Pagodas 76.34.35.5.

As this is the principal point on which our Account to differ I have to request your reply to

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to the above as I am Certain I have placed to his Credit such sums as I was authorized by you. I have also further to state that from a close examination of Major Hutchisons accounts the following appear to be their Statement with all the particulars which I mean to transmit to him if it agrees with your Department:-

Amount of Re-audits Charged by him in different Months P. account particulars	7917.37.13	
Deduct amount of Re-audits passed by the Military Auditor General	7639.35.58	278.1.35
Amount Charged in March 1806 on account of Paymaster & Barrack Department	660.3.58	
Deduct amount admitted by the Military Auditor General & entered upon the Pres.y Paymasters Disbursements	330.32.66	329.6.72

The particulars of the difference is as follows-

Paymasters Salary for January & Febry 1806 not passed	200:" "
Bills Sent allowance for D.o D.o	37:" "
Pitkallie for Commanding Officer for D.o D.o	6: 5.64
D.o for Commissary of Grain & Provs. D.o D.o	6. 5.64
D.o for Paymaster for D.o D.o	6. 5.64
2 Vouchers to be returned which also not passed	73 31.40
Pagodas	329 6.72

Amount

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Amount of Deposit paid as p. his receipt to Lieutenant Colonel L. Deighton commanding 1st. Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry on account of the late Captain J. M. Hazards Pay and allowances Dated 25th December 1804. not bredetted by him ..... Pagodas. 30.25.16.

from this it appears that the balance now due from Major Hutchison is Pagodas. 637. 33.43.

Fort St. George
20th September 1806.

Sam. K.

(Signed) B. Roebuck
Military Pay. Genl.

To the Military Paymaster General
Bengal

Sir,

The accompanying is Copy of my Letter to Major Hutchison formerly Paymaster in Cuttack dated the 30th September last with its enclosure Copy of my Statement to the Military Auditor General of the Balances against him Pagodas 637. 33. 6 but to which I have not received an answer.—

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I have now to request that you will be pleased to take Steps for the recovery of that Amount from Major Hutchison and credit my Department with the same.—

You will be pleased to inform me so soon as Major Hutchison has complied herewith.—

I am &c.

Fort St. George
1st January 1807.

/Signed/ P. Roebuck
Military Payr. Genl.

P. S.

I shall be obliged to you for a Reply to this as Soon as posible.—

Statement of the Balance Standing upon the Books of the Military Paymaster General against Major G. Hutchison Late Paymaster at Cuddalore to 30th April 1806.

Amount of Rcandits Charged by him in different months Pr. account particulars ... No. 1.	7917. 37. 13.	
Deduct amount of Rcandits Passed by the Military Auditor General as Pr. Do. ... No. 2.	7639. 35. 68.	
		278. 1. 35

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Brought over ... 278. 1. 35.

Amount of Retrenchments effected by him in Different Items ... 1285 5. 42

The Amount of the same retrenchments is made by the Military Auditor General ... 1285 5. 5.

" " 37. 278. " 78.

Amount charged in March 1806 on Account of Paymaster and Barrack Department ... 660. 3. 58.

Deduct amount admitted by the Military Auditor General and Entered upon the Preceding Paymasters Disbursements ... 330. 38 66.

329. 6. 72

For the difference the following Items have not been passed by the Military Auditor General vide P. Copy of a Letter dated 28th. July 1806 Viz.t.

Paymasters salary for January and February 1806.	200	" "
Ditto Tent allowance for Ditto ...	37	" "
Purkally for Comm.g Officer for Ditto ...	6.	5 64
Ditto for Commissary of Grain and Provisions for Ditto ... Ditto.	6	5 64
Ditto for Paymaster for Ditto ... Ditto ...	6.	5 64
2 Vouchers hereunto returned which also not passed No. 5 and 6 ...	73.	31. 40

Pagodas. 329. 6 72

Amount Paid as per your Receipt to Lieut.t Col.o J. Dyhlon Comm.g 1st. Batt.n 9th. Reg.t N. I. Deposited in your hands on account of the late Capt.n J. W.m Hazards Pay & allowance dated 23d. Dec.r 1804 as per Copy of a Receipt not credited by you No. 7. ... 30. 25. 16.

Pagodas. 637. 32. 6.

Fort St. George
30th. September 1807.

E. E. (Signed) B. Roebuck. Mr. F. G.

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Statement of Difference between the Sums charged by Major Gr. Hutchison Paymaster at Cuttack on Account of Reandet, and that of the Sums credited by Military Paymaster General on Reandet Pr. Letters of the Military Auditor General.

Amount Charged by him in December 1804 as omitted to be passed by the Office of Audit	4	246. 41. 40
Amount Charged by him in February 1805	139. 19.	
Deduct amount Reandet passed by the Military Auditor General under the Head of Quarter Masters Department as Pr. Letter dated Pr. May 1805 Pr. 55. 3. 40		
Ditto. Do. Do. do Pr. Do. dated 25th. July 1806 Pagoda 98. Fo. " Rs. 4. 40		55. 14. 40
Carried over Pag.	388	14 "

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Brought over Pags. 302 14 "

Amount charged by him on
July 1805 as admitted on further
requisite as Pr. Military
Auditor Generals Letter Dated
22d May 1805 ---------- 24 " " 326. 14 "

Deduct,
Amount Sfo. Charged in
March 1806 Pags. Ft. 19. 20
instead of Pagodas 72. 19. 20. 1 " " "

Amount of further Requisite
which has not been charged
in your Account Current -- " 47. 12 45.

Amount of Retrenchments
conducted by him on Different
Months ---------- 1283.5.42

Deduct amount Retrenched
=ed by the Military Auditor
General ---------- 1283.5.5. " " 37. 48. 13. 2

Pagodas 278. " 78

Military Paymaster
Generals Office
Fort St. George
30th September 1806.

E. E. Pr.
/Signed/ B. Roebuck
Military Paymaster General

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The following Beaudits are passed by the Military Auditor General, which was Retrenched formerly from the Accounts of Major G. Hutchison Paymaster at Cuttack

Beaudit Dated	7th	March 1805	Pagodas	2373.	2 64
Further Dt.	Ditto	14th	Dt.	441.	23 50
Dt. Dt.	Ditto	9th	May	7.	14 20
Dt. Dt.	Ditto	9th	Dt.	73.	34 69
Beaudit	Ditto	22d	Dt.	191.	6 16
Further Dt.	Ditto	12th	June	129	26 70
Beaudit Dt.	Ditto	20th	July	547	24 71
Further Dt.	Ditto	20th	Dt.	1555.	27 40
Dt. Dt.	Ditto	12th	October	57	" "
Beaudit	Ditto	27th	January 1806	1282.	38 3
Dt.	Ditto	21st	February	67.	4 65
Dt.	Ditto	10th	March	5	14 35
Further Dt.	Ditto	22d	Dt.	94	39 30
Dt. Dt.	Ditto	31st	Dt.	731	10 40
Dt. Dt.	Ditto	2d	May	47	12 45
Dt. Dt.	Ditto	25th	July	29	7. "
			Pagodas	7639.	35. 58

Military Paymr. Generals Office
Fort St. George
30th September 1806

E. E. Fr.

(Signed) B. Roebuck M. P. G.

Statement

Statement shewing the Amount Retrenched from the accounts of Major G. Hutchison late Paymaster at Cuttack from April 1803 to January 1806 inclusive as also the Sums admitted on 2d Reaudit and further Reaudit and the Sums refunded by the Paymaster for the corresponding periods together with the Balance which now falls to be refunded—

	Retrenched on Audit and Reaudit	admitted on Reaudit and further Reaudit	Difference against the Paymaster	Refunded for the Corresp^{g} periods	Balance to be Refunded—
1803/4	3052 11 55	890 6 45	2162 5 10		
1804/5	925 5 11	635 4 5	290 1 6	4932 10 29	278 . 28
1805/6	540 30 19	195 23 50	345 6 49		
Total Pagodas	12850 5 5	7639 35 24	5210 11 27	4932 10 29	278 . 28

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 24th September 1806.

(Signd) J Brunton
Military Auditor Genl

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Statement
Major Hutchison

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B. Roebuck Esqr.

Military Paymaster General

&c. Fort St. George

Sir,

In reply to your Letter of the 14th. January last, I have now the pleasure to inclose copy of a letter of the 27th. Ultimo from Lieutenant Deputy Paymaster Arnold together with Copies of its enclosures relative to Retrenchments due from Lieutenant Colonel Hutchinson late Paymaster at Cuttack.

I have the honor to be

Sr. &c.

(Signed) John Mackenzie

Military Payr. General

Military Paymasters

Generals Office

Fort William

17th. March 1807

To John Mackenzie Esqr.

Military Paymaster General

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge your Letter of the 7th. Instant with its enclosures relative to a Balance stated by Mr. Roebuck

Military

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Military Paymaster General at Fort Saint George
to be due to his Office from the late Paymaster at Ha
Cuttack Lieutenant Colonel George Hutchinson -
Immediately on its receipt I
transmitted a Copy of it together with one of Mr. Ha
Roebucks address to you of the 14th ultimo to Lieutenant
Colonel Hutchinsons whose reply I have the honor to
enclose together with the Copy of a Statement No 2 of -
Mr. Roebucks letter to that Officer of the 30th September
last -
As these Vouchers
of the Balance which appeared on Mr. Roebucks State-
ment due to his Office and your letter only directs me
to receive such Balance under the supposition of its
being admitted by Lieutenant Colonel Hutchinson,
I do not feel myself authorized without further instruc-
tions in deducting it from his allowances particularly
as no risk is to be apprehended in waiting the result
of a reference to Mr. Roebuck. -

Sain &c.

Cuttra Pay Office
27th. February 1807. /Signed/ Edwd. Lo. Arnold
Deputy Paymaster

To

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To Lieutenant C. S. Arnold

Deputy Paymaster

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Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Public letter of the 25th. Instant transmitting me Copies of two letters Viz^t from Mr. B. Roebuck — Military Paymaster General Fort St. George to Mr. Mackinzie Military Paymaster General Calcutta and the other from the latter Gentleman to your address desiring you to receive a Balance of Star Pagodas 637. 33. 6 said to be due by me as late Paymaster at Cuttack — The letter with the several enclosures alluded to by Mr. Roebucks as having been forwarded me are on my possession — and I now beg leave to offer the following Remarks on his Statement No. 2 of which I enclose a Copy for your information it contained in that dispatch particularizing the amount in dispute between Mr. Roebuck and me Pagodas 278. 78 — and which I to use Mr. Roebucks

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own acknowledgement to be one of the principal points on which our accounts differ. In that Statement he debits me with the Pagodas 386.17.40 charged by me on the December 1804 and February 1805 as omitted to be passed by the Office of Audit at that time I did consider it as an Omission on the part of the Military Auditor General being ignorant of the mode by which this Amount should be brought to account and settled in consequence of which I submitted this matter for the decision of the Military Auditor General when I forwarded him a final abstract of Receipts and Disbursements to his reply to which I shall again transcribe for the information of Mr. Roebuck having done it once before but to which no notice was taken of my letter. The opinion of the Military Auditor General is as follows." The Sum of Pagodas 381.5.20 on account of the Off Reckoning Fund of respective years said to have been short admitted by me should have been debited by the Military Paymaster General to that head and credit given you for the same

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same as these Charges do not fall to be passed in my Office until the whole has been adjusted by a Committee of Officers appointed for that purpose — I have beg leave to observe that — there is a small difference between the Military Auditor General amount and mine of Pags. 20. which may possibly be a mistake of mine as I cannot at present make a reference to my Books —

In the same Statement I am debited with Pagodas 24 said to be charged by me in July 1805 as admitted on further Reaudet as per Military Auditor Generals letter Dated 22d. May 1805 being Debarred from referring to my Reaudit — Book I am therefore unable to say how far Mr. Roebuck is correct in debiting me with this amount, however rather than that this — should be a hinderance to a Settlement taking place between us / a Thing I have most urgently solicited and requested for these 10 Months past / I will readily consent to pay it. —

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The Military Paymaster General

further debits me with Pags. 30. 25. 16. being amount of Deposits paid as p.r my receipt No. 50. to Lt. Lieutenant Colonel J. Dighton commanding 1st. Battalion 9th. Regiment on account of the late — Battalion of Regiments on account of Pay and allowances dated 25th December 1804, In reply to which I beg leave to enclose Copy of a Treasury receipt No. 39 for 16 Pags. 266. 19. 76 and to refer him to my letter to C — Smith Esq.re Accountant General and — Civil Auditor which I trust will be sufficient to remove this charge. The Balance Pag.s 329. 6. 72 now due by me being my Salary as Paymaster and Barrack master for the Month of January and February 1806 having been disallowed & of the whole Staff appointments in Consequence having been abolished by the Supreme Government from the 31st December last I cannot however help considering this Decision of his Lordship in Council as rather a hardship upon

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upon me having been detained 4 Months at Cuttack after the abolition of my appointment endeavoring every thing in my power to effect a settlement of my accounts.—

I have now Sir to request that you will have the goodness to communicate this my reply to Mr. Mackenzie in order that Mr. Roebuck may be informed of it as early as possible as he cannot be more solicitious than I am that an adjustment of our accounts should take place as speedily as possible between us—

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your

Most obt.

Servt.

(Signed) G. Fletcher

Lieutenant Colonel

& Pay Mr. at Madras

27th February 1807.

True Copy

(Signed) Edwd. S. Arnold

Deputy Paymaster

Statement

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Statement of the Balance Standing on Pay. the Books of the Military Paymaster General against Major G. Hutchinson Paymaster at Cuttack up to 31st April 1806.

		D.	F.	b.
Amount Charged by him in 1804 as omitted to be passed by the Office of audit.....	246	11	40	
Amount Charged by him in February 1805...	139	14	"	
Deduct Amount Deaudit passed by the Military Auditor General under the Head of Quarter Masters Department on Pay. Letter dated 19th May 1805.	55	3	40	
Dr. Dr. on Pay. Date 25th July 1806... Dr. Pay.	84	4	40	55 14 40
Amount Charged by him in July 1805 as admitted on further Audit on Pay. Military Auditor General's letter dated 22d May 1806.....	24	"	"	326 14 "
Carried Over Pay.				326 14 "

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Brought over Pagodas 326.14.—

Amount Loss Charged in March
1806 Page 71. 19. 20 instead of
Page 72. 19. 20. 1.— .—

Amount of further Credit passed
by the Office of Audit. which
are not been charged in your
Account Current 47. 12. 45

Amount of Retrenchment Credit
by them in different 2 2 49
Months ..... 12850. 5. 42.

Deduct Amount as
Retrenched by the
Military Auditor
General ..... 12850. 5. 5. .37. 48. 13. 2

Pagodas. 278.—.—

Military Paymaster Generals Office
Fort St. George 3d. September 1806. E. E.
Fs. (Signed) B. Roebuck
M. P. G.

(A true copy) (Signed) G. Hutchinson
Lt. & Adt. late Payr. in battalion

(True copy) (Signed) Edw. L. Arnold
Dy Paymaster.

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Fort St. George 11th February

No. 39

Received into the Honorable Com-
pany's Cash from Major George Hutchison Paymaster
at Cuttack the sum of two hundred and Seaty Six Star
Pagodas Nineteen Fanams and Seventy Six Cash —
266. 19. 76/ on a Bill on the Military Paymaster
General on account of the Estate of the late Captain
J. W. Hazard of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment
Native Infantry Deposited by him this day into
the General Treasury agreeable to the orders of
government Dated 22d November 1804 —

/Signed/ Wm Linley Sub Treasurer

A true copy

/Signed/ G. Hutchison late Pay.r
Cuttack

A true copy

/Signed/ Edwd S. Arnold
Dy. Payr.

True Copies

/Signed/ J. M.
Military Paymaster General

To

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

To

To Lieutenant Colonel George Hutchison

late Paymaster in Cuttack

Bengal

Sir

I have been honored on the receipt of your letter of the 27th February last with its enclosures addressed to Lieutenant C. S. Arnold Deputy Paymaster Cuttack relative to the Balance on my Books against you and transmitted to me with a copy of Lieutenant Arnold's letter of the same date on a letter from the Military Paymaster General at Bengal of the 17th ultimo.

I shall now the pleasure to send you further particulars from which you will perceive that the Balance remains in Statu quo against you, and that no part thereof consists of Overcharges as you suggested

No 2 Statement Pagodas 277. " 78.

With respect to the other sum Pagodas 329. 6. 72 it has been admitted by you.

your

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You object to the Charge of
Pagodas 30. 25. 16. in this Subject I addressed
the Accountant General and his answer is now
enclosed from which you will perceive that I
am precluded from affording you any relief,
and it appears extraordinary that knowing
that you had passed an Acknowledgement
for that sum you should again include it
in the Amount of the Draft. They have to the
receipt and Bill granted by you.

I have only to remark that
had you adhered to the Rules of the Service for
taking Credit for remittals on the Customary
Letter of Remittal sent by the Military Auditor
General to Subordinate Paymasters after he
has examined the Replies sent to him to do away
the retrenchments from their accounts these
differences would not have occurred.

I have to request that
you will now see the necessity of paying the
amount

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amount of the Balance against you as it was before stated and which still remains the Sum Pagodas 637. 33. 6.-

I am

Fort St. George
23d. April 1807.

H. K.

/Signed/ D. Roebuck
Military Payr. Genl.

To the Military Paymaster General
Fort William

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th. Ultimo and I have now the honor to enclose you a letter with enclosures to the address of Lieutenant Colonel Malcolmson requiring the immediate payment of a Balance against him upon my Books as Paymaster in Cuttack Pagodas 637. 33. 6. I take leave to state that the explanations given by that Gentleman from the Statements enclosed are proved to be erroneous.-

I.

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I have therefore taken up
Credit for the amount by debiting your —
Presidency, and I have to request that the
usual mode may be adopted in recovering
the Amount from him —

The Bearer does not rest
with me but the Auditor General, and if
he can prevail on him to pass these items
to his Credit it is my Duty to comply —
Therewith but he has already decided on —
them —

I am &c.
(Signed) B. Roebuck
Military Pay.r Gen.l

Fort St. George
23d April 1807.

To The Accountant General
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the enclosed Extract
of a Letter from Major Hutchinson formerly
Paymaster on Castlereagh it would appear that
the Sum of Pagodas 30. 25. 16. was
included

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enclosed on the Draft he furnished the Sub Treasurer Pagodas 266. 19. 76 and for which the Sub Treasurer granted him a Receipt dated 11th February - If so the receipt sent to me and for which I passed my acknowledgement to the Treasury on June 1806 ought to have been given up to Major Hutchinson and not have been sent to me, in that case Major Hutchinson would not have been debited by me.-

I am &c &c

/Signed/ B. Roebuck

Military Paymr General

Fort St. George
10th April 1807.-

To the Military Paymaster General

Sir

In reply to your Letter of the 10th Instant I have the honor to inform you that the whole of the Amount deposited on the General Treasury on Account of the Estate of the late Captain Hazard including the Sum of Pagodas 30. 25. 16. alluded to in

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I am to acquaint you that your Letter has been laid before the Board, and that I have been directed to state to you in reply, that no particulars were specified in the Letter from Major Hutchinson to me referred to by that Officer as your Bill previous to the one enclosed to you.

I am
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) Cecil Smith
Secretary & Accountant General.

Fort St. George
Accountants
Generals office
20th April 1807.

To Cecil Smith Esqr.
Accountant General
Fort St. George

Sir

In my appointment of Deputy Paymaster to the Coast Troops on this Province has lately been abolished I therefore beg leave in conformity to the orders of Government to enclose you my Draft on the Military

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Military Paymaster General in your favor for Star Pagodas 266.19.76 being the amount Deposited in my hands on account of the Estate of the late Captain J. M. Hazard of 1st Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry as per my receipts No. 4 [illegible] for 2, 3 and 50 the two former to Lieutenant J. Wight of said Corps and the latter to Lieutenant Colonel I Deighton Commanding the Corps for which amount I will thank you to send me a Treasury Receipt.

I have the honor to be

Cuddack
26th January 1806

&c. &c.

(Signed) G. Hutchinson
Major Paymaster

A true Copy

(Signed) Cecil Smith
Accountant General

7693. Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

300.

Paymasters Department.

Paid Captain Francis &
Thompson Military Pay-
master in Arrears for —
March 1804. as p.r Abstract
1 Captain F. Thompson Pay.r

——— Ditto ———

Extra Charges.

1 Puckally for Comm.g Officer

1 Puckally for Commissary
of Grain Provision &
Cattle ..... 24 7. 9. 40.

1 D.o for Staff Surgeon ——

1 D.o for Secretary to Com.g Officer

1 D.o for Paymaster ——

Paid

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Fort St. George 1st. September 1807.

Paid Major George Hutchinson Military Paymaster in arrears for April 1804 as p.r 4th Abstract —

1 Major G. Hutchinson Pay.r

——— Ditto ———

——— Ditto ———

Extra charges

1 Buckally for Commy. Officer
1 D.o for Commissary of Grain Provision and Cattle .....

1 D.o for Staff Surgeon ———

1 D.o Secretary to Comy. Officer

1 D.o for Paymaster .———

24 6 4 0

"Which is Retrenched and "the Bill returned as all "allowances / Subsistance "to Europeans accepted / "are drawn in arrears — "this Charge is therefore "inadmissable as it can "only be drawn on the "1.st May. —

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

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"For amount of Retrench-
"ments formerly Retrenched
"against Lieutenant and
"Quarter Master W. Boyen
"and now admitted by
"Government. Vide Copy
"of an Extract of a Letter - 139-14-
"from G. Buchan Esqre
"Chief Secretary to Govern-
"ment of Fort St. George
"to Colonel Harcourt
"dated 16th April 1805 &
"forwarded to the Military
"Auditor General. ---

7696 Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

For amount upon further Requisit on My Disbursements for the Months of August September and October 1804 Vide Military Auditor Generals Letter Dated 22d May 1805. for a Bearer and Six Bearers for the Conveyance of the Sick of the	24:0

Recapitulation

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Fort St. George 1st. September 1807.

Recapitulation.

Abstract of Sums due by

Major Flutchinson as above...

1804 April Office Establish-

ment..... 246. 4. 40.

1805. February A/c

Overcharged... } 55. 14. 40.

" July 25: D: 24. " "

326. 14. "

Errors and omissions as pr. State-

ment 3d. September 1806... } 48. 13. 2.

278 " " 78.

F. F. 6.

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Fort St. George

23d. April 1807.

E. E. Fr.

/Signed/ B. Roebuck

Military Paymaster Genl.

True Copies

/Signed/ B. Roebuck

Military Paymaster General

To B. Roebuck Esqr.

Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George

Sir

On the 24th. of May I had the —

honor

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

honor of your letter of the 23d April with its enclosures
delivered me by Lieutenant Arnold Deputy Paymaster
at this Station.-

The delay that has occurred in replying
to your letter has been occasioned by a reference I was ob-
liged to make to Calcutta to obtain Copies of papers, &
extracts &c. from my pay books, which I do myself the
honor to enclose, and hope that the authorities now afforded
you, will reduce the balance against me in your books
as stated in your letter of the 23d April from Pagodas
637. 33. 6. to Pagodas 304. 35. 70.-

I feel much obliged by the information
you have afforded me in your Statement of the 23d April
respecting the nature of the demand for Pagodas 246. 41. 40.
which from your former Statements I could not de-
comprehend and have to regret that this explanation
was not afforded me previous to the departure for
England of Colonel Brunton who would immediately
have removed this retrenchment as I think it must
appear evident to every person that the circumstance
of

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of my having included the amount of my salary and
Office establishment for April 1804 in April's dis-
-bursements instead of May's could only have proceeded
from my then ignorance of the Official form of
Keeping the pay accounts / having only taken charge
of the appointment on the 1st of April 1804 Consequently
could not be supposed to be acquainted with the
forms. you will perceive by the enclosed Copy of
my letter No. 1 to the Military Auditor General
dated 2d December 1804. That by returning the
Bill &c. I did every thing in my power to rectify the
mistake, and from hearing nothing further from him
on the subject, I of course concluded that this amount
was adjusted — It appears however by your last
Statement that this amount Pagodas 24 6 44 40
still stands retrenched against me, and
that it cannot be settled by you without the
previous sanction and authority of Government
I have in consequence of the absence of the late
Military Auditor General Colonel Branton deemed
it my duty to apprise this matter to Government

by

7700

Fort St. George 1.st September 1807.

by addressing the enclosed letter to the Right Honorable
the Governor in Council for his final decision thereon - and
permit me Sir to solicit that you will have the good-
ness to lay my letter before his Lordship in Council -
with such of the enclosures as you may deem necessary
for his information -

No. 1 The enclosed letter of Communication
from the Office of audit 22.d May 1805 will I
trust make it clearly appear that in my A.G
February 1805 I was correct in taking credit for
Pagodas ..... 139. 19. -
Agreeably to the following amount admitted
on recondet Viz.t.

Per letter 9.th May 1805. Pagodas .. 55. 39. 40
" " 22.d " " " " 55. 14. 40.
" " 25.th July 1806 " 28. 7. " 139. 19. -

The overcharge of Pagodas 55. 14. 40 as stated
in your recapitulation of abstract of sums due by
me I therefore request may be expunged -
With regard to the 24 Pagodas after

a

7701

Fort St. George 1st September 1807

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a minute investigation of my accounts I have now fully ascertained that what you have stated is perfectly correct with regard to my having twice taken credit for this amount Viz^t A. D. April 1805 for Amount admitted upon further remitt of disburse-ments for August September and October 1804 Pagodas 197-6-18. & expressing that Pagodas 24 is part of the item Pagodas 78-36-00 admitted 22d May 1805 and again in A. D. July 1805 for Amount admitted upon further remitt of disburse-ments for August September and October 1804 per Letter 27th May. for a Dooley and Beavers to Pagodas 24.—

I enclose Copies of my deposit — No. 3. receipts No. 27. 57. and 60 also Copy of Treasury receipt No. 39 with Copy of my Letter to Mr. S. Smith which I trust will fully satisfy you that Rs 50 for Pagodas 30. 25. 16 makes part of my draft and is not as you have explained a repeat in the Engagement — From the several authorities and explanations

7702

Fort St. George 1st. September 1807

explanations contained in this packet I now con-
fidently hope, Sir, that my accounts with you
will shortly be finally adjusted and settled, a Cir-
cumstance I have long most earnestly wished for
and which will afford me the utmost pleasure
so soon as I am honored with your reply
balance shall be paid to Lieutenant Arnold Do
Deputy Paymaster at this Station.

I have the honor to be

Sir. Your

/Signed/ George Hutchison

Lieutenant Colonel

late Paymr. of Cuttack

Mutlora

14th. July 1807.

To Colonel J. Brunton

Military Auditor General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the Honor to forward
you a Bill for my Salary and Office Establish-
ments and Pinchallies &c. with the receipts for
the Pay of the Official Servants for April 1804.
which

7703. Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

305

which I request you will admit in arrear for May
as you have retrenched it in April Disbursements —
I have the honor to be &c

/Signed/ G. Hutchenson
Major Paymaster

Cuttack
2d December 1804

A true Copy
/Signed/ G. Hutchinson
Lieutenant Colonel
late Paymaster Cuttack

Copy

No 27.

Cuttack 29th October 1804

Received from Lieutenant J Wright
of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry
the Sum of One Hundred and eighteen Star Pagodas
Fanams Twenty three and fifty Cash being the
amount of the late Captain Lazards Pay and
allowances in Arrears for July and advance for
August 1804 Star Pagodas 118-23-50

/Signed/ G. Hutchinson
Major Paymaster

Copy

Fort St. George 1st. September 1807

1702

explanations contained in this packet I now con-
fidently hope Sir, that my accounts with you
will shortly be finally adjusted and settled, a
circumstance I have long most earnestly wished for
and which will afford me the utmost pleasure
so soon as I am honored with your reply thereto
balance shall be paid to Lieutenant Arnold the
Deputy Paymaster at this Station.

I have the honor to be

Sir.

Your most

Obedient Servant

/Signed/ George Fleetchison

Lieutenant Colonel

late Paym.r at Cuttack.

14th. July 1807.

To Colonel I. Brunton

Military Auditor General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward
you a Bill for my Salary and Office Establish-
ments and Purchases &c. with the receipts for
the Pay of the Official Servants for April 1804.
which

7793. Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

305

which I request you will admit in account for May
as you have retrenched it on Spirit Disbursements —
I have the honor to be &c &c

Cuttack
2d December 1804

(Signed) G. Hutchinson
Major Paymaster

A true Copy
(Signed) G. Hutchinson
Lieutenant Colonel
late Paymaster Cuttack

Copy

No 27.

Cuttack 29th October 1804

Received from Lieutenant J Wright
of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry
the Sum of One hundred and Eighteen Star Pagodas
Fanams Twenty three and fifty Cash being the
amount of the late Captain Hazards Pay and
allowances in Arrears for July and advance for
August 1804 Star Pagodas 118-23-57

(Signed) G. Hutchinson
Major Paymaster

Copy

Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

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Copy

No. 37 Cuttack 10th November 1804.

Received from Lieutenant J. Wight of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry the Sum of Star Pagodas One hundred and Seven teen Fanams Thirteen and 4 Cash Sicca being amount of late Captain Hazards Pay and Allowances in arrears for August and advance for September 1804

Sicca Pags 117-13-10

Signed J. Hutchinson
Major Paymaster

Copy

No. 50 Cuttack 25th December 1804

Received from Lieutenant & Colonel Deighton Commanding the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry the Sum of Star Pagodas Thirty Fanams Twenty five and 6 Cash Sicca being the Amount deposited in my hands of the late Captain Hazards Pay and allowances in Arrears for 16 Days of September 1804 the

forsed

7705 Fort St. George 1st. September 1807.

306.

period of his Decease —

Sdr. Pagt 30. 25. 16.

/Signed/ G.n Hutchinson

Mayor Paymaster

Amount of the above Receipts Vizt.

No. 27. Pagt 118. 23. 50

" 37. D.o 117. 13. 10

" 50 D.o 30. 25. 16.

Total Star Ps. 266. 19. 76

Fort St. George 1st. February 1806

No. 39

Received into the Honorable Companys

Cash from Mayor George Hutchinson Paymaster

at Seetabar the sum of two hundred and Sixty

Six Star Pagodas Nineteen Fanams and Seventy

Six Cash / 266. 19. 76 in a Bill on the Military

Paymaster General on Account of the Estate of

the late Lieutenant J.n M.c Hazard of the 1.st Battalion

Battalion 9.th Regiment Native Infantry to

be provided by him this day into the General

Treasury agreeably to the Orders of Government

dated

Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

1706

dated 22d November 1804

/Signed/ W. Sunley

Sub Treasurer

True Copy

/Signed/ G. Hutchinson

Lieutenant Colonel

Late Paymaster

Cuttack

To Lieut. Smith Esqr.

Accountant General

Fort St. George

Sir,

As my appointment of Deputy Paymaster to the Coast Troops on this Province has lately been abolished I therefore beg leave in Conformity to the orders of Government to enclose you my draft on the Military Paymaster General in your favor for Star Pagodas 266. 19. 76 being the amount deposited in my hands on account of the Estate

1707.

Fort St. George 1st. September 1807

Estate of the late Captain J. W. Hazard of the 1st. Battalion 9th. Regiment Native Infantry as per my receipts Nos. 27. 37. and 50 the two former to Lieutenant J. Wight of the said Corps and the latter to Lieutenant Colonel J. Brighton. Commanding the Corps for which amount I will thank you to send me a Treasury Receipt.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient humble Servant

/Signed/ G. Hutchenson

Major Paymaster

Cuttack

26th. January 1808.

True Copy

/Signed/ G. Hutchenson

Lieutenant Colonel

Late Paymr. Cuttack

Major

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

Major G. Hutchison

Paymaster to the Northern

Field Detachment

Sir

I herewith transmit you an account of Sums formerly retrenched from your disbursements in the Months of August, September and October 1804 which are now admitted on Account amounting as follows:-

Charges Military 1804/5

Star Pagodas Ninety Six Fanams forty and 2a

Thirty three cash pb. 40. 33.-

Suspense Account 1802/3

Star Pagodas One Hundred Fanams seven and

Sixty three cash 100. 7. 63.-

And for which Sum the Military Paymaster General has been desired to give you

credit accordingly.-

Your

7709

Fort St. George 1st September 1807

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You will observe that the 24 charges which were retrenched on audit for the periods above stated, and which are not taken notice of in the recandet annexed, still remain retrenched and are to your debit in the Books of the Military Paymaster General the Explanations or Authorities which have been forwarded in support of such charges not being deemed sufficient to remove the retrenchments of which you will be pleased to inform the Parties concerned without loss of time, as well as to acquaint those to whom sums have been admitted on the recandet of your accounts for the same Periods.

I am &c. &c.

(Signed) J. Brunton
Military Auditor Genl.

Military Secretary
Generals Office
Fort St. George
22d May 1805.

A true Copy
(Signed) G. Hutchinson
late Pay. Cuttacks
Expences

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Fort St. George 1st. September 1807

Expenses 1804/5

An account of Sums formerly retrenched from the Disbursements of Major George Hutchison Paymaster to the Northern Field detachment for the Months of August September and October 1804, which are now admitted on Recredit—

August

Pioneers

54 The Pay for May and June to a Tindall and 2 Lascars joined from Tuticorin, retrenched from this Voucher is admitted on the required certificate ..... 12. 10 "

Barrabatty and Saulbaug Forts

57 58 57 60. The Charge for Oil, Candles, lamp lighters, and Sweepers Wages for the Guard and Guard Rooms of these Stations retrenched from these Vouchers is admitted as Major Hutchison declares the delay to have proceeded from his not having the means of ascertaining the proper manner of form of making out his Bills and also that the regulations respecting the limited period of bringing forward public demands were unknown to him 65. 228.33

Total admitted on recredit from August to October 1804 coming under the head of Charges Military 1804/5 ..... Pagodas 96. 40.33

Suspended

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Fort St. George 1st September 1807

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Suspense Account

1802/3

August 1804

105. The Amount of dry Batta paid
to European Regiment retrenched —
from this Voucher is admitted —
it being explained that the Vouchers
were transmitted irregularly for
with the Provision accounts ---- 17. 18. 30

September 1804

163. If the sum Outstanding against Lt
Captain Campbell Commissary of
Provisions on Account of deficiency
in the Victualling Department
there is admitted as in the audit
for April - May - June and July - " 10. 18.

104 Dry Batta on account of a Europe-
an retrenched from that Voucher,
is admitted on the Certt. of Captain
Custance. ---------- 1. 12. "

Carried over ... 18. 86. 48

7712

Fort St. George 1st September 1807.

Brought to Over ... 18. 66. 48

October

87 Of the Sums Outstanding against
Captain Campbell for Serv.s on the
Victualling Department Mutn. &c
admitted as on former Months ... 32 55

Retrenchment upon remitt on
the Months of July September &
October 1804 ... 20. 35. 23.

Madras European Regement

77 / 75 / 76 } The charge for Tobies Sweepers
Lamp Lighters Cat. &c. for June
July August & September and
the Charge for a Hosty and 6 Bearers
- Retrenched from these Vouchers
is admitted as on the 1st Month of June
Voucher 10th ... 78. 36. 40

Total Admitted on Remitt from
August to September 1804 Comp.
under the head of Suspense
Account 1802/3 ... Pagodas 100. 7. 63

True Copies
(Signed) B. Roebuck. M. P. C
From

7713. Fort St. George 1st September 1807

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From Audit Book

Suspense account 1802/3

No. 155. Major George Hutchison to
Paymaster draws his Salary Office
Establishment Purchallee &c. for
April 1804 ..... Pagodas 246. 41. 40

which is retrenched and the Bill returned as
all allowances / Subsistence to Europeans
exceptd / are drawn in Arrear, This
Charge is therefore inadmissible as it can
only be drawn on the 1st May in Mays
Disbursements .... Pagodas 246. 41. 40

A true Copy
(Signed) G. Hutchison
Lieut. Colo. Late
Paymaster at Cuttack

Ordered that the foregoing Letter &
enclosures be referred to the Military Auditor General
and that he be desired to state the grounds on which
Lieutenant

Fort St. George 5th September 1807

1714.

Lieutenant Colonel Munteathmann has delivered
Commissions of the Subscribers to which Those
Persons respectively

Offices Set - Consult -
Sept 1807 Page 202
Copied by Saravanan

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