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25th July " 5826. From the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry - Report respecting Account of Madan Bergeon's pension 30 Rupees sufficient -

5826. Resolution thereon -

29th July " Ditto. To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief -

Chief - Requesting him to state whether there is any objection to the appointment of Mr. J. Underwood Junior as Dispenser to the Naval Hospital -

July 1809 - 3627 - To the Town Major of Fort Saint George - Repeating Mr Baker Johns application for bounty Money -

24th July - 3629 - Presidents Minute - Appointing Lieutenant Kennedy His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons to be Pay Master to the Detachment under Lieutenant Colonel Ware -

28th July - 3630 - To the Commissioner at Tranquebar - Desiring him to detain certain persons at Tranquebar and leaving it to his discretion to open the Letters delivered to him -

5630 - To the Military Auditor General - Directing him to state whether it is expedient that Mr. Bush should be furnished with an Office at Pondicherry, Chittoor and Raicottah - Directing payment of the balance of the Chief Engineers equivalent for his share

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in the Offreckoning Fund - Enclosing Copy of a letter from the Town Major and stating that the Bill has been passed - referring Copy of a letter from Colonel Hare with a List of the Establishments for the pay and provision Departments - stating that a Monthly pension has been granted to Madame Burgoin -

5635. To the Military Auditor General - Desiring him to authorize an Advance of Six Months pay to Lieutenant Colonel Dunn -

Ditto. To the Military Paymaster General - Directing that the Collateral Security Bonds given by the late Paymaster at Tiekenopoly be Returned -

Ditto. To the Military Paymaster General - With Copies of the Military Auditor General's report on two Estimates for Cash -

Ditto. To the Military Paymaster General -

Disapproving

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Disapproving the deviation from the usage in granting Bills upon this Presidency adopted by Mr Paymaster Agar.

1631 To the Officer Commanding at Vellore. approving his having forwarded certain persons papers

1632 To the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry. stating that a Monthly Stipend has been granted to Madame Bourgoin.

1633 To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. With Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

1634 To the Military Auditor General. With Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

To the Military Auditor General. With Extract of a letter from the Marine Board and of the reply.

25th July 1809. 1635 From the Agitant General of the Army. Application of Lieutenant McLaurin to proceed to China on Sick Certificate.

30th July 1635 From the Deputy Agitant General of the Army. Application of Lieutenant Hunter to proceed to China

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Chuna on Sick Certificate. 21

27th July 1809. 5634. From the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army.

Application for leave on Sick Certificate from

Captain Carson Lieutenant Kennel and Drew,

and from Captain Lieutenant Tickbourne to

extend the leave granted to him.

5635. Order thereon.

13th June. 5636. From the Chief Secretary to the Government at

Fort William. Refusing to Comply with the Solicitors

Bourgois Request to proceed to Calcutta.

stating that a Steerage of 30 Rupees had been

ordered from the Monthly Subsistence of

Monsieur Caston.

5637. Order thereon.

15th June. 5638. From Fort Cornwallis. Detachment of Madras

European Regiment embarked for the Coast

on the Europa.

28th July. 5639. From the Commander of the Ship Europa.

Application for Passage Money on Account

of

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of Detachment of Europeans and Natives Conveyed from Prince of Wales Island - Also for payment on Account of Wine supplied to the Sick on the passage -

5650 Minute thereon -

5th Aug.t 1809. 5651. To the Secretary to the Government at Fort Cornwallis - reporting the Arrival of the Coast Artillery, according to the detention of Lieutenant Raswin at Malacca - Enclosing Extract of a Letter from the Military Board and desiring that the Commissary of Grain at Malacca be

5th August 1809. 5652. To Fort Cornwallis - Reporting the Arrival of Troops -

do. - 5653. To the Military Auditor General Transmitting Copies of Letters from the Government at Fort Cornwallis and Commander of the Europeans

Desiring that the payment of Charges for the passage of the Detachment may be made at the rate mentioned by the Government

5854. From the Deputy Agutant General to the King's Troops. Encloses a letter from Lieutenant Fraser, and Requesting to issue an order to draw his pay and Allowances.-

Ditto. To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. With Extracts from the Minutes of Consultation.-

Ditto. To the Military Auditor General. Transmitting Copy of a letter from the Commissioner at Tranquebar. and of the reply to it Relative to the Removal of Mr. Rock's pension.-

Ditto. To the Military Auditor General. Transmitting Extract of a letter dispatched to the Town Major of Fort Saint George.-

Ditto. To the Officer Commanding at Pondichery. Enclosing Copy of a letter from the Chief Secretary to the Government at Fort William, and desiring that its contents may be communicated to the parties Concerned.-

9th July 1809. 5855. From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief Requesting advance

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advances of Cash Required by the Agent for
the purchase of horses, and Recommending Compli-
ance with the Mode pointed out by the Agent.

5859 Resolutions thereon.

29th July 1809 5860 From the Adjutant General of the Army - Recd.
mission of Lieutenant Navrain stating upon
the Establishment Recommended.

5860 Order thereon.

29th July 1809 5861 From the Military Auditor General - Reports the
claim of Widow Dick to the benefit of the
Military Fund in admissible she being a Native
of India.

5862 Order thereon.

29th July " 5862 From the Military Board - Cents ordered to be
supplied at the Requisition of the Quarter
Master General during Bills and Advances
of Cash Recommended for Payment.

5863 Minute thereon.

29th July " 5863 From the Military Board - Military Stores
at Trincomalee directed to be brought

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Account - Appropriation of certain Materials at Fiskinopoly to the repair of the River bank unobjectionable - Sale of Major Dr Morgan's Tents and horse declined by that Officer - Recommend Advance of Cash for the purchase of Grass on Account of the Cavalry encamped near the Mount - Construction of a Sick Stable at the Mount Recommended - Order for supplying the Engineer's Department with Stationary proposed.

5th August 1869. 5882. To the Military Board - Approving directions directing that the ruined Masonry at Fiskinopoly be applied to the repair of the River Bank - Stating that Captain Patterson had been appointed Agent for Cavalry supplies to Colonel Hare's Detachments authorizing the Construction of a Stable for Sick Horses - Approving the plan for supplying

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supplying Superintending Engineers of Divisions with Stationary, and desiring that the draft of a General Order on the subject be prepared.

3d August 1809. 5685. From the Military Auditor General. Report upon the Claims to passage Money of the Commander of the Europa.

5689. Resolution thereon.

29th July " Ibid. From the Solicitor of the Honorable Company. Report on the proper mode of bringing Harris to trial suspected of having murdered his Wife.

5692. Order thereon.

3d Augt. " Ibid. From Lieutenant Colonel Hare Commanding the Center Division of the Army. Requesting an Advance of Cash may be made to the Quarter Master of the Regiment of Cavalry

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for the purchase of Grain

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5693. Resolution thereon -

8th August 1809. 5694. From Lieutenant Colonel Hare Commanding the Center Division of the Army - Captain Pat. Anderson for the Situation of Agent for Cavalry supplies -

5695 Minute thereon -

8th August " 5695. From Lieutenant Colonel Hare Commanding the Center Division of the Army - Recommending men for promotion to the Rank of Lieutenant Fireworkers -

9th August " 5697. To the Officer Commanding the Center Division of the Army - Stating that there are no objections to the promotions referred to by him -

9th August " 5698. To the Adjutant General of the Army - Enclosing Copy of a Letter from the Secretary to the Government at Fort William, and desiring him to prepare the documents

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5th Augt 1809. 5698. To the Marine Board. Desiring that the Commander of the Europa may be Required to Render an Account of the Stores supplied by the Governor of Fort Cornwallis.

5th Augt. 5699. To the Commander of the Ship Europa. Stating that orders had been given for paying him for the detachment conveyed on the Europa from Pinang. Informing him that he will be entitled to Receive one Pagoda pr. day and the difference between half and full batta on account of Captain Phillips.

15th June 5701. From the Secretary to the Government of Fort Cornwallis. on the subject of transporting to Botany Bay. no opportunity likely to occur from Fort Cornwallis.

5th August. 5702. To the Chief Secretary to the Government at Bombay. Forwarding Extract of a letter from the Public Agent for the purchase of horses, and Requesting that the Bills drawn by him on the Bombay Government may be honored to a certain Amount.

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5th August 1809. 5703. To the Resident at Hydrabad - Desiring him to
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Confirm to the suggestions of the Honorable
Company's Solicitor respecting Harris as stated
in an enclosed letter -

5704. From the Military Auditor General - Statement
of Advances on Account of the Bengal
Presidency -

Ditto. From the Military Auditor General - Admitting
an Additional Estimate of Cash of the Pay-
-master to the Force encamped at St Thomas's
Mount -

Ditto. From the Acting Senior Chaplain at Fort Saint
George - Forwarding application for Permission
to quit Trichinopoly in consequence of his
ill health, and eventually to proceed to Ea-
-rope -

Ditto. From Mr. S. Thorpe - Respecting his allow-
-ances -

Ditto. To the officer Commanding the Army in Chief -
With Extract from the Minutes of Con-
-sultation -

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5704 To the Military Board. Directing that the Agents Indents for Cattle &c. Required for his Department may be praised by the Board.

Ibid. To the Military Auditor General. With Extract from the Minutes of Consultation and Copy of a letter from the Military Board with directions for the payment of several Bills and Advances of Cash.

5705 To the Military Auditor General. Desiring that orders may be given for paying the Commander of the Europa the sum of Star Pagodas 863:15. for conveying a detachment of Troops from Penang.

Ibid. To the Military Auditor General. Authorizing the Pay and Allowance of Lieutenant Fraser, and to debit it to the Account of the Presidency of Bombay.

Ibid. To the Military Paymaster General. With Copy of the Military Auditor Generals report

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Report on the Additional Estimate of Cash by the Paymaster to the Force under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Hare.

5705. To the Officer Commanding the Center Division of the Army - Authorizing several Advances of Cash Recommended by him.

5706. From the Assistant Auditor General - Forwarding Statements of Disbursements to the Kings Troops under the heads of Subsistence and Company's Allowance.

5707. To the Acting Senior Chaplain at Fort St. George. Permitting Mr. Keating to repair to the Sea Coast.

5708. 4th May 1809 President's Minute - proposing that the Sick of the European Corps ordered to take the field may be sent to the nearest fixed Hospital.

5709. Agreed and Ordered Accordingly.

5710. 5th July " From the Military Auditor General Reports upon

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upon the Claims of Major Austin to the al-
-lowance attached to his situation while Absent
on duty - Claims of Captains Ross & Wilson
for house rent admissable Bill of Lieut.
Stuart Correct.

5712. Resolutions thereon.

24th July 1809. Ltrs. From the Military Secretary to the Officer Com-
manding the Army in Chief - forwarding
Proceedings of the Medical Board applic-
-ation of Mr. Surgeon Underwood for three
Years furlough.

5713. Minute thereon.

28th July " 5714. Proceedings of the Medical Board - Forwarding
application of Mr. Surgeon Underwood
for three years furlough.

31st July " 5716. From the Military Board - Constitution of Bar-
-racks at Masulipatam and Cannanore
Recommended - Disposal of Colonel
Southeyes Effects &c by private sale

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unauthorized Removal of Arrack from Masulipatam Purchase of Grain for the Stud at Chatterpoor Recommended Construction of an Arsenal at Bangalore Recommended

5728. Resolutions thereon.

5th July 1809. 5729. From the Military Board. Bills and Advances of Cash Recommended for payment.

3d July " 5735. From the Military Board. Sundry Bills and Advance of Cash Recommended for payment.

5735. Resolution thereon.

3d August " Ibid. From the Acting Secretary to the Board of Trade. a Firmaund to make up tents. Bills on the Collector in favor of the Resident Required. Also that a Military Officer be directed to Receive the Tents at Pallamcottah.

5737. Orders thereon. From

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18th July 1809. 5737. From the Military Auditor General forwarding.
Annual Statement of Expenditure on Account
of the Military Establishment at this Presidency.
5749. Order thereon.
3d August. 5750. From the Military Auditor General. Reports
upon the Office Establishment Required for
the Pay and Provision Departments with
the Field Force under Command of Lieutenant
Colonel Ware.
5753. Resolution thereon.
31st July. 5754. From the Military Paymaster General forwards
application of Mr. Paymaster Wetherell
for leave of Absence for two Months.
4th Augt. 5755. From the Military Paymaster General respect-
ing the payment of the Troops at Cochin;
Recommends that they be continued to be
paid by Mr. Mainwaring.
5761. Orders thereon.
5762. From the Military Paymaster General forwar-
ding application of Mr. Paymaster Mainwaring
to

to be allowed to take up Money from the
Collector of Tinnevelly on Receipt.

28th July 1809. 5765. From the Military Paymaster General. Recom.
-mending for Sanction the Office Establish-
-ment proposed to be employed by the
Paymaster Remaining in Travancore.

29th July " 5772. From the Military Paymaster General - refering
for Sanction the Office Establishment em-
-ployed by the late Commissary of Grain
and Provisions in Travancore.

5778. Order thereon.

2d July " 5779. From the Chief Secretary to the Government
of Bombay - forwarding an List of Stand Grain
to Officers on Account of the Madras Govern-
-ment in the Month of June.

5780. Order thereon.

3 July " 5781. From the Acting Secretary to the Government
at Fort William - respecting the deficient
Military Stores Consigned to Masulipatam
on board the Hampton ... From

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5th August 1809. 5786. From the Town Major. Letter from Captain Pattullo
respecting repairs to the Body Guard Stables.
5787. Orders thereon.

26th June " 5788 From the Chief Secretary to the Government at
Fort William Orders for suspending the equip-
ment at Goa.
5795 Order thereon.

26th June " 5789 From the Acting Secretary to the Government
at Fort William Requesting to be furnished
with information on certain points respect-
ing the horses transferred from the Stud
at Chatterpoor.
5796 Order thereon.

8th July 1809 Ltr. From the Acting Secretary to the Government
at Fort William Requesting information
respecting the time of Lieutenant Atterson's
being struck off the List of the Army.
5799 Order thereon.

26th July " Ltr From the Officer Commanding in Malabar
and

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and Canara - proposes to establish the Sick Hospital at Canagore instead of Cudnut -

5806. Order thereon -

31st July 1809 5807. From the Officer Commanding at Tondiarpettah - Transmitting the Quarter and Situation of Monsr Perrenin Mr Menzies Allowance -

5808. Resolutions thereon -

28th July " 5809 From Lieutenant Blair of the Marine Establishment at Bombay - Returns thanks for Compliance with his Request - desirous to be employed in Conveying dispatches -

9th August " 5810. To Lieutenant Blair. Commending his Zeal for the public Service -

9th Do - " 5811. To the Chief Secretary to the Government at Bombay - Stating that the Arrears mark to Officers of this Establishment will be Adjusted in the usual way -

9th Do " 5813. President's Minute - Appointing Captain Lee to be Brigade Major to Lieutenant Colonel Conran -

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Conran and Lieutenant Rethwell to be Fort Master to the force under Lieutenant Colonel Conran's Orders.

4 Sept. 1809. 5313. President's Minute Appointing Major J. V. Agnew the Deputy Assistant General of the Army to be Superintendant of Bazars to the force under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Conran.

5314. Agreed Accordingly.

4 August. Ditto To the Military Board. Authorizing the construction of the Barracks at Masulipatam, stating that orders have been given for the payment of the sum required by Major Evans for [illegible] Authorizing the construction of the Arsenal at Bangalore.

6 August. 3315. To the Military Paymaster General. Directing that Mr. Mainwaring should pay the Garrison at Cochin. Rejecting Mr. Wilkerell's application for leave of absence.

5316 To the Acting Secretary to the Government at Fort

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For William - Submitting a Statement of
Advances of Money paid to Cadets of the
Establishment of Fort William -

5816. To the Acting Secretary to the Government at
Fort William - Submitting Statement of pay-
-ments made to His Majesty's forces serving
under this Presidency -

5817. To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief -
With Extract from the Minutes of Consult.
-ation -

Ditto To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief -
Forwarding Copy of a Letter from the Acting
Secretary to the Government at Fort
William - and desiring that the particulars
respecting Lieutenant Watson be ascertained

Ditto. To the Quarter Master General of the Army - For-
-warding Copy of a letter from the Chief
Secretary at Fort William respecting the
equipment the Commanding Officer
at Goa was ordered to provide -

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587. To the Board of Trade. Stating that orders will be issued to prepare a Bill on the Collector of Tinnevelly in favor of the Company's Right and that an Extract has been furnished to the Military Board respecting the Tents.

588 To the Medical Board. Desiring that the Arrangement Respecting the Sick Hospital at Calicut be carried into effect.

Ditto To the Military Board. Transmitting Copies of Letters from the Acting Secretary at Fort William Respecting a deficiency of Stores landed from the Walthamstow and from the Military Paymaster with an Account of the Salary Cost Corps. Referring a letter from the Town Major Respecting the repairs of the Body Guard Stables.

Ditto Do Ditto. Stating that orders have been given for the payment of several Bills and Advances of Cash.

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5818. To the Military Board - Transmitting Extract of a letter from the Board of Trade and desiring that an Officer be directed to receive the Tents from the Commercial Resident at Palamcottah.

5819. To the Military Auditor General - referring three letters from the Military Paymaster General respecting the Establishments of Captain Robertson and Mr. Mainwaring.

5819. To the Military Auditor General - transmitting Extract of a letter from the Military Board and desiring that the payment may be made to Major Evans.

5820. To the Military Auditor General - Transmitting letters from the Military Board, and desiring that orders be given for the payment of the several Bills and Advances of Cash.

5821. To the Military Auditor General - Authorizing the Modified Establishment for the Pay and Provision Departments under the Command of Colonel Hart.

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589. To the Military Auditor General - With Extract from the Minutes of Consultation - Copy of a letter from the Military Paymaster with an Account of Sale of Cast Horses and Copy of a letter from the Chief Secretary at Bombay with a List of Sums paid to Officers of this Establishment.

590. To the Military Paymaster in Malabar - With Copy of a letter from the Collector in Canara and of the reply.

Ditto To the Town Major of Fort Saint George - Acquainting him that Mons.r Revenin and his Wife had Received permission to proceed to the Isle of France.

Ditto To the Officer Commanding the Centre Division of the Army - Transmitting a Modified Office Establishment for the Paymaster and Commissary.

Ditto To the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry - permitting Mons.r Revenin and his Lady to proceed to the Isle of France.

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5820. To the Lieutenant Superintendant of the Breeding Stud -

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Transmitting Copy of a Letter from the Acting Secretary to Government at Fort William, and desiring that the information may be furnished -

Dis. From the Military Auditor General - Reporting on the Additional Estimates framed by the Pay-master at Fort Saint George and the Deputy Paymaster General to the King's Troops -

4th August 1809. 5822. From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief - Respecting the Complaint against Captain Davis for beating a Buzar Bram -

5825. Resolution thereon -

4th August 1809. 5826. From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief - forwarding Proceedings of the Medical Board with the application of Mr Patterson for six Months leave of absence to visit Calcutta -

Do - Dis Proceedings of the Medical Application of Mr Patterson for six Months leave of absence to visit

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visit Calcutta.

8th August 1809 5828. From the Military Secretary to the Offrs Comg the Army: in Chief - transmitting Proceedings of the Medical Board reporting the death of the Physician General.

7th August " 5829 Proceedings of the Medical Board - reports the death of the Physician General.

5th do " 5834. From the Adjutant General of the Army - Recommending Colonel Cuppage to be struck off - Application of Lieutenant McLean to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope - and of Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage to proceed to England -

5836. Minute thereon.

5th August " 5837 From the Assistant Adjutant General of the Army - Requesting Commissions for the Native Commissioned Officers of Infantry promoted from the 1st of June to the 31st July 1809 -

Order

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5839. Order thereon.

4th July 1809. 5840. From the Medical Board. insanity of Goodyrah, 33
reported. Certificate in favor of Nagapah
forwarded distribution of off.s Surgeons Allowance.

12th August " 5843. To the Medical Board. stating that the Certificate in favor of Nagapah will be attended to - approving Mr. Surgeons Treatise.

2d July " 5844. From the Military Auditor General. on the claim of Officers for Batta as Commanding Corps during the presence of the Senior Officers holding a superior Command.

5847. Minute thereon.

August " 5848. From the Military Auditor General - Bill of the Quarter Master of the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry for Cloathing Charge cable to the Reckoning Fund of 1807 - Report on Lieutenant Balls claim to Agentant allowance.

Minute

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5852 Minute thereon.

5th August 1809 5853. From the Military Auditor General. Application
of Lieutenant Colonel Campbell to pray
the King's Troops lately Arrives from Ceylon.

5856. Resolution thereon.

7th do. 5857. From the Military Auditor General. report
upon Mr. Paymaster Douglas's application
for field allowances, and the Military
Paymaster General's application to draw
Money from the public Treasury on Account
of Lieutenant Colonel Chines.

5860. Resolutions thereon.

5th August. 5861. From the Chief Engineer. Bills for purchase
of Instruments forwarded for payment.

5862. Order thereon.

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Diary

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Sent the following Letters.

To J. Adam Esqr.

Acting Secretary to the Government

at Fort William.

Sir,

To the Acting Secy to the Government at Fort William Forwarding copy of a letter and Statement respecting the Cloathing of the Army from the Military Auditor General.

Conformably with the directions conveyed in your letter of the 29th April, the Honorable Governor in Council directs me to transmit for the information of this Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, the accompanying copy of a letter from the Military Auditor General at this Presidency with its enclosure respecting the Cloathing of the Army — the Military Auditor General states the reasons why he is unable to prepare a Comparative Statement of the Expence of Cloathing as required in your letter, which the Governor in Council trusts will appear Satisfactory to his Lordship in Council —

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and of the less consequence as the Bombay Government being in possession of the requisite documents will be at all times able to form this Statement.—

Fort St. George
13th July 1809.

I have the Honor to be &c &c
(Signed) J. H. Petrie
Secy to Govt.

To Fr. Warden Esq.
Chief Secretary to Government at
Bombay.

To the Chief Secretary to the Government at Bombay. Forwarding Copy of a letter and Statement respecting the Cloathing of the Army from the Military Auditor General.

Sir,

Conformably to the directions of the Supreme Government conveyed in Mr. Secretary Adam's letter of the 29th April last, the Honorable the Governor in Council directs me to forward the accompanying Copy of a letter and Statement respecting the cloathing of the Army from the Military Auditor General at this Presidency with a request that the same may

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may be laid before the Honorable the —
Governor in Council at Bombay.—

The Military Auditor General having
stated the reasons why he is unable to furnish
a Comparative Statement as required in the
letter from the Supreme Government, and —
pointed out the manner in which the defic-
=iency may be supplied at Bombay, The
Governor in Council trusts that the Deviation
from those orders will not be attended with
any inconvenience.—

Fort St. George
15th July 1809.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ I. H. Pearse
Secy to Govt.

Received and sent the following
letters entered in Mo. B. Nos. 37. 38. 39. 40.—
41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52.

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce.

From the Military
Auditor General

Admitting an additional Estimate for Cash &c
&c.

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the Paymaster at Vellore.

From the Mili:
= tary Paymaster
General.—

From the Honorable J. B. Fe
Murray— Enclosing a list of Bills drawn —
upon him by the Paymaster to the Subsidiary
Force at Poonah.—

From the Magistrate
at Cambaconum.—

From Mr. Woodcock— Payment
of Prisoners of War not under his Superintendance

To the officer Com:
=manding the
Army in Chief.—

To Major General Gowdie —
With Copy of a Letter from the Envoy at Goa.—

To Do. Do.

To Do. Do.— Approving the —
late orders of Colonel Wilkinson— accepting
the resignation of Captain Hodgson.—

To the officer
Commanding the
Army in Chief.—

To Major General Gowdie —
with Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.—

To the Quarter
Master General
of the Army.—

To the Quarter Master General—
Acknowledging the receipt of his letter Dated
27th Ultimo.—

To the
Military
Board.—

To the Military Board— Passing
several Bills and advances of Cash for payment.

Forwarding

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Forwarding copy of a letter from the acting Secretary to the Government at Fort William respecting fuzes, and another from the Offrs commanding the Cantonment at Arcot.—

To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General.

Conferring the retrenchment against Major McGregor for Superior Batta.—Enclosing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.—Transmitting copy of a letter from the Chief Secretary to the Government at Fort William and desiring that the Accounts of the purchase of Horses may be prepared; referring copy of a letter from the Town Major respecting a claim for Entrance money; and another from the Military Paymaster General respecting Mr. Hawkins's Security Bonds.—Permitting the Sum of rupees 19 3/4 to be debited in the Books of Mr. Paymaster Savage.—Directing that the Bills enclosed in a Letter from the Quarter Master General may

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be paid.

To the Military Auditor General-

To the Military Auditor General
Enclosing duplicate and Triplicate pay certificates
of Officers permitted to return to India.

To Do. Do.

To the Military Auditor General-
Desiring him to authorize an Advance of 500
Rupees to Lieutenant Thomas Black.

To Do. Do.

To Ditto Ditto. Enclosing
Copies of Letters from the Acting Secretary to the
Government at Fort William and the Chief
Secretary at Bombay.

To Do. Do.

To Ditto. Ditto. Desiring him
to authorize various Bills and advances of Cash.

To the Military Paymaster General-

To the Military Paymaster
General. With Copy of the Military Auditor
General's report on an additional Estimate
of Cash by the Paymaster at the Presidency.

To Do. Do.

To Ditto Ditto. Permitting
Mr. Paymaster Savage to debit the public
with

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with the amount of the Money purloined by a Sepoy.

To Lieutenant Blair Stating

To Lieutenant Thomas Blair of the Marine Establishment of Bombay.

that an order had been issued for authorizing an advance of 500 Rupees on application.—

Sent a Letter to the Military

To the Military Paymaster General.

Paymaster General entered in No. B. No. 53. With copy of the Military Auditor Generals report on an additional estimate of Cash by the Pay-master at Vellore.—

At a Consultation

Present

The Honorable Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart K.B.

Governor and President

William Petrie
Thomas Oakes
and
J. H. Casamajor

} Esqrs.

Tuesday the 18th July 1809.

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved.—

The

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Fort St. George 18th July 1809.

The President records the following Minute.

The President's Minute proposes to appoint Lieutenant E. Wallace and A. Browne Aid de Camp & Deputy Quarter Master General & Aid de Camp to the Centre Division of the Army. Lieutenant Hook Brigade Major to Lieutenant Colonel Hare Lieutenant Dick and Oliver Adjutant to the 2d Battalion 22d Regiment's 1st Battn 25th Regiment N. I.

The President proposes to make the following Appointments.—

Lieutenant Edward Wallace of the 2d Regiment Native Cavalry to be Assistant Quarter Master General to the Centre Division of the Army.—

Lieutenant Richard Browne of 25th Regiment Native Infantry to be Adjutant General to the Centre Division of the Army.—

Lieutenant Colonel Hook of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Light Dragoons to be Brigade Major to Lieutenant Colonel Hare Commanding the Centre Division of the Army.— Lieutenant E. H. Dick to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion 22nd Regiment vice Brown.— Lieutenant J. W. Oliver to be Adjutant of

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the 1st Battalion 25th Regiment, vice Brewer—

Signed/ G. H. Barlow.

Approved and directed to be published in G. O.—

Read the following Letters from the Military Secretary to the Offic. Comg. the Army in Chief, and the Adjutant General of the Army.

Fort St. George
18th July 1809.

I. H. Pyke Esq.

Secretary to Government

&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George

Sir, I have the honor to forward a Letter No 1. from Lieutenant Charles Cunningham Deputy Judge Advocate Southern Division giving cover to a letter from the Military Auditor General, by which it would appear that Lieutenant Cunningham acted as private Secretary to Lieutenant Colonel the

From the Military Secretary to the Offic. Comg. the Army in Chief for warding and recommending an application from Lieutenant Chas. Cunningham for the allowance of private Secy. while acting in that capacity with Lieut. Colonel the Honble A. Gardner also Bill of Lieutenant Pyke for expences on account of a party of Sick in his charge—

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The Honorable A. Sentleger while Commanding
a Force in Travancore, and although Major
General Gowdie was totally unacquainted with
that appointment. Still from the reasonableness
of the claim, he cannot decline forwarding the
application which he now requests may be
submitted to the Honorable the Governor in
Council.—

I have also the honor of forward-
ing Papers No. 2. containing a Bill of expences
incurred by Lieutenant Bigs 1st Battalion 5th
Native Regiment, in conveying the Sick of a
Detachment from that Corps escorting Treasure from
Mangalore to Goa — as the disbursement of this
money appears to have been absolutely re-
quisite to the Service, Major General Gowdie
requests that the Bill be submitted to the
Honorable the Governor in Council in order to
have it sanctioned —

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Fort St. George
Commander in Chiefs office
July 10th 1809

I have the honor to be &c &c &c
/ Signed / John R. Vernon
Mily. Secry. to the Comr
in Chief.

To the Military Secretary
to the Commander in Chief
Fort St. George.

Sir,

In consequence of the letter
you did me the honor to forward to my
address respecting the Military Auditor
General being the proper Channel of applic-
ation to the Honorable the Governor in
Council for the Authority necessary to pass
my Abstract of allowance as private Secre-
tary to the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel
Sandleger, I made the application which
produced the enclosed reply.

Under the Circumstances which
I am placed respecting these allowances, I
trust

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Most Sir you will again do me the honor to sub-
=mit my claims to the offices commanding the
Forces in Chief, who in consideration of my ap-
=pointment having met with the formal approb-
=ation and Confirmation of the Honorable the
Governor in Council, I hope may be induced to
adopt such measures as he may deem most
proper to prevent my suffering the great hard-
=ship of being retrenched for allowances drawn
under the sanction of Government, as whilst I
was employing myself at considerable expence and
respecting personal application to the duties
of my Situation in the Field, I could never for
a moment suppose that the Honorable the
Governor in Council could intend my appoint
=ment to be held without the emolument which
has been invariably attached to it, and of which
without the interference of the Commander in Chief
I fear I shall be deprived.—

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Trichinopoly
27th June 1809

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ Charles Cunningham
Depy Judge Advocate
Sn Dn of the Army.

Lieutenant Charles Cunningham
Judge Advocate Southern Division
Trichinopoly.

Sir,

In answer to your letter of the 13th Instant just received, requesting me to obtain the authority of Government for your drawing the allowances of Secretary to the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger whilst Commanding the Detachment of Troops in Travancore, I have to acquaint you that not having received from Government any Orders regarding the above Appointment, I cannot till furnished with that authority, draw the allowances; to obtain which, does not rest with me.—

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 29th June 1809

I am &c. &c.
/Signed/ F. Breese. M. A. Gl.

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To the officer Commanding
1st Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry
Sir,

I have the honor to request you will please to forward the accompanying paper to the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. —

Mangalore
26th of June 1809.

/ Signed / Wm. Bisp. Lieutenant
1st B. 5th R. N. I.

To the Military Secretary
to the Commander in Chief
Sir,

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Military Auditor General, I have the honor to transmit to you a Bill of the Expences unavoidably incurred by me for the Conveyance of the Sick Men of a Detachment lately under my Charge from the 1st Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry Escorting Treasure to Goa from Mangalore, which I request

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you will have the goodness to lay before the Commander in Chief, that he may be pleased to submit it to the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

Mangalore
26th of June 1809.

(Signed) Wm. Biss Lieutenant
1st Bn. 5th Regt N. I.

Order thereon.

Ordered that official notification of Lieutenant Cunninghams appointment to be private Secretary to Lieutenant Colonel Sent Leger be Communicated to the Military Auditor General to enable him to pass the Abstracts of that Officer for the usual allowances of that situation.—

Ordered that the Bill forwarded by Lieutenant Biss be referred to the Military Auditor General for his investigation and report.—

Alexander Falconar Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government
&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George.

Sir,

I am directed by the Officer Commanding

From the Military Secretary to the officer commanding the Army in Chief for wards letter

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Fort St. George 12th. July 1809.

Letter from Major Welsh respecting the Prize Bales of the property Captured in Travancore

Commanding the Army in Chief to forward the enclosed Letter addressed to you, by Major Welsh of the 2d. Native Regiment for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

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

(Signed) John R. Vernon

Mily. Secy to the Comr in Chief

Fort St. George
Commander in Chief's Office
10th. July 1809.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

Sir,

I am extremely sorry to be obliged to trouble you, to lay before the Honorable the Governor in Council this letter and its Enclosures on the subject of Prize Money for property captured from the Enemies of the British Government during the late war in Travancore—

But having been nominated by the Officer Commanding / and by the Suffrages of my Brother Officers / the Prize agent for

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for the Company's Troops of that Detachment,
I conceive myself imperiously called upon / in
the fulfilment of the duties of that Solemn Trust /
to use my best endeavors to obtain at the Hands
of a Just and Liberal Government a Sanction
to the claims of a Detachment, whose opera-
tions have been honored with its publick
approbation.

Referring to Letter N.o 1, Just
received from Lieutenant Colonel Macaulay
British Resident in Travancore, I beg leave
to state circumstances for the consideration
of Government - instead of replying direct
to Colonel Macaulay and I trust the evident
necessity of the reference - will plead my
Excuse for intruding on the attention of
Government - on this occasion -

In the first place, I take the
liberty to enclose an Abstract of the account

of

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of Prize Sales by which it will appear that of a Total Amounting to 61.246 Star Pagodas a little more than 5000 have been collected — Of the Sums Still due. there are 26,500 Pagodas to be received from the new Dewaun to whom we Sold the Prize Tobacco, at the request of the Resident / who promised to use every exertion to endeavour him to pay us immediately the Stipulated Price) —

The other articles of Captured property which Captain Lindsay / Prize Agent for his Majesty's Troops / and I had collected with much trouble and difficulty / from the Nature of the Places in which they were most of them concealed by the Enemy were transported to our Camp near Trevandrum, and Sold by Public Auction upon the faith of being allowed to make Lawful Prize of the Arms and effects of a Beaten Enemy and

purchased

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purchased almost entirely by officers of the Detachment at amost exorbitant Rate (in general at least four times the real value) on the supposition of being entitled to, and for laying for them out of their share of Prize money, and also with the laudable motive of Increasing the general Stock for the benefit of the Brave Fellows — serving under them — of these description of purchasers, a few were officers who have since returned to Ceylon, and a few others belonged to the Travancore subsidiary force, but all under the same expectation of obtaining Prize money; and no other supposition could have in any manner excused the many ridiculous Purchases that were made at these Sales, by men, whose Pay was barely sufficient for their support, in an expensive Country.) — The nominal time of Payment was the first Issue of Pay in may, by which period it was supposed

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suppose all our accounts would be settled and a distribution take place, and we [illegible]
took care to request that Gentlemen should keep within the probable share to which they might be entitled respectively.

The sales were hardly over before the general knowledge of the Extract No 2 notified to every man in the Detachment to convince that his Claim to Prize Money was allowed, but also to expect a much larger reward for his Services as it was [illegible] that the Ordnance Arms and Military Stores, Captured from the Enemy, and now at the disposal of the British Government, were worth Several Lacs of Pagodas - and as it appeared by that letter that the Sums collected by us, for Sundries at the Prize Sales, were to be deducted from the Amount to be paid to the Army for the Ordnance &c - Captain Lindsay and I determined

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as the readiest mode of adjusting our ac-
=counts that the Sums due by each Corps
should be finally deducted from their share
of Prize Money.—

Our Detachment being
entirely broke up and separated before the
1st of May. it would have been impossible
to collect the money from Individuals, who
are now spread all over the Country, even
were it the intention of Government to
oblige them to Pay for their Purchases (with-
=out allowing them any recompence for
their Loses &c on that service) but from
a careful perusal of the Extract N.o 2, I am
Induced to hope and encouraged in the
supposition (notwithstanding the High au-
=thority of a Letter coming immediately
from a British Resident, which had I
remained in Travancore I must have

immediately

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immediately obliged / that Lieutenant
Colonel Macaulay has on this occasion
misconceived the intentions of Government.
If I am unfortunately mistaken
and some / to me / unknown cause has
induced the Honorable the Governor in Council
to withdraw his favorable decision from
the Troops in whose behalf I have
taken this / otherwise improper / liberty.
I humbly request that such decision may
be made known, so as to exonerate me
from the stigma which would attach to
me, had I neglected the Interests of my
fellow Soldiers, who having honored me
with their confidence must naturally look
to me for a Completion of their wishes.—
I trust Sir, that if I have
unintentionally touched on any point
beyond

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beyond what my Duty as a Prize agent would warrant that it may be attributed to the true Cause an anxious zeal to perform my trust and not to any other motive

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your very Obedient
Humble Servant
(Signed) J. Welsh Major
and Prize agent for
the Compt troops of the
Southern Field Dett
= tachment.

Nundy-Droog
July 1st 1809.

Major James Welsh
1st Bn 3d Regt N. I.

Sir,

Government leaving dis-
allowed the Claim to prize of the Troops
that

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That Surat in Travancore during the late hostilities, I have in consequence to require that the amount of money, that proceeded from the Sales in the Southern portion of Travancore of property of whatever description supposed to be prize, may be forthwith paid into my Treasury, in order that the directions of Government with respect to that property may be fulfilled.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your very obedient
humble Servant
/Signed/ C. Macaulay
Resident

Dulon
9th June 1809.

/True Copy/
/Signed/ J. Welsh
Prize Agent
Assistant

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Abstract of the Total Amounts of the Prize Bills for Articles Purchased in Camp.

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Head Quarters Honorable Colonel Sentleger	302	2	6	
Lieut.-Colonel Macaulay British Resident	57	.	.	
Lieutenant Cunningham Secretary	335	2	6	
Captain Sarrow	80	1	.	
Captain James Grant	4	.	.	
Captain Townsend	8	2	.	
Lieutenant West	132	.	.	
Lieutenant Swinton Surveyor	112	2	.	
Lieutenant Riddell Do	60	.	.	1,136 2 1.
H. M. 69th Regt Lieutenant Colonel Macleod	133	3	.	
Dito Surgeon	41	.	.	
Major Coats	23	1	.	
Captain Dalbiac	113	3	.	
Captain Sayers	79	2	.	
Mr. Henry	134	1	.	
Lieutenant Cunning	8	3	.	
Captain Robins	123	.	.	
Lieutenant Lane	41	.	.	
Captain Magennis	40	.	2	
Lieutenant Colville	6	1	.	
Lieutenant Mitchell	.	1	2	
Lieutenant Cotter	72	.	.	
Dr. Sedley	4	.	.	
Lieutenant Read	65	3	6	
Lieutenant Sumner	4	.	.	
Lieutenant Lt. Baly	19	1	2	
Lieutenant Bafsett	14	1	.	
Lieutenant A. D. Baly	32	.	.	
Lieutenant Mc Mahon	4	.	.	
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H.M. 69th Regt. Sergeant Major			
Lieutenant Bowen	6		
Captain Carroll	2		
Lieutenant Downing	75	2	
Lieutenant West	60		
Lieutenant Macpherson	11	3	
Captain Lindsay	21	2	
Lieutenant Cary	71	1	8
Captain Curry	9		
Lieutenant Wardlock	49		
Lieutenant Nadault	6	2	
Lieutenant W. Read	40		
Lieutenant Carnel	109	1	
Lieutenant Hopkins	12	1	
Mrs Burke	5	2	
Sergeant Bowen	63	2	10
Drum Major	23		4
James Winterton Band	14		2
Sergeant Grundy	2	1	1
Sergeant White	6	2	
J. Johnson Colonel Macdonald	26		
Sergeant Rose	5	1	
Chas Tinton	17	1	7
J Gladwith	2	3	
H Willoughby	1		
Drum Hammond	2		
Thos Hilton	3		
W Davis	1	1	
George Gay	4		
	23	1	

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Capt.	Bennet and Rank							
H.M. 65th Rt.	Sergeant Silk		4	3	.	136	2	1
	Robert Rollaston			1	2			
	Armourer			1	1			
	Sergeant Lottery							
	Lieutenant Yate			1	8			
	R. Barker			"	3			
	Lieutenant Baker			"	2	2107	-	2
H.M. 12th Rt.	Colonel Picton		4					
	Captain Sale		215	2				
	Captain Fowler		30	9		250	1	
H.M. 19th Regt.	Honorable Colonel Stewart		4					
	Major Hankey		4					
	Major Beaver		507	3				
	Lieutenant Macdonald		53		8			
	Captain Watts		4					
	Lieutenant Robinson		7					
	Captain Robson		86	2				
	Lieutenant Drebey		1	1	7			
	Lieutenant Thorne		1					
	Privates		2			670	3	4.
H.M. 3d Ceylon	Lieutenant & Colonel Marcie		34					
	Captain Sullivan		26					
	Captain Handy		4					
	Lieutenant Sweeny		11					
	Lieutenant Ingraim		16					
	Lieutenant Richter		82					
	Carried Over					4159	2	7

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Corps	Names & Ranks.	Pr.	Fr.	Pr.	Fr.
2 M. 9 Ceylon	Lieutenant Cott	15	2	4139	2 7
	Lieutenant Bell	12	-	220	2 -
Royal Artillery	Captain Baker	2	1	1	
	Lieutenant Rutherford	5	2	11	6 3 5
Artillery	Lieutenant Stanette	17	1	2	
	Lieutenant Cocott	17	2	-	
	Doctor Simpson	63	-	3	
	Pounder	34	1	7	172 1 1
Pioneers	Captain Smithwait	28	2	3	
	Lieutenant Barham	16	2	-	
	Doctor M'Kenzie	15	-	-	54 - 8
1st B. 9th Regt	Captain Pepper	Paid	7	3	11
	Lieutenant Perkins	7	-	-	
	Lieutenant Grove	14	8	-	
	Lieutenant Williamson	25	-	-	
	Lieutenant Rodwell	2	3	-	
1st B. 21st	Subedar Rungiah	13	2	-	70 3 4
	Major Welsh	739	1	9	
	Captain Lucas	95	-	-	
	Captain Carfrae	113	1	3	
	Captain Sherman	15	1	1	
	Ensign Dixon	1	-	-	
	Lieutenant Jeffries	94	1	6	

Carried Over - - - 4683. 1. 3.

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2. B. 8 R.	Lieutenant Walker	35	2	10		
	Lieutenant Colley	23	2	8		
	Lieutenant Tagg	90	"	7		
	Lieutenant Sweeney	163	"	"		
	Lieutenant Dowson	135	9	5		
	Lieutenant Robinson	17	1	9.		
	Lieutenant Reason	44	"	9.		
	Lieutenant Peile	78	5	2		
Paid 25 Pr.	Doctor Anderson	113	1	"		
	Ensign Blaker	33	"	1		
	Ensign Sheppard	"	2	"		
	Natives 1/5 Account	309	"	5	2359	2 8
1st B. 13th R.	Major Lang	203	"	9		
	Captain Lambert	32	1	"		
	Captain Hodgson	290	"	9		
	Lieutenant Swayne	30	2	"		
	Natives as 1/5 account	91	3.	8		
	Lieutenant Monricef	4	"	"		
	Doctor Rivoire	333	"	"		
	Lieutenant Bennett	7	1	"		
	Ensign Greene	9	2	"		
	Lieutenant and Adjutant Moore	52	1	"		
	Lieutenant Macleod	39	2	"		
	Lieutenant Isaacs	20	3	"		
	Ensign Dandworth	11	"	"		
	Lieutenant Jones	44	"	"		
	Lieutenant Bloomfield	18	"	"		
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				Carried Over	8330	1 5

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2d B. 16th Rt.	Captain Mau		1330	1 5
	Ensign Archer	17 2 .		
	Lieutenant Williamson	5 . .		
1st B. 17th Rt.	Major Hewitt	13 . .	35	2 .
	Captain Jones	29 2 .		
	Lieutenant Lambe	115 1 .		
	Lieutenant Scoom	60 1 5		
	Captain Waugh	25 3 .		
	Lieutenant Douglas	4 . .		
	Lieutenant Perkins	1 . .		
	Lieutenant Shaws	14 2 .		
	Ensign Braun	7 . .		
	Subedar Anoopa Lyng	11 . .		
6th Rt. N. 6.	Doctor Hagner	5 1 .	310	2 5
	Lieutenant Johnston	85 . .		
Strangers	Ensign Harmon 1st B. 13th	105 . .	190	. .
	Paid Paymasters Butler	5 1 .		
Paid 91 S.	Mr. Sutherland Mast.	37 1 .		
Paid.	Pascal Raulet	131 3 .		
		77 2 2.		

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Strangers	Vengoo Moodiliar	Paid	5204	1	2866	1 10
	Captain Foote		130	"		
	Mr. Heighes Butler	Paid	83	2	3	
	Captain Lindsay Old Elephant		98	"	"	
					5,718	" "
	The Dewan of Travancore					
	1145 3/4 Bales Tobacco at 100 Rupees					
	per Candy				10,310	" "
	3939 D°. Inferior at 60 Rupees p Candy				16,045	2 "
	Telescope and Tamarin omitted. Coorie detained, sent a Prisoner to the New Dewan		120	"	"	
	Coorie Sold to him at Colachy		247	"	"	
					367	" "
	The Payment very Doubtful — but Coorie not Carried away					
S. Sub. Force	Colonel Chalmer		92	3	"	
	Lieutenant Chrichestone		4	"	"	
	Major Scott		33	"	"	
					129	3 "
	Ready Cash prize Sales				91	1 4
	Grand Total Star Pagodas				41528	" 3.
	from which Deduct expences as per an Account of Particulars				81	1 10
Signed J. Welsh, Major & Prize Agent.	Balance Sr. Pagodas				41,446	2. 4.

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Total of Cash Collected.

Recapitulation

Colonel Macaulay		51	"
Captain Topper		7	3 ½
Doctor Anderson		25	"
Raymonds Butler		37	1 "
Mr. Sutherland Merchant		91	3 "
Paul Raott		77	2 2
Vengoo Moodeah		5204	1 "
Mr. Hughes		83	2 3
		5573	" 9
Ready Cash at the Sale		91	1 ½
Total		5,664	2 2
Deduct expences		31	1 10
Balance in Cash		5,588	" 3 "

E. E.

(Signed) J. Welsh

Extract

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Extract of a Letter from Major R. Barclay Military Secretary to the Governor, to Lieutenant Colonel Macaulay - British Resident Travancore. -

"Yet Sir George is well Convinced that
"the Troops encountered all the dangers and hardships
"that could have occurred in an avowed and open
"War with the Rajah, and in his anxiety to make
"them some recompense for their privations, Losses
"and Gallant exertions, he thinks that a reasonable
"distinction may be made, between the Ordnance
"Arms and Military Stores which the Rajah's re-
-bellious Subjects had Seized upon and employed
"as instruments of offence against our Troops, and
"the other Articles of Property belonging to the
"Rajah or his subjects which may have fallen into
"the Hands of the Troops - but which were not
instruments of offence or opposed to the advance of
the Troops - and Sir G. is just now disposed to take
upon himself to Authorize a sum of money equi-
-valent to the value of those Ordnance Arms and

Military

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"Military Stores to be paid to the Troops"—

"As the recipience of that equivalent
"must fall upon the Rajah of Travancore. it will
"be reasonable that a Deduction should be made
"from it equal to the value of the Property of
"any other Description belonging to the Rajah
"or his subjects, which the Troops may have sold
"or disposed of in such manner it cannot be rec=
"overed to the owners. The Honorable Company's
"own Despatches Concerning which I wrote to you —
"before, must of Course revert to them — either in
"Kind or in Money."—

/True Extract/

/Signed/ J. Welsh

Prize Agent.

"time to thereon.

It appears on perusal of the —
foregoing letter and its enclosures that the —
Orders of Government respecting the disposal
of the property Captured during the late dis =
=turbances in Travancore, have been misconstrued.

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for though the Board do not admit that Price can be made on the supposition of restitution by the end of the Military power, yet they had resolved to reward the services of the Tanjore employees against the Dewan of Travancore and his adherents, by a donation equivalent to the value of the Ordnance and Military Stores employed offensively by the insurgents and Captured from them on the field of battle or obtained from the terror of our Arms, of which resolutions the Resident in Travancore had already been apprized, Therefore that Copy of the Orders of Government to the Resident on this subject be sent to Major Walsh for his information and that the Military Auditor General be informed that no retrenchment or stoppage is to be made from any officer on account of the purchases he may have made at the sales of the property Captured in Travancore until a final adjustment of the Carrier take place; at which time those Officers whose purchases exceed

the

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the Amount of their respective Shares of the proposed Donation are to be called upon to refund the excess.

I. H. Pole Esq.r

Secretary to Govt.r &c. &c.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward, by the direction of Major General Gowdie Commanding in Chief, the accompanying Letter to the address of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

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

(Signed) John R. Vernon

Mily Secry to the Govt.r in Chief

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief forwarding a representation from Captain Rattray relative to the Share of the Prize Money awarded to the Major Proportion of the late Captures

Fort S. George

Govt.r in Chief's Office

July 10.th 1809

To the Honorable Sir G. H. Barlow Bart K.B.

Governor in Council of

Fort S. George

Honorable Sir,

&c. &c. &c.

Under an Impression that I have been severely injured by a Mistake in the Calculations of the Off Reckoning Fund Committee for the year 1805/6. I take the Liberty Honorable

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Sir, of appealing to you for Redress.—

I had the Honor, to Command the Tanjore Provincial Battalion, during the years 1804/5, and 1805/6. being the last two years for which off[r]ec[k]. =nings have been paid to Officers Commanding Extra or Provincial Battalions. The returns will shew, that the Tanjore Provincial Battalion was com: =plete both years. No. 1. is a Copy of the Distribution of Off[r] Reckonings to the Officer Commanding the Tanjore provincial Battalion for the years 1804/5 and 1805/6. published in Gr. O[r]ly Government, dated on the 11th October 1805, and on the 18th April 1809.—

From a Comparison of the two Tables of Distribution, it appears, that in the year 1804/5 the Staff ranges were Star Pagodas 1,977.. In 1805/6 they were Star Pagodas 1,980.. That the Changes were in 1804/5 Star Pagodas 807. 24. 57. in 1805/6 Star Pagodas 1,544. 37. 57. 26/32 leaving to the Commanding Officer in the first year Star Pagodas 1,169. 10. 22. in the second year Star Pagodas 435. 7. 22. 6/32

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only.—

For the following reasons, I presume to suggest, with the highest Deference to the Orders of Government, that there is some mistake in the Calculations of the Committee appointed to Calculate the Distribution of Off Reckonings for 1805/6:—

1st. The Sum charged for Clothing in that year, is to the best of my recollection and knowledge high beyond all Precedent.—

2. The Tanjore Provincial Battalion being compleate in 1804/5 and 1805/6 and the quantity of Clothing required in both years being the same.— The difference in the Charges being in the proportion of 13 fo to 8 can only be accounted for on a supposition of a Mistake.—

3. The sum allotted to me in 1804/5 Star Pagodas 1,169..10..23. Corresponds with sufficient exactness with the sums allotted for the same year, to the Officers in Command of the Tinnevelly Battalion.—

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1st The Sum allotted to me in 1805/6 Star Pagodas 435. f. 22 6/32 leaves no just proportion to the Sum allotted for the same year to the Officers commanding the 1st and 2d Battalions of Pioneers who receive for the 1st Battalion Star Pagodas 1,355. 43. 57. for the 2d Battalion Star Pagodas 1271. 17. 62.—

2d In the months of February 1808, I was paid by the favour of the Government on account of my officer Komings for 1804/5 Star Pagodas 192 .. and for 1805/6 Star Pagodas 1793 ... These Sums were estimated to be due to me by the Military Auditor General. On account of the first year, I have refunded Star Pagodas 22 .. 31. 57. On Account of the 2d year I am called upon to refund Star Pagodas 759 . 37. 58.

To save me from this most unexpected and heavy loss, I solicit Honorable Sir, your Interposition and protection.

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

Tanjore
29th June 1809.

/ Signed / J. Butler
Captain
Q. C.

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	Amount of each Share	Amount already received on account	Balance to be paid	Amount over drawn to be refunded.
Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's computation from the returns of the 31.st December 1808	"	"	1977	"
Deductions				
Agents Charges for Clothing supplies and transfers from the Clothing of former years including all Contingencies	"	"	323 16 57	"
To Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing as per Vouchers	"	"	667 19	"
The proportion of the Amount of remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Clothing the Army for the years 1802-3-4. and 5. as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain & Heather a Member of the Officiating Commission Agreeably to the orders of Government under date the 11.th April 1807 and 19.th February 1808	"	"	17	"
			307 36 57	
Captain John Butler for the whole year	1169 10 23	192	Pagodas 1169 10 23	22 36 57

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Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General ..... } ... ... 1980 ...

Deduct as follows

Clothing of 1804-5. Supplied to Claimants of 1805-6 and Chargeable to the account of this year ..... } Lis. 235 22/32

Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing to Casuals as P Voucher - 145 12 72

Agents Charges for Clothing Supplies including all Contingencies 212 1 8 4/32

The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Clothing the Army for the years 1802/3-4 and 5 as also the difference between Staff and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Member of the offreckoning Committee agreeably to the Orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807. and 19th February 1808. ..... 17 ... ...

Lis. 1137. 17 26/32

Pagodas 335 7 22 6/32

Amount of each Share	Amount already received on account	Balance to be paid	Amount now drawn to be refunded

Balance allotted to Capt.n J. Butler Commanding — 335 7 22 1/95 ... ... Lis 759 37 58

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Order thereon.

Ordered that the foregoing Letter be referred to the Military Auditor General for his investigation and report—

J. H. Peile Esqr.

Secretary to Government Vz, Vz, Vz,

Sir,

Fort St. George.

Major General Gowdie Commanding in Chief requests that the Accompanying Letter from Captain Ross of the 2d Battalion Artillery may be submitted to the decision of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief forwarding applications of Capt. Ross for Six Months pay in arrears and full batta while on his journey from the Eastward. Of Captain Wildey for 3 Months pay in Advance and of Lieut. Hughes for two Months pay in advance.

Captain Wildey of His Majestys 19th Regiment of Foot having lately arrived at this Presidency and being about to proceed to join his Corps, has made application for an Advance of the Pay &c of three Months to enable him to equip himself to perform the Journey. Major General Gowdie requests that application to that effect may be made to Government and the advance granted to Captain Wildey on receipt in the usual form.—

Major General Gowdie also requests that,

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Sir

I have the honor to be by Order
Your most obedient
Humble Servant
Signed John R. Vernon
Mily Secry to Comr in Chief

Fort St. George
Comr in Chiefs Office
18th July 1809.

To Major J. R. Vernon
Military Secretary to His Excellency
The Commander in Chief
Fort St. George

Sir,

I shall Consider myself greatly obliged by your taking the trouble of Representing to His Excellency the Commander in Chief that being at the Presidency on permission of absence from P. N. Island and having occasion for Six Months of Arrears of Pay due me from December

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December 08 until June 09 inclusive / I beg leave to solicit the Sanction of Government for Drawing the same, and in Consequence of having been subjected to a very heavy Expence in travelling to the Presidency from Bengal / where the Adjustment of private business required my presence / I take the liberty of requesting that His Excellency the Commander in Chief will be pleased to recommend my being permitted to Draw full Batta for the above period which all Officers on Duty receive at P. W. Island; with respect.

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

Signed D. Ross

Capt. 2d. Bat. Artillery

Mount
4th July 1809

Orders thereon.

Ordered that Captain Ross's application be referred to the Military Auditor General for his investigation and report.

Ordered that an Advance of three Months Pay be made to Captain Wildey.

Ordered that an Advance of two Months

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Months pay. be granted to Lieutenant V. Hughes of the 2d Battalion of Pioneers.—

To A. H. Pile Esq.

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

Sir,

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief— Application of Ensign Good for two months pay.

Ensign Good of His Majestys 12th Foot has made application for an advance of two Months Pay Rs to enable him to join his corps at Bangalore— The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief requests that application to that effect may be made to the Honorable the Governor in Council and the advance granted to Ensign Good on receipt in the usual form.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

/ Signed / I. R. Vernon

Mily. Secy. to the

Commander in Chief.

Fort St. George

Commr. in Chiefs Office

7th July 1809.

Ordered that the advance applied for be granted.—

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To the Chief Secretary to Government

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

Fort St. George.

From the Adjutant General of the Army Application for the payment of Lieutenant Balmain's Staff allowance while absent on foreign Service.

I have the honor to inform you that on Lieutenant Balmain's being allowed to proceed to Persia, a resolution of Council was passed authorizing him to draw his Staff allowances during his absence, but the Paymaster having objected to pay them, since that officers removal to the Adjutant Generals office, on the plea that the Minute of Council only mentions the Situation of Assistant Secretary to the Military Board, I have to request that you will be pleased to procure the necessary authority for their being paid, as I presume the Order is equally applicable to both Situations. —

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

(Signed) T. H. S. Conway.
Adj: General

Adjutant Generals Office
6th. July 1809.

Order thereon

Ordered that the Staff allowances of Lieutenant Balmain while employed on foreign Service be paid in Conformity with preceding resolutions of Council on the subject.

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To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

From the Adjutant General of the Army — acceptance of Lieut.t Bowen's resignation of the Adjutancy of his corps recommended — reports the arrival of Mr. Cadet Bourdieu and of Mr. C. Rogers —

I am directed by the Officer Comm.- manding the Army in Chief to request, that you will submit the enclosed Application from Lieutenant and Adjutant Bowen of the 2.d Battn.- 22.d Regiment to the Honorable the Governor in Council, and state the Major General's hope that for the reasons assigned, the resignation may be accepted of. —

I have the honor to report the Arrival of Mr. Cadet William Bordieu for the Infantry, that he may be admitted on the Establishment, and herewith to enclose the Certificate of his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors. —

Mr. Surgeon Rodgers of the Medical Establishment on this Presidency has reported his return to his duty agreeable to permission granted to him by the Hono.- rable

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Honorable the Court of Directors.—

Adjutant Generals Office
15.th July 1809.

I have the honor to be &c.
/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Adj.t General

To the Adjutant General of the Army
Sir,
Fort S.t George.

The State of my health being such from repeated attacks of severe illness, as not to allow of any longer continuance in the Office of Adjutant of the 2.d Battalion 22.d Regiment Native Infantry, I most respectfully solicit the permission of His Excellency the Commander in Chief and of Government to resign that appointment.—

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21.st June 1809.

/Signed/ L. Bowen Lt. & Adj.t
2.d Bat.n 22.d Reg.t N. I.

Resolutions thereon.

Resolved that Lieutenant Bowen's resignation of the Adjutancy of the 2.d Battalion 22.d Regiment Native Infantry be accepted and published in G. O.—

Resolved

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Resolved that Mr. Cadet —
Bourdieu be admitted on the Establishment
and published in G. O. —

Ordered that the arrival of
Mr. Surgeon C. Rodgers be announced in G. O.

To J. H. Pirie Esqr.
Secretary to Government &c, &c, &c,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

By the direction of the Offrg
Commanding the Army in Chief, I have the honor
to transmit enclosed Proceedings of the Medical
Board, under date the 22d. Ultimo and 10th. Instant, and to request that you will be pleased to
lay them before the Honorable the Governor in
Council with His recommendation that the
several applications for leave of absence therein
mentioned be complied with. —

I have the honor to be &c, &c,
(Signed) John R Vernon
Mily Secry to the Commr in Chief

Fort St. George
Commr. in Chiefs Office
12th July 1809

From the Military Secy. to the Offrg Comdg the Army in Chief forwards proceedings of the Medical Board dated 22d. June & 10th July reporting the arrival of Mr. C. Rogers and appointment of Mr. Surgeon — request extension of Mr. Surgeon Grants leave of absence, and recommend the appointment of Mr. Sub Asst. Surgeon Lawson to the Subah Force — request leave of absence for Mssrs. Chalmers and Shadworth. —

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Proceedings of the Medical Board arrival of Messrs C. Rogers and Donaldson reports relinquishment of Mr Lyons's leave & appointment of Mr Sub Assist Surgeon Campbell to the Calcutta Establishment recommended.—

Resolution of the Governor in Council Dated 18th July 1809

The Board proceed to read and pass orders on the proceedings of the Medical Board forwarded in the preceding letter.—

Ordered that Mr. Rogers be permitted to resume his duties on the Establishment, and that his arrival be published in G: O:

Resolved that Mr D. Donaldson be admitted.

Medical Board 10th July 1809.

1 The Medical Board have the honor to report to Government and to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, the Arrival of Mr. Surgeon Colin Melville with permission from the Honorable the Court of Directors to return to his duty as a Surgeon on this Establishment.

The Medical Board have also the honor to report the arrival

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admitted on establishment arrival of Mr. David Donaldson Surgeon on the Esta[blishment] as an Assistant Surgeon for this Pre[sidency] his appointment be announced in G[eneral] O[rders].

3. Read a Letter from Mr. Grant Surgeon to the Garrison of Cannanore requesting an extension of Leave of Absence for two Months for the recovery of his health.—

Ordered that an extension of leave for two Months be granted to Mr. Surgeon Grant for the recovery of his health.

4. The Medical Board beg leave to recommend that Mr. Grant's request be complied with as the performance of his duties is already provided for.—

Ordered that Mr Sub Assistant Surgeon Sampson

5. Having received an application from Mr. Staff Surgeon Connell at Jaulnah through the Superintending

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Sampson be appointed to do duty under Mr. Staff Surgeon Connell = and the same be noti = fied in G. O.:—

Superintending Surgeon of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force re: questing, that a Sub-Assistant Surgeon should be directed to do Duty under him:—

6. The Medical Board = recommend, that Mr. Sub Assistant Surgeon Sampson now attached to the Horse Artillery at Jaulna be removed from that Corps, and appointed to do duty under Mr. Staff Surgeon Connell.—

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

/Signed/ J. H. Pike
Secry to Govt.

/Signed/ Jas. Anderson
Physician General
" Terence Gahagan M.D.
V P. Member Medical Board
" Andw. Berry
P. Member Medical Board

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Proceedings of the Medical Board. Recommending that Leave of Absence be granted to Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chalmers

Resolution of the Governor in Council dated 13.th July 1809.

Medical Board

22.d June 1809.

1.st Read a Letter from the Superintending Surgeon of the Centre Division enclosing and Seconding an Application from Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chalmers of the Garrison of Royacottah soliciting permission to visit the Presidency on Private business, and to be absent from his Station for the space of one Month.

Resolved that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chal: = mers be permitted to visit the Presidency on Leave of Absence for one Month, and that the same be published in G: O:.

2.d As the Application is sanctioned by his Commanding Officer, the Medical Board recommend to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief to Govern: = ment, that Leave of Absence be

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By Order of the Hon^ble granted to Mr. Chalmers — the Governor in Council — agreeably to his request.—

/Signed/ J. H. Peile
Secy to Govt

/Signed/ Jas. Anderson
Physician General

" Terence Gahagan M.D
1st 2d Member Medical Board

" Andw Berry
2d Member Medical Board

Medical Board
10th July 1809.

Proceedings of the Medical Board. Requests leave of Absence for Mr. Apl Surgeon Chadworth —

Resolution of the Governor in Council dated 18th July 1809

1 Read a letter from the Superintending Surgeon of the Northern Division, enclosing an application from Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chadworth of the Madras European Regiment, soliciting permission to visit the Presidency on his private business, and to be absent from his station, for the space of two Months.—

Resolved that Mr. Asst Surgeon Chadworth be permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for two Months, and that the same be published in General Order —

By Order of the Hon^ble the Governor in Council. —

/Signed/ J. H. Peile
Sec^y to Govt

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2. As the application is sanctioned by his immediate Superintending Surgeon, the Medical Board recommend, to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, that leave of absence be granted to Mr. Steadworth — agreeably to his request.—

(Signed) Jas. Anderson
Physician General
" Terence Lyahagan M.D.
V.P. Member Medical Board
" Andw. Berry
3d. Member Medical Board

To
J. H. Peile Esqr.
Secretary to Government &c, &c, &c,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I do myself the honor to forward the accompanying Proceedings of the Medical Board — bearing date 17th July 1809.—

These

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief forwarding Proceedings of the Medical Board, requesting Leave of Absence for Mr. Surgeon Fowle and leave to forward to Europe

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for Mr. Surgeon Steddy, death of Mr. Street reported — recommends Mr. Alfred Jones being struck off the List —

These Proceedings are accompanied by an application from Mr. Surgeon Steddy for three years leave of Absence to proceed to Europe, and in which Major General Gowdie begs leave to recommend to the favorable notice of the Honorable the Governor in Council —

Major General Gowdie also requests that Application in favor of leave to visit the Presidency to Mr. Assistant Surgeon Fowle of the 5th Regiment Native Cavalry may be complied with —

I have the honor to be &c.

/ Signed / J. R. Vernon

Military Secretary to the

Commander in Chief

Commander in Chief's Office
July 17th 1809.

The Board proceed to read and pass Orders on the Proceedings forwarded in the preceding letter —

Proceedings of the Medical Board — Recommend Mr. Alfred Jones being struck off the List — leave to proceed to Europe per Mr. Surgeon Steddy — death of Mr. Street &c. &c. —

Resolution of the Governor in Council, dated 18th July 1809.

Medical Board

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1.

Mr. Surgeon Alfred Jones having been absent from the

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the Coast since December 1804.

and the extension of his leave

for one year in addition to

his original furlough granted

by the Honorable the Court of

Directors and announced to the

Government in their public

Letter of the 2d September 1807.

having expired upwards of

twelve months ago. The Me-

dical Board beg leave to

bring these circumstances

under the notice of the Hono-

rable the Governor in Council,

and of the Officer Comman-

-ding the Army in Chief, and

to recommend (that if cir-

-cumstances will permit with the existing re-

-gulations) Mr. Alfred

Jones be struck off the List

of

The Officer Command-
-ing the Army in Chief
strongly recommends
to the Honorable the
Governor in Council
that Mr. Surgeon Alfred
Jones be struck off the
List of Surgeons to this
Presidency.—

(Signed) Fras. Gowdie
Major General Comg.

Resolved that Mr.
Alfred Jones be struck
off the List of Surgeons
on this Establishment &
that the Name be an-
nounced

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announced in G: O:— of Surgeons under this Presidency

2d. Read a Letter from Mr. Surgeon Steddy of the 1st. Regiment Native Infantry enclosing Letters to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, and Government soliciting three years leave of absence to proceed to Europe on Account of his private affairs and for the recovery of his health.—

Resolved that leave of absence for three years be granted to Mr. Surgeon Steddy to proceed to Europe and that the same be published in G. O:—

By Order of the Honble the Governor in Council

Signed H. Fisher
Secy to Govt.

3. As the reasons which Mr. Surgeon Steddy has stated, are of an urgent nature, the Board beg leave to recommend his application to the favorable consideration of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief and Government. They leave

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have further the honor to forward the Letters enclosed to whereon by that Officer.

2d The Medical Board are sorry to report the decease of Mr. Surgeon Joseph Street who died at Manuplipatam on the 10th Inst.

/Signed/ Jas. Anderson
Physician General
" Terence Gahagan M.D.
V 2d Member Med. Board
" Andrew Berry
3d Member Medl. Board

To Major General Gowdie
Commanding the Army on Coast
&c, &c, &c.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose an application to the Honorable the Governor in Coun

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Council for permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough.
and for the reasons therein Stated; you will I trust be pleased
to afford your notice and support to the application.

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

Madras
July 12th 1809.

/Signed/ John Steddy
Surgeon

To the Honorable Sir George H. Barlow Bart. & K.B.
Governor in Council &c. &c. &c.

Honorable Sir,

I respectfully beg leave to solicit your
permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough.
A period of near Eighteen years
Service without a participation in this indulgence,
will I am induced to hope, merit and obtain your
approval and sanction to a measure, which has
for its object considerations due, as well to my own
health as of a private tendency.—

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

Madras
July 12th 1809

/Signed/ John Steddy
Surgeon
Medical

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Proceedings of the Medical Board — Forwarding the application of Mr. Fowle for leave of absence —

Resolutions of the Governor in Council. Dated 18th July 1809.

Medical Board

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1. Read a letter from the Superintending Surgeon of the Mysore Division, transmitting an application from Mr. Assistant Surgeon Fowle of the 5th Regiment Native Cavalry for leave of absence to visit the Presidency on his private affairs for the space of two Months.—

2. As the application is accompanied with the written Sanction of his immediate Commanding Officer, and as the Medical duties of his Corps are provided for, the Medical Board beg leave to recommend that leave of absence be granted to Mr. Fowle agreeably

Resolved that leave of absence be granted to Mr. Asst. Surgeon Fowle for two Months to visit the Presidency, and that the same be published in G. O.—

By order of the Hble the Governor in Council.—

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Secy to Govt.

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agreeably to his request.

/Signed/ Jas. Anderson

Physician General

" Terence Gahagan M.D.

V.P. Member Medical Board

" Andrew Berry

3d. Member Medical Board

Read the following letter from the Medical Board.

To the Honorable Sir G. H. Barlow Bart. & K.B.

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

Honorable Sir,

From the Medical Board recommending Mr. Annesley being appointed Superintendant of Vaccination at Masulipatam

The duties of Superintendent of Vaccination in the District of Masulipatam being at present unprovided for by the death of Mr. Surgeon Street, we have the honor of recommending Mr. Annesley Surgeon to the Garrison of Masulipatam, and performing the Medical duties of the Judicial Court there, to be appointed

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Vaccine Superintendent in his room.—

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Medical Board office

17th July 1809.

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

/ Signed / Jas. Anderson

Physician General

" Terence Gahagan M.D.

& 2d. Member Medical Board

" Andrew Berry

3. Member Medical Board

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that Mr. Annesley be appointed Superintendant of Vaccination at Masulipatam in compliance with the recommendation of the Medical Board, and that the same be published in G: O:—

Read the following letters from the Military Board.—

To the Honorable Sir G. H. Barlow Bart & K.B.

Governor in Council &c, &c, &c,

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of letters from the Secretary of Government in

From the Military Board recommending the grant to Mr. Annesley of the duties on that article - remitted by the Board of Revenue proposed.—

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in the Military Department Dated the 23.d and 27.th ultimo, and to report that the necessary orders have in consequence been given.—

We have the honor to Submit for the consideration of your Honor in Council, an extract of a letter which we have received from the General Agent for Cavalry supplies; representing the inconveniences experienced in in his department from the present mode of levying duty upon gram, and we beg leave to recommend, that instead of detaining it at the Chokies to be measured, each Candy shall be reckoned at 6 Marcalls and the duty levied at once on that quantity — This mode will in our opinion intirely remove the inconvenience complained of by the General Agent; and if approved of by Government we request that the necessary orders may be given to the proper department

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Department.—

Fort St. George.

3d. July 1809.

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

(Signed) Fras. Gowdie
E. Trapaud
T. Clarke
P. Bruce
I. Munro
T. H. S. Conway

Extract of a letter from the General Agent for Cavalry Supplies to the Secretary to the Military Board dated 26th June 1809.

"Considerable inconvenience is experienced in my Department by the present mode of levying the Custom duty upon Gram, which is detained at the Chokies generally for several days to be measured, for the more exact assessment of the duty — The Gram is thus exposed to injury from the weather; and if damaged cannot be returned to the Merchants who increase the price on account

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Account of the detention and trouble - It appears to me that if the Custom duty was levied on each Bullock load reckoned at 6 Maveallys, that the risk and detention, which at present falls on the Company, would be saved. The expence of collection be reduced, and the inconvenience Complained of be remedied.—

If this Suggestion is approved by you I hope I shall be excused for requesting the necessary measures to be taken to effect the alteration.

I have &c.

/ Signed / P. Barclay.

A. S. M. B.

Orders thereon.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter be sent to the Board of Revenue with directions to adopt the Suggestions of the Military Board relative to the mode of levying the duties upon the transit of Grain.—

Ordered also that the foregoing

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Letter and resolution be transferred to the Revenue Department.—

To the Honorable Sir G. H. Barlow Bart. & K.B.

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

Honorable Sirs,

From the Military Board- Payment of Cursery Bills and advances of Cash recommended.—

1. We beg to forward and to recommend payment of the following Bills Viz.

No. 1. Bill of the Superintending Engineer in the Presidency division for Converting the European Hospital at Walajabad into a place of Arms; and for erecting a new Hospital for Native Infantry calculated to hold 600 Men, Amounting to Pagodas 1,811.. 6.. 31..—

No. 2. Bill of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency for repairs executed to the fortifications of Fort St. George for the Month of May last, Amounting to Pagodas 199..—19. 28..—

No. 3. Bill of the Superintending Engineer at Vellore for building a necessary

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necessary and compound wall to the Invalid Barrack in that fort, amounting to Pagodas 94.. 22.. 35.. the balance whereof is due to the Engineer of Pagodas 69.. — .. 75..

N.o 4.- Bill of the Superintending Engineer at Cannanore for repairing the Roof &c.a of the Commanding Officers Quarters at Cannanore, which was sanctioned on Estimate under date the 23.d March 1807.- The Bill amounts to Pagodas 1,026.. 5.. 42.. and includes some additional work considered to be absolutely necessary, which has added to the estimated expence above the Estimate the Sum of Pagodas 377.. 13.. 72..- It was impossible to ascertain the precise limits of the repairs which were necessary until the decayed parts of the old Building had been removed, and we have been satisfied that the extra expence was unavoidable.—

2.d We recommend also payment of an advance of Pagodas 405 8.. .. .. to the Agent for

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for the supply of Military Stores, for Articles required to be provided on Indent No 31 for the service of the Arsenal of Fort St. George.

Fort St. George
3d. July 1809.

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

/Signed/ Fras. Gowdie
E. Strapaud
T. Clarke
P. Bruce
J. Munro
T H. S. Conway.

To the Honorable
Sir G. H. Barlow Bart & K.B.
Governor in Council
&c, &c, &c,

Honorable Sir,

From the Military Board Sundry Bills recommended for payment.

Para 1. We have the honor to forward and to recommend payment of the following Bills. Viz.

No 1. Quarterly Account of the Garrison Storekeeper of Fort St. George, under the

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The Head of Military Board Provision department ending 30th April 1809. Amounting to Pagodas 1472-36-72.-

No. 2. Two Bills of the Officer Comm: = manding in the Wynaad district for bullocks employed in forwarding thro' the District, Howitzers, Tumbrils, and Carts laden with Military Stores sent from Seringapatam for Cannanore and Calicut, Amount: = ing to Pagodas 30-2-43¾.-

No. 3. Bill of the Adjutant of the 2d. Battalion 3d. Regiment for Trickers and Breeches complete made for the use of the Corps: Amounting to Pagodas 23-6-30.-

No. 4. Bill of the Acting Commissa: = ry of supply in Berar for 719 Gram Gunny Bags furnished for the 6th. Regiment Native Cavalry amount: = ing to Pagodas 447-17-..-

No. 5. Bill of the Superintending En: = gineer at Seringapatam .: for small repairs executed by order of the Commanding Officer, to the Town Majors Office, Court Martial room, the Aequeduct, and to the

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place of Arms of the 2.d Battalion 19.th Regiment Native Infantry at that Station, amounting to Pa.s godas 223-1-28, a balance whereof remains due of Pagodas 211-13-28.—

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10.th July 1809

We have the honor to be V.r, V.r,

Sign'd / Fra.s Gowdie
E. Trapaud
T. Clarke
P. Grant
T. H.S. Conway

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing

Order thereon

Letters be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to order payment of the several Bills and Advances of Cash therein recommended.—

Read the following letters from the Military Auditor General.—

To the Honorable Sir George Hilaro Barlow K.B.

Governor in Council V.r, V.r, V.r,

Hon.ble Sir,

From the Military Auditor General Advances of Cash on Account of the Bombay Government

I have the honor to transmit herewith

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and Chargeable to that Presidency

Herewith a Statement of Advances of Cash made at Fort St. George and Chargeable to the Account of the Presidency of Bombay for the months of May and June last. Amounting to Pagodas 146-80-67.-

Military Auditor Generals' Office Fort St. George 8th July 1809.

I have the honor to be with the greatest respect

Honorable Sir,

Your Most Obedient Humble Servant

Signed J. P. Bruce.

Military Auditor General-

Statement.

Statement of Cash Advanced on Account of the Presidency of Bombay in the Months of May and June 1809.

Presidency of Bombay

May — 84th Regiment. Three Months Subsistence Advanced to Corporal W Pratt on account of a Detachment, Serving as Marines on Board His Majestys Sloop Samarang. as Pr. Letter from the Secretary to Government dated 22d May 1809 — 58 15 7

June — Cash Advanced to Lieutenant Farmer of the Royal Marines, on account of Subsistence to a Detachment of His Majestys 2d Battalion 56th Regement Serving as Marines on Board His Majesty's Ship La Piedmontaise. as Pr. Secretary to Government's letter of the 3d July 1809. — Rupees — 310 — or — 88.25.40

Total Pagodas — 146.40.47

(Signed) P. Bruce
M. A. G.e

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Copy of Statement dated 8th July 1809

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and Chargeable to that Presidency.

Herewith a Statement of Advances of Cash made at Fort St. George and Chargeable to the Account of the Presidency of Bombay for the Months of May and June last. Amounting to Pagodas 186. 30. 67.

Military Auditor Generals' Office. Fort St. George 8th July 1809.

I have the honor to be with the greatest respect Honorable Sir, Your Most Obedient Humble Servant Signed J. Bruce Military Auditor General.

Statement.

Statement of Cash Advanced on Account of the Presidency of Bombay in the Months of May and June 1809.

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Lieut.t Genl. Staff 19th Aug.t 1809

Presidency of Bombay

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(Signed) P. Bruce
Mr. A. Gl.

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Order thereon.

Ordered that a Copy of the State=ment enclosed in foregoing letter be transmitted to Bombay with a request that the Sums advanced on Account of that Government may be adjusted in the usual manner.—

To the Honorable Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. V. H.B.

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

Hon^ble Sir,

From the Military Auditor General— Forwards Bills for the purchase of places of Arms at Secundra=bad requesting to be passed for payment.—

1. At the request of the Paymaster of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, I have the —"— —"— honor to submit herewith Eight* Bills for the purchase of places of Arms appropriated to the Native Corps at Secinderabad, Amounting to Pagodas 1611.—"—"—

* Nos 114, 115, 119, 120, 121. 122, 123, & 132.

2o The above mentioned Bills= were paid and entered in the Paymasters' Ac= counts on receipt of a Letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army stating it to be under the Authority of Government, but not= having received a communication to that effect,

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I have considered it my duty to object to those charges until I shall be regularly authorized to pass them.—

3. The property specified in the Bills have been valued by Committees of Survey appointed for that purpose, and appear to be unobjectionable.—

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ P. Bruce
M. A. G.

Military Auditor General's
Office, Fort St. George
13th July 1809.

Ordered that the Military Auditor General be Authorized to pass for payment the Bills forwarded in the foregoing letter.—

order thereon.

To the Honorable
Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. &c. &c.
Governor in Council
&c. &c. &c.

Honorable Sir,

From the Military Auditor General - Statement expence of Lock Hospitals for three months.—

1. Conformably to the Resolution of

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Fort St. George 12th July 1809.

Sir

In obedience to the Orders of Government under date 22d April 1805, I have the honor to submit herewith a Quarterly Statement shewing the expences incurred during the Months of January, February and March 1809. an Account of Lock Hospitals at Military Stations under this Presidency extracted from the Disbursements of the different Paymasters, and Amounting to Pagodas 1898.. 31.. 10..—

I have the honor to be

With the greatest respect

Honorable Sir,

Your Most Obedient

Humble Servant

/Signed/ P. Bruce

M. A. G.

Military Auditor Generals
Office, Fort St. George
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Statement shewing the Expence incurred during the Months of January February and March 1809

on account of Lock Hospital at the undermentioned Military Stations Extracted from the Disbursements of the different Paymasters

	January			Febuary			March			Total		
S. Thomas's Mount	13	34	40	18	12	..	16	12	..	53	13	20
Poonamalle	25	10	40	24	13	-	26	21	40	76	15	-
Vellore	57	10	40	52	16	40	56	29	62	166	11	62
Arcot	92	27	-	———	not	drawn	———			92	27	-
Wallajahbad	22	..	..	20	39	-	26	13	40	69	7	40
New Town Cuddalore	40	33	..	19	13	40	22	12	..	82	13	40
Seringapatam	28	16	40	25	..	..	22	20	40	76	12	-
Bangalore	115	37	40	75	6	-	67	6	40	258	5	-
Bednore	6	-	-	6	15	-	7	30	-	20	-	-
Vizagapatam	20	43	40	23	16	40	23	9	..	67	24	-
Chicacole	31	6	40	34	33	40	31	34	40	97	27	40
Ganjam	26	20	-	10	-	-	32	39	-	69	14	-
Bellary	39	21	-	40	10	40	46	4	40	125	36	-
Ghooty	28	43	40	26	39	-	31	22	40	89	15	-
Trichinopoly	23	34	40	20	13	-	27	12	..	72	16	40
Masulipatam	103	13	40	107	22	40	94	34	40	306	10	40
Tellicherry	30	..	10	..	..	..	34	30	38	73	30	48
Cannanore	23	20	20	46	2	20	38	44	20	102	21	60
Total Pagodas	737	40	30	553	34	20	607	1	40	1898	31	10

Signed C. Browne M. A. G.

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Military And. Generals Office Fort St. George 14th July 1809.

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Read the following letter from the Military Paymaster General.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government

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From the Military Paymaster General Explanations respecting the want of pay for the Detachments at Parroor and Cochin—further explanations called for from Mr. Mainwaring.—

Sir,

Para 1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th Instant with transcript of one from the Resident in Travancore of the 3d Instant stating the Troops at Parroor and Cochin to be three months in Arrear—

2d. I find by a reference to the records of the Office that the Troops Stationed at Cochin and Parroor belonged to the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry and were paid by the late Paymaster Captain Clapham, three—Advance for May and arrears for April, and Mr. Mainwaring Captain Clapham's Successor has in his Estimate for Cash for his June and July months payments included. the above Corps in the following proportion.—

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Advance for June and arrears for

may Pagodas 1,500, in his Estimate for June;

and in that for July he states Pagodas 3,300 to

be required for the advance of July and arrears

for June.—

Sr. I have not as yet received Mr.

Paymaster Mainwaring's accounts for the Month

of June 1809 and feel Surprized that the 1st of

the 17th Regiment of which the Detachments

at Cochin and Parroor consist should be in —

Arrears three Months, when payment for these

Troops has been provided, I shall address

Mr. Paymaster Mainwaring on the Subject,

and shall do myself the Honor of submitting

his reply to the Honorable the Governor in Council,

so soon as received — I will instruct Mr. Paymaster

Mainwaring to prevent a Similar occurrence

should it have taken place.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) J. G. K. Murray M. A.

Fort St. George
Military Paym. Generals office
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Read the following letter from the Proprietor of the Lunatic Hospital.

To Alexander Falconar Esqr.

Chief Secretary Vc. Vc. Vc.

From the proprietor of the Lunatic Hospital offers the Lunatic Hospital for sale to the Company.

Sir,

I request you will do me the honor to lay the accompanying letter before the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

I have the honor to be Vc. Vc.

Signed J. Dalton

Proprietor of the Lunatic Hospital.

Madras July 10th 1809

To the Honorable Sir Geo. Hilaro Barlow Bart. K.B.

Governor in Council

Vc. Vc. Vc.

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Honble Sir,

Having obtained the Consent of my wife to dispose of the Proprietorship of the Lunatic Hospital,

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I deem it my duty as well as I feel it my inclination to offer it to your Honorable Sir, on the terms on which I shall in this address do myself the Honor to submit and which I hope will appear to be advantageous to the Honorable Company.—

They leave in the first place to State that the Lunatic Hospital is at present rented to the Honorable Company at the Monthly rent of 250 Star Pagodas and which Amount they have covenanted to pay to the proprietor during the existance of the lease which bears date 5.th of August 1799 and which has from the fifth of next August Eleven Years yet to run before it expires, when the proprietor will have received from the period above mentioned, the Sum of Star Pagodas 33,000 by Instalments at the rate of 250 Star Pagodas a Month as rent for the said Hospital.—

They leave to state to your Hono

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Honorable Sir, that besides the Sum of 32,000 Pa.
= godas which the Honorable Company are bound
to pay as Houserent, they will lose of Interest
on the amount so paid about 14,630 Pagodas as will
appear by calculating the Interest at 8 pr. Cent
on the 250 Pagodas paid every Month as the tenor
of the Leare to the Proprietor which Sum of
14,630 Pagodas added to that of 32,000 Pagodas
to be received as House rent will on the ag=
=gregate Amount to Pagodas 47,630 in the year
of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and
twenty to have the Leare expired.

I therefore Submit to you
Honorable Sir to Surrender the said Leare, and the
Hospital with all Buildings and Grounds &c.a
annexed and all right and title to the same to
the Honorable Company for the Sum of Star
Pagodas 32000 (thirty two thousand) or at your
option Honorable Sir, for that Amount in Bonds
at par bearing an Interest of 8 per Cent per
Annum

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Annum for any period you may be disposed to grant them.—

And I further engage to Complete the four rooms now erecting to the Westward of the Hospital, the foundations of which were laid previous to the last Monsoon.

Should you Honorable Sir be pleased to make this purchase for the Honorable Company, there will in the first place be a Saving of Pagodas 14,630, by Interest. On the Second place a Saving of 1,000 Pagodas on the House rent, and if Bonds are given bearing 8 per Cent a further Saving will accrue to the Honorable Company of 37 Pagodas a month as the Interest to be paid on the Bonds will only Amount to about 213 Pagodas a month in lieu of 250 Pagodas — which is now paid as house rent to the Proprietor.—

The Total Saving to the Honorable Company will be, should you Honorable

Sir,

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Sir be pleased to decide to this proposal / of about Pagodas 20,548 [twenty thousand four hundred and forty Eight] independent of their professing the Buildings all Terraced and Composed of the best Materials as their own Property.—

Madras
July 9th 1809.

I have the honors to be &c &c
/ Signed / J. Dalton
Proprietor of the
Lunatic Hospital

Order thereon.

Ordered that Copy of the foregoing Letter be referred to the Board of Trade for their consideration and report.—

Read the following Letter from the Purser of the Honorable Company's Ship Perseverance.—

To Alexander Falconar Esqr.
&c &c &c

From the Purser of the Honorable Company's Ship Perseverance enclosing Bills for articles supplied to a party of Soldiers on board the Perseverance.

Sir,

I beg to enclose you an account of necessaries supplied by Captain Tweedale to His Majesty's Troops on board the Honorable Compa:

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Company's Ship Perseverance by order of the Commanding Officer and Surgeon as per Vouchers and have to request you will be good enough to issue the necessary Orders for the Payment.

/ Signed / G. Webb. Purser

Madras
18th July 1809.

Order thereon.

Ordered that the Bills forwarded in the foregoing Letter be referred to the Military Auditor General for examination and report.

Read the following Letters from the Secretary and Acting Secretary to the Government at Fort William.

To I. H. Peile Esqr.
Secretary to the Government
at Fort St. George.

Sir,

From the Secretary to the Government at Fort William - Forwarding Invoice of Bill of Lading of five Lac of Arcot Sicca rupees shipped on the Portlan for the use of this Presidency.

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th Ultimo with its enclosures, and to inform you that in Compliance with the

request

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request of the Honorable the Governor in Council
expressed in it five Lacs of Musket flints required
for the Service of Fort Saint George have been shipped
in the Port-Sea Captain Joseph Carrol, now
about to proceed to that Presidency.—

2d

I am further instructed to trans-
-mit to you the inclosed Invoice and Originals
Bill of lading of the Consignment in question.—

Fort William
the 3d April 1809.

I am &c &c
(Signed) J. Thornhill
Secy to Government

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing
letter be sent to the Military Board for their in-
-formation and guidance.—

To J. H. Pelle Esq.
Secretary to the Government
at Fort St. George.

Sir,

From the acting Secy
to the Government at
Fort William intimates
Lieutenant A. Marks
having Leave & permission
to proceed to Europe on
Sick Certificate.

I am directed by the Right Honora-
-ble the Governor General in Council to transmit to
you

order thereon.

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you the accompanying Copies of a Letter, and of its
inclosure, received from the Assistant Adjutant General
under date the 19th Instant, and to acquaint you
that the request of Lieutenant A. Stock of the
Madras Establishment to proceed from this Pre-
sidency to Europe for the recovery of his health,
will be Complied with by His Lordship in Council
upon his furnishing the prescribed Certificate
from the Pay Department. —

2d. A Copy of the Medical Certificate
which accompanied Lieutenant Stock's applica-
tion is also transmitted herewith. —

Fort William
the 26th June 1809.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) J. Adam
Actg. Secy. to Govt.

To John Adam Esq.
Acting Secretary to Government
Military Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit to you
herewith

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Herewith an Application accompanied by the Prescribed Medical Certificate, for Leave to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health received from Lieutenant A. Stock of the Establishment of Fort St. George, and to request the Same may be Submitted for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor Genl. in Council.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

/Signed/ S. Nicol

Adjt. Genl.

Adjutant Generals Office
Pres.y of Fort William.

To the Assistant Adjutant General
of the Army.

Sir,

I beg the favor of you to forward the accompanying Certificate through the usual channel to be Submitted to the Honorable the Governor General in Council, and to State my request to be permitted to proceed to Europe by the first opportunity.

I have &c &c

/Signed/ A Stock

Lieut. Madras N. I.

Calcutta
19th June 1809.

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I do hereby Certify that Lieutenant Arthur Stock of the 2d Battalion of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry on the Madras Establishment is in a very bad State of health, and that I think a return to Europe necessary for his recovery.

Calcutta
June 17th 1809.

/Signed/ J. Fleming
1st Assist. of the Medl. Bd.

/True Copies/
/Signed/ J. Adam
Actg. Secy to Govt.

Ordered that the following reply be dispatched.—

To J. Adam Esqr.
Acting Secretary to Government
at Fort William.

To the same — In reply to the foregoing letter.

Sir,

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 26th ultimo, and to acquaint you for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, that previous to the receipt of

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of your letter permission had been given to Lieutenant A Stock to proceed as eventually to Europe in case his health should require it.

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

/ Signed / J. H. Dick

Secry to Govt

Fort St. George
13th July 1809.

Read the following letter from the Assistant agent at the Cape of Good Hope:

To His Excellency
The Honorable Sir G. H. Barlow Bt, K.C.B.
Governor in Council &c, &c, &c,
Fort St. George

From the Assistant Agent at the Cape of Good Hope giving intelligence regarding arrivals of the Honorable Company's Ships and stating that 200 Pagodas have been advanced to Lieutenant Milne of the Madras Army.

Sir

In the absence of Mr. Prengle who is confined by ill health in the country, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Strachey's letter of the 22d October 1808, and the papers to which it refered.

2d

It is with the greatest respect I beg leave to acquaint your Excellency of the arrival here of

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of the Honorable Company's Ships Hugh Inglis and Earl St. Vincent on the 10th, and the Indus on the 11th Instant, after having been Separated in a Gale of Wind on the 14th March from Sir Edward Pellew's Convoy - The Ships mentioned in the enclosed Copy of a Letter from Captain Graham proceeded according to Orders, Sent out by Sir Edward Pellew, to St Helena without anchoring here - The Sir William Bensley having been seen by Captain Fairfax of the Hugh Inglis on the Evening of the Gale in a good State, the only Ships of that Fleet of which no intelligence has been received here are the Calcutta, Bengal, Duchess of Gordon, and Lady Jane Dundas - it is however, Admiral Bertie's opinion "as the Terpsichore had arrived, "and was in a very bad State when She left India "that there is very probable ground of Supposition "that the Gale was not so violent or durable - "as to damage other Ships."

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Lieutenant W. M. Milne of

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The Madras Establishment who on his passage to China for the recovery of his health, was taken by Le Golo Monche and subsequently retaken by H. M. S. Nereid Applied to Mr. Pringle for his Pay and allowances; the very peculiar circumstances of Lieutenant Wiebe's Case, and the improbability of a similar one occurring Again, induced Mr. Pringle to advance him on Account two hundred Pagodas for which his receipt is inclosed, and the Madras Factory is debited.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) J. Lufoir

Agt. Agent to the H.E.I.Co.

Cape of Good Hope
29.th April 1809.

John Pringle Esq.r

H. E. I. Company's Agent
Cape of Good Hope.

Sir,

I embrace this opportunity by His Majesty's Ship Nereide to inform you of the unfortunate separation between the India Fleet and V. Admiral Sir E. Pellew, which took place on the

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night of the 12th March on a heavy Gale, which will be better described by Captain Corbett and his Officers than by my Pen. that Ship returning dismasted. In the afternoon of the 13th March I fell in with the Harriet and Euphrates - 16th at Noon with the Rudolstadt, 20th with His Majesty's Ship Nereide with whom we kept company - on the 26th joined the Northumberland, Sovereign, Indus and Lord Eldon, with those Ships I have also kept company and rendered them all the assistance in my power, the whole having suffered much Spars, Boats &c &c almost every thing washed off their decks - most of them have been obliged to throw Cargo overboard to keep, and their Cargoes remaining much damaged, the Euphrates's Rudder damaged and in short all of them distressed, with their Crews Sickly — It is my intention to speak for Table Bay to join the Admiral if possible, at the same time I should we not appear within

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a reasonable time after the Frigate, you will be under no apprehension as to our safety, taking it for granted we have been compelled from the badness of the Ships and their disabled State to give up the idea of approaching the Bay - and the whole proceeded for St. Helena.

The Admiral sailed from Point de Galle on the 15th February with the following Ships under his Convoy and that of His Majesty's Ship Terpsichore Viz.t Calcutta. Hugh Inglis, Bengal, Duchess of Gordon, Lady Jane Dundas Earl St. Vincent Regular Ships: Extra Ships Northumberland, Sovereign, Garrick, Hindostan, Euphrates, Indus, Sir William Bensley and Lord Eldon, the whole of the above mentioned Extra Ships are now in Company / save Sir W. Bensley / we met nothing worthy of record during the passage, except the Hurricane. Should Sir Edward Pellew have put in to the Cape, you will be pleased to make the above communication known. Sincerely

Hope

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hope the whole fleet may be safe—most of them
deeply laden, and I may add without fear of con-
tradiction very badly Manned,—I am happy to say
the William Pitt sustained no further damage (so
far as we can at present ascertain) than the Storm
Stay Sails blown to pieces, from the information
I have been able to collect the Ships with me will
require 12 or 14 days to repair their damage, have
their Cargoes restowed and fully examined, in justice
to, and for the benefit of the Honorable Company
S. Helena should be the place for that, and not the
Cape at this Season of the year.—

H. C. S. William Pitt
Cape of Good Hope
9th April 1809.

I am &c. &c.
/Signed/ Wm. Graham
/True Copy/
/Signed/ J. Lufoir
Asst. Agt. to the
H. E. I. Co.

Order Minute.

Ordered that an Extract of the
foregoing Letter relative to the advance of Cash —

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Made to Lieutenant Milne with that Officer's receipt
to be Sent to the Military Auditor General for his in-
formation and guidance.—

Read the following Letter from the
Deputy Secretary to the Government at Columbo.
To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort S.t George.

From the Dep.ty Secry
to the Government
at Columbo Leave
of Absence granted
to Lieutenant Crokers

Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the
Governor in State for the Information of the Honorable
the Governor in Council in reply to your letter of
the 9.th Instant, that the wishes of Major General
Crokes therein Conveyed have been already complied
with by the Commander of the Forces having granted
Leave of Absence to Lieutenant Croker.

Columbo
June 25.th 1809.

I have the honor to be &c.a, &c.a
(Signed) Tho.s Eden
Deputy Secry to Govt.

Read the following Letters from the
Officer Commanding at Pondicherry.—

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To the Chief Secretary of Government.

Fort S.t George.

Sir,

Forms the Officiating Commanding the Presidency a reporting to be furnished with the direction of Government on the application of Madame de Bergeon and others Brochez and Monfils.

On the 12.th of March last, in obedience to the direction of the Honorable the Governor in Council I had the honor to State my opinion with regard to the degree of Assistance which it might be proper to afford Madam de Bergeon Wife of Captain Bergeon of the H.M.s Service.

2.d On the 26.th of the same Month I had also the honor to submit to the Honorable the Governor in Council for his favorable consideration an application by M.r Brochez Notary Pere for a remuneration of 100 Pagodas for Arranging the Accounts of an Estate Mentioned in M.r Follosiled's letter which accompanied the application.

3.d On the 10.th of April I had fur-
ther the honor to submit to the favorable con-

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consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council the case of Mons. Marchese accompanied by a letter from Captain Flinder of the R. Navy respecting him.—

4. As the parties concerned in the above named applications are anxious to receive the decisions of Government concerning them, I shall be happy to be honored with them as soon as convenient.

Pondicherry
2d May 1809.

I have the honor to be &c. &c. &c.
Signed W Lockhart
A. C. G.

ter thereon.

Ordered that the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry be required to State his reasons more fully for recommending the pension to Madame Bergeau which appears to the Board unusually high for a Lady in her Situation.—

To

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To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort S.t George.

Sir,

From the Offic.g Com.
= mand.g at Pondicherry -
Requests the orders of Govt. upon various represent.s & permission to Continue to pay a Subs.
= istence of 2 - 30 Pond.s a day to three young men lately in the Service of Travancore. -

I have the honor herewith to en.
= close a note which I lately received from Madame de Bergeon, whose case is mentioned in my letter to you of date the 12.th March and 19.th May last. -

2.d I have Lieut.t not been honored with the Commands of the Honorable the Governor in Council concerning M.r Boucher's Application Stated in my Letter of the 26.th March and 9.th May last. -

3.d For the reason Stated in my Letter of date the 12.th Instant, I have not yet made known the intention of Government towards M.r F. Boucher, to what person, & if I receive no contrary instructions in the course of a few days I shall conclude that it is meant that he receive

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in future his former pension of Ten Pagodas per Mensem from the 1st of the present Month.—

4. I am yet uninformed whether Mr Brennekan mentioned in my Letter of the 8th instant resides at Tranquebar with the permission of Government & whether his allowance is to be continued.—

5. Two Young Men Xavier de Jolie and Joseph Lafolie Sons of a Captain Lafolie, and a third Young Man Charles Marian Brother of a Captain John Allair all lately in the Corps of Travancore Sepoys, have been subsisted here for the Month of May on presenting a regular Certificate of the date to which they were last paid. It would be Satisfactory to me to have a direct Authority from Government to continue to pay the Allowance of 3. 30 ff. P. M. Diem to each of those three young Men.—

6. I have not as yet been informed if

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If any arrangement could be made for the subsistence of Kattawandies & Tondiah Captains above-mentioned lately in the Service, as mentioned in my letter of the 16th of May last.

Pondicherry
30th June 1809.

I have the honor to be &c, &c
Signed Wm. Lockhart
L. L. C.

To Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart
Commanding Pondicherry

Sir,

After the circumstance that you mentioned to me some time since, that you were daily expecting an Answer from Government regarding me, I take the liberty of asking whether you have received it, in order that I may know what I am to depend upon and whether you think, that the Government will grant my request, or that I must give up all hope - It distresses me much to trouble you so continually

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and I beg you a Thousand Pardons, for doing so, -
the truth is, I know not to whom I can address
myself excepting you, Sir, as I am assured that
you will interest yourself in my favor, be pleased
then to have the goodness to inform me of your in-
tentions on this subject, and if you think it will
be necessary for me to take any other steps with
Government, I shall be guided by your advice,
and you will render me a great service, by favoring
me with it, Pardon me for giving you so much
trouble and believe me with the utmost possible
esteem -

I have &c.

16th June
1809

Sir

Your humble Servant
(Signed) B. de Bergen

(A true Translation)
(Signed) G. G. Keble
French Translator
to Government

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that a continuance of the

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pension of 3 pagams 30 Cash per diem be continued to the young Women Mentioned in the foregoing letter— ordered also that intimation of this resolution, with a Copy of the letter be sent to the Military Auditor General for his information and guidance—

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I am duly honored by your letter of the 8th Instant with its enclosures.—

2d. On application by Madame Tardivel, similar to the present, was referred to me by the Honorable the Governor in Council on the ground stated in my letter to the Baron de Penmark Mainville dated the 13th of May last, a copy of which is subjoined.— The Gentleman alluded to in that letter is I find not a relation of Madame Tardivel herself, but to the brother in Law of her husband.

3d. Should I find on enquiry, at the Sources of intelligence within my reach that Madame Tardivel

is

From the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry— reports unfavorably on Madame Tardivel's application for a pension— If he finds that she is in great distress will advance her 10 Pagodas until he receives further Orders—

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is in much distress & shall want an Advance of Ten Pagodas to be made to her until I receive the further Commands of Government concerning her. —

I am &c., &c.,

(Signed) Wm. Lockhart Lt. Col.

Pondicherry
7th July 1809.

P. S. It is proper for me to state that I am this day informed that Madame Tardivel did attempt to go on board a Cartel lying in the road here some time ago, but was refused admission on account of the Number then embarked.

The Baron de Jenmarck Mainville

Dear Sir,

&c. &c. &c.

It is with regret that I return to you the Memorial of Madame Tardivel to Sir George Barlow, as under the circumstances of the case, I am of opinion after mature Consideration that I cannot with propriety recommend it to the favorable Consideration of Government.

Although Madame Tardivel might not have it in her power to leave Pondicherry in 1804. she certainly might have done so since that period —

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and whatever Claim her Situation may give her to the Compassion of Individuals, I do not think it reasonable that She should be supported by a Government against which her Husband at this Moment probably bears Arms. I under= =stand, besides that Madame Tardivil is nearly related to a Gentleman resident at Pondicherry and in every way circumstances.

Within these three Months no less than Eleven persons have been placed on the Pension list, and during the Same period I have not received fewer than twenty appli= =cations either for Pensions or additions to Allowances already granted. I leave you to Judge, after what has been already done at Pondicherry by the British Government, if more can be expected on any reasonable grounds.—

I have the Honor to be &c., &c.,

Pondichery 15th May 1809.

/A true Copy/ /Signed/ W. Lockhart Lt. Col. Comg.

Ordered that the following Letters be dispatched—

To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General. Colonel Hare's allowances. Troops at the race-Course to be paid by the Paymaster at the Presidency—

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to inform you that Lieutenant Colonel Hare as commanding the Center Division of the Army is to be allowed to draw the Same Staff pay and allowances as Officers Commanding the Northern and Southern Divisions of the Army when

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not General officers.

I am also directed to inform you that the troops now assembling at this Presidency should receive their pay and field Allowances from the Paymaster of Fort S.t George.

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

Signed / Alex.r Falconar
Chief Secy to Govt.

To the President and Members of the Military Board

Gentlemen,

To the Military Board referring for their consideration and report Contracts tendered for the supply of Military Stores by Messrs. Hartcall and Co.

I am directed by the Honorable the [illegible] Council to refer for your consideration and report the accompanying proposals for the supply of Military Stores comformably to the Government Advertisement dated the 15.th May last, tendered by Mr. Gregg, and by ... Messrs. Hartcall and Co.

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

Signed / J. H. Pride
Secy to Govt.

Fort S.t George
19.th July 1809

W.m Thomas

" W.m Parker

"

" Pride

" Oakes

" Ja.s Hargrave

Office Asst. Comm.y Gen.l
19.th July 1809. Pages 168.
Copied by S. Venkata Row

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19th Received and Sent the following letters entered in M.S. No. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62.:-

From Messrs. Colt Hart and Weston.

From Messrs. Colt, Hart and Weston. - 2

Requesting a reference to their proposals.-

To the Sec.y to the Govt. at Bombay

To Mr. Newnham - Submitting a State-ment of advances of Money paid to Officers of the Bom-bay Establishment.-

To the Officer com-manding the army as Chief-

To Major General Gowdie - with Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.-

To the Military Board.

To the Military Board - Passing various Bills and advances of Cash for payment - approving the Method proposed for remedying the inconvenience experienced by the agent for Cavalry Supplies in adjust-ing the duties on the transit of Grain - Forward-ing Copy of a Letter from the Secretary to Government at Fort William, respecting a supply of flints on board the Portland.-

To the Board of Trade.-

To the Board of Trade - referring a letter from the proprietor of the Lunatic Hospital and desiring their opinion of the proposal therein

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contained -

To the Medical Board -

To the Medical Board - Stating that Mr. Surgeon Annesley had been appointed to succeed Mr. Street as Superintendant of Vaccination -

To the Military Auditor General -

To the Military Auditor General - returning several Bills with authority to pass them - referring Copy of a Letter from the Purser of the Persiverance furnishing extract from the Minutes of consultation, and extract of a letter from the Assistant Agent at the Cape of Good Hope respecting an advance of Cash to Lieutenant Milne -

To Ditto.

To Ditto - Desiring him to authorize the payment of various Bills and advances of Money -

To the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry -

To the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry - Desiring him to State the grounds which induced him to propose the grant of so large a Sum to Madam de Bergoine - authorizing the continuance of an allowance to some youngmen - Desiring him to transmit Copy of his letter respecting Mr. Bouchez - Stating that as Mr. Bromwham has not the permission of Government to reside at Trangnebar -

At

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At a Consultation

Present

The Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow B.t & K.B

Governor and President

William Petrie ....

Thomas Oakes

and

J. H. Casamajor ...

} Esqrs

Friday the 21st July 1809

Minutes of last Consultation

Read and Approved ..

The President records the follow-

-ing Minute.-

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President to Government - appointing Lieutenant Jackson Assistant Adjutant General to the Southern Division and Lieutenant Monerieff Fort Adjutant at Trichinopoly.-

The President proposes that Lieutenant G. Jackson of the 16th Native Regiment be appointed Assistant Adjutant General to the Southern Division of the Army - vice Hodgson; - and Lieutenant John Monerieffe of the 2d Native Regiment to be Fort Adjutant of Trichinopoly vice Jackson.

Approved

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Approved and Ordered accordingly.

Read the following letters from the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, and the adjutant General of the Army.

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, forwarding applications from Lieut. and Adjutant Bell for payment of a Bill for cloathing supplied to a part of the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry from Lieutenant Walsh for Adjutant's allowances.

J. H. Peile Esqr.

Secretary to Government

&c. &c. &c.

Sir

Fort St. George

I do myself the honor of forwarding two Letters to the address of the Honorable the Governor in Council, and which the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief requests may be forwarded — One of these papers was forwarded to the Adjutant General of the Army from the Quarter Master of the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry on the Subject of Cloathing made up in his Department, (agreeably to instructions from the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army, then Agent for Army Cloathing,) and for which

Payment

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Payment has not yet been made.

Another from Lieutenant Walch,
His Majestys' 80th Regiment Foot, setting forth
a Claim to the indulgence of Adjutants' allow-
=ances during the period wherein he acted in
that capacity to a Detachment of his Corps.

As the Officer Commanding
the Mysore Division adds his support and
recommendation to the solicitation of Lieute-
=nant Walch, and as there are many prece-
=dents, Major General Gowdie trusts that the
Honorable the Governor in Council will
grant the subject a favorable consideration.

I have the honor to be
Sir. Sir.
/Signed/ John R. Vernon
Mily. Secry. to the Com-
=mander in Chief.

Commander in
Chief's Office
Fort St. George
18th July 1809.

To the Military Secretary
To the Officer Commanding the army in Chief.

Sir.

I beg leave to request that the
enclosed

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enclosed letter may be submitted to the Honor-
-able the Governor in Council — The charges
appear correct and are supported by proper
Vouchers, but as the accounts of Major Pierce's
agency have been closed, and the distribution
of the Offreckoning Committee for the years
1805/6 arranged, the means do not now exist
to settle the demand without the specific-
orders of Government.—

Adjt. General's Office
13th July 1809.

(Signed) T. H. S. Conway
Adjt. General

To the Honorable
The President in Council
Fort St. George

Honble Sir,

I have the honor to address
you on the Subject of Cloathing, that was made
up in the year 1807 in the Quarter Master's
Department 8th Regement Cavalry pursuant
to directions from the Deputy Adjutant General

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of the Army. The accounts were forwarded in the months of December last, but receiving no reply - duplicates were sent on the 1st April when they were returned from the Office of the Adjutant General, with a remark that they could not now be paid, unless authorized by Government — This was in consequence of the Bills not having been forwarded in Sufficient time, to be included in Major Pierce's account, which was finally adjusted in December 1807, and therefore the Amount could not be brought into the off-Reckoning Fund for that year.—

By the Letter from the Adjutant General dated 25th April. the Quarter Master is directed to address Government and State the reason why application for payment was not made in due time.—

The Cloathing in question was not Completed till the end of the year (1807) and in the begening of the following year.—

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The Quarter Master was compelled to quit his Corps from Severe indisposition - The officer who acted in that capacity during his absence, is now on Sick Certificate at Bombay, the Quarter Master is therefore at a loss what reason to assign for the account not having been forwarded in due time - He can only say that they were dispatched immediately upon his return to the Regiment, and being admitted to be correct by the Adjutant Generals Letter - He trusts, Honorable Sir, you will be pleased to order these to be paid -

I have the Honor to enclose the accounts, Vouchers &c.

Camp at Paulnah
23d June 1809.

/Signed/ Charles Wm Bell Lt
Dy Mr 8th Regt Cavy

To Captain A. Macleod
Commanding 8th Regt N. Cavalry

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose the account

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Account of Cloathing made up by order of Captain M. Cosby in pursuance of Orders received from the Adjutant General of the Army — Three Subadars and Twenty four Private Jackets, have been served out — as p.r Acquittance Roll enclosed — The Materials for Twenty seven Jackets, had been procured and delivered over to Taylors — at the time the Regiment marched from Hydrabad — but not being then Completed, were directed to be stored / when finished / in the Regimental Stores at Hydrabad which has been carried into effect — These Jackets / 27 / now remain upon the Strength of the Corps, and will be in part of those reported unser-viceable by a Committee held upon the Cloathing lately received. —

I beg leave to remark that although no mention was made in the letter — received from the Deputy Adjutant General respecting

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respecting the three Subadars Jackets, yet, upon thorough examination they were found to be so much Damaged as not to admit of repair, in consequence the three Jackets charged in the Account were Ordered by Captain Cosby to be furnished by the Quarter Master of the Regiment.—

Camp at Salnah
21st December 1808.

/Signed/ Co. Wm. Bell Lt.
Dy. Mr. 8th Regt. Cy.

Acquittance Roll of Men of the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry who received the Cloathing from the Stores of the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry at Secundrabad.

Troops.	Rank and Names.	For the year 1805	Signatures.
2d.	Subadar Shaick Modeen	1	
4th.	" Hyder Beg	1	
5th.	" Abdool Rhyman	1	
1st.	Trooper Shaick Hussaine	1	
"	" Saul Mahamed	1	
"	" Shaick Hyder	1	

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Troop	Rank and Name.	Enl.	Signature
		92	
		Jun 1803	
1st	Trooper Omar Cawn	1	
"	" Shaick Fareed	1	
"	" Shaick Abdul Cauder	1	
2d	" Shaick Burray 2d	1	
3rd	" Shaick Ahmed	1	
"	" Sahun Cawn	1	
"	" Mahomed Latoof	1	
"	" Rufeed Cawn	1	
"	" Cauder Cawn	1	
"	" Ramgee Row	1	
4th	" Faroyee Row	1	
"	" Shaick Ebraim	1	
5th	" Mahomed Adeen	1	
"	" Gholam Hossaine	1	
"	" Shaick Emaum	1	
"	" Shaick ahmed 2d	1	
"	" Shaick Maam	1	
6th	" Gungee Bucha	1	
"	" Cauder Cawn	1	
"	" Mahomed Cawn 1st	1	
"	" Jost Sacheer ally	1	

/ A true Copy / Signed / G. W. Bell Lieut.
D. A. G. 2d D. C.

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To The Officer commanding
the 8.th Regiment N. Cavalry

Sir,

I have the honor of communicating to you Authority to replace at Hydrabad with Cloth, and other Materials, to be purchased there, the fifty Six Jackets of Troopers / being a part of the Cloathing of the Year 1805 / which were rendered unserviceable by having been wetted on the Road between the Presidency and Hydrabad, a measure that is deemed indispensable to safeguarding those Jackets from Madras, as the Buttons &c.a can be transferred from the Unserviceable to the New Cloathing.

You are requested to charge the expence incurred by replacing the abovementioned unserviceable Jackets, and by any other indispensable Measure in regard to the re damaged part of that years Cloathing, to the

Deputy

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Deputy Adjutant General.-

Adjutant Generals Office. /Signed/ F. Pierce

24th September 1807. Depy Adjt. Genl.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ C. M. Welch.

Dr. Mr. 8th N. C.

Extract of a Letter Received from the —

Adjutant General of the Army, to the Officer

Commanding the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry

Dated. Adjutant Generals Office 31st August 1809

"You are requested to adopt the

"most eligible mode of enlarging the Clothing

"that has been found to be too small for any

"Men in the 8th Regiment. which, it is presumed,

"can readily be effected in the Quarter Masters

"Department by introducing at the Seams, pieces

"of Cloth to be purchased at Hydrabad, and to

"charge the amount of expence incurred, in doing

"so, to the Deputy Adjutant General."

/A true Extract/

/Signed/ Chas. W. Bell. Lt.

Dr. Mr. 8th Reg.t C.

To

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To the Honorable Sir G. Barlow K. B.

Governor in Council &c. &c.

Fort St. George.

Honorable Sirs,

When the Right Wing of the 80th Regiment was detached from Head Quarters at Seringapatam last December, I was ordered to officiate, as Acting Adjutant to the Detachment, and acted as such from the 22d December 1808 to the 26th May 1809, conceiving I was entitled, to the usual Allowances made to acting Adjutants I requested the Paymaster of the 80th Regement to draw the Amount, but on his submitting the Charge to the Auditor General to know if it would be passed, he was informed that no allowance whatever could be admitted without a Special Order from Government authorising it.

As I well know that allowance have been granted in similar cases to Officers of other Corps particularly the 89th Regement I

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induces me to request you will be pleased to
Grant Permission for the allowances to be drawn
at the same time I beg to state that during the time
I acted as Adjutant the Detachment never con
=sisted of less than half the 80th Regiment, and that
I had with very little exception as many monthly
Returns &c. to make out as the Adjutant has at
the Head Quarters of the Regiment.—

I have the Honor to be

Cannanore
5th July 1809.

&c. &c.

/Signed/ J. Walch
Lieut. 80th Regt.

Order thereon.

Ordered that the foregoing applications
be referred to the Military Auditor General for his
investigation and report.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government
&c.

From the Adjutant General of the Army.
Applications from Lieuts. Fraser and Ryan to proceed to sea on Sick Certificates, the latter to China.

I am directed by Major General
Gowdie to request that the enclosed applications
from Military Officers for Leave to proceed to sea

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may be laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council.-

Adjutant Generals Office
19th July 1809.-

I have the honor to be
Sr. Sr. Sr.
/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Adjutant General.

To the Honorable
The Governor in Council
Fort St. George

Sir,

I most humbly solicit your permission to proceed to Sea for the Recovery of my Health, agreeable to the tenor of the enclosed certificate from the Surgeon of the Military Hospital-

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July 13th 1809

/Signed/ Nathaniel Moes
Lt. 1. B. 13. Regt. N.I.

Military Institution

Lieutenant N. Moes of the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry having for several Months past labored under repeated attacks of an Intermittent Fever caught during his late

excursion

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excursion on Survey, it is in my opinion highly advisable if not absolutely necessary that he should proceed to Sea and remain there as long as may be convenient.—

Madras
11th July 1809

/Signed/ Willm Ord
Surgeon

To Sir George Hilaro Barlow, Bart & K.B
The Honorable Governor in Council
&c &c &c

Honble Sir

Fort St. George

I have the honor to enclose a Sick Certificate, and request permission to proceed to Sea for the recovery of my health, on leave of absence for six months.—

Saint Thomé
14th July 1809

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

/Signed/ D. Ross
Lt 2d Batt 10th Regt

I hereby certify that in my opinion it is absolutely necessary that Lieutenant Ross of the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment Native Infantry should

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Superintending Engineer to repair the present temporary bridge so as to be durable until the close of the Monsoon, but we are of opinion that a permanent bridge is necessary to keep open the Communication between the Fort and Cantonment of Cannanore during the wet season.

No. 3.... Estimate of the expence of building a place of Arms for a Battalion of native Infantry at Mangalore with a Serjeants quarter &c. / agreeable to the accompanying plan / amounting to Pagodas £304-23-10. The buildings at present employed by the Battalion at Mangalore have been found to be in so ruinous a State as to be incapable of receiving any repairs and the Superintending Engineer had submitted to us an estimate for new buildings amounting to Pagodas 3519. 24. 57 but conceiving that the plan which he adopted was on a more extensive scale than was necessary we requested the Chief Engineer to prepare

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the plan and Estimate which we have now the honor to submit, and which correspond with the plan and estimate for erecting a place of Arms &c. at Chelledroog, which on a late occasion obtained the sanction of your Honor in Council.—

4 We have the honor to lay before Government the Copy of a letter from Lieutenant Colonel M.Leod Commandering Hes Majestys 69th Regiment of Foot to the Quarter Master General of the army, tendering for Sale to the Honorable Company two Elephants with Saddles Complete, at the rate of Pagodas 250 each, we are of opinion that the price which has been fixed by Lieutenant Colonel M.Leod is extremely reasonable, and as the Cattle are required to replace Casualties in the Camp equipage Department, we recommend that we may receive authority for the purchase of them.—

5 We have the honor to report that steps have been adopted to ascertain the value

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value of the Elephants which have been tender-
-ered to Government by the Honorable &
Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger which will also
be required for the Service of the Campaign-
-page department.

We have the honor to be

&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George
10th July 1809

/Signed/ Fr. Gowdie
" E. Trapaud
" T. Clarke
" P. Bruce
" T. H. S. Conway

Probable

Probable Estimate of the Expence of white-washing and repairing the Wall of the Guard rooms within Fort St. George.

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Measurement					Prices								
No	Length	Breadth	Thickness	Sup.s Feet	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash
						North Gate Guard Room.							
30	3	"	90	Plastering one Coat Chunam	1	1040	℔ Sq.r	1	5	20			
40½	28½	"	1154¼										
105	3½	"	367½										
44	10	"	440										
	Total		1961¾	White Washing	"	3	"	D.o ..	1	1668			
											2	228	
				Carried Over Pag.e							2	228.	

Measurement					Prices								
Length	Breadth	Thickness	Sup.t Feet		Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash
				Brought Over									
				St. George's Gate Guard Room.									
40	3	"	120	Plastering 2 Coats Chunam				1	31	40	2	4	16
85	36	"	3060										
180	3	"	540										
175	12	"	2100										
	Total		5700	White Washing				"	3	"	4	3	"
				Wallajah Gate Guard Room.									
60	3	"	120	Plastering 2 Coats Chunam					31	40	3	6	24

Carried Forward to St. George's Gate Guard Room 10 | 15 | 16

91	36	"	3276						
180	3	"	540						
14	24	"	336						
14	10	"	140						
140	12	"	1680						
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				4 new Pegongs		"	5 "	each	" 20 "
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				St. Thome Gate Guard Room.					
40	3	"	120	Pointing en Chunam		"	16 "	D:	" 19 16
58	34	"	1972						
64	13	"	768						
105	3	"	315						
	Total		3055	White Washing		"	3 "	D:	3 7 52
				Sea Gate Guard Room					2. 26 68
58	19	"	1102						
62	9	"	558						
	Total		1660	White Washing		"	3 "	D:	" " " 1 7 64
				Carried over Pc					20 17 32

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Proof for St. George 21st July 1809.

Total 8108

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147	13	"	1911
145	11	"	1595
15	7	"	105
100	13 6	"	1350
160	20	"	3200
90	13 6	"	1215
373	11	"	4092
220	40	"	8800
334	14 6	"	5568
460	3	"	1380

Total 41,679 White Washing ..... " 3 " D: 29 32 29 99 11 3

Pagodas ... 119. 28. 35?

Fort St. George
30th June 1809.

/ A true Copy /
/ Signed / Thos. McLeane
D. S. M. Bs.

/ Signed / Thos. Fraser
Supt. Engineer.
Estimate

Estimate of the Expence to Build a Bridge as per Accompanying Plan over the Ravine in the Esplanade at Cannamore. Calculated at the Current Rates.

Measurement						Prices			Total of Each			Total		
Length	Breadth	Thickness	Superficial feet	Cubic feet	Cubic yards	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash
12	20	36	"	"	1260	In Foundation to Arch								
60	36	33	"	"	3916	Ditto	D:	to Walls						
					18396	In Walls including Basement and Parapet								
					3691	Total plain stone in Channam						2	2	6
18	16	"	"	486		Arch Work	in	D:				3	"	34
42	13	3	"	"	702	Filling in the Spandrils with Stone Jelly								

Estimate of Expence to Build a Bridge over the Ravine in the Esplanade at Cannamore. 1809.

	and Chunam			1. 40	D°. 25	3 "
18 53.	"	Plastering the whole with 2 Coats of Chunam		1. 10. 11.	f°. S°. 23	" 8.
		To Excavating Foundation and baling the water &c°.				
	300 Water Balors		"	3 "	f°. each	21 18 "
	500 Menboolies		"	1. 62	D°.	21. 5. 40.
	Sundry Materials		"	" "	"	10. " "
						313. 12. 70
	Total Star Pagodas					313. 12. 70

/ Signed / W°. Ravenshaw
Supt. Engineer

/ A true Copy /

/ Signed / Thos. Maclaine
D°. S. M. B°.

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Probable Estimate of the expence of Building a Place of Arms for a Battalion of Native Infantry at Mangalore with a Serjeant's Quarter agreeably to the accompanying Plan.-

Measurement								Prices.					
				Sup ft.									
Length	Breadth	Thickness		Square	Feet	Sub. feet							
372	3	2.6	"	"	2790		Foundation.						
316	9	1	6	"	"	4266	Wall above						
163	1	6	"	"	121½		6 Piers						
					7177½								
					459		Deduct Door and Windows.						
				Total	6718½		Stone in clay					1	64 7 6
372	18	"	66	96	"		Plastering One Coat Chunam					39	43 7 9

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6	3	"	"	144	"	8 Piers Batten Doors and frames	"	6	74 ☐ ft	23	31 16
4	6	3	"	"	162	"	12 Pairs Batten Windows and frames	"	8	21 D:	31 36 42
134	28	"	37	52	"						
27	15	"	4	5	"						
		Total	41	57		Roofing with Country Wood Rafters, Strechers, Reepers, Double Pan tiles and Chunam Borders	12	23	28 ☐ Yds	Sq Yds	525 39 75
8	10	"	8	"	"	100	10 Country Wood Beams each	"	12	40 ☐ 6 ft	29 32 "
			223	"		Teak Planking 2½ Inch thick for Racks worked and put up	"	8	20 ☐ Sq ft	43 33 60
			194			Teak Timber in 28 Posts each 10 by 10 by 10 worked and put up	"	12	40 ☐ 6 ft	57 31 "
0	16	"	19	20	"						
	10	"	2	40	"						
	Total		21	60	"						

Carried over Pagodas .....

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Measurement							Prices							
Length	Breadth	Thickness	Sup. feet Square feet	Sup. feet Cubic feet			Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash
						Brought the Over Pagodas								
Total 21	60	"			Flooring with one course Stone in Chunam	2	20	62	₣ Sq.	53	37	11		
					3 Strong Padlocks	"	"	"	"	3	31	40		
					Excavating the Foundation	"	"	"	"	13	16	"		
					Extra charge for Scaffolding	"	"	"	"	20	"	"		
					One Serjeants Quarter 16 ft. Square in the clear with a Verandah on one side 10 feet wide.								1150	35	62
123	2	6	"	"	840	Foundation									
72	9	16	"	"	972	Wall above									

Brought Forward Pagodas 1150 35 62

463.	1	6	"	"	60 3/4	3 Piers						
					1872 3/4							
					90	Deduct Doorway						
					Total 1782 3/4	Stone in Clay				"	1. 64.	76. 16. 76
112	18	"	20	16	"	Plastering One Coat Chunam				"	39 43.	18. 41. 5.
22	40	"	8	30	"	Roofing including Verandah with Country Wood Rafters Stretchers & Reepers Double Pan Tiles and Chunam Borders	12	23	28	D°	110	20 54.
16.	26.	"	4	16.	"	Flooring with one Course Stone in Chunam	2	20	62	D°	10.	15. 69
6.	3	"	"	36.	"	2 Pairs Batten Doors and frames	"	6.	74	Sft	5.	39. 24
463.		"	"	54.	"	4. Pairs D° Windows and frames	"	8.	28	D°	10.	26 14
						1 Door Lock	"	"	"	"	1.	28 "
						Excavating the foundation	"	"	"	"	2	28 "
						Extra charges for Scaffolding	"	"	"	"	3.	" "
						Carried over Pagodas						239 41 2.

Estimate of Cost &c. 21. Aug. 1809.

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Measurement							Prices							
Length	Breadth	Thickness	Sup ft. Square feet	Cubic feet			Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash	Pagodas	Fanams	Cash
						Brought over Pagodas								
						Cook Room and necessary								
78	2	6	2	"	"	390 Foundation								
72	7	1	3	"	"	630 Wall above								
						1020								
						45 Deduct Door Way								
						Total 975 Stone in clay				"	1	64	96 f.	41	33 "
24	20	"	4	80	"	Roofing with Country Wood Rafters Stretchers, Reepers, Single Pan tiles and Chavanam Borders				10	35	55	ft. Sqr.	52	3 24 "
79	14	"	10	8	"	Plastering one coat Chunam				"	39	43	ft.	1	22 43

Survey of Ground Plan of Pagoda

18	10	"	1.	80.	"	Flooring with one course Stone in Chunam	2	20	62	D:	4	20	47
6	3	"	"	18.	"	1 Batten Door and frame			6. 74	₹ Sft.	2	40	52
						Excavating the foundation					1	6	60
						Extra charges for Scaffolding					1.	31.	40.
												113.	3026

Pagodas..... 1,504. 23. 10.

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7th July 1809.

/Signed/ E. Trapaud
Chief Engineer

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ Thos. MacLeane
D. S. M. B.

Fort St. George 7th July 1809

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To the Quarter Master General
of the Forces

Sir,

I beg leave to offer for the use of the Honorable Company two fine young Elephants a Male and a Female, I have to dispose off.

They are well trained and remarkably fast carrying weight equal to any of the Elephants attached to the 6th.

They are both under twenty years the Male 17 and the Female 18, their height is about 7 feet 3 inches, but they are growing fast and promise to be very tall. The price I value them at is Pagodas 250. each, including Saddles &c.

I request you will advise me the favor to let me know, if the above Elephants will suit the Honorable Company.

Wallajahbad
July 1st 1809.

/Signed/ Wm. Macleod Lt. Col. &c.

/A true Copy/ Signed/ A. D. Otto Jr. Sec. to Govt.

/A true Copy/ Signed/ P. Barclay
A. A. Gen. &c.

5th 19 Fort St. George 21st July 1809.

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Resolutions thereon.

Resolved that the Several Estimates forwarded in the foregoing letter be sanctioned, and the Completion of the works ordered inconformity thereto.-

Resolved also that the Military Board be authorized to purchase the Elephants tendered for sale by Lieutenant Colonel Macleod.-

Read the following letter from the Military Auditor General.-

To the Honorable

Sir George H. Barlow Bt. and K. B.

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

From the Military Auditor General — respecting retrenchments on account of Arrack and Provisions issued to H. M. 22d Regiment Dragoons - recommends the charge being passed.

Honorable Sir

1st At the request of the Military Paymaster at Vellore, I have the honor to lay before you Copies of a correspondence relative to a Retrenchment of Charges for Arrack and Provisions issued to the Non Commissioned Officers and Privates of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Light Dragoons by the abovementioned Paymaster amounting to the sum of Pagodas 2784. 32.

From

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2. From the tenor of the Correspondence now submitted and what was stated in my report of the 27th. ultimo it will occur to your Honorable Board that the present subject and that the cause of this Retrenchment proceeded upon the same grounds and is immediately connected with the Retrenchment of the Batta drawn by the Officers of the 22d. Dragoons, which has been confirmed by your Orders of the 7th. Instant.

3. Altho' this Retrenchment being founded upon the same principle is considered equally correct as that regarding the Field Batta drawn by the Officers of the abovementioned Corps, under existing Circumstances however, it may be deemed inexpedient to order the recovering of the amount by stoppages from the non Commissioned Officers and Privates of His Majesty's 22d. Light Dragoons, Your Honorable Board may therefore be pleased to dispense with the suspend, and to direct me to remove the 1st retrenchment, with a Caution to the Paymaster

to

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to beware in future of involving the Honorable Company in unnecessary expense under an Authority not Warranted and which Government alone upon such occasions can Sanction.

I have the honor to be

&c. &c. &c.

/Signed/ P. Bruce

Military Auditor General

Military Auditor
General's Office
Fort St. George
18th July 1809.

To the Military Auditor General
&c. &c.
Fort St. George.

Sir,

In consequence of your Retrenchment in the Accounts of the Deputy Paymaster General of King's Troops for the Month of March 1809 on my Bill for Provisions supplied to His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons at Arcot, amounting to Pagodas 2,784.32. I have the honor to enclose herewith Copy of a Letter to me from Lieutenant Colonel Hare dated 28th Instant, together with Copies of the Quarter Master Generals' Authority and Correspondence passed between me the Deputy Paymaster

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Paymaster General King's Troops and Lieute-
-nant Colonel Hare on the Subject, and request
you will be pleased to lay the Matter before
Government as requested by Lieutenant Colonel
Hare.-

Vellore
29th June 1809.

/Signed/ C. B. Dent
Paymaster

To the Military Paymaster
Vellore

Sir,

Having submitted to the Ho
Military Auditor General your letter of the 7th
Instant, with its inclosures, I have now the honor
to transmit for your information Copy of his
reply.-

The Documents received with
your Letter are herewith returned.-

I have the honor to be
Sir. Sir. Sir.
/Signed/ J. Campbell
D. P. G. K. T.

King's Pay Office
Madras 19th June 1809.

To

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Fort St. George 28. July 1809.

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To the Deputy Paymaster General Kings Troops

Fort St. George.

Sir,

I am answer to your letter of this date, requesting to know if the Correspondence relative to the recent encamping of His Majestys 22d. Regiment Light Dragoons in the vicinity of Arcot will be sufficient authority for passing the Field Charges drawn on account of that Corps, which have been objected to on Audit of your Accounts, I have the honor to acquaint you that what is contained in the papers hereinth returned is not considered sufficient, and that it will require a special order of Government to admit those charges.

/Signed/ L. Bruce

Military Auditor Genl

Military Auditor
Generals Office.
Fort St. George
12th June 1809.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ I. Campbell

Deputy Pay. Genl

Lieutenant

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Fort St. George 11th July 1809.

Lieutenant Colonel I Hare

Commanding H.M. 22d Regiment L.D.

Arcot.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 6th Instant, I beg leave to enclose Copy of my Letter to the Deputy Paymaster General Forces Troops, as also Copy of his Answer to me together with Copy of the Military Auditor General's letter to him, and request you will be pleased to obtain from Government the special order required by the Military Auditor General which will authorize him to admit the Charges objected to.

Vellore

22d June 1809.

/ Signed / C. B. Dent

Paymaster

/ True Copies /

/ Signed / C. B. Dent

Paymaster

C. B. Dent Esqr.

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the

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The receipt of your letter of the 22d Instant and in reply thereto beg leave to remark that if I correctly understand the Regulations in cases of appeal on the Subject of Retrenchments the regular Channel of Correspondence is thro' the Station Paymaster and Military Auditor General to Government, I therefore request you will have the goodness to beg of the Military Auditor General to lay the Matter before the Governor in Council for his decision.-

Should I misconceive the Regulations of Government with respect to the retrenchment if you will on that case point out to me the proper Channel of submitting the matter to the Governor in Council I shall lose no time in so doing.-

I am, &c. &c. &c.

/ Signed / J. Hare Lieut Colt
22d D. Comg. Arcot

Arcot
June 28th 1809.

/ True Copy /

/ Signed / Lo. B. Dent Pay.r

To

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Fort St. George 25th July 1809.

To the Deputy Paymaster General &c &c &c
Fort St. George.

Sir

I have the honor to acknow-
ledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th ult.
Ultimo enclosing Copy of an Extract of a Retrench-
ment made against me on your accounts for
march 1809 amounting to Pagodas 2734 32--
for want of authority for Defualking a plowing
His Majestys 22d Regiment Light Dragoons on
Field Allowances in reply thereto, I beg leave to
enclose Copy of the authority from the Quarter-
Master General to the Officer commanding at
Arcot together with its enclosure received from him
in support of the above Retrenchments, and request
you will have the goodness to ascertain from the
Military Auditor General whether the above authe-
rity is deemed sufficient for him to admit the
Charge or ... am Ito proceed to make the necessary
Stoppages from Lieutenant Colonel Flaré's
Pay and Allowances.

7th June 1809

I Signed C. B. Dent
Paymr

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C. B. Dent Esquire 109

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 31st May relative to the Retrenchment of Pagodas 2784.32 " for Provisions &c. supplied to the Regiment under my Command during the period it was encamped, I have the honor to enclose you my Letter to the Quarter Master General, and the quarter Master Generals' reply thereto, in consequence of which as therein directed, I applied to you for Arrack and Provisions.—

I am &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) I Hare

Lieut.t Colt. Comg.

22d D.r Arcot.

June 6th 1809.

Quarter Master General

of the Army &c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I have the honor to thank you for your Letter of the 6th Instant complying with

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Fort St. George 25th July 1809.

With my Indent for Camp Equipage of His Majesty's 22d Regiment Dragoons.

The Sickness of the Horses in that Regiment still continuing to prevail to a most alarming degree, I have almost made up my mind to encamp the Regiment, and indeed only wait till the weather is a little more mild.

Under such Circumstances I beg you will have the goodness to inform me in what manner the Regiment is to be supplied with Straw and Provisions and Forage of Grain for the use of the Horses.

Arcot
January 8th 1809

I am &c &c &c
(Signed) J. Hare
Lieut. Coll. 22d D. Comg. Arcot

(A true Copy)
(Signed) C. J. Barmerman
Coronet & Lieut. Adjt.

To the Officer Commanding
at Arcot
&c &c &c

In reply to your Letter of the 8th Instant

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Instant I have the honor of informing you that it will be proper you should indent on the Garrison Storekeeper at Vellore for supplies of Arrack and Provisions during the period His Majestys 22d. Dragoons will be absent from the Cantonment of Arcot.

I beg leave also to recommend your employing as the means of transporting Gram from Arcot, the Carriage Bullocks with the Camp Equipage to the position, His Majestys 22d. Dragoons will occupy. I have to request you will consult your own discretion regarding the necessity of employing an additional number of Cattle on this duty as the conductor at present has been instructed to comply with your requisition to the amount of fifty Carriage Bullocks.

/Signed/ V. Blacker. Dy. Qr. Mr. Genl.

/A true Copy/ Signed/ C. S. Bannerman Cornet & Ad. Dy.

/True Copies/ Signed/ C. B. Dent. Paymaster.

/True Copies/ Signed/ P. Bruce
Dy. A. Genl.

Quarter Master Generals Office
Fort St. George
11th. January 1809.

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Resolution thereon.

Resolved that the retrenchment on account of the issue of arrack and provisions issued to His Majesty's 22d Regiment Dragoons be remitted in conformity to the recommendation of the Military Auditor General.

Read the following letter from the Military Paymaster General.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

I do myself the honor to give cover to transcript of a letter from the late Pay-master of Travancore Captain Clapham, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, requesting permission to visit the Presidency, that he may be enabled to adjust his accounts. I take the liberty of recommending that Captain Clapham be allowed leave of absence for the period he desires for the above purpose.

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

(Signed) L. G. K. Murray

Milty. Pay. Genl.

To

From the Military Paymaster General forwards Captain Claphams application for leave to visit the Presidency for the purpose of settling his accounts and recommends it being complied with.

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17th July 1809.
Milty Pay. Genl. Office.

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To the Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George

Sir

Finding my accounts will be
more easily adjusted at the Presidency since I can
have access to the Office of the auditor General as well
as yours, I have to request you will have the goodness
to make application for me to visit Madras for the
purpose, for the period of five Months —

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

/Signed/ Wm. Clapham

late acting Paymr.

in Travancore.

/True Copy/

/Signed/ L. G. K. Murray

Milatay. Paymr. Genl.

Tellicherry
8th July 1809.

Order thereon.

Ordered that the application of Captain Clapham for leave of absence be Com-
plied with —

Read the following letter from
the President of the Committee for erecting St

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A benotaph.

To the Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. K.B.

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

From the President of the Committee for Erecting a benotaph - requesting that some unserviceable Matchlock barrels may be issued from the Arsenal for the purpose of Constructing a railing round the late of Marquis Cornwallis's benotaph.

Honorable Sir,

As President of the Committee appointed to Carry into effect a resolution of the European Inhabitants and Military Officers under this Government to erect a benotaph to the memory of the late most noble Marquis Cornwallis, I take the liberty of soliciting some briefing aid from your Honor in Council towards its completion, encouraged by the Commendation lately bestowed by the Honorable Court of Directors, on the undertaking.

In the arsenal at this Presidency are about 3,500 unserviceable Matchlock barrels, which I beg leave to request that your Honor in Council would

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would be pleased to permit being issued for the purpose of constructing a Railing to surround the scite of the Cenotaph by converting a part of them into spear-heads intended to be fixed on the Muzzles. this part of the work would be better and more uniformly executed by the Smiths at the arsenal, and it is presumed would not materially interrupt their public Employment..

I have the honor to be

&c. &c. &c.

(Signed) T. Oakes

Secrt. of the Committee

Fort St. George
19th July 1809.

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that the application contained in the foregoing letter be complied with, and that the Military Board be directed to issue the unserviceable match lock barrels in store for the purpose therein required..

Read the following letter from the Resident at Hyderabad..

To

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Fort St. George 25th July 1809.

To Alexander Falconar Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir

From the Resident at Hyderabad — Transmitting the depositions of — several persons to the crime of Murder alleged against Thos Harris a Serjeant whose wife is supposed to have died in consequence of his cruel treatment towards her.

1 I beg leave to acquaint you, for the Information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that Mr. Palmer an Officer in the Service of his Highness the Nizam, having reported to me that the Wife of one Thomas Harris, a British Subject, and Serjeant in Mr. Palmer's Corps, had been found dead, and that it was supposed her death was occasioned by the Treatment she had received from her Husband I conceived it to be my duty to summon to my Presence, and take the Depositions of the several Persons who could give Evidence to the Crimes Alledged against the said Thomas Harris.

2 I have the Honor to transmit to you the Depositions which were taken in my Presence, in Order that Information may be

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be laid before the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and that legal measures may be pursued to bring the said Thomas Harris to a public Trial.—

3d The said Thomas Harris has been placed in close Confinement, until the pleasure of Government shall be made known to me, and I have desired Mr. Palmer to detain the several Evidences at Hyderabad, in order that they may be prepared, if necessary to attend the summons of the Supreme Court.—

I have the honor to be

Hyderabad
12th July 1809.

Sir Sir Sir
/ Signed / Thos. Sydenham
Resident.

Deposition taken in the Presence of Captain Thomas Sydenham Resident at Hyderabad,
June 29th 1809.

Mr. Palmer, an Officer in the Service of His Highness the Nizam states that it was reported

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reported to him, on the Morning of the 30th of May last, by an Italian, named Carlo Orlille, an Officer in his Corps, that the Wife of a Serjeant named Thomas Harris, in the same Corps, had been found dead, and that it was supposed that her Death had been occasioned by a severe Beating, which she had received from the said Thomas Harris.— Mr. Palmer states that he had examined several Witnesses and thinking that there was cause for the accusation, he directed the Man to be confined, and report the Circumstance to the Resident Captain T. Sydenham—

Carlo Orlelle states that a Subidar in Mr. Palmer's Corps named Babber Ali Beg reported to him, that the Serjeant Thomas Harris had killed his wife by beating her.— Carlo Orlelle states that he immediately reported the Circumstance to Mr. Palmer.—

Babber Ali Beg, Subidar in Mr. Palmer's Corps, states that he received from

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Sentries who were posted near the House of Sergeant Harris, two several Reports, one about 9 and the other about 12 O'Clock at Night, that Sergeant Harris and his Wife were quarrelling. That he desired the Sentries not to interfere with Harris in his own house.- That at about 11 A.M. the next morning, it was reported to him by a Trumpeter that Harris's Wife was dead. That he reported the Circumstance to Garlo Artille-

Shaikh Mukdoom, native Trooper in Mr. Palmer's Corps, states that he was sentry near the House of Sergeant Harris at about 9 O'Clock and that he heard Harriss Wife crying out "Harris I am dying". Harris I am dying". That he reported the Circumstance to subidar Bubber Ale Beg.-

Cassim Yabhan native Trooper in Mr. Palmer's Corps, states that he was Sentry near the House of Serjeant Harris at about 12 O'Clock at Night, and that he heard the Wife

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Wife of Serjeant Harris Crying out "Harris I am dying!" "Harris I am dying." That he went to the Door of the House and asked Harris what he was doing, upon which every thing became quiet. That he reported the circumstance to Subidar Babber Ali Beg.

Tom, an American Black, a Trumpeter in Mr. Palmers Corps, states that he heard from Jonan a Trumpeter in the same Corps, that Harris's Wife was dead, and that he reported the circumstance to Subidar Babber Ali Beg.

Jonan Trumpeter in Mr. Palmers Corps, states that in the Beginning of the Evening he went to Harris's House, and found Harris and his wife together - That they were not then quarrelling. That Harris shortly afterwards began by asking her, that as she was living with him, why did she go to the House of another Person? That she replied that she had gone to

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to the Bazar to buy Beetle. That Harris then said that that must be false as there were Beetle in the House. That Harris then began to beat and kick her. That she fell senseless to the Ground, and that he still continued to beat her. That Harris then took up a large Stone apparently with the Intention of striking her with it, but that he (Soman) took the Stone away from him. That Harris also drew his sword which he (Soman) took away from him and concealed in some Earth. That Harris then went to the necessary and attempted to cut his Throat with a Knife which he (Soman) likewise took away from him. That Harris and his Wife then went to Bed together and he left them. That they both appeared to him to be drunk. Soman states that on the following Morning he went to Harris's House and found Harris's Wife with her Face very much swollen and groaning, but she was able to sit up in Bed. That he called again at the House at about three o'clock in the afternoon

and

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and found that Harris's Wife was dead.-

Meyah a Servant Boy of Sergeant Harris's stated that Harris had been drinking for a Month, that his Wife also was drunk on the Evening of the Quarrel. That Harris had occasion for some Keys which his Wife usually kept and that when he came Home to search for her he found her absent. That he offered a Rupee to a Sepoy, if he would tell him where his wife was. That the Sepoy agreed to do so, provided Harris would promise not to beat her. That when she was brought Home to him from the House of a Mussulman Sepoy, Harris asked her why she had left the House. That she replied that she had gone out for Fear of being beaten. That Harris then began to kick and beat her with his Fist. That he afterwards took up a Stone apparently with the Intention of striking her with it, but that Jonam a Drummer, who was present took it

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from him and threw it over the wall. That Harris then drew his sword, which Jonan also took away from him. That Harris afterwards went into the necessary and pretended to cut his Throat with the Back of a Knife. That Jonan took the Knife also from him. That Harris and his Wife then went to Bed, locked the Door and turned him /Meyah/ out. That he /Meyah/ slept in the Cook room which was adjoining to Harris's House. That he heard Harris beating his Wife about 9 and 12 o'clock in the Night. That in the Morning he went to the House and asked what he should get ready for Breakfast. That Harris's Wife desired him to prepare some Conjee and to get some Tamarind Leaves. That she drank some Conjee and fomented herself with the Tamarind Leaves. That he then went to the Bazar. That he found Harris's Wife dead on his return. That when he saw her in the morning her Face was swollen, she was groaning trembling and calling for water.

Anna,

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Anna, the Wife of a German

Serjeant in the Nizams Service, states that she was

called to wash the Body of Serjeant Harris's wife

That she found that the Face and body of the

deceased were much swollen, and that her Bowels

had been extended from her private Parts.

Boomee a Native Woman

who had also been called to wash the Body of the

deceased, corroborated the evidence given by Anna.

Thomas Harris Serjeant in

Mr. Palmers Corps states that his wife had been

frequently drunk during the Month preceding

her Death - That upon coming Home on the

evening of the 29.th of May last he found her absent.

That he sent two Boys to search for her who did

not find her. That he then went in search of her

himself to all the Houses in the Lines, but could

not find her. That he enquired from a Sepoy

respecting her, who denied knowing any thing about

her. That he then offered the Sepoy a Rupee

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of he would fine her. That she Lodge in consequence brought her from a house in the Lines. That she was then very drunk. That he asked her where she had been and that she replied to him in very abusive Language. That he then gave her two or three slaps on the Cheek that she fell down, and in consequence of her continuing to be abusive he gave her two or three Kicks. That she seized hold of him by the Trowsers which she tore. That he in consequence took a Stick from the roof of his House, and struck her two or three Blows with it. That the stick was taken from him and he then struck her across the Thighs with the Girth of a Bullocks Saddle. That she went to Bed. That he eat his supper and went to bed also soon after. That in the Middle of the Night she awoke and asked for some Liquor which he refused to give her. That she then asked him for some water which he gave her. That she then got up and asked him to open the Door as she wanted to go to the necessary. That he had locked the Door for

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for Fear she should go out in the night. That he opened the Door and she walked to the Navy without any Assistance. That when she awoke in the Morning she again asked him for Liquor which he refused to give her. That she then asked for some Tamarind Leaves and fomented her Body with them herself. That she also gave her Child Milk several times. That She eat her Breakfast heartily. That he then left her in consequence of her importuning him very frequently for Liquor That on his return into the Room he found under her Bed a Chumbo a large Vessel which smelt strongly of Liquor. That she then appeared to be drunk. That he asked her where she had got the Liquor but she would not tell him. That when searching the House he found a Bottle half-full of Arrack in a Rice Pot. He supposes she must have previously hidden it there as she was continually in the Habit of concealing Liquor. That he removed the Bottle and hid it

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it was a Sot of Wheat. That he went into the next room. That upon his return, about half an hour afterwards he found that his wife had vomitted. That he went to breath the Flies from her Face with a cloth, when he found that she was cold. He then perceived that the Bottle which he had concealed was standing empty at the Foot of her Bed by the side of the Sumbo, smell strongly of Liquor. That he shewed the Sumbo to Subedar Barberade and desired him to smell it. That he then went out and called in several Persons.-

Subedar Barberade states that he saw the Bottle and Sumbo, but did not smell them.-

The above Depositions taken in my Presence on the twenty ninth Day of June one thousand eight hundred and nine.-

/Signed/ Thos. Sydenham
Resident.

Order thereon.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing

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foregoing letter be sent to the Solicitor of the Honorable Company with directions to state his opinion as to the mode of proceeding hereafter to be observed towards the person therein mentioned with the view of bringing him to trial.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm

To the Military Secretary to Government

From Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm at Masulipatam - repair of barracks recommended - Regiment to be encamped.

Sir

Fort St. George

Several Representations have I understand been made by the late Commanding Officers of the Station regarding the State of the Barracks for the European Regiment in this Fort. It appears to me that their state is such that if they were not repaired before the Monsoon - a very heavy expence must be hereafter incurred by Government, and the health of the men will be liable to suffer from the great dampness of the floor as well as from the bad state of some parts of

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of the Terrace. If this repair is ordered it will be most convenient to encamp the Regiment near its former temporary cantonments, where the general health of the Troops has always been a great deal better than in the Fort, and where I believe it is the intention of Government to erect Barracks for four Hundreds of the European part of this Garrison.

Masulipatam 10th July 1809.

/Signed/ John Malcolm
Lieut. Colonel

Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be referred to the Military Board for their investigation and report.

Read the following letter from the Commissioner at Trinquebar.

To Alexander Falconar Esqre
Acting Chief Secretary to the Government
Fort St. George.

From the Commissioner at Trinquebar. Solicitting renewal of Mr. Bock's pension.

Sir

Mr. Bock formerly 1st Officer of the Danish Ship Sophia received a subsistence under the authority of the Government till the 31st December last

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last, when he obtained employment, it will appear from the accompanying Certificate that he has now lost that employment by no fault of his own it will therefore rest with the Honorable the Governor in Council to sanction the former monthly subsistence of Star Pagodas /10/ being again granted to him and from what date it is to Commence.—

I have the honor to be.

&c. &c. &c.

/Signed/ Alex.r Fo. Falso

Commissioner

Commissioners Office
Tranquebar
12.th July 1809.

I do hereby Certify that M.r N. B.r Boeks a Danish Inhabitant of Tranquebar has served in my employ as Navigator of a Vessel since the 1.st January 1809 and has acquitted himself in his profession very much to my satisfaction. The Vessel being now about to be employed in the Eastern Trade, I part with him upon no other account than being apprehensive he has not had sufficient experience in seamanship to conduct a Vessel in such difficult

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difficult navigation.-

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/ Signed / J Wilkins

Transcriber
6th July 1809.

Minute thereon.

In consideration of the Circumstances stated in the foregoing letter, resolved that the pension heretofore granted to M. Bock be renewed, and that intimation of the same be sent to the Military Auditor General for his information and guidance-

Read the following letter from the Town Major of Fort St. George.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

From the Town Major Fort St. George - Certificate of Joseph Gaudoins insanity - forwarded, and he sent to the Lunatic Hospital.-

Sir

I have the honor to forward for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, a Certificate from the Medical Board of the Insanity of Joseph Gaudoin, in consequence of which, I have sent him to the Hospital for Lunatics.-

I have the honor to be

&c. &c. &c.

/ Signed / R. Barclay

Town Major

Town Majors Office
Fort St. George
18th July 1809.-

This

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This is to certify that I have visited Mr Joseph Goodwin at the solicitation of his friends through Mr Surgeon Ord, and have found him very much deranged in Mind, do therefore recommend that he be sent to the Lunatic Hospital, as I have some hopes of his recovery.—

April 8th 1809.

/Signed/ Terence Gahagan
M. D. & 2d. Member
Medical Board.—

Orderd thaem.—

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Auditor General for his information and guidance.—

The Board proceed to read and pass Orders on the General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors in this Department under date the 11th January 1809, received by the Honorable Company's Ship the Lord Melville.—

Board's Resolutions on Genl. Letter from the Honble Court of Directors, dated 11th January 1809 per Ship Lord Melville.

Para. 1 Date of last letter. No remark.

2. Remarks on the Indents for Medical Stores. enuys. retrenched. } Ordered that Copy of these Paragraphs be sent

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sent to the Medical Board,

3. Correctness of the Bengal Indents point-ed out for imitation. with directions to attend to the Orders of the Court respecting the excess on their indents for Medical Stores.

4. Captain I. Mackinzie
" J. T. Johnson
Captain Lt. I. Moor
Lieut. T. Crichton
" G. Spinks
" G. Forsyth
permitted to return to their rank. ..... } Ordered that this Paragraph be published in General Order.

5. Lt. & Capt. S. Crane
28th Sept. 1808.
" B. Harris
20th July 1808
" W. Cunningham
29th June 1808.
5 Lieuts. } Ordered that these Paragraphs be published in General Order.

Lieutenant

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Lieut.t T. Green 11th. May 1808. have retired from the Service on the above Dates...		
6. Mr. F.C. Miller Lead Surgeon retired from the Service on the 16th. August 1808..	D:- --- D:- --- B:	
7. Lieut.t Colt. J. Darley died on the 3d. April 1808.		
8 Colonel Thomas Leighton died on the 22d. May 1808.....		Already published in General orders.
9 Captain B. H Harding resigned the Service on the 14th. December 1808.		Ordered that these Papers be published in General Orders.
10 Fourteen Cadets for the Cavalry to be appointed..		

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11 Sixteen assistant Surgeons and Fifty six Cadets for the Artillery or Engineers to be appointed.— Ordered that these Paragraphs be published in General Orders.

12. M. J. Best appointed to the rank of Commissary of Stores, and to succeed the first vacancy.

13. Information respecting John Tamberlain required..... Ordered that Copy of this Paragraph be sent to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, and that he be requested to furnish the information required.

14. Quantity of opium indented for reduced, this drug procurable in India.— Ordered that Copy of this paragraph be sent to the Medical Board for their information

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Information and Guidance.

15. Mr. C. Rogers Surgeon

Permitted to Return to his Duty

Ordered that this Paragraph be published in General Orders.

Ed. Strange " G. H. Barlow

" W. Petrie

" Baker

H. Abraham Jr

Offic. Sec. Consult. 25th July 1809
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22. Received the following letters.

To the Chief Secretary
to Government

From the Adjutant General of the Army. Forwarding Certificate of perusal of the Articles of War by certain Cadets on the passage from England.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit a Certificate that the within Mentioned Cadets received, and perused the Articles of War on the voyage out from England, which should have accompanied my letter of the 12th instant.

I have the honor to be

Sir, Your &c.

Adjutant General's Office
19th July 1809.

(Signed) T. H. S. Conway
Adjutant General.

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We whose names are hereunto subscribed, Cadets in the Military Service of the Honorable United East India Company, do acknowledge that we received at the India House a Copy of the Articles of War for the said Service, and that we have frequently

and

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and Carefully preserved the same on the Voyage out from England.-

/Signed/ William Bourdieu Cadet
" John Irving James, Cadet.
" George Garrard
" James Buchanan
" David Armstrong

To the Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Magistrate of the zillah Chalabar. Intimates Mr. Ibbetson's absence from the zillah has forwarded a copy of the orders of Government respecting Major Dunlop and complaint against him.-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 16th ultimo on the 1st Instant, and to acquaint you for the Information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that on the same day a Copy thereof was forwarded with a Letter from Myself, of which the Accompanying is a transcript, to My Register, who I have already advised Government, has been obliged to quit this Court during the Monsoon in Consequence of severe Indisposition; I have not received Mr. Ibbetsons Answer, but I am in hopes that whenever it does arrive I

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I shall have the happiness to report His implicit obedi-
ence to the Orders of Government - I think it My Duty
to add that Mr. Abbetson had repeatedly acknowledged
to me His concern at the occurrence, and in his Letters
thro' me to the Officer Commanding the Provinces
disclaimed any intentional Disrespect to Major -
De Morgan.

Zillah N. Malabar
10th July 1809.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c. &c.
(Signed) T. H. Baber
Magistrate.

To the Register
of the Zilla North Malabar
Sir,

Enclosed I transmit Copy of a Letter
I have this day received from the Secretary to Govern-
ment on the Military Department and should not
your Health permit your return to your Duties,
I request you will address the Officer Commanding
this Cantonment direct such a Letter as will be &c
considered by Him as a sufficient atonement for the
irregu-

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irregularity Complained of - Your own good Sense will,
I feel assured, point out to you the Necessity of an immediate
Compliance with the Orders of Government.

Zilla N. Malabar
1st July 1809.

Jam H. H.

/Signed/ T. H. Baber
Magistrate

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ T. H. Baber
Magistrate

Sent the following letters:-

To the President
& Members of the Military Board

Gentlemen

To the Military Board. Stating that it has been resolved that a number of unserviceable Matchlocks & Barrels shall be applied to the purpose of raising in the Seite of the Cenotaph.

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to inform you that he has been pleased to resolve that a Number of unserviceable Matchlock barrels to the amount of about 3,500 at present in Store at the Arsenal shall be applied to the purpose of raising in the Seite of the Cenotaph building to the Memory of the late Marquis Cornwallis and further signifies his desire that a post

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part of them shall be converted into spear heads &c sufficient for insertion into the Muzzles of the remainder &c which work, he directs may be executed by the Smiths at the Arsenal.-

I have the honor to be
Sir &c
(Signed) J. H. Peile
Secy. to Govern.t

Fort St. George
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To Mr. Rob.t Orme
Solicitor for the Honorable Company.

Sir,

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs me to forward for your consideration the accompanying Copy of a letter from the British Resident at the Court of His Highness the Subidar of the Deckan respecting a murder supposed to have been committed by a person named Harris, and to desire that you will submit for the information of the Governor in Council your opinion as to the mode of bringing the man to

Trial

To the Solicitor for the Honorable Company. Forwarding Copy of a letter from Captain Sydenham respecting a Murder supposed to have been committed by a man named Harris and desiring him to state his opinion as to the mode of bringing the same to Trial.-

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I am &c.
(Signed) J. H. Pearse
Secry. to Govt.

Received and Sent the following letters entered in M. B. No. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69. 70.

From the Military Auditor General.

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce &c
Admitting the General Estimate of Cash for
August.

From Ditto.

From Ditto. Admitting an additional &
estimate of Cash by the Paymaster at Vellore.

From the Brigade Major to the Kings Troops.

From Major Burdett. Requesting an &
advance of two months pay for Captain Wildey.

To the officer Commanding the troops in Chief.

To Major General Gowdie - with Extract
from the Minutes of Consultation.

To Ditto.

To Ditto. Transmitting Extract of a
Letter from the Court of Directors, together with a
Copy of the resolutions passed on the orders of
the Court.

To the Medical Board.

The same to the Medical Board.

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To the Military Board. To the Military Board approving the estimates for white washing the Guard rooms at Fort St. George the construction of a Bridge at Cannanore and for building a place of Arms at Mangalore. Authorising the purchase of Colonel Macleod's Elephants. & referring Copy of a letter from Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm respecting the repair of the Barracks at Masulipatam.

To the Military Auditor General. To the Military Auditor General Remitting the retrenchment from the disbursement of the Paymaster at Vellore on account of Arrack and Provisions issued to the men of the 22d Dragoons. Referring Copy of a letter from the Military Secretary to General Gowdie.

To the Commissioner at Tranquebar. To Mr. Fleto Renewing Mr. Bochs pension.

To the Military Auditor General. Sent a Letter to the Military Auditor General entered in M. B. No 71. with extract of a letter to the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry.

Received

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24th Received the following letter

Military Secretary to the Honorable the Governor.

&c &c &c

Dear Sir,

From Lieutenant Colonel Peare — Commanding Town & Garrison — requesting the appointment of a Paymaster Garrison Commissary.—

I think it my duty to request it may be represented to the Governor that the Force at present Collected in Camp is so extensive that no Native can be expected to manage the difficult Department of its Grain and Provisions.—

The Conicopolies sent out by the Garrison Storekeeper is responsible only to his Employers the Paymaster at Fort St. George who is entirely out of the Controul of the Commanding Officer of the Troops.

In case of movement there is no Department which requires such active, fatiguing and Systematic Superintendance as the Provision Department on a Judicious and proper administration of which, the health and efficacy of the Soldier most materially depends —

It is obvious this cannot be expected from

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from the habits of a Native under any Circumstances,
and much less so, from a Native uncontrouled by
the Commander of the Troops and removed to a
distance from any Superintendance of his Employer.—

A Bazar has been established,
but for some time must unavoidably be very confined,
at any rate, it is never to be relied on in the Field for
the supply of Native Soldiers.—

There is no Grain now annexed
to the Provision Department, and were the Troops
to move even to the short distance of the Red Hills,
there is not the smallest doubt but that the Native
Troops would fast that day, and perhaps the next.—

Many Arguments similar to
the foregoing present themselves for the necessity of
a Paymaster in Camp— With the means of direct
reference to the Paymasters' Office at Fort St. George,
the business may be conducted as with the mount,
but moving beyond the reach of personal explan-
ation &c. or from one circle of payment into
another

another, it is evident that with such a number of equip-
-ments as are attached to the Force with me, great &
confusion and inconvenience must result.-

Should these ideas appear to
you judicious and reasonable I beg you will sub-
-mit the same to the Governor.-

Camp Near the Mount
24th July 1809.

I am &c. &c.
/Signed/ J. Hare Lieut. Colo
Commanding 6th Dn

Received and Sent the following letters
entered in M. Bo. Nos. 72-73-74.

From the officer
Commanding the
Northern Division
of the Army.-

From Major General Pater Reporting
his having taken the Command of the Northern Division
of the Army.-

To the Military
Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General.
Transmitting extracts of Correspondence with the
Officer Commanding at Pondicherry respecting
a Subsistance to three young men. Enclosing copy
of a letter from the Town Major reporting the
admission of a Patient into the Lunatic Hospital.

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To the Military Paymaster General.

To the Military — Paymaster General.

with Copy of the Military Auditor General's report on the General Estimate of Cash, and Copy of his report on an additional Estimate for Cash.—

25th The President sends in circulation the following Minute.—

The President proposes to appoint Captain William Ireland Jones of the 18th Regt Native Infantry to be Paymaster and Commissary of Grain and Provisions to the Troops encamped near the Mount.—

President's Minute appointing Captain Jones Paymaster and Commissary to the Troops near the Mount.—

/Signed/ G. F. Barlow.

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Agreed to and ordered accordingly.—

To the Military Board.

Sent a letter to the Military Board entered in M. B. N. 75. With Copy of a letter from the Mint Committee and of the reply.—

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At a consultation

Present

The Honorable Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bt. K.B.

Governor and President

Wednesday the 26th. July 1809

William Petrie

Thomas Oakes

and

J. H. Casamayor

Esqrs.

Minutes of last Consultation read

and approved—

Read the following letters from the

Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army

in Chief, and the Adjutant General of the Army—

J. H. Peile Esqr.

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

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From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. Advance of Six Months pay required for Captain Fonks.

Sir,

Permission to proceed to Europe on

Furlough having been granted by the Honorable the

Governor in Council in General Order 24th. March

last, to Captain Fonks of the 1st. Regiment Native Cavalry

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that Officer has agreed for his Passage in the Ship Persev-
erance, via China, which being about to sail at a very
early period, Major General Gowdie commanding in
Chief requests that Sanction may be obtained, as expe-
ditiously as convenient, for the customary advance of
Six Months Pay to Captain Foulis.-

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
/Signed/ John R. Vernon
Mily Secry. to the Comr in Chief

Fort St. George — —
Commander in Chiefs Office
25th July 1809.-

Order thereon

Ordered that an advance of Six
Months pay, be made to Captain Foulis.-
J. H. Fisle Esqre
Secretary to Government &c. &c. &c.

From the Military Secry to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief.
Purchase of Remount Horses agreeably to enclosed Statement recommended — Mode pointed out for transmitting the Orders to the Agent.

Fort St. George

Sir,

I do myself the honor of transmit-
ting a Statement of the Number of Horses which will
be required to remount the Cavalry Corps for the Year
1809/10. as it appears by this Statement that 1300 Horses
will be necessary, the Officer commanding the Army
in

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Commander in Chief begs leave to recommend to the Honorable the Governor in Council that directions shall be sent to the Agent for the purchase of remount horses to procure that number - Major General Gowdie would also recommend should it meet the approbation of the Honorable the Governor in Council that the same mode of conveying the instructions to the Public Agent as was proposed in the Commander in Chiefs Military Secretary's letter 11th February 1808, should at present be adopted and that as the season for the purchase of horses is so nearly approaching, sanction for issuing those instructions may be obtained as early as possible -

I have the honor to be

Sir &c &c

/Signed/ John R. Vernon

Military Secretary

to Commander in Chief

Commander in Chief's Office

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Statement of Horses Wanting for the Service

of the Year 1809/10

	Wanting	To be Cast	Total No. required to Complete
Corps of Horse Artillery	18	160	178
His Majesty's 22d Regiment Light Drags	94	50	144
" " 25th " "	82	37	119
Honorable Governor's Body Guard	45	12	57
1st " "	30	50	80
2d " "	32	26	58
3d " "	68	40	108
4th " "	16	42	58
5th " "	25	30	55
6th " "	"	50	50
7th " "	29	34	63
8th " "	45	50	95
			1065
Probable Number required by Officers			50
Probable Number that will be required to replace Casualties, calculating on the Effects of the present Epidemical Disease			185
Total Number required			130

Adjutant Generals Office
13th July 1809.

/Signed/ T. Fb. L. Conway
Adjt Genl of the Army.

Received

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Resolution thereon.

Resolved that the number of remount Horses recommended in the foregoing letter be purchased, and that the Commander in Chief be requested to issue the requisite orders to the agent thro' the usual channel for procuring the number required.—

From the adjutant General of the Army. Forwarding application of Lieut.t Col. Dunn for leave of absence to proceed to Europe, and of Lieutenant Williams for nine months leave of absence to proceed to Bengal. irregularity of Mr. Cadet Casaid resignation noticed — Petition of Purser Stuart to recover the amount sale of her late Husb.d effects lodged in the Treasury at Masulipatam & arrival of Lieut.t Colonel Bell at Calcutta. —

To the Chief Secretary

to Government

Fort St. George.

Sir,

I am directed by Major General Gowdie commanding the Army in Chief to request that you will submit the enclosed applications — from Military Officers, to the Honorable the Governor in Council —

1.st Application from Lieutenant Colonel Dunn of the 4.th Regiment Native Cavalry for permission to proceed to Europe vice China / on sick certificate. —

2.d Application from Lieutenant Williams of the 15.th Regiment Native Infantry for

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for nine Months leave of absence to proceed to Bengal on urgent Private affairs.-

I am directed by Major General Gowdie to request you will state to the Honor.able the Governor in Council, that in Consequence of an application from Mr. Cadet Case from Bengal, Copy of which I have the honor to enclose /A/ The Officer Commanding the Army directed me to address the letter of which /B/ is a Copy, to the Adjutant General of the Army on the Bengal Establishment, by whose reply /C/ which I am also directed to enclose it appears that Mr. Cadet Case has anticipated the leave he applied for to resign the Honorable Company's Service, which I am now directed to report, in order that the Circumstance may be Communicated to the Honorable the Court of Directors, or such other notice taken of Mr. Case's irregular Conduct, as the Honorable the Governor in Council may deem proper.-

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The enclosed Petition from Mary Stewart, Widow of the late Serjeant James Stewart of the 1.st Battalion Artillery, I am also directed by Major General Gowdie to beg you will submit to the Honorable the Governor in Council.

I am also directed by Major General Gowdie to request, that you will state to the Honorable the Governor in Council, that Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Bell of the Artillery has reported his arrival at Calcutta, having been obliged to put into Port of Ganjam by bad weather.

Adjutant Generals Office
25.th July 1809.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) J. F. S. Conway
Adjt Genl.

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

Sir,

I beg leave to enclose the accompanied Sick Certificates, to request permission to

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to avail myself of the present opportunity of
Embarking on board of the Perseverance Captain
Swedale for England by the way of Bengal
I have the honor to be,

Sir Sir

Fort St. George
20th July 1809.

/Signed/ J. Dunn
Lieut. Col. Comm. Jr.
4th Regt. Native Cavalry

We Alexander Kennedy and John
Douglas White Surgeons do hereby declare upon
oath, that we are of opinion that Lieutenant
Colonel James Dunn of the Madras Cavalry
should proceed to Europe for the recovery of his
health.

/Signed/ A. Kennedy
A. S. H. S. Force

Fort St. George
July 20th 1809.

/Signed/ J. D. White
Garrison Surgeon.

Sworn and Subscribed
this twentieth day of July
in the year of Our Lord 1809.
before me.

/Signed/ Edwd. C. Greenway
One of His Majesty's Justices of the
Peace for the Town of Madras aforesaid

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To the Honorable —

The President in Council

Honorable Sir

Private affairs of considerable —
importance requiring my immediate presence in
Bengal, I take the liberty of applying for permis-
-sion to proceed thither and to be absent from
my Corps for nine Months for that purpose.

I trust you will see no objec-
-tion to the length of period for which I have
applied, as the Circumstances which call me
there are urgent and may be much injured
by delay, and I shall also be obliged to go as
far up the Country as Allahabad for the —
Adjustment of them —

Under these Circumstances I
trust my application will meet with your
Sanction —

I have &c.

/Signed/ J. Williams

Lieut.t 1.st Batt.n 15th Reg.t

Seringapatam
10.th July 1809 —

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To the Commanding Officer of the

European Cadet Company of Infantry

Cuddalore

Sir

In consequence of my having fail-
-ed in my views in Bengal and the Government
here not granting me permission to remain in
India, I have the honor to request that you would
be good enough to tender this my resignation of
the Honorable Company's Military Service to
the Government at Madras, and I further beg
leave to state that I have taken my Passage
in the Extra Ship Lord Keith, and expect to
sail in the Course of the ensuing Week.-

20th April 1809

/Signed/ Edward Case
Cadet.

To the Adjutant General
of the Army,
Bengal

Sir

Mr. Case a Cadet on this
Establish-

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Establishment having overstayed his leave of absence to Bengal, and the Officer commanding the army having reason to suppose from letters received from him, that he has an Idea of anticipating the leave he has applied for to resign the Service, and return to Europe, I am directed to request that you will have the goodness to order him to return to this Presidency by the first opportunity.

Adjutant Generals Office
10th May 1809.

/ Signed / T. H. S. Conway
Adjutant Genl. of the army

Lieutenant Colonel Conway
Adjutant General of the Army
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt at this Office of your letter bearing date the 10th Ultimo, and with the View of affording the Officer Commanding the Army at Fort St. George the fullest information in my power respecting the case the Gentleman mentioned in your letter

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letter, I transmit to you the accompanying Copies of a letter addressed by me to the Secretary to Government Military Department, and of his reply with 6 copies of the several enclosures therein referred to —

Adjutant Generals Office
Pres.y of Fort William
3d June 1809. ——

I have the honor to be
Sr. &c.
(Signed) Ja.s Nicol
Assistant Adjutant Genl

John Adam Esq.re
Acting Secretary to Government
Military Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit to you herewith to be submitted for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council a copy of a letter received from the Adjutant General of the Army of Fort Saint George, under date the 18th Instant, Conveying the request of the Officer Commanding in Chief at Madras that

Mr.

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Mr. C.n base a Cadet who had leave of absence to come to Bengal, may be directed to return to Fort Saint George. I beg leave at the same time to submit Copies of a letter received at this Office from Mr.r Case on the 21.st Ultimo, and of my reply thereto, and to state that I have never had any further Communication from that person, nor am I informed whether he still remains at this Presidency.—

Adjutant Generals Office. I have the honor to be
Fres.y of Fort William Hon.ble Hon.ble
26.th May 1809— /Signed/ Ja.s Nicol
Aff.g Adjt. Gen.l

/True Copy/
/Signed/ Ja.s Nicol
Assistant Adjut.t General

To Captain Nicol
Acting Adjutant of the Army
Sir,

In consequence of having resigned the

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the Service and failed in an application to Government to remain in this Country, I have the honor to inform you that I have taken my Passage in the Ship Lord Keith, and request that you will as soon as Convenient be pleased to favor me with an Order to be received on Board.—

I have the honor to be

Sir &c. &c.

21st April 1809.

/Signed/ Edward Case

/True Copy/

/Signed/ James Nicol

Asst. Adjt. General

Mr. Edward Case

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of this days date and your name not being borne on the List of the Army I request you will state what situation you held in the Service, and through what

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what channel your resignation was tendered and accepted of by the Government.-

Adjutant Generals Office
Secy. of Fort William
28th April 1809

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.
/ Signed / J. Nicol
Asstt. Adjt General

/ True Copy /
/ Signed / Jas. Nicol
Asstt Adjt Genl.

To Captain James Nicol
Assistant Adjutant General

Sir,

With reference to your letter and its enclosures dated 26th Instant respecting Mr C. Cade a Cadet on the Establishment of Fort Saint George, I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, to transmit to you for your information the accompanying Extract from his Proceedings in the Public Department bearing date the 28th ultimo.

2. Mr Cades name is also included

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in the List of Passengers who embarked on the — Lord Keith received from the Agent who dispatched that Ship — no other information appears on the records of Government relative to Mr. Case —

I am &c. &c.

Council-Chamber
The 27th May 1809. —

/ Signed / I. Adam
Acting Secry. to Government

/ True Copy /
/ Signed / Jas. Nicol
Apoint. Adjutant General

Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, in the Public Department, under date the 28th April 1809

To H. St. George Tucker Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government
in the Public Department.

Sir,

In consequence of not meeting with success in my application to Government for leave to remain in this Country, I have the honor to request that you will lay this before the —

Honorable

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Honorable the Governor General in Council &c

tomorrow, for an order to be received on board the Ship Lord Keith, wherein I have taken my passage for England. I further beg leave to state that as I have resigned the Service at Madras, I wish to take advantage of the first opportunity of returning, and have the honor to be.—

21st April 1809.

Sir, &c &c

(Signed) Edward Case

The Secretary reports that an order was issued on the 22d Instant to the Commander of the Honorable Company's Extra Ship Lord Keith, for the reception of Mr Case on board that Ship, as a passenger to Europe.—

Ordered that a Copy of the Letter &c from Mr Case be recorded for information in the Military Department.—

(A true Extract) (Signed) H. S. G. Tucker
Secy to the Govt

(A true Copy) (Signed) J. Adam

(True Copy) (Signed) Jas Nicol
Aside Adjt General

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To the Honorable the Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George

The humble Petition of Mary Stewart
Widow of the late Serjeant James Stewart of the 6th
Company 1st Battalion of Artillery.

Humbly Sheweth,

That your Petitioner's Husband having died intestate, his Effects were sold, and his arrears of pay &c. realized by Captain Gibson, his Commanding Officer by whom the amount has been lodged in the General Treasury at Masulipatam in conformity with the Orders of Government.-

Your humble Petitioner being entirely destitute of support is desirous of obtaining the small produce of her Husbands Effects as her only source of relief, and finding that taking out letters of administration would cost nearly the whole amount being little more than 300 Rupees, She throws herself upon the goodness and liberality

of

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of the Government, entreating they will dispense with these forms of law, and be pleased in their wt great goodness, to order payment to be made to wr her of the Amount of her late husbands effects — from the General Treasury as the only measure of saving a helpless Widow and an infant Child from penury and distress, for which act of benevolence and Charity your Humble Petitioner as in Duty Bound..

Will Ever Pray —

Orders thereon.

Ordered that leave of absence be granted to Lieutenant Colonel Dunn to proceed to Europe Via China, on Sick Certificate, and to Lieutenant Williams for nine Months to proceed to Bengal for the Adjustment of his private affairs and that the same be published in G. O..

Mr. Case late Cadet on this Establishment appearing from his letter to be now on his passage to Europe, resolved that the irregularity of his resignation be notified to the Honorable Court

of

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of Directors for their information.—

Resolved that the petition of Mary Stewart be referred to the Honorable Company's Solicitor for his opinion, that the relief applied for, may if practicable, be extended to the case of the 2d Petitioner.—

Read the following letter from the Civil Auditor—

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

From the Civil Auditor—Requesting the orders of Government relative to the rate at which Mr. Dalgiel is to draw batta.—

Para. 1. In consequence of the resolution of Government in the Military Department Mr. Dalgiel has applied to me for his batta as Surgeon of the Naval Hospital.

2.d As he is the first Surgeon in the King's Service who has held the appointment, I have no precedent to guide me, and Mr. Secretary Piele's letter of the 4th Instant does not specify any fixed rate.—

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3.d Captain Groube as Governor of the Hospital draws Batta at the rate £250 P.r Annum and Lieutenant Whitehorn at the rate of Rupees 30-0 30 each per day which is the half Batta of a Captain or Surgeon in the Company's Service.—

4.th Mr. Dalgiel appears to be entitled to the same allowance, and I have to request that you will obtain the decision of the Honorable the Governor in Council thereon as well as of the period from which he should be allowed to draw it.— Mr. Dalgiel hopes the indulgence of Government may be extended to the period when he took charge of the Hospital.—

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

(Signed) John Mc.Dowall

Civil Auditor

Fort St.n George
Civil Auditor's Office
20.th July 1809.—

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that Mr. Dalgiel be allow=ed Batta to the same amount as is fixed for a Surgeon in the Honorable Company's Service, and that he be permitted to Commence drawing the same from the 19.th June last.—

Read

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Read the following letter from the Accountant General.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the accountant General - Submitting the propriety of discharging such claims on the Offsetting fund as exceed 100 Pagodas by Promissory Notes in the present loan.

Para. 1. In the G. O. By Government authorizing the distribution of Offsetting's for the Years 1803 and 1804 the Claims which exceed Pagodas 100 " " are directed to be issued in 8 per cent Certificates of this Government.—

2. As this discription does not apply to any of the Government Securities which are now in circulation, I have the honor to request you will obtain the permission of Government that the shares of Offsetting's due to Individuals under the G. O. abovementioned may be paid in Promissory Notes of the present Loan.—

3. Hitherto the distributions of Bazar Fund and Offsetting's have always been made in Common Eight Pr. Cent Promissory Notes,—

but

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but as nearly the whole of that discription of Paper has been advertised for discharge, and in consequence transferred to the present Loan, it may appear unnecessary again to resort to the issue of these Securities.

4. The Common Promissory notes which might be issued in payment of the Offreckonings now authorized will not, it is true immediately come in Course of discharge, but as the present Loan admits of the transfer of all discriptions of Government Securities, and is for proprietors more advantageous than the Common Promissory notes there can be little doubt that the Common Promissory notes if issued would immediately be subscribed to the Loan now open, and thus occasion an increase of Detail very inconvenient to the dispatch of the great accumulation of public business at present in this office.—

Fort St. George
Accountant Generals Office
21st July 1809.

I have the honor to be
Hr. Hr.
/ Signed / George Garrow
Acct. General.

The

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Minute thereon.

The Board deem it to be inexpedient to deviate from the General Orders ..... regulating the payment of Off. Reckoning for the Years referred to in the foregoing letter and do accordingly resolve that the claims on account of Off. reckonings for those years exceeding in amount 100 Pagodas shall be paid in 8 per cent Certificates of this Government as directed in the order above alluded to.-

Read the following letters from the Town Major of Fort Saint George.-

To the Chief Secretary to Government Fort St. George

From the Town Major of Fort Saint George- Transmitting a letter from Mr. Brand on the subject of releasing Captain Flinders in exchange for Captain L'Espron-

Sir,

I request you will lay before the Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying letter from Mr. Boand- the Native of Switzerland, and Subject of Prussia, who has permission to proceed to the Isle

of

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of France on the Cartel about to be dispatched.—

Town Major's Office
Fort St. George
26. July 1809.

I have the honor to be
Sr. Hr.
/ Signed / Rt. Barclay
Town Major

To Colonel Barclay
Town Major
Fort St. George

Sir,

A Residence for about 4 years at the Isle of France procured for me the agreeable acquaintance of Captain Flinders of the Navy of His Britannic Majesty. On my departure from the Isle of France in October 1807 for Bengal he gave me a letter to the address of Mr. Buchan Chief Secretary of the Government of this Presidency. Having arrived here in January last, the letter was delivered to that Gentleman by whom Captain Flinders informed him that he was still detained, which gave rise to a conversation, in which Mr. Buchan said that Captain Peron, a prisoner at Pondicherry being in disposed had demanded of the Government permission to go on his parole, for the purpose

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purpose of re-establishing his Health, to the Isle of France, and that permission would be granted to him, upon which I suggested that this circumstance occurred very opportunely to obtain the liberation of Captain Flinders, as Captain Peron might be allowed to take his departure on one of His Majesty's Vessels which might bring Captain Flinders back for the Isle of France, on the express condition, that Captain Flinders should immediately be set at liberty with permission to depart on board of the same Vessel, but if not that Captain Peron should be bound to return to India. Mr Buchan replied that this affair was deserving of examination, and he did not appear to disapprove the suggestion. I quitted Madras in February with the View of proceeding by the way of Pondicherry to Tranquebar to arrange my accounts, and to receive Certain sums of Money – on passing Pondicherry I went to see Captain Peron, to talk to him relative to his situation; he said that he had written to His Excellency the Admiral

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Admiral [I do not recollect whether it was to the Admiral who has taken his departure, or to the newly arrived one] that he was disposed, and wished to obtain permission to return to the Isle of France, to re-established his Health on Condition that Captain Flinders should be exchanged for him, if not that he would come back to India. This conformity of propositions submitted by him and by me to different persons without any previous communication should most assuredly have a good effect, while however we are waiting for this desirable arrangement being carried into effect the unfortunate Prisoner who ought never to have been one, is still at the Isle of France, and who can tell when he is likely to leave it, &c. He has been there five years and a half, during the most precious period of his Life, He is 37 years of age, his different interests are suffering, his advancement is retarded, and his Country is deprived of the services of this able Navigator. Captain Flinders cannot speak or write

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wrote for himself allow him, then to speak through me to pray & entreat that means may be taken for obtaining his release — I have often witnessed his wearines and perplexity, he has communicated to me all his annoyance, and has told me that he hoped that I should take every good opportunity of recalling his case to the recollection of the Chief Administrators in India; I hope, Sir, that the proposition which I have the honor of making to you is a good one, and I doubt not that His Excellency the Governor of this Presidency will feel sufficient interest in the fate of Captain Flinders to engage him to communicate my request to the Government of Bengal / who it is said are charged with all that regards the Prisoners / and that he will have the goodness to recommend this affair. Captain Peron flatters himself that if he should once present himself to the Chief of the Isle of France he would not send him back — when so unwell, more especially as I know / by Report / that Captain Peron is in favor as well as his

Brother

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Brother a Captain in the Navy, with the Minister of the Marine in France, so that the success of the arrangement if it should be attempted, may fairly be expected.-

I hope that the answer with which you may be pleased to honor me may be favorable, and I beg of you, Sir, to be persuaded that I absolutely have no other interest in this application than that of procuring the liberation of Captain Flinders to whom I shall ever be devoted.

I have the honor to be

Yr. Hble.

/Signed/ Jean Board

Native of Switzerland

Madras
the 30th June 1809

A True Translation

/Signed/ G. G. Noble

French Translator to Govt.

Minute thereon.

The subject of Captain Flinders
exchange being under the Consideration of the
Supreme Government, The Board deem it
unnecessary

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annecessary to take further notice of the subject at present.-

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Town Major of Fort Saint George. Register of French Prisoners baptured by His Majesty's Ship Victor requests permission to draw subsistence for them, and that the usual rations be issued to the Seamen.

I have the honor to transmit you a Register of French Officers and Seamen Prisoners of War, Recaptured by His Majesty's Ship Victor on the American Ship Selena and Country Brig Mungamake they were landed on the 30th June last, and forwarded to Poonamallee the same day.-

Lieutenants and Midshipmen of National Ships are allowed Subsistence. the former as Lieutenant of Infantry the latter as Ensign; I request the Sanction of Government for drawing their Subsistence, and that the usual Rations be issued to the Seamen.-

Town Major's Office
Fort St. George
19th July 1809.

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

List

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List of French Officers and Seamen Prisoners

the Prisoners at Poonamallee, on the

No.	Name	Rank
1	Vieillard	Lieutenant
"	Lebaud	Midshipman
"	Armand	Actg. Midshipman
"	Daman &c.	Seaman
5	Lebois	"
"	La Haue	"
"	Malyuson	"
"	Canaux	"
"	Despinaie	"
10	Soulany	"
"	Cuvony	"
"	Ducondray	"
"	Pinard	"
"	Blasnot	"

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—ers of War landed from H. M. Ship Victor and sent to

30th of June 1809.

Ships Name &c. By what Ship Captured, Retured on, and when or from whence received.	Remarks.
The Recaptured Sw. His Majesty's Ship Victor,	Sent to Ponnamalee
American Ship Sila. and landed at Fort St. George the same day.	
-nno, on the 25th May 30th June 1809.	
1809.	

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N°	Name.	Rank.
	Malbaise	Midshipman
"	S. George	Midshipm.n
"	P. Wojciaw	Seaman
"	Grafyne	"
"	Gamille	"
20	James Nicolas	"
"	Podesta	"
"	Le Commun	"
"	Deschamps	"
"	Naglione	
25	Estue	"

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Fort St. George
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Ships Name captured on, and when.	By what Ship captured or from whence received.	Remarks
The recaptured Country Ship Mungamah on the 8th of June 1809.	By His Majesty's Ship Victor and landed at Fort St. George 30th June 1809.	Sent to Poonamalle the same day.—

/Signed/ R.c Barclay
Town Major.

Resolved

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Resolution thereon.

Resolved that the Town Major be authorized to draw the Subsistence for the Officers, and issue the rations to the Seamen referred to in the foregoing letter, and that a Copy of the same be sent to the Military Auditor General with a Copy of this resolution for his information and guidance.—

Read the following letter from Mr. Samuel Sharpe.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

From Mr. Samuel Sharpe - Requesting orders may be given to the Town Major to pay the amount of his allowances—

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that I resigned the Service of the Honorable Company the 25th. of April last, and agreeable to the regulations of the Service was placed under Charge of the Town Major of Fort Saint George.—

By a Minute of Council dated 14th. July 1809 I am permitted to draw my full Pay and allowances as a Cadet until my departure for England in the next fleet, but

as

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as the Town Major has not yet been officially furnished with a Copy of the above Minute to authorize his drawing my allowance, it puts me to much inconvenience; I request it may be furnished him with as little delay as possible.—

22d July 1809.

I have the honor to be

Sir Sir

/Signed/ Samuel Sharpe

Late a Cadet H. C. Service

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that the Town Major of Fort Saint George be authorized to draw the amount of Subsistence granted to Mr. Sharpe an account of that Gentleman.—

Read the following letter from the Agents for the Pondicherry Prize money.—

J. H. Peile Esqre

Secretary to Government

From the agents for the Pondicherry Prize money — Forwarding Copy of their instructions to their agents respecting the payment of the Pondicherry Prize Money.—

Sir

We have had the honor to receive your letter accompanied with extracts from

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a letter lately received from the Honorable Court
of Directors, together with Copies of the Resolutions
passed by the Governor in Council on the
of the Honorable Court relative to the distribu-
tion of Pondicherry Prize money.-

Being of opinion that we can
best fulfill the orders of the Governor in Council
and the Honorable Court, by communicating
to you the instructions conveyed by us on the 17.th
October 1807 to our agents in London regarding
the payment of all shares due to Europeans and
then unclaimed, we have the honor to send you
herewith a Copy of those instructions.-

By that letter of instructions
you will perceive that we have sent a detailed
Prize List for each European Corps which
served at the Seige, and have noted opposite
to the name of each individual whether or not
he had been paid in India, and those un-
paid were ordered to be paid in London.

Our

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Our partner Mr. Colt has
acknowledged the receipt of the Prize Rolls and
has informed us of his having advertised the pay-
ment, and of his having made considerable pro-
gress therein —

In the distribution at Madras
we have pursued with the approbation of the
Adjutant General a plan well calculated for
expediting and facilitating payment to the
Individual Captors, same are however still em-
-ployed in consequence of the disputed situation
of them and their heirs, but Claims are now
almost daily preferred which we continue to
pay —

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) Colt Hart & Weston
For the late Firm of Colt
Baker Hart &c.
Agents for the Disposm

Madras
17th. July 1809.

Copy

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Copy /

Messrs. Lubbock Bolt & Co.

London

Gentlemen,

In our letter to you under date the 10th February last year we informed you that the payment had just then commenced of the Pondicherry Prize Funds placed in our hands by Government to distribute, and that it was our intention to remit to you after twelve months whatever sum might be then remaining unclaimed and due to European captors.— In pursuance of that intention we should therefore have sent you by the last regular dispatch from the fleet which sailed in February last, whatever might be necessary to enable you to pay those unclaimed shares but as Claims were then duly presented and the period of twelve Months might be deemed too short a notice for persons in England to send out their Claims, we deferred sending you the

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the necessary orders for distribution until this dispatch.—

This Government to which the Pondicherry Prize Property was conveyed in trust by the Crown placed the funds in our hands for distribution without any orders as to the unclaimed shares further than that it was generally intimated to us, that we ought to pursue the same plan as had been directed by Lord Keith and General Stuart — Trustees appointed by the Crown for the Ceylon Prize Funds.—

This we now intend to execute ex=
=cepting in as much as regards the unclaimed shares due to natives which certainly ought to be retained here and paid whenever claimed.—

If we had been governed by the practice of the Seringapatam Prize agents, we should have paid the Captors only in India, and if we had followed the Orders of the agents for the Trustees of the Malacca Prize Funds, we should have remitted to England the Amount due to Europeans as well

as

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as to Natives..

We now transmit you herewith
Copies of the Prize Lists for all the European Corps
which served at the Siege as p Statement annexed,
and these Prize Lists have been Copied from the
original Prize Rolls now in our possession.— The
plan of distribution was made out by the late General
Braithwaite, and was approved by the Honorable
Court of Directors — some alterations have been made
on it under the Sanction of this Government, and —
according to the opinion of the Advocate General, the
Commissary General of Ordnance and the Head Surgeon
having been allowed to share in the 2d Class instead
of the 3d as was arranged by Genl Braithwaites
Plan, Prior to distribution, an advertisement was
published desiring and limiting a period for all
Captors to send in their Claims to us in consequence
of which several Claims differing from General
Braithwaites arrangement were submitted
to the Advocate General, but all were deemed in-
admissible

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admissible excepting the two abovementioned.—

We send you likewise accompany-

-ing this letter, a Copy of General Braithwaite's Plan

of distribution which was then made out for the destri-

-buting of the sum of Star Pagodas 4,99,96. 18. 19. but

this has been increased to Pagodas 11,7,315. 23. 16.

by the Honorable Company having paid the Captors

their own moiety of the Prize Funds and interest &c.—

In the accompanying Prize List

you will find the name of every European who is

entitled to share, and opposite to his name the

Sum he is entitled to receive— The signature of

the Captor or that of his attorney, and the date when

paid is noted opposite to the name of each of the

Captors that has been paid— In like manner

you will take the signature of each Captor whom

you may pay and you will please to take parti-

-cular Care to pay only to the Captor himself—

properly identified, or his attorney legally consti-

-tuted, or to his heirs duly authenticated.—

In

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In the preceding we have mentioned that all the Prize Lists were now forwarded to you, but we beg leave to remit the Prize Lists of the Royal Charlotte, Triton and Warley Indiamen which are entitled to share. These Lists have never been deposited with the agents, you will therefore find in the plan of distribution that in it an estimate has been made of the Officers and Crew entitled to share. We have made advances however to some of the Captors who were in these Ships which will be found in the accompanying account Current and which you will note in the Prize Lists of the Indiamen, when you are furnished with them.

The persons who were the Managing Owners of these Ships have sent out an authority to claim what is due to the Captors that were on board the respective Ships, but we repeat that we can only pay to the Captor himself, or to his Attorney, Heirs &c. &c legally constituted —

We

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We beg reference to our other letters of this date, shewing the provision we have made for payment of what is due to the Captors.—

We are &c. &c.

/Signed/ Colt, Baker, Hart & Co.

/True Copy/

/Signed/ Colt Hart & Weston

Inclosures

A.— Is a Prize List for the Staff of the army which Served at the Capture of Pondicherry in the year 1793, and also Contains the Commissioned Officers of the following Corps.— His Majestys Royal Artillery 19th Dragoons, 36th 52d 71st 72d 73d and 74th Regiments — The Honorable Companys Engineer Corps — 1st 2d and 3d European Regiments and European Pioneers.—

B. Is a list of the 5th and 6th Class or non Commissioned Officers and Privates of

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of Hes Majesty's 19th Regiment Light Dragoons.

C Do: ..... Do: 36th Regiment.

D Do: ..... Do: 52d Regiment

E Do: ..... Do: 71st Regiment

F Do: ..... Do: 72d Regiment

G Do: ..... Do: 73d Regiment

H Do: ..... Do: 74th Regiment

I Do: of the Honorable Company's European Infantry.

K Do: ..... 1st and 2d Battalion artillery

L Do: European Pioneers, Engineers and Ordnance Departments.

M Do: Hes Majesty's Ship Minerva and an account of what has been paid to persons that were on board the 3d Indiaman.

N Plan of Distribution.

N.B. The Prize list for the Royal Artillery was sent by the last October dispatch and the amount paid to the Honorable Company's Ships Triton, Harley and Royal Charlotte is noted at the end of Hes Majesty's Ship Minerva's

Prize

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Prize list.-

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/True Copy/

/signed/ Hs. and Ws.

Order thereon.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be Communicated to the Honorable Court of Directors in the next ensuing dispatch from this Department.-

Read the following letter from the Solicitor to the Honorable Company.-

To the Chief Secretary to the Government

Sir,

From the Solicitor to the Honorable Company - Legal opinion upon the case of Messrs. Harington & Co. receiving money from the Seringapatam Prize Committee on account of Lieutenant Harris.

The letter from Mr. Secretary Peile of the 5th Instant enclosing the Copy of a Letter from Messrs. Harington & Co. relative to a demand made on them by the Seringapatam Prize Committee to refund the Amount of the Prize Money due to the Estate of Lieute. nant Harris and paid to them under a void authority, I have submitted to the advocate

General

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General who is of opinion, that, as Messrs.rs Harington and Co.rs did not produce any assignment of the Prize Money, their receipt of it, under the power of Attorney before void by the death of Lieutenant Harris, must be considered as a receipt to the use of the Honorable Company, whose Officers paid under that void authority, The Advocate General is further of opinion that upon an action at the Suit of the Company Messrs.rs Harrington & Co.rs would be liable to pay back the whole.-

Fort St.n George
11.th July 1809.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) Robt. Orme
Solicitor for the Honorable
Company

Order thereon

Ordered that Messrs.rs Harrington & Company be called upon to refund the amount of the Sum paid to them on account of Lieutenant Harris.-

Read

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Read the following letter from

Messrs. Parry and Pugh

Alexander Falconar Esqre

Chief Secretary to Government

From Messrs. Parry and Pugh — Payment on account of sepoys conveyed from Ceylon to Cannanore.

Sir,

We take the liberty to submit to you the enclosed bill for the Passage of ninety Sepoys from Ceylon to Cannanore, amounting to Star Pagodas 578. for the payment of which we have to beg the favor of you to obtain the sanction of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

We have the honor to be

Sir, Sir,

Madras 20th July 1809.

[Signed] Parry & Pugh

Order thereon

Ordered that the Bills forwarded in the foregoing Letter be returned in consequence of not being supported by the requisite Vouchers.—

Read the following letters from the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry and Captain

5514 Fort St.e George 26.th July 1809.

Captain Menefee

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St.e George

Sir,

From the Officer commanding at Pondicherry - with an Enclosure being a report upon Madame Tardivel's case -

Having made the enquiry you directed Concerning the Circumstances of Madame Tardevil, I have the honor to forward herewith a letter relative to that Subject which I have received from Mons.r De Prat the Gentleman alluded to in mine to the Baron de Pennnarck Maxwell forwarded transmitted, and I shall order no advance of Money to be made to the Lady until I am honored with the further commands of Government.

I am &c.. &c.

[Signed] Wm. Lockhart
L. C. C

Pondicherry
11.th July 1809.

Colonel Lockhart

Pondicherry

Colonel

I hasten to reply to the letter which you did me the honor of Writing to me, and in which you ask me for information in regard to

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the means of Madame Pardevil, Wife of a French Officer at present in Europe-

The truth is that her Husband, obliged to depart in 1804 did not leave to her, then near the period of her Confinement, any sort of pecuniary afsistance-

In her distrefs she addrefsed herself to Colonel Martin, who extended his Benevolence towards her, and afsured her that out of consideration for her Husband, He would allow her, for two years, a Pension of 10 Pagodas per Month. This pension has been continued, but how long may it last Colonel Martin has not explained himself on this head, and unfortunately He is infirm, and of an advanced age.-

The afsistance which Madame Pardevil receives is consequently very precarious and may cease tomorrow-

The husband of this Lady has large expectations in this place by Inheritance, but that Inheritance cannot be turned into

Money

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Money until after the Peace, because those who are indebted to it have decrees which autho-rize them not to pay their debts until a Peace shall have been concluded.-

Such, Sir, are all the accounts which I can give you on this Subject, I hope that you will be pleased to take them into consideration, and that you will deign to support with your interest the request which Madame Pardevil has taken the liberty to submit to your Government, as well for herself as for her Children, who are at that age when their Educations ought to be Commenced upon, but which for want of means it is not in her power to do-

Pondicherry
8.th July 1809.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ Dupuy
A True Translator.
/Signed/ G. G. Hubbe
French Translator
to Government.

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To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

From D.: Gl.: application of Mr. Thevenin to return to the Isle of France—

I have the honor herewith to transmit for the Consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council, an application from Captain Thevenin a French Prisoner of War, under the Capitulation of 1793 for leave to proceed to the Isle of France with his Wife on the Cartel Ship expected to sail from this Coast for that Island—

I am &c. &c.

Pondichery
19th July 1809.

[Signed] Wm. Lockhart
L. G. G.

To Colonel Lockhart
Commanding Pondicherry

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

Having been informed that a Cartel Ship is about to be sent to the Isle of France, and that the Ship is to touch on the Coast, I beg you will have the Goodness to solicit from

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From the Honorable the Governor in Council his permission for me and Mr. Thevenior to proceed to the Island of France by the opportunity as our presence is absolutely necessary for the Settlement of our private Concerns, in making the application for us we shall be under the greatest obligation to you.

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

Pondicherry
14th July 1809.

(Signed) Thevenin

To J. W. Reile Esqr.
Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

From Captain Thevenin
Requesting to be
informed of the
amount allowed
to a Captain of Infantry
Prisoner of War.

Sir,

The Honorable the Governor in Council having had the generosity to grant me an allowance equal to that of a Captain in the French service, being a Prisoner of War, by an order bearing date the 26th May, transmitted to Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart, and which this Officer did me the favor to communicate to me, I have the honor to request that you will be obliging as to inform me of the amount which it hath pleased the Honorable Company to fix for the Captains in the French service who may be Prisoners of War.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Pondicherry
16th July 1809.

(A true Translation) &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Fred. Gahagan

(Signed) Mepeste

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Fort St. George 26th Sept 1809

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Minutes thereon.

In consideration of the indigence and precarious nature of Madame Pardieu's means of support, the Board resolve to grant that Lady an allowance of 10 Star Pagodas monthly.—

The application of Captain Le Preveren being magnified by the recommendation of the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry, not accompanied by any explanation respecting the character or circumstances of that Officer, the Board direct that the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry be required to furnish the information required previous to the application of Captain Preveren being taken into consideration.—

Ordered also that the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry be directed to inform Captain Menefee of the Amount of the subsistence allowed him by Government.—

Read the following Letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army.—

To

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Fort St. George 26th July 1809.

To the Chief Secretary

to Government

Sir

I have the honor of enclosing to

From the Quarter Master General's Office. Bills of the Instructor to the Military Institution for Payment.

your address a letter from the Instructor of the Military Institution with its enclosures, and as they are Bills, the amounts of which have been disbursed on the public account, it is requested that they may be passed for Payment. Enclosure No. 2 is a Bill for 2 Engraving Instruments which have been procured on account of the advantage they include in preserving the Originals from the [illegible] which occur in the Common method, and I therefore beg leave to request that authority may be obtained for the payment of the amount as they have been made up on reasonable terms.

Quarter Master Generals Office. I have the honor to be

Fort St. George. &c. &c.

19th July 1809. Signed J. Munro

Quarter Master General

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To the Quarter Master General

of the Army

Sir

I have the honor of enclosing a Bill detailing the expences incurred by the Military Institution, and have the honor to request you will furnish authority for the payment of it.-

Yours &c. &c.

/Signed/ A. Troyer

Instructor to the

Military Institution.

Madras

12.th July 1809.

Order thereon.-

Ordered that the Bill so forwarded in the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to order payment of the same.-

Read the following letters from the Military Paymaster General.-

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St.e George

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit transcript

From the Military Paymaster General- application from Mr.

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Fort St. George 26th July 1809.

Mr. Paymaster Douglas to draw the allowances of Commissary of Grain and Provisions while employed on the Field Service

Transcript of a letter from Mr. Paymaster Douglas with its enclosure, and request it may be laide before the Honorable the Governor in Council.

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I beg leave to recommend the request of Mr. Paymaster Douglas to be permitted to draw the usual allowances attached to Commissary of Grain on Field Service.

I hope you will excuse my calling to your recollection a Letter from this Office of the 12th ultimo, relative to allowances to be granted to Captain Blaykham for Servants whilst Paymaster in Travancore, it is requisite that this charge should appear on his Disbursements prior to the Closing of his accounts on the Office.-

Military Paymaster Generals Office
Fort St. George 16th July 1809

I have the honor to be &c &c
/Signed/ L. G. K. Murray
Milp. Pay. Gen.

To the Military Paymaster
on Malabar and Canara

Sir,

Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage

5323 Fort St. George 26th July 1809.

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requests you will be prepared to accompany the
Troops now proceeding on Field Service.-

Head Quarters /Signed/ E. W. Snow
Camp at Cannanore Major of Brigade
27th January 1809. A true Copy

/Signed/ A. Douglas
A. P.

To the Military Paymaster General
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit
Copy of a letter from the Brigade Major to Lieute.
-nant Colonel Cuppage the Officer Commanding
the Provinces and a Division of the Troops lately
employed in Travancore.-

Having taken the field with the
Detachment in the very responsible situations of
Commissary of Grain and Provisions, as well as
Paymaster, I trust Government will sanction my
drawing the allowances usually attached to persons
so situated.-

5525/4 Fort St. George 26th July 1809.

Military Pay-Office
Tellicherry
28th June 1809

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) A. Douglas
Military Paymaster

(True Copy)
(Signed) Lt. G. H. Murray
Military Paymaster Genl

Order thereon.

Ordered that the application of Mr. Paymaster Douglas be referred for the consideration and report of the Military Auditor General.

To the Chief Secretary of Government
Fort St. George.
&c.

I have the honor to transmit you a transcript of a letter from Captain Robertson late Commissary of Provisions in Travancore of the 3d Instant, which I request may be laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council, in order that permission may be obtained for Captain Robertson's entertaining the Servants mentioned by him until he has completed the delivery of the Grain to Mr Paymaster

From the Military Paymaster General. With an Enclosure from the late Commissary of Provisions in Travancore requesting permission to retain certain Servants employed the Grain be finally delivered to the Paymaster.

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Paymaster Mainwaring —

Military Paymaster
General's Office —
Fort St. George
12th July 1809.

I am &c &c
(Signed) L. G. H. Murray
Military Paymaster
General.

To the Military Paymaster General &c
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have had the honor to receive your letter under date 26th June covering an Extract of a letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department intimating that Government had sanctioned my continuing to victual His Majesty's 12th Regiment until its arrival at Seringapatam — and supplying meat to the European Troops at Dindigul until such time as arrangements could be made in the Bazars to enable them to supply themselves.

I beg leave now to acquaint you that Mr Paymaster Mainwaring assumed charge

552.

Fort St. George 26th July 1809

Charge of the Victualling Department with His Majesty's 12th Regiment of Foot on the 7th ultimo without having had any previous Communication with me on that subject, and that Regiment being now too far advanced towards the place of its destination for me to resume Charge, I have to beg that Mr. Mainwaring may be permitted to continue in Charge for the remainder of the march.

The issue of meat to the European Troops from the Public Stores at Dundee after the Termination of full Batta was found to be regulated only for four days as the Commanding Officer (Lieutenant Colonel The Honorable P. Stuart) directed me in public Orders to officiate as Superintendant of Bazars until the pleasure of Government should be known on that Capacity & Effected such arrangements as precluded the necessity of making any further issues by which a very Considerable Sum has been saved to the public.

From the tenor of the latter part of the Secretary's Letter to you I deem it

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Fort St. George 21st. July 1809

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Incumbent on me to state that from the manner which
Mr. Sharrocks has conducted his agency here to
assume charge of the Grain and Provisions I do not consider
from me it will be wholly unprofitable that any part
of it can be delivered over on less than two months notice
from this date, and on all probability it would take
even a greater period to accomplish it from the extensive
scale to his agency you apply to a reference made by
my desire, stating the extensive range of Stores and
consignment expence that would be requisite to me
deliver over my Department
the forfeiture and destroying the perishable of the re-
maining such Grain as might be on Charge of the
on average as is customary on those Cases of the expence
The quantity must small can be ascertained by
actual measurement at the warehouse
hereafter entirely with with view of obtained dispensa-
with this mode of proceeding however much delay
it may occasion

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Fort St. George 26th July 1809

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precluded the necessity of making any further issues,
by which a very Considerable Sum has been saved
to the public.

From the tenor of the latter
part of the Secretary's letter to you I deem it
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Fort St. George 2d. July 1809.

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circumbent on me to state that from the manner which Mr. Mainwaring has instructed his agent here to receive charge of the Grain and Provision Department from me it will be utterly impossible that every part of it can be delivered over in less than from this date, and in all probability it would take even a greater period to accomplish it, from his instruction to his agent, in reply to a reference made by my desire, stating the extreme length of time and consequent expence that would be requisite to deliver over my Department in the manner which he proposed, and determining the propriety of his receiving such Grains as might be in Bags by an average as is Customary in those Cases, he says "The quantity must in all cases be ascertained by "actual measurement, as the responsibility will "hereafter entirely rest with me. I cannot dispense "with this mode of proceeding however much delay "it may occasion".

My Establishment of Public Servants has been reduced as much as circumstances

5578 Fort St. George 26th July 1809.

Stances will admit, particularly the Provision Depart-
ment, in which there are only now one Writer and two
Lascars employed.

Duelon

Sam H. H.

3d July 1809.

/Signed/ H. Robertson

Late Commissary

/True Copy/

/Signed/ D. G. H. Murray

Military Paymaster General

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that Captain Robertson late Commissary in Travancore be authorized to retain in his Service the Writer and Lascar applied for in his letter under the delivery of the Grain to Mr. Paymaster Macnwarey shall be completed; ordered also that information of this resolution be communicated to the Military Auditor General for his information and guidance

Read the following letters from the Chief Engineer and Military Paymaster General.

To

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To J. H. Peile Esqre

Military Secretary to Government

From the Chief Engineer requesting orders may be issued for paying him the equivalent for the balance due to him on account of his share of the Effecting Fund for the years 1803 and 1804.

Sir,

The General orders for issuing the distribution of Effrechonings for the years 1803 and 1804 having been published - I request the favor to that the necessary orders may be issued for the balance of my equivalent for those two years -

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

Engineers Office
Fort St. George
11th July 1809.

/ Signed / C. Trapaud

Colo. & Chief Engineer

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

From the Military Paymaster General. Forwarding a list of sums due to Lieutenant Colonel Innes late Paymaster at Bangalore -

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th Instant, and herewith enclose for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council a List of the sums carried to the Credit of Lieutenant Colonel A.

Jas

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Fort St. George 26th July 1809.

James Innes late Paymaster at Bangalore since his return to India Pagodas 3866. 7. 50.

Military Paymaster Genl. Office Sworn 8th 1809

Fort St. George
11th July 1809

/Signd/ L. G. H. Murray
Military Paymaster General

X List of Sums to be credited to the Credit of Colonel Innes formerly Paymaster at Bangalore since his return to India.

	R.	F.	P.
Amount credited him by the Military Paymaster General as per List of 2d Retrenchments against Captain Montgomery dated 6th March 1809	62.	32.	50
Amount admitted by the Military Auditor General for Retrenchments made from his Disbursements in September 1799 as per Letter of recandist dated 9th March 1809	200.	23.	75
Carried Over	262.	62.	30

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Brought Over Pagoda	262.	62.	30
Amount credited him for Cash deposited on account with Mr. W. H. Gordon late Paymaster at Seringapatam on account of the Grain agency of the 3d Regiment and paid into the General Treasury on the 18th March 1809.	266.	25.	40
Amount admitted by the Military Auditor General as per letter of Reconcile dated 8th April 1809	29.	2.	50
Amount D. S. for April, May, and June 1799 as per Letter of Reconcile dated 17th April 1809	511.	11.	66.
Amount credited him by the Military Paymaster General on account of a Bill for Stationary	82.	27.	40
Amount admitted by the Military Paymaster General at Bengal to the Credit of this Presidency on account of Colonel Innes, as per Letter dated Calcutta 20th May 1809.	314	12.	64
Pagodas	3866.	7.	30.

Military Paymaster Gen.l Office E. E. F.
Fort St. George 11th July 1809.

Signed / L. G. L. Murray
M. P. G.

Ordered

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Fort St. George 26th July 1809.

Order thereon.

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing letters be forwarded to the Military Auditor General for his investigation and report.

Read the following letter from the

Town Major of Fort St. George

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir

From the Town Major of Fort St. George. Condafah sent to the Lunatic Hospital. Certificate of insanity forwarded.

I have the honor to forward for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council a Certificate from the Medical Board of the Insanity of Condafah a Malabar man, in consequence of which, I have sent him to the Hospital for Lunatics.

Town Mayor's Office
Fort St. George
20th July 1809

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

I do hereby Certify that I have examined Condafah a Malabar man sent for examination as a Lunatic and have found him deranged and

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and dangerous. he has been it seems condemned to work on the Roads for some Months, and has been lately for a short time in the Moneygar Choultry as a Vagrant where he was so troublesome as not there capable of being easily restrained, I am therefore of opinion that he is a fit object for the Lunatic Asylum.

/Signd/ And.w Berry
3.d Member Medical Board

/Signd/ James Anderson
Physician General.

" Terence Gahagan M.D.
and 2.d Member Medical Board

Order thereon. Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent for the information of the Military Auditor General.

Read the following letter from

Ramasawmy Brahmin.

Alexander Falconar Esq.re

Sir,

From Ramasawmy Brahmin - Respecting the recovery of a certain Plot of ground.

Having laid before Government

5534 Fort St.t George 26.th July 1809.

on the 10.th June last the enclosed Papers of which are true Copies, I am under a hope my name will be needed too.

Fort St.t George
17.th July 1809.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c.
(Signed) A. Ramasawmy
Agent Brawery

To Captain Wm. Morrison
Secretary to the Military Board

Sir

Enclosed I forward a Petition addressed to the Governor of Fort Saint George, which I trust, you will lay before the Board, whom I consider to be the proper Authority to address Encouragement of the Answers from the Military Secretary to grant ment as on the back &c.

I have the honor to be
10.th June 1809 Sir &c. &c.
(Signature)

To

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To the Honorable

Sir George Barlow Bart & K.B.

Governor

Fort Saint George

The Petition of Avadanum

Ramasawmy Ayah Brammy

Humble Sheweth,

That your Petitioner, beg-
leave to lay before your Excellency, the following State-
ment and for its support, as the Judgement of your
Excellency may deem meet, as it requires A Piece of
Ground bought of Avadanum Ramasawmy Ayah Lo
Brammy situated at Peddah Naicko Pettah in Lo
Chervaikarrah Pillear Pagoda Street between the
ground of Sana Venkatakistnamah and Mooniacorah
Armogan Pillahs Garden containing in Length
100 feet and in breadth 80 feet, the whole Square
feet 8000 This Ground was sold by the owner
Collevarah Mastalloo Sanjavarah Perryah, and
Avoor Iyanah - The original Cajan Bill of sale

has

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Has been taken by Mr. Maxwell, A member of the Committee of Works.

An application was made to John Balfour Esq. Block to the Committee of Works by Lieut. Mall Arabanian Pamphish Brahmin and James to Mr. Cockburn by Mr. Parry and also your Petitioner made a personal application to Mr. Cochrane when Military Secretary to Government who desired your Petitioner to wait until any thing should be made on the measure to be your Petitioner having a Call up the Country of Mote detained Your Petitioners along time whose absence has delayed this business to Company to enquire

Under these several and family details circumstances your Petitioner humbly hopes and trusts in your accustomed clemency justice and your Excellency will be pleased to give such support as the case requires and that your Petitioners Piece of Ground may be compensated for, Lastly was an real perfection of the said ground and the

Committee

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Committee of Works fabricated the Claim in the name of Custoony that it was just and it will appear by the Committee of Works in the year 1782 in the time of John Balfour Esqre

An your Petitioner as in duty bound

Shall Ever Pray

A true Copy

Bound under date 3d May 1809.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Order thereon.

ing letter be referred to the Board of Revenue for their investigation and report.-

Ordered that the following letters be dispatched.-

To W. R. Prme

To the Solicitor for the Honorable Company forwarding Copy of a Petition from Mary Stuart, and desiring him to state the best mode of effecting its object.-

Sir

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to forward for your Consideration the accompanying Copy of a Petition from a person named Mary Stewart respecting the recovery of her late husbands property.-

The

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Fort St. George 26th July 1809

The Governor in Council is disposed to extend to every practicable degree of respect to the wish as you have expressed therein you will state your opinion as to the most eligible mode of effecting the object of the Petitioner

Fort St. George
26th July 1809

Sam. H. Ste.

To the President and Members of the Board of Trade

Gentlemen

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to desire that orders may be issued to the Company to make use of [illegible] for the use of the Temple Station at Trivanderam

Fort St. George
26th July 1809

I have the honor to be &c &c
Signed J. Ste. Pole
Secy to Government

Office Board of Trade 27th July 1809
Respectfully submitted to the Honble the President & Council
[illegible]
[illegible]