

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.
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authenticated Copies of such as were not received here in the original form —

I am directed to request that these documents when no longer required may be returned to the Chief Secretary's Office —

Fort St. George
11th November 1809

I am &c. &c.
Signed / A. Falconar
Chief Secy to Govt.

List of the Packet —

| No | | |
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| 1 | Original Letter from Lieutenant Colonels Bell Munro and Major Kenney to — Lieutenant Colonel Davis — — — | No Date |
| 2 | Original Memorandum accompanied the foregoing address — — — — | |
| 3 | Original Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Bell to Colonel Davis — — — | d |
| 4 | Card from Company's Officers at Seringa-patam to Colonel Davis — — — | |
| 5 | Original Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Bell to Colonel Davis — — — | 31st July |

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| 6 | Attested Copy of a letter from Lieutenant Colonel Bell to the Assistant Adjutant General in Mysoor | | 23. July 1809 |
| 7 | Ditto | Ditto | 24th Do. Do. |
| 8 | Original Declaration of Lieutenant Colonel Bell | | No Date. |
| 9 | Original Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Bell to Lieutenant Colonel Davis | | 3. August 1809 |
| 10 | Attested Copy of the letter from Lieut.t Colonel Bell to Lieutenant Colonel Davis | | 6th Aug.t 1809 |
| 11 | Original Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Bell to Lieutenant Colonel Davis | | 8th Do. Do. |
| 12 | Attested Copy of the Declaration from the Officers of Seringapatam. | | No Date |
| 13 | Attested Copy of a letter from Lieut.t Colonel Bell Major Kenney & Captains Aiskill and Edwards | | 22. Aug.t 1809 |

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Sent

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Sent the following Letters entered in M. B. Nos. 54-55-56-57-

To the Medical Board - Informing them that Mr. Jameson is permitted to visit the Presidency for the period he solicited.

To the Medical Board

To the Military Auditor General - For-warding Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry, and informing him that His Lordship has been pleased to continue to the Orphan Jean Baptiste Pertre the pension of 8 Rupees heretofore granted to his mother. payment to commence from the date of her death and referring for his consideration Copy of a letter from Mr. Tallis and directing that the amount of the bill enclosed may be paid if conformable to the rules of the service.

To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Paymaster General.

To the Military Paymaster General - Stating that His Lordship in Council is not aware of any objection to the personal and collateral Security bonds entered into by Captain Morrison and his Sureties being returned and directs them

to

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to be delivered up to that Officer.

To the President and Members of the

To the President and Members of the Seringapatam Prize Committee.

Seringapatam Prize Committee - In reply to their letter of the 7th Instant stating that orders have been given for the Articles therein required to be supplied and the indents are accordingly returned -

Countersigned for that purpose -

16th Received and Sent the following

Letters entered in M. B. N.. 58-59 -

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce.

To the Military Auditor General.

admitting an additional Estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster in Mysore.

16th To Major General Gowdie - With

To the Officer Commanding the Armyin Chief.

extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 14th Instant. -

At

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At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable Lord Minto Governor General.
The Honble Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bt. & K. B.
William Petrie
Thomas Oakes } Esqrs.
and
J. H. Casamaijor

Friday the 17th November 1809.

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved.

Read the following letters from the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief.

J. H. Peile Esqr
Secretary to Government &ca &ca &ca

Fort St. George

Sir

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. Enclosing a letter from Colonel Taylor claiming back Tank and Allowances since the dismissal of Colonel Oliver.

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief requests that the accompanying address from Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Aldwell Taylor may be submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor General

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General in Council. -

Commander in Chiefs Office
November 10th. 1809. -

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

(Signed) John R. Vernon
Mily Secy to the Comr. in Chief

To the Right Honorable Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General &c. &c. &c.
Fort St. George.

My Lord

On the 1st. of July 1807 I was promoted in General Orders to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel Commandant from the 21st day of the preceding month in the room of Colonel James Oliver who was dismissed the Service at the India House in November 1806.

The Orders and Regulations of our Service direct that whenever a vacancy occurs in England or elsewhere whether by decease or otherwise the succession to fill such vacancy shall obtain rank and draw Pay in arrears from the date of such casualty having actually occurred, and not from the date of its

receipt

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receipts or publication in India. -

By the operation of those Regulations I conceive myself entitled to back Rank and - consequently Pay and Off. reckonings of a Colonel from the day on which Colonel Oliver was dismissed the Service at the India House and I accordingly addressed a memorial to the Honorable the Governor in Council under date the 24th. September 1807 to obtain such Rank, Pay &c. -

The Honorable the Governor in Council was pleased to refer the case for the deter. - mination of the Honorable the Court of Directors and my memorial was transmitted to the India House by the Fleet which Sailed from Madras in October 1807. -

As sufficient time has now elapsed to expect a decision on my Claim, and as the last dispatches from Europe do not I believe convey any determination of the Honorable the Court of Directors on my case I humbly beg

leave

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leave to lay before your Lordship a Copy of my memorial to the Honorable the Governor in Council also Copies of the severab papers of Correspondence connected therewith Praying that your Lordship will be pleased seriously to consider my Claims to back Rank and in the event of your Lordship deeming it impracticable to comply with my request I humbly beg that those Papers may be transmitted to England for the determination of the Honorable the Court of Directors —

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

Chicacole
27th September 1809.

/Signed/ Ald: Taylor
Lieut. Col. Comt.
15th Regt N. I

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

Honble Sir

Painful as the task is to my feel-ings yet I conceive myself obliged both with regard to personal Interest and the good of the Service to which I have the honor to belong to memorial-ize you

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you Honorable Sir in Council on the subject of the date of Rank allotted me on my late Promo-tion to Lieutenant Colonel Commandant to fill up the vacancy occasioned by the dismis-sal of Colonel Oliver of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry.

You Sir will be well aware of the Orders of our Service which direct that whenever a vacancy occurs by the Decease or otherwise of an Officer in Europe or elsewhere the succession to fill up such shall obtain Rank and draw pay in arrears from the date of such Casualty having actually occurred and not from the date of its receipt or publication in India as in the case of Major Richard Purves of the 12th Regiment Native Infantry published in the orders of Government under date the 31st of July 1804 and in many other instances of a similar nature but which it will be perfectly unnecessary to detail.

By

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By the operation of this principle I conceive myself fully entitled to back Tank and consequently Pay and Off reckonings of a Colonel from the day on which Colonel James Oliver was dismissed the Service at the India House and not from the date of the receipt of that Resolution by Government published in General Orders to have been on the 20th day of last June. . .

By a reference to the Army list Published at the India House and corrected up to the 15th day of last December you will perceive that Colonel James Oliver does not appear on it, and that I then stand as the Junior Lieutenant Colonel Commandant; moreover in the list of alterations and corrections attached Colonel James Oliver is stated to have been dismissed the Service of the Honorable Company in the month of November preceding, I presume no doubt as to the authenticity of the document I have mentioned exists, and feel conscious of the justice of my Claim to Tank

from

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from the actual date of Colonel Oliver's Dismissal.

I rest assured this subject will engage your serious consideration the difference in date of Rank which to a military man is of the greatest consequence will be considerable, added to which I suffer a very great pecuniary loss which to a man with a numerous family to provide for must ever be an object of the utmost importance.

Resting my Claim on the just and equitable decision of you Honorable Sir in Council and with full confidence of its success.

I have the honor to remain

&c &c

Masulipatam }
24th September 1807 }

(Signed) Ald. Taylor
Lt Col. Comt
M. E. Regt

A true Copy

(Signed) Ald. Taylor
Lieut. Col. Commg
15th Regt. N. I.

To

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To His Excellency the

Commander in Chief

Sir

As I conceive myself to labour under a very considerable hardship by the Orders of Government under date 1st of July 1807, I deem it necessary however disagreeable to submit through your Excellency the enclosed memorial to the Honble the Governor in Council and hope that should your Excellency deem my Claim founded on justice and the orders of our Service you will afford it every aid and support in your power.-

Signed/ Ald. Taylor

Lieut. Col. Comt. M. E. Regt

Masulipatam

2d. September 1807

A true Copy

Signed/ Ald. Taylor

Lt. Col. Comt.

15th. Regt N. I

To the Secretary to His Excellency

the Commander in Chief

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a Memorial

to

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To the Honorable the Governor in Council together with a letter addressed to His Excellency the Commander in Chief which papers I have to request may be laid before him. -

Masulipatam
24th. September 1809.

(Signed) Ald. Taylor
Lt. Colo. Comg.
M. E. Regt.

A true Copy

(Signed) Ald. Taylor
Lt. Colo. Comg.
15th. Regt. N.I.

To Lieutenant Colonel Taylor

Commanding Madras European Regiment

&c. &c. &c.

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 24th. Ultimo, I am directed by the Officer Commanding the Army to send you the accompanying Extract of a General Letter from England under date the 10th. February 1807 on the subject of the date of the dismissal of Colonel Oliver from the Honorable Company's Service -

Lieutenant

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Lieutenant General Macdowall is of opinion that this Government could not from the Court's Orders have assigned to you a date of Commission different from that already fixed, and he therefore supposes you may prefer addressing the Court of Directors who alone can give you the Rank you claim. -

Should you however still desire your letter to be forwarded to the Honorable the Governor, I am authorized to say it shall instantly be done upon your expressing a wish to that effect. -

I have the honor to be

Fort St. George
5th. October 1807

&c. &c.

(Signed) Wm. Macpherson
Mily Secy

A true Copy

(Signed) Hd. Taylor
Lieut. Colonel Commandg
15th. Regt. N.I.

Extract

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Extract of a General Letter from England in the Public Department dated 10th February 1809

14th. "After a minute investigation — however of all the documents referred to on this Complicated affair we cannot but consider the Conduct of Colonel Oliver as a gross violation of the trust reposed in him, and have therefore Resolved that he be dismissed from the Com- -pany's Service and he is accordingly hereby dismissed - you will therefore on the receipt of this Dispatch strike his name from the list of our Army on your establishment. -

A true Extract

(Signed) G. G. Keble
Actg Chief Secy to Govt

A true Extract from an Extract

(Signed) Wm Macpherson
Mily Secy

A true Copy

(Signed) Ald. Taylor
Lieut Col. Comt. 15th Regt N.I.

To

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To His Excellency

Lieutenant General H. Macdowall

Commander in Chief &c.

Fort St. George

Sir

I have had the honor to receive your Secretary's letter under date 5th October in reply to one I did myself the honor to forward to your Excellency on the subject of my date of Rank - allow me to - request that that letter and its enclosures may be submitted to the Honorable the Governor in Coun - cil as soon as possible, and in the event of his deem - ing it impracticable to comply with my wishes that it may form a part of the first dispatch for Europe as I feel confident that on representation, my Claim will appear just and well founded to the Honorable the Court of Directors. -

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

(Signed) Ald. Taylor

Lt. Col. Com.

M. P. Regt.

Masulipatam

12th October 1809

A true Copy

(Signed) Ald. Taylor

Lt. Col. Com. 15th Regt. N.I.

Lieutenant

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Lieutenant Colonel A. Taylor

&c. &c. &c.

Sir

I have received the Officer Command-
-ing the Army in Chief's Commands to send you the
accompanying Extract of a letter which he has
received from the Secretary to Government under date
the 20th Instant.

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

Signed Wm. Macpherson
Mily Secy

Madras
21st October 1807

A true Copy

Signed Ald Taylor
Lt Colt Commandg
15th Regt N. I.

Extract of a letter from G. Strachey Esqr Secretary
to Government in the Military Department to the
Officer Commanding the Army in Chief under date
the 20th October 1807.

"With respect to the memorials of Lieute-
-nant Colonel Taylor on the subject of his rank
as affected by the Dismission of Colonel Oliver
from

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advance on receipt of Sums equal to two months Pay
and allowances to each to enable them to equip
themselves for the march. The last pay these Officers
received was by order of Lieutenant Colonel Davis
at Seringapatam on the 25th. of August last. they
were not however then furnished with any Certifi-
=cate from the Pay Office, nor have they since
succeeded in obtaining one altho' an application for
that purpose was made by them. the Officer Com-
=manding in Chief therefore begs leave to recommend
that authority be granted for an advance equal to
two months Pay and allowances each to Ensigns
Snell and Hibgame to assist them in preparing for
their march to Masulipatam.

I have the honor to enclose an applic-
=cation from Mr. Cadet Sam.l O. Smith for an
equivalent in lieu of house, he not being authorized
to draw Tent allowance which Major General Gowd
requests may be submitted to the decision of
the Right Honorable the Governor General in
Council.

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before us a detailed account of what passed between Doctor Berry and him after the Board broke up on monday last. Copy of which we have herewith the honor to enclose.

2 From every Circumstance consider-ed we are led to believe this to be a candid and dispassionate Statement of the difference that took place between Doctor Berry and Mr. Horsman on the occasion alluded to.

3 after a personal and an intimate acquaintance of nearly thirty years with Mr. Horsman we never knew or heard of his making use of gross or insulting language in any instance or of his conducting himself otherwise than with harmony and decorum towards all with whom he associated.

4 In the delicate situation in which we now stand we cannot help stating that the 3d. Member did seem considerably agitated previously to our quitting the Board

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on monday last; it may therefore be reasonably
-red as Mr. Horsman suggests that in such a
perturbed state of mind Doctor Berry might
have been led to misconceive the Offensive ex
-ons which he accuses Mr. Horsman of ha
addressed to him on that occasion.

5 We cannot concur with Doctor
Berry in his stating that his merely call
"Stevens the Writer to hear Mr. Horsman r
"what he had said is a satisfactory proof
improper Conduct on the part of Mr. Horsm
If such should be considered proof satis
it is obvious that the most innocent wo
frequently be exposed to the designs of
who wished to gratify feelings of resentm

6 It is pertinent to the su
same time to call into notice the adve
spirit so early displayed by the J. Mem
Mr. Horsman after taking his seat at the
and that has on various occasions discovered

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towards that Gentleman.

7 As far as we have been able to observe, the Secretary to the Board has ever deported himself with due respect and propriety to Doctor Berry, as well as in an attentive and faithful discharge of his Public duties - and we the more deeply lament the trouble of the present reference to Government as the cause of the difference stated might in our opinion have been altogether obviated simply by Doctor Berry's having Signed the Fourth Proceedings of the Board - which he had an opportunity of doing with the same facility he put his Signature to the three preceeding ones - and to which there does not appear to have been any reasonable objection after a fair Copy had been tendered to him when his own Para. of Dissent had been previously inserted - and when these Proceedings were also Signed by the President.

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

Signed / Terence Gahagan Physician Genl & President medical Board

Alex. Walker M.D. 2. Member medl. Board

To

Fort St. George
Med. Bd. Office
11.th November 1809.

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To the President and Members of the
Medical Board

Gentlemen,

Keeping constantly in view
duty of Respect and obedience which as Secr
I owed to the several Members of the Medic
and having on all occasions experienced fr
Doctor Berry the most unfavorable dis
I have been sedulous to avoid the possi
of Complaint against me, in proportion
had reason to believe that the slightest
would be eagerly seized - In proof that th
been my line of Conduct in the discharge
Official duties I beg leave to quote the fo
part of Doctor Gahagan's Minute of the
August 1808.

"To the best of the 2d Mem
recollection the Junior Member immed
taking his Seat at the Medical Board in
1807, manifested a great readiness to tak

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"himself that duty which had for many years
"been previously performed by their public —
"Secretary very much to the satisfaction of the
"Members and of the Physician General in partic-
"cular - but it has not been observed by Doctor
"Gahagan at any of their meetings on the public
"Service that the Secretary ever evinced any want
"of good will to Doctor Berry or that he did not
"in every instance pay due respect to him as a
"Member of the Board to which they respectively
"belong" -

5 The Junior Member in Para 3d.
of his present Minute states that "any Member
"the President chuses may act as Secretary in
drawing out Proceedings" in this the Second Member
is sorry that he cannot altogether agree with him -
neither can he suppose that Dr. Anderson even
although he implicitly and avowedly enters
into and at all times subscribes to the opinions and
measures of Doctor Berry would on full —

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consideration

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"consideration take upon himself to set a su[pe]
"in any way render negatory without a suff[t]
"reason duly assigned an appointment wh[ich]
"like his own is constituted by the authori[ties]
"Government."

Mr. Horsman has never [de]
"ed, naturally surprized however and [pr]
"much hurt on finding himself so une[qui]
"by and unnecessarily brought forward [in]
"Berry in his minute of yesterday's date, [in]
"ately and respectfully threw himself on [the]
"Board to know when, and how he had un[in]
"tionally laid himself open to the allega[tion]
"contained in that Minute. but as the o[pi]
"which he received from the Physician G[en]
"was such as to lead him to believe that [his]
"Official Conduct had met his approb[a]
"and as Doctor Berry did not specify [one]
"one instance in which the Secretary ho[ld]
"deficient in his public duty. - it may [be]
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"fairly presumed that the Junior Member has "permitted the warmth of his imagination and "feelings to carry him somewhat too far".-

In the spirit of forbearance and silent suffering, I have drudged through the - duties of my station under discouragements inseperable from daily indications by Doctor Berry of adverse Feelings - and I had hoped that a watchful Guard upon myself not to offend if it could not disarm his anger, might at least elude any ground of Complaint. -

Strictly guided by these Precautions I am unable adequately to express my surprize at the letter of accusation addressed by Doctor Berry to the Honorable the Governor - Copy of which has been laid before me for explanation.

The circumstances then which took place were simply as I shall now relate.

On monday last when the Board broke up the four Proceedings of that day were

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left on the Table Signed by the President - of them by the 3d. Member - and the whole t sent out to the Gardens for the Signature the 2d. Member who had previously left

After the departure of Docr. Gahagan from the Board Doctor Berry re -ed alone - when agreeably to the orders -al from the Board and from the Presidency particular that day I considered it my duty t the 3d. Member to sign the fourth Proceede which I did not previously know that he any objection. he however said in a tone impatiance and displeasure that he would them when it came to his turn -

Still I ventured to mention as he had Signed three of the Proceedings day and others on former occasions before Watson that I hoped he would also Signd to prevent the delay that must otherwise place - stating to him at the same time

* The Proceedings of the 6th. instant in answer to the Minute of the 3d. Member on the subject of the Complaints preferred against the Physician General by the Superintending Surgeon of the Centre Division

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I would if he wished it immediately furnish him with a fair Copy to aid him in making any reply to them which he might deem necessary for his own satisfaction. -

To this he answered in a very in- -temperate manner that I had no buisneſs to speak or to interfere - and that he would sign them when he pleased or words to that effect. -

Such a return for what I considered the greatest Civility I could offer and for which I could have no possible motive but that of - furthering my duty and sparing the only effec- -tive Peon in the Office the trouble of going to the distance of his Garden certainly led me to remark that I did not think myself liable to receive such harsh answers to any questions I might propose when the Board was not sitting - and that I could not but regret its not being the first time I had reason to be hurt at his hostile treatment and injustice. -

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I cannot imagine however why the 3d. Member should then have called in the Town Mr. Stephen the Head Writer, before whom I could only repeat my request that he would put his Signature to the four th Proceedings which he still declined. -

I had in consequence only to that he would let me have one of the Sets of these Proceedings which happened at that time to be laying under his arm on the Table this he acquiesced. and I without saying more dispatched them to Dr. Watson, who Signed & immediately forwarded them to the 3d. Member in the Garden where they remained until the following morning. -

These to the best of my recollection are the facts and the facts only which occurred between the 3d. member and myself after the breaking up of your Board on the 6th instant. and to which I am ready to answer

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Answer by the most solemn asseveration. -

With regard to my saying I would tell him his conduct was infamous I aver that no such expression fell from me - and as to — gross language that is what I have never been known to be in the habit of using - it has always been offensive to me whenever I have happened to hear it - and Doctor Berry might have been well assured on whatever subject I might have occasion to address him that my language could never be at all disrespectful to him as a Mem- -ber of the public Board to which we in our different situations belong - neither could it ever have been in any language that is not — quite suitable for every Gentlemen to hear and to make use of. —

It is to the great agitation then which D. Member obviously laboured under before your seperation - and to its getting to that — height which led him first to decline Signing

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the fourth Proceedings and afterwards to express himself in such intemperate terms to my inferior that I must ascribe his misconception of the import of my words - as well as the extraordinary heat of Complaint subsequently adopted by Dr. Berry and in concluding this Vindication of my conduct I cannot help stating that I consider to be one of the melancholy instances in which it is to be deplored that reason should sometimes be under the dominion of passion -

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) Wm. Horsman
Secy Medl Board

Fort St. George
Medl Board Office
10th November 1809

True Copy
(Signed) Terence Gahagan
Physician General &
President medical &c.
" Alexr Watson
2d. Member medl Board

Ordered that the Medical Board be required to call upon Dr. Berry for his explanation of the words

over thereon

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of his charge against Mr. Secretary Horsman.

Read the following letters from the Military Auditor General.

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Peile's letter of the 29th of July last on the subject of a Retrenchment submitted to your Honorable Board upon the 25th of that month of Office rent charged by Mr. Paymaster Dent at different stations within his Cange in which letter I am informed that "The "Honorable the Governor in Council is desirous that "further enquiry should be made before passing "a decision upon the Retrenchments against that "Paymaster and directed that I would ascertain "and Report for his Information whether it be "expedient on grounds of public convenience that the

Military Auditor receiving that charged by Dent for might be d. Stating orack master thern Decision found his abstract for Barrack that he is a decision of- ton a former-

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"the Paymaster should be furnished with a
"at the several stations of Pondicherry. Chi
"and Ryacottah."

2 In obedience to these Comma
I have to report to your Honorable Board,
I have been informed from a Person who res
at Ryacottah Mr. Paymaster Dent did occu
public Quarter at Ryacottah for the use of
Office - that I have also been further comp
in my opinion respecting the facility of
up an apartment on the ground floor of th
-ment house at Pondicherry for the purpose
Office - and to observe that the Paymaster h
started no objection and acquiesced in the
of the mode pointed out for transmitting
the party of Troops at Chittoor - Under th
circumstances I do not apprehend that
-ence would arise to the public Service
discontinuance of the expence charged by
-master for Office Rent at the stations
Pond

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Pondicherry, Ryacottah and Chittoor.

3 I accordingly await the Commands of your Honorable Board whether the monthly charge of 5 Pagodas for Office Rent at each of those stations should be discontinued, and whether the Retrenchments of these Charges from the Pay-masters accounts from april 1808 should be remitted or Confirmed.

4 I avail myself of this occasion to state for the information of your Honorable Board that the Barrack master of the Northern Division has discontinued presenting his abstract for charges on account of Barrack Articles supplied to the Troops at Vizagapatam since the month of November last, assigning as a reason that he is previously desirous of obtaining the decision of Government upon the different points connected with his Barrack Charges which had been submitted upon the 15th of June last. May I beg permission therefore to bring that reference

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To the notice of Government

Military Auditor Genl. Office
Fort St. George 23. September
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I have the honor to be
&ca &ca

(Signed) P. Bruce
Mily Audr Genl

Resolution thereon

Resolved that the retrenchme
against Mr. Paymaster Dent on account
charges for Office Rent at the stations of
Cherry Chittoor and Raicottah be remit
that he be allowed to charge in future
Office Rent at the former station only;
also that intimation of the Board's resol
on this subject be sent for the inform
and guidance of the military auditor

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
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My Lord,

From the Military Auditor General. Submitting an appeal by Lieutenant Colonel

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At the request of Lieute

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Cuppage
Retrenchment
Allowances of
Adjutant
General -

I Cuppage of this Establishment, Have the honor to submit to your Lordship in Council, an appeal by that Officer against a Retrenchment of the allowances of Adjutant General drawn on his account from the 17th. of February to the 30th. of April last.

As explanatory of this subject I have to state that Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage was appointed by the General Orders of Government dated 18th. February last, and drew the monthly Salary of 500 Pagodas annexed to that situation which was objected to on Audit in Conformity with the General Order of the 5th. of October 1808 which I consider applicable to the present case, and which directs that Officers appointed to Staff situations are not to draw the salaries annexed to them until they take Charge. Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage not having taken charge of the Office of Adjutant General of the army during the period for which the allowances is drawn. I therefore did not consider myself warranted to pass the Salary so

drawn

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the Honorable the Governor in Council so la
the 5th. of April last" The Governor in Council
"proves your remaining in Malabar until you
"have completed the adjustment of the several
"of the Commissary Department"

The Auditor General will be sat
from these documents, In the first instance
the Orders do not apply to the Adjutant Gener
the army second I was acting up to what ap
the wish of Government and Certainly the Ho
the Governor in Council would never have it
intention that an Officer acting in Conformity
Orders should do so under any disadvantage -

I take the liberty to say that Go
not having appointed another Officer to Off
for the time as the G.O. of the 5th. of October say
be done if considered necessary supports what
to me these just applications -

If the Military Auditor Gen
should not consider what I have here stated

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grounds to authorize him to pass the allowance.
may I beg that the subject may be sent up in
reference to the Honorable the Governor in Council.-

apalam

Signed J. Cuppage

uly 1809. -

Lieut.t Col.l 1st B.n 15th R.t N.I

A true Copy

Signed P. Bruce

Mily Audr. Genl.

to thereon. - In consideration of the Circumstances
stated in the foregoing letter the Board resolve to
accede to the claim of Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage
for the allowances of Adjutant General, and accord-
-ingly direct that the military Auditor General be
instructed to relieve that Officer from the retrench-
-ment standing against him on that account. -

Read the following letter from
the Military Paymaster General. -

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Fort St. George

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Sir,

Med. Military
11th Sept.
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ending

I have the honor to transmit for the
information

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respecting the liqui=dation of an advance made at Bengal to Cadets of this Presi=dency. —

information of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council Copy of my letter to the Military Auditor General with its enclosures and his reply thereto of the 8th. Instant, and request to be favored with the Orders of Government respecting the liqui=dation of an advance made at Bengal to Cadets of this Presidency. —

Fort St. George
13th. November 1809

Sam. Wm. Wm.
(Signed) L. G. H. Murray
Mily Paymr Genl

Mily Paymr Genls Office

To the Military Auditor General
Fort St. George.

Sir

I have the honor to enclose you Copy of a letter from Mr. Paymaster Dent with its enclo=sure from Major M.Gregor Commanding the Cadet Company on which I request to be favored with your instructions. —

The original receipt from Bengal is also enclosed. —

Fort St. George
23d. October 1809

(Signed) L G. H. Murray
M. P. Gl

To

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To the Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George.

Sir

In consequence of the reasons stated in the enclosed Copy of a letter to me dated 14th. Instant from Major McGregor Commanding the Cadet — Company, I have the honor to return the original receipt which you have forwarded to me in your letter of the 24th. July last) for Pagodas 1,660. 26. 70 being the amount advanced at Calcutta to twenty seven Gentle- -men of the Cadet Company now stationed at Tripasore

(Signed) C B Dent
Paymr

Vellore
18. October 1809

To C B Dent Esqr.

Paymaster at Vellore

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter desiring that I should return the original receipt of the Fort adjutant of Calcutta for Pagodas 1,660. 26. 70t. which I do accordingly

I

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I beg leave to observe that certain deductions are made by authority of Government from each Cadet on account of Mess and arrears which leaves no more than a sufficiency for Common necessaries to the Cadets. It would therefore be distressing the young Gentlemen to deprive them of those necessaries by making heavy stoppages whilst they are in the Cadet Company and I believe such advances have been usually deducted after joining their Corps

Signed G. M. McGregor
Comg Cadet Company

A true Copy

Signed C. B. Dent
Paymr

To the Military Paymaster General
Fort St. George.

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th Ultimo with its enclosure from Major McGregor Commanding the Cadet Company

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Company and beg leave to acquaint you that I am of opinion the circumstance mentioned by that Officer relative to the adjustment of advances of Cash made in Bengal in December last to certain Cadets now with the Company should be submitted to the consideration of Government who alone can authorize the postponment of the recovery of those advances by stoppages in the usual way - the originab receipt for those advances which accompanied your letter is herewith returned.

Fort St. George
8th. November 1809

/Signed/ P. Bruce
Mily and. Gen.

Mily and. Gens. Office

True Copies
/Signed/ L. G. H. Murray
Mily Pay. Gen.

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The Honorable Company ... Dr.

To an advance of Sicca Rupees two hundred each to the undermentioned Cadets of the Madras Establishment landed by the Ships of the Season at Fort William - being twenty seven in number

27 Cadets at S. Rupees each ... S.a Rs. 5400

Total S.a Rs. 5.400.

Sicca Rupees Five thousand and four hundred

Fort William
15th December 1808

/Signed/ A Campbell
Fort adjt.

Rs
/Signed/ A. Campbell

List of Madras Cadets agreeably to the above abstract
15th December 1808.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | J. H. Logan | Infantry |
| | John Wright | " |
| | T. A. Crichton | " |
| | John Hunt | " |
| 5 | Henry Bevan | " |
| | Henry Hett | " |
| | Edward Williams | " |
| | Franc.s Mountford | " |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | I. S. Smith | Infantry |
| 10 | I. S. Kinsey | " |
| | Wm. Scott | " |
| | S. P. Sharpe | " |
| | I. G. Roveson | " |
| | Samuel Dew | " |
| 15 | Chas. Fergusson | " |
| | Robert Sheddon | " |
| | John Tucker | " |
| | I. G. Curry | " |
| | Angus McPherson | " |
| 20 | W. N. Pace | " |
| | Henry Boulton | " |
| | George Scaranke | " |
| | A. C. Crichton | Artly or Engineer |
| | Arch Crawford | do. |
| 25 | C. E. Dickinfield | Cavalry |
| | John Gordon | " |
| 27 | R L. Highmoor | " |

Fort William
Town Majors Office
15th December 1808.

Pay
/Signed/ I. H. B

/Signed/ A. Campbell
Fort adjt

True Copy
/Signed/ L. G. H. Murray
M. P. G

Ordered

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Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to proceed in the recovery of the balances due from the Cadets in the manner suggested by the Officer Commanding the Cadet Company if sanctioned by precedent in any former Case—

Read the following letter from the Chief Secretary to the Government at Bombay

To J H Peile Esqr

Secretary to the Government

at

Fort St. George

Sir

From the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay - Transmitting a Statement of payments made on account of the Madras Presidency -

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort Saint George a Statement of Payments made at the Military Pay Office at Bombay on account of the Madras

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Madras Presidency in the month of September 1809 amounting to Rupees (3936. 2. 57) three thousand nine hundred and thirty six two quarters and fifty Seven Cas which Sum will be carried to the debit of the Government of Fort Saint George -

I have the honor to be.

Bombay Castle
31st. October 1809 -

Sir.

Your most Obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) F. Warden
Chief Secretary to Govt.

Statement

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Fort St. George 1st November 1809

# Statement of Payments made on account of Madras Presidency in the Month of September 1809

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Paid Lieutenant J. Winrow of the 30th Regiment allowance for august and Pay for September 1809 | 169 | 3 | . |
| Ditto the Detachment of the 1st Battalion 56th Regiment allowance for august and Pay for September 1809 | 193 | 3 | 13 |
| Ditto Surgeon D. Christie medical allowance for Mrs Kelly of the 1st Battalion 56th Regiment Patient in the Lunatic Hospital in august 1809 | 23 | 1 | .. |
| Ditto Captain D. Marston of the 86th Regiment allowance for august and Pay for September 1809 | 298 | 3 | 67 |
| Ditto Detachment of the 86th Regiment arrears for august and advance for September | 553 | 3 | 04 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ditto ---- | Ditto at Goa Dº ---- | Dº ---- | 155 .. .. |
| Paid Captain I. Moor his allowance for August and Pay for September | | | 336. 2. 61 |
| Lieutenant Ia Martin his allowance for August and Pay for September | | | 407. 2. 60 |
| Lieutenant Blacker his allowance for July and Pay for August | | | 343 .. .. |
| Ditto ---- | Ditto Extra Batta for July | | 67. 2. 92 |
| Ditto ---- | Ditto allowance for August and Pay for September | | 339 .. 24 |
| Ditto ---- | Ditto Extra Batta for August | | 67. 2. 92. |
| Lieutenant Willock allowance for August and Pay for September | | | 339 .. 24 |
| Ditto ---- | Ditto Field Batta for August | | 67. 2. 92 |
| Ditto ---- | Ditto Extra Batta for Ditto | | 67. 2.92 |
| Lieutenant James R. Carnac his allowance for August and Pay for September | | | 159. 2. 74 |
| Cornet D. Macqueen Ditto ---- | Ditto ---- | | 346 . 62 |
| | | | 3936 2. 57 |
| | | Rupees ---- | 3936 2 57 |

Bombay
Military Auditor Generals Office
31st October 1809

(Signed) Alexr Hay
Mily Audr Genl

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Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to adjust the balance against this Government in the usual manner

Read the following letter from the acting Secretary to the Government at Fort William in the Military Department.

To J. H. Peile Esqr.

Secretary to the Government

at Fort St. George

Sir

From the acting Secretary to the Government of Fort William requiring another Copy of the Military Regulations.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th. Ultimo, with its several enclosures and the Packet of Books containing the Military Regulations of the Government of Fort St. George, and to request that another Copy of those Books may be furnished for the purpose of reference in this Department.

Fort William

the 24th. October 1809

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

(Signed) J. Adam

actg Secy to Govt.

Ordered

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Order thereon

Ordered that the requisite direc-
tions be given to the Adjutant General and
Military Auditor General to furnish Copies of
the Regulations required in the foregoing letter

Read the following letter from
the Secretary to the Naval Commander in Chief

To J H Pede Esqr.

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir

From the Secretary to the Naval Commander in Chief. Stating that instructions have been given to Captains and Commanders of Ships who may require supplies of Ordnance Stores in Bengal binding to remove the difficulties Complained of by the Military Board.

I am directed by His Excellency
Rear Admiral Drury to acknowledge the receipt
of your letter under date the 19th. Ultimo accom-
panied by the Copy of one from the acting
Naval Officer at Madras with other enclosures
relative to the construction and custody of
Gun Carriages &c. for the Navy and although
the reply made by Mr. Hall is perfectly
just and the system hitherto followed in
supplying Ordnance and Ordnance Stores

at

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at Fort St. George for the use of His Majesty's Ships has been deemed perfectly satisfactory, yet from the difficulties which are stated to occur at Calcutta it appears almost impossible to make this plan general. the Commander in Chief has therefore given such instructions to the Captains and Commanders of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels who may require supplies of Ordnance Stores in Bengal as will tend for the future to remove difficulties similar to those recently complained of by the Military Board through the Vice President in Council of Fort William

Should the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council think fit to make any new arrangement the Rear admiral requests to be made acquainted therewith in order that he may apprize the Honorable the Board of Ordnance and take such measures as may insure the Squadron an Official intimation of the circumstance.

Shaw

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His Majestys Ship Rupsel I have the honor to be
at Sea 20th. October 1809 &c. &c.

(Signed) Richard Bromley
Secretary

Order thereon. - Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter with Copies of the several other documents connected with the subject received and dispatched in this Department be sent for the information of the Honorable the Vice President in Council at Fort William.

Read the following letter from the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Kanara.

The Secretary to Government

Sir

Para 1st I have the honor to report that in consequence of a most violent Storm on the Evening of the 4th. Instant two Ranges of the temporary Barracks occupied by H. M. 80th. Regiment were blown down, and the rest so much shaken that there is great apprehension of their also

From the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Kanara - reporting that the temporary Barracks had sustained material Injury from a Violent Storm and recommending their removal.

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also falling in Event of any more such violent weather. It was most fortunate I had obtained the permission of the Officer Commanding the army in Chief to encamp the Regiment during this month for the convenience of Drill otherwise many lives would have been lost.

2d In consideration of the Barracks being so much shaken and as it will be proper to remove the Regiment before the Place of arms now building can be occupied by a Native Corps I beg leave to recommend that the Temporary Barracks should be removed to the vicinity of the ground on which the new European Barracks are to be erected.

3d I transmit herewith an Estimate N.1. of the Expense which will attend the removal of the temporary Barracks accompanied by a letter N.2. from the Superintending Engineer.

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

Head Quarters

at Cananore 6th November 1809.

(Signed) Ben Forbes

Lt. Col. Comg. Mal. & Canara

Estimate

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Estimate of the Expense to remove the temporary European Barracks to the Ground near the Fort — including their annual Repairs. —

| No | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7 | Ranges of Barrack each upon an average | 162. 36. " | 1140 | " " |
| 4 | Cook Rooms | 107. 6. " each | 428 | 24 " |
| 1 | Officers Guard Room | " " " | 40 | " " |
| 1 | Quarter Guard Room | | 34 | 12 " |
| 1 | Orderly Room | | 34 | 12 " |
| | Total Star Pagodas. | | 1677 | 6 " |

(Signed) Wm. Ravenshaw
Superg Engineer

Canarore
5th. November 1809

To Lieutenant Colonel Forbes
Commanding the Provinces

Sir

I have the honor to forward you an Estimate of the Expense to remove the temporary European Barracks to the Ground near the Fort, — there seems less objection to this measure since the Storm of the 4th. Instant which nearly destroyed

two

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two Ranges and injured the others most fortunate was it the men were Encamped at the time or few could have saved their lives in the Eastern Range that fell so suddenly -

Cananore

5th. November 1809

Signed / Wm. Ravenshaw

Super.g Engineer

Brew thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Board for their consider.ation and report

Read the following letter from the acting Resident in Mysoor

To Alexr. Falconar Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

From the acting Resident in Mysore Expressing his Sentiments on the Conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Davis -

The removal of Lieutenant Colonel Davis from the Chief Command in Mysoor having intimated to me in General Orders my public Duty and public obligations to this Officer demand the expression of my Sentiments on his Conduct during the Exercise of his Authority in this District

and

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and altho' I bow with all due Submission to the mandates of Government and to the claims of Seniority I cannot forbear to express that the Dewan and Chief Officers of this Government partici-pate with me in feelings of deep regret on this occasion.

2 Lieutenant Colonel Davis' undevi-ating support of the Civil authority of Mysoor, his minute and friendly attention to the wishes of the Dewan in all matters connected with his public and private Duties, and the hearty Cooperation, zeal and ability which marked his conduct generally but particularly during the late momentous crisis, have generated a community and cordiality of feeling between the Civil and Military authorities that have not only esta-blished the strongest Confidence towards him in this Government but have obtained the approbation of the Supreme British authorities in India -

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3 The Expression of my humble tubute of gratitude and respect is an Indulgence which I cannot deny myself, and I must also beg to assure The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, that the Dewan unites with me in sincerely regretting the removal of Lieute.-nant Colonel Davis' upright and able Councils, and that we gratefully and sensibly appreciates all the public acts of this Officer During the whole period of his Command in this Division, but particularly in that Critical and arduous part of it which so recently tended to procure for us the approbation of the British Government and to uphold the Interest and Dignity of both States.

Bangalore
12th. November 1809.

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

Signed A. H.y Cole
1st. asst. in charge

Read the following letters from the Commissioner at Tranquebar

To

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To Alexr. Falconar Esqr.

Chief Secretary to the Government

Fort St. George.

Sir

I have been most earnestly =

solicited by the Reverend Doctor John, to trans=

=mit the enclosed address relative to his unfortu=

=nate Son to the Right Honorable the Governor=

General.

2 A sense of public duty and propriety

might have prevented my complying with Dr.

John's request after the decided answer contained

in Mr. Secretary Peile's letter of the 15th. August

to mine transmitting his former petition and

I must rest my excuse for this deviation entirely

on a natural commiseration for a father's feel=

=ings and because the present contains a new

proposal. -

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

(Signed) Alex H. Kelso

Comr

From the Commissioner at Tranquebar. Enclos=ing an address from the Revd. Dr. John = requesting that his Son may be restored. -

Tranquebar Commissioners Office 8th. November 1809

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To the Right Honorable

Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General &c. &c. &c.

My Lord

Having read just now in the Government Gazette a new token of your Lordships' humanity towards Three Gentlemen Cadets on their contrition for their past misconduct and submissive acquiescence in the justness of their punishment and solemn assurances of future good Conduct, I have conceived a sanguine and revering hope that your Lordship will bestow the same humanity upon my unhappy Son August John who has been involved by seduction and threatnings to be one of the Ringleaders at the Revolt of the Cadets at Cuddalore for which he has been suspended and even has been put in the Goal by his Creditors with whom he has contracted by extravagant and foolish expences a Debt which as I am now informed amounts to above 400 Pagodas.

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Thus he has now suffered above a year for his crime to his Superiors and for his other youthly follies and inordinate passions. This miserable Condition has brought him to a serious reflection on the causes and sad consequences of his misconduct and in his letters to me he expresses the deepest sorrow and contrition and sense of the justness of his punishment and the most sacred promises of reforming his Conduct if I would interfere to procure him pardon, release him from the Goal and receive him again as a repenting and returning Son in our family from which he has hitherto been turned out. Thus this foolish and unhappy youth may be enabled again by mercy and pardon of his youthly follies and by riper age and experience to get a better Judgement and be encouraged to serve the Honorable Company with more faithfulness and prudence and to endeavour to deserve better in future the protection and

Benevolence

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Benevolence of the Honorable Company. He is instructed by me in good Principles which he alas has lost at Copenhagen by wicked fellow Students but begun to reform so much that I could with good hopes and according to his inclination for Military Service recommend him to the Protection of Lord Bentink and thought he would do well as he is pretty well acquainted with the Native and different European Languages. But how sadly have I been disappointed. I cannot express my Lord how much his deplorable case has pierced my paternal heart and embitters the days of my old and declining age. Relief my Lord the sorrows of a Father and restore a lost but repenting Son to a whole distressed Family. If your Lordship grants this humble Petetion I shall give security to his Creditors for sending out means for paying off. after an arrangement the balance of his debts by degrees that he may be released.

In case that your Lordship should find

it

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it impossible to place him in his former happy situation. I beg humbly to continue at least his monthly allowance of 15 Pagodas which he has enjoyed till last October and to grant him a free passage to England next February on board of any one of the Honorable Company's Ships.

I pray perventtly to God Almighty that he may move your Lordships good heart to grant this humble Request and that he may amply reward this act of humanity and mercy upon your Lordship and your Lordships respectable Family and in particular upon the happy Couple lately united. -

Tranquebar 17th November 1809.

I remain with the profoundest Respect &c. &c.

(Signed) C. John

Draw Thereon. - Ordered that the Commissioner be directed to inform Dr. John that his application for the restoration of his Son to the Service of the Honorable Company cannot be complied with and

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and at the same to intimate that the allowance hitherto granted to him will be continued as well as a passage provided for him to proceed to Europe

Read the following letter from Captain De Havilland

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir

As I am informed that a Court Martial is shortly to assemble at Bangalore and that I imagine I shall be brought to Trial before it, I am desirous to have in support of my General Character to produce a document from which it will appear that previous to the late occurrences Government had been satisfied with my Conduct in as much at least as that during my 17 years Service there had not been issued from your Office any censure whatever against me and that nothing to my Prejudice had till then had place on its Records.

From Captain De Havilland requiring an Official document testifying his good Conduct previous to the late occurrences

I am aware Sir that such a document will

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will not contribute to refute or clear me of any Charge about to be brought against me, or do away any act that should be established. But it may perhaps have some weight in the Scale of Consideration where, if I could not make good my entire Innocence the award of Punishment would be in the Breast of the Court.

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

Signed/ H. De Haviland

Capt.n L.t Eng.r

Colar

October 10th 1809.

Ordered that the following reply be dispatched.

To Captain De Haviland

Sir

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letters dated 10th Ultimo and 19th Instant, and to inform you in reply that I have been unable to trace on the Records of this Office any testimony to the prejudice of your

General

Captain De Haviland - In Reply.

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General character previously to the date of the late mutiny at Seringapatam.

Fort St. George
18th. November 1809.

Sam. &c. &c.
(Signed) J. H. Peile
Secy to Govt.

Ed. Strange

G. A. Barlow

"

W. Petrie

" Oakes

" W. Casamayor

Office Pol. Cons. 17th. November 1809
Pages 7/4 - Copied by B. Youngsah
for Same 1810.

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## Diary

18th Received the following Letters.

To I. H. Peile Esqr.

Secretary to the Government

at Fort St. George

Sir

I am directed by the Honorable the Vice President in Council to transmit to you for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council at Fort St. George the enclosed Extract from a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors in the Military Department under date the 25th of april 1809, Containing Copies of paragraphs Nos. 59 & 60. —

From the acting Secretary to the Government at Fort William forwarding extract of a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors with the holding any further Indulgence to Lieutenant Hook of His Majesty's 93d Regt for Passage money —

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

Fort William

the 17th October 1809

(Signed) I. Adam

acting Secy to Govt.

Extract of a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors in the Military Department, dated 25th april 1809. —

59. "We cannot however give our acquiescence

(59) Lieutenant Hook of His Majesty's 93d Regiment one of the passen

passengers granted in addition to the foregoing allowance and proportion of Passage money.

acquiescence to the farther indulgence granted to Lieute-
-nant Hook of His Majesty's 33d. Regiment in allowing
him the Sum of £46: 15: as a proportion of Passage
money under the supposition that he was entitled
to a Passage to India at the Company's Expence; at
least we cannot collect from your Proceedings that
he had any such right. It does not appear that he
was ordered to embark with the Recruits of whom
/after he was on board/ he was Commanded to take
charge, neither are we informed under what authority
he quitted his Regiment in India which he was
afterwards in this Country ordered to rejoin. If he
came upon duty with a Detachment by order of the
Commander in Chief at Madras at which Presidency
the 33d. Regiment was serving, he was undoubtedly
entitled to Passage money both in coming and after-
-wards in returning by order. but if as was probably
the case, he merely came to England on leave of
absence, he had no such Claim in either case, and
was exactly in the same Predicament as any Officer

in

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in Our own Service coming Home on leave of absence.

60 The Sum which you agreed to pay to Lieutenant Hook for his Passage money being inconsiderable in amount, we regret that we are compelled under all the circumstances of his case to pronounce this opinion upon it, but it is indispensibly necessary and important for us to adhere strictly to the Rules which have been sanctioned in this Country in the Settlement of Accounts between the public and the Company, and in the true construction of the act of Parliament which provides for the payment of Expences incurred on account of His Majesty's Forces serving in India. —

A true Extract

(Signed) J. Adam

acty Secy to Govt

To the Chief Secretary to the Government

Sir,

I had the honor to address you on

the

From Captain De Haviland. Requiring assistance in support of his general character.

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the 10th. Ultimo requesting that you would furnish me with a document from your Office which I might produce to the Court martial on my approaching Trial in support of my General character up to the late occurrences at Seringapatam, stating whether or not I had ever in the period of my Service incurred the public Censure of the Government, and whether there stood any thing on its Records to my prejudice. - I have not been favored with a reply and I now reiterate the request adding that if there be any objection to your forwarding me such a Paper, I hope you will be pleased to inform me of the nature of that objection, whether it be that the Records do not afford such unequivocal testimony of my Conduct, or that the Right Honorable the Governor General will not permit my being furnished with such a Voucher. - ...

Ennore

November 19th. 1809

I am &c &c

(Signed) H. De Haviland

Capt. Lt. Engrs

Fort

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18 to

Sent the following Letters.

To John Adam Esqr.

acting Secretary to the Government

at Fort William

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 24th. July, and to forward for the consideration of the Honorable the Vice President in Council Copies of the several letters noticed in the margin which appear to His Lordship to contain all the information required on the subject. -

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec.y to Govt.

To the acting Secretary to the Government at Fort William - Forwarding copies of several letters noticed in the margin which appear to His Lordship to contain all the information required on the subject.

Copy of letter to H. Hall Esqr. dated 2d. September 1809.
Do. of letter from H. Hall Esqr. dated 6th. September 1809.
Copy of letter to R. Bromley Esqr. dated 19th. September 1809
Do. of letter from R. Bromley Esqr. dated 20th. October 1809

Fort St. George

27th. November 1809.

To the President & Members of the

Medical Board

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknow-

-ledge

To the Medical Board. Desiring that Dr. Berry may be called upon to produce

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produce proof in support of the Comm.-plaint preferred by him against the Secretary in a letter 8th. Instant.

acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 11th Inst.y. and to desire that Dr. Berry may be called upon to produce proof in support of the Complaint preferred by him against the Secretary of your Board in a letter dated 8th. Instant. —

Fort St. George
17th. November 1809. —

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

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

To the Military Auditor General

Sir

To the Military Auditor General. Directing — that the retrenchment for Office Rent charged by Mr. Dent adverted to in his letter 25th July last shall be remitted; and that in future Mr. Dent shall be allowed to make a charge of that nature for the Station of Pondicherry, the amount of which is 5 Pagodas a month, and remitting the retrenchment — outstanding against Lieutenant Colonel Cap.-page claiming the Salary of Adjutant General

Para. 1 I am directed by the Right Honor.-able the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letters dated 23d. September last and the 11th. Instant. —

2 His Lordship in Council is pleased to direct that the retrenchment for Office Rent — charged by Mr. Dent adverted to in your letter 25th. July last shall be remitted, and that in future Mr. Dent shall be allowed to make a charge of

that —

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General during such time as he stood appointed to that situation.

that nature for the station of Pondicherry only, the amount of which His Lordship has fixed at 5 Pags monthly.

3 In consideration of the circumstances under which Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage claims the Salary of adjutant General during such time as he stood appointed to that situation, His Lordship in Council is pleased to remit the retrenchment outstanding against him on that account.

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

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To A. H. Kelso Esqr.
Commissioner at
Tranquebar

Sir

To the Commissioner at Tranquebar stating that His Lordship in Council still adheres to the orders already issued respecting the readmission of Mr. John into the Service, and stating that in communicating this information

Para 1 I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 8th Instt.

2. His Lordship in Council adheres to the

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the orders already issued respecting the readmission of Mr. John into the Service, but you will in communicating this information to that Gentleman further intimate that the case of his Son is not similar to that of the other Gentlemen to whom the Revd Mr. John alluded — if there had been the same grounds for indulgence the Claims of so respectable a Character in favor of his Son would have been effectual. His Lordship however has been pleased to continue the pension of 15 Pagodas heretofore granted to him and will permit him to proceed to England by the next fleet homeward bound upon the same terms as is usual for persons in his situation —

information to that Gentleman he will further intimate that the case of his Son is not similar to that of the other Gentlemen to whom the Revd Mr. John alluded if there had been the same ground for indulgence the Claims of so respectable a character in favor of his Son would have been effectual His Lordship has been pleased to continue the pension of 15 Pagodas heretofore granted to him and to proceed to England by the next fleet homeward bound upon the same terms as is usual for persons in his situation —

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Sam. &c. &c.
(Signed) J. H. Pule
Secy to Govt

Received and Sent the following Letters entered in Mt. B. Nos. 60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69

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From the Military Auditor General

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce. Passing an additional Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster in the Ceded Districts.

From Colonel Close

From Colonel Close. With copy of his orders relative to Mr. Surgeon Gilmour.

From the Officer Comm.g the Southern Division of the Army.

From Colonel Wilkenson. Enclosing a letter from Lieutenant West requesting to be appointed Paymaster in Tinnevelly.

To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief.

To Major General Gowdie. With extract from the Minutes of Consultation 17.th Inst.

To the Military Board.

To the Military Board - Returning to them the Register of extraordinaries for the month of July last with the decision of the Governor General on the several charges.

To D.o D.o

To D. D. Transmitting Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Canara, and desiring that he will state for the information of His Lordship in Council his opinion on the suggestions of that Officer respecting the removal of the temporary

Barracks

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Barracks to a more eligible scite.

To the Military Board acknowledging

To the Military Board

the receipt of their letter 9th Ultimo, and informing them that the Bills and advance of Cash therein recommended have been ordered.

To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General.

Desiring that another Copy of the document forwarded in his letter 26th July last may be furnished for transmission to Bengal.

To the adjutant General of the army.

The same to the Adjutant General.

To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General.

Forwarding Copy of a letter from the Military Pay-master General, and desiring that directions may be given for recovering the balances from the several Cadets therein mentioned suggested by the Officer Commanding the Cadet Company if sanctioned by former usage in any similar case and forwarding Copy of a letter from the Chief Secretary to the Government at Bombay and desiring that the balance appearing against this Presidency

may

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may be adjusted in the usual manner

To the Military Paymaster General.

To the Military Paymaster General

Transmitting copy of the Military Auditor Generals

Report on the additional estimate of Cash required

by the Paymaster in Mysore.

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Received and Sent the following

Letters entered in M. B. Nº 70-71-72.

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce.

From the Military Auditor General

Passing the General Estimate of Cash required

for the payment of the army.

From D. D.

From D. D. Passing an additional Estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster in the Ceded Districts.

To D. D.

To D. D. Transmitting

extract of a letter from the Military Board and

desiring that the requisite orders may be given for

the payment of the bills and advance therein

recommended.

At

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At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable Lord Minto - Governor General

The Honorable Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bt & K.B

William Petrie

Thomas Oakes

and

J. H Casamaijor

} Esqres

Tuesday the

25th November

1809

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved.

The Governor General records the

following Minute.

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Minute of the Governor General appointing Major Macgregor, Agent for public Cattle.

The Governor General proposes to ap-

=point Major Geo. Macgregor of the 5th Regiment of

Native Infantry to be Agent for public Cattle

Agreed to and ordered to be publish

=ed in G. O

Read

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Read the following letters from the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief.

I. H. Peile Esqr.

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

Fort St. George

Sir

The Officer Commanding the Army directs me to request that the accompanying letter and enclosures may be Submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council for his Lordships information and decision.

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

(Signed) John R. Vernon

Mily Secy to the Comr. in Chief

From the Military Secy to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief - Subs. - omitting a letter from Colonel Close containing an original Packet from Colonel Doveton respecting Prize property taken at Amulnair -

Commander in Chiefs Office

Fort St. George

6th. November 1809. - - -

Head Quarters Hydrabad Subsidiary Force

To the Adjutant General of the Army

Fort St. George.

Sir

I have the honor to forward an original Packet from Lieutenant Colonel Doveton respecting

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respecting prize property taken at Amulnair part of which was disposed of to the public and have to request that you will bring it under the notice of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief in order that with his approbation the subject may be submitted to Government.

Secundrabad
22nd October 1809.

(Signed) B. Close Col.

To Colonel B. Close
Commanding Subsidiary Force
Secundrabad

Sir

I have the honor to accompany this with a Copy of my letter to the Deputy Quarter Master General of the Subsidiary Force of the 2d. January 1809, as also of the Reply of the Deputy Adjutant General to that letter. and as the final decision of the Right Honorable the Governor General respecting the distribution of the Captured property at Amulnair has been received I request that you will have the goodness to bring the purport of my Correspondence

to

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to the recollection of the Honorable the Governor of Fort St. George, in order that directions may be given on the subject to the acting Paymaster of the Detach.
= ment in Berar.

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

Jaulnah
25th September 1809.

(Signed) J. Doveton
Lieut. Col.
Comg Detac.t in Berar

To the Deputy Quarter Master General
Hydrabad Subsidiary Force
Secundrabad.

Sir,

Accompanying I have the honor to transmit for the information of the Commanding Officer of the Subsidiary Force, Copy of a letter which I yesterday received from Colonel Wallace and shall in consequence march tomorrow morning with the Force under my Command, to take up such a position as may enable me to be at hand to succour the Nizam's Territory in case of an Invasion from the Pindarries as well as to Cover this

Country

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Country during the absence of Colonel Wallaces Detach-
-ment.

I have likewise to state for the informa
-tion of his Excellency the Commander in Chief that
I have purchased from the Captors on account of the
Honorable Company a number of Horses sufficient
to replace those which were lost by the two Regiments
of Cavalry in the late Service as I conceive it essenti-
-ally necessary that these Corps should be kept as
efficient as possible. The Proceedings of a Committee
which I ordered to assemble on these Horses accom-
-panies this Dispatch and I have directed their
being received on the strength of Regiments from
the 29th. of December 1808. - The price which had
been paid for each is 100 Pagodas and which I trust
will not be deemed by the Honorable the Governor
in Council exorbitant when it is considered that they
are at once put in the Ranks free of every other
expences -

I shall likewise send the Captured

Ordnance

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Ordnance to Saulnah untill I receive His Excellency the Commander in Chiefs Orders regarding them, but if I might be permitted to suggest it would perhaps be as well to dispose of them to His Highness the Nizam's Government through the medium of the British Resident as they can never be of much use to us. -

Camp at Amulnair
2d January 1809 -

/Signed/ J. Doveton
Lieut.t Coll.
Comm.g Detach.t in Berar

A true Copy
/Signed/ J. Doveton
Lieut.t Coll.

Deputy Adjut.t Genl's Office
Hydrabad Subsidiary Force

To Lieutenant Colonel Doveton
Commanding Detachment
Hydrabad Subsidiary Force

Sir

In reply to those parts of your letter to the Deputy Quarter master General of the Subsidiary

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Subsidiary Force of the 2d. Instant regarding the Horses purchased for the Service and the Captured Guns, - I am directed to inform you that Lieutenant Colonel Montresor approves of the purchase of Horses made under your authority to replace those missing, and that he has reported the Circumstances to the Commander in Chief and recommended its being confirmed by Government. -

In regard to the Captured Guns Lieutenant Colonel Montresor does not feel himself authorized to give any Orders but has reported the measures you have adopted and "your proposals for disposing of them" to his Excellency the Commander in Chief

I have had the honor to receive and lay before Lieutenant Colonel Montresor your Letter of the 6th. Instant with its enclosures and they have been forwarded to Head Quarters. -

Cantonment
Secunderabad
16th. January 1809.

(Signed) F. H. S. Conway
Dept. Adjt. Genl.

A true Copy
(Signed) J. Doveton
Lieut. Col.

The

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Minute thereon. -

The Board are of opinion that the subject of the Prize properly adverted to in the foregoing letter should be referred to the Government at Fort William for decision. -

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

Sir

From the Military Sec.y to the Offic.g Commanding the Army in Chief. - Forwarding an application from Colonel Innes for full Batta while detained on duty at Masulipatam.

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief requests that the enclosed letter from Lieutenant Colonel Innes with its enclosure may be submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council in order to obtain sanction for the payment of Full Batta to that Officer for the period he was detained on duty at Masulipatam subsequent to his removal from the Madras European Regiment. the claim appearing perfectly consistent with the Regulations of the Service Vide G.O. By Government 21st. February 1809. -

I have

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Commr in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
14th November 1809 -

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

To the Military Secretary

To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief
Fort St. George.

Sir

Upon being removed from the Madras European Regiment to the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment Native Infantry which exonerated me from the Command of this Station, I was at the same time directed to attend the Committee of Enquiry ordered to assemble here of which Brigadier General Malcolm is President, and instructed to remain at this place till further orders -

Considering myself consequently as detained here upon Public Duty (which prevented me from Joining my Corps) and entitled to Full Batta, I included the same in my abstracts which the Military Auditor General declines passing for the reasons assigned in the accompanying Copy of his Official letter

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letter which I request you will be pleased to submit to the Commander of the Army for his Consideration previous to being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council for his decision. -

Masulipatam
12th October 1809

(Signed) S. Innes
Lieut.t Col.e
2nd B.n 2nd Reg.t N.I.

To the Military Paymaster
Masulipatam

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th Ultimo, annexing Copy of one from Lieutenant Colonel Innes on the subject of his drawing full batta as Commandant of the Corps to which he stands appointed, and which he was prevented from Joining in consequence of his being detained on public duty.

The Circumstances which have occurred to prevent Lieutenant Colonel Innes joining his Corps not being officially with the knowledge of this Office I do not consider myself warranted -

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warranted in passing his charge for full batta without Special authority from Government and I should therefore recommend Lieutenant Colonel Innes stating his Case thro' the prescribed Channel to the Commander in Chief to be by him laid before Government in the usual manner as it would not be regular or Conformable to usage for the subject in its present Stage to be brought to the notice of Government through the medium of this Office.

Military Audr Genls Office
Fort St. George 2nd October
1809.

(Signed) P. Bruce
Mily Audr Genl

True Copy

(Signed) A. Savage Pay

Resolution thereon

Resolved that the allowances applied for by Colonel Innes be granted and that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent for the information and guidance of the military Auditor General with intimation of the Resolution of the Board thereon

I. H. Pule Esqr.
Secretary to Government &c &c &c

Sir

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By desire of the Officer Commanding the

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army &c

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Chief forwarding an application from Lieutenants Dunn Hancock for arrears of allowances

the Army in Chief. I have the honor to forward the accompanying application from Lieutenants Dunn and Hancock of the 22nd. Coast Native Regiment requesting it may be brought to the notice of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council for his Lordship's decision. -

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

(Signed) John R. Vernon
Mily. Secy. to the Commr. in Chief

Commr. in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
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To Major General Gowdie
Commanding the Army in Chief

Sir

We the undersigned beg leave to lay before your Excellency a Claim for Arrears of allowances which should you conceive Us entitled to, we humbly request you to lay before the Honorable Governor General in Council. -

On our passage to this Country we were by Lieutenant General Sir D. Baird promoted

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to the rank of Ensigns and appointed to do duty with the Cadets and Honorable Company's troops employed at the reduction of the Cape of Good Hope after which we were ordered on board a Transport in Charge of a detachment of Recruits to this Country for this duty we were allowed at the Cape to draw His Majesty's allowance granted to Subalterns em-barking for foreign Service, but this allowance was on our arrival retrenched us. From this Circumstance and from our being ordered from a Ship on which our passage was paid for to a Transport where besides the inconvenience of such a removal we were put to a great expence being ourselves obliged to furnish every requisite for the Voyage we humbly conceive that we are entitled to draw the allowance granted in this Country to Officers when embarking for foreign Service and the more especially so from every Cadet in Consequence of the retrenchment made against us drawing more pay than we, who had been doing duty as

Officers

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Officers and by the nature of our Service been put to so much expence.-

Bagshaws Gardens
October 30th 1809.

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

(Signed) Chas D. Dun
Lieut. 22. Regt. N.I. Mil. Instr.
E Y Hancock
Lieut. & Q. M. 22. Regt. N.I.

I H Peile Esqr.
Secretary to Government &c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George

Sir

The 2d. Battalion 2d. Native Regi-
-ment having suffered great hardships and
sustained very considerable Losses both in public
and private Baggage in the course of its fati-
-guing and distressing march in the height of
the Monsoon to Goa, the Honorable the Governor
in Council was pleased to indemnify the Officers
and men of that Corps in a Donation of two
months

From the Military Secy to the Offic. Commanding the Army in Chief. Recommending that the same donation may be granted to the 2d. Battalion 18th. Native Infantry as was granted to the 2d. Battalion 2d. Regiment Native Infantry.

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months Batta to which indulgence the Officer Com-
-manding the Army in Chief begs leave to recom-
-mend the 2nd. Battalion 18th. Regiment Native Infty
and as the Corps was exactly similarly situated
in its march to Goa at the same time and by the
same route hopes it may meet the approbation
of the Right Honorable the Governor General in
Council. —

Commr. in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
14th. November 1809.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) John R. Vernon
Mily Secy to the Comr. in Chief

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

Sir,

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief has directed me to request that the cases of Peter Wells and John Heal Conductors of Invalids may be stated to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council trusting that their

Services

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. Requesting that Messrs. Conductors Wells and Heal may be remunerated for the additional Expence and trouble to which they were liable while doing duty at the mount.

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Services will meet with the favorable consideration of His Lordship in Council, and that they will be remunerated for the additional expence and trouble to which they must necessarily have been liable, while doing duty at the Mount. —

At the time of the late temporary removal of the Officers of the artillery Peter Wells and John Heal were appointed to the Charge of the detail of dismounted Horse artillery and Ordered to proceed from the Presidency to S. Thomas Mount forthwith. — in this Charge they remained until relieved therefrom by Officers of that Corps, but being aware when they first went to the Mount that the duty would not be permanent they found it most advisable not to move their Families, which consequently put them to the expence of maintaining a double establishment. The Conductors were allowed no Tents it was therefore necessary to have some Quarters and which they were necessitated to rent at a very high rate on

account

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account of the few houses and the Detachments of His Majesty's Troops then at the Mount occupying most of those so that the whole expence must have fallen very heavy upon men with but small Pay.

Comm.r in Chief's Office
Fort St. George
to
15. November 1809.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) John R. Vernon
Mily Secy to the Comm.r in Chief

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

Sir

From D.r Requesting that sanction may be given to the Sub Treasurer to receive the depreciated Rupees Mulcted by the Officer Commanding the detachment of Artillery late with Lieutenant Colonel Conrans force and to replace them with Company.s -

The Officer Commanding the Detach.
-ment of Royal Artillery now at St Thomas's Mount but late with Lieutenant Colonel Conrans Force has stated to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief that when at Bellary he received from the Pay.
-master on account of the Pay &c. of his Detach.
-ment 2000 Rupees of the description of those herewith transmitted on which a very considerable loss is sustained by exchange in any other Country than the Nizams or the Ceded Districts/ and

indeed

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indeed often there/. - To prevent the loss in exchange falling on the Detachment of Royal artillery Major General Gowdie requests that an application may be made to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council for Sanction to the Sub. Treasurer to receive those depreciated Rupees and replace them with Company's -

Commr. in Chief's Office
Fort St. George
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Order thereon. -

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) John R. Vernon
Mily Secy to the Commr in chief

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing letters be referred for the consideration and Report of the Military Auditor General.

I H Pole Esqr
Secretary to Government &c. &c. &c.
Fort St. George

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the army in Chief. Enclosing a letter from Colonel Wilkinson respecting a retrenchment. Forwarding letters from Major Gowdie and Lieutenant Davies claiming certain allowances -

Sir

I have the honor to enclose a letter of the 29th. October last from Colonel Wilkinson Commanding the Southern Division of the army which the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief requests

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requests may be submitted to Government as it appears that Colonel Wilkinson has not been authorized to draw the allowances annexed to that Command prior to the 3d March 1809 although actually in Charge of it from the 5th February inclusive.

Agreeably to the request of Major General Croker Commanding the Ceded Districts the Officer Commanding in Chief requests the accompanying Papers containing letters from Major Everard and Lieutenant Davies of His Majesty's 34th Regiment foot may be submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

Commr. in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
15th November 1809.

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

To the Military Secretary

To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief

Sir

I have the honor to communicate to you for the information of the Officer Commanding the

the

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the Army in Chief that I landed in Negapatam on the 30th. of last January and on the 1st. February as Senior Officer assumed the Command of the Southern Division. - Having received this day information from the Paymaster of the Division that the Auditor General has retrenched me 600 Pagodas part of which is owing to a want of a special authority from Government I have to request that you will have the goodness to apply to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief that I may have the necessary Order from Government for receiving the allowances annexed to the Command of the Southern Division. -

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

Trichinopoly
29th. October 1809. -

(Signed) W. Wilkinson
Colr. Comdg S. Division

P.S. The General Order appointing me to the Command of the Southern Division was dated 3d. March 1809. -

To the Military Secretary

To the Commander in Chief

Sir

I have the honor to transmit the enclosed

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enclosed Copies of letters from Major Everard, and Lieut.
Davies of His Majesty's 34th. Regiment, and to request
that you will lay them before the Commander in Chief
to be submitted to Government.

/Signed/ Robt. Croker
Majr. Genl. Comdg

Bellary
7 - October 1809.

To Lieutenant Croker

Aid de Camp to Major General Croker

Commanding Ceded Districts

Sir

I have the honor to enclose an applic-
-ation from Lieutenant Davies to be permitted to draw
an allowance for acting as adjutant to three Companys
of His Majesties 34th. Regiment at Gooty which I have
to request Major General Croker will be pleased to for-
-ward with his recommendation for the consideration
of Government. -

Camp 4th. October 1809

/Signed/ J. H. Everard
Major Comdg 34th. Regt.

A true Copy

/Signed/ Charles Croker
Aid de Camp

Major

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Major Everard

Commanding His Majesty's 34th. Regiment

Camp

Sir

Having acted as adjutant to a Detachment of three Companys of the 34th. Regiment at this station since the 18th. July 1808 to the 16th. Inst. when the Detachment was reduced to one Company I hope you will have the goodness to apply for the same indulgence being allowed me as was granted in a similar situation to Lieutenant Macalister 34th. Regiment who was permitted to draw the allowance for acting as adjutant to three Companys at Bellary in 1807 and 1808. -

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

Gooty 30th. September 1809

(Signed) T. Davies

Lieut. H. M. 34th. Regt.

A true Copy

(Signed) Charles Croker

aid de Camp

To

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To the Military Secretary

To the Commander in Chief

Sir

I have the honor to transmit the enclosed Copy of a Letter from Lieutenant Davies of His Majesty's 34th. Regiment and to request that you will lay it before the Commander in Chief for the decision of Government. -

In consideration of the zealous exertions of Lieutenant Davies / in common with Major Overard and the other Officers of His Majesty's 34th. Regiment / during the late unhappy agitations I beg leave to recommend the Claim of that Officer to the notice of the Commander in Chief with a view to its being submitted by him to the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council. -

Bellary
11th. October 1809 -

/ Signed / Robt. Croker
Majr. Genl. Comdg

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To Major General Croker

Commanding the Ceded Districts

Bellary

Sir

I forwarded to Major Everard Com-
-manding His Majesty's 34th. Regiment on the 30th. Ult.
an application for the allowance of adjutant being
granted me for Serving in that Capacity to a
Detachment of the 34th. Regiment at Gooty I hope
you will in furtherance of that application have
the kindness to inform the Commander in Chief
that I have acted as Fort adjutant at Gooty nearly
a year without any allowance / except Eleven
Pagodas for a Writer and Stationary monthly / I
hope the performance of this duty may be consi-
-dered by Government as some claim towards my
application of the 30th. Ultimo meeting with a
favorable decision. -

Bellary 10th. October 1809

/Signed/ Timothy Davies
Lt. 34th. Regt. actg adjt. 1st. Bn. 25. Regt. NI.

A true Copy

/Signed/ Charles Croker
aid de Camp

From

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Minutes thereon

From the circumstances stated in the application from Lieutenant Colonel Wilkinson — that Officer appears to the Board to be fully entitled to the allowances annexed to the Command of the Southern Division of the army from the day he actually assumed it Resolved accordingly that he be authorized to draw the amount of the same from the 8th. of February last the date on which it appears Lieutenant Colonel Wilkinson took the personal Command of that division —

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter with intimation of the resolution of the Board thereon be sent for the information and guidance of the Military Auditor General and that he be at the same time directed to report upon the application of Lieutenant Davies for adjutants allowances transmitted therewith —

J. H. Peile Esqr.

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

Fort St. George

Sir

The Officer Commanding the Army

or

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. Respecting the allowances of three

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three months pay and allowances may be granted to Mr. Surgeon Nixon.—

in Chief requests that the sanction of the Right Honble the Governor General in Council to an advance of three months Pay and allowances to Mr. Assistant Surgeon J. Nixon may be obtained, that Gentleman having been directed to proceed forthwith to join and do duty with His Majesty's 33d Regiment Foot in the Nizams Territories.

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

(Signed) John R. Vernon

Mily Secy to the Comr in Chief

Comm.r in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
27th November 1809

Order thereon.—

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to order payment of the advance therein applied for if conformable to the Regulations of the Service.

To J. H. Pecle Esqr.

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

Fort St. George

Sir

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the army in Chief. With the Proceedings of the Medical Board.—

I am directed by the Officer Comm:-manding the Army in Chief to request you will be

pleased

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pleased to lay the accompanying Proceedings of the Medical Board under date the 6th and 13th Instant before the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

Comm.r in Chief's Office
Fort St. George
16th November 1809

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) John R Vernon
Mily Secy to the Comr in Chief

Minutes thereon -

The Board proceed to read and pass orders upon the Proceedings submitted for their consideration in the foregoing letter

Resolution of the Governor General in Council Dated 25th November 1809 -

Medical Board 6th November 1809

Proceedings of the Medical Board Recommending that the Leave granted to Mr Assistant Surgeon Parrock may be withdrawn and that Six weeks leave of absence may be granted to Mr Surgeon Roger.

Read a letter from

Resolved that the Mr Assistant Surgeon Leave of absence heretofore granted to Mr Assr Surgeon Parrock of the 1st Battalion 3d Regiment Native Infantry Surgeon Parrok to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health be withdrawn leave of absence to Sea for the benefit of which has been by the early departure of the Fleet for Bengal and disappointed

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and that he be directed to resume his professional duties.

Resolved that leave of absence for six weeks be granted to Mr. Surgeon Rogers from the 1st

disappointed in the opportunity of proceeding to Sea for the benefit of his health agreeably to the leave granted him by Government requesting at the same time that his leave may be withdrawn and that he may for the present be permitted to resume his professional duties which the Medical Board beg leave to recommend to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

2 Read a letter from the Superintending Surgeon of the Northern Division enclosing an application from the Surgeon of the Factories

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1st. Instant. —

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council

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

Factories of Ingeram and Madepollam for a Short leave of absence from his Station on account of private business to the Presidency

3 As Mr. Superintending Surgeon Flemming states particularly that he does not apprehend any inconvenience will result from such indulgence, the Medical Board recommend to the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council that six weeks leave of absence from the 1st. Instant be granted to Mr. Surgeon Rogers.

(Signed)
Terence Gahagan. Physician Genl. & President Medl. Board
Alexr. Walson. M.D. F. Mem. Medl. Bd.
Andw. Berry. F. Member Medl. Board Medical

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Proceedings of the Medical Board. Recommending that the name of Mr. Roxburgh may be struck off the list of effective Surgeons: Forwarding a General Return of the Sick of the Army. -

Resolution of the Governor General in Council Dated 25th November 1809. -

Resolved that the Medical Board be referred to the Resolutions of the Governor in Council passed on the proposal of invaliding Dr. Roxburgh under date the 26th August 1807, and directed to act accordingly. -

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec/ to Govt.

Medical Board 13th. November 1809

1 The Medical Board take the liberty of representing that Mr. William Roxburgh has now been 16 years absent from this Presidency a period far exceeding that for which any Regulation provided for leave of absence

2 The he previously in the year 1791 publicly represented that he had suffered from periodical violent Head-acks which afflicted him at times even the delerium and that he had also laboured under a Fistulous Complaint since the year 1779 which rendered

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rendered him unfit for Field
Service

3 That the Medical Board
were in consequence induced
to recommend his being then
placed on the Invalid List -

4 And that they under-
stand he has for many years
relinquished the practice of
Physic and Surgery —

5 The Medical Board
accordingly recommend to
the Right Honorable the
Governor-General in Council
that the name of Mr. Rox-
burgh be struck off the list
of effective Surgeons of the
Establishment -

6 The Medical Board
have the honor to forward the

General

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General Return of the Sick
of the Army for the month
of August last.-

7 The 3d. Member
will Offer his Sentiments
in a Seperate Minute.-

/Signed/ Terence Gahagan Physician Genl
& President Medical Board
Alexr. Watson - M.D.
2d. Member med.l Board
Andw. Berry
3d. Member med.l Board

Minute of the 3d. Member
13th. November 1809.-

The 3d. Member begs
leave to state when this
subject the placing Doctor
Roxburgh on the Invalid
Establishment came into
discussion in the medical
Board

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Board Proceedings of the 3d. August 1807 - that Government were then pleased to decide as follows -

Resolutions of the Governor in Council dated 26th August 1807 -

"as it appears on reference to the "letter from the Supreme Government "under which Mr. Roxburgh was "permitted to proceed to Bengal "in 1793 that his leave of absence "was granted expressly on the con- "dition that it should be without "prejudice to his rank the Governor "in Council is of opinion that there "can be no doubt of the propriety "of continuing Mr. Roxburgh on "the Effective medical List. His "Lordship in Council has at the "same time no hesitation in stating "his opinion that Mr. Roxburgh -

"cannot

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"cannot now have the same Claim
"to Employment under this Presi-
"dency as those Medical Officers
"who have been engaged in the
"performance of the active Duties
"of the public Service".-

This decision having been
made in 1807. since which the
circumstances relative to Doctor
Roxburgh are in no way changed
the 3d. Member has deemed it
his Duty to state it that Govern-
ment may be the better able
to decide with what propriety
this subject is again obtruded
upon their attention.-

(Signed) And.w Berry
3d. Member med.l Board

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Read a letter from the
Superintending

Resolution of the Governor
General in Council dated
25th. November 1809 \.

Proceedings of the Medical Board. Recommending that leave of absence be granted to Assistant Surgeon Roxb.

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Resolved that Superintending Surgeon of the
Mr. assistant Surgeon Ceded Districts transmitting an
Cook be permitted application from Mr. assistant
to visit the Presidency Surgeon Cook of the 1.st Battalion
and to be absent from 19.th Regiment Native Infantry
his Corps for the for permission to visit the
period of two months. Presidency on private busines

By order of the and to be absent from his
Right Honorable the Corps for a period of two
Governor General in months

Council. 2 as the application

(Signed) I. H. Peile from Mr. assistant Surgeon Cook
Sec.y to Govt.

is accompanied with the written
Sanction of his immediate Com-
=manding Officer and as the
Medical duties of his Corps are
provided for by the Superintend
=ing Surgeon of the Division
the Medical Board recommend
that leave of absence be granted
to

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to Mr. Cook agreeably to his

request.—

(Signed) Terence Gahagan Physician Genl.
& President Medical Board
Alexr. Watson M.D
2nd. Member Medical Board
Andw. Berry
3d. Member Medl. Board

Read the following letters from

the adjutant General of the army

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir

In consequence of the Retire-

From the adjutant General of the army. Recommending various promotions.—

=ment of Lieutenant Colonel Sir David Ogilby Kt. and the transfer of Major Boles of the 3d. Regiment Native Infantry and Captain Marshall of the 2nd. Regiment Native Infantry to the Invalid Establish-

=ment I am directed by the Officer Commanding the army to request you will recommend to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council that

the

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the following promotions may take place. -

2d. Native Regiment

Captain Lieutenant Inc. Ford to be Captain of a Company } in succession to Marshall placed on the Invalid List Date of Commiss.n 25th Oct.r 1809

Captain Lieutenant ... }

Ensign John Dalziel to be, Lieutenant - -

3d. Native Regiment

Captain Chas. Lucas to be Major ..... } in succession to Boles placed on the Invalid List date of Commission 25th. October 1809

Captain Lieutenant T. T. Stevenson to be Captain of a Company - ... }

Lieutenant Alex.r Stewart to be Capt.n-Lieut.t }

Ensign G. W. Eccles to be Lieutenant . }

Senior Major of Infantry Hampton recommended from the 2d. Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Sir David Ogilby retired. date of Commission 25th. October 1809.

2d. N. Regiment

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2nd. Native Regiment

Captain G. R. A. Kelly to be Major
Captain Lieutenant C. Elphinstone to be
Captain of a Company - - -
Lieutenant Edward Osborne to be
Captain Lieutenant
Ensign J. P. James to be Lieutenant

} in succession to Richardson promoted — date of Comn. — mission 25th. October 1809.

2nd. Native Regiment

Ensign Wm. Armstrong to be Lieutenant vice Wiltshire resigned - date of Commission 25. October 1809. -

Adjutant Generals Office 14th. November 1809.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) T. H. S. Conway
adjt. Genl.

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir

From the adjutant General of the army - Reporting the death of Lieutenant Seymour and recommending promotion in consequence -

I have the honor to report that —
Lieutenant Seymour of the 10th. Regiment Native Infty
Died at Goa on the 31st. Ultimo.

I am directed by the Officer Commanding the

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the Army to recommend the following promotion in succession to Seymour Deceased.

10th. Native Regiment

Ensign William Shaw to be Lieutenant date of Commission 1st. November 1809

Adjutant Generals Office 16th. November 1809

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) T. H. S. Conway
adjt. Genl.

Resolution thereon.—

Resolved that the promotions recommended in the foregoing letters be authorized and published in G.O.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir.

From the Adjutant General of the Army. Recommending that Captain Babers furlough may commence from the date of his Embarkation for Europe.

Captain Baber of the 16th. Regiment Native Infantry who obtained leave to proceed to Europe in May last having subsequently signed the Declaration required by Government on the 26th. July and remained at Tellicherry under an Idea that his Services would be required. I am therefore directed by the Officer Commanding the Army to request

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request you will state his recommendation to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, that Captain Babers Furlough may commence from the date of his embarkation for Europe, which will be by the next earliest opportunity. -

Adjutant Generals Office 18th. November 1809.

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

(Signed) T. H. S. Conway adjt. Genl.

Resolution thereon. - Resolved that the date of Captain Babers furlough shall in conformity to the recommendation contained in the foregoing letter be considered to Commence from the date of his embarkation for Europe whenever that event may take place and that the same be published in G. O.

Read the following letter from the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the army in Chief. -

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To

J. H. Peile Esqr.

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

Fort St. George

Sir

From the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. Forwarding applications from Mr. Assistant Surgeon Johnston for remuneration on account of a Charger deceased requesting that Cadets pay may be allowed to Mr. Sharpe until the next fleet be despatched. -

I have the honor to forward by direction of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief the accompanying applications from Mr. Assistant Surgeon Johnston of the 4th. Regiment Native Cavalry for the usual remuneration authorized by the Regulations of the Service for a Regimental Charger which it appears by the Certificate of the Officer Commanding the Corps died in consequence of an epidemical disorder which raged in one of the Troops of the 4th. Major General Gowdie requests the Letter and Certificate may be submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor General for sanction to the disbursement of the usual Sum allowed. -

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief has received a Statement from Mr. Samuel Sharpe, late a Cadet on this Establishment setting forth

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forth the very distressed situation in which he has been for some time and is now placed owing to being prevented proceeding to England by the last Fleet having been a few days previous to his intend-ed embarkation plundered by Robbers of almost every thing he possessed - The Honorable the Governor in Council having permitted Mr. Sharpe to resign the Honorable Companys Service was pleased to authorize an allowance of Cadets Pay to that Gentle-man until the first opportunity should offer of his returning to England, of that opportunity he has been deprived by misfortune and at the same time of all means of subsistence unless the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council will bounteously extend to him the indulgence of Cadets Pay until the next Fleet may be Dispatched -

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

(Signed) John R. Vernon

Milty Secy to the Commr in Chief

Comm.r in Chiefs Office

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To

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To the Adjutant General of the Army

Fort St. George

Sir.

Having on the 21st. Inst. lost a valua-
-ble Regimental Horse by an expredemical disorder
which lately appeared in the 6th. Troop of the 4th. Regi-
-ment and of which eight Horses have died in a short
space of time - I request you will be pleased to
submit to Major General Gowdie Commanding the
army my application for the remuneration granted
to Officers under similar circumstances by the
14. Para of the 4th. Section of the present Regulations

The above Disease has appeared by
a sudden and very violent inflamation and
Swelling of the Gullet proceeding rapidly to a
fatal termination notwithstanding the earliest
application of the most active remedies - It has
however been apparently checked by the necessary
measure of removing the Troop to a situation

at

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at a distance from the Corps. -

Camp at Saulnah [Signd] Alex Johnston

26th. October 1809. Asst. Surgeon 4th. Regt. NC

I do hereby Certify that Mr. Assistant Surgeon A Johnston of the 4th. Regiment Native Cavalry has lost a valuable Regimental Horse (formerly selected by permission from the ranks) by an Epedemical disease, which lately prevailed in the 6th. Troop of the 4th. Regi. -ment and of which eight Horses have died sued. -denly. - Also that with the view of preventing the - farther extension of the disease that Troop has been removed by order of the Officer Commanding the Detachment to a situation at some distance from the Corps. -

Saulnah [Signd] A. Davidson

26th. October 1809. - Capt.n & Senior Officer in Charge 4th. Regt. Cav.y

Resolution thereon. - Resolved that the usual remunera. -tion be granted to Mr Assistant Surgeon Johnston for the charger dead of an epedimic disorder as recommend -ed in the foregoing letter and that the Military -

Auditor

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Auditor be furnished with intimation of the Boards resolution on this subject for his information and guidance -

The application of Mr. Sharpe being irregular the Board deem it unnecessary to take further notice of it.

Read the following letter from the Military Board :

To the Right Honorable Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord

From the Military Board. Reporting that the General Agents for Cavalry Supplies has been directed to remain in Bevar and that the appointment of an Assistant was unnecessary - Recommending that an advance may be made to the Commercial Resident at Cangaram for the Construction of 200 private Tents. Submitting a plan and Estimate for a new Sail at Tinnevelly. Observing that plans and Estimates of new Sails had not been Called for but that Estimates

Para 1 We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from the Chief Secretary of Government dated the 31st. Ultimo to which we shall reply as soon as we shall have obtained information respecting the appropriation of the cloth which appears to have been issued from the Stores of the Honorable Company at Seringapatam. We have also the honor to acknowledge the receipt of two

letters

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Estimates for rendering the present Tails sicure were required.

letters from the Secretary of Government in the Milit-
-tary Department dated the 25th. and 28th. Ultimo
and to report that the necessary orders have in con-
-sequence been given.

2 We beg leave to report for the
information of your Lordship in Council that we have
given instructions to the General agent for Cavalry
Supplies who is now at Saulnah to remain for the
present in the province of Berar and to employ
his services until further orders with the Corps of
Cavalry about to be assembled in that quarter. We
have therefore the honor to offer our opinion that
the appointment of Captain Patterson as assistant
General agent for Cavalry Supplies will no longer be
necessary when the Cavalry at present under the
immediate Command of Lieutenant Colonel Conran
shall have joined the other Corps already in advance

3 The Quarter Master General of
the Army having suggested that a further supply
of 200 private tents should be prepared for the

immediate

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immediate service of the troops employed beyond the frontier we have thought it necessary to request the Commercial Resident at Ingeram to proceed with the construction of them. If this measure be approved of by your Lordship in Council we would recommend that an advance of Pagodas 1935.— may be made without delay to Mr. Douglas to enable him to comply with our orders on this subject

4 The Superintending Engineer of the Southern Division of the Army having proceeded under the orders issued by us on receipt of the instructions of Government dated the 17th of March last to the inspection of the Civil Jails in that Division we have the honor to lay before the Government an extract of the report of that Officer on the state of the Jail of Tinnevelly. He has reported that the present one is not capable of being repaired with advantage and has accordingly submitted the accompanying plan and estimate for erecting a new one. The Chief Engineer in a minute of

which

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which we enclose an extract has expressed his opinion that the proposed new Jail is extremely well arrang=ed. The estimate amounts to Pagodas 4842.25.55.- which we submit for the consideration of your Lordship in Council.-

5 The report of the Superintending Engineer on the existing jail at Coombacoonum is equally unfavorable as his report on the jail at Tinnevelly. He is now employed in the preparation of plans and estimates for a new one, which when received will be submitted to your Lordship in Council. We consider it necessary to state that the plans and estimates for new jails have not been called for by us and we have the honor to forward for the information of Government a Copy of our instructions to the Officer Command=ing the Southern Division which agreeably to the tenor of the minute of Council forwarded for our information and guidance with the letter from the Secretary in the Military department

dated

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dated the 17th. March had it only in view to obtain estimates of the expence of rendering the present jails more secure.

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6th. November 1809.

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

/Signed/ Fr.s Gowdie
E. Prahaud
T. Clarke
P. Bruce
I. Munro
T. H. S. Conway

Extract of a letter from the Superintending Engineer in the Southern Division to the Chief Engineer. dated 7th. September 1809.

I have also the honor to forward for your approval a Plan, Elevation, Section and Estimate for a new Jail at Palamcottah, the old one being both from its distance from the Court House and insecurity unfit for such purpose, and belongs properly to the Collector's Cutcherry.

(A true Extract)

/Signed/ Thos. Macleane
Dy. S.G.M.G.
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Estimate of the Expence of building a Jail at Palamcottah to contain 200 Prisoners by order of the Military Board at the Current prices of that Station.

Measurement

| Length | Breadth | Height | Superf.t Ft. | Feet | Cubic Feet | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 262 | 4½ | 5 | Cubic Yd. | | 218¼ | |
| 127 | 3½ | 5 | D. | | 82¼ | |
| 162 | 2½ | 5 | D. | | 75 | |
| 37½ | 2 | 4 | D. | | 11⅛ | |
| 92 | 2 | 2½ | D. | | 17 | |
| 141 | 1¾ | 2 | D. | | 18¼ | |
| | | | Total | | 421⅞ | excavation |
| 262 | 4½ | 5 | " | " | 5895 | |
| 127 | 3½ | 5 | " | " | 2222½ | |
| 162 | 2½ | 5 | " | " | 2025 | |
| 37½ | 2 | 4 | " | " | 300 | |
| 92 | 2 | 2½ | " | " | 460 | |
| 141 | 1¾ | 2 | " | " | 493½ | |
| | | | | | 11,396 | Foundation |
| 254 | 3 | 7 | " | " | 5334 | Side Walls |
| 127 | 2½ | 7 | " | " | 2,222½ | Partition walls |
| 162 | 1½ | 10½ | " | " | 2551½ | Cross Walls |
| 137 | 1½ | 1 | " | " | 205½ | Filling Spandles |
| 394 | 1 | 1 | " | " | 394 | Cornice |
| 129½ | 1¼ | 7 | " | " | 1133⅛ | Walls of the Condemned Cells |
| 141 | 1¼ | 6 | " | " | 1057½ | D. Travers |
| | | | Total | | 24,294⅛ | Brick in Chunam |

| | Pag.s | Fan.s | Cash | | Pag.s | Fan.s | Cash | | Pag.s | Fan.s | Cash |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | " 5 . Pft. Yd. | 50 | 9 | 30 | | | | |
| | | | | 2 40 Pft. Ft. | 1446. | 3. | 25 | | | | |
| Carried over Pag.s | | | | | 1496 | 12 | 55 | | | | |

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Measurement

| Length | Breadth | Height | Superficies Ft. | Feet | Cubic feet | | Pag.s | Feet | Cubic |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | Brought over Pag.s | 1496 | 12 | 55 |
| 254 | 22 | 1 | . | . | 5588 | Arch Work for the Prisoners rooms | | | |
| 36 | 12 | 1 | . | . | 432 | D. Condemned Cells | | | |
| | | | Total | | 6020 | Arch Work | . 3 | 60 | ₩ft. fet 537 28 . |
| 254 | 44 | . | 111 | 76 | . | | | | |
| 36 | 24 | . | 8 | 64 | . | | | | |
| 546 | . | 7 | 38 | 22 | . | | | | |
| 224 | . | 10½ | 23 | 52 | . | | | | |
| | Total | | 182 | 14 | . | Plastering with two Coat Chunam | 2 | . . | ₩s. Sq.s 364 11 60 |
| 282 | . | 2 | 5 | 64 | | D. one . D. | 1 | . . | D. 5 26 70 |
| 235 | 14 | . | 32 | 90 | . | | | | |
| 30 | 7 | . | 2 | 10 | . | | | | |
| | Total | | 35 | . | | Wall Brick on Edge in Chunam underneath Selly | 3 | 31 40 | D. 131 10 40 |
| . | 3½ | 5½ | . | 154 | | 8 Doors | | | |
| . | 3 | 5 | . | 120 | | 8 D. | | | |
| | | | Total | 274 | | Country wood single batten Door with hinges large bolt and hooks fixed, run with lead | . 8 | . | ps ft. 52 8 . |
| . | 3 | 5 | . | 60 | 4 | . Door and frames with hooks hinges and bolts &c. | . 9 | . | D. 12 36 . |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| " | 3 | 3½ | " | 23½ | 22 | D. batten Window Shutters with hinges and fastnings D. D. | " | 7 | " | D. | 38 | 2½ | " | | | | |
| " | " | " | " | " | 1540 lbs | Worked up Iron bars for the Windows | 1 | " | " | per 20 lbs | 77 | " | " | | | | |
| | | | | | 16 | strong double bolt Padlocks | 1 | 2½ | — | per each | 24 | " | " | 2739 | 2½ | 65 | |
| | | | | | | 2 Terraced Cook Rooms | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 67 | 2½ | 5 | Cubic yard | | 33 | excavation | " | 5 | " | ₱ Cub. yd. | 3 | 29 | " | | | | |
| 67 | 2½ | 5 | " | " | 837½ | Foundation | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 67 | 1½ | 10 | " | " | 1005 | Wall | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Total | | | 1842½ | Brick in Chunam | " | 2 | 40 | D. | 109 | 23 | 20 | | | | |
| 44 | 44 | " | 6 | 16 | " | Country wood beams, Joists, Brick on Edge 3 rows of flat Tyles and 3 Coat Chunam | 17 | 36 | 60 | ₱ Sq. | 110 | 4 | 49 | | | | |
| " | " | " | 4 | " | " | Wall brick on Edge in Chunam underneath Jelly | 3 | 31 | 40 | D. | 15 | " | " | | | | |
| | | | | | 20 | Fogongs brick in Clay | " | 1 | 40 | each | " | 30 | " | | | | |
| " | 3½ | 6 | " | 42 | " | 2 Country wood door with hinges large bolt and hooks fixed run in with lead | " | 8 | " | ₱ Sq. | 8 | " | " | | | | |
| " | 3 | 3½ | " | 42 | " | 4 D. " Window Shutters with hinges and fastnings D. D. | " | 7 | " | D. | 7 | " | " | 254 | 7 | 69 | |
| | | | | | | Terraced Guard room and Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 132 | 2½ | 5 | Cubic yard | | 61¼ | Digging foundation | " | 5 | " | ₱ Cub. yd. | 7 | 11 | 50 | | | | |
| 132 | 2½ | 5 | " | " | 1650 | Foundation | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 132 | 1½ | 10 | " | " | 1980 | Wall | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Total | | | 3630 | Brick in Chunam | " | 2 | 40 | ₱ C. ft. | 216 | 3 | " | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 223 | 14 | 50 | |
| | | | | | | Carried Over Pag.ᵉ | | | | | | | | 2993 | 29 | 54 | |

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| Measurement | | | Superficies | | | | Pags. Fans. Cash | Pags. Fans. Cash | Pags. Fans. Cash |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Length | Breadth | Height | Sq. Feet | Feet | Cubic Feet | | | | |
| | | | | | | Brought over Pags. | | 223 14 50 | 2093 29 54 |
| 42 | 16 | . | 6 | 72 | . | Terrace with Country wood beams Joists brick on Edge 3 rows of flat Tyles and 3 Coat Chunam | 17 36 60 pcs Sqr. | 120 5 3 | |
| 37 | 14 | . | 5 | 18 | . | Brick on Edge in Chunam underneath Jelly | 3 31 40 Do. | 19 17 68 | |
| 264 | . | 10 | 26 | 40 | . | Plastering with 2 Coat Chunam | 2 . . Do. | 52 33 48 | |
| . | 4½ | 6½ | . | 29¼ | . | 1 Door for the Gate. | | | |
| . | 3½ | 6 | . | 42 | . | 2 . Guard room and Hospital | | | |
| | | Total | 744 | | | Country wood Door with hinges large Cross bolt and hooks fixed run in with lead | — 8 — pcs | 13 24 . | |
| . | 3 | 3½ | . | 31½ | . | Do. Do. 3 Window Shutters hinges and fastnings hooks Do. Do. | . 7 . Do. | 5 10 10 | 434 21 49 |
| | | | | | | Necessaries | | | |
| 40 | 1½ | 2 | . | . | 160 | Foundation | | | |
| 100 | 1½ | 6 | . | . | 300 | Wall | | | |
| | | Total | 460 | | | Brick in Chunam | . 2 10 pcs | 26 8 . | 26 8 . |
| | | | | | | Well 20 Feet Deep & 5 feet Diameter | | | |
| | | Cub yds | 23½ | | | excavation | . 8 . pcs | 4 11 . | |
| | | | | | 2715 | Brick in Chunam | . 2 10 pcs | 16 7 5 | 20 18 5 |
| | | | | | | 8 Cess-pools with Drains | | | |

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 84 | 3/4 | 3 | . | . | 756 | 8 Cess pools | | | | | |
| 446 | 3/4 | 1 | . | . | 167½ | Drains | | | | | |
| | | | | | Total 9234 | Brick in Chunam with Parapet Wall | . | 2 | 40 | D. | 54 40 8 |
| . | . | . | 1 | 68 | " | Plastering with 2 Coat Chunam Dº | 2 | . | " | p Sqr. | 3 15 9 58 13 17 |

Compound Wall

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 514 | 3½ | 5 | Cubic Yd. | 333⅓ | | Excavation | . | 5 | . | pCyd | 39 27 50 |
| 514 | 3½ | 5 | . | " | 8995 | Foundation | | | | | |
| 514 | 2 | 12 | " | " | 12336 | Wall | | | | | |
| | | | | | Total 21331 | Brick in Chunam | . | 2 | 40 | pCft. | 1,269 29 40 1,309 15 10. |

Total Star Pagodas ..... 4,342 21 55

Trichinopoly
7th September 1809.

/Signed/ J. Fotheringham
Supg Engr Southern Division

A true Copy
/Signed/ Thos. Macleane
D. S. Mily Bd.

Extract

Copy of Letter dated 21st November 1809

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Extract of a Minute of the Chief Engineer Dated 15th. October 1809.

The Chief Engineer has the honor to lay before the Board Plan and Estimate for erecting a Jail at Palamcottah to contain 200 Prisoners received from Captain Fetheringham and begs to report that the above Estimate is found on examination to be prepared on a just Calculation of prices of Labor and materials.

"The Plan for the proposed Jail at Palamcottah appears to be extremely well arranged for a Building of the kind and the Estimate provides for Constructing it in the most permanent manner which will be found to be economy in the end and ought in the opinion of the Chief Engineer to be recommended for adoption"

A true Extract

(Signed) Thos. Macleane

D. S. Mily Board

To

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Fort St. George 25th November 1809

To the Officer Commanding
the Southern Division of the Army

Sir

The Government having com-
=municated to the Military Board the accom-
=panying extract of a letter from the Second
Judge of Circuit in the Southern Division,
relative to the state of the Jails at Salem,
Darrapooram, Madura, Tinnevelly and Com-
=baconum, with instructions to direct the Superin-
=tending Engineer of that Division to examine
their state and submit with as little delay
as possible estimates of the expence of —
rendering them more secure I have been
directed to request that you will order Captain
Fotheringham to proceed upon that duty with-
=out delay and that the extract of the letter
from the Judge may be given to him for his
information and guidance. It will not how-
=ever be necessary that he should proceed to

Salem

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Salem as the Military Board have with a view to expe-
-dition and convenience directed another Officer
to examine the Jail at that place.

Fort St. George
27th. March 1809.

(Signed) W. Morison
Secy Mily Board

A true Copy
(Signed) Tho.s Macleane.
D. S. Mily Board.

Order thereon

Ordered that directions be given for
payment of the advance to the Commercial Resident
at Ingeram recommended in the foregoing letter.

Ordered that an Extract from the fore-
-going letter relative to Jail at Tinnevelly be sent
to the Judicial Department.

To the Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto

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

My Lord.

From the Military Board - Recommending Bills for payment.

Para 1 We have the honor to forward the
following enclosed Bills, and to recommend them
for payment - Viz.t

No. 1. Bill of the Garrison Storekeeper
at

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at Masulipatam for arrack served to the Madras European Regiment by order of Major General Pater Commanding the Northern Division of the army, amounting to Pagodas 6. 36. —.

N. 2. Five Bills of the agent for the supply of Military Stores at the Presidency for articles furnished for the use of the public Service, amounting to Pagodas 24.345. 32. 2. - the balance in favor of the Honorable Company is Pagodas 15773. 41. 29 which has been paid to the Paymaster at the Presidency.

We have the honor to report to your Lordship in Council on this occasion that a saving of Pagodas 1580. 25. 2 ¾ equal to 8. 10. 32 per Cent has arisen in the supply of these Stores being the difference between their actual purchase and those of the Table of rates. the amount has been carried to the Credit of the Honorable Company in the A/C N° 10 dated 30th. October 1809 in the Bills now submitted. -

We

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Fort St. George
6th November 1809

We have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) F.r Gowdie
E. Trapaud
T. Clarke
P. Bruce
T. Munro
T. H. S. Conway

Orders thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to order payment of the several Bills therein recommended

Read the following letter from the Medical Board

To the Right Honble Lord Gilbert Minto
Governor General in Council
&c &c &c

Fort St. George

My Lord

From the Medical Board. Submitting a General Return of Patients vaccinated, & recommending the request of Dr. Walker for leave of absence.

We have herewith the honor to submit to your Lordship in Council the General Return of Patients stated to have been vaccinated at the Presidency and

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and its dependencies during the month of Septem.
=ber last. -.

2 Doctor Watson our Second Member having solicited three weeks leave of absence from the Presidency for the purpose of proceeding to Verdachellum on urgent private business we beg leave to recommend to your Lordship in Council that his request may be complied with. -

Fort St. George
Medl. Board Office
13th. November 1809.

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

Terence Gahagan Physician Genl.
& President Medical Board
Alexr. Watson M.D.
/Signed/ 2nd. Member Medl. Board
Andw. Berry
3d. Member Medl. Board

Order thereon. - Ordered that leave of absence be granted to Dr. Watson.

Read the following letters from the Military auditor General.

To

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To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord.

From the Military Auditor General. Explaining the mode of adjusting the accounts for subsisting prisoners of war before their being landed. Returning the Bill of the Purser of His Majesty's Ship Rattlesnake and observing that it has not been usual to discharge Bills of that description.

I lose no time in obeying the Commands of your Lordship in Council conveyed in Mr. Secretary Peile's letter of the 10th. Instant desiring me to furnish such explanatory Information regarding the mode of adjusting the accounts for subsisting Prisoners of War on board of His Majesty's Ships before their being landed as the mode observed at Calcutta appears to differ from the usage which obtains at this Presidency. - I have accordingly the honor to state that upon referring to the Records of this Department it appears that my Predecessor in Office Lieutenant Colonel Brunton having entertained some doubts on the subject of passing Charges of the same description altho' Bills of the same kind had before been passed in the

Office

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Office of Audit he accordingly upon the 31st. of May 1804 submitted the subject to the Consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with his reasons as expressed in a letter of the above date of which the enclosed is a Copy. --

2 To what was then suggested the late -- Military Auditor General was honored with the follow- =ing answer contained in the 4th. Paragraph of a letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Depart- =ment under date the 7th. of June following - "The "Governor in Council has not deemed it expedient to -- "adopt the arrangement recommended in your letter "of the 31st. Ultimo". -

3 Since which period the Charges incurred for Victualling Prisoners of War on board of His Majes- =ty's Ships prior to their being landed at Stations under this Presidency have been directed by your -- Honorable Board to be adjusted by the Office of Audit Conformably to the usage of the Service, which from the 31st of May 1806 has been at the rate of

10 fan.

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10 fanams each man per diem - anterior to that date the charge was at the rate of 6 fanams a day for each man but having been represented as not adequate to the expense incurred for Victualling the men was increased to the former allowance and which is the same rate of allowance for European Troops when embarked on board of Ships. -

4 Such being the authority under which the Charges for Victualling Prisoners of War on board of His Majesty's Ships before their being landed are passed at this Presidency, it may perhaps be superfluous to add that the amount of such expense does not rest with the Honorable Company but is brought forward and has been Considered a fair charge on the part of the Company against the Crown in the adjustment of their mutual claims as stated in the Extract of a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors dated 7th. September 1808 the liquidating of these Charges at this

Presidency

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Presidency is therefore only a temporary accommodation.

I have now the honor to advert to the Bill of the Purser of His Majesty's Ship Rattlesnake transmitted with Mr. Secretary Peile's letter for the Charges incurred for subsisting French Prisoners of War taken on board a Privateer belonging to that nation before their being landed at Calcutta, amounting to the sum of Pagodas 258.30 - and have concisely to observe that however unobjectionable the Charges in the Bill in other respects may be, I have to observe that it has not been usual to discharge at this Presidency Bills of that description on account of Prisoners of War subsequently landed and subsisted at the other Presidencies, I therefore await your Lordship's further Commands on the subject and herewith return the Bill of the Purser of His Majesty's Ship Rattlesnake with the papers which accompanied it. -

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

/Signed/ P. Bruce
Mily Audr Genl.

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To

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

My Lord

I have the honor to propose to your Lordship in Council that it may be consider-ed as a Rule of the Service that French Prisoners of War are not in future to become an expense to this Presidency for any period between that of their Capture and their being landed they are the Common Enemies of the United Kingdom and if Captured by His Majesty's Ships should be subsisted whilst on Board by the Purser without its being necessary for the Honorable Company to reimburse such expence so in like manner should they be subsisted when Captur-ed by or put on board of the Honorable Company's Ships on account of which may be kept by the purser and recovered from the Government at Home in no instance should payment be made for

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for the Subsistence of French Prisoners at Sea, but when Cases of necessity render it expedient their being put on Board Country Ships when the usual Subsistence may be paid to the Commanders of those Ships. I have been induced to represent this Circumstance to your Lordship in Council because two trifling Bills of this description have been passed in my Office without my having Considered the subject in the manner I have now represented it. 'tis very true the whole amount of the expences attended on French Prisoners is regularly transmitted home from my Office through your Lordship in Council to the Honorable Court of Directors and the necessary adjustments are no doubt made there it is however of Consequence to lessen this expence as much as possible in the first instance.

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

(Signed) J. Brunton
Mily and Genl

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 31st. May 1804

A true Copy
(Signed) P. Bruce
M.A.G.

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Minute thereon. — The Board concur in the opinion of the Auditor General respecting the claims of the Purser of H. M. Ship the Rattlesnake for victualling Prisoners of war landed at another Presidency and direct the original Bills forwarded by Mr. Sollis on that account to be returned to that Gentleman.

To the Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord.

1 In obedience to your Commands — conveyed in a letter from Mr. Secretary Peile dated the 31st. Ultimo I have the honor to report upon a letter from the Military Paymaster-General respecting the adjustment of Fees upon Commissions of Officers deceased resigned or Cashiered

From the Military Auditor General. Stating that it appears that the amount of fees upon Commissions of Officers deceased, resigned or Cashiered should be written off the Books of the Military Department.

2 Having received and examined the Officers Commissions of which a List had been transmitted with Mr. Secretary Peiles letter I find that the Officers to whom they had been granted are

now

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now dead have resigned the Service or have been Cashiered - On adverting however to the dates of many of the Commissions and the time of the decease of the Officers in whose favor they had been issued it is evident that the Fees upon almost all of these ought to have been recovered which it would seem from the mode of recovering Fees on Officers Commissions then adopted had been neg- -lected but which mode has been directed to be - altered since the 4th November 1808 by G.O. of that date.

3 Under existing Circumstances therefore I am apprehensive the Public will be subjected to the loss stated in the letter from the Military - Paymaster General of Pagodas 472 being the amount of the Fees unrecovered upon the Commissions con- -tained in the beforementioned List because although several of the Officers may have died possessed of Property yet your Lordship may not after the lapse of so considerable a length of time be - inclined to call upon the heirs of such Individuals

for

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for the recovery of the Fees on these Commissions -
Under this impression it appears therefore necessary
that the beforementioned sum should be written off
the Books of the Military Department -

Military Auditor Generals
Office Fort St. George
15th November 1809

I have the honor to be
&c &c

Signed / P. Bruce
Mily Audr Genl

Resolution thereon. -

Resolved that the Military Paymaster
General be authorized to write off to the head of
"Charges Military" in the Books of his Department
the amount of the Fees due upon Commissions recom-
mended in the foregoing letter.

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c &c &c

From the Military Auditor General. With State-ments of advances of Cash made on account of the Presidencies of Bengal and Bombay

My Lord,

I have the honor to transmit
herewith Statements of advances of Cash made at
Fort

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Fort St. George in the month of October 1809. on account of the Presidencies of Bengal and Bombay. the former amounting to Pagodas ------ 256 6. 23. 73

and the latter to Pagodas ---------- 310. 11. —

I have the honor to be

with the greatest respect

My Lord

your Lordship's most Obedient

humble Servant

(Signed) P. Bruce

Mily Auditor General

Military Auditor

General's Office

Fort St. George

26th November 1809

Statement

# Statement of advances of Cash made at Fort St. George in October 1809 on account of the Presidency of Bengal.

## Company's Troops

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Advanced Mr. Thos. Haslam Cadet Rupees 200 at per Bill passed by the Secret? to Government | 57 | 6 | 30 |
| Advanced Captain G. H. Gall Commandant of the Right Honble the Governor Generals Body Guard in arrear for July and August and advance for August and September 1809 | 1258 | 64 | 20 |
| Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto on account of Establishment of D?. for September 1809 | 84 | 4 | 73 |
| Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto on account of Pay and allowances to Mr. Conductor Maxwell Trewen doing duty with the Detachment of the Right Honorable the Governor Generals Body Guard | 524 | 27 | 30 |
| Paid Mr. J. Dunn Purser of the Ship General Stuart his Bills for the accommodation of a Detachment of the Right Honorable the Governor Generals Body Guard from Calcutta to Madras | 1041 | 11 | " |
| Pagodas | 2566 | 23 | 73 |

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Signed/ P. Bruce
Mily Auditor Genl.

Statement

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Statement of advance of Cash made at Fort St. George in October 1809. on account of the Presidency of Bombay

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Kings Troops** | | | |
| Three months Pay and allowances to Lieutenant Lane of the 24th. Regiment as per letter from the Secretary to Government dated 9th. October 1809 | 146 | 11 | " |
| **Company's Troops** | | | |
| Advanced to Jemidar Callbe alby Beg of the 3d. Regiment Bombay Native Cavalry on his Receipt | 123 | " | " |
| Advanced Captain P. Brown on his Receipt on account of Family Certificates of a Detchment of the Honorable the Governors Body Guard transferred to the Presidency of Bombay | 41 | " | " |
| Pagodas | 310 | 11 | " |

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(Signed) P. Bruce
Mily Audr Genl.

Ordered

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Draw thereon

Ordered that Copies of the Statements forwarded in the foregoing letter be sent to the Governments at Bengal and Bombay, with a request that the balance against those Governments respectively may be adjusted in the usual manner.—

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord

I have the honor to represent by desire of Mr. Annesley Garrison Surgeon at Masulipatam that on the Establishment of a Lock Hospital at that Garrison it was found necessary to hire a House for the reception of the Patients at the rate of Five Pagodas pr. Month which has accordingly been drawn by Mr. Annesley since the month of May 1808, but I have been under the necessity of objecting to the Charge in consequence of not having received the authority of Government as directed by the following

Paragraph

From the Military Auditor General - representing that the sanction of Government had not been obtained for the hire of a House at Masulipatam for the purpose of a Lock Hospital, and that the Charge had been objected to.—

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Paragraph of the General Orders dated 2d. September 1806

"When a public building cannot be
allotted for an Hospital it will be found expedient
to rent or erect a House for that purpose on the
Sanction of Government being previously obtained,
the Expence of which must necessarily vary according
to situation and Circumstances."-

Mr. Annesley having transmitted
a Letter from the late Commanding Officer of Masu-
lipatam (Lieutenant Colonel Innes) stating the
necessity of hiring the House in question and the
Charge being moderate your Lordship may probably
deem it proper to sanction the remission of the
Retrenchments and the future Charge of Hospital
Rent in the public accounts. -

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

Military Auditor
Genls Office
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Resolved

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Resolution thereon. - Resolved that the hire of the house by Mr. Surgeon Annesley at Masulipatam for the purpose of a Lock Hospital be sanctioned and that the Military Auditor General be authorized to remit the Retrenchment standing against that Gentleman on this account.

To the Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto

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

My Lord

From the Military Auditor General. With a quarterly Statement of the Expence incurred on account of Lock Hospitals. -

I Conformably to a Resolution of Govern-ment under date 22d. April 1805 I have the honor to submit herewith a quarterly Statement shewing the expence incurred during the months of April May and June 1809 on account of Lock Hospitals at Military Stations under this Presidency extracted from the Disbursements of the different Paymasters and amounting to Pagodas 204-1-10-72.

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

(Signed) P. Bruce

Mily Audr. Genl.

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Statement

Statement Shewing the Expense incurred during the Months of April May and June 1809 on account of Lock Hospital at the under mentioned Military Stations Extracted from the Disbursements of the different Paymasters

| | April | | | May | | | June | | | Total | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Thomas's Mount | 14 | 12 | .. | 17 | 12 | .. | 20 | 27 | .. | 53 | 21 | .. |
| Poonamallee | 23 | 3 | .. | 25 | 18 | .. | 24 | 12 | .. | 73 | 13 | .. |
| Vellore | 49 | 36 | .. | 52 | 13 | 40 | 53 | 30 | .. | 156 | 19 | 40 |
| Arcot | 143 | 14 | 40 | 57 | 25 | 40 | not drawn | | | 157 | 46 | .. |
| Wallajahbad | 25 | 16 | 40 | 20 | 34 | 40 | 19 | 42 | .. | 66 | 3 | .. |
| New Town Cuddalore | 21 | 31 | 40 | 21 | 7 | 40 | not drawn | | .. | 42 | 39 | .. |
| Seringapatam | 21 | 15 | .. | 38 | 21 | .. | 35 | 7 | 40 | 94 | 43 | 40 |
| Bangalore | 67 | 36 | .. | 84 | 15 | .. | 88 | 41 | .. | 241 | 2 | .. |
| Bednore | 7 | .. | .. | 6 | 31 | 40 | 7 | 34 | 40 | 21 | 21 | .. |
| Vizagapatam | 20 | 39 | .. | 19 | 38 | 40 | 20 | .. | .. | 60 | 32 | 40 |
| Chicacole | 35 | 25 | 40 | 30 | 31 | 40 | 31 | 40 | 40 | 98 | 7 | 40 |
| Ganjam | 10 | .. | .. | 35 | .. | .. | 55 | 22 | 40 | 100 | 22 | 40 |
| Bellary | 42 | 9 | .. | 46 | 18 | .. | 44 | 26 | .. | 133 | 8 | .. |
| Goaty | 33 | 13 | 40 | 30 | 34 | 40 | 28 | 30 | .. | 92 | 33 | .. |
| Trichinopoly | 28 | .. | .. | 28 | 13 | 40 | 21 | 19 | 40 | 77 | 33 | .. |
| Masulipatam | 97 | 25 | 40 | 126 | 7 | 40 | 131 | 16 | .. | 355 | 4 | .. |
| Tellicherry | 31 | 38 | 32 | 32 | 10 | 54 | 31 | 26 | 26 | 95 | 30 | 32 |
| Cannanore | 43 | 5 | 60 | 37 | 17 | 20 | not drawn | | | 80 | 23 | .. |
| Total Pagodas | 716 | 36 | 12 | 709 | 4 | 74 | 615 | 44 | 66 | 2041 | 40 | 72 |

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(Signed) P. Bruce M.A. Genl To

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To the Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

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My Lord

From the Military Audr Genl. Submitting — Copies of Correspondence relating to Retrenchments from the account of Captain Morison Explanations.

1 At the request of the Paymaster to the Subsidiary Force at Hydrabad I have the honor to submit for the decision of your Lordship in Council the accompanying Copies of Correspondence relating to Retrenchments from the Accounts of Captain Morrison late Paymaster and acting Commissary of Provisions to that Detachment of Troops in the months of July, august September October and November 1808.

2 As explanatory of which I beg leave to state that Charges for Victualling a party from the Squadron of Horse artillery in the month of June and subsequent months in the year 1808 having been entered in the accounts of the Commissary with the Hydrabad Detachment were in the objected to on audit as the Commissary's Returns had not been received

and

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and as the Detachment of Hose artillery were not employed on actual Service in the Field to entitle the Europeans to receive Provisions at the public expense.

3 On a Recandet part of the Retrench= ment was admitted Viz.t the allowance of dry Batta at the rate of 1 panam and 67½ Cash being the regulated allowance to the European Troops stationed at the Cantonments at Hydrabad and the balance of the Victualling Charges from the 7.th of June the day on which the Detachment of Horse artillery had arrived at Hydrabad till the end of the month of November of the same year amounting to Pagodas 408. 13. 20 still remains Retrenched as I have not considered the Orders given by the Officer Commanding the Troops at Hydrabad sufficient authority to pass Charges which I deemed admissible only in the Field.

4 If your Lordship shall = however be satisfied with the Explanations which

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Lieutenant Colonel Montresor has stated for the Orders issued by Lieutenant Colonel Gore who Commanded at Hydrabad during his absence in the Field for Continuing to Victual the party from the Squadron of Horse Artillery as they were kept in readiness with all their Equipments for Field Service the Extra expense may be admitted and the Retrenchments removed the extra expense not exceeding (with what has been already passed of the Charge) the established rate allowed for Victualling European Troops.

Military Auditor Generals
Office Fort St. George
27th. November 1809.

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

To the Military Auditor General

Sir

Fort St. George

I have the honor to inform you that I submitted the accompanying Statement of Retrenchments in the Provision Department Confirmed

on

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on Readit to Lieutenant Colonel Montresor late Comm-
-mandant of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force with a
request that he would obtain from Government a Con-
-firmation of the Detachment Orders which autho-
-rized the detail of Horse Artillery who were encamp-
-ed for some time in the vicinity of this Canton-
-ment to receive provisions and he having applied
to the Military Board for that purpose received the
accompanying reply marked No. 1 directing that
the Paymaster should make the appeal to Govern-
-ment through the military Auditor General. In
consequence he addressed to me a letter of which
No. 2 is a Copy explanatory of the Cause of the
Horse Artillery continuing to be victualled while
they remained at Secunderabad.

I have now to request that you
will lay the whole of the papers connected with
this Retrenchment from the first replies to Colonel
Montresors explanatory letter inclusive before
Government and I have to express a hope that
the

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the explanations now afforded will induce the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to confirm the Detachment Orders in question Copies of which were transmitted to you from this Office on the 25th January 1809.

Hydrabad 4th November 1809

(Signed) J. Carstair
Paym.r.

N.o 1

To Lieutenant Colonel Montresor.
Late Commanding the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force

Sir

I have had the honor of laying your letter of the 25th Instant before the Military Board by whom I am directed to acquaint you that it will be necessary that the Paymaster of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force should make his appeal to Government on the subject of the Retrenchments of which you have forwarded extracts through the Channel of the Military Auditor General.

The Paymaster should at the same time request that the Military Auditor General will be pleased

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pleased to lay before Government for Confirmation the the Detachment Orders on the authority of which the Horse artillery were Victualled when encamped in the vicinity of Secunderabad and it will be satisfactory that you should explain the Circumstances which led to that measure in order that the military Auditor General may be enabled to state the subject fully to Government at the time he may forward the appeal of the Paymaster

I have the honor to return the ex-tracts of the Retrenchments that they may be sent with your explanation to the Paymaster at Hydrabad

/Signed/ W. Morison
S. M. B

Fort St. George
23. October 1809

A true Copy
/Signed/ I. Carfrae
Paymr

N. 2.

To the Military Paymaster
at Hydrabad

Sir

Having forwarded the Retrench-ments sent me in your letter of the 2d. September

to

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to the Military Board with a request that they would obtain from Government a Confirmation of the Detachment Orders which directed the Squadron of Horse Artillery to be victualled. I have had the honor of receiving the enclosed letter from their Secretary suggesting that your appeal to Government should be sent thro the Channel of the Military Auditor General I therefore return to you the extracts of the Letrenchments for that purpose and for your information have to add that when the Squadron of Horse Artillery arrived at Secundrabad it was expected that orders would be given for the Corps proceeding immediately to Saulnah in consequence of a recommendation to that effect from the Resident at Hydrabad to the Supreme Government. at that time the Head Quarters of the Subsidiary Force was in Candeish, and Lieutenant Colonel Gore Commanding at Secundrabad gave the order no doubt in Communication with the Resident for provisioning the Horse Artillery on the

my

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my return to Secundrabad from the Field in June I found that Corps encamped at some distance from the Cantonment retaining its Field Equipment and in the daily expectation of receiving Orders to march for which reasons the usual System was pursued in Victualling Troops encamped for — Field Service.

/Signed/ T. G. Montresor
Lieut.t Colonel

Madras
25th October 1809

A true Copy
/Signed/ I. Carfrae
Paymaster

True Copies
/Signed/ P. Bruce
Mil.y Aud.r General

Statement

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Statement of Retrenchments Confirmed on Reaudit by the Military Auditor General from the Disbursements of this Office on account of Provision Supplied to the Squadron of Horse Artillery (while the Horse artillery were encamped in the Vicinity of the Cantonment Secundrabad) by Order of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor Commanding the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force for the following Months.

| No. of Vouchers | | Amount of Retrenchment | Total of each Month |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **Provision Department** | | |
| | **July 1808** | | |
| 306 | Captain Wm. Morison Commissary of Provision Charges on account of 67 Europeans of the Squadron of Horse artillery for June 1808 ... Ps. 8 | 8 . 70 | |
| | " Which is retrenched the Commissarys Victualling Return for the above month not having been yet received to enable the Office of Audit to judge of the Correctness of the Charge and also till the Authority for Victualling these Europeans is forwarded as it does not appear that they were employed on actual Field Service Dry Batta at the rate of 1 fanm. 8 67½ Cash p. Day should have been only Charged for them | | |
| 362 | Ditto ..... Ditto ..... Ditto | 12 . 60 | |
| | Carried Over ... | 20 1 50 | |

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# Replies

The required Returns were forwarded on the 8th. October last and the authority for Victualling the Europeans is now forwarded /N° 37/ They were not in Cantonment but encamped at a Considerable distance. –

## N° 37

Extracts from Cantonment Orders by Lieutenant Colonel Gore Commanding a Detachment of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force left at Secunderabad. –

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| No. of Vouchers | | Amount of Retrenchment | Total of each Month |
|---|---|---|---|
| 388 | There is entered paid Ditto ... Ditto for the following Brought Over | 20 1 50 | |
| | purchases &c. on account of a Detachment of the Squadron of Horse Artillery for June 1808 Viz.o | | |
| | 333 Seers of Rice ..... P. | 10. 37. 71 | |
| | 189½ Seers of Salt ..... | 3. 18. 30 | |
| | 152 Sheep ..... | 83. 12. 6 | |
| | 1204 Pounds of Beef ..... | 28. 28. 10 | |
| | Cash paid for arrack Stopped ..... | " 15 " | |
| | | 126. 27. 45 | |
| | Which is Retrenched Vide Remark on Voucher N.306 on the reverse | | |
| | N.B. with the exception of Pag.s 0.37.71 above Charged the remainder will be passed under the Head of "Charges Military" if the Reply on Reaudet is found satisfactory | | |
| | Deduct admitted on Reaudet | | |
| 388 | From the Charge for Purchases &c. on account of a Detachment of the Squadron of Horse Artillery for June 1808 Retrenched from Captain Morison Commissary of Provisions there is admitted batta @ 1 fan.m 86 7/12 Cash p.r day p.r man for 67 Europeans - 32.15.75 - Remainder is Inadmissible Vide Voucher N.306 ..... | | |
| 306 | N.B The Charge for Victualling Europeans of the Squadron of Horse Artillery Retrenched from Captain Wm. Morison is inadmissible until the Cantonment Orders forwarded dated 16.th May and 7.th June 1808 authorizing this detail to be Victualled is Confirmed by Government ..... | 44 12. | 64 13 50 |
| | Carried Over ..... | | 64 13 50 |

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16th May 1808

The Paymaster will be pleased to receive in the usual manner all Arracks and Provisions that has arrived with the Detachment of Horse Artillery and from tomorrow supply them with such on the Customary Indents being made out on him -

7th June 1808

The Division of Horse Artillery arrived this day will encamp on the Race Ground with the Detachment of the Corps now there. The Commissary of Provisions will supply them with Arrack and Provisions from this day inclusive and all Extra Field Establishments to be struck off. Doolies to be returned to Store and the Bearers to be given in Charge to the Paymaster.

True Copies
Signed / T. H. S. Conway
Depy adjt Genl.

Vide Voucher N° 37 and Remark on Voucher N. 306 of this Audit and it is requested that the Sum of Pags 10..37-7½ may be admitted under the Head of "Military Board" Provision Department as in the Reaudit of March Voucher N° 291 -

Hydrabad
25th January 1809.

Signed W. Monson
Payr H.S.S.

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| No. of Vouchers | Number of Months | | Amount of Retrenchments | | | Total of each Month | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | August 1808 | | | | | | | |
| | | Brought Over | | | | 64 | 13 | 50 |
| 309 | | | | | | | | |
| 321 | Original Retrenchment | | | | | 12 | 26 | 20 |
| | admitted on Readdet | | 69 | 9 | 38 | | | |
| | | | 87 | 2 | 22 | 62 | 7 | 16 |
| | | | | | | 74 | 33 | 36 |
| | September 1808 | | | | | | | |
| 256 | | | | | | | | |
| 257 | | | | | | 8 | 5 | 72 |
| 303 | | | | | | 8 | 15 | 76 |
| 310 | Original Retrenchment | | | | | 12 | 10 | |
| | admitted on Readdet | | 175 | 11 | 74 | | | |
| | | | 95 | 10 | 70 | 30 | 1 | 4 |
| | | | | | | 109 | 20 | 72 |
| | October 1808 | | | | | | | |
| 247 | | | | | | | | |
| 297 | | | | | | 8 | 26 | 1 |
| 286 | Original Retrenchment | | | | | 12 | 41 | 60 |
| | admitted on Readdet | | 134 | 27 | 36 | | | |
| | | | 97 | 41 | 20 | 36 | 31 | 16 |
| | | | | | | 58 | 8 | 77 |
| | November 1808 | | | | | | | |
| 230 | | | | | | | | |
| 271 | | | | | | 8 | 20 | 79 |
| 266 | | | | | | 12 | 11 | |
| 266 | Original Retrenchment | | | | | 54 | 3 | 23 |
| | admitted on Readdet | | 116 | 44 | 6 | | | |
| | Hydrabad Pay Office Secunderabad 1st September 1809 | | 90 | 8 | 8 | 26 | 35 | 78 |
| | | | | | | 101 | 26 | 25 |
| | | Total Star Pagodas | | | | 408 | 13 | 20 |

A true Copy E. E. P.r
(Signed) P Bruce Maj

(Signed) J Carfrae Pay.r

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Replies

August 1808

Vide preceding Months remarks No. 306

321 Vide explanation given in the Replies for July Retrenchment.

Signed/ W. Morison
Pay.r H. S. F.

Hydrabad
14th. Feb.y 1809

September 1808

256 } The Retrenchment has been admitted in former Months and the required
257 }
363 } Returns were forwarded on the 27th. October 1808.

310 Vide Captain Morisons Reply to similar Retrenchments in July 1808 audit Voucher No. 306

Hydrabad
6th. April 1809

Signed/ W. Ormsby
acty Pay.r H. S. F.

October 1808

247 }
279 } Vide Captain Morisons Reply to Similar Retrenchments in July 1808 Voucher No. 306

286 Vide ..... Ditto ..... Ditto

Hydrabad
5th. May 1809

Signed/ W. Ormsby
acty Pay.r H. S. F.

November 1808

230
271
266 } Vide Captain Morisons Reply to Similar Retrenchments in July
& 1808 audit Voucher No. 306.
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Hydrabad
3d. June 1809

Signed/ J. Carfrae
Pay.r H. S. F.

The

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Minute thereon. -

The Board consider the circumstance of the Party of Horse artillery mentioned in the foregoing letter being kept in readiness to take the Field of sufficient weight to justify the charges incurred for Victualling them in like manner as if they had actually been on Field Service, and accordingly direct that the Military Auditor General be authorized to remit the Retrenchment from the disbursements of Captain Morison late Paymaster at Hydrabad which has been made on that account.

Read the following letters from the Military Paymaster General

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Fort St. George

Sir

From the Military Paymaster General Enclosing Copy of a letter from Mr. Paymaster Robson requesting leave of absence for three months.

I have the honor to transmit Copy of a letter from Mr. Paymaster Robson of the 8th Inst. and request it may be submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council and his Lordships

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Fort St. George 25th. November 1809

Lordships permission obtained for Mr. Paymaster Robson to be absent from his Station for three months -

Fort St. George 14th. Novr. 1809
Mil.y Pay.r Gen.ls Office

I am &c.a &c.a
(Signed) L. G. H. Murray
M. P. G.

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Sir,

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-ment were graciously pleased to grant me on
my application through you permission to visit
the Presidency on account of my private busines
but I thought it improper at that period to avail
myself of their indulgence as some very un-
-pleasant events had taken place in the army
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the

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the permission some time since granted me if not I beg you will do me the favor to solicit of His Lordship his compliance with my former request to be absent from my duty for the space of three months.

Ballary
8th November 1809

I have the honor to be
&c &c

/Signed/ F. A. Robson
Paymr

True Copy

/Signed/ L. G. H. Murray
Mily Pay.r Genl

Ordered that the leave of absence solicited by Mr. Paymaster Robson be granted.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Military Paymaster General - Enclosing Copy of a letter from Captain Robertson claiming Salary as Commissary in Travancore and an allowance for Stationary - Enclosing a letter from Captain Carfrae requesting an increase of Salary -

I have the honor to inclose you transcript of a letter from Captain Robertson late Commissary of Provisions to the Force in Travancore under date the 7th Instant and request it may be submitted for the favorable consideration of the

Right

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Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

I likewise have the honor to enclose for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council Copy of a letter and enclosures from Captain Paymaster Carfrae of the 8th. Instant and I take the liberty to recommend the claim to His Lordships favorable notice as I am certain from Captain Carfraes Character he would not make the application for an encreased Establishment unless it was absolutely requisite

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

(Signed) L. G. H. Murray
Mily Pay. Genl.

Mily Pay. Genl. Office
Fort St. George
16th. November 1809

To the Military Paymaster General
Fort St. George

Sir

Having completed the duty of Commissary of Grain and Provisions in Travancore as notified in my Letter of 8th. Instant by delivering

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delivering over the balance of those Departments to Mr. Paymaster Macnwaring - I beg leave to sub-
= mit to you the expediency of now laying before the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council my claims to a Salary as Commissary and an allowance for Stationary for that Department and I trust that His Lordship's Generosity will extend that Salary and allowance for Stationary from the Commencement of my Officiating as Commissary on 7th. January 1809 by Order of the Officer Commanding in Travancore until the con-
-clusion of that duty -

Quilon
7th November 1809.

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

(Signed) W. M. Robertson
Late Commy Grain & Provisions
in Travancore

True Copy
(Signed) L. G. H. Murray
Mily Payr Genl

To

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To the Military Paymaster General
Fort St. George

Sir

Some time back I had it in contemplation to apply through you to Government for an encrease of my Salary as Paymaster

It was my intention to draw a Comparison between the duties I had to perform as a field Paymaster with those of a Garrison Paymaster. To state that my responsibility and Disbursements were ten times greater than those of any other Paymaster with the exception of the Presidency one and that my accounts being both for Peace and Field Disbursements, my duty was nearly twenty times as great as that of a Garrison Paymaster disbursing only one tenth of what I did that I was subject to greater expense from the local situation of Hydrabad and that I was subject to great additional expense by being always prepared for the Field which was not

the

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the case with Garrison Paymasters. From the above Circumstances it was my intention to have sug- =gested that I should receive the old Salary of my appointment of Paymaster which I hoped would not be considered unreasonable when it was recollected that in addition to the duties of that Office which had greatly encreased I had become charged with the Bullock and Provision accounts and was responsible for all Retrench- =ments in those additional Departments

Such were the grounds on which I intended to found my claim for an encrease of Salary - I have now the honor to inform you that Captain Jones has been directed by Colonel Close to deliver over charge to me of the Pay and Provision Departments with the Force

under

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under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Conran. I therefore indulge the hope of your recommending to Government such an encrease to my Salary as may appear to you to be advise-able. I beg leave to submit to you a Statement of Corps within my range of payment also Lists of the Establishments of Servants allowed to Major Dowse and Lieutenant Hall at a time when there was not by any means so large a Force as there is now in the Field - and I have further to request that you will be so good enough to recommend such an encrease to my present Office Establishment as may enable me to conduct the duties I have to perform to your satisfaction and to cover my actual Expences -

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) J. Carfrae
Paymaster

Camp near Secunderabad
8th. November 1809.

List

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List of the Corps and Departments under the payment of Captain John Carfrae Paymaster to the Hydrabaid Subsidiary Force in the Field as follow Viz.t

8 Horse Artillery
1 Regiment of H. M. Light Dragoons
1 Regiment of H. M. European Foot
3 Companies Foot Artillery
5 Regiments of Native Cavalry
7 Battalions of Native Infantry
3 Companies Native Pioneers.

Different Departments &.a &.a

Cantonment at Secunderabad
H. M. 33. Regiment of Foot
Half Regiment of Royal
Two Battalions of Native Infantry
Detachment of Foot Artillery Pioneers &.a &.a &.a

One Native Battalion in charge of Stores at Jaulna.

(Signed) J. Carfrae
Paym.r
Establishment

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## Establishment of Servants &c. for the Paymaster to the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force in Camp

| | | | P. | F. | C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Head Writer p. month | | 50 | " | " |
| 1 | Second D. | D. | 30 | " | " |
| 2 | Writers at 20 each | D. | 40 | " | " |
| 1 | Cash Keeper | D. | 10 | " | " |
| 1 | Moochee | D. | 5 | " | " |
| 1 | Head Shroff | D. | 10 | " | " |
| 1 | assistant | D. | 6 | " | " |
| 3 | Conicoplies at 15 | D. | 45 | " | " |
| 2 | Golahs a 4 | D. | 8 | " | " |
| 2 | Peons a 3 | D. | 6 | " | " |
| | | | 210 | " | " |
| | Candles and Stationary for the Pay and Provision Departments in Camp and at Hydrabad | | 30 | " | " |
| | | Pagodas | 240 | " | " |

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# Establishment of Servants &c. for the Pay and Victualling Departments at Hydrabad

| | | P. | F. | C. | P. | F. | C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | **Pay Department** | | | | | | |
| 1 | Head Writer p. month | | | | 20 | — | — |
| 1 | Conicoply D°. | | | | 10 | — | — |
| 1 | Shroff D°. | | | | 5 | — | — |
| 1 | Peon D°. | | | | 3 | — | — |
| | **Victualling Department** | | | | | | |
| 1 | Conicoply p. month | | | | 8 | — | — |
| 1 | Measuring man D°. | | | | 4 | — | — |
| | Butcher and Shepherds &c. | | | | 5 | — | — |
| | Tent allowance for both Departments | | | | 13 | — | — |
| | Pagodas | | | | 73 | — | — |

Establishment

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## Establishment of Servants &ca for the Commissary of Provisions to the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force in Camp

| | | P | F. | C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Head Writer pr. month | 25 | .. | .. |
| 1 | Writer | 15 | .. | .. |
| 1 | Dillo | 10 | .. | .. |
| 1 | Head Conecopoly | 15 | .. | .. |
| 2 | Assistants D. at 10 each D. | 20 | .. | .. |
| 1 | Corporate Assistant Victualler D. | 10 | .. | .. |
| 1 | Cooper | 5 | .. | .. |
| 2 | Carpenters Pay and Batta | 8 | 30 | .. |
| 2 | Smiths D. | 8 | 30 | .. |
| 2 | Hammermen D. | 6 | 25 | .. |
| 2 | Bellows Boys D. | 2 | 9 | .. |
| 1 | First Tindal Pay and Batta | 2 | 83 | .. |
| 1 | Second D. D. | 2 | 62 | .. |
| 24 | Lascars Pay and Batta | 24 | 1932 | .. |
| 1 | Chucklers Pay and Batta | 3 | 9 | .. |
| | | Pagodas | 155 | 2579 .. |

True Copies

(Signed) L. G. H. Murray
M. P. G.

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Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the military Auditor General for his consideration and Report.

To the Chief Secretary of Government
Fort St. George

Sir

From the Military Paymaster General. Forwarding Copy of a letter from Captain Clapham enclosing one from Captain Mackintosh respecting Retrenchments.

I have the honor to forward Copy of a Letter from Captain Clapham late Paymaster in Travancore of this days date with its enclosure to your address from Captain Mackintosh.

Fort St. George 16th November 1809

I am

Milty Paymr. Genls. Office

Sir

your most Obedient Servant

(Signed) L. G. H. Murray

Milty Paymr. Genl.

To

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To the Military Paymaster General

Sir

I have the honor to send you a letter I have received from Captain Mackintosh late acting Commissary of Stores with the Force in Travancore and which I request you will be pleased to forward to its address -

I am &c. &c.

Madras
16th. November 1809

(Signed) Wm. Clapham
Late Actg Paymr.
in Travancore

True Copy
(Signed) L. G H. Murray
M. P. G.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir

I have the honor to forward herewith an Extract from Retrenchments standing against me and which require the authority of Government for the admission of the Charges therein specified The men of His Majesty's 12th. Regiment for whom the difference between Infantry and Artillery Pay was

drawn

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drawn did duty with the artillery under my Command during the time the late disturbances in Travancore continued and will surely be considered well entitled to so small a recompence for extraordinary duty and which was paid to them by me.

The amount of Staff Pay drawn by me from the date of appointment to act as Commissary by the Officer Commanding in Travancore Viz. 8th. February and the date of confirmation of the appointment in G.O. on the 3d. March will I hope be also admitted in consi-deration of the many duties I had to perform in the Ordnance Department during that period and which had become exceedingly extensive from the commence-ment of Hostilities on the 30th. December.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedient humble Servant

Signed/ I I Mackintosh

Capt. Lieut. Artillery

St Thomass Mount

14th. November 1809.

Copy

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Copy of Retrenchments from Captain Lieutenant Mackintosh in the month of May 1809

Detachment in Travancore and Cochin

Vouchers 9 N. Captain I. I. Mackintosh draws difference between Infantry and Artillery Pay to men of the 12th Regiment Foot Viz.t 20 Privates for Jan.y Pag.s 3. 2f. -

10. 37 Privates for ..... D.o ..... 15. 72. -

11. " D.o ..... D.o ..... February ..... 19. 2k. -

12. " D.o ..... D.o ..... March ..... 7. 57. -

Star Pag.s ..... 44. 85f. -

Which is retrenched the Regulations not provid. -ing for this Charge it must be authorized by Govern. -ment before it can pass.

Ordnance Department

Captain Lieutenant Mackintosh draws Staff Pay for 15 Days in February as acting Commissary Star Pag.s 18. 31.40

which is retrenched as Captain Mackintoshs appointment bears Date in G. O. 3d March from which

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which date his allowances are considered to Commence.

(Signed) Wm. Clapham
Late Actg Paymr in Travancore

A true Extract

(Signed) I. I. Mackintosh
Capt. Lieut. Artillery

Minute thereon.—

The Board deem Captain Mackintosh fully entitled to the Staff pay drawn by him on his own account and correct in drawing the difference of batta for the men of the 12th. Regiment doing duty as artillery men ordered accordingly that the Military Auditor-General be directed to relieve that Officer from the retrenchments against him on these accounts.

Read the following letter from the Military Paymaster at the Presidency.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir

From the Paymaster at Fort St. George—With an account Sale of Cast Horses.—

I have the honor to enclose you for the information of Government an account Sale of the Cast Horses the Property of the Honorable Company Sold by Public Outcry the nett proceeds of which amounts to Pagodas 68. 11 ——

Fort St. George
13th. November 1809.

(Signed) I. Greenhill
Pay. Accountt

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Account Sale of the Twenty Cart Horses the property of the Honble Company sold by Public outcry on the 25th 8. 1809

| N. | Colour. | Names. | Amounts. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Dark Bay. | Mr. Dunker. | 5. | " | " |
| 2. | Chestnut. | Samanadum. | | 22. | 40. |
| 3 | Bay. | Jokoyah. | 1. | 33 | 60. |
| 4 | Do. | Do. | 8. | 22. | 40 |
| 5 | Black. | Do. | 10. | " | " |
| 6 | Bay. | Serjeant Troat | 5. | 33. | 60. |
| 7 | White | Vencata Sawmy. | " | 20. | 10. |
| 8 | Bay. | Mr. Lean. | 7. | " | " |
| 9 | Dun. | Ramasawmy. | 6. | 11. | 20. |
| 10 | Do. | Ramakistnah | 2. | 11. | 20. |
| 11 | Black. | Mahomed Hussain | 6. | 33 | 60 |
| 12 | Bay. | Rama Sawmy. | 5. | 11. | 20. |
| 13 | Dun | Serjeant Troat. | 2. | 13 | " |
| 14 | Do | Aboo Saib. | 2. | 5. | 50. |
| 15 | White. | Samanadum | 1. | 16. | 60. |
| 16. | Dun. | Jonasapa. | 1. | 22. | 40. |
| 17 | White. | Hussain Saeb. | 1. | 22. | 40. |
| 18 | Brown. | C. P. Stevenson. | 2. | 22. | 40 |
| 19 | Bay. | Govindoo. | 1. | 2. | " |
| 20. | Do. | Trimalapen. | " | 13. | " |
| | | Deduct criers fees - - - 2. - - | 72. | 11. | . |
| | | advertisement charge - - - 2. - - | 4. | . | . |
| | | Pags - - | 68. | 11. | . |

E. E. F.

Signd. J Greenhill
Pay.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent for the information and guidance of the Militilary auditor

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auditor general.

Read the following letter from the
Major of Fort St. George.
To the Chief Secretary to Government.
Fort St. George.

From the Town Major of Fort St. George — With an application from Capt. Pinau for the restoration of certain papers belonging to him.

Sir,

I request you will submit to the considera
the Right Honorable the Governor General in Coun
inclosed application from Capt. Pinau of the union Pa
Privateer now a Prisoner of War at Poonamalle for t
restoration of certain papers belonging to him whic
were laid before Government in my letter of the
5th " April last.

I have the honor to be.
Sir
Your
" Your
" Your
/ Signed / R. Barclay. Town Maj

A Son Excellence L'honorable Sir G. Barlow
Gouverneur en Conseil.
Pondichery

J'ai ü l'honneur de joindre à mon applicatio
9 avril au Sujet de mon Echange, une copie des engage
contracté par le Capitaine Burbai envers mon Gouver

Je Supplie Votre Excellence de Vouloir
me la faire transmettre, etant de toute Nullité
du Gouvernement de Votre Excellence.

Fort St. George.
13th November 1809.

Poonamallee Le
11. Novembre 1809.

J'ai l'honneur D'Etre &c. &c. &c
Signé Pinau

Ordered that the documents applied

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the foregoing letter be returned.

Read the following letter from the Officer Commanding the Subsidiary Forces in the Deccan

To A. Falconar Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Sir

From the Officer commanding the Subsidiary Forces in the Deccan Stating that he had appointed Mr. Surgeon Gilmour to act as Superintending Surgeon.

Mr. Connell who was Staff Surgeon to the Troops stationed at Saulna having been called as an Evidence to Bangalore and Mr. Boiswell who was lately named Superintendeing Surgeon to the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force not having joined or Reported that he was on his way to the Deckan the Force in this quarter was left without any Medical Staff Officer to Superintend the important duties which will occur in the Medicab Department with the large Force now assembleing in Berar for Field Service — It was also likely that Mr. Boiswell will be required as an Evidence on the trials about to take place at Bengalore and be in consequence prevented from entering on his new situation for some time.

Yours

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Under those Circumstances it became necessary to appoint some Gentleman to Superintend the duties of the Medical Department with the Troops now taking the Field and as there did not appear to me to be attached to the Hydrabad Force or to the Corps lately arrived from the Southward any Surgeon who possessed sufficient experience to be well = qualified to fill that difficult situation, I have been induced to issue the accompanying Order appointing Mr. Surgeon Gilmour to act as Superintending Surgeon to the Force assembling for Field Service in the Deckan until the pleasure of Government be known

I am aware that Mr. Gilmour has = lately been appointed to a similar situation in Travancore, but he being now at Hydrabad having accompanied Lieutenant Colonel Conran's Detachment to that Station it appeared to me that his Services were likely to be lost to the present exigencies of the Service in both situations were he now to commence a journey to the Southern extremity of the Peninsula

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the authority also given me by Government to select such of the Officers holding Staff situations in Colonel Conran's Detachment for employment in the Dekhan as I found expedient I considered in some measure to sanction the step I have taken. I have therefore to request that you will submit the enclosed Order to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council who I trust will under the explanation I have here offered approve of it- I have named Mr. Gilmour to act as a Superintending Surgeon, the importance and Extent of the Duties he will have to perform being proportionate to that Rank, the allowances of which will I hope be granted to him.

I have the honor to be
&c &c

Camp
9th November 1809

(Signed) B. Close Colonel

Extract of Orders By Colonel Close dated Camp at Manwud Wednesday 8th November 1809

In consequence of the absence of
Mr.

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"Mr. Boiswell Superintending Surgeon of the Hyd-
"rabad Subsidiary Force and of Mr. Connell Staff
"Surgeon at Jaulna having been called as an Evidence
"to Bangalore Mr. Surgeon Gilmour is appointed to
"act as Superintending Surgeon to the Force assem-
"bling for Field Service in the Deckan until the
"pleasure of Government be known and will ac-
"company the Detachment about to march from
Hydrabad under Lieutenant Colonel Conran's Com-
"mand" -

(Signed) P. Vans Agnew
Depy adjt. Genl

Draw thereon

Ordered that Mr. Gilmour's appoint-
-ment be published in G.O.

Read the following letters from the
Commissioner at Tranquebar

To Alexr. Falconar Esqr.
Chief Secretary to the Government

From the Commissioner at Tranquebar Enclos-
-ing a letter from Mr. Werlingshoff requesting
a passport to proceed to Ceylon

Sir

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I have the honor to acknowledge the
receipt

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receipt of Mr. Secretary Peules letter dated the 24th. Ulto.

2 On the permission granted Mr. Van Naerssen he has some days ago proceeded to the Presidency

3 In consequence of the communi-cation made to Mr. Werlingshoff he has addressed to me the accompanying letter and from all I have heard of this Person I believe if he be not permit-ted to go in search of a livelihood he will be reduced to a state of misery very soon -

I have the honor to be

&c &c

Tranquebar
Commissioners Office
9th November 1809.

(Signed) Alexr H. Kelso
Comr

To Alexr H. Kelso Esqr.

British Commissioner &c &c &c

Tranquebar

Sir

I am very much obliged for the pass that your Honor will grant me for to go down to Negapatam but it was not that I beged of your Honor - my intention was to proceed from

Negapatam

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Negapatam to Ceylon to look out for an Employment
I understood that the Honorable Government of Fort
St. George as not granted me liberty to go further -
if the Honorable Government not be pleased to
bestow me a pass for Ceylon then I hope to have a
means to live upon for the time I am stopt from
the Honorable Government.

I tell your Honor for Fact that I
have nothing to live upon therefore, I hope your
honor will have the goodness to help a Young man
who is in distress -

Tranquebar
8th November 1809.

I have the honor to remain
&c &c

(Signed) I. L. Werlengshoff

To Alexr Falconar Esqr.
Chief Secretary to the Government
Fort St. George.

Sir

I have the honor to transmit to be
laid before the Right Honorable the Governor General
in Council an application from Mr. Hoefod for
permission

From the Commissioner at Tranquebar. Transmitting an application from Mr Hoefod for permission being granted to Mr De Colons to proceed to Columbo. -

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permission being granted to M De Colons a young man in his employ to proceed to Columbo as well for the benefit of his health as for the arrangement of certain mercantile affairs of his employer. I am unaware of any objection to this request being complied with.

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

(Signed) Alex.r H. Kelso

Comr.

Tranquebar

Commissioners Office

15th. November 1809

To A H. Kelso Esqr.

British Commissioner &c. &c.

at Tranquebar

Sir

Being desirous to send a young man by the name of Debolons who has been in my employ for upwards of 5 years here and in whose welfare I feal much interested on account of his uniform good conduct deligence and acquir-ed informations in Trade to Columbo in January next as well as for the sake of his health which

is

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is seriously threatened by a dangerous com-
plaint of a hectic kind as also in order to settle
some affairs of mine at the said place I humbly
Petition on his part a permission for this
purpose and beg of you in consequence the
kindness to represent this case to the favorable
consideration of His Excellency the Governor
in Council of Fort St. George

I am with respect &c. &c.

Tranquebar
12th. November 1809

/Signed/ I. Hoefoed

Order thereon

Ordered that the Commissioner be
informed that Mr. Werlingshoff is not to be
allowed to proceed to Ceylon until the permission
of that Government has been obtained, but that
there is no objection to Mr. de Colons resorting
to the Island for the purposes stated in his letter

Read the following letter from
Captain Patterson

To

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To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge

From Captain I B Patterson - Stating his determination of being dismissed the Service -

the receipt of your letter of the 24th Instant in-
-forming me of the Determination of His
Lordship in Council of making no deviation in
my favor from the general principles contained
in the G O of His Lordship of the 25th September
I have also to request you will
be pleased to inform His Lordship that it is
not my wish to stand the trial of a General
Court Martial prefer therefore of adopting the
alternative allowed of being dismissed the
Service of the Honorable Company.

I have the honor to be &c &c

Samulcottah
31st October 1809

(Signed) I B Patterson
Captn 2d B 11th Regt N I

Order thereon

Ordered that Captain Pattersons
dismissal be published in G O.

Recd

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Read the following Letters —

from Lieutenant J. R. Gibson

To the Right Honorable

The Governor General in Council

of Fort St. George

My Lord.

From Lieutenant J. R Gibson - requesting permission to withdraw his resignation. -

I have the honor to inform you that I lately made application to the Honorable the Governor in Council of Fort Saint George for permission to resign my Commission in the Service of the Honorable United Company.

Having since met with a severe loss in the death of a near Relation / Benjamin Roebuck Esqr. / on whom my future Hopes rested, I now crave the favor of being permitted to withdraw my Resignation.

Chittledroog
18th. October 1809.

/Signed/ J R Gibson
1st. Bn. 15th. Regt. N.I

To

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To the Secretary to Government
of Fort St. George

Sir

From Lieutenant I. R. Gibson - requesting permission to withdraw his resignation -

I have the honor to send you the enclosed application and hope you will have the goodness to lay it before the Honorable the Governor General in Council and I beg leave to inform you that I forwarded the same before through the channel of the Officer Commanding the Division but he returning it and observed that I was to transmit it direct from myself to Government -

Chittledroog
25th October 1809

Signed / I. R. Gibson

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir

From the late Lieutenant Gibson of the 1st Battalion 15th Regiment Native Infantry - requesting to be informed of the result of a former application -

I take the liberty of writing you these few lines having transmitted an application to Government on the 25th October 1809 and having received no answer to it I shall take it as a particular favor if you will have the goodness to let

me

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me know as soon as possible the result of it, as my situation at present is rather disagreeable.

/Signed/ J. R. Gibson
Late a Lieut.

Bengalore
16th November 1809

Order thereon

Ordered that Lieutenant Gibson be informed that his application to withdraw his resignation of the Honorable Company's Service cannot be complied with.

Read the following letter from Mr. Van Naersen.

To the Honorable Sir George Barlow Bart. K.B
Governor in Council of Fort St. George
&c. &c. &c.

The undersigned Carel Van Naersen lately Dutch Resident at Greesee, a small place on the Island of Java, Subordinate to the Government of Souraboya, has the honor to represent to your Excellency that by an unjust act of authority on the part of the Governor General of Batavia he has under the most futile pretext been torn from the

From Mr. Van Naersen requesting permission to reside at Pondicherry or Tranquebar

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the bosom of a numerous family and removed from his property without being permitted — time to make the least arrangement of his ex- -tensive concerns or to save from an indepen- -dant fortune (the fruit of industrious exertion for nine and twenty years) more than he Chanced to have upon his person at the moment of depar- -ture —

Thus denied the means of Carrying with him the smallest Sum of money he would speedily have been reduced to want had not your Excellency graciously permitted him to visit this Presidency where he hopes to make such an arrangement of his affairs as to secure to himself the means of subsistence.

Entertaining hopes in Common with the majority of his Country-men establish- -ed in the Dutch Colonies that they will soon be delivered from the despot who rules them, as his appointment took place in opposition to

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the manifest wish of the nation and that already
the most heavy and well founded Complaints
against him have been transmitted to the mother
Country. the undersigned requests permission to
await upon the Coast this desired event and flat-
-ters himself from the high idea he entertains
of British Generosity that when it takes place
your Excellency will facilitate the means of
return home to an individual who finds him-
-self plunged into misfortune. because he
endeavored in as far as depended upon him to
repair the insult which a rude and brutal
Foreigner in the Dutch Service had offered
to the English Flag. and because to save the blow
where he Commanded from the Calamities of
War he endeavored after Capitulation to conci-
-liate the good will of Admiral Pellew and the
Commandant of the land forces Colonel Lockhart

The undersigned has the honor to

enclose

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enclose certain papers in proof of what he has ad-
vanced, and he requests that your Excellency will
grant him permission to reside either at Trangue-
bar or Pondicherry as he may find convenient and
to enjoy the same previleges with other Foreign
Inhabitants

The Undersigned has the honor
to be with the most profound respect &c. &c.

Madras 17th November 1809.

(Signed) C. Van Naersen
His Britannick Majestys
Ship Culloden before Griefser
13th December 1807.

These are to Certify whom it may
Concern that during the period the British have
remained in possession of Griefsee Mr. Van
Naersen the Dutch Resident at that place has
conducted himself with entire satisfaction to all
parties and with equity justice and liberality
in the arrangements committed to his execution

The public property and Stores
of

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of every description left on our Departure upon the restoration of Griefsee to the Dutch Flag is deposited in his Custody in testimony of his good Conduct on this occasion.

By Command of His Excellency

/Signed/ Edward Hawke Locker

Secretary

/Signed/ Ed. Pellew

Extract from the Registered decrees of His Excel.
=lency the Governor General.

Benteinzoy 12th May 809. It is resolved that the late Resi.
=dent at Griefsee Carel Van Naerssen be directed to quit this Colony in the English Brig The two Brothers" Captain Johnson now lying in the
=Roads of Batavia because he has made an improper use of His Excellency's Clemency and endeavored to obstruct the proceedings of the Government of Sourabaya.

The Capitaine De Port Von Stak is charged with the execution of this decree.

This

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This extract shall be presented to the late Resident of Grieffsee the above mentioned Von Naersen that he may act in Conformity to it.

Corresponding with the Register

(Signed) (no signature in the copy)
Secretary

Ordered that the following Reply be Dispatched.

To Mr. Van Naersen

To Ditto - Reply to the above letter

Sir,

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council has been pleased to accede to the application contained in your letter of the 8th. Instant, and directs me to desire that you will state for His Lordships information whether you propose fixing your residence at Pondicherry during such time as you may remain on the Coast or at Tranquebar; either is at your option.

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22. November 1809

Sam. & Co. &c.
(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec/ to Govt.

Ordered

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Ordered that the following letters be dispatched.

To Major General Gowdie

Commanding the Army in Chief

Sir

To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief - Captain Thorne Confirmed in the situation of Brigade Major to the Troops at Bangalore -

In addition to my former letter under date the 28th Ultimo, I am further directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to inform you that His Lordship in Council is pleased to direct that Captain Thorne of His Majestys 25th Regiment Dragoons shall be confirmed in the situation of Brigade Major to the Troops at Bangalore to which he was appointed to act in the room of Captain Whyte, and to desire that a communication of His Lordships orders upon this subject may be made to the parties concerned in the manner formerly directed.

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

To

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To the Honorable John Rodney

Chief Secretary to the Government

at Columbo

Sir

Para 1 I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor General in Council to forward for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor the accompanying Copy of a letter from the British Commissioner at Tranquebar dated the 15th Instant.

2 His Lordship in Council has been pleased to accede to the application in favor of Mr De Colons and trusts the same will meet the concurrence of His Excellency.

I have the honor to be &c &c

Fort St. George
22. November 1809

Signed/ I. H. Pecle
Secy to Govt

Major General Gowdie

Commanding the Army in Chief

Sir

I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor General in Council to acquaint you that the Dewan of his Highness the Rajah of Mysore has

to the Chief Secry to the Govt at Columbo. forwards Copy of letter from the British Commissioner at Tranquebar dated 15th November 1809; and states that the application in favor of M. de Colons to be permitted to proceed to Ceylon has been acceded to by the Madras Govt.

the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. tion from the mands for the Dewan Mysore and Governor Hall's Body Guard.

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has been permitted to select from the Remount horses of the present Season 350 horses in lieu of those which he furnished for the use of the Dragoons in the month of July and August last and that the Officer Commanding the Governor Generals Body Guard has also been permitted to select eighty horses for his Lordships Body Guard from the Remount of the present season after the Dewan of Mysore shall have made his selection.

Those selections are to be made before any others - and in the order above specified.

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) J H. Peile

" G H Barlow

"

" W Petrie

" Oakes

" Wm Hamilton

Fort St. George
23d. November 1809.

Ex d Strange

Office Sec. Const. 21st. Nov.r 1809
Pages 1 to 2. Copied by Cyphers
for July 1810. -

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# Diary.

Sent the following Letters.—

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To the President and Members
of the
Military Board

Gentlemen,

Para 1 I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of Your Letters dated the 6th Instant and to inform you that the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council has given orders for the payment of the several Bills therein recommended.—

2. His Lordship in Council approves the instructions given to the general Agent for Cavalry Supplies to remain in Berar.

3 His Lordship in Council has authorized the advance for the Commercial Resident at Ingeram recommended in your letter and the necessary orders for payment will be given to the Military Auditor General.—

4th An Extract from your letter respecting

(1. the military Board informing them that orders have been given for the payment of the several Bills recommended in their letter of the 1st Instant and approving the instructions given to the general Agent for Cavalry Supplies to remain in Berar, and authorizing the advances for the Commercial Resident at Ingeram and stating the necessary orders for payment will be given to the Military Auditor General, also stating an extract from their letter respecting the Salts at Cunnelly and in the Ceded Districts has been sent to the Revenue Department from which they

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They will hereafter receive the orders of His Lordship in Council, on that subject —

respecting the Jails at Tinnevelly and in other Zillahs
Last been sent to the Judicial Department from —
which you will hereafter receive the orders of His
Lordship in Council on that subject. —

I have the honor to be &c &c

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21st. November 1809

(Signed) J. H. Teile
Secretary to Government

To The Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the military Auditor General stating that authority has been given to the military Paymaster General to write off to the head of "Charges military" the Amount of the Fees on Commissions and stating that the usual communications will be made to the Presidencies of Bengal and Bombay of the advances made [illegible] Fees on their account respectively during the last month, and containing the requisitions

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letters dated 15th. & 17th. Instants. —

2. His Lordship in Council has authorized the Military Paymaster General to write off to the head of "Charges Military" the Amount of the Fees upon Commissions advertised to in my letter dated the 31st. Ultimo. —

3. The usual communications will be made to the Presidencies of Bengal and Bombay.

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remission of the retrenchment to Mr. Surgeon Annesley in consideration of his having hired a house for the reception of diseased women at masulipatam, and stating that the orders issued by the Officer Commanding at Hyderabad for continuing to victual a party from the Horse artillery remaining there in readiness to take the field, sufficient to justify the charge, and directing that the retrenchment on that account from the disbursements of Captain morison late Paymaster and Commissary at that Station may be remitted. —

Bombay of the advances made here on their account respectively during the last month. —

4 In consideration of the circumstances under which Mr. Surgeon Annesley has hired a house for the reception of deseased women at Masulipatam, His Lordship in Council is pleased to sanction the remission of the retrenchment on this account and the future charge for the house upon the same terms as it is at present rented at. —

5 His Lordship in Council considers the orders issued by the Officer Commanding at Hyderabad for continuing to victual the party from the Horse Artillery remaining there in readiness to take the Field, sufficient to justify the necessity of incurring that Charge; and accordingly directs that the retrenchment on that account from the disbursements of Captain Morison late Paymaster and Commissary at that Station may be remitted. —

Have

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I have the honour to be

Sir &c &c &c

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Secretary to Government

To The Honorable

L. G. H. Murray

Military Paymaster General.

Sir,

To the military Pay-master General. Permitting Mr. Paymaster Robson to be absent from his Station for three months and retaining Captain Macintosh from the retrenchments on account of the Staff pay drawn by him on his own account and the difference between Infantry and artillery pay drawn on account of the men of the 12th Regiment of Foot.

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letters dated 14th and 16th Instants.

2 His Lordship in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Paymaster Robson to be absent from his Station for the period of three months.

3. In consideration of the circumstances stated by Captain Macintosh His Lordship in Council is pleased to relieve that Officer from the Retrenchments on account of the Staff Pay drawn by him on his own account and the difference

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Difference between Infantry and Artillery pay drawn on account of the men of the 12th Regiment Foot.

Sam Lee Jen.
(Signed) J. H. Peile
Secretary to Government

Fort St. George
22d November 1809.

To A. H. Kelso Esqr
Commissioner at
Tranquebar

Sir

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letters dated 9th and 15th Instant.

2. Application has been made to the Government of Ceylon respecting Mr. Werlingshoff, and until an answer be received he is not to be permitted to proceed thither. With regard to Mr. De Collins the case is different. His Lordship in Council permits him to repair to Columbo and directs that the neces-

sary

To the Commissioner at Tranquebar. Stating that an application has been made to the Governor of Ceylon respecting Mr. Werlingshoff and until an answer be received he is not to be permitted to proceed thither and permitting Mr. De Collins to repair to Columbo and directs that the necessary passports may be granted him.

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necessary passports may be given to him. —

I am &c.

/Signed/ J. H. Pitts.

Secretary to Government

Fort S. George

22. November 1809.

To Lieutenant Colonel Fraser

and

Major Edwards

H. M. 80th Regiment Foot.

Gentlemen,

To Lieut. Col. Fraser & Major Edwards of H. M. 80th Regiment Foot acknowledging the receipt of their Memorial 8th Ultimo and informing them that His Lordship cannot comply with their request consistently with the established rules of the Service. —

I am directed by the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorial under date 8th Ultimo, and to inform you that His Lordship cannot comply with your request consistently with the established regulations of the Service. —

Fort S. George

23. November 1809.

I am

Gentlemen

Your most Obedient Servant

/Signed/ J. H. Pitts.

Secretary to Govt.

Received

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Received and sent the follo-
-lowing letters entered in M. B. Nos 73-74-75-76
77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-

From the military 22d From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce-
Auditor General.
Admitting the Estimate of Cash of the Paymaster
at Trichinopoly and an additional Estimate of
the Paymaster of Vizagapatam -

To the acting Secretary To Mr Adam - Requesting
to the Government at that he will submit to the Honourable Vice Pre-
Fort William. -sident in Council an enclosed Statement of
Advances of money paid at this Presidency to
the Officers of the establishment of Fort Wil-
-liam, the amount of which has been debited to
the Supreme Government -

To the Chief Secretary To Mr Warden - Requesting
to the Government he will submit to the Honourable the Go-
Bombay. -vernor in Council an enclosed Statement of
advances of money paid at this Presidency to
the Officers of that establishment and stating
the amount has been debited to that Govern-
-ment

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Gavernment —

To the Officer Commanding the army in Chief. — To Major General Gaudie — Ad extract from the Proceedings of Gavernment to — be communicated to the Medical Board —

To the Medical Board. — To the Medical Board. — Comm=plying with the Application of Dr Watson for leave of absence —

To the military Auditor Gener=al. — To the Military Auditor Gener=al — Transmitting Copy of a letter from the Mil=litary Board and desiring the payment of several bills therein recommended may be order=ed — also an extract of a letter from the Military Board and desiring that payment of the advance therein recommended may be or=dered. —

To the military Auditor General. 28. — To the Military Auditor General. — Forwarding Copy of a letter from the Military Pay=master General and informing that the returns=ments of the late Paymaster in Travancore — have been remitted, for the Staff pay drawn

by

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by Captain Macintosh on his own account, and the difference of pay drawn for the use of His Majestys 12th Regiment serving as Artillery men, and also another Copy - forwarding Applications from Captains Carfrae and Robertson on the subjects of pay and allowances —

To the Military Paymaster General - Transmitting Copies of the Military Auditor Generals report on the additional estimate of Cash required by the Paymasters in the Ceded Districts —

To the military Paymaster General —

To Do Do Transmitting Copy of the Military Auditor Generals' report on the General estimate of Cash required for the payment of the Army —

To Do Do Informing him that authority has been given for the amount of the Fees upon the Commissions to be written off to the head of "Charges Military" in the books of

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of his department. —

To the Town Major Forwarding

For the Town Major of Fort St George.

for the purpose of being returned to Mr Fraser the

paper required by that person. —

To Mr J. R. Gibson

To Mr Gibson. Deeming it inex-

=pedient to accede to his request for permission to

recall his resignation of the Honourable Com-

=pany's Service. —

To Lieut. Mc Jollies

To Mr Jollies — Returning the

original bills for subsisting Prisoners of War —

as the situation of those described by them —

appears not to be the wage of this Govern-

=ment. —

To

To Sent the following Letters entered

in M. B. Nos 86. 87 —

To the military Auditor General

For the military Auditor General.

With extract from the Minutes of Consultation

21st. Instant. —

To D. D.

To D. D. Transmitting

for his information Copy of a letter from the

military

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Military Paymaster at Fort Saint George with an amount sale of a lot of Cast Horses.

At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable

Lord Minto — Governor General

The Honourable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bt & K.B

William Petrie

Thomas Oakes

and

J. H. Casamaijor

} Esqrs

Friday the

24th November 1809

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved. —

Read the following letter

from Lieutenant Colonel Bell executor to the

Estate of the late Lieutenant Colonel —

Carlisle. —

To

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To The Right Honorable Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord,

From Lieutenant Col. Bell Executor to the Estate of the late Lieutenant Colonel Carlisle - Requesting that Interest may be allowed on a further sum on account of Off Reckonings which the military Paymaster General has called upon him as Executor of the late Colonel Carlisle to pay. -

Having been called upon as Executor of the late Colonel Carlisle by the Pay-Master General for payment of Pagodas 352..31..39 being amount overpaid on account of Off Reckonings for 1802/3. I have the honour to transmit copy of a letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department of 13th October 1808. on a similar occasion respecting the family of the late Colonel Carlisle, wherein Government were pleased to allow Interest being remitted on the amount (570 Pagodas) paid into the Treasury until instructions shall be received from the Honourable the Court of Directors, to whose favourable consideration Government recommended the remission of the Claim.

I therefore hope for a similar favor

to

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to the family, on this occasion, which is the last that can occur. —

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

/Signed/ Robt. Bell.

Lieutenant Colonel Comt.

Executor to Colonel Carlisle.

St. Thomas's Mount

16th. November 1809.

To Lieutenant Colonel Bell.

Commandant of Artillery

Sir,

Para 1. I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the re=ceipt of your letter of the 4th. Instant, and to acquaint you that in consideration of the distres=sed circumstances of the family of the late Lieu=tenant Colonel Carlisle orders have been given for allowing to you Interest at the rate of 8 per Cent on the sum which you have paid into the Treasury on discharge of the Claim against the Estate of that Officer on account of the Office=keeping Fund, until instructions on that subject shall

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Sam Sec Sec

Signed G. Stracey

Secretary to Government

Fort St George

13th October 1808

Resolution thereon

Resolved in Consequence of the distressed state of the family of the late Lieutenant Colonel Carlisle that interest at the rate of 8 per Cent be allowed upon the sum paid into the Treasury by the Executor to satisfy the demands against the Estate until the pleasure of the Honourable Court to whom the subject will be referred is known, ordered in Consequence that the necessary instrument be sent to the Accountant General.

Read the following letter from

shall have been received from the Honourable the Court of Directors.

2 I am further directed to acquaint you that the remission of the claim will be recommended for the favourable consideration of the Honourable Court.

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Fort S.t George 24.th November 1809.

From M.r Chaternet

To The Honourable

Sir G.H. Barlow Bart. and K.B.

Governor of Fort S.t George.

&c &c &c

The humble Petition of

E.A. De. Chatternet

Most Humbly Sheweth,

Petition of Mons.r De Chatternet - soliciting relief and hoping that he may be permitted to reside at Pondicherry

Your Petitioner with the most profound respect assumes the liberty to approach your honour with unfeigned affliction, in order to represent that he arrived from Tranquebar on the 19.th Ultimo, and that on the same day he delivered in person his Passport to the Superintendant of Police.

Your Petitioner humbly begs leave to shew that his arrival at the Presidency having been delayed by a most painful and affective Sickness he has not yet been able to avail himself of the generous offer which your Hon.r has

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has been most graciously pleased to make to—
him through the Commissioner of the Government
at Tranquebar, a Copy of which, your Petitioner
now presumes to lay before your Honor—

Your Petitioner further humbly
shews that he has not received advance of cash
on any consideration whatever, and that he is
now urged by the irresistable Law of hunger and
real necessity to solicit some relief from your
humanity, as your Petitioner possessed nothing
to Support his Children and himself, and no
friend to apply to, and he is now labouring—
under the most painful perplexities, his unhap-
=py Situation having ascended the climax
of misery.—

Your Petitioner most ear-
=nestly request your honour will be pleased
to permit him to go and reside at Pondi-
=cherry till the time of his Embarkation,
in which place his existence will be more—
comfortable

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and where he shall be till his departure from India of the greatest assistance to his two most unfortunate Children and them leaved them to the care of a humane Clergy man. -

In a trial so serious and in the most anxious suspense, Your Petitioner has only to invoke your humanity humbly confiding in it, and praying Sincerely for the long Continuation of health and happiness to Your most respectable and most Honourable Person.

/Signed/ De Chaternet

To M. De Chaternet
Tranquebar.

Sir,

I am desired by the Honourable the Governor in Council, under date the 16th Instant to inform you that it is not considered proper to permit you to reside at the Presidency, but at a particular indulgence, to enable

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enable you to proceed to Europe, authority will be given for the payment to you of an allowance of passage money equal to those of Captains, should you be desirous of availing yourself of the generosity.

2. I request you will signify to me your acceptance or non acceptance of this offer as soon as possible.

Commissioners Office
Fort George
22.d December 1809.

I am &c &c
(Signed) Alex.r H. Kelso.

Order thereon.

Ordered a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Town Major of Fort S.t George and that he be informed that Mr. Chalmer has permission to reside at Pondicherry until an opportunity occur of sending him to Europe.

Ordered that the following letters be sent

To the President and Members
of the Military Board

Gentlemen

To the military Board.
Granting the general agents

I am directed by the Right Honorable

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of Cavalry Supplied the full Batta of his Rank and the usual allowances for two Priv. vate Tents during such time as he is actually on a State of movement on the Public Service, and authorizing the completion of the repairs for the Commanding Officers Quarters at Palamcottah, and the additional Godowns for the Barracks building for the Prisoners of War at Poonamallee. —

Honourable the Governor General in Council to

Acknowledge the receipt of your Letter dated

2nd Ultimo. —

2. His Lordship in Council is

pleased in consequence of your recommendation

to grant the general Agent of Cavalry Supplied the

full batta of his rank and the usual allowance

for two Private Tents during such time as he

is actually in a State of movement on the Pub-

-lic Service. —

3. His Lordship in Council auth-

-orises the completion of the repairs for the Com-

-manding Officers Quarter at Palamcottah, and

the additional Godowns to the Barracks buildings

for the Prisoners of War at Poonamallee. —

I have the honor to be

Gentlemen

Your most obedient Servt

/Signed/ J. H. Teile

Secretary to Govt

Fort St. George.

25th November 1809

To

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To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the military Auditor General. Forwarding extract of a letter from the military Board and granting to the General Agent for Cavalry supplies the allowances therein recommended whilst he is moving on the public Service. -

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to forward the accompanying Extract of a letter from the Military Board dated 2nd Ultimo, and to inform you that Their Lordships in Council has granted to the General Agent for Cavalry, supplied the allowances therein recommended during such time as he may be in a state of movement on the public Service. -

I have the honor to be &c &c

/ Signed / J. H. Forbes

Secretary to Government

Fort St George

25th November 1809

E. C. Bayley

G. A. Barlow

Baker

Ja. W. Casamajor

Office Sd military Consult.
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## Diary

Sent the following Letters.

To George Garrow Esqr.

Accountant General

Sir,

To the Accountant Genl. Forwarding a copy of a letter from the Executor to the Estate of the late Lieut. Col. Carlisle and stating that interest at the rate of 8 per Cent has been allowed.

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to forward the accompanying Copy of a Letter from the Executor to the Estate of the late Lieutenant Colonel Carlisle dated 16th Instant.

His Lordship in Council has been pleased to allow interest at the rate of 8 per Cent on the sum paid by the Executor into the Treasury to satisfy the demands against the Estate on account of the Off Reckoning Fund until instructions upon the subject shall have been received from the Honorable Court of Directors and I am accordingly directed to desire that the necessary arrangements may be made in consequence —

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your

(Signed) J. H. Pitt

Secy to Govt

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To Lieutenant Colonel R. Bell

Executor to the Estate of the late Lieutenant

Colonel Carlisle —

Sir,

To the Executor to the Estate of the late Lieut. Colo. Carlisle - according to his request for interest upon the sum paid into the Treasury by him to satisfy demands upon the Estate on account of the Offreckoning fund. —

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 16th. Instant and to inform you that His Lordship in Council has been pleased to accede to your request for interest upon the sum paid into the Treasury by you to satisfy demands upon the Estate of the late Lieutenant Colonel Carlisle on account of the Offrechoning Fund and that the requisite orders have been given in Consequence to the proper Officer. —

I am

Sir

Your Obt.

Fort St. George

24th. November 1809.

/ Signed / J. H. Peile

Secy. to Govt.

Received and sent the following Letters entered in M. B. N. 88-89-90-91

From the Accountt. General —

From Mr. Garrow - Stating that the Bills had been dispatched for the supply of the Paymaster

Treasuries

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Treasuries for the Month of December. —

From Lieut.t G. Norman —

From Lieutenant Norman - Wishing to be examined in the Hindoostance Language. —

To the Military Pay.t Gen.l —

To the Military Paymaster General - Transmitting copy of the Military Auditor Generals' report on the estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster at Trichinopoly for the ensuing Month and an additional estimate of the Paymaster of Vizagapatam. —

To the Town Major of Fort St. George —

To the Town Major - Forwarding copy of a Petition from a person named Chaterner and permitting him to proceid to Pondicherry and reside there until an opportunity offers of his proceeding to Europe. —

From the Military Auditor General —

Received a letter from Lieutenant Colonel Bruce entered in M. B. N.o 92. Admitting on the additional Estimates of Cash required by the Paymasters at Fort St. George and in the Ceded Districts —

To the Military Pay.t Gen.l —

Sent a letter to the Military Paymaster General entered in M. B. N.o 93 Transmitting copy of the Military Auditor Generals' report on the additional Estimate of Cash required by the Paymasters at Fort St. George and in the Ceded Districts.

Sent

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To the Town Major of Fort St. George —

29th Sent a letter to the Town Major entered in M. B. No. 94 Transmitting copies of a letter from the Commissioner at Trangubar and of the reply thereto dated 8th and 17th Instant —

Sent the following Letter

To Lieutenant Ormsby.
Deputy Judge Advocate

Sir,

To the Deputy Judge Advocate at Bangalore — Transmitting sev Original documents referred to in his letter of the 25th Instant and requesting that they may be returned when no longer required —

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 25th Instant and I transmit herein Six Original Documents referred to in your letter —

I am directed to request that these documents, when no longer required, may be returned to the Chief Secretary's Office —

Fort St. George
30th November 1809

I am &c. &c.
(Signed) A. Falconar
Chief Secy. to Govt.

Lieut

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## List of Original Documents

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| No. 1 | Original letter from Lieutenant Colonel Munro of the 2d. Bn. 15th. Regt. | 3d. August 1809. |
| 2 | D. Declaration referred in the above letter | 3. D. — D. |
| 3 | D. Letter from Major Henny of the 2d. Battn. 19th. Regiment | 3. D. — D. |
| 4 | D. Declaration referred in the above Letter | 2. D. — D. |
| 5 | D. D. of the Artillery | 3. D. — D. |
| 6 | D. D. of the Garrison Staff at Seringapatam | 3. D. — D. |

Fort St. George
30th. November 1809.

(Signed) A. Falconar
Chief Secy. to Govt.

Received and Sent the following Letter entered in Mr. B. No. 95. 96. —

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce —

From the Military Auditor General —

Admitting on the additional Estimate of Cash required by

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by the Paymaster in Malabar and Canara —

To the Military Board

To the Military Board - Transmitting Extract of a letter to the Mint Committee dated 24.th Instant from the Revenue Department —

At a Consultation

Present

The Right Honorable Lord Minto Governor General

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

William Petrie
Thomas Oakes
and
J. H. Casamajor
} Esqrs.

Friday the 1.st December 1809.

Minutes of last Consultation read

and Approved. —

Read the following letter from the Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. —

J. H. Peile Esq.re

Secy. to Government.

Sir,

From the Secy. to the Officer Commanding the Army.

Do. Do. Do.

I have the honor to forward Abstract for

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Army in Letter - Forwarding Abstracts for Surplus moonshee Money and Detail of Moonshee Stoppages for the Moonshees with the Cadet Company - recommending that Captain Freeman may be permitted to draw the allowances of Hindoostanee Instructor from 31st July to 20th August.

for Surplus Moonshee Money and Detail of Moonshee Stoppages for the Moonshees Employed with the Cadet Company for the Months of August and September 1809 for the sanction of Government. —

The Monthly allowance annexed to the appointment of Hindoostanee Instructor to the Cadet Company, not having been drawn for by any Officer from the 31st. July to the 20th. August last, the date of the Genl. Order appointing Captain J. T. Trewman to that Situation, Major General Gowdie begs leave to recommend that Captain Trewman, who was actually in Charge of the Office from the 31st. July may be permitted to draw the Twenty days usual Allowances. —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
(Signed) John R. Vernon
Mily. Secy. to the
Comm.r in Chief.

Comm.r in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
20th November 1809.

Resolution thereon. - Resolved that the Allowance of Hindoostanee Instructor be granted to Captain Freeman for the period he acted in that Capacity to the Cadet Company

and

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and that a Copy of the foregoing Letter with intimation of the Board's resolution thereon be sent for the information and guidance of the Military Auditor General.—

I. H. Pule Esqr.

Secy. to Government.

Sir

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From the Military Secy. to the Officiating Comg. the Army in Chief—requesting to be informed whether or not G.O. respecting Brigadiers Allowances be extended to the Troops serving under the Bombay Government.—

I have been represented to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief by Major P. Richardson of the 2d. Battalion 2d. Regement Native Infantry that on the March of His Majesty's 86th. Regement of Foot. from Agoada. the Command of that place devolved to him as next Senior Officer. which Circumstance is substantiated by the accompanying Extracts from the Station and Garrison Orders of Agoada.— Major Richardson states that the Paymaster at Goa does not consider the Regulation Established by G.O. by Government. dated 10th. June 1808. by which Officers under the Rank of General Officers exercising the Command in Camp or Garrison of bodies of Troops consisting of the Head Quarters of two Corps" are authorized to "draw Brigadiers Allowances," as extending to Troops serving under

under the Bombay Government. but that the Disbursement of such allowances required a Special order from the Government of Fort St. George. - Under these Circumstances Major General Gowdie requests that it may be submitted to the decision of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council whether or not the G.O. of the 10th. June 1808. be extended to the Troops serving under the Bombay Government. —

I have the honor to be

Sir &c.

(Signed) John. R. Vernon

Mily. Secy. to the

Commr. in Chief

Cabo 15th August 1809.

Commr. in Chiefs Office

Fort St. George

20th November 1809.

Station Orders.

On the departure of Lieutenant Colonel Fraser the Command at Agoada devolved upon Major or Richardson of the 2d. Battalion 2d. Regiment. -

Agoada 17th. August 1809.

Garrison Orders.

Agreeably to the Station Orders of the 15th.

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15th Instant Lieutenant Colonel Fraser resigns the Command of Agoada to Major Richardson.—

True Extract

/Signed/ P. Richardson

Major

J. H. Pirle Esqre

Secy to Government &c &c &c

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Military Secy to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief Enclosing an Application from Lieut. Holt for permission to draw a sum equal to his arrears of pay and allowances on account of the Bombay Government.—

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief requests the enclosed Certificates/the one of Pay and allowances the other of the Period of Field Service/may be submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, with an application for permission to Lieutenant Robert Holt to draw a sum equal to his arrears of Pay and Allowances, on account with the Bombay Government.—

Lieutenant Holt formerly stood appointed to H. M. 30th but was exchanged into H. M. 84th Regiment of Foot, to join which Corps he had proposed to proceed by the last Ships to Bombay to effect which he made application for an advance of money, but finding it

too

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too late to succeed in his wishes, withdrew it, and has consequently received Pay to no later Period than specified in the accompanying Certificate. — Lieutenant Holt is at present at the Depôt at Poonamallee awaiting another opportunity to proceed and is much distressed in pecuniary circumstances on account of the length of time he is in Arrears. —

I have the honor to be
Sir &c.
(Signed) John. R. Vernon
Mily. Secy. to the
Comm.r in Chief

Comm.r in Chief's Office
20th. November 1809.

I Certify that Lieutenant Holt of His Majesty's 84th. Regiment has received Kings Pay to the 24th. June 1809. as Lieutenant in His Majesty's 30th. Regiment and the Honorable Company's Allowances to the 30th. September 1809 and to no later period. —

(Signed) M. Jones
Paym.r R. 1. 30th. Regt.
Trichinopoly 28th. September 1809.

Trichinopoly
2d. October 1809.

I Certify that Lieutenant Robert Holt

of

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of H. M. 84th Regiment was doing duty with H. M. 30th Regiment of Foot in the Brigade under my Command from their taking the Field, from the 6th of August until the 24th September 1809. —

I Signed I W. Wilkinson
Coll. Comg. Division

J. H. Pirie Esqre
Secy. to the Government
&c &c &c
Fort St. George

Sir,

Forwd the Military Secy. to the Officer Comg. the Army in Chief — Submitting the Application of Lieut. Cunningham for an allowance while conducting the duties of Barrack Master at Dodegherry —

I have the honor to transmit herewith for the information of the Right Honble the Governor in Council a Letter from Lieutenant Cunningham of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry who acted as Barrack Master at Dodegherry in the Travancore Country, having made application to the Military Board some time back for an Allowance while conducting the duties of that situation, was referred to the Channel of the Office of the Commander in Chief's Military Secretary; Lieutenant Cunningham in consequence addressed that Officer transmitting the accompanying Extract of a Letter from the Secretary Military Board, but authority at that

time

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time not having been given for forwarding it to Government. it was detained. I am now directed by the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief to request the subject may be submitted to the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council. —

I have the honor to be

D.o D.o

(Signed) John R. Vernon

Mily. Secy. to the

Commr. in Chief.

Commr. in Chiefs Office

Fort St. George

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Extract from a letter of the Secretary to the Military Board to my address. By Order. —

Para 2 "In regard to your Application for the Allowances of Barrack Master during the time or you acted in that capacity at Podegherry, I am directed to observe that a discussion of the question will not rest with the Military Board and that agreeably to the regulations under the head of Correspondence your Application on this subject should have been addressed to the Military Secretary of the Officer Commanding

the

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the Army. —

Fort St. George
26th June 1809.

/ Signed / W. Morison
S. M. B.

A True Copy
/ Signed / C. Cunningham

J. H. Peile Esqre.
Secy. to Government

&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Military Secy. to the Officiating Commr. the Army in Chief recommending an Extension of the same indulgence to Mr. Mc. Mullen with regard to the Sick of the 59th Regiment as was granted at the Race Course. —

The G. O. By Government dated 8th of August last having directed that the Expense of the European Sick absent from the Corps assembled for Field Service at the Race Course, should be on those Corps moving chargeable to the Public, the Regimental Surgeons not drawing the usual 60 Cash per diem for the individual so left Sick and Mr. Surgeon Mc. Mullen of His Majesty's 59th Regiment Foot, having, on the march of that Corps from the Garrison of Bangalore been similarly situated with the Surgeons of the Force forming at the Race Course the Officer Commanding the Army

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in Chief begs leave to recommend an extension of the like indulgence to Mr. McMullen with respect to the Sick of the 59th Regiment. —

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) John. R. Vernon
Milty. Secy. to the
Commr. in Chief.

Commr. in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
28th. November 1809.

Order thereon.

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing letters be sent for the consideration and report of the Military Auditor General. —

J. H. Peile Esqr.

Secretary to Government
&c. &c. &c.
Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Military Secy. to the Officer Comg. the Army in Chief recommg. an advance of pay and fixed allowances to Lieut. Cecil —

Lieutenant Cecil of the Madras European Regiment, having been summoned to attend the General Court Martial assembled at Bangalore, and being directed to proceed to that Station forthwith, has solicited an advance of Pay and fixed Allowances in

Annexe

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Arrears for November and Advance of December, as also an advance of one Months Pay and fixed allowances in addition thereto, which the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief requests may be sanctioned. —

Have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most
Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) John. R. Vernon
Mily. Secy. to the
Commr. in Chief

Comm.r in Chief's Office
24th. November 1809.

Order thereon. —

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to order payment of the advance therein recommended. — —

Read the following Letter from the Adjutant General of the Army. —

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

From the Adjutant General of the Army recommending the abolition of the use of Carbines. —

Sir,

I am directed by the Officer Commanding the Army to request you will state to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council. that various reports from Officers of Cavalry, have led him to reflect on the propriety of disincumbering the Cavalry of

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this Establishment of the Carbines at present in use and that the result of his consideration on the Subject, has been a conviction, that the Arm is of more impediment than use, to the operations and active exertions of the Cavalry Soldier —

An experience of 10 Years has fully proved, that Carbines have seldom been employed in Offensive operations, and never been required on those of a defensive nature, and the decisive advantages our Cavalry Forces have always enjoyed, and may ever be expected to maintain add force to the argument, that the want cannot now be felt of an Arm that has fallen into desuse. —

It therefore appears that the Carbine is not a necessary part of a Cavalry Soldiers Arms, but certainly an incumbrance, producing no advantage, that he does not derive in a More eminent degree from the Pistol, — which being used with one hand, is of course better adapted to this description of Soldier, unless Acting in enclosures or dismounted, and neither the face of the Country or the nature of the Cavalry Service in India, renders it at all likely for either of these two cases to occur. —

I have

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Under this idea, the Officer Commanding the Army recommends the abolition of the use of Carbines which tend only to encumber the Trooper and add an unnecessary weight to the Horse, besides which, they multiply the Accoutrements and appointments in a very unnecessary, inconvenient and expensive degree.

The only argument that the Officer Commanding the Army considers to have had any weight in favor of their continuance has been long since removed, this was the prevailing opinion amongst the Natives, that they derived importance and security from them, but experience has conquered prejudice, and the whole Native Force of Cavalry appear anxious to relinquish the use of them, both from a conviction, that they are unnecessary and because they suffer great inconvenience and unnecessary labor in the use of them. —

His Majesty's Regements of Dragoons in India, have for many years laid their Carbines aside the 6.th Regiment Cavalry have not used them since 1807 and the 1.st 8.th Regements have discontinued them on

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Service on more than one occasion, and it appears by the last returns that they have now marched on Service without them. Added to these examples. The 3.d Regiment Cavalry whilst lately encamped at the race Stand, applied to lay them aside and Lieutenant Colonel Hare forwarded their application to the Officer Commanding the Army, with his recommendation that it should be complied with. —

It therefore appears to the Officer Commanding the Army, to be an arrangement of expediency and economy, against which not even prejudice can be argued, to relive the Cavalry from so great an incumbrance both to Man and Horse, and he therefore solicits the sanction of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to make the necessary Arrangements for returning all the Carbines of the Native Cavalry into Store, and making such necessary alterations for equipping them with lighter accoutrements as are suited to the Alteration of the System, and corresponding with those now in use, with His Majesty's Regiments of Light Dragoons in India. —

I am further directed to state, that

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in the first instance the necessary alteration of the appoint-
-ments will require some expence that will be chargeable to
Government, but this will be regulated under the superin-
-tendance of the Military Board with the strictest attention
to economy if the Right Honorable the Governor General
should be pleased to sanction it, and which will ultimately
produce a very considerable Saving, whilst it Adds to the
efficiency of this valuable branch of the Service.—

I have the honor to be
Sir &c.
(Signed) T. H. S. Conway
Adjt. Genl.

Adjutant Generals Office
22d. November 1809.

Minute thereon.—

The Board concur entirely in the opinion
contained in the foregoing letter respecting the inutility of
continuing to draw the Native Cavalry Regiments with
the Carbine and accordingly direct that the Officer Com-
-manding the Army in Chief be requested to issue orders for
abolishing the use of that weapon in future and for
their being returned into the public Magazines. The
Board at the same time authorize that Officer to
make such Alteration in the Accoutrements of the
Cavalry

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Cavalry Corps as may become necessary from the adoption of the foregoing measure. —

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Adjutant Genl. of the Army. Reporting the death of Major Muirhead and recommending promotions in consequence —

I have the honor to report that Major Muirhead of the 18th. Regiment Native Infantry died at Arcore on the 15th. Instant. —

I am directed by the Officer Commanding the Army to request you will lay his recommendation for the following promotions in succession to Major Muirhead deceased. before the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council. —

18th. Native Regiment

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Captain C. P. Long to be Major | | in succession to Muirhead Deceased Date of Commission 18th Novr. 1809. |
| Captain Lieut. W. C. Somerville to be Capt. of a Comp. | | |
| Lt. J. S. Fraser to be Capt. Lieutenant | | |
| Ensign Robert Murcott to be Lieutenant | | |

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most

(Signed) T. H. S. Conway

Adjt. Genl.

Adjutant Generals Office

24th November 1809.

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Minute thereon. — The Board Approve the promotions re-
-commended in the foregoing letter and direct that they may be
published in G. O. —

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir.

I am directed by the Officer Commanding

From the Adjutant General of the Army — Enclosing an Application from Ensign Stockdale to resign the Service. —

the Army to request you will submit the enclosed application from Ensign Richard Stockdale of the 8.th Regement Native Infantry doing duty with the Artillery, to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council. —

Adjutant Generals Office
24.th November 1809.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c.
(Signed) T. W. L Conway
Adj.t Gen.l

To the Right Honorable

the Governor General in Council

My Lord,

I beg leave to resign the Commission I now hold in the Honorable the Company's Service and permit me the honor to subscribe myself.

My Lord &c. &c.
(Signed) Thos.t R. Stockdale
2.d B.r Artillery Resigned

Madras
18.th November 1809.

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Resolution thereon. - Resolved that Ensign Stockdale be permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company and that the same be published in G. O. -

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Adjutant Genl. of the Army Submitting list of Ensigns whose rank has been altered and not adjusted Transmitting a memorandum of the case of Ensign Moberly whose name has not yet appeared in any of the Lists of Cadets —

I am directed by the Officer Commanding the Army to request that you will submit to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council the Accompanying List of Ensigns of Infantry, whose rank it has become necessary to alter in consequence of Casualties that have occurred in Europe, accompanied by a List of Ensigns whose date of Rank has hitherto not been adjusted. —

I have also the honor to transmit by Order of the Officer Commanding the Army a Memorandum of the Case of Ensign Henry Moberly whose Name has not yet appeared in any of the Lists of Cadets received from the Honorable the Court of Directors with a letter to my Address from that Officer, by which it appears that he has been included in the Lists sent to Bengall which makes it probable he was intended for that Establishment

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Establishment. —

Adjutant Genl's Office
24th November 1809.

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) F. W. S Conway
Asst. Genl

List of Ensigns of Infantry whose date of Rank is altered in consequence of Casualties in Europe which were unknown when the Original Promotions were made; and of those to whom no date of Rank has hitherto been assigned but who now become entitled to that set opposite their names. from vacancies having occurred since they were promoted. —

| Names | Date of Rank altered Date of Rank |
|---|---|
| Robert Frew | 24th February 1809. |
| Harry Salmon | 1st March " |
| D.C. Stewart | 1st " " |
| Wm. John Darly | 10th " " |
| John Wilson | 20th " " |
| George Coxe | 1st April " |
| Rodk. M'Leod | 7th " " |
| Nicol Spence | 10th " " |
| | 29th May " |

T. S.

John

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| Names | Date of Rank |
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| John Meyers | 7th June 1809 |
| James Clemons | 29th July — " |

Date of Rank not before fixed.

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| Alexander Bell | 7th August 1809 |
| A.P. Russell | 13th — " — " |
| Richard Shanahan | 18th — " — |
| Richard Cocke | 27th September |
| Charles Wakeville | 7th October — " |
| J.R.C. Montell | 9th — " — " |
| W.L. Barres | 16th — " — " |
| John Watson | 21st — " — " |
| Patrick Corbett | 21st — " — |
| Duncan Montgomerie | 24th — " — Since Affiant and a Cadet of Cavalry |
| Neal McNeill | 1st Nov.r — " |

Memorandum

Mr. Henry Moberly arrived at Madras on the 16th February 1808 with the Cadets of the 5th (or Last) Class of Session 1806 and was admitted as Cadet of Infantry on the 20th February 1808. according to the tenor of his Certificates from the India House. — Mr. Moberly having been

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recommended for Promotion was on the 26th July 1808 -
Appointed an Ensign of Infantry but his name not having
been inserted in any of the Court of Directors Lists his
relative standing in the Army and date of rank could not
be fixed. he has therefore since his Promotion been doing
duty with the 2d Battalion 25th Native Regiment. ——

To the Adjutant General
of the Army

Sir,

In the General Order issued some
months since in Bengal, I perceived my name, as Bengal
Cadet, not arrived, and mentioning the date of rank I was
entitled to viz 9th August 1806. —

This mistake originated, a few
days previous to my leaving England. I received an
order from the India House to proceed to Bengal, and
a day or two before we sailed, it was changed, and I was
directed to go to Madras. I therefore suppose the former
of these orders, must have been registered without be-
-ing altered when the latter was issued. —

The Rank is due to me from my
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having studied, at the Royall Military College. at Mar-
-low. as a Company's Cadet and according to the Regulation
Code under the Head of Cadets. all Company's Cadets study-
-ing at Marlow, are to receive rank from 6 months. after their
arrival at the age of 15. I joined the R. M. College. in
November 1805. and was not fifteen untill February 9th fol-
-lowing. which entitles me to the exact rank given in the
order in Bengal As I passed as Cadet. at the India House
in October 1805 I suppose my name must stand among the
Cadets for the last season of that year. —

I trust this explanation will be suf-
-ficient. to authorise my final Appointment. to a Corps
soon. as I have already been twenty months in this Country,
doing duty with Corps as junior to many Officers whom I
should be much above, were the rank to be settled. —

You will oblige me by communicating
the above to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. —

[Signed] Henry Moberly

Ensign Dy. Dy.
2d. Bn. 25th Rt. N.I.

Madras
27th October 1809.

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Minute thereon. —

The Board Approve the several alterations and adjustment of rank recommended in the foregoing letter and direct that the same be published in G. O. —

Ordered that a reference be made to the Government at Fort William for information respecting the Appointment of Ensign Moberly. —

Read the following letter from the Military Auditor General. —

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord

From the Military Aud. Genl. - stating that he cannot recommend the claim preferred by Col. Gore for Brigadier Allowances supporting in favor of the claim preferred by the Widow of Lieut. Reilly.

1 In Obedience to your Lordships' commands contained in the Proceedings of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council under date the 31st Ultimo, I have taken into consideration the application of Lieutenant Colonel Gore Commanding His Majesty's 33d Regiment of Foot for permission to

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draw the Allowance of a Brigadier as the Senior Officer of the different Corps composing the Subsidiary Force at Hydrabad and have the honor to report. —

2 What has been represented by Lieut.t Colonel Gore respecting the Allowance of a Brigadier being granted to the Senior officers at the head Quarters of the Divisions of the Army, under the Authority of the G. O. of the 10th. of June last is strictly correct. And also the probability of that Officer being the senior in rank at one or other of those Stations, had His Majestys 33d. Regiment been doing duty at any of them. by which circumstance Lieutenant Colonel Gore would have been entitled to draw the Allowance of a Brigadier being the head Quarters of two Corps. —

3 The circumstances which however appear to approve the claim are the following — The General Officers upon the Staff, or Officers under that rank specially appointed to the command of Divisions of the Army, altho' they may reside and make the stations of Seringapatam, Bellary or Trichinopoly their respective head Quarters the immediate Command however of those stations is exercised by the next senior Officer doing duty there

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and when there happen to be two Corps stationed such Officer draws the Allowance of a Brigadier. —

4 The Hyderabad Subsidiary Force being considered to have been in a concentrated state at the Cantonments at Secunderabad during the period for which the Allowance of a Brigadier is now claimed by Lieutenant Colonel Gore, and the Officer appointed to the Command having special Allowances granted to him in that Capacity and altho' the Body of the Troops composing the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force are considerable and consist of a number of different Corps yet no division or delegation of commands when the Force is so situated has been judged necessary; therefore in preparing the G.O. of the 10.th of June 1808, it does not appear that the Case of the Officer next in seniority to the Officer Commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force had been thought entitled to the same consideration as the senior Officers at the Head Quarters of the Divisions of the Army. —

5 When Lieutenant Colonel Montresor late Commanding Officer of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force took the Field with a considerable part of the Force in pursuit of Mohajeet Ram, and Lieutenant Colonel

Gore

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Gore remained in charge of the Cantonments at Hyderabad, a claim was preferred by that Officer to be permitted to draw the Allowance of a Brigadier during the period that he remained in that Command, to which Government was pleased to accede. —

6 Under the foregoing circumstances. I cannot take upon me to recommend the claim now preferred by Lieutenant Colonel Gore to be permitted to draw the Allowances of a Brigadier as the Officer next in seniority to the Commanding Officer of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force altho' it will naturally occur to your Lordship in Council that the recent Meritorious conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Gore upon a late Occasion may be deemed deserving of remuneration and may induce your Lordship to take the case of that Officer into favorable consideration. and to extend as an Indulgence to him in this particular Instance. an Allowance to which from peculiar circumstances he is not considered to be entitled under existing Regulation. —

7 In Obedience to your Lordship's Commands expressed in the beforementioned Minutes of the

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Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, I have the honor to report upon the claim preferred by the Widow of the deceased Lieutenant Lewson Reilly of this Establishment to be permitted to draw the arrears of the Pension which had been granted to her in conformity with the terms specified in the Agreement between the late Lord Clive and the Honorable Company denominated Lord Clive's Donation. —

2 I have accordingly to state that it appears from the Certificate of the Paymaster at Vizagapatam, where it is supposed the Widow of Lieutenant Reilly had resided at the time of her last drawing the Monthly portion of her Pension, that the last payment was for the Month of March 1798. and in the Letter of Mrs. Reilly it is stated that by mistake the Pension had been neglected to be drawn from that period. —

3 As no doubt can be entertained of Mrs. Reilly being entitled to participate in what is termed Lord Clives Donation, and if your Lordship in Council shall be pleased to overlook the lapse of time which has transpired since the last payment made of

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this Pension. I am not aware of any other objection to the discharging of the Arrear. upon the production of a declaration on Oath of Mrs. Reilly that she had drawn no part of her Pension subsequent to the Month of March 1798 and also a declaration on Oath to the same effect from Mrs. Copland (the Mother of Mrs. Reilly) to whom it appears the right or Authority to draw the Pension. had been transferred by the former to the latter. —

I have the honor to be

Gentlemen Your most obedient

(Signed) P. Bruce

Mily. Audt. Genl.

Military Audt. Genl's Office

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Minute thereon. — The Board upon due consideration of the order respecting Brigadiers Allowances in reference to the claim of Lieutenant Colonel Gore do not deem that Officer entitled to the allowance he has applied for and resolve that the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief be directed to communicate to Lieutenant Colonel Gore the resolution of the Board upon his application. —

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It appearing to the Board that Mrs. Reilly has already produced the Certificate required by the Regulations and which in the events of any payments having been made on account of the pension now solicited could not have been in her possession resolved accordingly that Mrs. Reilly be permitted to draw the allowances due on account of her pension from the 1st April 1798 without producing the declarations on oath proposed by the Military Auditor General —

Read the following letter from the Military Auditor General: —

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council

Hon. Hon. Hon.

My Lord,

From the Military Audt. Genl. Stating that the promotion of Major Lascelles and Captain Nicholls of H. M. 66. Regiment should be substantiated by the Governor of Ceylon before they can be permitted to receive Company's allowances

1 In obedience to the Resolution passed on the Proceedings of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, I have the honor to report upon the application contained in a Letter signed Edward

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Lascelles Major and George Nicholls Captain of His Majesty's 66th Regiment of Foot addressed to the Secretary of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief —

2 The claim submitted by these Officers is to be permitted to draw the established allowances of the Honorable Company to the King's Troops serving under this Presidency according to the above ranks from the 29th of July last the date when the 66th Regiment is stated to have ceased to draw the Indian allowances Conformable to the Regulations of the Ceylon Government, and that they have been serving with that Corps under this Presidency in consequence of their respective promotion to the ranks of Major and Captain respectively. —

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3 In support of this application, these Officers have forwarded a letter from Messrs. Greenwood Coe and Company Army Agents, in which, among other Promotions and Appointments are inserted those of Captain Edward Lascelles to be Major, and Lieutenant Henry Nicholls, to be Captain, from the 23d of February 1809. —

4 Altho' the Claim now submitted is not conformable to the established usage of the service, which admits of Officers drawing such allowances from the date

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of their regimental rank, and all this no doubt can be entertained of the authority of the letter from the Army Agents, and the fact of the promotion of the two officers having taken place at the time therein stated - Before such Allowances, however, can be drawn by the beforenamed Officers, or by any officer belonging to His Majesty's Regiments serving under this Presidency, it is required that their promotion should be published, in General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India - But as in the present case that authority cannot be obtained, as His Majesty's 66th. Regiment to which the beforenamed Officers belong being subservient to His Majesty's Government upon the Island of Ceylon, the authenticating of all Promotions is vested in the Governor of that Island, it is therefore requisite that the Promotion of Captain Edward Lascelles, to be Major and Lieutenant G. Nicholls to be Captain, should be duly substantiated by that authority, as by the latest List transmitted to me by the Deputy Adjutant General to the King's Troops, these Officers are only returned in the junior ranks of Captain and Lieutenant ——

I have the honor to be &c. &c. &c.
(Signed) P. Bruce
Milty. Audr. Genl.

Milty. Audr. Genl. Office
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Resolution thereon. — Resolved that the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief be requested to call upon the Officer Commanding His Majesty's 66th Regiment for such Official information as he may be in possession of respecting the promotion of Major Lasselles and Captain Nicholl and to transmit the same for the consideration of the Board. —

Read the following letters from the Medical Board. —

From the President of the Medical Board reporting his visit to the Lunatic Hospital — submitting an annual Indent for Stationary from the Superintendent of Vaccination. —

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.
Fort St. George

My Lord,

1 The 2d and 3d Members of the Medical Board having requested, that they may be excused attendance, I have the honor to report to your Lordship in Council, that I this day made the Quarterly visit to the Hospital for Lunatics

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Lunatics; that I found the Apartments Clean and in good Order — The Patients carefully attended — regularly dieted — and professing every comfort that they can be made susceptible of in their present unfortunate situations. —

2 I have also in reporting the recovery of two Patients Viz.t James Hesurich and William Savage, who are this day discharged, and happily restored to society. —

3 I have also herewith the honor to submit to your Lordship in Council, an Annual Indent for Stationary, from the Superintendent of Vaccination; for the use of that Department. —

I have the honor to be
Sir. Sir. Sir.
Signed T. Graham
Physician General and
President Medical Board.

Fort St. George
Med.l Board Office
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To the Right Honorable

Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George.

My Lord,

From the Medical Board - recommending that Mr. Sub Assist.t visit be appointed to the Medical duties at Pulicat stating that a Portuguese Woman had been admitted into the Lunatic Hospital. -

Para 1 I take the liberty to state to your Lordship in Council, that since the Death of Mr. Laloncke, on the 22d. July last, the Dutch Prisoners &c. at Pulicat have been altogether without the benefit of Medical aid, for themselves and families. -

2 Having on the 21.st instant received a Letter from Mrs. Brofette, the Lady of the Dutch Officer of Engineers, representing her husband to be very dangerously ill, I considered it my duty to direct Mr. Assistant Surgeon Donaldson at the General Hospital, to proceed without loss of time to Pulicat, for the purpose of giving his Professional assistance to that

that Gentleman - and I have the satisfaction to report to your Lordship in Council. that Mr. Brofette. who is generally advanced in years benefited by the advice of Mr. Donaldson who has in consequence resumed his duties. at the Presidency. —

3 Since the return of Mr. Donaldson however. I have received through the medium of the Reverend Doctor Rottler the enclosed Letter from Mr. Van Rogendorp. together with the accompanying Petition from the Dutch Inhabitants at Pulicat, representing the distress they must be exposed to, until some Medical Officer is appointed to reside at that station. —

4 To prevent therefore, the occurrence of any accident by the want of medical aid, I have directed Mr. Sub Asst. Veitch to hold himself in immediate readiness - and as Mr. Veitch has received a regular Education at the University of Edinburgh

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as he also bears a very good character, for his professional abilities and attention, & from Mr. Surgeon Underwood, under whom he served several years, both at the Naval Hospitals and Native Infirmary - I would beg leave to recommend your Lordship in Council that he be permanently appointed, to the Medical duties at Pulicat.

5 I have the honor to report to your Lordship in Council, that in consequence of a Letter from the Town Major of Fort St. George, under date the 18th instant I this day examined a Portuguese Woman named Charlotte, and finding her in a state of mental imbecility I have accordingly directed, that she be admitted a Patient into the Lunatic Hospital. —

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I have the honor to be.

Dr. Sir Yr. Obt.

/Signed/ T. Gahagan

Physician General and

President Medical Board

Fort St. George

Med. Board Office

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To the Reverend J. P. Rottler

at Vepery

Reverend Sir,

By the enclosed Petition presented to me by Several inhabitants of this place, you will Observe that they Request me to solicit to Government for a Doctor, and as I judge proper, that Since the Death of Doctor La-Touche, this place can not longer be without a Person of that discription, as there are many Poor and other People Sick here, and also that such Person may be necessary for the vaccination of Poor Children, I take therefore the liberty to Address to you this few lines, with Kind Sollicitation, to lay before the Medical Board the Petition of the Inhabitants of this Place I presented to one, and my Letter, begging at the Same time your intercession by those Gentlemen to

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have an Assistant Surgeon Stationed at this Place, who can
afford Relief particularly to the Prisoners and other poore
People on case of Sickness. yaw will very much oblige who
has the honor to remain with respect. —

Reverend Sir,

Pulicat
21st. November 1809.

Yr. Yr.

(Signd) P. E. Van Hogendorpe

To Pieter Emanuel van Hogendorpe Esqre.

vice President of the Honorable Court of Justice
at this Place. —

Sir.

The undersigned Company's Servants and
Inhabitants of this place, take the liberty to represent this to you
That since the death of Doctor La Roache, we were since all
this time deprived of a Doctor at this place, by which we are
brought in the greatest inconvenience, and know not with whom
we must take our refuge and assistance for our Self and our
dear Family who may be sick or taken ill by some or other Com-
plaint and infirmities We cannot as for a Malabarish Doctor
depend upon, as certainly they do not themselves understand the
profession, and do not treat a Sick person, in that manner

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Certain as is requried, and as we have Often seen and witnessed many instances. It is for this that we have to request you very kindly that you will make representation to the Medical Board at Madras, who by approbation of the Government of Fort St. George may send up a Doctor to this place, who can assist the Sick persons, as also to vaccinate the Children here. For which favor we shall be very Much Obliged to you. —

Sir, Yr. Yr.

Pulicat.
11th. November 1809.

P. Brasselle Lieut. Engineer, L. J. De Bruyn,
L. Le Heyhamp, Lt L. Dorjeyn, Jr. Duyne
velt, F. J. W. Bloeme, Jr. M. Dormeum.
Jan Colombie. Le Jan br. Wm. Pruteny
Jacob Josepus, L. L. Franzj, Jr. Richard,
L. Jan Lewz, P. Felly, L. L. Borgonha, &
W. Franse. Gabriee, Le Lerwz Isac. Gaytan,
W. Christe aanez, L. P. Clandrus L. A. Franz
A. D. Rozairo, Pieter Paulus. Jan Leander
Adam. Le Telva, Johannes De Souz
Francien de Selva, Jonathan Jacharias Paul

For the Translation
(Signed) A. Bruyn

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Order thereon. — Ordered that directions be given to the proper Office for supplying the Stationary required by the Superintendant of Vaccination. —

In consideration of the total absence of Medical aid at Pallicat the Board resolve to Appoint the Sub Assistant Surgeon Veitch to afford Medical Aid at that Settlement as recommended in the foregoing letter. Ordered also that an extract from that letter be sent for the information and guidance of the Military Auditor General. —

Read the following letter from the Military Board. —

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto.
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

Para 1 We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of letters from the Secretary of Government in the Military Department dated the 31st October. the 3d and 6th November and to state that the necessary orders have in consequence been given. —

2 We beg leave to submit for the information

From the Military Board. Submitting copy of instructions for the Superintendant of Vaccination Military Stores in Fort St George and Pulicat. They do not feel themselves competent to state whether it would be expedient to appropriate the Old Hospital at Chasalpatam for the storage of Europe and Salt Petre. Recommending the appointment of an Assistant Officer to carry out certain works at Chasalpatam — Submitting a plan and Estimate for erecting a warehouse round the said

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at Salem - recommending that a temporary building be erected for the Police Guard at Cannanore - recommending that Mr. Wathen be permitted to carry a quantity of Grain to the Company's account as he cannot dispose of it without loss —

information of your Lordships in Council, a Copy of the instructions which we have given to the Officer Command- = ing in Travancore, for the disposal of the captured Military Stores in that province and at Cochin. in compliance with the orders of Government communicated to us in a letter from the Chief Secy. dated the 24th. Ultimo. These instructions have also reference to a letter from the Chief Secretary dated the 10th. Instant to the Officer Commanding the Army, by whom it was forwarded to us. —

3 With reference to the 2d. paragraph of our report of the 30th. Ultimo, we have the honor to submit a further Minute of the Quarter Master General of the Army on the subject referred to us in Mr. Secretary Bulls letter of the 7th. October. We do not consider ourselves competent to offer an opinion re- -garding the expediency of appropriating the building at Ma- -sulipatam denominated the "Old Mint" for the storage of Gunpowder and Saltpetre as it does not appear ever to have been considered as belonging to the Military department. —

4 The Officer Commanding at Bangalore in a letter of which we beg leave to submit a Copy, having represented to us the very great inconvenience experienced by the

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His Majesty's 25th Regiment of Light Dragoons from the want of a regimental hospital. and suggested that a wall should be built around the burial ground at that station, we deemed it necessary to call for estimates of the expence of those works in order that they might be submitted to Government. Lieut. Colonel Gibbs who has since taken the Command at Bangalore has reported that these orders cannot be carried into effect no Engineer Officer being present at the Station. We are induced therefore to repeat the recommendation expressed in our report of the 21st of August, for the appointment of an Officer to carry on the works which are now at a stand at that place, whom we might direct to prepare the estimates now alluded to. —

5 We have the honor to submit an estimate for raising a rampart round the jail at Salem, which after deducting for the work to be performed by the prisoners under the Magistrate, amounts to Pagodas 306-2-50 We also submit a plan of the Work. These documents have reference to the orders of Government dated the 17th March last, on the subject of the Jails in the Southern division of Circuit. —

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6 We have examined with due consideration the estimate forwarded by the Officer Commanding in Malabar and referred to us with the letter from the Secretary in the Military department dated the 31st. October. We conceive that it will not be necessary to incur so great an expence as the amount of either of these estimates, for erecting a police guard room at Cannanore; and accordingly recommend that a temporary building may be erected for the purpose required, by means of the Lascars and public establishments of the Station. —

7 We have the honor to submit for the consideration of Government, a letter from Mr. Whitwell, on the subject of his Contract for the supply of grain for the use of the troops in the Southern division of the Army. He has requested permission to carry to the Company's account a quantity amounting to 317 garce, or, in other words, to transfer it to the department of the Garrison Storekeeper as from the large stock in the Market, he is at present unable to dispose of it without loss. The grounds on which he has solicited this indulgence are stated in his letter which we have the honor to submit; we have given them our attentive consideration, and feel disposed to recommend that the indulgence he has requested may be granted to him. —

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8 It appears that by the agreement entered into

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between the Government and Mr. Wetherell. he is to be furnished with an advance of Cash, "one months previous to the cutting of the Crops," which is in the months of January. An advance of Pagodas 10,000 was accordingly recommended to be paid to him on the 18th January, another advance was recommended to be paid to him on the 1st March. of Pagodas 20,000, deducting the amount of the former sum, but it appears that these sums were not paid to him until the 27th of February and 13th of April respectively; and at these dates the price of grain appears to have considerably increased. —

9 The Contract provides that Govern-
-ment "shall sustain no loss" by the sale of grain after the same "has been purchased," but Mr. Wetherell would sustain loss "by disposing of the grain he now wishes to transfer; and as that loss will have been caused by the delay which occurred in making the advance for the purchase of it beyond the period provided by his agreement, a circumstance by no means within his Controul. we are of opinion that it will be equitable to relieve him from that loss. by per-

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permitting him to transfer to the garrison Stores, the quantity which he has now on hand. —

We have the honor to be

Sir Your Most Obedient Humble Servants

Fort St. George
13th November 1809.

Fr. Gowdie
C. Trapaud
/ Signed / T. Clarke
P. Bruce
I. Munro
T. H. S. Conway

To the Officer Commanding
in Travancore

Sir,

I. The Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council having sent instructions to the Military Board to give orders for removing from Travancore and Cochin to a place of security, the captured ordnance and Military Stores which are worth the expense of removal and for destroying the remainder, I am directed to request you will adopt immediate measures for that purpose, in communication with

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the President. —

2 The Government are desirous, in particular, that this service may be accomplished immediately at Parvor, Trespontenah, Alleppie, Trivandrum, and at the Southern Lines, and the Military Board request that correct lists of all the captured military Stores at those places may be forwarded to them at the earliest practicable period, as also lists of all the Captured Stores at the other posts in the Travancore Country and at Cochin. For that purpose the Military Board are of opinion that it will be advisable for you to appoint seperate Committees of Officers, but I am at the same time directed to state, that it will not be necessary to delay the accomplishment of the intentions of Government in regard to the Stores at the places above mentioned, until those lists shall have been forwarded. —

3 In the execution of this service the Military Board request that all iron guns with exception of English 24, 18 and 12 pounders may be effectually destroyed; but even these may be destroyed if much difficulty or expence should be likely to attend the removal

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of them. Brass Ordnance of every discription are to be removed, and it is expected that there will be found at the different posts, Carriages sufficient for the transportation of them. The small brass ordnance may be removed by means of Bullock or common Country Cart as you may find most convenient or economical. It is also the intention of the Military Board that all small arms, matchlocks inclusive, should be removed, and all the lead and flints that can be found

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The Military Board, in consequence of the very limitted information of which they are in possession, regarding the amount of the Stores and the nature of them in general, have been obliged, on this occasion, to confine themselves to these general instructions, but I have been desired to request that you will exercise your discretion in carrying them into effect, as may relate to all stores not particularly referred to in this letter.

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With respect to the destination of the Articles to be removed, I am directed to observe that those on the Southern Lines may be sent to Palamcottah

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by means of Cattle which will be provided by the Military Paymaster at that place. That Officer will accordingly receive instructions to comply with your indent for the draught or Carriage Cattle which may be necessary, and which you will require to be at the Lines at a certain day, having previously taken measures to have the Stores in readiness on their arrival. In order to prevent delay and save expence, it will be proper that you should advise Mr. Maunwaring of the probable number of Cattle and the probable period at which they will be required for this service, that he may be prepared for the supply of them, and not entertain them sooner than may be absolutely necessary. —

6 In regard to the Ordnance and Stores to be removed from other parts of the Travancore Country and from Cochin. the Military Board have resolved that they shall be sent to Cannanore, and I have been desired to request, that you will, in communication with the Resident, order them to be sent for embarkation, to such places on the Coast as you may conceive to be most advisable, with reference to economy and the existing

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circumstances in the Country of Travancore. The Military Board feel themselves unable to give you any particular instructions respecting the procuring, or the hire of sea conveyance for the Stores in question, and I have been directed to express their reliance, that your best exertions will be employed, for the accomplishment of that object on terms the most favorable for the public interests.—

7 In concluding this address I am directed to observe, that on the 8th. of May last the Military Board solicited the Officer Commanding the Army to appoint a Committee of Officers to ascertain the state and description of the Ordnance and Military Stores, which had been captured by the British Troops in Travancore, and it has been understood that orders were sent to you, from Head Quarters, for that purpose on the 31st. of that Month. On this subject I have been directed to express the opinion of the Board, should that Committee not have closed its proceedings, that the separate Committee which you will now have occasion to appoint, will be enabled

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to collect the information, which it was the object of the Board to obtain, by their application to the Officer Commanding the Army, and it will be very desirable that the lists which have been called for in this letter should afford as much information as may be practicable, regarding the state of the whole of the Captured Stores. —

(Signed) W. Morison

Secy. Mily. Board

Fort St. George

13th November 1809

True Copy

(Signed) P. Barclay

A. D. M. B.

Minute of the Quarter Master General

The Quarter Master General has the honour to submit to the Military Board the Copy of a Letter received from the Barrack Master in the Northern Division, in reply to the reference made to him on the subject of the building at Masulipatam denominated the Old Mint. — It will be in the remembrance of the Board that mention is made of this reference in the Minute which the Quarter Master General delivered in on the 26th

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2d. Ultimo.—

2d. Mr. Genl's Office
Fort St. George 10th. November 1809

/Signed/ S. Munro.
2d. M. General

To the Quarter Master General
of the
Army
&c.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th. Instant, and to inform you that the Building at Masulipatam which is the subject of your enquiry, was constructed by Captain Prescott of the Engineers, in about the year 1784 expressly for the purpose of a Mint, which was accordingly delivered over to the Officers of the Civil Service, and is at present under charge of the Collector.— This Building never has been considered or occupied as a Military Quarter and of consequence, was not included in any Returns of the Barrack Department.—

Masulipatam
31st. October 1809.

/Signed/ Montague Cosby
Major and B. M. N. D.

A true Copy
/Signed/ S. Munro
2d. M. G.

Three Copies
/Signed/ P. Barclay
A. P. M. G.

To

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To the Secretary Military Board

Fort St. George

Sir,

I consider it my duty, to take the earliest opportunity, to represent, to the Military Board, the very great inconvenience which His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons, have suffered from the want of an Hospital, ever since they have occupied the Barracks at this Station, (and which always must happen to every other Regiment) as one entire range is given up for the Sick which, independant of its being infinitely too small, for a Regiment on the present Establishment, is without any Cook rooms or indeed any sort of convenience whatever either for the Surgeon or the Sick - I trust therefore that the Board will agree with me in thinking it absolutely necessary that no more time should be lost in building an Hospital for the entire use of any of His Majesty's Regiments of Dragoons who may be stationed at this place, as has already been done for the Infantry. —

It is also requisite that I should state the absolute impossibility of accommodating in the

Barracks

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Barracks a Regiment of the strength of His Majestys 25.th Light Dragoons when complete, which will be the case very shortly, if one of the ranges is occupied by the Sick. —

I beg leave to mention also that there is no Wall round the Burial ground here the consequence of course, is that Jackalls and other animals continually get at the Bodies which are seen, or parts of them, strewed about the ground. I am sure it is quite needless for me to make any comments on this subject, as the Board must be too well acquainted with the feelings of Soldiers towards their dead companions to require one word more to be said to procure an order for building the Wall. —

I have the honor to be
Dear Sir
Your most obed.t Hum.ble Ser.t
/ Signed / G.o P. Adams
Lieut.t Col.o Com.g
Bangalore —

Bangalore
12.th October 1809.

True Copy.
/ Signed / P. Barclay
A. D. A. G. B.
Estimate

Dismissed

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Estimate of the probable expense of raising a Rampart round the Jail at Salem agreeably to the accompanying Plan. ——

| Measurement Length | Breadth | Thickness | Sup.fe. Sq.fe. | Feet | Cub.fe. | | Pay.t f. | Ch.s | Rate f. | Ch.s |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 966 | 10 | 4 | " | " | 61824 | Excavating the ditch and raising rampart | | | | |
| 926 | 5 | 4 | " | " | 18520 | Raising the Parapette | | | | |
| | | | | | 80344 | Total Cub Feet of Earth —— | " | " | 15 Pf 16 Pf | 334 34 40 |
| | | | | | | 128 Palisades 8 feet long | " | " | " | 15 " " |
| | | | | | | 1 Country wood Gate with Lock & one | 14 | " | " each | 14 " " |
| 295 | 10 | 1½ | " | " | 4425 | Packing down the brick in Chunam wall | " | " | 10 Pf Hf Pf | 12 13 10 |
| | | | | | | | | | | 376 2 50 |
| | | | | | | Deduct for the Allowance of 80 Prisoners — | | | | 70 " " |
| | | | | | | Total Sr. Pagodas | | | | 306 2 50 |

(Signed) J. R. Cleghorn
Lt. and Supt. Engr.

Vellore
11th. October 1809.

True Copy
(Signed) P. Barclay
A. P. M. B.

To

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To the Secretary to the Military Board

Fort St. George

Sir,

Being very desirous of bringing forward the Balance that appears against me on account of the Cash advanced for the Contract entered into with the Board for the supply of Grain to the troops under my charge of payment I beg leave to request the favor of being allowed to carry the quantity remaining on hand, amounting to 317 Garce to the Company's account as from the large stock in the Market I am unable at present to dispose of it. —

I have the honor to transmit herewith a Bill of purchase for the Paddy, and a Report of the Committee of Survey that was held upon it, and, I have no doubt, it would meet with a ready sale should the Board direct it to be disposed of before the cutting of the next Pothaunum Crop. —

I am willing to hope the Board will grant me this indulgence, when they take into consideration

That

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that I have already from the uncommon abundance of the late Crops been a considerable loser by what I purchased at the commencement of the season, owing in a great measure to the period when I received the Advances having stipulated for them in January, and obtained them only in April, which made a most serious difference to me in the price at which I was enabled to purchase the grain. —

Under the pressure of the above circumstances I have been induced to make application to the Board for relief, as the only means of ensuring me against further losses, and which I never should have had occasion to do, had I received the advances at the period mentioned in the Contract. —

I have the honor to be
Sir Your
(Signed) C. Wetherall
Paymr

Trichinopoly
18th September 1809

A true Copy
(Signed) W. Morison
S. A. B.

The

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Minute thereon. -

The Board Approve the orders issued by the Military Board for the removal of the Stores in Travancore. —

Resolved that the Guard Room at Cannanore be built in conformity to the plan recommended by the Military Board. —

Ordered that Extracts from the foregoing letter relative to the Jail at Salem be transferred to the Judicial Department. —

The Board observe that in recommending the transfer of the Grain purchased by Mr. Wetherell to the public account - The Military Board have omitted to state several particulars important to ajust decision on the point referred, ordered accordingly that they be required to call upon Mr. Wetherell to state the periods at which the Grain was purchased and the prices paid for the same as well as to ascertain the reason for the delay in advancing the money to Mr. Wetherell and to require that gentleman to explain his reasons

for

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For accepting the advances if made at a period too late to enable him to fulfill the terms of his agreement with the Military Board. —

Read the following letters from the Military Auditor General —

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military Aud.r Gen.l reporting on the application of the Officer Commanding the Troops in Travancore for an increase to his allowances stating that Lieut.t Fitzmaurice must may be permitted to draw the allowances of a Cantonment Aquitant —

1 In Obedience to your Lordships commands conveyed in Mr. Secretary Piles letter of the 7th Instant, I have taken into consideration the Application preferred by the Officer Commanding the Troops in Travancore for an Increase to his allowances —

2 I have accordingly the honor to report that this is an Application from the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Stuart of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot Commanding the Troops in Travancore

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Travancore. to be permitted to draw the monthly Table Allowance of Pagodas 250. granted to Colonel Chalmers. from the date the Troops under his Command were employed on Field Service, under the Authority of the Minutes of Council of the 17th of March last. —

3 For the information of your Lordship in Council, I have to state that in the Month of December 1805 Government were pleased to grant to the Officer Commanding the Subsidiary Force in Travancore the Monthly sum of Pagodas 93-31-40 under the denomination of Table Allowance being equal to the Allowance granted to an Officer Commanding a Brigade in the Field. This Allowance has been continued to be drawn by the several Officers who have been appointed to the Command of the Subsidiary Force and subsequently Commanding the Troops employed in Travancore. —

4 The above sum, together with the difference between Lieutenant Colonel's half and Colonel's full Batta being Pagodas 110-26-20. appears to be the only Monthly Allowances of which Lieutenant Colonel Stuart is

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on the receipt either as Commanding the Troops in Travancore or under the Authority of the G.O. of the 10th June 1808. as Commanding a Corps and being placed in a Government Command. —

5 It is stated by Lieutenant Colonel Stuart that the same Allowances are drawn by an Officer of Junior rank to him, for Commanding at Aleppie which must allude to Brigadiers Allowances being drawn by the Senior Officer at that station Lieutenant Colonel H. Hall in consequence of it being at a time the Head Quarters of two Battalions; from which Circumstance that Officer is entitled to the abovementioned Allowance under the Orders of the 10th of June 1808. —

6 During the late Field Operations in Travancore, Government was pleased to grant to Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Chalmers the monthly Table Allowance of Pags. 250 as before stated in lieu of the sum of Pags. 93.31.40 as formerly authorized. But whether your Lordships in Council will deem it expedient to restore that Allowance which is now solicited

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by Lieutenant Colonel Stuart since the return of the Troops into Garrison, and which Government directed to be discontinued to the Officer appointed to succeed Colonel Chalmers in the Command, I cannot take upon me to advise and which would be placing Lieutenant Colonel Stuart upon nearly the same Table Allowance Authorized to the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army under whom he acts.—

7 In Obedience also to your Lordship's Commands expressed in the Minutes of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council. I have the honor to report upon the letter addressed to the Secretary of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief by Major Sir John Sinclair lately Commanding the Artillery at the Mount dated 11th October 1809.—

8 It is stated in the letter that in consequence of Captain Grant having been removed from the Appointment of Brigade Major to the Corps of Artillery upon the 26th of July last he Major Sir John Sinclair who had been appointed to command the Artillery at the Mount had Ordered Lieutenant Farrington Ward to take charge

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charge of that Office and to Officiate until such time as Government was pleased to appoint an Officer Viz.—

9 As Major Sir John Sinclair was Appointed by Government merely to the command of the Artillery at the Mount, and was not the Commandant of the Corps, his nomination of an Officer to act as Brigade Major to the Corps of Artillery, cannot be considered as valid, or as qualifying the Officer so nominated either to act in that Capacity or to receive the Allowances annexed to the situation, more particularly as the act does not appear to have been approved by the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, nor to have been sanctioned in any manner by your Honorable Board.——

10 Lieutenant Fireworker West may therefore be considered more in the light of a Cantonment Adjutant and may have preformed the duties of that appointment at St. Thomas's Mount, in which case, your Lordship in Council as an act of Indulgence may perhaps be induced to permit that Officer to draw the Allowances of a Cantonment Adjutant.——

I have

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1809

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

Minute thereon. —

In consideration of the large force which has continued under the orders of the Officer Commanding in Travancore, since the reduction of the Allowances of that Officer, on the supposition, that the Force in that Province would be greatly diminished — The Board resolve to grant to the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Stuart an Allowance of 200 Pagodas per Mensem until further orders. —

Resolved also that Lieutenant Fireworker West be permitted to draw the allowances of Cantonment Adjutant as recommended in the foregoing letter and that intimation of this resolution be sent for the information of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief. —

To the Right Honorable Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.

From the Military Audr.

My Lord,

I have the honor to transmit herewith

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Genl. Transmitting an appeal from a retrenchment on the part of Major Nuthall of the 6th N. C. observing that if the present retrenchment is admitted the allowance should be retrenched from Coll. St. Leger —

an appeal to your Lordship in Council from a retrenchment, on the part of Major Nuthall of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry, which that officer requests may be submitted for the decision of Government — The circumstances of the case are concisely as follows

on the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger's appointment to the Command of the Field Force lately employed in Travancore. that Officer left his Regement (the 6th Native Cavalry) under the Command of Major Nuthall the Officer next in seniority, and proceeded to join the Force that had previously Marched from Trichinopoly. —

2 Major Nuthall accordingly assumed the Command of the Regiment, and drew the Batta of his superior rank, to which the Regulations entitle him. —

3 It however appears that the regement had joined the Main Body of the Force under Colonel St. Leger's Command on the 5th February 1809. and remained with it until the 5th March following, which placed Lieut. Colonel St. Leger in a situation, according to the then existing regulation to Exercise regemental Command, and of course disqualified.

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disqualified Major Nuthall from drawing the Batta of which he had been in receipt as Commanding Officer of the Corps and which amounts to Pagodas 43-31-40. —

4 In support of this Claim Major Nuthall produces a Certificate from the Adjutant General's Office that he signed the returns of the Regiment for the period in question and affirms that Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger did not take the regimental Command or in any manner interfere with the management of the Corps while it remained with the Detachment commanded by Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger. —

5 Under the different circumstances connected with this retrenchment, I acknowledge I feel some what embarrassed in drawing the line and forming a conclusive opinion regarding which of the two officers should receive the Allowance in Question. —

6 Because altho' Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger was in Command of the whole Detachment, he was not however by the then existing regulations precluded from exercising the regimental Command of his Corps the 5.th Regiment of Cavalry which formed a part of the Detachment, and

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on which account he drew the difference between the full Batta of a Lieutenant Colonel and of a Colonel. ——

7 On the other hand, it appears from the statement of Major Nuthall supported by a Certificate from the Office of the Adjutant General, stating his having signed the return and that he had been permitted by Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger and did actually exercise the Command of the 5.th Regiment of Cavalry for the period for which the Allowance is retrenched which it must be allowed gives Major Nuthall rather the preferable claim, as it is concluded that Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger had relinquished exercising the regimental Command of the Corps, which by the Regulations he might have retained, and which would have at once stopt the claim now preferred by Major Nuthall. —

8 It is unnecessary perhaps for me to notice that Government authorised Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger to draw Pagodas 150 Monthly for Table Allowance in lieu of Brigadiers allowances of Pagodas 93. —

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9 Should your Lordship in Council be pleased to direct the admitting the present retrenchment against Major Nuthall, it will follow I suppose, that the Allowance should be retrenched from Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger, as it may not be your Lordships intention to grant it to both officers —

Military Audr. Genl. Office
Fort St. George 20th Novr. 1809.

I have the honor to be &c. &c. &c.
/ Signed / P. Bruce
Mily. Audr. Genl.

To the Military Auditor General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 31st October, which admits on Re-audit the Retrenchments made against the Allowances of Majors and Lieutenant Colonel's full batta for commanding the 6th Regiment Cavalry, during the marching of that Corps from Trichinopoly to Arambooly Lines, which it proceeded in Advance from 21st January to the 5th February, also from the 5th March to the Conclusion of the Campaign in Travancore, as having been detached on patroling duties from the Main Force at Trevandrum. —



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In support of my Claim to the full Batta for the time the Regement was encamped with the main Force, from the 5th February ——— to the 5th March. I beg leave to observe that the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Sent to Ceylon, who was appointed by Government to the Special Command of the whole of the Southern Forces employed on that Service never assumed for a Single day even the interior Command of the Regement, for which I was held responsible, and actualy signed all Reports, Indents and Monthly Returns; and I have therefore to request you will be pleased to refer my Application for the Admittance of that part of the Retrenchment, for the consideration and determination of the Honorable the Governor in Council —

Fort St. George
8th November 1809.

(Signed) Thos. Nuthall
Major Comg. 6th R.L.

A true Copy

(Signed) P. Bruce
Military And. Genl.

Adjutant Genl. Office 2d October 1809.

This is to Certify that Major Thomas Nuthall.

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Nuthall of the 6th. Regiment Native Cavalry signed the Re-
-turns and other Regimental Papers of that Corps transmitted
to the Adjutant General's Office for the Months of January &
February, March and April 1809. —

(Signed) F. A. Balmain

Asst. Adjt. Genl.

A true Copy

(Signed) P. Bruce

Mily. Asst. Genl.

Minute thereon. —

The circumstances under which Majr. Nuthall drew the allowances adverted to in the foregoing Letter appear to the Board to entitle that Officer to the receipt of them resolved accordingly that he be permitted to retain the amount and that Lieutenant Colonel Sent Leger be exonerated from the necessity of a refund on that account. —

To the Right Honorable

Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the Military Asst. Genl.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt

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General — Fixing the rate at which Stoppages ought to be made from the Men of the 8th and 15th Regiment N.I. Stating his opinion as to the best manner of Adjusting the Sums Plundered by the Troops at Bhattiawar in the publick accounts —

receipt of Mr. Secretary Pulé's letter of the 10th Instant with which was transmitted Extract from the Minutes of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council under date the 7th Instant, in which it is directed that the money advanced by Lieutenant Colonel Bell to the Men of the 8th and 15th Regiments of Native Infantry be recovered from them, and the Military Auditor General be required to state the rate at which Stoppages ought to be made from the Sepoys of those Battalions &c.

2 I have accordingly to observe that as it is supposed the advance from the Publick treasure ... made by Lieutenant Colonel Bell was not confined to the Sepoys only of those Battalions, but had been generally to the different ranks composing those Corps, I am therefore of opinion that a stoppage equal to one Quarter of the whole of the Monthly Pay of the lower ranks Viz. of Havildars Naigues and Sepoys may be made without occasioning inconvenience to them And that a stoppage to the same extent or

perhaps -

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perhaps equal to 1/3. of the amount of the Monthly Pay, might be made from the pay of the higher ranks vizt. of Subsidiary and Jemedars.

3 By this means the total amount advanced which I observe is stated in Lieutenant Colonel Barry's letter to have been equal to two Months pay, will be recovered to the Honorable Company at the expiration of eight Months.

4 As connected with this subject, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the letter from the Chief Secretary to Government in the political Department with which was transmitted an Extract of a Letter from the acting Resident in Mysore under date the 18th. of October last, relative to the Money surged by the Troops at Chittledroog from the Treasury of His Highness the Rajah of Mysore and desiring me to state my opinion as to the proper Method of adjusting this sum in the public accounts.

5 For the Information of your Lordship in Council I have to report, that from communications which I have received from the Military Paymaster in Mysore it appears that no Pay Abstracts had been

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received in his Office on account of the 1st. Battalion 8th.
Regiment or the 1st. Battalion 15th Regiment for the Months of
August last for the pay to which Corps, for that Months
it is probable the sums irregularly taken from the Rajahs
Treasury at Chittledroog had been appropriated. The Of-
-ficers in the Command of these respective Corps should
therefore be directed to make out regular Pay Abstracts
for the above period and to forward them to the Paymaster
in Mysore for the purpose of being entered in his accounts
which would enable him to make an adjustment to the
amount of these Abstracts with the acting Resident in
Mysore by the Paymaster granting a receipt for the amount
and with which the acting Resident would of course re
debit "Charges Military"—

6 Should there remain any Balance
after the above adjustment of the sums for which it
appears Captain MacIntosh of the 8th. Regiment and
Captain Aitkell of the 15th. Regiment had given receipts
to the Aumildar at Chittledroog these officers may be
called upon to account for such Balance, and either

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to refund the Amount or if a satisfactory explanation can be afforded to your Lordship in Council in what manner it has been disposed it may be written off either to Charges Military or to General Books, as your Lordship shall deem most proper

Military Audr. Genl's Office
Fort St. George 22d. November
1809

I have the honor to be
Gen. Gen.
(Signd) P. Bruce
Milg. Audr. Genl.

Minute thereon

The Board approve the mode proposed by the Military Auditor General for recovering the amount of the advances made to the two Battalions which marched from Chittledroog without orders and treasure seized by them at that garrison and direct that the Military Auditor General be instructed to give the necessary orders for carrying the arrangement into effect—

To the Right Honorable Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
Gen. Gen. Gen.

From the Military Aud. Genl.

I have the honor to submit an Abstract

to

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General - Submitting a
letter from Lieutenant
Col.° Adams respecting a
retrenchment on account
of the Allowance to recruits
and Volunteers. —

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To your Lordship in Council from Lieutenant Colonel Adams
Commanding His Majesty's 25.th Regement of Light Dragoons.
which has reference to a Retrenchment against that Officer
in the Disbursements of the Deputy Paymaster General
to the Kings Troops in the Month of January last, of an Al.ce
lowance inserted in the Abstract of that Corps under the head
of Equipment Money or Horse Hitts on account of Volunteers
from His Majesty's 75.th and 94.th Regements of Foot on these
Corps being Ordered home and Recruits received from England
who joined the 25.th Regiment of Light Dragoons, amount.
ing to the sum of Pagodas 2217-26-20 and which has not
been admitted on the Explanation and Authorities forwarded.

2 On the perusal of the letter from
Lieutenant Colonel Adams and the high Authorities of the
Regulations published from the War Office in England,
and the opinion of His Excellency the Commander in
Chief of His Majesty's Troops in India, which he has
produced, in support of the charge for the abovementioned
Allowance being admitted, it may appear at first view
rather singular that I should consider them unconclusive

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and insufficient.—

3 In support of this opinion I have to state that altho' his Majesty's Regulations have directed that each Cavalry Recruit shall be furnished at the public expense with the different Articles of Cavalry equipment enumerated in the Circular Letter from the War Office, under date the 9th of June 1803. By the Regulations however under this Presidency under the head of 'Cavalry' section IV.th & Paragraphs 28.th 29.th 30.th and 33.d and also 40.th 41.st and 43.d Extracts from which is herewith submitted for your Lordship's Information, the Officers Commanding Regiments of Cavalry (Troops or Companies) enter into an Obligation that for the receipt of 2½ Fanams per Month for every Saddle and suit of Accoutrements, delivered for the use of the Regiment, they became bound to keep those Articles in good repair, and also to provide for every expense for their preservation, either for their Carriage on the Field or store Room in Garrison &c.a which of course includes saddle Bags, the Item of much

expense

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expense in the List of Equipments And by the Contract en-
tered into by officers in charge of Troops of Cavalry who re-
ceive the Monthly Allowance of 36 fanams for each horse
on the strength of the Troop they engage to supply all the
other Articles of Cavalry Equipment set down in the
Margin of the abovementioned Circular letter and which
it is believed are Allowances amply adequate for the pro-
viding and keeping up of those Articles. —

4 On such grounds I cannot but be of
Opinion that the charge by Lieutenant Colonel Adams
for what is termed Horse Pitts or Cavalry Equipment or
Money should not be allowed, as the Regulations to
which I have referred by the Allowances therein Au-
thorized go directly to provide for that expense, and
which ought to be defrayed by the Officers in receipt
of those Allowances. —

5 In this address, I have not thought
it requisite to advert to that part of the letter from His
Excellency the Commander in Chief which has reference

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to the case of the Recruits received from the Depot. in England as what I have stated regards the recruits as well as the Volunteers for whom Lieutenant Colonel Adams has made the charge. —

6 And it may be deemed unnecessary to add, that no claim has been preferred or charged been entered in the Public Accounts for this Allowance, on the part of His Majesty's 22d. Regiment of Light Dragoons. And altho' Volunteers from Regiments of Infantry, ordered home and numbers of Recruits have joined His Majesty's 19th. 22d. and 23d Regiments of Light Dragoons during the period these Corps have served under the Presidency of Fort St. George, since the promulgating of the before mentioned Regulations from the War Office, which in England allowances a Charge for Cavalry Equipments at the public expense, the present is the first instance however within my Knowledge that the claim has been brought forward at Fort St. George —

7 Having on the 1st. of this Month received a letter from Lieutenant Colonel Adams on the

subject

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subject of this Retrenchment, dictated in a Style of Arrogation I thought proper to write that Officer in Answer to let him know that I was subject to no other Authority for the Conducting the duties of my department than that of your Government, a Copy of which letter I have the honor herewith to submit. And I have only to add that upon a consideration of the subject, it will I trust appear, that the imputation of Mistake and error expressed in Lieutenant Colonel Adams letter as attaching to my Opinion must ultimately recoil upon himself. —

I have the honor to be

Gen. Gen. Gen.

[Signed] P. Bruce

Military Aud. Genl.

Military Auditor Genl. Office

Fort St. George 22d. Novr. 1809

To the Right Honorable

the Governor General in Council

Gen. Gen. Gen.

My Lord,

The Military Auditor General having made a retrenchment from His Majesty's Regiment under my command for an allowance to Recruits and Volunteers which have joined the 25th Light Dragoons I beg leave

to

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to draw the attention of your Lordship in Council to the Letters which I have the honor to enclose the one from the Right Honorable Secy. at War and the other from the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief by which your Lordship in Council will perceive that the Military Auditor General has mistaken the nature of the charge as the Sum which I claim for the Recruits and Volunteers is part of their bounty ordered by His Majesty and authorized by His Excellency the Commander in Chief.—

The Retrenchment is made under the idea of its being already allowed in the Monthly Allowance to the Captains of Troops, which your Lordship in Council will perceive is quite erroneous.—

The Court of Enquiry ordered by the Commander in Chief Assembled and sent a copy of the proceedings to the Military Auditor General by which it clearly appears that the charge is agreeable to the Kings Orders I therefore trust your Lordship in Council will be pleased to give the requisite authority to the Military Auditor General for the Allowance

being

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being granted an readdet. —

I have the honor to be

Dr. Sir

Your

[Signed] G. P. Adams

Lieut. Col. H. M. 25th L.D.

Extract from His Majesty's Collection of Regulations

Copy

Circular to Commanding Officers of Regiments of Dragoon Guards, and Dragoons in Great Britain, relative to an Allowance of certain Articles of Equipment for Cavalry Recruits. —

War Office 9th June 1803.

Sir,

His Majesty having been graciously pleased to Order that each Cavalry Recruit, after having been finally approved at the Head Quarters of the Regiment, shall as soon as the Commanding Officer may think fit be furnished at the public Expence with the Articles of Cavalry equipment mentioned

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in the Margin,* I have the honor to acquaint you, that a charge charge may accordingly be made under the head of Recruiting, on the Regimental Pay List of the amount of the Cost of the said articles, at the rate respectively set against them, the same being supported by Certificates from the Commanding Officer, shewing that each Man, for whom the charge has been made, has been finally approved and has been actually furnished with all

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* 1 Pair of Saddle bag lock and key ... 8 4
1 Corn bag ... 1 -
1 Watering bridle ... 5 6
1 Horse bag ... 6
1 Curry comb and brush ... 3 5
1 Mane Comb and Sponge ... 8
1 Horse picker ... 2
1 Lock cover ... 1 6
1 Water sponge ... 1 -
1 Pair of Scissars ... 1 6
1 Horse cloth ... 7 -
1 Surcingle ... 4 6

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the said Articles of a proper quality, in conformity to patterns approved by the Clothing Board and lodged at the Office of the Comptrollers of Army Accounts. —

I am however to apprize you, that in the case of the Recruit dying deserting, or being discharged, within six Months after approval, and leaving at Head Quarters any of the articles furnished as abovementioned the Articles so left are, if sufficiently good, to be given out to another Recruit, and no charge is of course to be made to the public for such Articles. if the Articles are not fit to be given out to the Recruit. they are to be sold, and the produce thereof is to be credited to the public in the Pay Lists. by a deduction from the total charge for Recruiting. —

It will of course be understood, that although these Articles of equipment are allowed in the first instance by Government yet that they are liable to be replaced, as usual, out of the regulated stoppage from the pay of the men. —

I have

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I have the honor &c. &c.

Officer Commanding the

&c. &c. &c. / Signed / C. Yorke

A true Copy

/ Signed / G.P. Adams

Lieut. Col. H.M. 25th. Light Drags.

To Brig. Major C. Burdett &c.

&c. &c. &c.

Madras

Sir,

Lieutenant Colonel Adams letter of the 10th. July last inclosed in yours of the 23d. of that month being clear and distinct as to his meaning of the term Horse Rifle, I am directed by the Commander in Chief, to request you will be pleased to communicate to His Excellency Lieutenant General Macdowall, his opinion that the Men who Volunteered from the 94th. Foot to His Majesty's 22d. and 25th. Light Dragoons, are entitled to such articles of Horse Appointments free of expence to themselves, as they would have received had they entered those Regiments as Recruits, instead of Volunteers from a Corps of Infantry. His Excellency therefore desires the necessary steps may be taken

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to obtain for those Men at the Public charge the Horse Appointments which His Majesty's regulations authorize to be charged to the Public.—

In respect to Recruits who have arrived from England, and whose claims for necessaries for themselves and appointments for their Horses are not supported by documents from the Army or Cavalry Depôt at the Isle of Wight and Maidstone, the Commander in Chief cannot authorize any indemnification, unless it should most clearly appear to a Court of Enquiry that the same are just and proper His Excellency being aware of the General Correctness which prevails at both these establishments in respect to the equipment of Recruits sent to Foreign Stations and the great pains which are there taken to apprize Commanding Officers of Regiments of any deviations from Regulations which sometimes unavoidably happen.—

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

(Signed) P. Carey
Mily. Secy.

A true Copy
(Signed) C. W. Burdett
B. M.

A true Copy
(Signed) G. P. Adams
Lt. Col. A. M. 25th L.D. Extract

Read 21st
1st Sept. 1808

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Extract from the Code of Regulations published in March 1806.—

Section 4th.

Cavalry

Para 28 Government is at the first expence of supplying every new Regement of Native Cavalry with Saddles, and Horse Accoutrements.—

29 The Commandants, or Senior Officers in India of Regiments respectively are to keep the members thus supplied in good Condition for the service, in consideration of an Allowance of 21 Fanams paid to them Monthly for every saddle, and set of Accoutrements, delivered for the use of the Regements with the exception only of such proportion of the number as shall be found to have been lost on Field Service, which will be replaced by the Company.—

30 The said Allowance of 21 fanams p.r Month for the saddle and Horse Accoutrements, as abovementioned, is considered in full for every expence appertaining to their preservation, whether in regard to providing carriage for them in the Field or store room

in

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in Garrison, as well as for repairs required to keep them up in good condition for the service —

33 A seperate engagement is to be entered into by the Commandant, or Senior Officer of each Regiment of Cavalry binding himself his Heirs, Executors, and Administrators in consideration of the Monthly Allowance of 21 fanms for each saddle, and set of the full establishment of Horse Accoutrements. that such saddles and Accoutrements on his quitting the Command of the Regement, going to Europe on leave, or in the event of his death, shall be delivered to his successor in a perfectly serviceable Condition —

40 The Monthly contract of 36 fanams for the supply of hand and Heel Ropes, and Pegs, Nose Bags, Curry combs and Brushes, watering Bridles, mane combs and Pickers, Physic and Measure, Gram Kettles, or Pots, fire wood, Horse Cloths and surcingles, and for one set of shoes for each Horse Monthly, shall be held by Officers Commanding Troops —

41 Under the Article of Horse Cloth,

each

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each Horse shall be kept supplied with a large substantial or Cumbly to be used when the Horse is not stabled in bad weather or when sickness or other cause requires his being clothed —

43 No Officer shall hold the contract of Thirty six Sanams whilst absent in Europe or on leave of the Coast, or while holding a Staff appointment that withdraws him from Regimental duty, and a Captain or Subaltern holding the Contract shall, on quitting the Regiment on leave, point out to the Commanding Officer of the Regiment the person who has undertaken to conduct the contract for him on his Absence, and such person shall be liable to objection from the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, should he think him not sufficiently responsible for the conduct of such a trust, and it is the special duty of the Commanding Officer of each Regiment to see that the contract of 36 Sanams be at all times strictly and honorable fulfilled —

True Extracts

(Signed) P. Bruce

Mily Audt Genl

Lieutenant.

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Lieutenant Colonel Adams

Commanding H. M. 25th. Regiment of

Light Dragoons Bangalore

Sir,

I have just been favored with your Letter of the 28th. Ultimo on the Subject of the Allowance to the Recruits and Volunteers on joining the Regiment under your Command and in answer have the honor to forward herewith, Copy of my letter to the Deputy Paymaster General to the Kings Troops, dated the 24th of June last, in which the cause of objecting to the Allowance is stated, It may be proper in me to add for your Information, that my official conduct in the Department of Audit must be guided by a strict conformity to the Orders, communicated to me by the Government of Fort St. George and by the established regulations of the Service applicable to the Disbursements in the Military Department under this Presidency, I am not therefore warranted to admit of any deviation from them under any other authority whatever. And am accordingly precluded

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precluded from passing the Allowance now claimed to the Re-
cruits and Volunteers who lately joined his Majesty's 25.th Regi-
ment of Dragoons altho' it may be sanctioned by the first
authority in England because it appears to interfere with a
special Allowance granted to Officers in the Command of
Regiments and of Troops of the different Regiments of Ca-
valry serving under this Presidency, and which by the General
Orders of Government authorizing them specifies Allowances,
it is declared to be for providing and keeping up the several
articles for which the claim is now preferred on account of
the Recruits and Volunteers who joined the 25.th Dragoons —

If you will be pleased however to
state, in a Letter addressed to the Right Honorable the
Governor General in Council, the particular grounds and
authorities upon which the application is founded, and
forwarded it under cover with a flying seal to me, being
the prescribed channel of communication to Government in
such Cases, I shall lose no time in doing myself the honor
of laying it before his Lordship in Council for

Decision

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Decision. —

Military Audr. Genl's. Office
Fort St. George 1st. Novr. 1809.

I have the honor to be
Gentn.
Your most obedt. Servt.
/ Signed / P. Bruce
Mily. Audr. Genl.

A true Copy
/ Signed / P. Bruce
Mily. Audr. Genl.

The charge made by the Officer Comg. the 25th Regiment Dragoons for horse Bitts appearing to the Board entirely unauthorized by the regulations of this Government resolved that the retrenchment against that Officer on this account be inforced And the Military Auditor General be directed to recover the amount in the usual manner. —

limits thereof. —

To the Right Honorable
Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c. &c. &c.

My Lord

From the Military Auditor

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt

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Auditor General returning a Bill from the Purser of H. M. Ships Cleande the Charge not belonging to the Military department.

Receipt of Mr. Secretary Peile's letter of the 15th Instant with which was transmitted Copy of a letter from the Purser of His Majesty's Ship Clorinde, with a Bill for Provisions supplied to the Honorable Company's Pilot Schooner, Amounting to Pagodas 43.17.27. regarding which, I beg leave to observe, that it does not appear to be a charge belonging to the Military Department nor has it been usual for any charge of a similar nature to be passed in my Office — The Bill is therefore herewith returned in Order to be adjusted if found to be correct in the department to which it may be judged proper to belong. —

Military Audr. Genls. Office
Fort St. George 24th Novr. 1809.

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

Order thereon. —

Ordered that the foregoing letter be transferred to the Civil Department for adjustment of the Bill therein referred to. —

Read the following letters from the Mily. Paymaster General. —

To the Chief Secretary of Government.

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose you Copy of

From the Military Paymr.

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Paymr Genl Enclosing Copy of a letter from Mr Paymr Douglas respecting retrenchments against Captain G. Waugh —

of a Letter from Mr Paymaster Douglas of the 10th Instant with its enclosure to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council on the Subject of Retrenchments against Captain G. Waugh late Barrack Master and request you will lay the same before His Lordship for his Orders. —

I am
Hon. Sir
Your
Most obedient
Humble Servant
(Signed) L. G. R. Murray
Mily Paymr Genl

Fort St. George 20th Novr 1809
Mily. Paymr Genl Office.

To the Military Paymr General
at Fort St. George

Sir,

At the request of Captain Waugh I transmit a letter from him to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council and request to know whether under the circumstances therein stated I am immediately to recover the amount of the retrenchment against him. —

I have the honor to be Hon. Sir Your Most obedient Humble Servant
(Signed) A. Douglas
M. P.

Mily. Paymr Office
Tellicherry 10th Novr 1809.

True Copy
(Signed) L. G. R. Murray
Mily. Paymr Genl
&c

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To the Right Honorable

the Governor General in Council

My Lord,

It is with extreme reluctance I bring myself to the notice of your Lordship on the present occasion but your Lordships disposition to administer justice to those under your Authority leads me to expect forgiveness for this intrusion.—

In February last I had the honor to address myself to Sir George Barlow in Council through the channel of the Military Auditor General on the Subject of Retrenchments to which I have not had the satisfaction of a reply owing I presume to the emergency of the times and the occupation of Government in more important business.—

The Deputy Paymaster General of Company's allowances to Kings Troops has frequently since been importuning me to settle the Retrenchments in question, and in a letter to the Paymaster General of the Army he calls upon him to recover the amount by stoppages from my small Military income which would greatly

inconvenience

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inconvenience me. — It therefore becomes necessary that I should have the decision of your Lordship on my Case. Which I take the liberty to submit by forwarding an attested Copy of my letter / with its accompaniments / to the Honorable the Governor in Council. My desire is to prove by the testimony of that respectable Officer Colo. Picton / a Copy of whose Certificate acknowledging the receipt of the Bill by H. M. 12th. Regiment is forwarded / and on my own assurance that the quantity of Bil re-trenched was actually disbursed on a misconception of a General Order dated the 20th. June 1807 which the Governor in Council was pleased to allow in G. O. dated the 6th. December 1808 did admit of various interpretations. —

I humbly beseech your Lordship to take my case into your just consideration and with your wonted liberality to relieve me from so oppressive a loss. —

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

/ Signed / G. Waugh

Capt. Madras European Regt.

late Barrack Master

N. B

Cannanore

9th. of November 1809.

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N. B. No. and discription of vouchers accompanying this Letter.

No. 1 Copy of a letter to Sir George Barlow in Council with three references inclosed No. 1.2.3.

No. 2. Copy of a letter to the Military Auditor General inclosing a Copy of Lieutenant & Colonel Picton's Certificate No. 1 acknowledging the receipt of the Bill by H. M. 12th. Regiment.

To the Honorable the

Governor in Council

Fort St. George

Honorable Sir,

It is with extreme regret I feel my-
-self under the necessity of intruding my case on the Attention of Government - but a just Consideration for my own personal interests impel me to adopt this method of obtaining that redress which has been denied me from the Office of Audit —

I beg leave to remark that in the Course of my duty as Barrack Master to the Forces on Malabar

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Malabar I have made all my charge "to the best of my judgement" in strict conformity to the Code of Barrack Regulations established by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council under date the 20th. June 1807, and with other Articles I drew for the necessary quantity of Lampoil for His Majesty's Troops agreable to the tenor of those Regulations, and supplied it accordingly to His Majesty's 12th. Regiment at Cannanore. The Military Auditor General however for eight successive Months / after those charges had been made and the Oil strictly delivered to the Troops / introduces a different Construction on the orders of Government to the sense in which I received them and has regularly retrenched from my Disbursements at the rate of three Pallucks for every hundred Rank and File per Month amounting to Star Pagodas 109. 8. 10 for eight successive Months in the year 1808—

I have already observed that those Charges were made under a thorough Conviction that they were just and according to the intention of

Government

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Government and having delivered the Oil regularly in the execution of my duty to His Majesty's 12th Regiment it has been impossible for me since the decision of the Military Auditor General to recover from His Majesty's Regiment the amount or quantity of Oil so retrenched - and it is moreover impracticable for a Barrack Master / in payment of a Retrenchment of this nature / to attempt to withhold any part of the present small allowance of oil to the Troops, without exposing them to the greatest inconvenience, and withdrawing a necessary indulgence from the Soldier.

It cannot either be argued that I have been guilty of a wilful breach of the orders of Government in making those charges, and thereby exposing myself to just retrenchment for the Government Orders under date the 6th of December 1808 / a Copy of which I herewith subjoin No. 1 / acknowledge that the G.O. of the 20th June 1807 on the subject of Oil to the Troops admit of "Various interpretations" it has therefore been deemed necessary by Government to rectify that part of the Barrack Code since which period / indeed since

this

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the charge had been given against me on readdet by the Mili-
-tary Auditor General / I have made my Charges in attend-
tion to the modified order by Government. —

To give a More clear idea of the nature
of my Case I beg leave to annex a Copy of one of the Mili-
-tary Auditor Generals report Retrenchments against me on
this subject No. 2 also a Statement of Sums No. 3 of the
whole of the retrenchments on these charges for eight successive
Monthes as furnished by Lieutenant Colonel J. Campbell
Deputy Pay Master General to His Majesty's Forces —
through whom the Retrenchments have been submitted
to me. —

I have now to beg the attention of the
Governor in Council to my case and to pray that he will
with his usual justice relieve me from so oppressive a
loss, by ordering me to be reimbursed. had the Governor in
Council not been pleased to acknowledge in the G. O.
bearing date the 6th of December 1808 that the
regulations under which Jactes aid admit of Va-
-rious interpretations" I could scarcely hope for the
indulgence

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indulgence I now crave. —

I have the honor to be

Sir &c. &c.

Barrack Masters Office

Malabar 1st. February 1809.

(Signed) G. Waugh

Bk. Master

A true Copy

(Signed) G. Waugh.

Captain

General Orders. Head Qrs. of the Army

Choultry Plain 10th. Decr. 1808

Fort St. George 6th. Decr. 1808

G.O. By Government

As the General Orders 20th. June 1807

admits of various interpretation regarding the proportions of Lamps and Oil allowed for Non Commissioned and private Europeans. the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for General information. that one Lamp per Month is allowed for every two Serjeants and the same for every ten Rank and File including Corporals, and that one Allack of Oil pr. day is

allowed

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allowed for each Lamp so kept——

By Order of the Honorable the Governor

in Council ——

/Signed/ G. Strachey

Secy to Government

A true Copy

/Signed/ G. Waugh

Barrack Master

Extract of Retrenchments Made by the Military Auditor

General from the Disbursements of Dy Coll. John Campbell Payr

of Company's Allowances to the Kings Troops in the Month of Feby. 1808.

| | Ps | fs | 6 |
|---|---|---|---|
| No of Vouchers — Cannanore. | | | |
| 92 Captain Gilbert Waugh Barrack Master charges 422 Measures of Lamp Oil for Janr. 1808 for His Majestys 12th Regiment Pagodas — 12-38-40 | | | |
| Admitted 351 Measures of Lamp Oil for the Above Regiment at 7 fs. 20 Cs. fs. As 60.12.20 | | | |
| The difference is Retrenched the Barrack Mr. having Charged 13 in place of 10 Bullocks of Lamp Oil fs. 100 Rank and File — | 12 | 23 | 20 |
| Pagodas — | 12 | 23 | 20 |

A true Extract

/Signed/ J. Campbell

Dept. Pay. Genl.

A true Copy

/Signed/ G. Waugh

B. M. Statement

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Statement of Retrenchments Standing Against the Barrack Department at Cannanore unadjusted by Captain Gilbert Waugh up to the 31st. August 1808.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1808 | | | | | |
| Febry | The Overcharge of Lamp Oil for Jany 1808 | | 12 | 23 | 20 |
| March | The Do. of Do. for Febry Do. | | 12 | 36 | 10 |
| April | The Do. of Do. for March Do. | | 13 | 21 | 30 |
| May | The Do. of Do. for April Do. | | 13 | 10 | 10 |
| June | The Do. of Do. for May Do. | | 14 | 22 | 10 |
| July | The Do. of Do. for June Do. | | 13 | 15 | 30 |
| August | The Do. of Do. for July Do. | | 15 | 11 | 70 |
| Septr. | The Do. of Do. for August Do. | | 13 | 36 | 20 |
| | | Pagodas . . . | 109 | 8 | 16 |

Kings Pay Office
Madras the 20th
January 1809.

(Signed) J. Campbell
Dep.y Pay.r Gen.l

A true Copy
(Signed) G. Waugh
Barrack Master

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To the Military Auditor General

Sir

I have had the honor to receive your Letter under date the 21st. Ultimo and in compliance with your instructions have obtained from the Officer Commanding H. M. 12th Regement and now forward to you the necessary Certificate in support of my reference to Government on the subject of the additional quantity of Oil supplied by me to H. M. Troops under a thorough Conviction that I was acting in obedience to the G. O. under date the 20th June 1807.—

I trust that the Certificate of so respectable an Officer as Colonel Picton will satisfy you that in making the Issues which it sets forth, I could have had no other object in view than a desire to conform to the Regulations of the Service and a wish not to withhold from the Soldier an indulgence which I did consider him entitled to—

My discontinuing this additional charge from the 31st of August will mark my

respect

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respect for your decision. I trust therefore under existing cir-
cumstances and in attention to the several favorable explana-
tions which I have made on this subject, that you may be
induced to give up your intention of recommending Government
to confirm the Retrenchment and that you will on the con-
trary be so good as to espouse my Cause and in justice endeavor
to relieve me from a loss which Colonel Pictons declaration
will convince you must come from my private funds which
my reduced circumstances cannot well afford. —

May I beg the favor of you to forward
an authentic Copy of this Letter with my appeal to
Government. —

Barrack Masters Office
Cannanore 10th April 1809.

I am &c. &c.
/Signed/ Go Waugh
Bk. Master

A true Copy
/Signed/ Go Waugh
Captain

This is to Certify that Captain Gilbert
Waugh Barrack Master furnished to His Majestys 12th
Regiment

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Regiment thirteen Allowes of Lamp Oil daily per hundred Rank and File exclusive of Serjeants from the 1st January to the 31st of August 1808 inclusive. —

(Signed) John Picton

Major Comg. H. M. 12 Dr.

Camp in Travancore

3d. April 1809.

A true Copy

(Signed) G. Waugh

Captain

The above quantity of Oil was issued by me to His Majesty's Forces under a strong impression that this allowance was tolerated by the Orders of Government in the Barrack Department under date the 20th June 1807, and Lieutenant Colonel Pictons Certificate must fully confirm this Assertion as I could have had no Object in view in issuing to the Troops a greater quantity of Oil than the Regulations admit of sensible as I must have been that a wilful deviation from the Orders of Government must subject the Offender to severe loss and it will be found that I ceased

to

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to make this additional Charge from the period the Auditor General confirmed the Retrenchment.—

(Signed) G. Waugh
Bde Master

Barrack Mr. Office
Cannanore 10th April
1809.

A true Copy
(Signed) G. Waugh
Captain

Order thereon —

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent for the consideration and report of the Military Auditor General —

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Mily. Pay. Genl. — Enclosing Copy of a letter from Capt. Paymr. Carfrae stating that he had appointed Lieut. McLaren to act for him — requesting that Mr. Paymaster or Douglas may be permitted to visit the Presidency —

I have the honor to transmit, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, Copy of a Letter from Captain Paymaster Carfrae stating his having appointed Lieutenant McLaren to act for him at Secunderabad —

I take the liberty of recommending the nomination made by Captain Paymaster Carfrae

may

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may be allowed as it will facilitate the early and punctual transmission of the Public Accounts, and the Paymaster will be held responsible for such Retrenchments as may be made from the Hyderabad Accounts—

I likewise enclose transcript of a Letter from Mr. Paymaster Douglas, dated 13th. Instant requesting leave to visit the Presidency for two Months, to adjust his Public Accounts, accompanied by the sanction of the Commanding Officer Colonel Forbes Commanding in Malabar and Canara, and that Captain Snow may be authorized to take charge of the Office during his absence, and requesting the permission of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council may be obtained for Mr. Paymaster Douglas to visit the Presidency for the period he has requested—

I have the honor to be

Dr. Sir

Fort St. George
22d. November 1809
Mily. Paymr. Genl. Office

[Signed] L. G. R. Murray
Mily. Payr. Genl.

To

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To the Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to communicate to you, that I have appointed Lieutenant Mc Laren of the 2d. Bn. 8th. Regiment N.I. to the temporary charge of my Department at Secunderabad, and I have to request the favor of your acceptance of his signature on my account for any Bills on you which may be required here; Also that the Account Disbursements at Secunderabad may be made up and transmitted by him to you. the Totals only of the Pence and Field Disbursements to appear in my Account Current. —

If you are good enough to comply with the above arrangement, a great deal of trouble will be saved, and all risk of losing the Vouchers from this Station will be avoided. —

An early reply to this Letter directed to me in Camp will much oblige. —

Camp near Golcondah
13th. November 1809.

I have the honor to be &c.
(Signed) S. Carfrae
Paymr.

True Copy
(Signed) L. G. K. Murray
Mily. Paymr. Genl.
&c

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To the Military Paymaster General

Fort St. George

Sir,

As circumstances of an urgent nature induce me to wish to visit the Presidency, I request you will do me the favor to lay this my request for two Months leave of Absence from my Station before the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, and also my further request that Captain E. W. Snow may be permitted to act for me.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Obt. Servt.

Tellicherry

13th. November 1809

(Signed) A. Douglas

M. Paymr.

This application is sanctioned by me

(Signed) B. Forbes

Lieut. Col. Comg. in Malabar

& Canara.

True Copy

(Signed) L. G. R. Murray

Mily. Paym. Genl.

Fort

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Minute thereon. — The Board approve the arrangement proposed by the Paymaster at Hydrabad for conducting the duties of his situation while absent in the field. —

Resolved that permission be granted to Mr. Paymaster Douglas to visit the Presidency and Captain E. Snow allowed to take charge of the Pay Office during his absence —

Ordered also that intimation of the resolutions of the Board on the foregoing letters be sent for the information and guidance of the Military Auditor General —

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Mily. Paymr. Genl. stating that letter alluded to in enclosed letter from Mr. Smith was submitted to Government the 16th August last.

I have the Honor to enclose for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council Copy of Mr. Paymaster Smith's Letter to me of the 18th Instant. the letter alluded to by him was submitted by me to Government in my Letter of the 16th August last

I am &c.

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Mily. Paymr. Genl's Office

(Signed) L. G. R. Murray

Mily. Paymr. Genl.

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The Military Paymr. General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to refer you to my letter dated Mysore 16th. August last, enclosing a Statement of Occurrences in the Department under my charge, during the late unhappy Commotion at Seringapatam —

As no notice has been taken of my letter I am apprehensive my conduct may have been considered deserving of censure with this impression upon my mind you will judge how anxious I am to exculpate myself and how gratifying it must be to be relieved from my present suspence —

I therefore intreat you will be pleased to forward this address to Government, and acknowledge its receipt —

(Signed) J. Smith

Paymr.

Bangalore Cantonment

8th. November 1809

True Copy

(Signed) L. G. R. Murray

Mily. Paymr. Genl.

Ordered

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Order thereon.— Ordered that the Military Paymaster & General be directed to inform Mr. Paymaster Smith that the Board do not disapprove of his conduct at Seringapatam during the late disturbances.—

Read the following letter from the Military Paymaster at the Presidency.—

To the Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir.

From the Military Paymaster at Fort St. George — With an account Sale of a Horse and Three Bullocks —

I have the honor to enclose you for the information of Government, an Account Sale of a Horse and three Bullocks, the property of the Honorable Company, Sold by Public Outcry, the neat proceeds of which amounts to Pagodas 17-22-40.—

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22d November 1809

[Signed] S. Greenhill
Paymaster.

Account

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Account Sale of an Horse and three Bullocks the property of the Honorable Company Sold by Public Outcry on the 11th November 1809. —

| No. | Colour | Names | Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Horse Milk Grey | Mr. Jones | 14 . . |
| 1 | Bullock Black | Coopa Naik — | 1 16 70 |
| 2 | Do. — White | Savy Moota — | 1 22 40 |
| 3 | Do. — Do. | Do. — Do. — | 1 28 10 |
| | | Pagodas — | 18 22-40 |
| | | Deduct criers fees — | 1 . . |
| | | Pagodas — | 17 22 40 |

E. E.

F. Pt. Signed J. Greenhill

Paymaster

Order thereon. — Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be sent for the information and guidance of the Military Auditor General —

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

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To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Town Major of Fort St. George – stating that he had received a retrenchment of the pay drawn for the Pensioners who were formerly in the Service of the Nabob Omdatul Omrah requesting instructions respecting the pay.t of the Pensions.

By the General Orders of the 25.th Nov.r 1801, the Native Officers formerly in the Service of the Nabob Omdatul Omrah were placed upon the Honorable Company's Pension List directed to be mustered in the same manner as other Pensioners and their pay to be drawn by the Town Major of Fort St. George at the Presidency.

I have recently received a Retrenchment of the Pay drawn for those Pensioners for the Month of June 1809, under authority of a Regulation of Government, dated 16.th March 1808 which had never been communicated to me, consequently I had continued to draw the pay as usual. I have referred to the Retrenchments and I expect to be relieved from it in the usual manner.

I have obtained a perusal of the Order of Government dated 16.th March 1808, stated as the grounds of the Retrenchment, and I find that

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it directs the Pension of the Nabobs Servants to be carried to the head of Civil Disbursements, instead of Military Charges but it appears to me to convey no authority to the Subtreasurer or any other Civil Officer of Government for discharging the Abstracts for those pensions, or for paying the Pensioners in any new Form. —

I therefore request that you will bring this subject to the notice of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, in order that I may be instructed whether the paying and mustering of such of those Pensioners as reside at the Presidency, and keeping the Register of the whole of them is to continue to be the duty of the Town Major of Fort St. George, and that the necessary orders may be given to the Subtreasurer for advancing the Amount of the Abstracts —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
Humble Servant
/ Signed / R.t Barclay
Town Major

Town Majors Office
Fort St. George
12.th November 1809

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Resolved that the following G. O. be publish-
-ed in consequence. —

Fort St. George 4th Decr. 1809

G. O. By Government

It having been resolved on the 16th March 1808 that the pensions granted to the Military Officers of the late Nabobs of the Carnatic should be carried to the head of Civil disbursements from the 1st May 1805 then following it is hereby directed that such of these pensions as have since that period continued to be carried to the head of Military Charges shall now be transferred to Civil Disbursements. —

The Right Honorable the Governor Genl. in Council is further pleased to direct that these pensioners shall continue to be mustered and paid by the Military Officers agreeably to the G. O. 25th November 1801, and the amount of the abstracts drawn as usual from the Military Paymasters of Stations who will enter them in a separate disbursement under the following Head "Civil Charges, Nabobs Pensioners" —

The reports of Casualties among these Pensioners are to be forwarded to the Town Major of Fort St.

G. O. By Government stating that the pensions granted to the Milty. Officers of the late Nabobs of the Carnatic shall be carried to the head of Civil disbursements from 1st of May 1805 and directing that those civil that have been carried to charges Military shall be transferred to Civil disbursements and further directing that those pensions shall continue to be mustered and paid by the Milty Officers agreeably to the G. O. 25th Nov. 1801 and the Amount of the Abstracts drawn as usual from the Milty. Paymasters of Stations who enter them in a separate disbursement under the following head Civil Charges Nabobs Pensioners and stating that the reports of Casualties among these Pensioners are to be forwarded to the Town Major of Fort St. George who will continue to keep a register of them and will forward the usual monthly Return of the Casualties to the Military Auditor Genl. and that the Milty. Paymaster General will furnish at the end of each Official Year a Statement of all sums admitted under the abovementioned head during the preceding Year and transmit it to the Accountant Genl. who will make the necessary adjustment in the public accounts and charge the amount to the Civil Charges of the Government

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George who will continue to keep a register of them, and will forward the usual Monthly Return of the Casualties to the Military Auditor General. —

The Military Paymaster General will

direct the respective Officials to prepare a Statement of all sums admitted under the above mentioned head during the preceding year and transmit it to the Accountant General, who will make the necessary adjustment in the Public accounts, and transfer the amount to the debit of the Civil Charges of this Government. —

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

(Signed) J. H. Pole
Secy. to Government

Read the following Letters from the Town Major of Fort St. George —

The Chief Secretary to Government,

Fort St. George

Sir.

From the Town Major of Fort St. George Submitting a Bill for Hire

I request you will lay before the Right

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Hire paid to Palanquin Boys stationed for Mr Hare and his Staff - Accounting for Mr Russell's ordinance appointing in this Account.

Right Honorable the Governor General in Council. The accompanying Bills for hire paid by the Captain of Marines to Palanquin Boys stationed by him on the road between Vellore for the purpose of carrying up Colonel Hare and his Staff from to Hyderabad, on the public service —

The reason for introducing into this Account the expence of paying Mr. Henry Russell up by the same Bearers is that Mr. Russell had written to Hyderabad for Bearers to meet him at the Pastnah, before I wrote to the Resident for Bearers for Colonel Hare, and as it was known that one Set only could be procured at Hyderabad it was necessary to allow Mr. Russell to go forth up by the Bearers which had been ordered for Colonel Hare on all that parts of the road, before he had written for any —

As Mr. Russell was also proceeding on the public Service the expence of his travelling would at any rate fall on the Company —

Fort St. George
20th November 1809.

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

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Fort St. George 1st. December 1809.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir.

From the Town Major of Fort St George - Reporting the discharge of two Persons from the Lunatic Hospital -

I have the honor to report to you for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, that William Savage, and James Berwick Matrosses of the 2d. Battalion Artillery have this day been discharged from the Lunatic Hospital and reported by Mr. Surgeon O'Dallon, to be fit for effective duty —

I have directed them to be sent to the Adjutant General of the Army to procure a passport to proceed to join their Corps ——

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obt. Hble.

Town Majors Office

Fort St George

22d. November 1809.

(Signed) R. Barclay

Town Major

Order thereon

Ordered that copies of the foregoing letters be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to order payment of the Bill for Palankeen Bearers enclosed in the former ——

To

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Fort St. George 1.st December 1809.

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Town Major of Fort St. George stating that Mons.r Aurevray had been sent on Board the Cartel with the Allowances of the rank he held, on board the Piedmontaise Frigate ——

I have the honor to acknowledge the re-
-ceipt of Mr. Peiles letter of the 15.th Instant
Mons.r Aurevray's name being in the
list of French Prisoners of War, directed by the Supreme Go-
-vernment to be sent to the Isle of France on the Hamitt Cartel
he was sent accordingly with the Allowances of the rank which
he held in the French Service on board the Piedmontaise
Frigate ——

As soon as I receive the Returns from
Pondicherry I will submit to the Right Honorable the Go-
-vernor General in Council a correct List of all the French or
subjects who left the Coast on the Hamitt Cartel ——

Town Majors Office
Fort St. George
21.st November 1809

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
[Signed] R. Barclay
Town Major.

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Fort St. George 1st. December 1809.

The Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Town Major of Fort St George representing the unserviceable state of the Flag Staff representing the situation of a Battalion of Sepoys in Columbadry pollah and proposing that a Bank be thrown up

I request you will represent to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council that the Lower staff of the Flag Staff of this Garrison is so much destroyed by the White Ants that it is no longer safe, even for the Lascars to go up to hoist the flag, and that the fair weather or upper staff cannot at all be set up upon it —

A serviceable staff was put up with the usual assurance at the top of the Lower Staff some months ago in such numbers that they destroyed a flag which was upon the cross trees in one day. The examination which took place proved that the inside of the Staff was almost entirely eaten away — Measures were taken to destroy the Ants which were in the wood. by means of oil poured in at top and also to prevent any more from getting at the foot of it, and those measures have succeeded so far as to keep the Staff still standing, but it neither is safe nor ever can be made Serviceable —

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The dimensions of it are. length 99 feet. 5 inches, diameter at the height of 21 feet from the bottome 2 feet 8 inch.—

I beg leave also to represent the situation of a Battalion of Sepoys Quartered in Chintadrupatah, which is at this time, and will continue for some months surrounded by water; so deep that the men can neither come out to exercise or to garrison duty, without taking off all their clothes and accoutrements, the latter six times on every tour of duty; allowing them to go twice to meals The Officers even can neither keep dry in Bandies or on Horseback but must get Palankeen Bearers to carry them on their heads—

I was informed last year, that a Bridge would be laid over the River, from the Bank near the Barrack to the Body Guard Stables which prevented me from making any public representation on the subject but that intention has not been carried into effect—

And as a temporary relief, I would recommend that a Bank should be thrown up, across the water, about 50 yards in

length

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length, from the end of the road which runs in front of Rud-
-dimans Garden, to the bank in front of the Mess Room in
Chintadrapettah, which may be done with sand and clay
taken out of the river, and afterwards covered with jelley and
gravel, at no expence but the hire of Coolies and a few
Carts — A Small arched Conduit should be laid under
the Bank, to draw off the water, which will at first
remain above it, and will collect on every subsequent shower —

I have the honor to be

Sir &c. &c.

(Signed) R. Barclay

Town Major

Town Major's Office
Fort St. George
22. November 1809.

Order thereon. -

Ordered that a Copy of the fore-
-going letter respecting the Flag Staff and causeway be sent
to the Military Board with directions to take immediate
measures for replacing the Flag Staff if found to be in
the decayed state represented and for constructing the
causeway as therein recommended. —

Read the following letter from the
Secretary to the Governor General —

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A Falconar Esqre.

Chief Secy to the Right Honorable the

Governor General in Council

Fort St. George.

Sir,

From the Secy. to the Government Transmitting Copy of a despatch from the Commissary for the exchange of Prisoners reporting the removal of Mr. Auvergne from the Cartel —

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General to transmit to you the enclosed Copy of a despatch under date the 9th Instant from the Commissary for the Exchange of Prisoners, and to request that it may be submitted for the information of the Governor General in Council. —

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedt. Servt.

Signed/ A. B. Edmonstone

Secy.

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28th November 1809.

A. B. Edmonstone Esqre.

Secy. to the Governor General

Sir,

I have the honor to request to you for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor-

General

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General, that I have found it necessary to remove from on Board of the Cartel (Auvergne) reported by Captain Epron as an Acting Midshipman, but whose real rank on board of the Piedmontaise was that of helmsman, my reason for doing, is an application from Captain Epron to that effect of which I have the honor to enclose a Copy. The circumstances I know to be correct and I apprehend disturbances from his continuing on Board, He is the same person who was in Jail at Fort St. George for insolence towards Captain Epron. I have applied to Captain Dawson of the Blanche to receive him which he has complied with. —

I have &c.

(Signed) H. Hope

Commissary

Point de Galle
9th November 1809.

A true Copy

(Signed) N.B. Edmonstone

Secy.

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A Monsieur Hope

Commissaire Chargé de l'echange des
prisonniers à bord du Cartel le Harriet

Monsieur le Commissaire.

Je suis parfaitement informé que
le nommé Anvernay, Temoin a bord de la Fgte la
Piemontaise ne cesse de me calomnier de la maniere
la plus infâme, ainsi que mes premiers Officiers. Je vous
prie instamment, Monsieur, de dé barquer ce Polisson
a Galle, a fin d'eviter de Semes desagreables que ne
peuvent manquer d'avoir lieu dans le Cours de la
traversée d'après atte insolence extreme. —

Jai l'honneur d'etre
Monsieur,
Votre obeissant Serviteur
(Signed) L. Fl. Epron

Ce vingt de 3.bre 1809.

A true Copy
(Signed) N. B. Edmonstone
Secy.

Read

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Fort St. George 1st. December 1809.

Read the following letters from the Chief Secretary to the Government at Bombay —

To J. H. Peile Esqre

Secy to the Government

Fort St. George

Sir.

From the Chief Secy to the Government of Bombay — With a Statement of pays made on Account of this Presidency —

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council, to transmit for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort St. George the Accompanying Statement of Payments made at the Military Pay Office at Bombay in last Month on Account of the Madras Presidency, amounting to Rupees (11,675-3-97) Eleven Thousand Six hundred and Seventy five three quarters and ninety Seven reas, which sum will be carried to the debit of the Government of Fort St George —

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedt Servt

(Signed) F. Warden

Chief Secy.

Bombay Castle

10th November 1809.

Statement

Statement of Payments made on Account of Madras Presidency in October 1809.

His Majesty's 30th Regiment

Paid Lieutenant J. Wemyss Allowances for September and Pay for October 1809 ..... 170-1-10

Ditto - an advance on Account pr. Government order dated 14th Do ..... 500-0-0 — 670 1 10

His Majesty's 33rd Regiment

Paid Ensign W. Hedley on advance on account pr. Government orders dated 13th October 1809 ..... 500 . .

His Majesty's 1st Battalion 56th Regiment

Paid Lieut. R. W. Brough Allowance for September and Pay for October 1809. 170-1-10

Sept. 1st to 5th December 1809

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| Ditto Mr. Henry Clarke Paymaster of the 84th Regiment Pay for 3 Privates | | | | |
| Attached to that Corps for October 1809 | | 39 | 1 | 05 |
| Ditto Surgeon John Williams medical Allowance for Men left in the | | | | |
| Hospital of the 84th Regiment for July and August | | 90 | " | " |
| Ditto — Ditto — for September | | 60 | " | " |
| | | | 359 | 2 46 |
| His Majesty's 86th Regiment | | | | |
| Pay Lieutenant Colonel Edward Drummond, an advance on account | | | | |
| pr. Government Orders dated 4th October 1809 | | 2000 | " | " |
| Do — Do — Do dated 19th Do | | 1000 | " | " |
| Do — Captain D. Marston Allowance for September and | | | | |
| pay for October 1809 | | 300 | " | 47 |
| Carried forward Rupees | 3300 | " | 47 | 1529 3 86 |

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| Brought forward Rupees | 3300 — — | 47 | 1529 | 3 86 |
| His Majesty's 86th Regement Cont. | | | | |
| Paid Lieutenant W. Bonner allowance for August and September and Pay for September and October 1809 | 340 — — | 40 | | |
| Ditto Ensign W. R. White allowance for August and September and pay for September and October 1809 | 261 — — | 74 | | |
| Ditto Ensign W. R. White an advance on account as Ft. Govornment Order dated 19th October 1809 | 1400 — — | — | | |
| Ditto Mr. Henry Clarke Paymaster of the 84th Regiment Amount Abstract for Arrears for September and advance for October 1809 to the Detachment Attached to that Corps | 558 — 2 — | 87 | | |
| Ditto Captain D. Cameron acting Paymaster of the 78th Regiment Amount Abstract for arrears for September and Advance for October 1809 to a Detachment Attached to that Corps at Goa | 145 — — | 78 | | |
| | | | 5005 — | 90 |

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2d. Regiment Madras Cavalry

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| Paid Captain Edward Baker Garrison Storekeeper for transportation of 9 Chests of Cavalry Saddles and Bridles &c. from Bombay to Serroor | 71 | 3 | 82 |
| Paid Captain Preston his allowance for September and Pay for October 1809 | 336 | 1 | 74 |
| Ditto ... Ditto Field Batta ... Ditto | 98 | 1 | 63 |
| Ditto Cornet D. Macgunn his Allowance for September and Pay for October 1809 | 296 | 3 | 37 |
| Ditto ... Ditto ... his Field Batta | 49 | 0 | 82 |
| Carried forward Rupees | 780 | 3 | 56 |
| | 607 | 0 | 58 |

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| Brought forward Rupees | 780-3-56 | 6607 . 58 | 8723 |
| Paid Lieutenant I. Knott his Allowance from 1st July to 30th September and Nett Pay from 1st August to 31st October 1809 | 3023-3-. | | |
| Deduct paid in December 1808 on Account Allowances for July and Pay for August 1809 | 205-.- | | |
| | 2823-3-. | | |
| Ditto Assistant Surgeon Thomas Taylor on account his Allowance for September and Pay for October 1809 | 319-.35 | | |
| Ditto Lieutenant Wellock his Allowance for September and Pay for October 1809 | 339-3-74 | | |
| Ditto . . Ditto his Field Batta for September | 65-2-49 | | |
| Ditto . . Ditto Batta or Gratuity | 65-2-49 | | |

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| Ditto Lieutenant Blacker his Allowance for September and Pay for October 1809 | 402 - 1 - 02 |
| Ditto Lieutenant James Rivett Carnac his Allowance for September and with Pay for October 1809 | 159 - 2 - 74 |
| Ditto Lieutenant Stuart his Table Money from 18th January to 14th February 1809 | 112 - " - " |
| | 5088 3 39 |
| Rupees | 11,675 3 97 |

Bombay
Military Auditor Generals Office
6th November 1809.

/ Signed / Alexr. Hay
Mily. Auditor General.

Ordered

8725 Fort St. George 1st December 1809.

Order thereon. — Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Letter be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to adjust the balance against this Government in the usual Manner. —

Read the following Letter from the Judge Advocate General and Deputy Judge Advocate to the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force. —

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Judge Advocate General — Gen.l Pater required as a witness at the Court Martial at Bangalore —

I have the honor to report to you, that I have this day had occasion to send a Summons, to Major General Pater the Officer Commanding the northern Division of the Army to attend as a Witness the General Court Martial now sitting at Bangalore — I have also reported this circumstance to the Officer Commanding the Army —

Fort St. George
25th November 1809.

(Signed) J. Leith
Judge Advocate Genl.

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To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will be pleased to transmit me the Several declarations Signed by the Officer at Seringapatam on the 3d. of August ult. which were forwarded to Government. —

I do myself the honor to State for the Information of the Right Honorable the Governor General, that the name of Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm has been included in the List of Evidences required by Major Storey in support of his Defence I shall not however issue my Summons until I am informed, how far it may be practicable to obtain that Officers attendance —

From the Deputy Judge Advocate — Requests that the Journal declarations signed by the Officers at Seringapatam on the 3 Augt. may be forwarded and states that the name of Lieut Col. Malcolm has been included in the list of witnesses required by Major Storey in support of his defence.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c.
(Signed) Wm. Ormsby
Depy. Judge Advt.

Bangalore
25th November 1809

Ordered that the following reply be

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be dispatched ——

To Lieutenant Grimsby

Depty. Judge Advocate

at Bangalore

Sir.

So Dr. Stalking that he is no doubt apprized of Lieutenant Colonel Malcolms having proceeded to Bombay for what purpose and that by will have embarked from that Presidency before a Summons for his attendance could reach him and that by his receiving orders of recall would be productive of incalculable injury for what reason it is impracticable to interrupt the progress of his important mission —

In further reply to your letter of the 25.th Ultimo I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to inform you that you are no doubt apprized of Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm having proceeded to Bombay vested with the Commission of Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Court of Persia on the part of the British Government — As the extreme urgency and importance of the Duties committed to his charge require his earliest practicable Arrival on the Persian Gulph he has received the instructions of the Governor General to proceed on his Voyage from Bombay to the Persian Gulph with the least possible delay — It is therefore highly probable that Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm will have embarked from that Presidency before a Summons for his Attendance could reach him. —

Bark

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But under the Supposition of a de-
-tention at Bombay which would admit of Lieutenant
Colonel Malcolm's receiving Orders of recall, I am directed
to signify to you that the delay in the prosecution of his
Mission to Persia, which would be occasioned by his re-
-turn to this Presidency, would be productive of incalcula-
-ble injury to the most important interests of the British
Government — For which reason the Governor General in
Council is of opinion that it is impracticable to recall
Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm and interrupt the pro-
-gress of his urgent and important Mission. —

The Governor General in Council
deems it his duty to express his great regret at the oc-
-currence of any public exigency of a nature to oppose
an obstacle to a proposition connected with the re-
proceedings of a Court Martial His Lordship
in Council However regards with the less reluc-
-tance the existence of this insurmountable impe-
-diment to the attendance of Lieutenant Colonel

Malcolm

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Malcolm, as it does not appear from the tenor of your appli-
-cation that any Judgment has been passed upon the impor-
-tance of his evidence on the Trial of Major Storey —

Fort St. George
2d. December 1809.

I am &c. &c.
(Signed) A. Falconar
Chief Sec. to Govt.

Read the following Letters from the Officer
Commanding at Pondicherry —

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Officer Commanding at Pondicherry — requesting Instructions regarding Mr. Gremaud.

Para 1 I request to be honoured with the final instructions of Government regarding Mr. Gremaud de Chauvert, who was permitted by the Commissioners at Trangambar to proceed to this place where he has been since the 13th of last Month, on the plea of recovering debts said to be due to him by certain inhabitants of Pondicherry, and for which he has now commenced a Suit in the Court of Judicature here —

2 In consequence of the pleasure of

Government

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Government communicated in Mr. Secretary Peels letter of the 24th Ultimo: I have informed Mr. Grimond, that he must be prepared to leave this place, when I shall receive the orders of Government to that effect, and I have in the mean time finding that he has no means whatever of subsistence, permitted him to exercise the profession of a dancing Master here, still however keeping him under the Superintendence of the Police, and having besides taken security for his personal appearance. — I request to be informed, to what period the stay of Mr. Grimond at this place, may be prolonged, and whether I am, on its expiration, to send him, under a guard to Poonamallee, agreeably to the intention of Government, as communicated to Mr. Pelso, under date the 1st February last. —

I have the honor to be

Sir &c. &c.

(Signed) J. G. Graham

Lieut. Col. Comg.

Pondicherry
20th November 1809.

Ordered that the following letter be dispatched in reply —

To

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Fort St. George 1st. December 1809.

To the Officer Commanding
at Pondicherry

Sir,

To the Officer Comg. at Pondicherry Intimating that Mr. Lyremand may be sent to Poonamallee on the termination of the suit instituted by him but in case of his having had recourse to Law a pretext for remaining at Pondicherry it directs that that Gentleman be sent without delay.

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 20th Ultimo

2 His Lordship in Council directs that on the termination of the present suit which Mr. Lyremand has instituted he may be sent on to Poonamallee of however you have to think that Mr. Lyremand has brought the subject of his debt before a Court of Law merely for the purpose of making that circumstance a pretence for remaining at Pondicherry His Lordship in Council directs that he be sent to Poonamallee without delay.

I am &c.

Fort St. George
2d. December 1809

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

Ordered that the following Letters be dispatched.

To

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Fort St. George 1st. December 1809.

To John Adam Esqre.

Acting Secretary to the Government
at Fort William

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Hoe. the Acting Secjo. to the Govermt. at Fort Wm. Forwarding for the consideration of the Honorable the Vice President in Council an extract of a letter from the Adjutt. General of the Army at that Residency 24th Ultimo, respecting Ensign Moberly and directing that such information as the records of the Govt. at Fort William contain regarding that Officer may be furnished for His Lordship in Council. —

Honorable the Governor General in Council to forward for the consideration of the Honorable the Vice President in Council the Accompanying Extract of a letter from the Adjutant General of the Army at this Presidency under date the 24th Ultimo respecting Ensign Moberly and to desire that such information as the records of the Government at Fort William contains regarding this Officer may be furnished for the information of His Lordship in Council. —

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedient

humble Servant

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Secjo. to Govt.

Fo.

Fort St. George
2d. December 1809.

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To Captain J. Nixon

2d. Batt.n of Artillery

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to return your letter of the 13th. Ultimo, the mode of application adopted by you on this occasion being irregular.—

I am Sir

Your Most

Obed.t Hum.e Ser.t

(Signed) J. H. Pole

Sec.y to Gov.t

To Captain Nixon of the 2d. Batt.n of Artillery - Returning his letter of the 13th. ultimo and stating the mode of Application made by him on that occasion to be irregular.

Fort St. George

2d. December 1809.

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Extract

Office Sec.t Consult.

1st. December 1809

Pages 1146 Copied by

J. Vincent Assistant for

July 1810.

G. H. Barlow

W. Oliver

Asst.

Sec.t to Govt.

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# Diary

Sent the following Letters.

To Major General Gowdie

Commanding the Army in Chief

Sir,

To the Officer Comm.
manding the Army
in Chief. Informing him
that Lieutenant Brenn-
-er that, is to draw
the allowance of
Cantonment adjutant
from the date he was
ordered to take charge
of Captain Grants' si-
-tuation until relie-
-ved by Captain
McIntosh. -

I am directed by the Right Honora-
-rable the Governor General in Council to acknow-
-ledge the receipt of your Secretary's letter dated the
1st Ultimo, and to inform you that His Lordship
in Council has been pleased to permit Lieutenant
Fireworker West to draw the allowance of Canton-
-ment Adjutant from the date he was ordered to
take charge of Captain Grant's situation until he
is relieved by Captain McIntosh. -

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient Humble Servt

/Signed/ J.H. Cole

Secretary to Govt.

Fort St George
1st December 1809.

To.

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Fort St George 9th December 1809

To the President and Members of the
Military Board.

Gentlemen,

To the military Board. Approving the orders given for the removal of Ordnance and military Stores in Travancore and stating the Gentlemen will be appropriated for the use of Storing Hemp and Salt petre - directing that the guard room at Cannanore be built in the manner recommended - Orders will hereafter be given respecting the Jail at Salem previous to determining on their recommendation for transferring to the account of the public grain collected by Lt. Paymaster Pethewell, in consequence of an agreement concluded by that gentleman with their Board in February 1808; desiring that he be called upon to state the precise periods at which the grain was laid in and the prices paid, and.

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of Your letter dated 13th Ultimo -

2. His Lordship in Council approves the orders you have given for the removal of the Ordnance and Military Stores in Travancore -

3. The Old Mint at Masulipatam will be appropriated for the use of storing Hemp and Salt petre -

4. His Lordship in Council directs that the guard rooms for Police at Cannanore may be built in the manner you have recommended -

5. His Lordship in Council will hereafter give orders respecting the Jail at Salem -

6. Previous to determining on your recommendation for transferring to the account

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and to ascertain the cause of the delay in advancing money for the payment, and requiring that Mr. Wetherall may state his reasons for not having objected to the receipt of the advances at the time they were made if too late to admit of the terms for fulfilling the Contract.—

Account of the publick the Grain collected by Mr. Paymaster Wetherell in consequence of the agreement concluded by that Gentleman with your Board in February 1808, I am directed to desire that he be called upon to State the precise periods at which the Grain was laid in, and the prices paid for the same, you will also ascertain the cause of the delay in advancing money for the purchase of the Grain, whether owing to ** the late application of the Paymaster, or to any temporary deficiency of Funds, and take such measures to verify these particulars as may appear best calculated to effect that object as well as to procure any further information on the subject.—

I am at the same time directed to desire that Mr. Wetherell may be required to state his reasons for not having objected to the receipt of the advances at the time they were made if too late to admit of his fulfilling the terms of the Contract.—

I have

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Fort St. George
1st December 1809.

I have the honor to be &c &c &c
(signed) S. H. Pole
Secy to Govt

To the President and Members of the
Military Board.

Gentlemen,

To the Military Board
Forwarding for their
consideration Copy of a
letter from the Town
Major of Fort St. George
desiring that measures
may immediately
be taken for replac-
ing the Flag Staff
and on the same
way may be made
across the river in
the manner sugges-
ted in the letter
accompanying.—

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to forward for your consideration the accompanying Copy of a letter from the Town Major of Fort St. George dated the 27th ultimo.—

2 His Lordship in Council desires that measures may be immediately taken for replacing the flag staff if it shall be found on examination to be in the decayed state as reported by the Town Major.—

3 I am also directed to desire that orders may be given for forming a causeway across the river in the manner suggested in

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in the accompanying letter:—

I have the honour to be

Sir Sir Sir

Fort St. George

1st December 1809.

(Signed) H. Peile.

Secretary to Government

To The Military Auditor General.

not. Sir,

To the Military Auditor General informing him that the Honorable Colonel Stuart continues to draw 250 Pagodas per mensem until further orders; permitting Lieutenant Fuller to draw the allowance of Quartermaster Adjutant from the date of Captain Grant's removal until he be relieved by Captain Clerk; remitting the retrenchment against Major Kirkall and deeming it unnecessary that the amount should be refunded by Colonel St. Leger, directing the necessary orders may be given for recovering the sums advanced to the Battalions of the 8th

Para 1. I am directed by the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letters dated the 16th 18th 20th 22nd and 24th Ultimo —

2. Upon due consideration of the Grounds on which the Honourable Colonel Stuart founds his Claim for the same allowances as have been granted to his Predecessors in command of Travancore Field — Lordship in Council has in consideration of the large force under that Officers command been pleased to grant him the Sum of — 250 Star Pagodas per mensem until further

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8th and 15th N.I. by order of Lieutenant Colonel Bell; with respect to the treasure sized at Chittledroog, directing that the officers in Command of the 8th and 15th on their leaving Chittledroog be required to transmit to the Paymaster at Seringapatam the pay abstracts of their respective corps for the month of August, and that instructions be given to the Paymaster to adjust the amount with the Resident in Mysore; and Captains Aiskill and M.Intosh are to be held accountable for the balance of the amount of the treasure sized except that of the abstracts of the Corps for August - Considering the Charge made by Lt.

Further orders -

3. His Lordship in Council permits Lieutenant Fireworker West to draw the allowances of Cantonment Adjutant from the date of Captain Grants removal until he be relieved by Captain M.Intosh appointed to succeed that Officer in the situation of Brigade Major -

4. His Lordship in Council considers the circumstances under which Major Newall drew batta as Commanding the 6th Regiment of Cavalry to entitle that Officer to the allowance and is pleased in consequence to remit the retrenchment against him on that account and at the same time deems it to be unnecessary that the amount should now be refunded by Colonel Sent Leger -

5. His Lordship in Council approves the mode you have suggested for recovering the Sums advanced to the Battalions of the 8th and 16th Regiments of

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Lt. Colonel Adams for horse Hire on account of the Lieutenants and recruits for 76 Mn. 25th Dragoons to be authorised by the regulations of this Government, confirms the retrenchment and directs that the amount be recovered in the usual manner —

of Native Infantry by order of Lieutenant Colonel Bell and directs that the necessary orders be given for carrying the arrangement into effect. You will however advert to the measure already resorted to by Lieutenant Colonel David for recovering part of this money from the Sick of those Corps in Garrison at Seringapatam as mentioned in his letter of the 10th. October —

6. With respect to the measure suggested at Chittledroog His Lordship in Council directs that the Officers in Command of the Battalions of the 8th and 15th Regiments on their leaving Chittledroog be required to transmit to the Paymaster at Seringapatam the pay Abstracts of their respective Corps for the month of August last and that instructions be at the same time given to the Paymaster to adjust the amount with the Resident in Mysoor in the usual manner.

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manner, If the amount of the Treasure sixed exceed that of the abstracts of the Corps for August. Captain Askell and M'Intosh are to be held accountable for the balance and required to make it good. —

7. His Lordship in Council consid=ered the charge made by Lieutenant Colonel Adams for Horse Hills on account of the Vo=lunteers and recruits for His Majesty's 25th Regiment Dragoons to be unauthorised by the regulations of this Government, confirms the retrenchment, and directs that the amount be recovered in the usual manner —

Have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) J. H. Reid

Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George.

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To The Military Paymaster General.

Sir,

To the military Pay=master General. Ap=proving the ar=rangements made

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt

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by Captain Carfrae for conducting the duties of the Pay Department at Seringapatam during his temporary absence with the troops in the field, and permitting Mr Douglas to visit the Presidency for two months, and authorizing Captain Swaine to take Charge of the Pay Department and informing Mr Paymaster Smith that there is no reason to be dissatisfied with his conduct during the late disturbance in the Garison at Seringapatam.

receipt of Your Letters dated 22d & 24th Ultimo. —

2. His Lordship in Council approves the arrangement made by Captain Carfrae for Conducting the duties of the Pay Department at Seringapatam during his temporary absence with the Troops in the field. —

His Lordship in Council is pleased to permit Mr Douglas to visit the Presidency on leave for two months, and authorizes Captain E. Swaine to take Charge of the Pay Department during his absence. —

4. With respect to the address from Mr Paymaster Smith, you will please to inform him that His Lordship in Council has no reason to be dissatisfied with his conduct during the late disturbances in the Garrison at Seringapatam. —

I have the honor to be &c &c.

Fort St George
1st December 1809.

[Signed] J. H. Peile
Secretary to Government

To

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To Lieutenant Colonel the Honble J. Stuart

Commanding in

Travancore.

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Hon-
=ourable the Governor General in Council to
acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 20th
October, and to inform you that in consideration
of the large force which has remained under
your Command, Their Lordships in Council have
been pleased to continue to you the allowance
of 250 Pagodas a month until further orders.

I am Sir &c.

(Signed) J. H. Pole.

Secretary to Government.

To the Officer Com-
=manding in Tra-
=vancore. Informing
him that in con-
=sideration of the
large force under
his Command, he
continues to draw
the allowance of
250 Pagodas per
month until further
orders. —

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1st December 1809.

Received and Lent the following
Letters entered in M. B. Nos 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
7. 8. 9. —

From the Secretary Paymaster General. —

From the Honourable L. G. H. Murray with an application from Mr Paymaster Sutherland for an extension of leave. —

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From Lieutenant Colonel Barclay.

From the Town Major of Fort St. George

— With a Certificate of the Insanity of a Portu-
-guese Woman —

To Mr. Warden. Informing

To the Chief Secretary to the Government at Bombay —

him that the amount of advances mentioned
in his letter 10th Ultimo made on accounts
of this Government will be adjusted in the
usual manner —

To the Military Board. Trans-
-mitting extracts of letters from and to the —
Board of Trade respecting the patterns of —
Tents required by the Commercial Resident
at Vizagapatam —

To the Military Board —

To the Medical Board —

Stating Orders have been given to the proper
Department, for supplying the Stationary
required by the Superintendant of Fae-
-ciation, and Appointing Mr. Surgeon —
Vietch to take Charge of the Medical de-
-tect at Pulicat —

To

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To the Military Auditor General

To the Military Auditor Gen=
=eral — Forwarding copies of the several letters —
undermentioned — From the Chief Secretary at Bom=
=bay the Balances against that Government to
bee adjusted ;— from the Military Paymaster Ge=
=neral, respecting retrenchments against Officers
of Vaugh upon which he wills report his
opinion ;— from the Town Major of Fort Saint
George, directing that the bill inclosed in
the former be passed for payment and also an
arrangement made if necessary for transfer=
=ring to the Civil Department the Amount
of the Charge for Bearers on account of Sick
Ryots — the latter is forwarded, from the —
Military Paymaster at Fort St George 22d Ultimo
for his information and guidance —

To D. D.

To the Military Auditor
General — Transmitting an Extract for his
information and guidance from a letter from the
Medical Board. 27th ultimo. —

To

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To the Town Major — Inv:
forming him that payment has been ordered
of the Cutwalls' bill for Palankeen bearers —

To the Military Paymaster
General. Transmitting Copy of the Military
Auditor Generals' report on the additional —
estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster
in Malabar and Canara —

To the Town Major of Fort St George —

To the military Paymaster General.

Sent the following letters en:
-closed in M B No 10. 11 —

To Major General Gow:
-dee — With extract from the Minutes of Cons:
-sultations 1st Instant —

To the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief —

The Same to the Military
Auditor General —

To the military Auditor General —

To D° D° With ext:
-racts from the Minutes of Consultations —
1st Instant —

To D° D°

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At a Consultation

Present.

The Right Honourable

Lord Minto - Governor General.

The Honourable:

Sir George Hilaro Barlow. Bt. & K.B.

William Petrie

Thomas Oakes

and

J. H. Casamayor

Esqrs.

Tuesday the

5th. December 1809.

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved. —

The Governor General records the following Minute. —

Fort Saint George

4th. December 1809.

Governor General's minute - Proposes to appoint the Reverend Charles Ball to officiate as Chaplain at Wallajahbad - -

The Governor General proposes to appoint the Reverend Charles Ball to officiate as Chaplain at Wallajahbad.

(Signed) Minto —

Agreed.

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Agreed to, and ordered to be published in G. O.

Governor General proposes to promote Lieut. Moody to the rank of Conductor & to appoint him Head Writer & Record Keeper in the Office of the Town Major, of Fort St. George

The Governor General proposed to promote Sergeant Thomas Moody to the rank of Conductor of Ordnance and to appoint him Head Writer and Keeper of the Records in the Office of the Town Major of Fort Saint George —

Agreed to and ordered to be published in G. O. —

Read the following letters from the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief and his Military Secretary —

J. H. Peile Esq.
Secretary to Government &c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George

Sir

Herewith I have the honor to transmit Captain J. T. Freeman's Abstract and Accounts for Mounted, with the Company of Gentlemen Cadets for the month of October

From the military Secretary to the Commanding the army in Chief transmitting Captain Freeman's abstract and account for mounted — Forwarding a letter from

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from Captain Jackson claiming Superior Batta as Commanding Arcot.

October 1809; for the Sanction of Government.

I am directed also to forward a Letter from Captain Jackson of the 7th. Native Regiment, claiming Superior Batta as Commanding Arcot from 1st. Instant. His application appearing founded on justice and Consistent with the G.O. June 10th. 1808, Major General Gowdie recommends to the Consideration of the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council.

Comdt. in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
27th. November 1809.

I have the honor to be &c &c
(Signed) John R. Vernon
Mily. Secy. to the Comdr. in Chief

To the Military Secretary to
His Excellency the Commander in Chief

Sir,

I have the honour to request you will state to His Excellency the Commander in Chief that on the 1st. Instant I was ordered by Lieutenant Colonel Picton Commanding Vellajabad, to proceed and take charge of this Cantonment

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Cantonment -

By the G:O: dated June 11th 1808

Arcot is made a Government Command; the Of-
-ficer exercising that authority is entitled to -
Superior Batta -

I have therefore to solicit His
Excellency, will have the goodness to procure the
Governor in Council permission for my Drawing
that allowance -

My reason for troubling -
His Excellency is that the Paymaster refused
to pay Superior Batta to Lieutenant P. Fra-
-ser 1st. Battalion 7th Regiment Native -
Infantry who Commanded Arcot from the
27th to the 31st. Ultimo - Without the Sanction
of the Governor in Council -

/Signed/ G: Jackson
Captain Lieutenant
1st. Battalion 7th Regt.
Commanding Arcot

Arcot
20th November 1809.

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J. H. Pole Esqr.

Secretary to Government &c &c &c

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honour to forward the accompanying Memorial, from Captain Frazer of H. M. 12th Regiment of Foot late doing duty with the Honorable Company's 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and request it may be submitted to the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council, agreeably to its address.

From the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief - with a Memorial from Captain Frazer praying for an allowance - while in Command of the 6th Regiment N.C.

Fort St. George.

November 28th 1809.

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) Fr. Gowdie M. G. Commg.

To The Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General &c &c &c in Council

Fort St. George

The humble Memorial of William Frazer Esqr. Captain of H. M. twelfth Regiment

Most Respectfully Sheweth,

That Circumstances having lately rendered

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rendered it expedient that on Several Military Sta-
-tions King's Officers should do duty with, and
take Charge of certain Regiments of the Honou-
-rable Company's Troops, Captains Gordon and
Dawes of His Majesty's 22d Dragoons were
put in Command of the 3d and 7th Regiments of Na-
-tive Cavalry by the orders of Lieutenant Colonel
Hare Commanding the Centre Division of the
Coast Army, and Your Memorialist had the
Honour of having a Similar trust Committed
to him, at Trichinopoly on the 30th July last,
by the orders of Colonel Wilkinson Commanding the
Southern Division - That the abovementioned
Captains held these several Appointments un-
-til the recent returns of the Officers of the
respective Corps, whose Military functions had
for a period been suspended, and that dur-
-ing such period the said Captains did not
quit their Head Quarters at the Mount,
while Your Memorialist with the Ho-
-nourable

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Regiment of Cavalry under his orders took the Field on the 6th. August with the Detachment Commanded by Colonel Wilkinson, and marched towards Palamcottah and returned to Trichinopoly on the 5th. September, and that your Memorialist after joining his own Regiment on the 20th. of the same month was honoured with the Approbation of the Commander in Chief Conveyed through the Medium of Colonel Wilkinson as will appear by the Copy of that distinguished Officer's letter which is hereunto annexed — That Captains Gordon and Dawes received for the Appointments so temporarily held by them the Pay and Allowances which the Proper Commanding Officers of the Regiments would have drawn, had the latter personally discharged their respective duties — but that your Memorialist has not received nor has he been permitted to draw similar Allowances for Similar Duties — That although Major Stalkat, the Senior Officer of the Regiment put under the Or-

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order of Your Memorialist, did sign the declara-
-ration of Obedience submitted to him on the 30th
of July yet two days subsequently he publicly
refused to Act on Service with his Corps and
Your Memorialist was in Consequence of such
refusal Solely in the Active and efficient Command
of Major Nuttall's Regiment and was addres-
-sed by Major Nuttall himself as the Officer
"Commanding the 6th Native Cavalry" That Your
Memorialist although a Senior Captain to his
two Brother Officers above named, and although
in the discharge of the same, (or having Com-
-manded the Regiment entrusted to him in
the Field, while they remained Stationary at
the Mount, he trusts that he may be permit-
-ted to say of more Arduous duties) has not
experienced the indulgence of Government in
an equal degree with them - Your Memo-
-rialist Confidently relying therefore on the well
known liberality of Government, and its rea-
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readiest to attend to the representation and relieve the Complaint of its Subjects, humbly solicits Your attention of the Circumstances here detailed and begs that orders may be given for the same. Allowances to be issued to him as have been paid to Captains Dawes and Gordon for their late Special Services and that Major Stallard having already drawn those allowances may not be no bar to the Claim of Your memorialist who did Major Stallard Duties.

Fort St. George
17th. November 1809.

And Your Memorialist
Shall Ever Pray,
Captain Forsteen
His Majesty's 12th. Regiment
Fort St. George

My Dear Sir,

I have at length received from the Officer Commanding in Chief permission for you to join Your Regiment; I am at the same time directed by him to convey to you his Approbation of

Your

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Your Zealous and meritorious Conduct on the late Occasion - Had you remained here, I should have Conveyed it to You in Divisional orders, But that not being the Case, I beg you will accept from me personally with my best wished for your future Welfare and happiness -

believe me &c &c

/Signed/ W. Wilkerson. Col.

Commanding S. Division

Trichinopoly

10th October 1809

Order thereon. -

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing letters be sent for the consideration and report of the Military Auditor General -

Read the following letters -

From the Military Board -

To the Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord,

From the military Bd submitting various Petitions from Lt Surgeon Cornish

/ We have the honour to submit for the consideration of your Lord-

&c.

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Cornick - submitting a Register of Bills for Extraordinaries recommending various Bills and an advance of Cash for payment. -

Lordship in Council the Accompanying Bills (13 in number) of Mr. Surgeon Cornick lately attached to the Honourable Company's Stud at Chatterpore, which were forwarded to us by Major Evans the late Superintendent of that Establishment, being for Extra allegeable Allowances from July 1808 to July 1809 charged for by that Officer, after the abolition of the Stud, which took place on the 30th June 1808. These documents we referred for the opinion of the Military Auditor General, a Copy of whose report we have the honour to enclose, and to state our opinion, that as Mr. Surgeon Cornick continued to be subject to the Medical duties of the Stud for the period for which the bills are charged, his claim to these Allowances appear to merit, consideration, and we beg to submit them to the favourable notice of Government. -

2. We have the honour to submit for the decision of Government the enclosed Register of Bills of Extraordinaries for the Month of last past.

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August 1809, with our opinion annexed on the
several Charges.

3. We beg to forward and to
recommend the following Bills for payment.

Viz.—

No 1. Bill of the Garrison Store=
=keeper at Trichinopoly, for the purchase of 720
Garce of Paddy for the Store at Trichinopoly,
Agreeably to the Contract concluded with him
on the 8th February 1808 under the authority
of Government for the supply and store of
grain in the Southern Division of the Army.
— This quantity of Grain has been charged
for at the rate of 30 Star Pagodas per
Garce on the terms of the Contract and
amounts to Pagodas 21,600.—

No 2. Bill of the Officer Com=
=manding a Detachment of the 1st Battalion
8th Regiment Native Infantry, for the
temporary Doolies constructed for the conveyance
of

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of the Sick men proceeding from Hurrial to join the Head Quarters of its Corps, amounting to Pagodas 11.25.56

No 3 Bill of Lieutenant Arthur of Engineers at Quilon, for altering a Granary in that Cantonment into a commodious Barrack for a Regiment of Europeans, and for building such additional Barrack as were found necessary to complete the accommodation, amounting to Pagodas 1079.13.61

No 4 Bill of Lieutenant Arthur of Engineers at Quilon, for converting a Building near the Pepper Warehouse into an Hospital for a Regiment of Europeans, amounting to Pagodas 210.24.78

No 5 Bill of Lieutenant Arthur of Engineers at Quilon, for making alterations to the European Hospital in

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in that Cantonment, amounting to Pago=
=das 68. 32. 39. —

The above Bills 3.4 and 5, —
are for Works undertaken under the au=
=thority of the Resident in Travancore,
and the Officer Commanding, in consequence
of the late disturbances in that Country
having rendered it necessary for the good
of the Public Service that certain Build=
=ings should be fitted up at Quilon for
the accommodation of the Troops; and
they have been duly surveyed by Com=
=mittees of Officers agreeably to the Regula=
=tions, and approved. —

4. We recommend also pay=
=ment of an advance of Pagodas 3,750. —
to the Superintending Engineer at Se=
=cunderabad, being the second third of
the Estimated expence of extending the
European Barracks at that Station to
accommodate

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accommodate 300 Men, authorized on the —
1st May last. —

We have the honour to be
Sir Sir Sir
Your most obedient
Humble Servants
/Signed/ Frat. Gowdie
E. Trapaud.
T. Clarke.
P. Bruce.
J. Munro.
T. H. S. Conway.

Fort St. George.
13th November 1809.

To The Secretary to the
Military Board.

Sir,

We Military Auditor General having stated objections to passing the accompanying Medical Bills of Mr. Surgeon Cornick lately attached to the Honourable Company's Fleet, unless sanctioned by Government at the recommendation of the Military Board, I beg leave to submit them for that pur-

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purpose, having been requested by Mr Cor=
=mick to get them adjusted after his depar=
=ture to Persia with Brigadier General Mal=
=colm. —

The accompanying Extracts from the General Orders of Government recite the appointment of that officer —

(Signed) H. Evans —
Major late Superintt
of the Stud.

Fort St George
26th October 1809

(True Copy)
(Signed) P. Barclay
Asst Sec. Milty Bd.

Report of the Military Auditor General on the Bills of Mr Surgeon Cormick for Exc=
=tra Allowances on account of the Honou=
=rable Company's Stud from July 1808 to —
July 1809 —

Mr Cormick's Bills for the period abovementioned include the Allowan=
=ces originally granted to him on account

of

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of the Stud Est.t —

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| Palankeen Allowance | 20 | .. | .. |
| Medical Expenditure | 15 | .. | .. |
| D.o Servants | 15 | .. | .. |
| per month Pagodas | 50 | .. | .. |

and it appears to the Military Auditor General, to admit of a doubt whether those Allowances should be continued to Mr. Cor=nick after the abolition of the Stud on the 30th. June 1808, in consequence of its dimi=nished State and the Salary of the Superin=tendant having been reduced from two to one hundred Pagodas per month from that period. The Military Auditor General is therefore of opinion Mr. Cornick's Claim should be submitted to Government by the Military Board, under whose Superinten=dance and Controul the Stud has hitherto been placed, with such recommenda=

tion

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recommendations as it may appear to merit —

Military Audt. Genl. Office
Fort St. George.
11th. November 1809.

/Signed/ P. Bruce
Milty. Audt. Genl.

True Copy
/Signed/ P. Barclay
Aff. Sury. Mty. Bd.

Order thereon.

Ordered that extracts from —
the foregoing letter be sent to the Military
Auditor General with direction to order pay-
ment of the several Bills therein recommen-
ded —

Ordered that the resolutions of
the Board upon the several charges detailed in
the Register of Extraordinaries be entered as
usual, and returned to the Military Board
for their information and guidance —

To The Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto
Governor General in Council
&c &c &c

My Lord,

From the military Board.
recommending reductions
in

/ We have the honour to —
acknowledge

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in the Department of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency - requesting permission to submit a statement of the ordnance &c. which it will be necessary to authorise for the use of the Travancore Subsidiary Force - proposing that a Deputy Commissary be put in charge of the Store Department - recommending that Mr. Conductor Payne may draw a monthly allowance for a Writer and Stationary.

Acknowledge the receipt of letters from the Secretary of Government in the Military Department, dated the 7th 13th and 15th Instant, and to report that the necessary orders have been given in consequence.

2. Having submitted for the consideration and report of a Committee of our Board; consisting of the Military Auditor General and Quarter Master General of the Army, the communication referred to us, in a letter from the Chief Secretary to Government dated the 27th August 1808, on the subject of reductions in the Departments of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency, we have now the honour to submit their report and to state our concurrence in the recommendation expressed in it. We also recommend that the proposed reduction may be immediately carried into effect, and in order that the extent of its

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may,

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may appear as distinctly as possible, we have the honour to enclose a Statement of the old establishment, shewing the extent to which it is proposed to reduce the several items hitherto charged in it. The Committee of the Board have observed in their report, that the full establishment of the Superintending Engineer has been drawn for, up to the present period, on abstracts passed monthly in the Military Board Office; this, we have the honour to state, is in conformity with the established custom of the Service, and it appears that this subject has been permitted to lay over until the report which is now forwarded shall have been received.

3. Having had occasion to take into our Consideration the necessity there at present exists, of having a permanent ordinance establishment with the

Head

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Head Quarters of the Travancore Subsidiary Force, we request the permission of your Lordship in Council, to submit a Statement of the Ordnance Officers Lascars &c., which in our opinion, it will be necessary to authorize for the Service of that Force. We consider it proper to state, in the mean time our opinion that a Deputy Commissary of Stores should be placed in charge of the Store Department.

4 We have received a further application from the Officer Commanding at Codaycherry respecting an allowance of Extraordinary Pay required for the Store Department at that place. A similar application from the Ordnance Officer in Charge was submitted with our report of the 15th. May; but the Government at that period deemed it unnecessary to comply with it, as the expediency of appointing a depôt for military Stores in Travancore,

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was then under consideration. On this occasion we beg leave to state that Mr. Conductor Pay-=ne has been, ever since the date of his first application, in charge of the Stores at Oodia-=gherry, which are of a considerable amount. -He has regularly made returns of them to our Office, and must have incurred expence in consequence. — We therefore recommend that he may be permitted to draw the monthly allowance of Pagodas 10 for a Writer, and Pagodas 3 for Stationary, from the time of his application until the Stores now un-=der his charge shall have been removed from Oodagherry. —

We have the Honor to be Sir &c.

Fort St. George
20th. November 1809.

Signed
Fra. Gowdie
E. Frazer
T. Clarke.
P. Bruce.
I. Munro.
T. H. S. Conway.

Report

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Report of a Committee of the Military Board consisting of the Military Auditor General and the Quarter Master General of the Army, on certain Reductions proposed in the Department of Engineers at the Presidency. —

Proposed Reductions from the Establishment of the Superintending Engineer from Pagodas 145 to Pagodas 95 per month. —

In the accompanying Copy of the Statement of Reductions proposed in the Engineer's department at the Presidency, there is the following remark regarding the reductions noted in the margin.

"In consequence of the transfer of the remaining part "of the Chief Engineers Establishment to the charge "of the Superintending Engineer, the establishment of the latter

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"latter can be reduced —
"from 145 to 35 Pagodas
"per month — as it is pre-
"-sumed from the foregoing
"remark that the
"matter must have been
"previously duly weigh-
"ed and considered, the
"Committee are not aware
"of any objection to the
"reduction being imme-
"diately ordered to take
"place — The Committee beg
"leave to observe that
"the full Establishment
"of the Superintending
"Engineer had been
"drawn up to the pre-
"sent period on the
"Sheets passed monthly

in

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in the Military Board Office —

Charge for Sweepers and Carts for the purpose of Watering the Fort and keeping it clean Pago. 156 to Pagodas 113.. 27.. 40 =das 156 per month. —

The Committee are of Opinion this expence may be reduced from Pagodas 156 to Pagodas 113.. 27.. 40 per month in the following manner. —

The Committee recommend that draught Bullocks may be hired instead of Buffaloes at the established rate of Pagodas 2.. 8.. each per month, which provides for Drivers in the proportion of one to every 2 Bullocks — this would produce a saving of Pagodas 13.. 10.. 40. in the Charge for Water Carts, —

and

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and it is presumed draught Bullocks would answer the required purpose as well as Buffaloes, the charge for which is Pago. Rad 5.. 39.. 30.. per pair including one driver.

The Committee also recommend that draught Bullocks be employed for the Scavengers Carts instead of Buffaloes, at the same rate, and that instead of an additional driver to carry the rubbish from the Barrack Yards and Streets to the Carts, the Sweepers should be directed to attend for that purpose as they

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They are hired by the month.

This would produce a Sav-
-ving of Pagodas 24. 7. "
making altogether a Sav-
-ving of Pagodas 42. 17. "
40 per month - the Charge
for Sweepers to remain-
-as at present - Viz - 1 Head
- Sweeper at Pagodas 1 - 22.
40. and 20 Sweepers at
Pagodas 1. 11. 20. each -
per month -

P. Bruce.
/Signed/ J. Munro

A true Copy
Signed W. Moreton
Secretary military Board.

Military Auditor Genl's Office.
Fort St George.
11th November 1809.

Statement

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# Statement of the Establishment of the Superintendeing Engineer at the Presidency, shewing the former expence, and the proposed reductions

| | Present Establishment | Proposed Reductions | Proposed Establishment | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Department and Offices Establishment authorised by Government 19th June 1806. | | | | |
| 1 Head Overseer ..... P. 50 | | | | |
| 1 Book Keeper ..... 25 | | | | |
| 1 Draftsman ..... 25 | | | | |
| 2 Writers @ 8 P. each ..... 16 | | | | |
| 1 Office Carcopoly ..... 6 | | | | |
| 1 Work Yard Do ..... 6 | | | | |
| 1 Head Bricklayer maisthy ..... 5 | | | | |
| 1 Do Carpenter ..... Do ..... 5 | | | | |
| 1 Do Smith ..... Do ..... 5 | | | | |
| 2 Office Peons ..... 4 | 165.. | 110.. | 35.. | In consequence of the transfer of the remaining part of the Chief Engineers Establishment to the Department of Superintendeing Engineer. |
| Establishment authorised 11th April 1809. | | | | This saving will be effected by the employment of draft Bullocks instead of Buffaloes at the rate of P. 2.8. each per month including Drivers to every 2 Bullocks. |
| Pay for 24 Buffaloes and 12 Drivers employed with Water Carts @ 57/8 | | | | |
| Pay for 2 Bullocks and a Driver per month ..... | | | | |
| | * (vide next page) 70.22.40 | 18.10.40 | 52.12.. | |
| Carried over | 215.22.40 | 128.10.40 | 87.12.. | |

* vide next page

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| | Present Establishment | Proposed Reduced Establishment | Proposed Establishment | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought forward | 215.. 22. 40. | 128. 10 40. | 87.. 12.. | |
| Pay for 16 Buffaloes and 16 Drivers employed with Scavengers Carts at 7 3/8 Pagodas per month | 59.. .. .. | 24.. 7.. .. | 34. 38. | The savings will be effected upon the same grounds as the former, and at the same rates. The Sweepers to attend to carry away the rubbish |
| Pay for 1 Head Sweeper at 1.. 22.. 40 and 20 Sweepers employed in cleaning the Streets of the Fort at 1.. 11.. 20 each per month | 26.. 22. 40. | .. .. .. | 26.. 22. 40. | Recommended to remain on its present footing. |
| Total Star Pagodas | 301. .. .. | 152. 17.. 40 | 148. 27. 40 | |

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*During the monsoon this expence has been charged for half the month only.

By Order
(Signed) W. Morison
Secretary military Board.

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Minute thereon. — The Board approve the proposed reductions in the Establishment of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency, and direct the measure to be carried into immediate effect: ordered also that the Military Board be required to submit for the consideration of the Board a Statement of the Ordnance Officers Lascars &c. required for the Service of the Travancore Subsidiary Force. —

Resolved that an Allowance for a Writer and Stationary be granted to Mr. Conductor Payne from the date recommended by the Military Board. —

Ordered that Extracts from the foregoing letter relative to the Department of the Superintending Engineer and Mr. Conductor Payne's allowance be sent to the Military Auditor General for his information.

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Information and Guidance.—

To the Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord,

From the military Board. Enclosing a report of a Committee on Mr. Greigs proposals for the supply of military Stores recommending that the Agency be continued.—

1. Previously to our entering into a consideration of the proposals for the supply of Military Stores, which had been received by Government under the advertisement of the 15th. May last, and which were referred for our report in a letter from the Secretary of Government in the Military Department dated the 19th. July, we directed a Statement to be prepared which should exhibit at one view, the actual expence of all Military Stores supplied since the commencement of the Agency; the average rates of those supplied of Stores; the rates of Mr. Greigs proposals, and the difference p.r Cent in favour of each.—The 6th. Column of the Statement exhibits Mr. Greigs price of Articles which have never been required

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to be supplied by the Agency, and the 9th. Column, the prices of Articles supplied by the Agency, but which are not included in Mr. Greigs proposals. These latter Columns have been inserted merely for General information, without being considered in comparing the two Systems.—

2. We deemed it expedient to submit that Statement to Lieutenant Colonel Leith the present Agent for the Supply of Military Stores, with a letter, of which we inclose a Copy; affording him an opportunity of giving his sentiments on the question under discussion, and desiring him to state in the fullest manner whatever should occur to him, elucidatory of it. We have accordingly received from him a reply, a Copy of which We have the honour to lay before Your Lordship in Council, with a Copy of its enclosure, We had entirely concurred in all the reasoning adduced on this subject by Lieutenant Colonel Leith; but We judged it proper

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proper, before we should submit our finial opinion to Government, to refer the whole of the papers to the consideration of a Committee of our Board, consisting of the military Auditor General, the Deputy Master General and the Adjutant of the Army. The report of that Committee, which is decidedly in favour of the Agency, we have the honor to enclose, and to state that we entirely concur in the opinions expressed in it.

3. It appears by a Statement of Articles in General use" which has been submitted to us by Lieutenant Colonel Leith, that Mr. Greig in his proposals, has rated those Articles very high, in proportion to those that are seldom wanted. If therefore the articles exhibited in that Statement were alone to be supplied, it is evident that an advantage of about 11 ℔ Cent would be derived by Government, by a Continuance of the Agency. This circumstance is also proved by our Statement; for although according

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according to it, there appears to be a trifle in favor of Mr. Greigs' proposals calculating on the prices of the individual articles, yet on the contrary, it is shewn by a comparison between the actual cost of the whole of the articles supplied since the commencement of the Agency, and the Values of them calculated at Mr. Greigs rates, that there is about 3½ ℔ Cent in favour of the Agency. - In adding, however the amount of the Agents Salary and establishment on their present footing for the space of 55 months, the period embraced by these calculations, there is then about 6½ ℔ Cent in favour of Mr. Greigs proposals. - At this point We have the honour to remark that a War with France had existed since the establishment of the Agency, which had been the cause of enhancing considerably the price of all European Stores; in some instances above one hundred per Cent, the

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conceive therefore that the apparent advantage of 10½ per Cent in favour of the Contract now offered, shd not induce the Government to accept of the proposals which have been made, as in the event of peace, a very great saving would certainly be derived by the existence of an efficient agency, which must always possess the means, of conveying to the public advantage, any favourable change which might occur, in the prices of the market

4 But economy is not in our opinion the only object to be considered in a question of this nature. We are satisfied that the articles supplied by the Agency are of the best description, while from the name and nature of Contracts in general, it is to be apprehended that the supplies furnished under that system would not unfrequently be of an inferior kind, and in case of emergency, such as we lately experienced in fitting out a considerable Field Force, we are induced to believe that no Contract which it would be

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be practicable to establish at Fort St George, would have enabled us, to provide its equipments with equal efficiency, or expedition. — On emergency, it might not be practicable to reject Stores offered by a Contractor, as the most serious inconvenience might attend the delay, which would thereby be occasioned. —

5. After the most attentive consideration of the documents and documents which have come under our notice on the consideration of this subject we are of opinion that the accuracy of the statements which we had the honor of expressing in our report to Government of the 23 May 1808, have been fully confirmed, and which we trust will appear to Your Lordships in Council, on the perusal of the papers which accompany this address. — It has also been confirmed, by there being only two sets of proposals offered for the Contract in question in consequence of the Government advertisement, that there does not exist in this settlement, a spirit of competition at all favourable to the Contract Sys-

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system. Indeed we might consider that only one set of proposals has been offered on this occasion; because, that which has been sent by the House of Messrs Coll and Co, is so Vague in its nature, and so much at variance with the tenor of the Government Advertisement, that we have not been able to draw any Comparison, between the terms of it, and those of the Agency. —

6. After this general view of the question and of the steps which we have followed on the investigation of it, and having stated our Concurrence in the very favorable opinion expressed by the Committee of our Board regarding the advantages of the present system of supply, we have only to recommend to Your Lordship in Council that the Agency may be Continued. —

7. If this recommendation be approved of, we would beg leave to suggest, that the table of rates established at the commencement of the Agency, may be immediately revised for the purpose of guarding the

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The Agent, in the preparation of the estimates for purchases at the period of the decease of the first Agent, Major Macleane, in the Year 1806, it appeared that the articles of Store which had been supplied by that Officer, had actually Cost about 13 ℔ Cent less than the table of rates which had been framed at the time of his appointment. The prices of that table were about 17 ℔ Cent lower than the usual rates of supply under any former system, so that a saving of about 30 ℔ Cent had actually accrued to the public by the establishment of the Agency, and the same advantages which were derived during the Agency of Major Macleane, have also been obtained by the exertions of his several successors.—

We have the honor to be &c &c

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/Signed/ Frat. Gowdie
E. Frafaud
T. Clarke.
P. Bruce
J. Munro
T. H. S. Conway.

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# Comparative Statement of the Cost of Military in favor of the Agency and Mr. Greigs proposals.

| Articles | | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency. | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1806. | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | | | Mr. Greigs Price | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adzes | Brass Coper Country | 45 | 39 | 38 | 20 | 39 | 08 | @ | 30 | 60 | |
| " | Iron Carpenters | 64 | 40 | " | " | 28 | 10 | @ | 30 | 60 | |
| " | " Cooper | 37 | 22 | 9 | " | 27 | " | @ | 27 | 20 | |
| Allum | Maund. | 22 | 55 | 39 | 30 | 2 | 24 | 23 | @ | 1 | 5 |
| Antimony | lb. | 25 | 18 | " | " | " | 32 | 32 | lb. | " | 18 |
| Anvils Large | No. | 7 | 99 | 39 | 40 | 14 | 12 | 6 | @ | 16 | " |
| " Small | | | | | | | | | @ | | |
| Arcot Roof large and Small | | | | | | | | | @ | | |
| Arrack | Bottles | 24 | 6 | 32 | 32 | " | 12 | 48 | @ | " | 9 |
| Arsenick Yellow | lb. | 660 | 66 | 12 | 60 | " | 4 | 42 | lb. | " | 7 |
| " White | | | | | | | | | lb. | | |
| Augers of Sorts | No. | 248 | 91 | 6 | 70 | " | 16 | 48 | @ | " | 14 |
| Augers of | | | | | | | | | @ | | |
| Axes Broad with Lelwa Country | | 250 | 120 | " | " | 48 | " | " | ⅞ | 52 | 12 |
| " Felling | " | 131 | 55 | 15 | 51 | 42 | 10 | " | ⅞ | 34 | 10 |
| " Hand | " | 1350 | 387 | 22 | 40 | 26 | " | " | ⅞ | 27 | " |
| " Pick | " | 6208 | 3748 | 3 | 48 | 60 | 16 | 70 | ⅞ | 60 | 12 |
| " Hammered | " | " | | | | | | | @ | | |
| " Poles | " | " | | | | | | | @ | | |
| | | Carried over | 4700 | 39 | 71 | | | | | | |

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# Stores shewing the difference of Expence per Cent.

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated at Mr. Greigs rates | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs Price of articles which have never been supplied by the agent | Amount of the articles which have been supplied by the agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 36 39 60 | .. | 8 . 49 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 49 25 . | 8 . 88 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 22 18 20 | . 92 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| .. .. .. | .. | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 24 20 .. | .. | 128 57 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 10 .. . | .. | 80 - | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 112 .. . | 12 . 13 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | 10 .. . | .. .. .. |
| . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | 3 .. .. | .. .. .. |
| . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 4 36 . | .. | 40 - | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 102 30 .. | 54 69 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 77 1 .. | .. | 18 . 12 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | 1 10 .. | .. .. .. |
| . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 190 80 .. | 8 . 88 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 44 37 32 | .. | 23 . 38 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 364 22 40 | 8 . - | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 3741 15 77 | .. | 17 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| . . . . | . . . . | . . . . | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 4715 5 80 | 93 . 50 | 298 . 07 | | |

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| Articles | Quantity or number Supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | | | M. Gregor Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Forward | | 4700. | 39 | 71 | | | | | |
| Axe Cotton | | | | | | | | | |
| Axe Iron Tomahawk | | | | | | | | | |
| " " Gun | | | | | | | | | |
| Bags Gunny ammunition | No | 550 | 176 | " | 32 | " | " | % | 33. 10 " |
| " " Shot & Shell | " | 1000 | 130 | " | 18 | " | " | % | 12. 12 " |
| " " Powder | " | 550 | 200 | 33. 60 | 36 | 22 | 40 | % | 36. 10 " |
| " " Packing | " | 20075 | 936. | 27 59 | 3 | 6 | 11 | % | 2 - 22 " |
| " " Sail Large | | | | | | | | % | |
| " " " Small | | | | | | | | % | |
| " Dungaree " Large | | | | | | | | % | |
| " " " Small | | 1200 | 48 | " | 4 | " | " | % | 6 " " |
| " Cloth " 2fold D° | | | | | | | | % | |
| Baikee Green | | | | | | | | | |
| Bamboos Large | No | 1955 | 248 | 9. 10 | | | | | 6 . |
| " Smaller wall | " | 3750. | 84 | 30 | | | | | 2. 15 " |
| " for Doobies | " | 1425 | 21 | | | | | | 7 " |
| " for Blue light Cases | | | | | | | | | |
| Bandroll with Hammer Iron Head | | | | | | | | | |
| Barrels Budge | | | | | | | | | |
| Carried Over | | | | | | | | | |

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| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the commencement of the Agency, calculated at Mr. Greigs rate | Difference in favor of the Agency | Difference in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agent which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greig |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4,715. | 5 | 09 | 98,50 | 298,67 |
| | | | 35 | |
| | | | 8 | 41 |
| | | | 15 | 40 10 |
| 182 | 32 | 40 3 81 | | |
| 122 | 30 | 6-97 | | |
| 199 | 10 | 76 | | |
| 748 | 24 | 25-12 | | |
| | | | 4 | 10 |
| | | | 3 | 28 |
| | | | 9 | 93 |
| 60 | | 25 | | |
| | | | 8 | 12 |
| | | | | 99 |
| 200 | 80 | 5 09 | | |
| 87 | 22 | 40 3-32 | | |
| 221 | 30 | 9-57 | | |
| | | | | 16 |
| | | | | 180 |
| | | | 92 | 60 |
| | | | 28 | 00 |

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Attached

| | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Forward | | 4700.39 71 | | | | | | |
| " Cooper | | | | | | | | |
| Axe Trees Iron Tumbril | | | | | | | | |
| " " Gun | | | | | | | | |
| Bags Gunny ammunition | No | 550 | 176 | " | 32 | " | % | 33.10 " |
| " " Shot & Shell | " | 1000 | 130 | " | 13 | " | % | 12.12 " |
| " " Powder | " | 550 | 200 | 33.60 | 36 | 22 40 | % | 36.10 " |
| " " Packing | | 20,075 | 936 | 27 59 | 3 | 6 11 | % | 2.22 " |
| " " Sand Large | | | | | | | % | |
| " " " Small | | | | | | | % | |
| " Dungaree " Large | | | | | | | % | |
| " " " Small | | 1,200 | 48 | " | 4 | " | % | 6 " " |
| " Cloth " 2 folds D. | | | | | | | % | |
| Baize Green | | | | | | | Yard | |
| Bamboos Large | No | 1955 | 248 | 9.16 | " | 6 87 | Cwt | 6. |
| " Small or walk | " | 3750 | 84 | 30.75 | 2 | 11 60 | % | 2.16 " |
| " for Doolies | " | 1425 | 24 | 7 60 | " | 6 01 | Cwt | " 7 " |
| " for Blue light Cases | | | | | | | Cwt | |
| | | 3000 | | | | | | |
| Bandroll with Hawse Iron Head | | | | | | | | |
| Barrels Budge | | | | | | | Cwt | |
| | | | | | | | Carried over | |

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| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the commencement of the Agency, calculated at Mr. Greig's rates | Difference in favor of the Agency | Difference in favor of Mr. Greig's proposals | Mr. Greig's Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agent which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greig |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4,715. | 5 09. | 98,50 | 298,67 | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | " 35 " | " " " |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | 8 41 | " " " " |
| | | | 15 40 10 | " " " |
| 182 32 40 | 3 81 | | " | " " " " " |
| 122 30 " | " | 5-97 | " | " " " " " |
| 199 10 " | " | 76 | " | " " " " " |
| 748 24 " | " | 25-12 | " | " " " " " |
| | | | 4 10 | " " " " |
| | | | 3 28 | " " " " |
| | | | 9 99 | " " " " |
| 60 " | 25 | | " | " " " " " |
| | | | 8 12 | " " " " |
| | | | " 99 | " " " " |
| 200 90 " | 5 09 | | " | " " " " " |
| 87 22 40 | 3-32 | | " | " " " " " |
| 221 90 | 9-57 | | " | " " " " " |
| | | | " 16 " | " " " " |
| | | | | |
| | | | " 92 60 | " " " |
| | | | 28 00 | " " " |

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| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr. George Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Forward. | | | | |
| Barrels Ammr. N.C. | No. 1600 | 588 .. .. | 36 83 60 % | 47 22 . |
| D° .. O.C. .. | 500 | 152 22 40 | 30 22 40 % | 32 22 . |
| D° Powder Tin lined 100 lb | 4000 | 3580 .. .. | 89 22 40 % | 90 .. . |
| D° .. .. .. 60 lb | 6300 | 3874 22 40 | 61 22 40 % | 62 22 . |
| D° Packing | 4303 | 1495 13 13 | 34 33 60 % | 40 .. .. |
| D° .. for Coal Tar | | | ad. | |
| D° for Pitch | | | ad. | |
| Baskets Rattan Common No. | 80239 | 2048 7 75 | 2 16 70 % | 2 16 .. |
| .. .. Lesser | | | ad. | |
| .. .. Strainers | | | ad. | |
| .. Picker | | | | |
| .. Mortar Grape | | | % | |
| | | | ad. | |
| Beams for Scales Large | | | | |
| Beaters Canvas for muslin | | | ad. | |
| Beaters Chunam | | | ad. | |
| Beath | | | ad. | |
| Bell with Cross Sticks | | | ad. | |
| Bellows Forge Country Common No. | 977 | 98 11 40 | ad. | |
| .. .. .. Large of Thin | 17 | 8 22 40 | 4 22 Rs. | 5 . |
| .. .. Europe D° | | | 22 40 Rs. | 30 . |
| .. for Drawing Shells | | | Rs. | |
| .. Socket | | | ad. | |
| Belts Bag Country No. | 1000 | 87 22 40 | 8 33 60 % | |
| .. Pouch .. .. | 1000 | 65 .. . | 6 22 40 % | 9 22 . |
| .. Sword .. .. | 2450 | 257 11 20 | 10 22 40 % | 6 22 . |
| .. Pioneer for axes Country | | | % | 10 14 . |
| .. .. for Bill Hooks &c. | | | % | |
| Benches Fixed | | | % | |
| Carried over | | 18,996 12 69 | ad. | |

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| Amount of the whole Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference of the Agency. | Per Cent. in favor of the Agency. | Mr. Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 757 37 | 29.22 | | | |
| 162 20 | 6.52 | | | |
| 3600 | 55 | | | |
| 3936 80 | 1.6 | | | |
| 1721 9 | 15.1 | | 1 6 | |
| | | | 38 | |
| 2012 10 76 | 1.18 | | | |
| | | | 9 | |
| | | | | 42 |
| | | | 9 | |
| | | | | |
| | | | 1 18 | |
| | | | 6 | |
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| | | | 45 | |
| | | | 2 25 | |
| | | | 6 10 | |
| | | | 6 10 | |
| | | | 10 | |
| 108 26 | 10.40 | | | |
| 11 15 | 33.38 | | | |
| | | | 35 | |
| | | | 1 9 | |
| | | | 9 | |
| 94 40 | 8.46 | | | |
| 64 40 | | 1.17 | | |
| 252 28 | | 1.33 | | |
| | | | 18 | |
| | | | 10 6 | |
| | | | 6 33 | |
| 19.322 40 66 | 239.42 | 336.30 | | |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1869

| Articles. | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency. | | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1864. | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | | | Mort. Price. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought forward | | | 18994 | 12 | 09 | | | | | |
| Bittelas 12 Yard | Pieces. | 34 | 26 | 32 | 60 | " | 95 | 30 Piece | - 99 | " |
| Belts Gun Steel Large | No. | 250 | 10 | 14 | 5 | | 4 | 6 50 C. | 4 60 | - |
| " " Small | " | 225 | 9 | " | " | | 4 | " " C. | 4 30 | " |
| " Boring | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| Black Lamp | Maund. | 36. | 259 | 6 | 30 | | 7 | 8 72 | Md. 9 | " |
| Blocks Purchasing of sizes | Inches. | 1724 | 111 | 36 | | | 2 | 73 Inch | " 0 | - |
| " for Jork livers | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| Blue Prussion | lb | 122 | 209 | 32 | 70 | | 1 | 32 29 lb | 1 | 11 |
| Boards Sheathing | No. | 2050 | 801 | 11 | 20 | | 39 | 3 67 C. | 28 | 22 |
| " Side | | | | | | | | Pair | | |
| Bolts Striking Mercall | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| Bolsters | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| Borax | lb | 75 | 6 | " | " | | 3 | 49 lb | " 4 | " |
| Borers in Joints with Handles | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| " Jop | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| " Bung | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| Bottles Empty | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| " Case | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| Boxes Dredging Copper | | | | | | | | C. | | |
| " Tin Tube | 18 Pcs. | | 4 | " | 36 | " | " | 9 " C. | " | 8 70 |
| " " " | 12 " | | 30 | 6 | " | " | " | 9 " C. | " | 8 70 |
| " " " | 6 " | | 155 | 29 | 18 | 60 | " | 9 " C. | " | 8 70 |
| " " " | 3 " | | 65 | 11 | 41 | 20 | " | 8 20 C. | " | 8 70 |
| " " " | 3 Inch | | | | | | | C. | | |

Carried over . . .

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| Amount of the whole of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated at Mr Greigs rate | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr Greigs proposals | Mr Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 19,322. 40 | 65. 239. 42 | 334. 20 | ..... | 674. 06 75 |
| 24. 42 | .. .. | 7 - 19 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 12 10 | .. 18 - 51 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 10 22 40 | 16 66 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 10 .. | .. .. .. |
| 288. .. | .. 11 14 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 114 42 | .. 3 - .. | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 24 .. | .. .. .. |
| 157 37 | .. .. | 38 14 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 584 1 | .. .. | 37 19 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 6 .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 1 20 | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 15 . | .. .. .. |
| 6 30 | .. 11 - 11 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 9 40 . | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 40 . | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 10 . | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 4 . | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 1 20 | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 26 - | .. .. .. |
| .. 36 40 | .. 1 - 4 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 6 41 20 | .. 1 - 4 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 27 44 30 | 1 - 53 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 12 36 70 | / .. 57 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 8 70 | .. .. .. |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Articles. | | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1814 | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | M. Agency Price. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Forward | | | | | | | | |
| Boxes Tin Tubes | 5 1/2 Inch. | 10 | 1 | 37 40 | " 8 20 | ea | " 8 | 70 |
| " " " | 4 1/2 " | " " | | | " " | ea | | |
| " Brass Nails | 6. Pds. | | | | | ea | | |
| " " " | 3 " | | | | | ea | | |
| " Packing of Lines | | 1800 | 1381 | 11 20 | 1 2 66 | ea | 1 | 11 |
| " " with Locks and Key | | | | | | ea | | |
| " for Colours | | | | | | ea | | |
| " for Ink | | | | | | ea | | |
| " Composition Mixing | | | | | | ea | | |
| Brass Drum | Sets | 1010 | 96 | 17 40 | " 4 20 | Set | " 9 | - |
| Bradye | | | | | | lb | | |
| Brandy | | | | | | Gall | | |
| Brass Mallable | | | | | | Lbs | | |
| " Hammered | Lb | 40 | 8 | 18 | " " 9 90 | lb | " 14 | " |
| Brattice | No. | 612000 | 224 | 23 10 | " 1 67 | C.t | " 1 | 60 |
| Bricks Walb with Cast Iron | | | | | | | | |
| Brooms | Bundles | 5000 | 15 | 44 42 | " 12 63 | C.t | " 13 | 60 |
| Brushes Painting Hair | Dozens | 101 1/2 | 243 | 37 46 | 2 17 67 | Doz | 2 | 6 |
| " Tarring " | | | | | | | | |
| " Painting Coarse | | 19 | " | 24 8 | " | Do | | |
| " Whiting | | | | | " 1 27 | Do | " 1 | 40 |
| " Sealing | | | | | | ea | | |
| Buckets Gun Leather | | 500 | 112 | 22 40 | | ea | | |
| " Wooden with Ears | | 200 | 150 | " " | 22 22 40 | C.t | 25 | " |
| Buckles small | | | | | " 33 66 | ea | " 38 | - |
| Bunting Blue | Pieces | 75 1/2 | 489 | 38 | | Doz | | |
| " Green | " | 6 | 89 | " " | 6 37 13 | Piece | 6 | 30 |
| " Red | " | 114 | 649 | 22 59 | 6 22 40 | Piece | 6 | " |
| | | | | | 6 31 31 | Piece | 6 | 22 |
| Carried Over | | | 28,937 | 42 79 | | | | |

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| Amount of the whole of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated Mr. Greigs rates | Difference for Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference of Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs Term of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 45 80 | 7-57 | " | " | " |
| | | | " 9 70 | " |
| | | | 5 5 " | " |
| | | | 4 12 " | " |
| 161 35 | 17-12 | " | " | " |
| | | | 9 25 " | " |
| | | | 4 22 " | " |
| | | | " 10 " | " |
| | | | 8 33 " | " |
| 67 16 | " | 41-66 | " | " |
| | | | " 14 " | " |
| | | | " 30 60 | " |
| | | | 94 " | " |
| 12 20 | " | 48-14 | " | " |
| 229 7 40 | " | 76 | " | " |
| | | | 1 25 " | " |
| 16 48 | 6-00 | " | " | " |
| 217 8 | " | 12-33 | " | " |
| | | | 2 16 " | " |
| " 27 85 | 12-14 | " | " | " |
| | | | " 36 50 | " |
| | | | " 10 " | " |
| 126 " " | 11-11 | " | " | " |
| 163 40 | " 12-59 | " | " | " |
| | | | " 6 " | " |
| 492 39 | " | 1-61 | " | " |
| 30 " " | " | 8-33 | " | " |
| 625 33 | " | 8-8 | " | " |
| 24109 14 | 45 422 11 | 489 64 | | 674 36 70 |

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| Articles. | | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1806 | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | | M. Weight or Price | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Forward | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Boxes Tin Tube | 5 1/2 Inch | 10 | 1 | 37 | 40 | " | 3 | 20 ea | " | 3 | 70 |
| " " " | 4 1/2 " | " | " | | | " | | ea | | | |
| " Brass Nails | 6 Pdr. | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " " " | 3 " | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " Packing of Lines | | 1000 | 138 | 11 | 20 | 1 | 2 | 66 ea | | 1 | 11 |
| " " with Locks and Key | | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " for Colours | | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " for Ink | | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " Composition Mixing | | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| Brass Drum | Sett | 1010 | 96 | 17 | 40 | " | 4 | 20 Set | " | 9 | " |
| Bradye | | | | | | | | lb | | | |
| Brandy | | | | | | | | Gall | | | |
| Brass Mallable | | | | | | | | lb | | | |
| " Hammered | lb | 40 | 8 | 18 | " | " | 9 | 96 lb | " | 14 | " |
| Bullets | No. | 612000 | 224 | 23 | 10 | " | 1 | 61 7/10 | " | 1 | 50 |
| Bricks Walls with Cast Iron | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Brooms | Bundles | 5000 | 15 | 44 | 42 | | | Gall | | | |
| Brushes Painting Hair | Dozens | 101 1/2 | 243 | 37 | 46 | " | 12 | 63 7/10 | " | 13 | 60 |
| " Tarring " | | | | | | 2 | 17 | 67 Doz | 2 | 6 | " |
| " Painting Coarse | | 19 | " | 24 | 8 | | | Do | | | |
| " Whiting | | | | | | " | 1 | 27 Do | " | 1 | 40 |
| " Heating | | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| Buckets Gun Leather | | 500 | 112 | 22 | 40 | | | ea | | | |
| " Wooden with Ears | | 200 | 150 | " | " | 22 | 22 | 40 Do | " | 25 | " |
| Buckles small | | | | | | " | 33 | 00 ea | " | 38 | " |
| Burnten Blue | Pieces | 75 1/2 | 489 | 38 | | | | Dozen | | | |
| " Green | " | 6 | 89 | " | " | 6 | 37 | 13 pieces | 6 | 50 | " |
| " Red | " | 116 | 649 | 22 | 59 | 6 | 22 | 40 pieces | 6 | " | " |
| | | | | | | 6 | 31 | 31 pieces | 6 | 22 | " |
| Carried Over | | | 28,937 | 42 | 79 | | | | | | |

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Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated Mr. Greigs rates | Difference in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 43 80 | 7-57 | " | " | " |
| | | | " 8 70 | " |
| | | | 5 5 " | " |
| | | | 4 12 " | " |
| 161 35 | 17-12 | " | " | " |
| | | | 9 25 " | " |
| | | | 4 22 " | " |
| | | | " 10 " | " |
| | | | 8 33 " | " |
| 67 16 | " | 41-66 | " | " |
| | | | " 14 " | " |
| | | | " 30 60 | " |
| | | | 94 " | " |
| 12 20 | " | 48-14 | " | " |
| 229 7 40 | " | 76 | " | " |
| | | | 1 25 " | " |
| 16 48 | 6-00 | " | " | " |
| 217 8 | " | 12-33 | " | " |
| | | | 2 16 " | " |
| " 27 25 | 12 " 16 | " | " | " |
| | | | " 36 50 | " |
| | | | " 10 " | " |
| 126 " | 11-11 | " | " | " |
| 163 40 | " 12-59 | " | " | " |
| | | | " 6 " | " |
| 432 39 | " | 1-61 | " | " |
| 30 " | " | 8-33 | " | " |
| 625 33 | " | 8-8 | " | " |
| 24109 14 | 46 422 " | 11 489-64 | | 671 30 70 |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Articles. | | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1809 | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | M. Govt Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Forward | | | | | | | | | |
| Boxes Tin Tube | 5½ Inch | 10 | 1 | 37 | 40 | " | 8 20 cwt | " | 8 70 |
| " " " | 4½ " | " | " | | | " | cwt | | |
| " Brass Nails | 6. Pdr. | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " " " | 3 " | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Packing of Tires | | 1800 | 1381 | 11 | 20 | 1 | 2 68 cwt | 1 | 11 |
| " " with Locks and key | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " for Colours | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " for Ash | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Composition Mixing | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Brass Drum | Sets | 1010 | 96 | 17 | 40 | " | 4 20 Set | " | 9 " |
| Bradye | | | | | | | lb | | |
| Brandy | | | | | | | Gall | | |
| Brass Mallable | | | | | | | lb | | |
| " Hammered | lb | 40 | 8 | 18 | " | " | 9 96 cwt | " | 14 " |
| Battues | No. | 612000 | 224 | 23 | 10 | " | 1 67 ½ cwt | " | 1 50 |
| Bricks Walls with Cast Iron | | | | | | | Hundd | | |
| Brooms | Bundles | 5000 | 15 | 44 | 42 | " | 12 63 ½ Hundd | " | 13 60 |
| Brushes Painting Hair | Dozens | 101½ | 243 | 37 | 46 | 2 | 17 07 Doz | 2 | 6 " |
| " Tarring " | | | | | | | | | |
| " Painting Coconut | | 19 | " | 24 | 8 | " | 1 27 Doz | " | 1 40 |
| " Whiting | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Heating | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Buckets Gun Leather | | 500 | 112 | 22 | 40 | | cwt | | |
| " Wooden with Cans | | 200 | 150 | " | " | 22 | 22 40 pcs | 25 | " |
| Buckles small | | | | | | " | 33 00 cwt | " | 38 " |
| Bunting Blue | Pieces | 75½ | 489 | 38 | | | Dozen | | |
| " Green | " | 6 | 89 | " | " | 6 | 37 13 pieces | 6 | 50 " |
| " Red | " | 116 | 649 | 22 | 59 | 6 | 22 40 pieces | 6 | " " |
| | | | | | | 6 | 31 31 pieces | 6 | 22 " |
| Carried Over | | | 28,837 | 42 | 79 | | | | |

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# Fort St George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated Mr Greigs rates | Difference for or Against the Agency. | Difference of Cent in favor of Mr Greigs proposals | Mr Greigs List of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 43 00 | 7-57 | " | " | " |
| | | | 9 70 | |
| | | | 5 5 | " |
| | | | 4 12 | " |
| 1617. 35 | 17-12 | " | " | " |
| | | | 9 25 | " |
| | | | 4 22 | " |
| | | | " 10 | " |
| | | | 8 33 | " |
| 67 16 | " | 41-66 | " | " |
| | | | " 14 | " |
| | | | 30 60 | |
| | | | 94 | " |
| 12 20 | " | 48-14 | " | " |
| 223. 7 40 | " | 7-76 | " | " |
| | | | 1 25 | " |
| 16. 48 | 6-00 | " | " | " |
| 217 8 | " | 12-33 | " | " |
| | | | 2 16 | " |
| " 27 25 | 12 14 | " | " | " |
| | | | " 36 50 | " |
| | | | " 10 | " |
| 126 " | 11-11 | " | " | " |
| 168 40 | " 12-59 | " | " | " |
| | | | " 6 | " |
| 433 39 | " | 1-61 | " | " |
| 30 " | " | 8-33 | " | " |
| 625 33 | " | 8-8 | " | " |
| 24109 14 45 | 422 11 | 489-64 | | 624 30 70 |

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# Fort St George 5th December 1809

| Articles | | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804 | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | | M. Gurrs Price | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Forward | | | 23,837 | 42 | 79 | | | | | | |
| Bunters White | Pieces | 92 | 617 | 43 | 65 | 6 | 28 | 29 Pieces | 5 | 33 | .. |
| " Yellow | " | 19 | 114 | 21 | " | 6 | 1 | 8 Pieces | 6 | .. | .. |
| Cambrick | | | | | | | | Pieces | | | |
| Camphor | Maund | 15½ | 216 | 33 | 60 | 13 | 4 | 28 Md | 15 | .. | .. |
| Candles | ℔ | 136 | 108 | 1 | 32 | .. | 34 | 7 ℔ | 1 | 11 | .. |
| Canteen Cloth | | 600 | | | | | | | | | |
| Canvas Europe | Bale | 1468 | 15 | 725 | .. | 50 | 10 | 32 8 Md | 12 | 22 | .. |
| " Country of 38 Yards | " | 975 | 4427 | 7 | 70 | 4 | 24 | 26 Md | 6 | 11 | .. |
| Cap Tent Poles | | | | | | | | Set | | | |
| Carbays | No | 17 | 2 | 26 | .. | .. | 6 | 08 Md | .. | 7 | .. |
| Carpet Country of 90 feet long & 20 feet Broad | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Carriages for a field Laboratory | Chest | | | | | | | Md | | | |
| Cast Brass files Country | | 247 | 252 | 22 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. Md | 1 | .. | .. |
| " " Plans | | | | | | | | Md | | | |
| " Packing Large | No | 616 | 2450 | 28 | 10 | 3 | 44 | 25 Md | 2 | 22 | .. |
| " Gunny for Tents Gent. during | | | | | | | | Set | | | |
| " " " " Sleeping | | | | | | | | Set | | | |
| " " " Field officers | | | | | | | | Set | | | |
| " " " Officers | | | | | | | | Set | | | |
| " " " Private No | | 60 | 18 | 40 | .. | " | 17 | .. Md | .. | 15 | .. |
| " " " Bill | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Carried over | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| Amount of the whole of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs rates. — | Difference in favor of the Agency | Difference in favor of Mr. Greigs Agency | Mr. Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agents | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the foregoing Recapitulation made by Mr. Greigs. — |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 26109 14 | 45. 422, 11. | 689. 04 | | |
| 527 21 | " 1. 83. | " | " " " " " " | |
| 114 " | " " 4 | " | " " " " " " | |
| | | | 2 98 " " " " | |
| 232 22 40 | 7. 26 | " | " " " " " " | |
| 169 11 | " 68. 28 | " | " " " " " " | |
| | | | | |
| 19,333 31. | " 16. 58. | " | " " " " " " | |
| 6,088 16 | " 87. 52 | " | " " " " " " | |
| | | | " 10 " " " " | |
| 2 29 | " 2. 56. | " | " " " " " " | |
| | | | | |
| | | | 55 " " " " | |
| | | | | |
| 247 " | " " | 2. 22. | " " " " " " | |
| | | | 2 30 " " " " | |
| | | | | |
| 1530 20 | " " | 60. 1. | " " " " " " | |
| | | | 9 12 " " " " | |
| | | | | |
| | | | 4 12 " " " " | |
| | | | | |
| | | | 1 11 " " " " | |
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| | | | | |
| | | 19. 99 | " " " " " " | |
| 16 80 | " " | | | |
| | | | " 5 " " " " | |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804 | | | Average price since the Commencement of the Agency | | | M. Greigs proposals | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought forward | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cases Gunny for Necessary | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " " Wall | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " " Sepoy | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " Cavas for Drum Ds | 195 | 75 | " | " | " | 25 | " ea | | 25 | " |
| Casks Packing | 120 | 173 | " | " | 1 | 20 | 12 ea | | 1 | 16 " |
| " for Containing 8 Gallons with Iron hoops & Rings | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Center Bits | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| Chains Iron of 100 feet | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " " of 50 | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| " " Small for Traces | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| Chains Necessary | | | | | | | ea | | | |
| Chalk maund | 114 | 8 | 63 | 21 | 24 | " | 24 | 79 Ds | | 8 " |
| Chests Arm Packing | 2125 | 4250 | " | " | 2 | " | " ea | | 2 | " |
| Chintzes Pieces | 13 | 9 | 16 | 70 | " | 32 | 36 rat | | " | 23 " |
| Chisels of Sorts | 48 | 6 | " | " | " | 5 | 60 rat | | " | 6 " |
| " Cutting | | | | | | | rat | | | |
| " Morbee | | | | | | | rat | | | |
| " Copper | | | | | | | rat | | | |
| Chunam with Cocoa Nuts maund | 3 | " | 11 | 20 | | | rat | | | |
| Cinnabar lb | 88¾ | 90 | 31 | 40 | " | 9 | 30 Rat | | 5 | " |
| Cloth long 68 Cubits Corge | 80¼ | 4038 | 5 | 50 | 46 | 90 | 87 Corge | | 1 | 11 " |
| " " 18 Punjam Pieces | 50 | 187 | 22 | 40 | 3 | 83 | 60 Pces | | 44 | " " |
| " " 14 " | | | " | " | | | Pces | | 3 | 38 " |
| | | | | | | | Pces | | | |
| Carried over | | 5030 | 5 | " | | | | | | |

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| Amount of Merchandize of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greig's Rates | Difference per Cent. in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent. in favor of Mr. Greig's proposals. | Mr. Greig's Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the Contracts made by Mr. Greig. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | |
| | | | " 13 " | " " " |
| | | | " 9 " | " " " |
| | | | " 30 " | " " " |
| 78 " " | 4. | | " " | " " " |
| 160 " " | | 8-58 | " " | " " " |
| | | | 1 12 | " " " |
| | | | | |
| | | | 1 22 | " " " |
| | | | 8 | " " " |
| | | | 9 38 | " " " |
| | | | 3 22 | " " " |
| | | | 2 10 | " " " |
| 20 14 45 | " | 22-34 | " " | " " " |
| 4250 " " | " | | " " | " " " |
| 8 14 " | " | 16-89 | " " | " " " |
| 6 18 " | | 6-66 | " " | " " " |
| | | | " 10 | " " " |
| | | | " 6 | " " " |
| | | | 6 " | " " " |
| | | | | |
| 6 " " | | 87-5 | " " | " " " |
| 110 20 " | | 21-77 | " " | " " " |
| 3796 " " | | 6-4 | " " | " " " |
| 180 80 " | | 44 | " " | " " " |
| | | | 2 33 | " " " |
| 59,980 20 50 | | 584,57 | 896,84 | 110 00 |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | M. | Gruip | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | 50501 5 " | | | | |
| Cloth Blue 30 Yards | 73 | 2234 30 | 73 | 31 | 44 | 15 Corge 30 |
| " Red 30 " | | | | | | Corge |
| " Yard 18 " | Piece 4700 | 6112 6 | 70 | 1 | 13 | 42 Pieces 1 10 " |
| " Green Ordinary | | | | | | Yard |
| Clouts Copper | | | | | | each |
| Coal Char | Bushel | 40869 | 4433 30 " | | 4 | 71 Bc 5 " |
| " Sea | " | 100 | 26 " | | 11 | 20 Bc 12 " |
| Cocks Brass | | | | | | each |
| Coir loose | Candy | 6 3/4 | 80 34 | 6 | 14 | 2 1 Candy 12 " |
| Collars Bullock Leather | | | | | | Pc |
| " " Tape | | 2500 | 164 " | | 6 | 26 16 Pc 7 " " |
| " For Horses | | | | | | each |
| Compass Brass Common | Pair | 72 | 20 26 | 10 " | 12 | 08 Pair 10 " |
| " Iron Carpenter | | | | | | Pair |
| " " Calliber | | | | | | Pair |
| " Examath | | | | | | Pair |
| " Mariner Surveyors | | | | | | Each |
| " Proportional | | | | | | Each |
| Copper Plate | Pound | 23 | 109 11 | 20 | 4 | 33 00 Lb 5 " |
| " Sheet | Candies | 2 | 222 22 | 40 | 111 | 11 20 Cwt 117 " " |
| Cord Drum | Skains | 840 | 70 " | | " | 8 00 Skn 4 " |
| Corks | Dozen | 30 | 4 80 | 76 | 1 | 89 30 Doz 1 2 1/2 " |
| Cotton for Caulking | Pound | 466 | 887 42 | 59 | 1 | 20 6 Lb 1 12 " |
| Carried over | | | | | | |

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# Fort St. George 5th. December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs rates. | Difference p.Cent. in favor of the Agency. | Difference p.Cent. in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals. | Mr. Greigs Price of articles which have never been supplied by the Agents | Amount of the articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 59.986.26 50. | 584.57. | 396.84. | ..... | |
| 2190 .. | .. | 6.6. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 30 .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 5744 20 .. | .. | 6.4. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 9 .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 40 .. | .. .. .. |
| 4.541 .. | 2.9. | ..... | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 26.80 .. | 6.66. | ..... | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 22 .. | .. .. .. |
| 69 .. .. | .. | 17.09. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 176 .. .. | 6.7 | ..... | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 16 .. | .. .. .. |
| 16 .. .. | .. | 28.5 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | .. 6 .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 30 .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 .. .. | .. .. .. |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .. .. .. |
| 115 .. .. | 5.26 | ..... | ..... | .. .. .. |
| 234 .. .. | 5.16 | ..... | ..... | .. .. .. |
| 74 30 .. | 6.66 | ..... | ..... | .. .. .. |
| 3.3240 .. | .. | 25.93 | ..... | .. .. .. |
| 806.30 .. | .. | 8.45 | ..... | .. .. .. |

1801 Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804 | | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | | M. Gunj. Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cotton Red | 16 | 4 | 1 | 11 | | | " | 16 | lb | " | 10 |
| Cow Dung Baskets | | | | | | | | | Rd | | |
| Crows Brass for Powder mills | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Iron | Ts | 1190 | 2218 | 8 | 10 | | 1 | 89 | 65 cwt | 1 | 89 |
| " Copper | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Miners | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Crucibles earthern | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Cadjan or Allays | | | | | | | | | ℔ | | |
| Cups Copper 5 Drams | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " " 1 " | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " " ½ " | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Tin 1 " | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " " ½ " | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Dammer Raw | Maund | 49 | 181 | " | | | 3 | 31 | 18 lb | 1 | " |
| " Boiled | Candy | 40½ | 488 | 22 | 40 | | 14 | 42 | 18 Cs | 12 | " |
| Desks Writing | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " " ½ Book Cases | | | | | | | | | cwt | — | |
| Dishes Copper | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Tin | | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Doolies Complete | | 150 | 1125 | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Cover Double Cloth | | 170 | | | | | 1 | 22 | 40 cwt | 1 | 22 |
| Dawcks Brass | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Drifts Tin | 13 Inch | | | | | | | | ℔ | | |
| " " | 10 " | | | | | | | | Sett | | |
| " " | 8 " | | | | | | | | Sett | | |
| " " | 5½ " | | | | | | | | Sett | | |
| " " | 4½ " | | | | | | | | Sett | | |
| Carried over | | | 4800 | 6 | 6 | | | | | | |

1802 Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs rates. | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greig's proposals | Mr. Greigs Price of articles which have been supplied by the Agent. | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the agents Peyadah's are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | " 40 " | " 40 " | " | |
| | | | " 1 5 | |
| | | | 4 " " | |
| 2062 80 | " | 7 29 | " " " | |
| | | | 1 " " | |
| | | | " 30 " | |
| | | | " 2 " | |
| | | | " 11 " | |
| | | | " 19 10 | |
| | | | " 4 5 | |
| | | | " 2 20 | |
| | | | " 1 50 | |
| | | | " 1 10 | |
| | | 269 38 | | |
| 49 " | | | | |
| 486 " | | 61 " | | |
| | | | 5 " " | |
| | | | 29 " " | |
| | | | " 36 " | |
| | | | 1 15 " | |
| | | 14 | | |
| 1129 15 | | | | 268 30 |
| | | | 2 38 " | |
| | | | 1 1 " | |
| | | | " 40 " | |
| | | | " 36 " | |
| | | | " 30 " | |
| | | | " 25 " | |
| 77.504 | 29 10. | 617. 82 | 1306.36 | 1969. 21 76. |

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Fort St George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1806 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Sterling Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | 74800 65 | | |
| Drifts Portfire | | | Sett | |
| " Fuzee Handgrenade | | | Sett | |
| Driving Brake Cocker | | | each | |
| Drum Brass | 345 | 148 15 | 4 6 each | 4 22 |
| Dungaree Double 10 Yards ℔ | | | ℔ | |
| " Swigle 10 " | | | ℔ | |
| Duffers Empty | 224 | 52 19 20 | 10 43 each | 12 |
| Emery Europe maund | 4 | 32 | 8 Md | 9 |
| " Country " | 72 | 140 39 20 | 1 43 4 Md | 2 12 |
| Esses Iron No | 50 | 4 20 | 4 each | 4 |
| Faulx Gunny with Block Hose | | | each | |
| " Cavas Do | | | each | |
| Fifes Country Dozen | 91-8 | 200 11 20 | 2 11 20 Doz | 2 40 |
| " Europe " | 16 | 166 | 11 Doz | 10 |
| Files of sorts " | 1800½ | 2790 8 12 | 2 6 88 Doz | 2 12 |
| Flags | | | | |
| Flax | | | | |
| Flour measure | 1092 | 54 20 60 | lb | |
| Fly for Field officers Tent | | | 2 20 each | 5 |
| " for Officer | | | each | |
| Carried over | | | each | |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the Articles Actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs rates. | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals. | Mr. Greigs Price of articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the articles which have been supplied by the agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 77.604 29 10 | 617.82 | 1806-56 | | 1363 27 6 |
| | | | 2 99 .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | .. 18 .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | .. 31 .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | | |
| 1548 30 .. | 9-18 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | .. 40 .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | .. 99 .. | .. .. .. |
| 59 33 .. | 13-87 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 92 .. .. | .. | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 169 9 - | 16-84 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 4 20 .. | .. | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | 2 16 .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | 6 39 .. | .. .. .. |
| 264 36 53 | 28-89 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 160 .. .. | .. | 10- .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 2947 36 .. | 5-79 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | .. 20 .. | .. .. .. |
| 72 36 .. | 39-93 | .. | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | 95 .. .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | 22 .. .. | .. .. .. |

1805 Fort St George 5th December 1805

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1805 | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | | M. Weight Price | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | | | | | | | | | |
| Funnels Tin | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| " Copper | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Ghee | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Gimblets of Sorts | | | | | | | | Pc | | |
| " Spike | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Gingham 12 Cubit | Pieces | 1090 | 822 | 8 | 35 | | | cwt | | |
| Glasses Fine 2 Lour | | | | | | | 33 | 75 | fine | 36 |
| " 1 Lour | | 28 | 16 | 44 | 42 | | | cwt | | |
| " ½ Lour | | | | | | | 27 | 24 | cwt | 40 |
| " Perspective | | 14 | 212 | 28 | 10 | | | cwt | | |
| " Tracing | | | | | | 16 | 8 | 86 | cwt | 20 |
| Glue | Maund | 68 | 96 | 87 | 10 | | | cwt | | |
| Gouges of Sorts | | | | | | 1 | 28 | 86 | Pc | 1 40 |
| " Boring | | | | | | | | cwt | | |
| Grease | Barrels | 93½ | 612 | | | | | cwt | | |
| Gaaga Proof Hat | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gum Arabic | | | | | | 7 | 14 | 66 | Pc | 9 |
| Gunny Broad | Pieces | 960 | 179 | 22 | 40 | | | | | |
| " Narrow | | | | | | | | 11 | | |
| Gunny Bags & Coffer | No. | 2 | 19 | 11 | 20 | 13 | 40 | 21 | Pc | 19 |
| Hames for Horse Collars | | | | | | | | Pc | | |
| Hammers Land | | 264 | 112 | 1 | | 9 | 23 | 10 | cwt | 9 |
| " Sledge | | | | | | | | Pair | | |
| " Saw | | 197 | 138 | 89 | | 19 | 8 | | cwt | 22 |
| " Coffer | | 192 | 89 | 20 | | 42 | | | cwt | 1 |
| Hammocks with Bedding | | | | | | 9 | 21 | | cwt | 12 |
| | | | | | | | | | Pc | |
| Carried over | | | 21,963 | 89 | 64 | | | | cwt | |

8806 Fort St. George 5th. December 1809

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated at Mr. Greigs Rate | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greig proposals. | Mr Greigs Rate of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agents | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greig. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 18 | |
| | | | 13 | |
| | | | 10 | |
| | | | 250 | |
| | | | 6 | |
| 867 36 | 3 | 13 | | |
| | | | 1 | |
| 24 40 | 46 | 62 | | |
| | | | 28 | |
| 280 | 31 | 68 | | |
| | | | 8 | |
| 119 | 24 | 17 | | |
| | | | 7 40 | |
| | | | 19 | |
| 668 | 9 | 14 | | |
| | | | 3 40 | |
| 180 22 40 | 55 | | 12 40 | |
| | | 6 | 94 | |
| 18 | | | 1 31 | |
| 129 3 | 16 | 18 | | |
| 197 | 7 | 14 | | |
| 51 9 | 29 | 55 | 6 5 | |
| | | | 5 | |
| 86,268 24 29 | 891 | 28 | 1323 50 | |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

Articles

| | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | 81,950.39 04 | | | |
| Handcraw Lever | | | | cwt | |
| Handles spare Tools | | | | % | |
| Handspeckes purchasing | 3125 | 99222 40 | 14 28 | cwt. | 20 |
| " for Surf | | | | cwt | |
| " Lever shoed with Iron | | | | cwt | |
| Haversacks Leather | 176 | 88 40 | 2 10 | % | 25 |
| Harness Horse shaft | | | | Set | |
| " " Trace | | | | Set | |
| Heads Drum Country | 2480 | 62 | 1 10 | cwt | 1 40 |
| Helves spare Pick Axes &c | 692 | 51 40 40 | 7 22 40 | % | 9 |
| " " for Hammer | | | | % | |
| " " for Adze | | | | % | |
| " " for Broad Axes | | | | % | |
| " " for Felling " | | | | % | |
| " " for Mamoties &c | 100 | 8 13 40 | 5 | % | 5 |
| Hooks Bill and Handles Country | 2327 | 511 42 24 | 22 | % | 22 28 |
| " Sap " Staves " | | | | | |
| " Tackle & Kemble " | | | | cwt | |
| Hoops Copper | Candy 106 2 7 | 11579 28 14 | 109 4 60 Cw | cwt | 180 |
| Carried over | | | | | |

1808 Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Amount of the whole of Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference Per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference Per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents but which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 85203. 24. 23. 891. 28. 1929. 50 | | | | |
| | | | 20 | |
| | | | 7 12 | |
| 1,388 20 | 39.98 | | | |
| | | | 10 | |
| | | | 31 | |
| | | | | |
| 49. 38. 68. 12. 5 | | | | |
| | | | 7 | |
| | | | 4 39 | |
| 82 80 | 33. 33 | | | |
| 62. 12 48. 20 | | | | |
| | | | 9 | |
| | | | 9 | |
| 8. 13 40 | | | | |
| 529 | 17 3. 33 | | | |
| | | | 28 | |
| | | | 10 | |
| 13,797. 24 00. 19. 16 | | | | |

8809 Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Articles | | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804 | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | | M. Garrison Price | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hoops Drum Batter | | 1890 | 99 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 20 | 5 | 30 |
| " " Lining | | 1890 | 99 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 20 | 5 | 30 |
| " " Sleigh | | 1890 | 59 | 2 | 63 | 3 | 5 | 50 | 3 | 4 |
| Horns Lining | | 660 | 575 | | | 1 | 11 | 20 | 2 | 6 |
| Hawsels | | | | | | | | | | |
| Husk Paddy | Bushel | 7855 | 312 | 13 | 59 | | 1 | 73 | 1 | 40 |
| Indigo | lb | 110 | 108 | 38 | 60 | | 44 | 39 | | 60 |
| Ink Indian Cakes | | | | | | | | | | |
| Instrument Brass mounted Compt. Case | | | | | | | | | | |
| " Mathematical Case | | | | | | | | | | |
| Iron Flat and Square | Candy | 672 | 3 | 4 | 11,317 | 35 | 54 | 16 | 37 | 57 |
| " Rod | " | 6 | 10 | | 120 | 22 | 40 | 18 | 24 | 18 |
| " Hoop | " | 42 | 17 | 4 | 1,236 | 11 | 76 | 28 | 33 | 4 |
| " Bolt | " | 91 | | | 1,603 | 37 | 70 | 17 | 28 | 9 |
| Old | | | | | | | | | | |
| Irons Beak Large | No. | 60 | 283 | 28 | 3 | 4 | 32 | 57 | 4 | |
| " " Small | | | | | | | | | | |
| " Priming Large | | 550 | 19 | 11 | 20 | 3 | 22 | 40 | 4 | |
| " " Small | | 500 | 16 | | | 3 | | | 3 | 40 |
| Iron Soldering | No. | 9 | 3 | 16 | 70 | | 16 | 70 | | 22 |
| Irons Forking | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jaggherry | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jars Empty | | 128 | 209 | 22 | 40 | 1 | 31 | 62 | 2 | 22 |
| " Large | | 52 | 218 | 22 | 40 | 4 | 4 | 61 | 4 | 22 |
| Jointers Copper | | 2 | 4 | 3 | 60 | 2 | 1 | 70 | 1 | |
| Carried Over | | | 111 | 79 | 16 | 24 | | | | |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs rates | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agents | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 107 4 40 | 7 93 | " | " | " |
| " " " | " | " | " | " |
| 107 4 40 | 7 93 | " | " | " |
| " " " | " | " | " | " |
| 50 31 40 | " | 4 10 | " | " |
| " " " | " | " | " | " |
| 971 5 " | 68 88 | " | " | " |
| " " " | " | " | 20 " | " |
| 245 7 40 | " | 27 5 | " | " |
| 97 95 | " | 11 21 | " | " |
| " " " | " | " | 1 12 | " |
| " " " | " | " | 15 " | " |
| " " " | " | " | 10 22 | " |
| 12771 " | 7 12 89 | " | " | " |
| 128 22 40 | 2 49 | 3 01 | " | " |
| 1200 1 6 | " | " | " | " |
| 1911 " " | 19 15 | " | " | " |
| " " " | " | " | 9 22 | " |
| 240 " " | " | 18 17 | " | " |
| " " " | " | " | 3 " | " |
| 22 " " | 14 28 | " | " | " |
| 19 20 " | 29 62 | " | " | " |
| 4 18 " | 30 87 | " | " | " |
| " " " | " | " | 33 " | " |
| " " " | " | " | 18 " | " |
| 306 6 " | 46 11 | " | " | " |
| 293 19 " | 9 32 | " | " | " |
| 2 " " | " | 104 16 | " | " |
| 119 293 38 61 | 1268 48 | 1491 71 | " | " |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Articles. | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency. | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1864. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr. Greig's Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | 1,11,479. 16 24 | | |
| Junk Europe | Candy. 327 | 3584 44 66 | 10 43 39 Cw. | 13 72 |
| " Coir | " 2 | 12 33 60 | 6 16 70 Cw. | 5 |
| Kegs for Tar and Grease | 776 | 395. 11 20 | 51 " " % | 55 " |
| Kettles Iron Pitch | | | | |
| " Tin | | | | |
| Keys for Locks | | | % | |
| Knives Drawing | | | | |
| " Laboratory | 950 | 84 20 | " " 4 each | 5 " |
| " Hand | | | | |
| " Fuze | | | | |
| " Hallowing | | | | |
| " Cutting | | | | |
| Ladders Common | | | | |
| Ladles Copper Composition | | | | |
| " Iron Dipping | 35 | 8 33 60 | " 11 20 each | 10 50 |
| " " Melting Large Sz. | 15 | 87 22 40 | 5 37 40 each | 6 |
| " " " Small | | | | |
| Lamps Earthern | | | | |
| Lanterns Dark | 26 | 21 22 40 | " 37 17 each | 1 " |
| " Glass | | | | |
| " Horn | 176 | 167 12 33 | " 40 17 each | 40 |
| " Muscovy Sts Copper Bottoms | 7 | 11 16 70 | 1 28 10 each | 3 |
| Carried Over | | | | |

8812 Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the agency calculated at Mr. Greig's Rate | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greig's proposal | Mr. Greig's List of articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of articles which have been supplied by the agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greig. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1,19,593 | 38 01 | 1268.48 | 1491-71 | |
| 4,410 | 39 " | 23.03 | " " " " " " | |
| 10 | " " " | 27-5 | " " " " " " | |
| 426 | 11 20 | 7-84 | " " " " " " | |
| | | | 2 12 " " " | |
| | | | 30 " " " " | |
| | | | 8 " " " " | |
| | | | 16 " " " " | |
| 105 | 25 " | 25- " | " " " " " " | |
| | | | 32 " " " " | |
| | | | 1 " " " " " | |
| | | | 20 " " " " | |
| | | | 10 " " " " | |
| | | | 8 " " " " " | |
| | | | 5 10 " " " | |
| 8 | 11 70 " | 5-88 | " " " " " " | |
| 60 | " " " | 46-89 | " " " " " " | |
| | | | 3 " " " " | |
| | | | 5 " " | |
| 26 | " " | 20.92 | " " " " " " | |
| | | | 20 " " " " | |
| 150 | 20 " | " | 53 " " " " " " | |
| 21 | " " | 84.61 | " " " " " " | |

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# Fort St. George 8th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency. | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency October 1806. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | M. Goods Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over. | | | | |
| Lantern Tin | 20. | 20 .. .. | 1 .. .. Ea. | 1 .. .. |
| Lawn Europe Fine | | | Piece | |
| " Sieves | | | Piece | |
| Lead Pig Candy | 84. | 611 23 60. | 17 44 30 Cwt | 15 .. . |
| " Sheet " | 25. 5. 11. | 791 1 27 | 31 13. 42 Cwt | 25 .. . |
| " Red Mauna. | 7. | 17. 22 40 | 2 22 40 Cwt | 1 42 . |
| " White Candy. | 89. 7. 13 | 3909. 4 41 | 48 39 16 Cwt | 40 .. . |
| Leather Tanned Europe fn Hide | | | | |
| " Hides Bengal | | | | |
| " " Country | 775 | 181 2 40 | 10 41 md | 11 .. |
| Leaves Coconut | | | | |
| Line Hambro Skains | 104 | 49 25 6 | " 21 35 Kl | " 20 . |
| " Hand " | 48 | 24 30 46. | " 25 60 Kl | " 22 . |
| " Log Europe " | 1298 | 298 16 46 | " 10 27 Kl | " 9 . |
| " " Country " | 200. | 20 .. | " 4 40 md | " 5 . |
| " Mer Europe " | 1620. | 128 7 | " 3 45 md | " 3 40 |
| " " Country " | 50. | 3 18 | " 3 " md | " 2 . |
| " Seizing " | | | md | |
| Lead Sea | 44 | | | |
| Level | | | | |
| " with plummet Complete | | | md | |
| Locks Pad Double with Keys | 435. | 170 39 46 | " 17 64 md | " 26 . |
| " " Single " " Doz. | 49 10. | 117 16 63 | 2 15 79 Doz | 4 22 . |
| Mallets Lime | | | | |
| " Drawing Pickets | | | md | |
| " Tent | 2100. | 163 15 | " 3 40 md | " 3 20 |
| Carried Over | | 17,349 3 26 | | |

8814 St. St. George 5th December 1809

| Amount of the whole of the Articles Actually Supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates. | Difference P. Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference P. Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | |
| 20 " " | " | " | " | " |
| | | | 5 33 | " |
| | | | 36 | " |
| 310 " " | " | 19-9 | " | " |
| 631 " " | " | 25-2 | " | " |
| 13 24 " | " | 29 31 | " | " |
| 3575 1 64 | " | 9 34 | " | " |
| | | | 13 | " |
| | | | 2 | " |
| 189 20 " | 4-63 | " | " | " |
| | | | 25 | " |
| 46 10 " | " | 7 18 | " | " |
| 21 1 " | " | 17 38 | " | " |
| 259 27 " | " | 14 80 | " | " |
| 22 10 " | 11-11 | " | " | " |
| 126 " " | " | 1 78 | " | " |
| 2 10 " | " | 50 | " | " |
| | | | 19 | " |
| | | | 1 | " |
| | | | 8 22 | " |
| 251 15 " | 47 1 | " | " | " |
| 223 31 27 | 90-68 | " | " | " |
| | | | 5 | " |
| | | | 4 40 | " |
| 161 30 " | " | 7-09 | " | " |
| 1,80,362 2 2 | | 1,588, 8. 1764. 3 | | |

3815

# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1806 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr. Greig's Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | 122369 3 26 | | |
| Mamoties Common | | | cwt | |
| " Socket with belves | 9384 | 8408 1 40 | " 40 25 cwt | 38 " |
| " Country — Candy | 16 2 10 | 72 24 24 | 4 22 40 Cwt | 5 10 " |
| " Grenade | | | Ton | |
| Mallocks with belves | | | cwt | |
| Matts Cannon | 5600 | 54 " " | 1 " " % | 1 10 " |
| Measures Copper Powder Large | | | cwt | |
| " " Sorts | | | Set | |
| " " Punt | | | cwt | |
| " Tin for Water & Spirit | | | cwt | |
| " Whole Rice Bamboo | | | cwt | |
| " Half Bamboo | | | cwt | |
| Mullers with Handles | | | cwt | |
| Nails Spike Cwt | 11-21 | 64 14 61 | 5 33 00 Cwt | 5 33 " |
| " Pump | | | 16 | |
| " Copper of Sorts | | | Do | |
| " Iron of Do manns | 491 21 | 905 11 10 | 1 41 39 Do | 2 11 " |
| Needles Sail | 3750 | 30 30 15 | " 36 64 % | 1 " " |
| " Sewing | 4000 | 10 " " | " 11 20 % | " 10 " |
| Carried over | | | | |

8816 Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Amount of the whole of the Articles Actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 130802 | 2 | 2 | 1588 | 3 1754.09 |
| | | | 14 | |
| 7924 | 12 | | 6 | 08 |
| 1577 | 12 | 20 | 5 | 02 |
| 84 | 8 | 16 | 16 | 04 |
| | | | 12 | 20 |
| | | | 26 | |
| 66 | | | 22 | 22 |
| | | | 2 | 12 |
| | | | 9 | |
| | | | 16 | |
| | | | 10 | |
| | | | 2 | 10 |
| | | | 2 | |
| | | | 24 | |
| 64 | 6 | 30 | 29 | |
| | | | 15 | |
| | | | 8 | |
| 1103 | 40 | 67 | 16 | 77 |
| 37 | 22 | 40 | 22 | 38 |
| 8 | 40 | | 12 | 5 |

8817

# Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency to 1st October 1809 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr. Greig's Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | | | |
| Needles Gunny | 350 | 7 16 26 | 2 4 53 ℳ | 2 16 - |
| " Bolt Rope Nº | 500 | 9 35 46 | " 70 ℳ | - 1 " |
| Paker Red maund | | | | |
| " Yellow " | 19 | 54 28 52 | 2 39 32 ℳ | 2 40 " |
| Oil Lamp Gallons | 1056 | 309 42 68 | " 18 17 Gs | " 10 " |
| " Coconut " | 1987 | 3021 5 41 | " 17 2 Gs | - 16 " |
| " Gingely " | 446 | 159 16 31 | " 16 6 Gs | - 15 " |
| " Linseed " | 4006 | 5572 9 55 | 1 9 36 Gs | 1 12 " |
| " Wood " | 2806 | 1055 41 59 | " 16 76 Gs | " 20 " |
| " Neat's feet | | | Gs | |
| Paint Black maund | 66 17 | 611 " 72 | 7 29 70 ℳ | 6 20 " |
| " Blue " | 30 " | 1901 13 13 | 6 16 35 ℳ | 8 22 " |
| " Red " | 66 20 | 152 1 64 | 2 12 88 ℳ | 3 11 " |
| " White " | 144 6 | 387 1 27 | 2 30 60 ℳ | 3 10 " |
| " Yellow " | 45 1/2 | 110 40 57 | 2 20 68 ℳ | 2 22 " |
| " Green " | 7 13 | 97 19 4 | 12 42 79 ℳ | 16 " " |
| Palmyras Nº | 200 | 34 " | 17 " | 7 13 " " |
| Palmyra Hand Stub | 316 | 5 4 30 | " 58 ml | " 3 " |
| Paper Bengal or Country Rs | 27,750 | 1627 30 76 | " 6 38 70 72 in | 6 22 " |
| " Fine " Rean | 58 | 316 22 40 | 5 20 46 72 | 4 " " |
| " Portfire | | | | |
| " Europe Cartridge Sorts | | | Rean | |
| Cannon Rean | 24 | | Rean | |

Carried Over 14,708 6 3

8818 Fort St. George 6th December 1809

| Amount of the whole of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs prices of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greig. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 7 40 | 10 | 92 | " | " |
| 11 5 " | 14 | 28 | " | " |
| | | | 1 20 | " |
| 232 30 " | " | 92 | 12 | " |
| 2839 87 " | " | 6 | 4 | " |
| 148 30 " | " | 7 | 10 | " |
| 5833 " | " | 4 | 63 | " |
| 1246 30 " | 18 | 08 | " | " |
| | | | 1 25 | " |
| 429 32 10 | " | 18 | 92 | " |
| 254 30 " | 39 | 82 | " | " |
| 216 32 64 | 42 | 50 | " | " |
| 462 8 64 | 20 | " | " | " |
| 120 14 32 | 29 | 5 | " | " |
| 20 " " | " | 30 | 76 | " |
| 21 3 " | 319 | 79 | " | " |
| 1800 30 " | 10 | 02 | " | " |
| 232 " " | " | 36 | 42 | " |
| | | | 10 " | " |
| | | | 20 " | " |
| | | | 150 " | |
| 156788 8 10 | 2150 | 37 | 1904 | 74 |

8319

Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency. | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency October 1804. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | M. | Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | 147058 6 3 | | | |
| Parcels Camwel Hair | | | cwt | | |
| " Black Lead | | | cwt | | |
| Perambulator | | | | | |
| Perpendiculars Iron | | | | | |
| Perch plate Iron | | | cwt | | |
| Pickets | | | % | | |
| Piket Boarding | 825 | 330 | 40 | % | 40 |
| Pincers Smalls | | | Pair | | |
| " Tube | | | Pair | | |
| Pin Maules with Lelues | | | cwt | | |
| Pin Iron | 138,600 | 941 17 40 | 30 47 | % | 30 |
| Hooped Head & Iron | | | % | | |
| Pipe Clay Mauds | 119 | 66 42 | 21 42 | lb | 1 |
| Pitch Barrels | 129 | 1819 6 10 | 10 10 13 | cwt | 12 |
| Planes Carpenters of Sorts | | | cwt | | |
| " Iron | | | cwt | | |
| " " Coopers Coopers | | | cwt | | |
| Plates Earthen for Blue light &c | 2400 | 6 31 50 | 12 45 | % | 10 |
| " Screws with Tap Large Dozen | 6-6 | 100 18 00 | 26 | Doz | 27 |
| Carried Over | | | | | |

8820

Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals. | Mr. Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents & which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 155,783 | 8 | 10 | 2159.37 | 1904.74 |
| | | | | 1762.21.09 |
| | | 7 | | |
| | | 4 | | |
| | | 35 | | |
| | | | | 4 16. 30. |
| | | 3 | | |
| | | 24 | | |
| 330 | | | | |
| | | 9 | | |
| | | 6 | | |
| | | 12 | | |
| 929 15 | | 1.95 | | |
| | | 16 | | |
| 119 | | 109.05 | | |
| 1648 | | 17 34 | | |
| | | 28 | | |
| | | 10 | | |
| | | 2 | | |
| 8 15 | | 25.62 | | |
| 173 11 20. 8. | | | | |

8821

# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1806 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Ma- Gauge Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | | | |
| Plates Screw with Lgt small Dee. | 4 3 | 40 16 70 | 9 22 40 Doz. | 9 .. .. |
| Plugbore | | | each | |
| Pole plate Iron | | | each | |
| Poles Foot General Teak | | | Lot | |
| .. .. for field officer bamboo | | | Lot | |
| .. .. for Officer .. | 40 | 34 .. .. | 33 20 each | 1 .. .. |
| .. .. for Private | 22 | 19 33 60 | .. 27 10 Lot | .. 24 .. |
| .. .. for Bell | | | each | |
| .. .. for Sepoy | | | Lot | |
| .. Teak Ridge | | | each | |
| .. Door | | | % | |
| .. Spare for Art | | | each | |
| Paster | | | each | |
| .. and Paul Earthen | 8700 | 121 8 74 | 1 17 56 % | 1 26 .. |
| Punches Musket Country | 1000 | 320 | 32 % | 33 .. |
| Prickers | 21500 | 29 11 70 | 0 10 % | 0 .. |
| Protractor | | | each | |
| Pumps Copper | | | each | |
| Punches Tube | | | each | |
| Rammers Round and flat | | | each | |
| .. Wooden Rocket Sorts | | | Lot | |
| Ramrods musket Wooden | 800 | 6 | 2 % | 2 26 |
| Carried over | | 150 437 13 48 | | |

8822

Fort St George 5th December 1809

| Amount of Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference Per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference Pr Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents which are not inclu-ded in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 38 11 20 | .. | 5.55 | .. .. .. .. .. | |
| | | | .. 10 .. .. .. | |
| | | | 2 12 .. .. .. | |
| | | | 15 .. .. .. .. | |
| | | | 1 5 .. .. .. .. | |
| 40 .. .. | | 17.64 | .. .. .. .. .. | |
| 11 33 .. | .. | 17-18 | .. .. .. .. .. | |
| | | | .. 10 .. .. .. | |
| | | | .. 30 .. .. .. | |
| | | | 1 22 .. .. .. | |
| | | | 2 22 .. .. .. | |
| | | | .. .. .. 10 | |
| | | | 2 .. .. .. .. | |
| | | | .. 16 .. .. .. | |
| | | | | 40 .. 10 |
| 185 16 .. | | 11.66 | .. .. .. .. .. | |
| | | | | 10 |
| 330 .. .. | | 3 12 | .. .. .. .. .. | |
| | | | | 100 |
| 28 30 .. | .. | 2.08 | .. .. .. .. .. | |
| | | | 2 16 .. .. .. | |
| | | | 5 .. .. .. .. | |
| | | | .. 1.30 .. .. .. | |
| | | | | 100 |
| | | | .. 12 .. .. .. | |
| | | | 1 33 .. .. .. | |
| | | | .. .. .. .. .. | |
| 1 80 .. | | 27-11 | | |

159.473 38 50 235395 19 57 12

8823

# Fort St. George 5th December 1804

| Articles | Quantity or number expended since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804 | | | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | M. Gengs Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | 150,437. 13 43. | | | | | |
| Ramrods Rotab Steel | | | | | % | | |
| Rasps Files or wood | Dozen. | 12. | 34. 22 40 | | 2 89. 30 Doz | 2 | 20 |
| Rattans | Bundles | 2155. | 476. 33 32 | | 9. 76. Pa | | 6 |
| Reels Camp with 2 lines | | | | | rat. | | |
| " " without " | | 15. | 7. " " | | 21 - rat. | | 20 |
| Rebates for spring spikes | | | | | % | | |
| Refers Palmer | | | | | % | | |
| Rents Coffer | maund. | 77. | 664 42 62. | | 8 29. 49. Lb | 7 | 22. |
| " Iron | " | 14. | 44 33 60. | | 3 3 97. Lb | 0 | 20 |
| Rods Guaging | | | | | rat. | | |
| " " 10 feet | | | | | rat. | | |
| " " 6 " | | | | | rat. | | |
| " " 5 " | | | | | rat. | | |
| " " 3 " | | | | | rat. | | |
| Rope Bengal | Candy. | 47. 18. 2 | 687. 2 56. | | 13 13. 35 Cwt | 10 | " " |
| " Europe | Cwt. | 1960. 1. 24. | 21868. 32 31 | | 11 12 11 Cwt | 13 | " |
| " Aloe | | | | | Cwt | | |
| " Coir Country | Candy. | 89. 6. 14. | 1187 2617 | | 17 5 68 Cwt | 16 | " |
| " Tent White | " | 25. 15. | 1216 30 76 | | 47 11 20 Cwt | 16 | " |
| " " Blue | " | 2. 11. | 209 4 40. | | 82 " " Cwt | | 70 |

3824

Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the Articles Actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs rates. — | Difference Pr Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference Pr Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals. | Mr. Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents & which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. — |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1,59,473 | 33 | 50 | 2353.95 | 1957.12 |
| | | | 13 1 | " " " " |
| 29 | 15 | " " | 17.61 | " " " " " " |
| 287 | 15 | " " | 65.83 | " " " " " " |
| | | | " 38 | " " " " |
| 6 | 30 | " " | 5 | " " " " " " |
| | | | " 40 | " " " " |
| | | | 2 30 | " " " " |
| 576 | 29 | " " | 15.31 | " " " " " " |
| 48 | 10 | " 7 | 76 | " " " " " " |
| | | | 1 22 | " " " " |
| | | | " 11 | " " " " |
| | | | " 6 | " " " " |
| | | | " 5 | " " " " |
| | | | " 3 | " " " " |
| 479 | 1 | 04 | " 32.98 | " " " " " " |
| 25,226 | 1 | 49 | 15.35 | " " " " " " |
| | | | 11 | " " " " |
| 1109 | 11 | 13 | " 7.06 | " " " " " " |
| 380 | 11 | 20 | " 215 | " " " " " " |
| 178 | 22 | 40 | " 17.14 | " " " " " " |

8825

# Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Articles | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | M. | Gengt. Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | | | | |
| " Lashing Country for Doobies | | | | Fm | |
| Rasin | lb 50 | 6 | | | |
| Rubber Large Steel | 275 | 238 36 87 | 10 18 76 | Doz | 9 22 |
| Rubers Parallel | | | | cwt | |
| " Plumb | | | | cwt | |
| " 2 feet | | | | cwt | |
| " Black wood | | | | cwt | |
| " Plain " 4 feet | | | | cwt | |
| " " " 8 " | | | | cwt | |
| " Carpenters | | | | cwt | |
| Salarmoniac | maund | 8 40 | 5 | M | 3 |
| Salt Common | Measure | 189 1 16 | | 26 Mea | 35 35 |
| Sand River | | | | Cwt | |
| Sandaput | | | | cwt | |
| Saws Cross Cut | 14 | 71 1 51 | 6 3 26 | cwt | 6 |
| " Tenon | | | | cwt | |
| " Hand | 6 | 5 28 29 | 42 18 | cwt | 1 11 |
| " Pit | 18 | 104 9 68 | 5 35 44 | cwt | 6 |
| " Tenant | | | | cwt | |
| " Turning | | | | cwt | |
| " Web | 12 | 81 | 6 38 60 | cwt | 2 15 |
| Scabbards Bayt. musket | 35500 | 1617 10 | 4 26 | C | 4 20 |
| " " Pistol | | | | C | |
| Carried over | | 178,968 30 1 | | | |

2826

Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the commencement of the agency at which Mr Greigs rates | Difference Per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference Per Cent in favor of Mr Greigs proposals | Mr Greigs Rates of articles which have never been supplied by the Agents | Amount of the articles which have been supplied by the agents & which are not included in the proposals made by Mr Greigs |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 20 | " | 12 5 | " | " |
| 21/20 33 | " | 9 82 | " | " |
| | | 2 11 | " | " |
| | " | 9 | " | " |
| | " | 10 | " | " |
| | " | 20 | " | " |
| | " | 30 | " | " |
| | " | 25 | " | " |
| | " | 18 | " | " |
| | " | 66 66 | " | " |
| 24 | " | | | |
| 35 35 | " | 79 33 | " | " |
| | " | 5 20 | " | " |
| | " | 6 33 | " | " |
| 84 | " | 18 25 | " | " |
| | " | 1 | " | " |
| 7 21 | " | 32 62 | " | " |
| 109 | " | 3 62 | " | " |
| | " | 1 6 | " | " |
| | " | 30 | " | " |
| | " | 189 28 | " | " |
| 28 | " | 2 5 | " | " |
| 1577 35 | " | | | |
| | " | 6 | " | " |
| 9862 42 60 | | 2491 68 | 2637 14 | 2066 71 19 |

8827

Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

Selected.

| | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | | Sir George's Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | 1,78,948 30 | | | |
| Scabbard Drummer Sword | | | | ℔ | |
| " Serjeant " | | | | ℔ | |
| " Lascar " | 1000 | 190 | 19 | ℔ 7 | 15 |
| " Guard &c. P | 100 | | | | |
| Scales Copper to Weigh from 50 ℔ to 1 Dram | | | | ℔ | |
| " " " " 16 " 62 " | 2 | 42 31 48 | 21 15 64 | ℔ | 20 |
| " " " " 7 " to 1 " | 2 | 22 | 11 | ℔ | 12 |
| " " " " 4 " to 1/2 " | | | | ℔ | |
| " " Small 20Z & all under | | | | ℔ | |
| " 4 Weights large to Triangle & Chains | | | | ℔ | |
| " with Smaller weights to 1/2 ℔ | | | | ℔ | |
| " and Weights Wooden Complete | | | | ℔ | |
| " with Beam Rope Triangle Gle Boards 20 Calf weight | 4 | 257 34 17 | 62 42 24 | ℔ | 70 |
| " Quarter 2 feet | | | | ℔ | |
| Scissors Laboratory Dozen | 12 | 6 | 26 | ℔ | |
| Scrapers musket | | | 2 " | Doz | 2 8 |
| Screws Iron for Wood Dozen | 150 | 10 23 43 | " 3 13 | Doz | 3 " |
| " Cork | | | | | |
| Sealing Wax | | | | ℔ | |
| Sellers for Saw | | | | Rol | |
| | | | | | |
| Carried Over | | | | | |

8828

Fort St. George 6th December 1809.

| Amount of the sales of the Articles actually supplied since the commencement of the Agency Calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference Per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference Per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agents. | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 189 852 42 04 | 2,481-66 | 2637-14 | — — — — — — | 2066 21 19 |
| . . . . . | | | 13 " " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | 21 40 " | " " " |
| 150 " " | " | 26 66 | " " " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | | 50 " " |
| . . . . . | | | 30 " " | " " " |
| 40 " " | " | 6 76 | " " " | " " " |
| 24 " " | " | 9 09 | " " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | 3 22 " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | 5 " " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | 93 " " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | 2 " " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | 18 " " | " " " |
| 280 " " | " | 11 21 | " " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | | " " " |
| 26 17 40 | | 5 55 | " . . . . . | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | | " " " |
| 10 " " | " | 5 41 | . . . . . | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | " 10 " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | " 2 " | " " " |
| . . . . . | | | " 8 " | " " " |

8829

# Fort St. George 6th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency | | | Average Price in 1814 | | | M. | Gauge | Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | | | | | | | | | |
| Shaves Spoke | | | | | | | | | | |
| Shear Garden | | | | | | | | mel | | |
| " Truman | | | | | | | | Pair | | |
| Shell Coconut | 2000 | 1 | 15 | " | | | 3 | % | 4 | " |
| Sieves Bamboo | 6 | " | 6 | " | | | 1 | mel | 1 | " |
| " Copper | | | | | | | | mel | | |
| " Lawn | | | | | | | | mel | | |
| " Brass wire Double | | | | | | | | mel | | |
| " " " Single | | | | | | | | mel | | |
| Skids Wooden 28 feet long | 140 | 17 | 15 | " | " | 12 | 15 | 20 mel | 10 | " |
| Skins sheep with Hair | 148 | 4 | 37 | 20 | " | 1 | 37 | mel | 1 | 80 |
| Skimmers Copper | 100 | | | | | | | mel | | |
| Sleepers Platforms | | | | | | | | | | |
| Slings Drum | 285 | 41 | 3 | 75 | " | | | mel | | |
| " for Life Case | 400 | 129 | 30 | 75 | " | 6 | 39 | mel | 5 | 50 |
| " Musket leather Country | 1000 | 37 | 22 | 40 | " | 14 | 47 | mel | 12 | " |
| Snares Drum | 25 | " | 37 | 40 | " | 3 | 33 | 60 mel | 4 | " |
| Solder Copper maund | 12 | 54 | 19 | 39 | " | 1 | 40 | mel | 2 | " |
| Pewter Do | 37 | 92 | 16 | 70 | " | 4 | 24 | 10 lb | 5 | " |
| Soap | 1800 | 20 | " | " | " | 2 | 22 | 28 lb | 2 | 20 |
| Spatulas for Salt petre | | | | | | | | 40 mel | | 10 |
| | | | | | | | | mel | | |
| Spikes Merlins | | | | | | | | | | |
| " Gun Round | | | | | | | | mel | | |
| Carried Over | | 1,81,587 | 38 | 08 | | | | % | | |

8830

# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Amount of the bills of articles supplied from the Agency Calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Differences in favor of the Agency | Differences in favor of Mr. Greig | Mr. Greigs Price of articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the articles which have been supplied by the Agents & which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greig. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 20 | |
| | | | 1 20 | |
| | | | 2 10 | |
| | | | | |
| 1 35 | 33.33 | | | |
| 6 | | | | |
| | | | 22 | |
| | | | 4 | |
| | | | 2 10 | |
| | | | 1 33 | |
| | | | | |
| 1400 | 22.5 | | | |
| 4 28 40 | 6.86 | | | |
| | | | 22 | |
| | | | | 1 33 |
| | | | 3 30 | |
| | | | | |
| 35 28 10 | 16.33 | | | |
| 100 80 | 21.56 | | | |
| 40 | 6.66 | | | |
| 1 6 | 33.33 | | | |
| 60 | 10.22 | | | |
| 90 20 | 2.13 | | | |
| 20 | | | 16 | |
| | | | | |
| | | | 8 | |
| | | | 1 | |
| 192 143 27 74 | 2540.94 | 2793.84 | | 2106 2.10 |

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| Articles | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | M. Weight. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | 1,81,587 38 68 | | |
| Spiked Gun Ragged | | | cwt | |
| " Spring | | | cwt | |
| Spindles Coming Brass | | | cwt | |
| Spirit of Turpentine Gallon | 140½ | 282 29 39 | 2 " 42 Gl | 3 " " |
| " of Wine " " | 10 | 55 " " | 5 22 40 Gl | 6 " " |
| Square | | | cwt | |
| Staff Flag Teak | | | cwt | |
| " " " 36 feet | | | cwt | |
| " " Park | | | cwt | |
| " " Commander in Chief with 6 Small Flag | | | cwt | |
| " for Flag 60-40-30 feet Long of Bamboo | 4 | 8 14 5 | 2 3 41 cwt | 2 22 " |
| Staves Gunn Flag | | | cwt | |
| " Camp Colours Head Large 9 feet | 100 | 86 " " | 36 " " ℔ | 36 " " |
| " " " " " 12 " | 420 | 201 27 | 48 " " ℔ | 49 " " |
| " " " " Small | | | ℔ | |
| " Sponge Country | 1750 | 200 " " | 20 68 cwt | 20 " |
| " Pike | 500 | 80 " " | 6 " " ℔ | 6 " " |
| Stands for Scales of Sorts | | | cwt | |

Carried Over

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Amount of the whole of the Articles Actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency Calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference Per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference Per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals. | Mr. Greigs price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. — |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 192,148 | 27 | 74 | 2540,94 | 2793,84 |
| | | | / | |
| | | | / | |
| | | | 50 | |
| 421 | 22 | 40. | 19 | 13. |
| 60 | | | 9 | 09 |
| | | | 7 | |
| | | | 15 | |
| | | | 25 | |
| | | | 1 | 22 |
| | | | 9 | |
| 9 | 43 | . | 19 | 77 |
| | | | 40 | |
| 36 | | | | |
| 205 | 30 | | 2 | 08 |
| | | | 16 | |
| 777 | 86 | | 3 | 62 |
| 80 | | | | |
| | | | / | |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency — October 1806 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | M. | Weight Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | | | | |
| Staples Iron | | | | ℔ | |
| Steel Europe | Candy | 20 3 9 | 655 5 55 | 32 21 60 Cs | 24 |
| " Cast | Maund | 238 1 | 606 38 68 | 1 31 75 md | 1 20 |
| " bending | | | | pair | |
| " Yard | | | | each | |
| Sticks Drum | Pair | 870 | 46 41 20 | 3 60 pair | 6 " |
| " Rockets | | | | each | |
| Stocks Unit with Locks | | | | each | |
| " Portfire | | | | each | |
| Stone Guriding | | 18 | 74 22 40 | 4 6 20 each | |
| " Rag | | | | each | |
| " Guriding Colour | | | | each | |
| " Turkey Oil | | | | each | |
| Stools Necessary | | | | each | |
| Straw Bundle | | | | each | |
| Strainers Rattan Large | | 132 | 132 " " | 1 " " each | 1 39 " |
| Sulpher Raw | Candy | | | | |
| 1st sort 30 Tags 2d sort 24 Tags | | | | Cs | |
| Swivels Bandliers Cavalry | | 500 | 88 40 " | 8 " each | 9 " |
| Table Melting | | | | each | |
| " Rolling | | | | each | |
| " Forming | | | | each | |
| Tacks Copper | Maund | 8 " | 7 3 22 71 | 9 8 39 md | 8 22 |
| " Sponge | " | 66 " | 796 22 40 | 12 2 31 Cs | 12 " |
| Carried over | | | 186279 33 6 | | |

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| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference Per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference Per Cent in favor of Mr. Greig proposals | Mr. Greigs Rate of articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the articles which have been supplied by the agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 6 " " " " | |
| 484 1 35 | " | 36. 34 | " " " " " | " |
| 343 37 48 | " | 18- 32 | " " " " " | " |
| | | | 6 " " " " | |
| | | | 2 22 " " " " | |
| 50 30 | " | 10. 34 | " " " " " | " |
| | | | 4 " " " " | |
| | | | 1 " " " " | |
| | | | 14 " " " " | |
| 94 18 | " | 26-71 | " " " " " | " |
| | | | " 6 " " " " | |
| | | | 4 22 " " " " | |
| | | | 1 25 " " " " | |
| | | | 1 " " " " | |
| | | | " 7 40 " " " | |
| 228 30 | " | 73,39 | " " " " " | " |
| | | | 18 " " " " | |
| 100 " | " | 12-5 | " " " " " | " |
| | | | 84 " " " " | |
| | | | 26 " " " " | |
| | | | 26 " " " " | |
| 67 41 | " | " 8. 24 | " " " " " | " |
| 792 " | " | " 44. | " " " " " | " |

195840 13 37 2743,89 2869,80

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# Fort St George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency on October 1814 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | M. Gen'l Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | 185279 38 6 | | |
| Tallow Europe | Cwt 15. 1. 16. | 164. 3 32 | 10 29 53 Cwt | 14 .. |
| Tape Cotton for Ammn Bread yard | 2950 | 88 2726 | 8 .. 137 P | 8 22 |
| .. .. Tent .. Maund | 165 | 305 5 | 2 16 .. md | 2 20 |
| .. .. Narrow .. Yard | 450 | 1 40 50 | .. 19 2 P | .. 20 .. |
| .. .. .. " Maund | | | md | |
| .. .. Narrow Green Yard | 300 | | | |
| .. .. " Yellow | 300 | | | |
| Tar Coal .. .. Gallons | 126 | 62 .. .. | .. 22 26 G | .. 22 .. |
| " Common .. Barrel | 718½ | 5483 .. 00 | 7 30 00 md | 10 .. .. |
| Tent round Large New Construct | | | md | |
| .. .. Small Sizes .. Do | | | md | |
| .. General Dining | 1 | | | |
| .. Square with Doors & Verlaus | | | md | |
| .. General Sleeping | 1 | | | |
| Field Officer Complete | 2 | 156 3 .. | 78 1 40 md | 70 .. .. |
| .. Hospital | 6 | | | |
| .. Captains | | | | |
| .. Subalterns | | | md | |
| Carried over | | | | |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809

| Amount of the value of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 196 846 13 37 | 2743 30 | 2859 80 | | 2100 8 19 |
| 215 22 40 | 31 34 | " | " | " |
| 102 41 40 | 16 16 | " | " | " |
| 378 40 | " 3 77 | " | " | " |
| 2 " | " 5 12 | " | " | " |
| | | 5 40 | " | " |
| | | | 2 | " |
| | | | 3 | " |
| 61 6 | " 1 47 | " | " | " |
| 7135 " | " 90 12 | " | " | " |
| | | 365 | " | " |
| | | 285 | " | " |
| | | " | 301 | " |
| | | 315 | " | " |
| | | | 1535 15 10 | |
| 152 " | " 2 07 | " | " | " |
| | | | 511 [illegible] 8 | |
| | | 50 | " | " |
| | | 42 | " | " |

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# Fort St George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1806 | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr. Greigs Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | | | |
| Tent Private | 208 | 3550 38 60 | 17 22 9 each | 16 .. " |
| " Necessary | 21 | 244 .. .. | 11 27 69 each | 11 22 " |
| " Pandals without Walls | | | each | |
| " Bell | | | each | |
| Theodolites | | | each | |
| " and Stands Levelling Instrument | | | each | |
| Thimbles Iron | | | each | |
| Thread Cotton Coarse | | | each | |
| " " Fine | | | each | |
| " Silk | 2 | 8 .. .. | 4 .. .. | 4 11 " |
| " Europe | 150 | 178 5 50 | 1 3 36 11 | 1 6 " |
| Tickets | | | | |
| Timber Teak Ares | 306 | 3032 1 55 | 9 40 71 each | 9 .. " |
| " Duggies | 193 | 5329 42 20 | 27 27 69 each | 22 .. " |
| " Shumbeam Planks | 701 | 6301 38 60 | 9 44 43 each | 6 .. " |
| " Tuticomallee Sawed | 2842 | 2166 27 60 | .. 41 36 each | .. 40 " |
| " " Wood Large | 210 | 416 .. .. | 1 43 70 each | 2 11 " |
| " " " Small | | | | |
| " Beam | | | each | |
| " Deal Planks | | | each | |
| | | | each | |
| Carried Over | | 27,816 32 79 | | |

1838 Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs rates. — | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greigs supplied by the proposals. | Mr. Greigs Agent | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. — |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3248 " " | " | 9. 32. | " " " | " " " |
| 241. 12 " | " | 1. 13 | " " " | " " " |
| | | 17 | " " | " " " |
| | | 7 | " " | " " " |
| | | 90 | " " | " " " |
| | | 120 | " " | " " " |
| | | | 17 | " |
| | | 6 | " " | " " |
| | | 6 | " " | " " " |
| | | 10 | " " | " " " |
| | | | | 2. 22 40 |
| 8 22 " | 6-11 | " | " " | " " " |
| 170 " " | " | 4-77 | " " | " " " |
| | | | | 2 22 40 |
| | | 15 | " " | " " " |
| 2448 " " | " | 28-86 | " " " | " " " |
| 4246 " " | " | 25. 62 | " " " | " " " |
| 4206 " " | " | 49-82 | " " " | " " " |
| 2081 35 " | " | 3-59 | " " " | " " " |
| 471 15 " | 13-57 | " | " " " | " " " |
| | | 26 | " " | " " " |
| | | 4 10 | " " | " " " |
| | | " 20 | " " | " " " |
| 22,014 26 3/4 | 2850-0 | 2981-96 | | 2201 [illegible] |

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| Articles. | Quantity per number of Ships since the Commencement of the Agency. | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency. - October 1834. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | Quantity Sold. | Gross Prices. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | | 212816 32 79 | | | |
| Timber Spar of Deal 70 to 80 feet in length | | | | | cubic |
| " " " 52 " " | 1 | 80 | 80 | cubic | 80 |
| " " " 30 " " | | | | | cubic |
| " " Plank from 2 to 3 Inch thick 1 foot Broad 15 feet long | 60 | 224 | 3 33 | cubic | 4 |
| " " Joists 5 Inch thick 6 Inch broad and 15 feet long | | | | | |
| Mahogany Chittagong Wood | 540 | | | | |
| " Tweenaallee Yellow Wood | | | | | feet |
| " Comma Plank | | | | | cubic |
| " Teak Joists | | | | | cubic |
| Triplates Single | 4000 | 228 37 60 | 5 26.65 % | 9 | " " |
| " Double | 2400 | 236 34 | " 9 37.8 % | 10 | " " |
| Tobartaus | | | | | |
| Tawer | | | | | cubic |
| Tools Compleate Carpenters | | | | | cubic |
| " Turners | | | | | Chest |
| " Caulkers | | | | | Set |
| " Cooper Chest | | | | | Do |
| Triangle for Scales | 1 | 12 | 1 70 | 12 | 1 70 cubic 12 |
| Chawls Crow ^ths Handles | | | | | cubic |

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8840 Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency established by Mr. Greig rates. | Difference per Cent. of Mr. Greig's favor | Difference per Cent. of the Agency proposals | Mr. Greig's Price of articles which have never been supplied by the Agents | Amount of the articles less which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greig. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 22,014.26 | 87.2850.07 | 2981.94 | | |
| | | | 305 | |
| | | | 80 | |
| | | | 33 | |
| 240 | 7.14 | | | |
| | | | 3 | |
| | | | 28 | |
| | | | 2 83 | |
| | | | 1 30 | |
| 360 | 60.83 | | | |
| 240 | 1.8 | | | |
| | | | 22 | |
| | | | 12 | |
| | | | 30 | |
| | | | 20 | |
| | | | 3 20 | |
| 12 | | 34 | | |
| | | | 10 | |

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# Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Articles. | Quantity for which supplied since the Commencement of the Agency. | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1806. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | | | |
| Trowels Brass & Iron Handles | | | | each |
| Tubs Wooden Water Engine | | | | |
| " " Necessary | | | | each |
| " " Inverted | | | | each |
| Tubs Wooden Water half Leaguer | 25 | 62 22 40 | 2 22 40 | each 2 .. |
| Tubes Copper Empty 18 Inch | | | | |
| " " " 12 " | | | | 7/ |
| " " " 6 " | 42000 | 298 30 | " .. 32 .. | do .. 32 " |
| " " " 3 " | | | | do |
| " " " 8 Inch | | | | do |
| " " " 5½ Inch | | | | do |
| " " " 4½ Inch | | | | do |
| Turnscrew Musket | 30,000 | 300 .. | 1 .. | do .. 40 " |
| Tutenague Manud. | 57 .. | 164 . 43 10 | 2 32 27 | do 2 12 " |
| Twine Europe " | 107 . 17½ | 320 . 15 60 | 7 30 2 .. | 3 22 " |
| " Country " | 164 . | 287 15 60 | 1 33 69 .. | 1 20 " |
| " Rope " Manud. | 580 | | | |
| Mallet | 6 | | | |
| " Gunny Manud. | 69 | 88 40 50 | 26 30 | do .. 22 " |
| Carried Over | | 245,600 3622 | | |

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Fort St. George 6th December 1809.

| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates. | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greig. proposals. | Mr. Greigs Rates of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent. | Amount of the articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greig's. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 1 30 | |
| | | | 2 | |
| | | | 40 | |
| 50 | | 25 | | |
| | | | 40 | |
| | | | 40 | |
| 298 30 | | | | |
| | | | 32 | |
| | | | 33 | |
| | | | 33 | |
| | | | 25 | |
| 266 30 | | 12 5 | | |
| 129 9 | | 19 93 | | |
| 914 26 52 | 10 71 | | | |
| 236 60 | | 21 3 | | |
| | | | | 160 30 31 |
| | | | | 2 10 |
| 33 33 | | 15 34 | | |
| 2288 16 11 | 2930 65 | 2876 35 | | 1210 10 71 |

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# Fort St George 5th December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr Grant. Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought Over | 215,560. | 36 22 | | |
| Twelve Packing | | | | |
| Two Straw | | | | cwt |
| Vinegar Europes or best Country | | | | Pr |
| Nine Brass Cocks | 42. | 3 43 40. | 4 20 | cwt 4 |
| " Iron Hands | 165 | 72 40 | 19 70 | cwt 22 |
| " " Bench | 135. | 308 38 60. | 2 12 73 | cwt 2 |
| " " Standing | 133. | 1368 35 29 | 10 13 10 | cwt 10 |
| " " Coffer | | | | cwt |
| Kittery English | | | | 5/49 |
| Walls Tent large Complete | | | | cwt |
| " " Field officers Tent | | | | 40 |
| Carried Over | | | | |

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| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr Greigs Rates | Difference in favor of the Agency | Difference in favor of Mr Greigs Price | Mr Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent | Amount of the articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr Greigs |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 223,876. 15 11. | 29 30. 55. | 3076. 35 | | 4218 20 71 |
| | | | | 5 28 77 |
| | | | | 01 24 07 |

" 7 " " "

" 12 " " "

3 33 " " 6 25 " " " " " "

80 30 " 10 09 " " " " " "

270 " " " 14 34 " " " " "

1330 " " 2 91 " " " " "

" 10 " " "

" 24 "

" 38 " " " "

18 " " " " "

17 22 " " "

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Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

| Articles | Quantity or number sup.plied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr. Greig's Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought over | | | | |
| Walls Tent for Officers | | | | |
| New Bead | Maund | 101..7½ | 894.44 50 | 3 40 87.80 | 3 11 |
| Wedges Iron | | | | |
| Wheels for Tumbrils | | | | |
| Weights of 50 lb each Set | | | | |
| Wire Brass | Maund | 5.. | 54 22 40 | 10 40 40.80 | 12 .. |
| " Iron | " | 20.. | 155.. | 7 33.60 | 8 .. |
| Wood Cumby for Target | | 1200 | 87.22 40 | 7 13 10.7 | 7 22 |
| " " for handles | | 2200 | | | |
| " " Pallamanum Pins | | 32 | 36.11 20 | 1 6.78 | 1 6 |
| " Fire Billets small | | 135,400 | 880.40 10 | 4.35.21 | 5 .. |
| " " large | | 375,000 | | | |
| " Tamarind | | | | | |
| " Yellow 4 feet long | | | | | |
| 9 Inch Diameter | | 1 | | | |
| " Reed | Candy | 54 | 284.37 40 | 5 12 70 | 4 .. |
| " Bungle 8 feet long | | | | | |
| 8 Inch Square | | 80 | | | |
| Worms Screw Musket & Pistol | | 19500 | 196 | 1 .. | 7 | 1 .. |
| Yoked Common Double | | 900 | 1912.22 40 | 2 5 50 | 2 .. |
| Carried over | | | 2213.22 97½ | | |

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| Amount of the whole of the articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr Greigs rates. | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr Greigs Proposals. | Mr Greigs Price of Articles which have never been supplied by the Agent. | Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents which are not included in the Proposals made by Mr Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | |
| | | | 13 .. | .. .. .. |
| | | 20-18 | .. .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 328 29 64 | .. | | 1 30 .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | 15 .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | 5 .. | .. .. .. |
| 60 .. .. | 10-09 | .. | .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 160 .. .. | 3-22 | .. | .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 89 39 .. | 2-7 | .. | .. .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | | 18 44 66 |
| 36 12 .. | .. 04 | .. | .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 927 .. .. | 4-32 | .. | .. .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | | 68 .. |
| | | | / .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | | 2 11 20 |
| 216 .. .. | .. | 31-86 | .. .. | .. .. .. |
| | | | | 37 22 40 |
| | | | .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 196 .. .. | .. | 6-25 | .. .. | .. .. .. |
| 1800 .. .. | .. | | | 8819 40 73 |
| 2209 373 23 76 | 2901-81 | | 0158. 14 | |

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| Articles | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency in October 1804. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | M. Gpings Pence. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Draught Oxen | | 22,322 29 71 | | |

Total ..... 22,322 29 71

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Military Board Office
20th November 1809

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| Amount of the whole of the Articles actually supplied since the Commencement of the Agency calculated at Mr. Greigs Rates | Difference per Cent in favor of the Agency | Difference per Cent of Articles which have never been supplied by Mr. Greigs proposals | Mr. Greigs Terms Amount of the Articles which have been supplied by the Agents and which are not included in the proposals made by Mr. Greigs. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 229.373. 23 75 | 2961. 81 | 3158-14 | 8819 40 76 |
| | | | 9731 11 20 |
| | | | 180 11 20 |
| | | | 960 |
| | | | 10 19 60 |
| 2961, 81. | 3168,14. | | 12,178.39 10. |
| (Illegible) | 10.77 | | |
| | 1.10 | | |
| | 67 | | |

229.373. 23.76.

E. E.

By Order

Signed W. Morrison

Secretary, Military Board

To

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Fort St George 5th December 1809.

To the Agent for the Supply of
Military Stores

Sir,

The Government having referred to the Military Board certain proposals for the supply of Military Stores by Contract, the accompanying Statement of the prices at which they have hitherto been supplied by you and your predecessors has been prepared, in order that a correct judgement might be formed of the relative advantages which would be derived to the public, by a continuation of the Agency or the establishment of the Contract System. —

The Military Board are however desirous, previously to submitting their final opinion to Government, of affording you an opportunity of stating your sentiments on this question; as also, that you should state

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in the fullest manner, whatever may occur to you elucidatory of the subject of it. —

You will observe by the accompanying letter of the Secretary of Govern: in the Military Department dated the 19th July, that along with the proposals of Mr Sprigs which alone have been compared with the average prices of the Agency, proposals from Messrs Hart & Co, were also referred to the Military Board, but as the latter do not appear to Correspond with the tenor of the Government advertisement of the 15th May 1809, the Board have not been able to form a comparison between the terms of those proposals and those of the Agency. —

/Signed/ W: Morrison
Secretary Mily Board.

Fort St George
2d October 1809.

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ Kd Macleane.
Dpty Secy Mily Bd

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To the Secretary to the

Military Board.

Sir,

I have had the honour to receive your Letter of the 2d. Instant acquainting me that the Government having referred to the Military Board certain proposals for the supply of Military Stores by Contract, the Statements accompanying your letter of the prices at which they have hitherto been supplied by me, and my predecessors have been prepared, in order that a correct judgement might be formed, of the relative advantages, which would be derived to the public, by a continuation of the Agency, or the establishment of the contract system.

And that the Military Board were desirous previously, to submitting their final opinion to Government, of affording me an opportunity of stating my

sentiments

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Sentiments on this question; as also, that I should state in the fullest manner, whatever may occur to me elucidatory of the subject of it -

You further acquaint me, that by the accompanying letter of the Secretary of Government in the Military Department dated 19th July, that along with the proposals of Mr Greig which alone have been compared with the average prices of the Agency, proposals from Messrs Hart & Co were also referred to the Military Board, but as the latter does not appear to correspond with the tenor of the Government Advertisement of the 5th May 1809, the Board had not been able to form a comparison, between the terms of those proposals and those of the Agency -

In order to place the subject in the clearest point of view, I have made an extract, in the accompanying List A, of

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189 of the most material Articles. — This will be found to comprise all the Stores which have been furnished during the Agency, omitting all such as remain as stationed, or dead Stock on the Arsenal Books.

A large part of these, however, are articles that are not for constant demand, and Mr Greig appears to have been quite aware of this; and had priced them, accordingly, at low rates; while those which are in great demand, and amount to large sums are charged proportionably high; this arrangement embraced a considerable degree of fallacy, and is calculated, with much art to delude the judgement, when forming a comparison of the advantages between each mode of supply; for by taking the whole of the Articles, both, in request, and not in demand, and by charging the one high, and the other low, a balance between the two is effected, which upon a

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comparison with the Agents priced Lists not shew so large a Difference in his favour, as actually had accrue to Government —

To shew this in as clear a point of view as possible, the list of 189 Articles includes all those in material and perpetual demands, it is upon this list therefore, that a fair comparison can only be made; the Articles remaining in the general list, after deducting these 189 will not be noticed at all in this comparison, because they are those which are seldom, if ever required —

The first Column of this list shews the quantity or number of Stores in general demand, which have actually been furnished during the 54 months of the Agency —

The second Column exhibits the sums actually disbursed by Government, within the same period, and amounts to Pagodas 193,101.24.5

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1,93,101.. 24.. 5. the Salary of the Agent not included — The third shews the average price of the Agent — The fourth those of Mr Greig — The fifth shews the difference p.r Centum in favor of the Agency upon such articles as bear a difference in his favour, and the sixth shews the difference in a similar proportion on the price of all such as shew a p.r Centage against him —

The Column in the Agents favour Amounts to 2641.. 21. p.r Cent

The Column in favour of the Contract to only 491.. 25. —

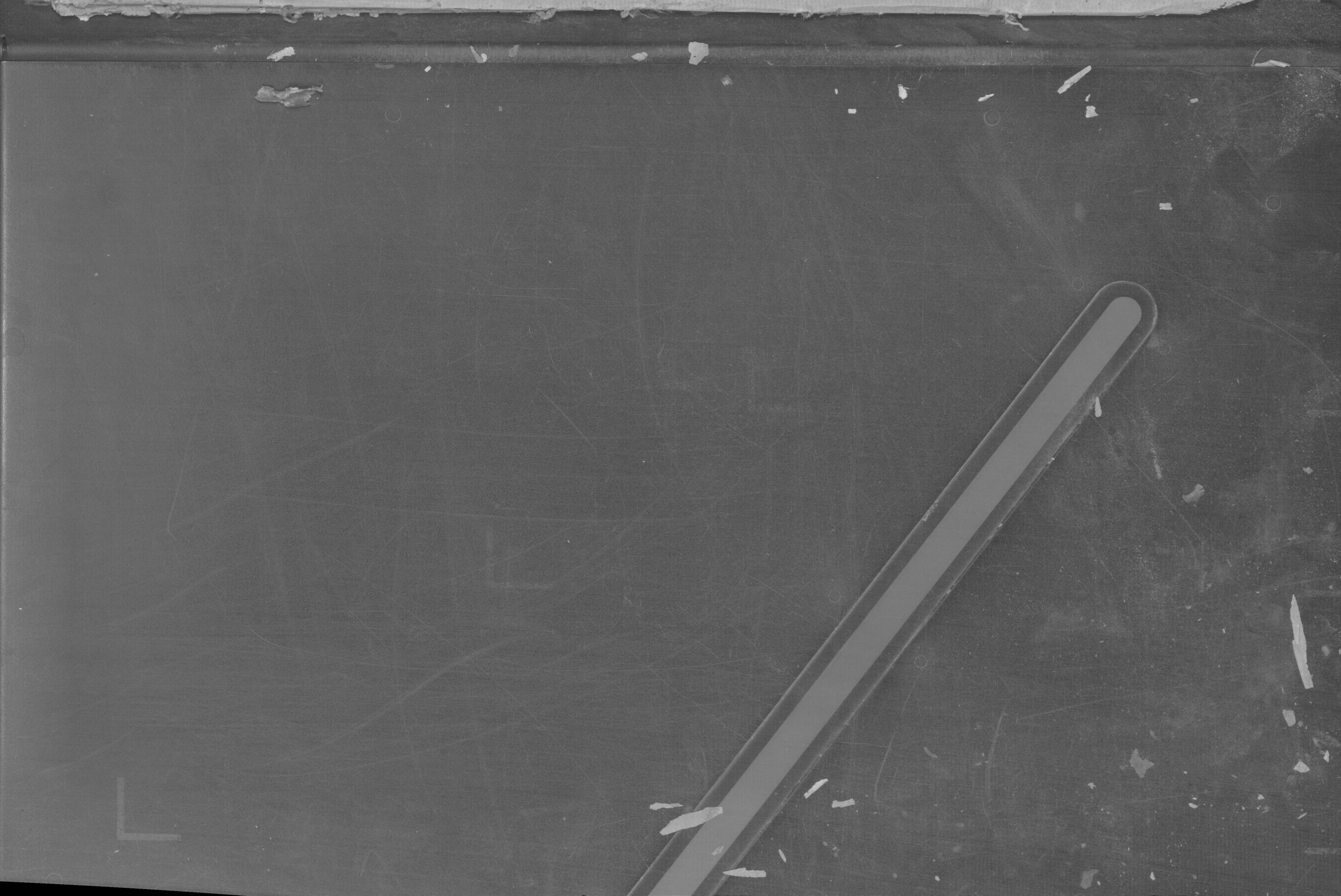
So far as I am capable of judging, this exhibition of differences upon the hundred, is as fair and impartial a mode of estimating the advantages between one mode of supply and the other as can be instituted, and to shew this in

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in a fair point of view the total per Centage has been reduced to an average, by which it appears, that the total of the 5 Columns is 2079 and Mr Greigs 909 proving that the advantage of the Agency to the Contract is, in round numbers as 20 to 9.

But deducting all the advantages of Mr Greigs proposal from those therein in favour of the Agency, then with the rate in favour of the latter be 1179 per Cent - And to shew the advantages in favour of the Agency, say as 909. are to 193,101.. 24.. 6.. so are 1179 to 160325. 1.. 58.. and the last sum being deducted from the Amount, actually, disbursed during the Agency will exhibit a profit of 43,076.. 22.. 27.. in favor of the supply by the existing rule of the Service.

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The reduced Salary of the Agent to Pagodas 350 per month, will shew its amount during a future 54 Months of Agency to be Pagodas 18,000 and deducting this from the profit of 43,076.. 22.. 27.. there will still remain an advantage in favour of an Agency of Pagodas 25,076.. 22.. 27.. and this sum is considerable, especially when compared with the other advantages so evidently in favor of the Agency —

The universal Clamour against Contractors, cannot have arisen without some cause; the indifference of Articles so furnished, when compared with those made up by the Agency, or in the Arsenals may be made evident by inspection — If I am rightly informed, some few Years ago it was reported from Hyderabad, that only two Gun Carriages in the Army could

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could be considered serviceable, and those were made up by Mr Petrie, during the time he was Military Storekeeper, there are still said to be some Carriages remaining at Trichinopoly, made by this Gentleman in the Year 1788 and are now serviceable, while all those made by Contract have long since been destroyed. These facts regarding Mr Petrie's Agency I have learned at the Arsenal, from that intelligent and Valuable Officer Captain Bishop, Commissary of Stores. — A Contract exposes the public to considerable risk by delay and by a possibility of failure in the due performance of the terms of Contract; delay will also arise from the Committee of examination, these again will be incompetent judges of the quality of the Articles they are called upon to

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pass: sudden demands for expeditions
or sending Troops into the Field, will,
with difficulty, be complied with, and
when large demands are required, Com=
=mittees must either be very frequent,
or they must pass large quantities
of Stores at one time, which from
want of actual Knowledge of their
Nature, may not be equal to, muster,
or to the Service required of them: the
supplying His Majesty's Navy, with
Facility, is a matter of serious moment,
the present system affords the means
in as prompt a manner, I believe,
as can be established, but as Com=
=mittees would, assuredly, present, ma=
=terial obstacles to these demands=
such as might greatly impede the
public Service, and by delays or
critical

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critical occasions fatally affect the object of particular expeditions —

/Signed/ I Leith.

Agent for Supplying Military Stores

Fort St George
6th October 1809.

P S I am sorry that in mak=ing my Calculation I omitted to mo=tice the Office Establishment of merely Pagodas a month. —

/True Copy/

/Signed/ W. Morrison.

Secretary military Bd.

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| Articles | | Quantity ordered for this service the Commencement of the Army | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Army | Average price since the Commencement of the Army | | All Foreign Price | Difference per Cent in favor of the Army | Difference per Cent in favor of Foreign Invoices | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Axes Iron Carpenter | No | 64 | 40 .. .. | 25 10 cw | .. | 20 50 | 8 .. 88 | " | |
| Awls Large | " | 7 | 99.3940 | 14 1260 cw | | 16 .. .. | 12 13 | " | |
| Arsenick Yellow | lb | 660 | 66 1260 | .. 4426 | .. | 7 .. | 54 69 | " | |
| Axes Pick with Helves | No | 5400 | 32611 40 | 60 1670 % | | 6012 .. | .. .. | 17 | |
| " Hand " | " | 1350 | 337240 | 25 .. .. % | | 27 .. .. | 8 | " | |
| " Broad " | " | 250 | 120 .. .. | 48 .. .. % | | 52 12 .. | 8 88 | " | |
| Bags Gunny Packing | " | 30075 | 9362759 | 3 511 % | | 2 22 .. | .. .. | 20 07 | |
| " " Ammunition | " | 550 | 176 .. .. | 32 .. .. % | | 33 10 .. | 3 81 | " | |
| Bamboo Large | " | 1955 | 248 9 16 .. | 5 57 cwt | .. | 6 .. | 5 01 | " | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| " | Small for Walls | " | 3750 | 84 3075 | 2 11 50 % | 2 15 | " 3 32 | " |
| " | Doolies | " | 1425 | 24 1740 | " 6 61 each | " 7 | " 3 57 | " |
| Barrels | Ammunition new Construction | | 1600 | 588 | " 36 3360 % | 47 22 | " 29 22 | " |
| " | " " | old | " | 500 | 152 2240 | 30 2240 % | 32 22 | " 6 52 " |
| " | Powder 100 lb | | " | 4000 | 3580 " " | 89 2240 % | 90 " | " 55 " |
| " | " 60 lb | | " | 6800 | 3874 2240 | 61 2240 % | 62 22 | " 1 6 " |
| " | Packing | | " | 4303 | 1495 13 13 | 34 33 60 % | 40 " | " 15 1 " |
| Basket | Rattan | | " | 86,239 | 2048 775 | 2 16 70 % | 2 15 | " " 1 75 |
| Bellows | Country Large | Common Pairs | | 977 | 98 1140 | " 4 42 Pair | " 5 | " 10 49 " |
| " | " " | Large | " | 17 | 8 2240 | " 2240 | " " 30 | " 33 33 " |
| Belts | Bayonet | Country | No | 1000 | 87 2240 | 8 33 60 % | 9 22 | " 8 44 " |
| " | Pouch | | " | 1000 | 65 " | 6 2240 % | 6 22 | " " 17 |
| Belts | Gun | Large | " | 250 | 10 1145 | 4 5 50 % | 4 40 | " 18 55 " |
| " | " | Small | " | 225 | 9 " | " 4 " % | 4 30 | " 16 66 " |

Ordnance Store Department Fort Pitt 30th December 1809

| Articles | | Quantity or No. supplied since the Commencement of the Agency. | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Agency. | Mr Gregor Prices. | Difference of Cost in favor of Mr Gregor | Difference of Cost in favor of Foster Gregg Proposals. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cloth Long .68 Cubits | Corge | 80¼ | 4088.5.5D | 46 3667 Corge | 44 .. .. | .. | 6.02 | |
| " " 18 Turquem | Pieced | 50 | 187.2240 | 8 33 66 Piece | 3 88 .. | .. | .44 | |
| " Blue 30 Cubits .. | Corge | 73 | 2884.80/5 | 31 4415 Corge | 30 .. .. | .. | 6-19 | |
| " Waxed 18 " | Pieces | 4700 | 6112 6/0 | 1 1342 Piece | 1 10 .. | .. | 6-02 | |
| Coal Char | Bushels | 40,809 | 443330 .. | .. 4/1 Ht | .. 5 .. | 2-3- | .. | |
| Collard Bullock Tape | | 2500 | 164 .. .. | 6 2516/ Yds | 7 .. .. | 6-7 | .. | |
| Copper Plate | Maunds | 23 | 109 1120 | 4 3366 Md | 5 .. .. | 5-26 | .. | |
| " Sheet | Candies | 2 | 222240 | 111 1120 Cy | 117 .. .. | 5-16 | .. | |
| Cords Drum | Skt | 840 | 70 .. .. | .. 360 Skt | .. 4 .. | 6-66 | .. | |
| Dammar Baked | Candy | 40½ | 4832240 | 111 4218 Cy | 12 .. .. | .. | 51 | |
| Doolies Complete | | 150 | 1125 .. .. | 7 2240 Each | 7 22 .. | .. | .14 | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Drum Brass | | 345 | 14 18 15 | 4 | 5 " Ca | 4 | 22 " 9 | 18 " | |
| Duppers | | 224 | 52 19 20 | " | 10 43 Ca | " | 12 " 13 | 87 " | |
| Emery Europe | Maunds | 4 | 32 " " | 8 | " " do | 8 | " " " | " " | |
| " Country | " | 72 | 14 03 9 30 | 1 | 4 3 4 " | 2 | 12 " 15 | 84 " | |
| Fifes Country | Dozens | 918 | 206 11 20 | 2 | 11 20 Dr | 2 | 40 " 28 | 39 " | |
| Fifes of Sorts | " | 1300½ | 27 86 8 12 | 2 | 6 33 " | 2 | 12 " 5 | 79 " | |
| Flour | Measures | 1092 | 54 20 60 | " | 2 20 Mr | " | 3 " 33 | 33 " | |
| Glasses terrie Hour | | 28 | 16 44 42 | " | 27 24 Ca | " | 40 " 46 | 52 " | |
| Glasses Perspective | | 14 | 2 12 2 8 10 | 15 | 8 35 Ca | 20 | " " 31 | 68 " | |
| Glue | Maunds | 63 | 95 3 7 10 | 1 | 23 36 Lb | 1 | 40 " 24 | 17 " | |
| Guase | Barrels | 83½ | 62 " " | 7 | 14 66 Pc | 8 | " " 9 | 14 " | |
| Hammers Hand | | 264 | 112 1 " | " | 19 8 Ca | " | 22 " 15 | 18 " | |
| " Claw | | 192 | 39 23 " | " | 9 21 " | " | 12 " 29 | 55 " | |
| " Hedge | | 197 | 183 39 " | " | 42 " " | 1 | " " 7 | 14 " | |

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Ordnance Office Dec 31st December 1809

| Articles | Quantity of Articles imported from the Commencement of Agency | Actual Duties from the Commencement of the Agency | Average Price of Articles from the Commencement of the Agency | All Foreign Prices | Difference Short in favour of the Agency | Difference Short in favour of the Foreign Importers | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Handspikes Purchasing | 3125 | 992.2240 | 1423 | 20 | 39.98 | | |
| Haversaked Gun Leather | 175 | 38 40 | 2210 | 25 | 12-5 | | |
| Heads Drum Country | 2480 | 62 | 110 each | 140.33-33 | | | |
| Hooks Bill | 2327 | 511 42 24 | 22 | 22 33 | 3-33 | | |
| Hoops Coffee Candies | 1062.17½ | 11579 28 14 | 109 4 500 | 130 | 19-16 | | |
| " Drum Baller | 1890 | 99 10 10 | 5 11 20% | 5 30 | 7-93 | | |
| " " Lining | 1890 | 99 10 10 | 5 11 20% | 5 30 | 7-93 | | |
| " " Flesh | 1890 | 59 2 65 | 3 5 50% | 3 | 4- | | |
| Horns Pairing | 460 | 575 | 1 11 20 @ | 2 5 | 68-88 | | |
| Husk Paddy Bushels | 7355 | 312 13 59 | 1 7 3½ | 140 | 21-56 | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Iron Flat and Square | Candies | 672. 3-4. | 11,317 | 3554 | 16 | 3757 | 19 " " 18-83 " |
| " Rod | " | 6-10 " | 120 | 2240 | 18 | 2418 | " 19 " " 2-49- " |
| " Hoop | " | 42. 17-4- | 1236 | 1170 | 28 | 38-4 | " 28 " " " 2-93 |
| " Bolt | " | 91- " - | 1603 | 3770 | 17 | 289 | " 21 " " 19-15 " |
| " Printing Large | | 550 | 19 | 1120 | 3 | 2240 | % 4 " " 14-28 " |
| " " Small | | 500 | 15 | " " | 3 | " " | % 340 " 29-62 " |
| Jars Empty Large | | 52 | 213 | 2240 | 4 | 461 | @ 4 22 " 9-32 " |
| " " Small | | 123 | 209 | 2240 | 1 | 3152 | " 2 22 " 46-11- " |
| Junk Europe | Candies | 327- - | 3584 | 4465 | 10 | 43280 | - 13 22 " 23-03 " |
| Kegs for Tar and Grease | | 775 | 395 | 1120 | 51 | " " | % 55 " " 7-84- " |
| Knives Laboratory | | 950 | 84 | 20 " | " | 4 " | @ " 5 " 25- - " |
| Lanthorns Horn | | 170 | 157 | 1230 | " | 4017 | % " 40 " " - 52 |
| " Muscavy | | 7 | 11 | 1670 | 1 | 2810 | " 3 " " 84-01 " |

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| Articles | | Laundry work sent Whilst wires the Commencement of the Agency | Stocks Cost wires the Commencement of the Agency | Average price wires the Commencement of the Agency | Sales | Differences Profit in favor of the Agency | Differences Profit in favor of Seller Foreign Shipments | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lanthorns Tin | | 20 | 20 .. | 1 .. | .. .. | 1 .. | .. .. | .. .. |
| " Dark | | 26 | 21 22 40 | .. 3 17 | .. | 1 .. | .. 20 92 | .. |
| Lead Pedes | Mauns | 7 | 17 22 40 | 2 22 40 | do | 1 42 | .. .. | 22 66 |
| White | Candles | 80 7 | 13 3900 | 441 | 43 33 16 Cr | 40 .. | .. .. | 8 54 |
| Leather Country Hides | | 775 | 181 2 40 | .. 10 41 | Ca | .. 11 .. | 4 63 | .. |
| Line Log Europe | Skl | 1298 | 298 14 46 | .. 10 27 | .. .. | 9 .. | .. .. | 12 93 |
| " " Country | " | 200 | 20 .. .. | .. 4 40 | .. .. | 5 .. | 11 11 | .. |
| " Mer Europe | " | 1620 | 128 7 .. | .. 3 45 | .. .. | 340 | .. | 1 75 |
| Locks Pad Double | | 435 | 1703945 | .. 17 54 | .. .. | 26 .. | 47 1 | .. |
| " " Single | Dozens | 49 10 | 117 16 63 | 2 15 79 | Dr | 4 22 .. | 90 58 | .. |
| Mallets Tent | | 2100 | 163 15 .. | .. 3 40 | Da | .. 3 20 | .. 7 14 | .. |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mamoties Socket with Selves | | 8050 | 715525 | " | 40 | " | 26 | " | 5 - " |
| Match Cotton | Cwt | 143.1.15½ | 1501.3930 | 10 | 21.27 Cwt | 11 | " | 5-02 | " |
| " Country | Candies | 16-2-10 | 72424 | 4 | 22.40 Cy | 5 | 10 | " 16-04 | " |
| Matts Common | | 5700 | 54 | " | 1 | " | % | 1 10 | " 22-22 " |
| Nails Iron of Sorts | maund | 491-21 | 9451110 | 1 | 41.39 Cwt | 2 | 11 | " 16-77 | " |
| Needles Sail | | 3750 | 30.3015 | " | 36.64 % | " | 1 | " | " 22-28 " |
| " Sewing | | 4000 | 10 | " | " | " | 1120 % | " | 10 " " 11-11 " |
| " Gunny | | 350 | 71626 | 2 | 4.53 % | 2 | 15 | " 10-92 | " |
| Oil Lamp | Gallons | 1056 | 3094266 | " | 1317 Gr | " | 10 | " | " 24-31 |
| " Coconut | " | 7987 | 3021.641 | " | 172 | " | " 16 | " | " 6-02 |
| " Gingely | " | 446 | 169.1631 | " | 166 | " | " 15 | " | " 6-68 |
| " Linseed | " | 4605 | 55929.55 | 1 | 9.36 | " | 1-12 | " 4-68 | " |
| " Wood | " | 2805 | 105541.59 | " | 1675 | " | " 20 | " 18.08 | " |

Exports from Rangoon 1880

| Articles | | Quantity on hand at the commencement of the Agency. | Value thereof at the commencement of the Agency. | Average price per Maund of the Agency. | Amount of Sales during the Agency. | Average price per Maund of the Agency. | Price. | Difference of Cost in favour of the Agency. | Difference of Cost in favour of the Foreign Importer. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Paint Black | maund. | 66 - 17. | 511 - " 72. | 7 | 29 70. | Rs. 6 | 20 " | " | 15-91. | |
| " Blue | " | 30 - " | 190. 13 13. | 6 | 15 35 | " 8 | 22 " | 33-82 | " | |
| " Green | " | 7 - 13. | 97. 19 4. | 12 | 42.79 | " 16 | " " | 23-5. | " | |
| " Red | " | 66 - 20. | 152. 1 64. | 2 | 12 33 | " 3 | 11 " | 42.55. | " | |
| " White | " | 144. 6. | 387. 1 27. | 2 | 30.66 | " 3 | 10 " 20. | " | | |
| " Yellow | " | 45 - 1/2 | 110. 40 57. | 2 | 20 68 | " 2 | 22 " 1-03 | " | | |
| Palms Hand Sleb | | 316. | 5 4 30. | " | " 58 annas | " 3 | " 313-79 | " | | |
| Paper Country | Quires | 27750. | 162 7 30 75. | 5 | 38 76 1/2 | 6 | 22 " 10.62 | " | | |
| Pikes Boarding | | 825. | 330 " " | 40 | " " /0. | 40 | " " " | " | | |
| Pins Tent | | 138,500. | 941. 1 40. | " | 30 47 | " | " 30 " | " 1-92 | | |
| Pipe Clay | maund. | 119. | 5 5 42. | " | " 21 42 | Rs. 1 | " " 109-65. | " | | |

P.C. Cooper Esq. Secretary. 1809.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pitch | | Barrels | 129 | 1319 | 6-16 | 10 | 10 13 Cwt | 12 | 17-34 | |
| Plate screw with taps large | Doz | | 6 | 5 | 160 | 18 | 60 | 25 | Do 27 | 8 |
| " " " | small | " | 4 | 3 | 40 | 16 | 70 | 9 | 22 40 | 9 5-26 |
| Potts and Pans Earthern | | | 8700 | 121 | 874 | 1 | 17 55 ℔ | 1 | 25 | 11-66 |
| Pickers | | | 21500 | 29 | 1170 | | 610 | | 6 | 2-04 |
| Pouches Musket | | | 1000 | 320 | | | 32 | | 33 | 3-12 |
| Rattan | | Bundles | 2155 | 476 | 3332 | | 9 26 ℔ | | 6 | 39-69 |
| Revetts Copper | | maunds | 77 | | 664 | 42 | 62 | 8 | 28 49 Cwt | 7 22 15-28 |
| Rope Europe | | Cwt | 1940 | 1-24 | 24868 | 32 | 81 | 11 | 12 11 Cwt | 13 15-85 |
| " Tent White | | Cwts | 26 | 15 | 1216 | 30 | 75 | 47 | 11-20 Cwt | 15 68-25 |
| Saws Cross Cut | | | 14 | | 71 | 1 | 51 | 5 | 326 Cwt | 6 18-25 |
| " Hand | | | 6 | | 5 | 28 | 29 | | 4218 | 1 11 32-62 |
| " Pitt | | | 18 | | 104 | 9 | 68 | 5 | 35-44 | 6 3-62 |

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| Articles | Quantity or Number supplied since the Commencement of the Army. | Amount Cost since the Commencement of the Army. | Average Price since the Commencement of the Army. | Mr. Greig's Price. | Difference per Cent in favor of the Army. | Difference per Cent in favor of Mr. Greig's Proposal. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Scabbards Bayonet . . . . | 35,500 | 1617. 10 " | 4 25 " p. | 4 20 " | " | 2.43. | |
| Scales with weights 14 lbs Setts | 2. | 42.31.48. | 21.15 64 Sett. | 20 " " | " | 6-32. | |
| " " " 7 lbs " | 2. | 22 " " | 11 " " " | 12 " " | 9.09 " | | |
| Scales with Beam, Rope & Triangle Boards 20 Half weights Setts | 4. | 257.34.17. | 02 4224 Sett. | 70 " " | 11-21- " | | |
| Scissars Laboratory . . Dozens | 12-0. | 25 " " | 2 " " Do. | 2.5 " | 5-55 " | | |
| Shells Coconut . . . . . | 2000. | 1 15 " " | 3 " p. | " 4 " | 33-33 " | | |
| Skins Sheep with Hair . . . | 148. | 4 37 20. " | 137 @ " | 1-30. " | 5-98. | | |
| Slings Musket . . . . . | 1000 | 37 22 40 | 3 33 60 p. | 4 " " | 6-66- " | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Snares Drum | | 25 | 37.40 | 1 40 ea | 2 | 33.33 | | |
| Solder Copper | maunds | 12 | 54 19 39 | 4 24 10 do | 5 | 10.22 | | |
| " Pewter | " | 37 | 92.16 70 | 2 2228 | 2 20 | | 2.09 | |
| Soops | | 1800 | 20 | 40 ea | 40 | | | |
| Spirits of Turpentine | Gallons | 140½ | 282.2939 | 2 42 ga | 3 | 49.13 | | |
| Staff Flag 60. 40. and 30. feet long of bamboo | | 4 | 8.145 | 2 341 ea | 2 22 | 19.77 | | |
| Staves Sponge | | 1760 | 806 | 2058 | 20 | | 3.49 | |
| Strainers Nattan Large | | 132 | 132 | 1 | 1 33 | 73.33 | | |
| Sticks Drum | Paird | 570 | 45 41.20 | 3.50 ps | 4 | 10.34 | | |
| Stones Grinding | | 18 | 74 22 40 | 4 0 20 ea | 5 11 | 26.71 | | |
| Tacks Copper | maunds | 8 | 73 22 74 | 9 8.39 do | 8.22 | | 1.61 | |
| " Sponge | " | 66 | 795 22 40 | 12 2.31 | 12 | | 44 | |

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| Articles | | Quantity or No. supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Value & Cost since the Commencement of the Agency | Average Prices since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr George's Prices | Difference & Gain in favour of the Agency | Difference & Loss in favour of the Foreign Proprietors | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tallow Europe | Cwt. | 15.1.16 | 164.3.32 | 10 29.53 | Cwt. 14 .. .. | 31-34 | .. | |
| Tape Cotton for Annuat-Packt | Yards | 2950 | 88.2726 | 3 .. 13⅞ | 3 22 .. | 16..15 | .. | |
| " " Tent binding | Mds. | 155 | 365.5 .. | 2 16 .. | Do. 2 20 .. | 3-77 | .. | |
| Tar Coal | Gallons | 125 | 62 .. .. | .. 22 26. | Gr .. 22 .. | .. 1-45 | | |
| " Common | Barrels | 713½ | 5783 .. 60 | 7 3065 each | 10 .. .. | 30-12 | .. | |
| Thread Europe | lbs | 150 | 178.550 | 1 3.35 | 1 6 .. | .. 4-50 | | |
| Timber Teak Artled | | 306 | 3032.1 55 | 9 4071 ea | 8 .. .. | .. 19-26 | | |
| " " Duggies | | 193 | 5329 4220 | 27 2759 .. | 22 .. .. | .. 20,33 | | |
| Timber Teak Skimbeam Plank | | 701 | 6301 3360 | 8 4443 .. | 6 .. .. | .. 33-25 | | |
| " Trincamallee Joists | | 2342 | 2150 2760 .. | 4135 4 .. | 40 .. .. | .. 3-40 | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| " " Wood Large | | 210 | 415 | " " | 1 | 43/4 | " | 2 11 | " | 13-57 " |
| " Deal Planks from 2 to 3 Inches thick 1 foot broad 15 feet Long | | 60 | 224 | " " | 3 | 33 | " " | 4 " | " | 7-14 " |
| Tin Plates Single | | 4000 | 223 3/60 | | 5 | 2665/6 | | 9 " | " | 60-83 " |
| " " Double | | 2400 | 235 34 | " | 9 | 373 | " | 10 " | " | 1-8 " |
| Tubes Copper Empty | 12 Lbs | | | | | | | | | |
| " " " | 6 Do | 42,000 | 29830 | " " | 32 | " " | " | 32 " | " | " " |
| Turnscrews Musket | | 30000 | 300 | " " | 1 | " " | " | 40 " | " | 11-11 |
| Twine Europe | Maunds | 107 | 18½ | 826 250 | 7 | 30 2 | Lb | 8 22 | " | 10-71 " |
| " Country | " | 164 | " | 287 1500 | 1 | 3368 | " | 1 20 | " | " 17-56 |
| Vices Iron hand | | 165 | 7240 | " " | 19 | 70 | Cwt | " 22 | " | 10-69 " |
| Wax Bees | Maunds | 101 | 7½ | 894450 | 3 | 4037 | Lb | 3 11 | " | " 16-61 |
| Wire Brass | " | 5 | | 54 2240 | 10 | 4040 | " | 12 " | " | 10-09 " |

Ord. Office Tower 1st December 1809

| Articles | Quantity or Amount supplied since the Commencement of the Agency | Actual Cost since the Commencement of the Agency | Average price since the Commencement of the Agency | Mr Geiger's Price | Difference per Unit in favour of the Agency | Difference per Unit in favour of Mr Geiger respectively | Remarks. |
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| Wire Iron ..... Maunds | 20. | 155 .. .. | ₹ 33 60. M. | 8 .. .. | 3.. 22 | .. | |
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| " Fire small ..... Billets | 185,400. | 886.4010 | 4 35 21 Mille | 5 .. .. | 4 - 52 | .. | |
| Worm Screws ..... | 19,500 | 195 .. .. | 1 .. .. % | 1 .. .. | .. .. | .. | |
| Total ..... | 193101.24.5 | | | | 2641.21.491.26. | | |

/ True Copy /

/ Signed / W. Morrison
Secretary military Board.

/ Signed / I. Leith
Agent for military Stores

Report

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Report of a Committee of the Military Board consisting of the Auditor General, Quarter Master General and Adjutant General of the Army, appointed in Meeting of the 9th October 1809 for the purpose of reporting their sentiments on the advantages between the present Agency for the supply of Military Stores and the Establishment of the Contract System —

The Committee having carefully examined the proposals from Mr Greig and Messrs Hart Colt & Co forwarded in the Military Secretary to Government letter of the 19th July 1809, and the account particular of the actual cost of all articles supplied by Lieutenant Colonel Leith and his predecessors since the Commencement of the Agency, find from a Comparative View, that the prices of all articles in demand —

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are considerably cheaper supplied by the Agency proposals, and that the Contractors by than the Contractors rated are only in favor of Articles that are seldom and never required. The Committee are therefore decidedly of opinion that, with a view to economy, the present system possessed every advantage, and that it also combined efficiency with economy that the introduction of the system of supply by Contract will certainly destroy.

The Committee therefore strongly recommend the continuation of the Agency, in preference to the proposed mode of Supply by Contract.

P. Bruce.

Fort St. George
4th. November 1809.

/Signed/ J. Munro
T. H. S. Conway.

True Copy
Signed/ H. Morison
Secretary My. Board.

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Minute thereon. + The Board concur entirely in the Opinion of the Military Board respecting the terms of Mr Greig's Contract for the supply of Military Stores and are fully satisfied of the great advantages derivable to the public from the Supplies being furnished on Agency, resolved accordingly that Mr Greig's proposals be rejected and the usual mode of supply continued without alteration. —

To the Right Honble Gilbert Lord Minto

Governor General in Council

&c &c &c

My Lord,

From the military Board recommending various Bills and advance of Cash for Payment

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

No 1 Bill of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor of His Majesty's 22d Regiment Light Dragoons for the amount of Sic. —

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dwelling House &c. at Secunderabad, autho-
=rized by Government to be purchased on the
public account, agreeably to a letter from the
Secretary to Government in the Military De-
=partment dated the 25th October amounting to
Pagodas 9,000-"-"-

No 2. Bill of the Garison Store-
=keeper at Trichinopoly for Extra Charges in-
=curred in receiving from the principal Col-
=lector of Trichinopoly and Tanjore a quanti-
=ty of Bengal Grain, and in storing and
dispasing of the same agreeably to the order
of Government dated the 22nd August 1808
amounting to Pagodas 531.7.74. The amount
of this Bill is chargeable to the Revenue
Department, as the Grain was received from
the Collectors Stock at Negapatam for the
purpase of replacing the quantities issued for
the use of the public Market from the military

Stores

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Stores at Trichinopoly and Tanjore during the scarcity in the Year 1807. — On the 18th July 1808 we did ourselves the honor of recommending to Government that the Grain in question which amounted to Garce 159.. 388.. 5¾ should be sold, being reported to be in a damaged state, that the Military Department should be debited with the proceeds of the sale, only, which was accordingly authorized, and that the difference between that amount and the original Cost of the Grain should be considered a Revenue charge. We have now the honour to report for the information of Your Lordships in Council that the Amount of the sales produced is Pagodas 4164.. 8.. 10.. for 149 Garce 8 Mercals and 9 Seers of this Grain. —

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2. We beg also to recommend payment of the following advances of Money viz.t

An advance of Pagodas 692 to the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency, being one-third of the amount of the Estimate for constructing 4 rooms at the General Hospital for the accommodation of patients of a description superior to private Soldiers or Sailors.

An advance of Pagodas 282 to the Officer in Charge of the Station of Hulliah, being one-third of the Estimated Cost of repairing the Breaches in the Ramparts and the Glacis on the north face of the Fort.

An Advance of Pagodas 357 to the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency being one-third of the Estimated

expence

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Expence of the repairs ordered to be made to the Apartments in the Bombproofs of the Black Town ramparts.—

We have the Honor to be

Sir Sir Sir

Fort St. George
20th. November 1809

Fr. Gowdie.
E. Trapaud
T. Clarke
P. Bruce.
J. Munro.
T. H. S. Conway.

/Signed/

Order thereon.— Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be sent to the Military Auditor General with directions to order payment of the several Bills therein recommended.—

Read the following letters from the Town Major of Fort Saint George.—

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The Chief Secretary

to Government

Fort St George

Sir,

I have the honour to forward

From the Town Mayor of Fort St George - Enclosing a letter from Mons. Perain with enclosures stating that arms were found upon Mons. Perain when making his escape from Poonamallee. -

to you for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council, a letter dated the 20th Instant from the Officer Commanding Poonamallee, giving cover to one with six enclosures from Mons. Perain, French Prisoner of War detained at Poonamallee. -

As Major Auston has thought proper, when forwarding those papers (which relate to an affair that happened in the Year 1798, long before his arrival in India, and since which time it is presumed that the whole of the Europeans then residing at Poonamallee has been changed) to state - that it is generally understood at Poonamal-

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"Poonamallee, that Captain Peirce had no
"arms with him when making his Escape from
"that place as a Private Sailor, a fact
"Mr. Clement must have been well aware
"of, tho' he has not been ungenerous enough
"to attest the falsehood of a report so injurious
"to Captain Peirce" I thought it neces=
=sary, in order that his Lordship in Coun=
=cil might be aware of such points rela=
=ting to the circumstances alluded to as
"are still capable of proof to call on Mr.
Clement, who is the person lately promo=
=ted by the Court of Directors to the
Rank of Ensign of Invalids, in re=
=ward for long, hard and meritorious ser=
=vice, to repeat what he knew of the mat=
=ter. And he accordingly informed me
that he was when Serjeant Major of
this Garrison, in the Year 1798, sent to the

Beach

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Beach with a Naig and Six Sepays to endeavour to secure some french Prisoners of War who had broken prison at Poonamallee with intention of seizing some vessel in these roads, and making their escape in her. He took Mr. Barter the Deputy or Assistant Beach master with him and waited on the Beach part of the night; when they saw one of the Masoolah Boats tushed near the Surf: he went up to the Boat and looking into her saw a number of Ropes and crawling down in her, one of them snapped a pistol at him, but whom he does not know, as the night was very dark - Captain Pevan had a pistol in his hand when seized upon. He apprehended the whole party in the boat, amounting to fourteen, and found the Fellow to Pevans pistol, and a Hatchet in the boat: the hatchet is now

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in his possession. —

Mr. Parker is dead, and —
Mr. Clemons knows not where the Sepoys
now are. He never knew, or said where
Captain Perrow obtained his pistols, but —
he is ready to attest the above facts on
oath. —

Town Major's Office
Fort St. George
27th. November 1809.

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

To the Town Major
&c. &c. &c.
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have to forward to you —
to be submitted to the Right Honourable
the Governor General in Council a letter —
from Captain Perrow, and Six Papers inc-
-losed being a letter from Captain Farrier —
of His Majesty's Naval Service, two letters
addressed.

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addressed to a Mr. Clements at Madras, and one reply of his. a Copy of his Correspondence with the Editor of the Madras Courier, a Copy of a letter from the Secretary to Government Military Department to me, regarding him, and his own letter addressed to the Governor General in Council - As the Circumstances relate to happened long before I came here, I know little of them, however it is generally understood here, that Captain Perrau had no Arms with him when making his escape from Poonamallee, as a Private Sailor, a fact Mr. Clements must have been well aware of, tho; he has not been ingenuous enough to attest the falsehood of a report to injurious to Captain Perreau - who, whatever his other faults may be, it does not appear was culpable on that occasion - From the nature of Captain Perreaus appeal to his Lordship, it

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may be expected that I should state his general conduct since he had been here with me, and in justice to that Gentleman I have pleasure in assuring his Lordship — that it had been uniformly quiet & orderly respectable —

I have the honor to be.

&c &c &c

/Signed/ Henry Ludlow

Major Commanding Depot

Depôt Poonamallee

5th November 20th 1809

Monsieur

C'est avec plaisir que j'ai reçu les Notes sur votre Conduite, que vous m'avez bien voulu m'envoyer; mais il m'a été encore bien plus agreable de trouver dans le Courrier de Madras du Vingt Deux d'août, des Lettres que vous avez fait rendre publiques. Je vous en felicite d'avoir trouvé les moyens

De

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de Detruire ce mechant bruit qu'on faisait courrir à Madras Contre vous.

Je pense comme vous, que, Monsieur Thompson, est un lache, un mechant, qui devrait etre Chassé de Toutes les Societés honnêtes. Le Capitaine Dickson et moi avons aussi tot été chez Son Excellence le Gouverneur, qui est maintenant convaincu de la mechanceté de Notre Ennemi.

Soyez bien assuré que desormais vous jouirez de Notre tranquilité et que Vous eprouverez toute la Douceur que Notre Etat de prisonnier le permet. Le Capitaine Dickson est bien malade et je pense qu'il partira pour l'Europe.

faites mes complimens à Monsieur Verrier et à Monsieur Luco.

J'ai l'honneur d'Etre Votre Tres

humble

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Humble Signé Ferriere.

Pour Copie conforme. Signé Lucas, Lieut. Capne. La Clarine, Prisonnier de guerre, Pour mallée Monsieur Clement.

Monsieur

Persuadé qu'en vous je trouve l'homme juste et Sincere, je viens avec confiance vous faire part du rapport qu'existe dans le Bureau du Town Major et que personne peut mieux que Vous prouver la fausseté.

Vous vous rappelle, Sans Doute, que etant prisonnier de guerre, assimilé à ces malheureux et traité de la même maniere, j'ai cherché de me soustraire, ainsi que Deux officiers qui éprouvaient le même sort que moi, et que Vous à la Tete D'un piquet de Soldats m'avez arrêté et conduit de nouveau en prison. Je vous prie, Monsieur, de me dire si j'ai fait la moindre resistance, et s'il est vrai que je vous ai presenté un Pistolet pour vous tuer; tel est le rapport qu'on a fait. Sans Doute vous n'avez pas oublié que je n'avais pas alors sur moi aucune espece d'arme et

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et que les Deux officiers se rendiront d'eux mêmes
prisonniers, longtems après.

Veuillez, Monsieur, Repondre à ma Lettre,
consultez votre Conscience, et dittez La Vérité avec
J'ai l'honneur d'Etre.

Pour annulée le
12. octobre 1809.

Monsieur,

Votre très humble.

Pour Copie Conforme.

Signé Finan.

Monsieur Clément.

Monsieur,

Le 14 Du courant j'eus l'honneur de Vous
faire part, qu'il Existe dans le Bureau du Town
Major, un rapport faux, et Dont Vous Seul pouvez
prouver la fausseté.

Vous Supposant ni peu en avoir eu Connaissance
et encore moins d'avoir contribué à la Disposition
De ce rapport, je me plaisais à croire, que Sans la
moindre Difficulté vous auriez avoué une vérité que
l'honneur Exige; mais j'apprens, non Sans Surprise,
que Vous craignez, vous dites, De Vous compromettre,
il est fort étonnant, de Compromettre Dans une chose,

où

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ou n'est question ni du Gouvernement, ni de l'Etat, — n'attaquante ni la réputation, ni la Conduite de particuliers. Vous craignez de Nous compromettre; non Mons.r C'est moi qui Suis compromis, et de l'Evidence la preuve. Votre crainte, M.rs Ne peut être agitée, que dans un Seul de ces Deux cas: ou vous êtes l'auteur du rapport, ou vous ne l'êtes pas; Si vous en êtes l'auteur vous éludez la Contradiction, Si vous ne l'êtes pas vous ne Devez aucune difficulté d'avouer une vérité, je le répète, que Votre honneur l'exige. Ce rapport dont il est question ici, a donné naissance à d'autres Calomnies, bien plus affreuses, et il semble d'être Coalisé pour inventer des choses les plus ignominieuses Contre moi.

ma triste situation me met en droit d'exiger de Vous cette justification; Consultez l'honneur, il vous dira que vous n'avez pas le droit de me la refuser. Je Vous préviens que mes lettres paraîtront en Public, il sera mon juge et jettera la honte Sur Celui qui la mérite. Veuez Lecture de mes lettres faites vous donner Bien L'Explication et Sachez les soutenir.

Pondichéry le 7. Octobre 1809.

J'ai l'honneur d'être &c &c &c

Signé Pinau.

Pour copie conforme.

A Son Excellence Le très honorable Lord Gouverneur Général fort St. George.

Monseigneur.

Je me trouve dans l'p.s of the Ship Highland Chief to Mr. Hal=

subsister des Calomnies que j'ai déjà prou= ver devant le Gouv.t et Cons.l

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faire revivre sa haine, pour priver un Fils de famille de rejoindre
ses parents. Je prends la liberté de soumettre à Votre Seigneurie
les Copies des lettres publiées à ma réquisition dans le Courrier de
Madras du 22. août 1804, quoiqu'elles ne forment qu'une
partie des pièces justificatives que j'ai eu l'honneur de produire
à S. E. le Lord W. Bentinck et qui doivent être déposées dans
les Archives du Gouvernement; je crois aussi nécessaire
de joindre ici la copie d'une Lettre du Commandeur ferrier.
de toutes les seules pièces que je puis en ce moment soumettre
à Votre Seigneurie. Je crois pareillement dans cette circons-
tance d'y joindre les Copies des lettres que j'ai écrites à Mr.
Clementi, et sa réponse à ma dernière. Ces expressions
feront assez connaître à Votre Seigneurie que le prétendu
rapport sur lequel l'on fonde une fausse accusation n'a
pas été fait par lui, puisqu'il me renvoye aux autorités
supérieures.

Je désire vivement, Monseigneur, être assez heureux
de pouvoir soumettre à Votre équité, toutes les pièces
originales qui fixent irrévocablement, mes qualités
sociales, mon caractère, mon désintéressement, et mon
humanité; dont une partie de ces pièces est déposée
entre les mains de Son Excellence le General Decaen,
Votre Seigneurie se convaincra qu'aucune des Actions
de ma vie ne mérite l'infâme qualification (d'atroce)
contenue dans une Lettre datée du 22 août dernier en
réponse à celle que j'ai adressé à Mr. Falconer, le 3 du
même mois.

J'ai l'honneur d'être de Votre Seigneurie
le très humble et obéissant serviteur
Signé Pinau.

Monsieur

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Monsieur Penaú

Sir,

It is of no use for you to be writing to me for a Certificate. Sent you word before by the Person that brought your former letter, that you must apply to higher Power. —

Sam.l Jno.s Jno.s

28.th October 1809 /Signed/ J. Clemond

The following Correspondence is Copied from the Madras Courier of August 22.nd 1804. —

To The Editor of the

Madras Courier.

Sir,

Will you have the goodness to insert in your next, the 2 following Copies of Letters viz.t —

Copy of my Letter to Mr. Hal= =done late Supercargo of the Ship Highland

Chief

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Chief, and Copy of Mr. Robertson's letter to me —

By the reading of these Letters you will be able Sir to judge how much it concerns my Character that their contents might be publickly known —

(Signed) Pinaud

Prisoner of War Pondicherry

Copie de la Lettre ecrite par Capt. Pinaud à Mons. Halatane à Calcutta, en date du 12e. Avril 1804.

Monsieur,

Si j'eusse été plutôt instruit que Calcutta n'était encore Lieu de votre residence, je vous aurais rendu le depositaire du ressentiment que j'éprouve contre celui que a fait insérer dans le Magasin. Book, que le Capitaine Greenway avait été tué après l'action qui precéda la prise de son vaisseau. Comment

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ma surprise, Monsieur, d'apprendre à mon arrivée à Madras que le bruit courait — je suis l'auteur de cette barbarie!

C'est à Mons. Thompson, j'en ai — la certitude, a qui je dois d'avoir accredité — cette calomnie, dans la seule intention in — de me faire du mal et de me perdre dans l'opinion publique. —

Le lache! ne dit pas l'impossi- =bilité ou il était alors de voir ce qui se passait sur le pont dans l'affaire au — sort malheureux — Capitaine a été tué — on l'a trouvé caché dans le canot dans il ne sortit que fort longtems après — notre entière défaite. Voila le — rapport qui m'ont fait plusieurs de — mes principaux officiers dont quelques uns sont encore avec moi en ce moment. —

Certes, ce ne peut être que la lâ- =moralité

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Criminaliste, et au mauvais caractere de cet homme, que je dois attribuer une aussi violente diatribe mais, fort de ma conscience, et de mon inviolable attachment aux loix de l'honneur, je repousse cette injure par le plus insigne mepris pour son auteur.—

Convaincu, Monsieur, que vous, je trouverai l'homme juste et sincére, je mets ma defence entre vos mains Honnor-=ez-moi d'une reponse à la presente; et votre lettre mettra à la fois et mon innocence au jour, et ma tranquilité à couvert.—

Je vous prie de montrer ma lettre à Mr. Cook, Chirurgien et aux officiers de-= trouper passagers à bord. Ces Messieurs ont vu ma conduite, et me jugeront.—

Dans cette attente je me dis avec estime

Monsieur.

Votre devoué serviteur.

(Signed) Pirian.

Captain

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Captain Penaw.

Sir.

As Mr. G. Haldane's Attorney received and opened your Letter addressed to him under date the 12th of April, and regret extremely that any reports prejudicial to — you, or to your Ships Company should be in circulation at Madras. Depend on it no such thing exists here, as it — was perfectly understood that Captain Greenway received the shot previous to the Colours being Struck on board the Highland Chief. — This Shot from the late Mr. Thompson, the Chief mate — who died about 14 months ago, and — you have my liberty to use my name in contradicting a report so very injurious and; and so very unjust. —

Mr. Haldane, in very bad

health

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health, returned to Europe in November last, and by accounts from St. Helena in February, I am sorry to say, no hopes were entertained of his recovery. —

Calcutta 19th June 1804. (Signed) C. Robertson.

Sir

I am directed to transmit you the following extract, in answer to your letter of 3rd instant, addressed to the Chief Secretary to Government. —

To The Officer Commanding
Poonamallee.

Sir,

In reply to a letter from Mr. Pevan a Prisoner of War at the Depot, I am directed to say, that the atrocious character of this man will always render any application to Government from himself or others in his favour entirely

nugatory. —

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nugatory and unavailing.

/Signed/ J.W. Reile.

Secretary to Govt.

/Signed/ H. McKeddy

Acting Fort Adjt.

Town Gen.

Poonamallee

/Signed/ H. McKeddy.

22nd August 1809.

Acting Fort Adjt.

Order thereon.-

Ordered that the Town-

Major Lee directed to ascertain and report

for the information of the Board whether

Mons. Perrau was on his parole or not

at the time he escaped from Poonamallee.-

The Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George.

Sir,

From the Town Major of Fort St. George requesting that Sergeant Moody may be attached to his Office.

The Allowance for Writers in the Office of the Town Major of Fort Saint George was fixed at Forty Pagodas per month, many Years ago, and a

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Warrant Officer was allowed, to have Charge of the Records, and as the Head Writer.—

Since the death of Mr. William Stewart, no Conductor has been attached to the Office; and since the allowance for writers was fixed, the duties to be performed have been greatly encreased as will appear from the annexed Memorandum.—

I am unwilling to ask for any encrease to the allowance for Writers, but I beg leave to request that a Conductor of Ordnance may be again attached to the Office, and to recommend that Serjeant Thomas Moody, who has served the Honorable Company seventeen years. Viz. one as Private Soldier, three, as Serjeant, Madras European Regiment, Seven as Serjeant Major of a Battalion of Sepoys, and Six Years as Quarter master Serjeant of the Garrison

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of Fort St George, and a Writer in the Town Major's Office, (and 2/2 of the latter period, as Head Writer in it) may be promoted to Conductor and attached to the Office, as Keeper of the Records and Head Writer. —

It will be apparent that no man unaccustomed to the duties of the Office can be so fit for the situation in question as one who had so much experience in it, and as Serjeant Moody's Conduct for three Years under my observation, justifies me in recommending him, as a fit man for the Office, I trust that his length of Service in variant other Situations will render his promotion to a superior Militia-ry Rank unexceptionable. —

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

Town Major's Office
Fort St George.
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Memorandum

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## Monthly Dispatches.

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Do. of Heirs of Native Soldiers . . 3.
Abstracts of European Supernumeraries . . 1.
Do. of Do. Invalids . . 1.
Do. of Do. Pensioners . . 1.
Do. of Native Invalids . . 4.
Do. of Do. Pensioners . . 3.
Do. of Nabobs Do. . . 1.
Do. of Heirs of Native Soldiers . . 3.
Do. for the Garrison Staff . . 1.
General monthly Return . . 1.
Return of time expired men . . 1.
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Daily Batta Chits for Prisoners confined in the Main Guard.

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The Charge of Cashiered Officers and drawing their Pay ... } Vide G.O. 8th Jany. 1800.

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| Register of Prisoners of War | Vide Government letter dated 28th September 1808. |
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Register and Monthly Return of the Extra Stores issued & Arrack from the Pub= =lic Stores ..... } Vide G. O. 30th April 1808.

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Letters sent to Captains Commanding Indiamen arriving in the roads, respecting the disembarkation of Cadets, the accommodation of them when landed, and drawing them advanced of Cash ..... Vide G. O. 17th July 1807.

[Signed] R. Barclay.
Town Mayor.

To.

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To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort S.t George

From the Town Major of Fort S.t George, with a letter from the Collector at Guntoor enclosing an account for Palankeen Bearers.

Sir,

I request you will lay before the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council, the inclosed letter from the Collector of Guntoor with account of the expences of Palankeen Bearers laid through that district for Lieutenant Colonel Hare, Mr. Hew=ry Russell and Captain Hook proceeding on public duty to Hyderabad. —

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

Town Major's Office
Fort S.t George
1.st December 1809. —

/Signed/ R. Barclay
Town Major

To The Town Major
Fort S.t George.

Sir,

Herewith I send you an Account Particulars of the Expence in=curred for Palanqueen Bearers &c. hasted at

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at the different Stages in my District for Lieutenant Colonel Hare Mr Henry Russell and Captain Hook agreeable to orders received through you of the 13th October and 8th November 1809 and have therefore to request you will be pleased to obtain the Sanction of Government for the Sum of A Rupees 294.9.54 or Star Pagodas 84.10.85 being the Amount actually disbursed as per above Account that I may be enabled to charge the same in my Public Accounts.—

Sam Lee Jeer.

/Signed/ Hol Garrett

Collector

Guntoor

24th November 1809.

Resolution thereon

Resolved that the Collector of Guntoor be authorized to carry to the public account the amount of the hire of Palankeen Bearers stationed by him for the conveyance of Officers to Hyderabad

on

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on the public Service — ordered also that a Copy of the foregoing letter with intimation of the Board's resolution thereon be sent for the information and guidance of the — Military Auditor General. —

Read the following letter from the Accountant General. —

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

From the Accountant General stating that Pd 108: 4: 03 had been deposited in the Masulipatam Treasury on account of the Estate of the late Serjeant Stewart of the Artillery —

I have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of Mr Secretary Reiley's Letter and Enclosures of the 18th Ultimo. —

Having called upon the Collector in Charge of the General Treasury at Masulipatam for information on the Deposit stated to have been made on account of the Estate of the late Serjeant Stewart of the Artillery, I have the

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I have the honour to acquaint you that, by a Statement furnished by Mr. Hawkins, it appears that the Sum of Rupees 378-5-8 or Pagodas 108.4.43 was deposited in the Masulipatam General Treasury on account of the Estate in question, on the 31st July last; from which date, according to the Regulations for Military Deposites, it will bear an interest of 8 p.c per Annum.

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) G. Garrow

Accountant General

Fort St. George
Account-Gen.l Office
21st November 1809.

Order thereon.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter with other documents connected with the subject be sent to the Honourable Company's Solicitor with direction to obtain and report for the information of the Board the opinion of the

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the Advocate General upon the affliction of Mary Stewart and whether her late husband's property may be made over to her.—

Read the following letter from the Chief Secretary to the Government at Bombay.—

To J. H. Peile Esqr.

Secretary to Government
at
Fort St George.

Sir,

From the Chief Secretary to the Government to Bombay—with enclosures on the subject of Prize money due to the native officers and sirdars of the Grenadier Battalion.

I am directed by the Honourable the Governor in Council, to transmit to you for the purpose of being laid before His Lordship in Council the accompanying Copy of a Letter from the Adjutant General at this Presidency under date the 10th Instant with the Original Enclosures on the subject of Prize money.—

due

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due to the Native Officers and Men of the Grenadier Battalion accompanied with a transcript of the Letter from Major General Jones of the 20th October 1808 referred to in the former.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

Bombay Castle
13th November 1809

/ Signed / F. Warden
Chief Secretary

The Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

I have the honour to forward you to be laid before the Honourable the Governor in Council the undermentioned Papers, connected with Prize money to the Native Officers and Men, the Grena=dier Battalion to which that Corps is entit=led by the orders of the Madras Government under date the 12th August 1808.—

On this subject I beg leave to

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to refer you to Major General Lovell's letter of the 20th October 1808. —

No 1. Is a Roll in Duplicate of Survivors with the Battalion, their present Rank and the Rank they held at that time Abstracts in Duplicate for the Amount due. —

No 2. Is a Roll in Duplicate of Deserters since the Capture of Seringapatam. —

No 3. Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Native Officers, and Men, transferred to other effective Corps of the Line, the date of transfer, the Rank at the time of removal, and the Rank they held at the time of Capture. —

No 4. Is a Roll of Officers and Men Invalided; the Rank they held when Invalided, the Rank they held at

the

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The time of Capture, and the date of Removal to the Invalid Establishment.—

No 5. Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Officers, and Men, Pensioned, the Rank they held, when pensioned, the Rank they held at the time of Capture, and the date of removal to the Pension Establishment.—

No 6. Is a Roll in Duplicate of Men discharged the Service, the Rank they held at the time of discharge, the Rank they held at the time of Capture and the dates of discharge with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them.—

No 7 Is a Roll in Duplicate of Officers and Men deceased, with their Rank at the time, the Rank they held at the time of Capture, and the date of Casualty.—

&c

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No. 8. Is a Roll in Duplicate, of the Heirs of such deceased Soldiers, as died in the Battalion, the Name of the Heir and the Nature of the relationship entitling him or her to claim the property with the place of his, or her, residence the Name, Number and Rank of the deceased, as he stood on the Roll with the state of Casualty and Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them.—

No. 9. Is a Roll in Duplicate of men in the Second Battalion 3d. Regiment received from the Grenadier Battalion who are entitled to share in Seringapatam Prize Money, with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them.—

No. 10. Is a Roll in Duplicate of Officers and men of the 1st. Battalion

4th

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4th Regiment received from the Grenadier Battalion, who are entitled to Share in Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them —

No 11 Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Officers and Men in the 2nd Battalion 4th Regiment, received from Grenadier Battalion entitled to Share in Seringapatam Prize with abstracts in Duplicate of the amount due them —

No 12 & 13 Are Rolls in Duplicate, of Men in the 1st Company of Invalids, received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to a Share in Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate of the amount due them —

No 14 & 15 Are Rolls in Duplicate, of Men in the 1st & 2d Company of Invalids, Received from the Grenadier Battalion who have become Casualties by death and have

Heirs

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Heirs with Abstracts in Duplicate for the Amount due them —

No 16 Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Men in the first Company of Invalids Received from the Grenadier Battalion, entitled to Share in Seringapatam Prize who have become Casualties by Death and have no Heirs with the Dates of Casualty —

No 17 Is a Roll in Duplicate of Men in the 1st Company of Invalids Received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to Share in Seringapatam Prize who have become Casualties by Discharge, with Abstracts in Duplicate, of the Amount due them —

No 18 Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Men in the 2nd Company of Invalids, received from the Grenadier Battalion — entitled

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entitled to share in Seringapatam Prize
with abstract annexed in Duplicate of the
Amount due —

No 19 To a Roll in Duplicate, of
Men in the 3d Company of Invalids received
from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to share
in Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts, in
Duplicate of the Amount due them —

No 20 To a Roll in Duplicate of
Men in the 3d Company of Invalids, received
from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to
Share in Seringapatam Prize who have
become Casualties by Death and have
Heirs, with Abstracts in Duplicate of the
Amount due them —

No 21 To a Roll in Duplicate, of
Men in the 3d Company of Invalids, receiv-
=ed from the Grenadier Battalion, entit=
=led to share in Seringapatam Prize

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have become Casualties, by Death without Heirs. —

Nos 22 and 23. Are Rolls, in Duplicate of Men in the 4th Company of Invalids, Entitled from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to Share in Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them. —

No 24. Is a Roll in Duplicate of Men in the 4th Company of Invalids received from the Grenadier Battalion, who have become Casualties by death and have Heirs with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them. —

No 25. Is a Roll, in Duplicate, of Men in the 4th Company of Invalids received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to Seringapatam Prize who have become Casualties by Death without

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without Heirs —

No 26 Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Men in the 5th Company of Invalids received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them —

No 27 Is a Roll, in Duplicate, of Men in the 6th Company of Invalids, received from Grenadier Battalion entitled to Share in Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them —

No 28 Is a Roll in Duplicate of Men in the 6th Company of Invalids received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to share in Seringapatam Prize who have become Casualted by death without Heirs —

Nos 29 and 30 Are Rolls in Duplicate

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Duplicate of Men in the 7th Company of Invalids received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to share in Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate annexed, the Amount due them, and the Heir of one deceased Soldier —

No 31. Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Men in the 8th Company of Invalids received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to share in Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate annexed of the Amount due them and the Heir of one Deceased Soldier —

No 32. Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Men in the 3d and 4th Company of Invalids received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to share in Seringapatam Prize who have become Casualties by Death or discharge with Abstracts in Duplicate of

the

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the Amount due to both —

No 33. Is a Roll in Duplicate of men on the Pension List, received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to share in Seringapatam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them. —

No 34. Is a Roll in Duplicate of men in the Pension List, at Bancoote received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to Seringapa=tam Prize with Abstracts in Duplicate of the Amount due them. —

No 35. Is a Roll of Officers and men on the Pension List, received from the Grena=dier Battalion, entitled to Seringapatam Prize who have become Casualties by Death or Discharged men, no Heirs having appeared to Claim the Property of those Deceased

No 36 Is a Roll in Duplicate, of men in the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment, re=ceived.

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received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled
to share in Seringapatam Prize Money with
Abstracts, in Duplicate of the Amount &
due them —

No 37 1 a Roll in Duplicate of 1 Serjt
men in the first Battalion 8th Regiment
received from the Grenadier Battalion to share
in Seringapatam Prize who have became
Casualties, by Death, discharge or Invalided,
with Abstracts in Duplicate annexed for
the Amount due to those Discharged. —

No 38 1 a Roll, in Duplicate
of Claimants in the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment
to the Estates of the deceased Soldiers
received from the Grenadier Battalion entit-
-led to share in Seringapatam Prize with
Abstracts in Duplicate of Amount due
them —

No 39 1 a Roll, in Duplicate of
men

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Men in the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment, received from the Grenadier Battalion to Share in Seringapatam Prize, who have become Casualtied by desertion. —

No 40. Is a Roll in Duplicate, of Men in the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment entitled to Seringapatam Prize with abstracts in Duplicate of the amount due them. —

No 41. Is a Roll in Duplicate of Men in the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment, received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to Seringapatam Prize removed to the Pensioner List with an abstract in Duplicate of the amount due them. —

No 42. Is a Roll in Duplicate, of One Man in the 2nd Battalion 9th Regiment received from the Grenadier Battalion entitled to Share in Seringapatam Prize with abstracts in Duplicate of

of

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of Amount due him.—

No. 43. Is a letter from Captain Charles Baye addressed to Major Gen= =eral Sowed, under date the 31st August 1809 renewing his Claim to Servingapa= =tam Prize, and forwarding an Extract from the Proceedings of the Prize Com= =mittee at Fort Saint George, on the Claim of the 2nd Battalion 4th Regiment to Share in the Prize.—

No. 44. Is Copy of Letters from Colonel Holmes dated 20th November 1808, and 9th October 1809, who belong= =ed to the 2nd Battalion 4th Regiment Commanded by Colonel Baye and— forwarding in an address to Major General Sowed, under date the 20th No= =vember 1808. the Particular Claims of the Right Wing of the 2nd Batta= =lion

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Battalion 4th Regiment to Share in Se=
=ringapatam Prize.—

No 45. I a Claim of Captain—
Battert to participate in the Seringapatam
Prize with Abstract in Duplicate for the
Amount of his Share, should it be—
awarded in his favour.—

In examining the Rolls—
of Corps, and Comparing them with the Rolls
of the Grenadier Battalion, their appear
to be some mistakes, and I have wrot=
=ten the Corps Concerned to obtain infor=
=mation to Clear them up, but I can
no longer detain the Rolls for the purpose
They are explained in the accompanying—
Papers A. B & C.—

The whole will require to—
be forwarded to Madras.—

Have

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Have the Honor to be &c. &c.

(Signed) Robert Gordon

Adjutant General.

Bombay

10th. November 1809

True Copy

(Signed) F. Warden

Chief Secretary.

To The Honble Jonathan Duncan Esqr.

President and Governor &c. &c. &c.

in Council.

Honourable Sir,

I have now the honour to reply to your Communication, under date the 1st. and 10th. Instant, on the Claims to Seringapatam Prize Shares, founded on the Orders published at Fort Saint George on the 12th August last, which included the 1st. or Grenadier Battalion of Natives Infantry on this Establishment, the only Corps that has not as yet participated in the distribution. —

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Distribution —

On this subject I beg leave to suggest that the Copy of the Prize Roll No 3 of the Grenadier Battalion, as there is none forthcoming with the Corps may be sent to the Officer in Command to account for the Native Commissioned Officers, European and Native non Commissioned Officers & Drummers Fifers, Privates, Puckaulies &c every description of Natives Soldiers as they Stand in the Roll, as follows Vizt.

1. A Roll in Duplicate of Survivors, now present with the Battalion, their present Ranks and the Ranks they held at that time with Abstracts in Duplicate according to the Rates Setforth in the Prize Roll. —

2d. A Roll in Duplicate of Deceased with the date thereof. —

Rolls.

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3d Rolls in Duplicate of
Native Officers and Men transferred to
other effective Corps of the Line, the date of
Transfer, the Rank at the time of Re-
=moval, and the Rank they held at
the time of Capture —

4th A Roll in Duplicate of
Native Officers and Men Invalided, —
the Rank they held when Invalided,
the Rank they held at the time of the
Capture and the date of removal to
the Invalid Establishment

5th A Roll in Duplicate of
Native Officers and men Pensioned, the
Rank they held when Pensioned, the
Rank they held at the time of Cap-
=ture, and the Date of removal
to the Pension Establishment

6th A Roll in Duplicate of
men

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men Discharged the Service, the Rank they held at the time of the Capture, and the date of Discharge with Abstracts — in Duplicate of the Amount due — those men according to the Specific Rates. —

7th — A Roll in Duplicate of the Native Officers and men deceased with their Rank at the time, the Rank they held at the time of Capture and the — rate of Casualty. —

8th — A Roll in Duplicate of the Heirs of such Deceased Soldiers as did in the Battalion, the Name of Heirs — and the Nature of Relationship entitling him (or her) to claim the property, with the Place of his (or her) present residence, the name, Rank and Number of Deceased as he Stood in the Roll with the

date

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date of Casualty and abstracts in Du-
-plicate of the amount dee. -

These last Rolls I will -
direct to be laid before the Committee of Of-
-ficers to enquire into and ascertain the claims
of Heirs, as directed by the Orders published
at Madras on the 12th August last. -

Should these Suggestions -
meet Your Approbation, I will call on the
Officer Commanding the Invalid Corps and
inspector of the Pension list, for Rolls and
lists of Such Officers and men of the -
Grenadeer Battalions, as have fallen under
their Charge founded on the Rolls and lists
to be called for from the Grenadeer Battalions

I will further direct the -
Adjutant General to account for by Du-
-plicate Lists the European Officers Spec-
-fying the Rank they may hold, the -

Ranks

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Rank they held at the Capture, the Corps they are now attached to, and such as have be= =come Casualties by Death, the date of such Casualty, and if practicable the Names of the Heirs or Administrators and the names of the Agents of those in Europe.—

I will also direct the sev= =eving Individuals to be Called on for their Abstracts in Duplicate to be laid before You.—

I understand there are Several European Officers of the Bombay Army who lay Claim to a Share in the Seringapatam Prize, and as such Cases are provided for in the Orders from Ma= =drad, I request they may be called on to produce their Claim and the grounds thereof in the Form No 5 sent from Madras.—

I have

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Have the honour to be

with all respect. —

Honorable Sir Yrs Yrs Yrs

/Signed/ R. Sowe.

Major General.

Bombay.

20th October 1808.

True Copy

/Signed/ F. Warden

Chief Secretary.

Order thereon. —

Ordered that a Copy of the —

foregoing letter be sent for the information —

and Guidance of the Serringapatam Prize

Committee. —

Read the following letter

from the Collector in Guntoor. —

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St George.

Sir,

I beg leave to inform you

From the Collector in Guntoor - requesting sanction for the payment of Body Bearers. —

that the 83 Doolie bearers whom I dis=

=patched as per Your Orders of the 7th Sep=

=tember 1809 to the Presidency with my

Letters

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Letters to you of the 12th. 13th. and 15th. of that month, advancing them 6 Rupees a Piece having returned here with Letters to me from the Town Major of Fort Saint George under date 28th. and 30th. September, Without having been paid the difference of their Pay as Requested in a N.B. of my Letters to you on that Subject, and demanded of me the Diffe=rence being at 1 Rupee each to make up the reasonable Haire fixed to Coolies of every=description from this to Madras. I am=necessitated to pay them the same being 1 Rupee 83. in full of their demand, and Request therefore You will be pleased to=obtain the Sanction of Government for 1 Rupee 83 or Star Pagodas 23-32-11 as well as the=Sum of 1 Rupees 523. or Star Pagodas 149-1924 being the Amount disbursed on the above=Account as per my Letter to you of the 27th.

September

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September 1809, that I may be enabled to
Charge the whole being Star Pagodas 173.0.35
in my Public Accounts.

I have the Honor to be &c &c

Guntoor
24th November 1809.

(Signed) Tho. Garrett
Collector.

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that the Collector
be authorized to carry to the account of
the Public the amount of the sums advan-
-ced by him to the Palanqueen Bearers men-
-tioned in his Letter.

Read the following Letter
from the Commissioner at Tranquebar.

To Alexander Falconar Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St George.

Sir,

I have the honor to trans-
-mit, to be laid before the Right Ho-
-nourable the Governor General in Coun-
-cil.

From the Commissioner at Tranquebar - Enclo-
-sing two Petitions for subsistence - recom-
-mending a monthly allowance

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allowance of 5 Pa=
=godas to Mr. Wyse
and of 6 Pagodas to
Mr. Gauby. —

Carried two petitions praying for Subsistence. —
2d
I have no reason to doubt
the truth of either of them, but fear there are
many people here in as much, if not more,
distress than these petitioners. However should
Government be pleased to accede to their
prayer I recommend that Mr. Wyse be allowed
a monthly subsistence of 5 Portanova Pagodas
Relative to Mr. Gauby I had the honor of
addressing the Government on the 16th January
last when I mentioned 8 Star Pagodas, but pro=
=bably it would be more consistent with
the allowances granted to others to make
his only 6 Star Pagodas If these disburse=
=ments be authorized I request to be informed
of the date from which they are to have effect.
I have the honor to be &c &c
/Signed/ Hear. H. Nelson
Commissioner

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Tranquebar
Commissioners Office
10th November 1809. —

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To Alexr. H. Kelso Esqr.

British Commissioner

&c &c &c

Tranquebar.

Honored Sir,

The miserable Circumstance to which I am reduced and the utmost want of daily maintenance induces me, in Con=sidence of your Honours well known Hu=manity and Generosity towards Des=titutes, to venture of Representing my deplorable Situation. -

Since my husbands death at Cape of Good Hope, in his voyage on board the Ship Castle Dansborg Captain Winther, wherein he was first Officer, the only means of earning my Lively Hood were of making Stockings, and by the small profit Iderived in selling them to Captains

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of Vessels bound to Isle of France, and other ports and by the little my husband left me, supported myself and Family these five Years but as all intercourse between this and other places being stopped, the meand of acquiring my sustenance being likewise deprived me, and finding myself now reduced to the extremity, Implore Your Honour by your Kind Recommendation to the liberal British Government of Fort Saint George, to obtain me a Subsistence - for which act of Benevolence I shall not fail of offering my fervent prayers to the Almighty for Your Honours prosperity and Happiness. -

Honourable Sir

I&c I&c I&c

Tranquebar
7th November 1809. -

/Signed/ Magdelena E. Weyts.

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A. H. Kelso Esqr.

British Commissioner &c. &c.

Tranquebar.

Honourable Sir,

My daily increasing indigent circumstances necessitates me of taking the humble liberty to bring to Your honours Gracious Remembrance my Petition of 11th January last Soliciting a monthly Subsistance and to Adot that Sum on the Verge of Misery, as the meand of earning my livelehood (were only by the small Trade I carried on with Isle of France as well as with Ships going from and Coming to this Port) being stopped by the present War between England and Dannemark, together by the loss Sustained by the Capture of the Ship Sophia on board of which was Shipped 1000 Spanish Dollars

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of mine, being the of my unwearied & diligent labour of a Number of Years, I find myself reduced. as Stated, to Extremity and seeing no remedy to enable me of maintaining my self and Family, I intreat Your Honour, Confiding in the liberality and Generosity of the British Government and your ever willing benevolence of Assisting the distressed, Kindly to recommend my deplorable Situation to the favourable Consideration of the Honourable the Governor in Council, of Fort Saint George for obtaining me a Subsistance to the immediate relief of my Destruction —

I remain with respect and Esteem
Honorable Sir &c &c
/Signed/ J. Gantz.

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Resolution thereon

Resolved that the pension recommended in the foregoing letter be Granted to

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to Mrs. Heyd and Mr. Grantz, and that a Copy of the same with intimation of the Boards resolution thereon be sent for the information and Guidance of the Military Auditor General —

Read the following Letter from Mr. Saerden —

To The Chief Secretary to Government &c.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Peile's letter of the 22d. of the month and have thanks of stating for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, that on my arrival on this Coast, I provisionally fixed my residence at Trangambar (the Port where I landed) and took a House in that Town whither I propose returning, but at I have the honor of

From Mr. Saerden preferring Pondicherry to Residence —

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of being acquainted with Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart, and some other Respectable Persons at Pondicherry, it is my wish to reside there in preference to Tranquebar, If I shall be able to procure myself a Suitable Dwelling which I understand there is no difficult in doing. —

On my Journey down the Coast I will ascertain that point, and immediately on my arrival at Tranquebar, will make known to Mr Kelso, — My Decision of one of the two places which the Governor General in Council has been pleased to leave to my option, and for which I beg leave to offer my humble acknowledgements —

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) C. Saml Taerson

Old London Tavern

November the 28th 1809

Order thereon —

Ordered that permission be granted to Mr Van Taerson to proceed to Tranquebar, in the manner he proposes; and

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That he be directed to report to the British Commissioner on his arrival at that Settlement, the place of his future residence, Ordered also, that information be sent to the Commissioner at Tranquebar on the subject —

Ordered that the following Letters be dispatched —

To The Military Auditor General

Fort St George.

Sir

I am directed by the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council, to desire that you will authorize the payment to Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Aldwell Taylor, Lieutenant Colonel Ivor, and Lieutenant Colonel Innes of the Allowance sanctioned by the Hon: the Court of Directors to Officers Commanding the Northern Division of the Army, when not General Officers on the Staff, and further desiring that the same may be authorized to Lieutenant Colonel Bowness —

To the Military Auditor General, authorizing the payment to Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Aldwell Taylor, Lieutenant Colonel Ivor and Lieutenant Colonel Innes of the Allowance sanctioned by the Honorable the Court of Directors to Officers Commanding the Northern Division of the Army, when not General Officers on the Staff, and further desiring that the same may be authorized to Lieutenant Colonel Bowness —

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on the Staff for periods which the Officers above named exercised that Command.—

His Lordship in Council—
is further pleased to direct that the same Allowance may be authorised to Lieute:=nant Colonel Bannerman, for the time that he exercised the Command in the Ceded Districts.—

I have the honor to be
Sir Sir Sir
Your most obedient humble Servant
/Signed/ J. H. Reid
Secretary to Government

To The Town Major
of
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the receipt of Your Letter dated 3d. instant.—

His

To the Town Major of Fort St. George Acknowledging his letter 3d Nov. Authorizing him to draw the sum for reimbursing Lieut. Sober the amount of the Advance made by him to the Soldier mentioned in his letter.

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2 His Lordship in Counc. authorizes You to draw the Sum necessary for reimbursing Lieutenant Sober the Amount of the Advance made by him to the Soldier mentioned in his Letter. —

I am Sir

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Your Obt. Hble Servt.
(Signed) H. Peile
Secretary to Govt.

To D. A. Berry
3rd Member of the
Medical Board.

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council, to return your Letter of the 24th. ultimo, and to inform you, that your Letter should have been transmitted through the Channel of the Medical Board

To Dr. Berry 3d. member of the medical Board — informing him that his letter 4th. Nov. should have been forwarded thro' the Medical Board — and that Lt. Sober's Complaint against Mr. Hardeman is considered a proper subject for a Court Martial and that he is at liberty to bring forward charges against that person —

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Sir

I am directed to acquaint you, that the Governor in Council considers your complaint against Mr. Horseman to be a proper subject for investigation before a Court Martial, and that you are accordingly at liberty to prepare Charges against that Officer. —

I am &c. &c.

Fort St. George
5th December 1809. —

/Signed/ J. H. Pole
Secretary to Government

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