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Diary

14th Received the following Letter

To The Honorable

Sir G. H. Barlow Bt & K. B.

Governor in Council.

&c &c &c

No. 1.

From the Military Board — Submitting Bills of the Engineer Department for sanction — Recommending that an advance of 400 Pag.s be made to Lt. — Nattes, in charge of the works going on in Mysore. —

Hon.ble Sir,

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

No. 1. Bill of the Superintending Engineer in Travancore, for the Construction of various buildings as noted in the Margin authorized on the 2.d January 1812, and for pulling down and rebuilding the Walls of the three Places of Arms at

Quilon

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verandah all round A General Guard Room for Officers and Men and a European Hospital and Sergeants Quarters for 3 Corps. —

Quilon sanctioned on the 12th March following including the expense of additions made to several of the buildings not provided for in the Estimates, amounting to — Pagodas 10,134.33.56. — a balance — whereof is due of Pagodas 3,979.33.56.—

No 2.... Bill of the Superintending Engineer in Travancore, for Repairing the public temporary Buildings at the several military Stations in Travancore, and making a few — necessary additions by order of the Officer Commanding, as also for Constructing Four Bridges in the Cantonment of Quilon, amounting to Pagodas — 573.22.50. —

2. We also beg to recommend

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=mend payment of an advance of Pagodas 400-.- to Lieutenant Nattes the Engi=neer who is at present in charge of the Works under progress in the Mysore Division, for the purpose of enabling that Officer to complete the works left unfinished by Captain Garrard, who has proceeded on Sick Service.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your
Most obedient
Humble Servant
(Signed) E. Stafford
" R. Bell.
" Wm Blacker.
" W. Morison.

Fort St. George
1st Octr 1842.—

The following Copy of Papers re=ceived from the Public Department are ordered to be recorded in this De=partment.—

To

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To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George,

No. 2.

Sir,

Letters from, & to the Marine Board respecting the Charges in the Boat Depart=ment at Goa, & recommending that the Master Attendant be allowed a Month=ly advance of 200 Rupees, to to meet those current Charges.

Para 1. I am directed by the Marine Board to submit for the Information of the Honorable the Governor in Council the accompa=nying Account of Contingent Charges incurred in the Boat Department at Goa in the Months of June last, - supported by Vouchers and a Certificate under the Signature of the Officer Com=manding the British auxiliary Force at that place. -

2. The Board beg leave to recommend that the amount of these charges, being Rupees 274-2-9 may be Sanctioned. -

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3. As several Items in the Contingent account are daily charged, which have hitherto been paid by the Master Attendant out of his private Funds, the Board beg leave to recommend that he be allowed a Monthly advance of 200 Rupees to meet these current disbursements, to be accounted for on Settlement at the close of each month. —

I have the honor &c &c

(Signed) J Watkin

Sec.y

Fort St George
29th Sept.r 812.

To The Marine Board

Gentlemen,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Secretary's letter, dated the 29th Ultimo, and to state that the Hon.=norable the Governor in Council sanc.=tions

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=tions the Contingent charges, being Rupees 274. 2. 9 - incurred in the Boat Depart=ment at Goa in the Month of June last, and directs that the master attendant at Goa, be allowed a Monthly advance of Rupees 200 - to meet these current Disbursements, to be accounted for on Settlement at the close of each Month in the manner you have recommended. -

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your
/Signed/ W.m Thackeray.
Chief Sec.y to Govt.

/True Copies/
/Signed/ D. Hill.
Sec.y to Govt

Fort St. George
6th Oct.r 1812.

Received and sent the fol=lowing Letters entered in M. B. N.os 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52

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52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62,

63. —

From the Chief Engineer. — From Major General Sir= =pard. Transmits Copies of Plans. —

To the Commander in Chief. — To His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Samuel Auchmuty. Acknow= =ledging receipt of Several Letters from His Military Secretary, and forwarding Extract from the Proceedings of Council dated the 13th Instant. —

To Ditto — To Ditto. Transmits — Copy of a letter from the British Envoy at Goa under date the 30th. September. —

To Ditto. — To Ditto. With Extract from the Proceedings in Council. —

To Ditto. — To Ditto. Transmits Copy of a letter from His Excellency the Governor of Isles of France Mauritius and Bourbon under date the 24th. of August. —

To

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To the Military Board.

To the Military Board. &c.
=knowledging receipt of their Letters of
the 20th September and 1st October, and
forwarding Extract from the Proceedings
of Council.

To the Military Auditor
General.

To the Military Auditor General. Transmitting Copies of two Letters
from the Attorney for the Contractors for
victualling the Royal Navy, and direct-
=ing that authority be given for the
discharge of the Bills for provisions
therein mentioned, if not considered
to be objectionable.

To Ditto.

To Ditto. Directing
him to authorize an advance of Cash to
Lieutenant Coulthard, of the Bengal
Artillery, as requested for him in an
inclosed Copy of a letter from the Mi=
=litary Secretary to the Commander in
Chief

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Chief. —

To Ditto — Enclosing Copy of a letter from Captain Hardy of H.M. 19th Regiment of Foot, and directing that authority be given for the payment of the family Certificates therein mentioned on account of the Government at Columbo. —

To Ditto. To Ditto — Transmits Copies of letters from and to the Marine Board under date the 29th Ultimo and 6th Instant. —

To Ditto — The same to the Accountant General, Commissary Genl. Town Major and Seringapatam Prize Committee

To Ditto — Forwards — Extracts from the Proceedings of the Governor in Council dated the 13th Instant.

To the Military Audr. Genl. To Ditto — Acknowledging receipt of Letters of the 8th and 12th Instant, and transmitting Extract.

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Extract from the Proceedings of Council

To the Accountant General.

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

To the Accountant General

To the Accountant General — Transmits Copy of a letter from Captain Hardy of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot, and of the orders in consequence to the Military Auditor General. —

To the Town Major of Fort St. George. —

To the Town Major — Acknowledging Receipt of Letters of the 8th Instant and Forwarding Extract from the Proceedings of Council of the 13th Instant. —

To the Acting Surveyor General. —

To the Acting Surveyor General — Enclosing for his information and

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and Guidance, Copy of a letter from the Resident at Poonah, regarding the proposed Survey of the Ramgharat. —

To the Naval Commissioner. — Transmits Copy of a letter from the Accountant General under date the 8th Instant. —

To the Naval Commissioner

To the late Pay Master in the Ceded Districts.

To Mr. F. A. Robson. Directing him to proceed to Bellary to settle his Accounts. —

To the Solicitor for the Honorable Company. —

To Mr. Orme. Transmitting Copy of a letter to the Secretary at Fort William relative to the Claim on the estate of the late Lieutenant Colonel Frome. — The Accountant General will call on the Trustees for the late Firm of Harrington & Co. for the Dividend due on the Bill drawn on that Firm by Captain Warren —

in

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in favour of the Chief Secretary — An enclosed Letter from Mr. R. Griffiths, relative to a Demand on the estate of the late Ensign Smith, is to be laid before the Advocate General for his early Report.

To the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency.

To the Revd. Edwd. Vaughan — Acknowledging receipt of Letters of the 12th Instant, and transmitting Extract from the Proceedings of Council of the 13th Instant. —

To Major General Conran. —

To Major General Conran. — Enclosing a Statement of the Valuation of his house at Saulnah, and informing him that authority has been given for paying him 2,000 Pagodas for the purchase of it. —

To the Officer Commanding the Northern Division of the Army. —

To the Officer Commanding the Northern Division of the Army. — Enclosing Copy of a letter from the Secretary to

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. to the Board of Revenue, and directing him to detach a suitable force to repel the incursions of banditti in the Ra-=jahmundry District. —

To the Accountant General.

To the Accountant General. Transmitting Copy of the Military Auditor General's Report on an additional Estimate of Cash required by the Paymas-=ter at the Presidency. —

To Mr John Adam —

To the Sec.y to the Government at Fort William

Enclosing Copy of a correspondence with the Company's Solicitor on the Subject of his letter of the 1st August last, and requesting to be informed whether it is the desire of His Lordship in Council that a Suit should be instituted at this Presidency against Mr C. Harris as Executor to the Estate of the late Lieutenant Colonel Froome. —

To

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in favour of the Chief Secretary - An enclosed Letter from Mr. R. Griffiths, relative to a Demand on the estate of the late Ensign Smith, is to be laid before in Consequence, to the Military Auditor General. -

15th Received the following letters.

To The Chief Secretary

to Government,

Fort St. George.

No 3.

From the Adjutant Genl. of the Army - Enclosing an application from Lieut. Warburton of the 17th Regt. Nl. for permission to proceed to England on Sick Certificate. -

Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief to request you will submit to the Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Application from Lieutenant Warburton of the 17th Regiment N.I., Soliciting Permission to proceed to England on Sick Certificate. -

I have

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. to the Board of Revenue, and directing
him to detach a suitable force to repel
the incursions of banditti in the Ra-
=jahmundry District. —

To The Honorable,

The Governor in Council,
&c. &c.

Honble Sir

I have the honor to en-
=close my Sick Certificate and to solicit
your permission to proceed to Europe. -

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

Madras.
Oct.r 13.th 1812.

Signed J. Warburton Lieut.t Hy.t
2.d B.n 7.th Reg.t N.I. -

Duplicate.

We hereby Declare on Oath
that in our opinion it is absolutely
necessary for Lieutenant Warburton of

the

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To the Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Columbo.

To the Honorable John Rodney Enclosing Copy of a letter from Captain Hardy of His Majesty's 19th Regt. of Foot, and Copy of the order dispatched, General.

15th

Received the following letters.

To The Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George.

No. 3.

From the Adjutant Genl. of the Army. Enclosing an application from Lieut. Warburton of the 17th Regt. Ord. for permission to proceed to England on Sick Certificate.

Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief to request you will submit to the Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Application from Lieutenant Warburton of the 17th Regiment N. I., Soliciting permission to proceed to England on Sick Certificate.

I have

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Adjt. Genl's Office
Fort St. George
14th October 1812.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your
[Signed] T. H. S. Conway.
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

To The Honorable,
The Governor in Council.
Fort St. George

Honble Sir

I have the honor to enclose my Sick Certificate and to solicit your permission to proceed to Europe.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your
[Signed] J. Warburton Lieut. & Adjt.
2. Bn. 14th Reg.t N.I.

Madras.
Oct.r 13th 1812.

Duplicate.

We hereby Declare on Oath that in our opinion it is absolutely necessary for Lieutenant Warburton of the

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the 17th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his Health.

(Signed) J. D. White
Garrison Surgeon.

Sworn in Fort St George this 13th day of October 1812.

(Signed) J. H. Davis.
Surgeon.

Before me,
(Signed) Henry Gahagan
Justice of the Peace
Madras

To George Strachey Esq.
Military Secretary
to the Honble the Governor in Council
Fort St George

No. 4.

Sir,

From the Medical Board reporting that Mr. O'Reilly at the Lunatic Asylum is sufficiently recovered to proceed to England: enclosing a Certificate to that effect, & pointing out certain precautions to

Para. 1. In obedience to the commands of the Honorable the Governor in Council, conveyed to us in your Letter of this date we hasten to report.

That

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to be observed with regard to him during the passage. ~

2. That having visited Mr. ~ O'Reilly at the Lunatic Hospital, and made the needful enquiries with all due care, we are happy to ascertain him to be, in our decided Judgment, in a fit State to proceed to England by the earliest opportunity and we make enclosure, accordingly, herewith of our official Testimony to that effect. ~

3. The sole Suggestion which we deem it expedient to offer on this occasion, as a measure of precaution, ~ with a view to ensure his health and safety on the voyage, would be that it ~ should be recommended to the Captain and Surgeon of the Ship in which he ~ proceeds, to have a vigilant Eye upon his general Conduct while on Board, ~ and perhaps tho' his habits appear ~

never

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never to have been those of the abuse of
Liquors / to take care that the accident of
his getting more Wine &c. than may con-
=sist with strict Temperance shall be care
=fully guarded against and avoided. —

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

/Signed/ Alex. Walker M. D.
President Med. Board.

/Signed/ Henry Harris M. D.
2d. Member Med. Board.

Fort St. George
Med. Bd. Office
13th Oct. 1812.

Medical Board Office.

This is to certify that it is our
decided Opinion that Mr. Wm.
O'Reilly has now been so long com-
=pletely free from any recurrence or
appearance of Mental Derangement
whatever, that we think he may with
great Safety and propriety be removed
from

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from the Lunatic Asylum, and sent to Europe, whenever a convenient opportunity offers for that purpose.

(signed) Alex. Watson M.D.
President Med. Board.

(signed) Henry Harris M.D.
2 Member Med. Board.

Fort St. George
Med. Bd. office
13th October 1812.

Sent the following Letter.

To The Town Major of Fort St. George.

No. 5.

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 8th Instant, and to desire in Conformity with the Recommendation submitted by the Medical Board in the report, of which I enclose a Copy that immediate arrangements

To the Town Major of Fort St George Directing him to communicate with the Marine Board, to procure a passage for Mr. O'Reilly on the Ships now under dispatch for England & to furnish Mr. O'Reilly with Clothes & other Necessaries, such part of the expence being chargeable to the publick as the means of Mr. O'Reilly may not be sufficient to afford.

=ments may be made for sending Mr. O'Reilly to Europe by one of the Ships of the present Fleet.-

A Copy of this Letter has been furnished to the Marine Board, and they have been desired to afford to you every requisite Assistance in obtaining a passage for Mr. O'Reilly.-

The Commander of the Ship on which his passage may be engaged should be fully apprized of the circumstances under which Mr. O'Reilly proceeds to England, and of the precautions which the Medical Board have Suggested to be taken with a view to his Security during the Voyage.-

The Governor in Council has adverted to Mr. O'Reilly's representation of his want of Clothes and other

Necessaries

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Necessaries and I am directed to desire that an adequate supply of those articles may be provided for his use, such part of the expence being chargeable to the Public, as the means of Mr. O'Reilly may not be sufficient to afford.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Obt. Hble Servt.
(Signed) J. Stockley
Secy. to Govt.

Fort St. George
15th October 1812.

Received and sent the following letters entered in M.B. Nos. 64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71.

Fort Colonel Conway.

From the Adjt General of the army.

Enclosing Applications from Captains Rainsford 3d Regiment N.I. and Lieutenant Blackman 2d Regt. N.I. Soliciting orders to be received on board

one

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one of the Ships under dispatch for England.—

From the Sec.y to the Marine Board.—

From Wm. Swatkin — The Commander of the H.C. Ship Earl St. Vincent has been ordered to be prepared to receive Captain Reynsford and Lieutenant Blackman on board.—

From the Military Sec.y to General.—

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce — Reporting on an additional Estimate of Cash, required by the Pay master at the Presidency.—

From the Town Major of Fort St. George.—

From Captain Fraser — Enclosing a final Statement of His Majesty's Military Invalids for whom a Charter party passage is required in the fleet now under dispatch for England.—

To the Military Board.

To the Military Board The payment of the Bills, and advance of Cash, recommended in their address

of

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of the 1st Instant has been authorized.—

To the Marine Board.

To the Marine Board.— Enclosing Copy of a letter from the Adjutant General, and directing that a passage be procured for Captain Raynsford, and Lieutenant Blackman according to the Regulations of the Court of Directors.—

To the Marine Board.

To the Marine Board.— Transmits Copies of a Report from the Medical Board, and of the Letter dispatched to the Town Major of Fort St. George.—

To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General.— Directing that Authority be given for the payment of Bills and advances of Money recommended in an enclosed Copy of a letter from the Military Board dated the 1st Instant.—

Sent

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18th Sent the following Letters entered in W.B. Nos 72-73-74.—

To the Adjt. Genl. of the Army.— To the Adjt. General of the Army. — Transmitting Copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Marine Board. —.

To the Military Board — To the Military Board — Directing that on the occasion of every General dispatch all Indents on the Honble the Court of Directors — may be prepared in Duplicates and that, triplicates may be held in readiness for transmission by the next opportunity that may occur — This rule to be observed on the occasion of the present Dispatch, if practicable. —

To the Board of Trade — To the Board of Trade. directing that a Charter party passage may be provided for the Invalids of H. M. Service, of whom a list is transmitted with an Enclosed Copy of a letter from the Town Major — The numbers allotted to each Ship must be reported to the Com.r Genl. —

A. T. —

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Fort St. George — 17th October 1812.

At a Consultation.

Present,

The Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bt. G.C.B.

Governor and President.

His Excellency,

Lieutenant General

Sir S. Auchmuty K.B.

Commander in Chief.

Saturday the
17th October 1812.—

Thomas Oakes
and
P. K. Casamajor
} Esquires.

Ministers of last Consul-
-tation read and approved. —

Read the following

Letters from the Quarter Master —
General of the Army. —

To

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Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

To The Secretary of Government,
Military Department

No. 6.

Sir,

From the Quarter Master General of the Army - Enclosing a list of Books required for the purpose of assisting the Officers of the Army in their Military and Mathematical Studies.

I have the honor of Enclosing to your address in obedience to the Requisition of Government under date the 20th November 1811, a List of such Books as are requisite for the purpose of assisting the Officers of the Army in their Military and Mathematical Studies.

I have the honor to remain Sir,

Your most Obed.t and very humble Serv.t

Signed J. Blacker.

D.r Master Gen.l Office
Fort St. George
14th October 1812.

Q. M. G.

Catalogue

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Catalogue of Mathematical Books.

Simpson. Plain and Spherical Trigonometry.—

Cagnoli. Treatise on Trigonometry.—

Keith. { Introduction to plain and Spherical Trigonometry.—

Hutton. Course of Mathematics.—

Simpson. Elements of Euclid.—

Taylor. Tables of Logarithms.

Sherwin. Mathematical Tables.

Hutton. Elements of Conic Sections.

J. Newton. Short treatise on Conic Sections.

Vince. Elements of the Conic Sections.—

Brian Robinson. New Elements of Conic Sections translated from the French trea-tise of Monsieur de la Hire

Practical Spherics.—

Hamilton. Geometrical treatise of the Conic Sections.—

Adams.

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Adams. Geometrical & Geographical Essays.-

John Gale. Appendix to Ditto.... Ditto.-

Simpson. Treatise of Algebra.

Euler. Elements of Algebra.-

Mc Laurin. Treatise of Algebra.

Bonny Castle. Introduction to Algebra.

Davis. Key to Bonny castles Algebra.

Hutton. Mathematical and Philosophical Dictionary. —

General Roy. An Account of the Trigonometrical operations whereby the Distance between the Meridians of the Royal Observatories, of Greenwich, and Paris has been determined.-

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Fort St. George
14th Oct. 1812.

(Signed) C. C. Johnston.
A. 2d M. General.

To The Secretary of Government
Military Department.

No. 7.

From the Quarter
Master General
of the Army -
Enclosing for
transmission
to England a
distribution -
return of the
Army for the
October 1812.

Sir,

I have the honor of
Enclosing to your address for trans-
=mission to the Honorable Court of
Directors a Distribution Return -
of the Army for the 1st Oct. 1812.

I have

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2r Mr Gen.l Office
Fort St George
16th Oct.r 1812.

I have the honor to remain
&c &c

(Signed) F. Blacker
2. M. G.

No 8

Order thereon.

Ordered that the enclosures
of the two foregoing letters be forwarded
to the Honorable the Court of Directors
numbers in the Packet by the present
Dispatch.—

Read the following Letters
from the Military Board.—

To The Honorable
Sir G. H. Barlow Bt K. B.
Governor in Council.
&c &c &c

No 9

From the Milit.y
Board—Report
on Parts of a
General Letter
from the Hon.ble
the Court of
Directors dated
the 25th April
1810.—

Hon.ble Sir,

We have the honor to
submit for the consideration of your
honor in Council, our Report upon
the several Paragraphs of a general
Letter

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Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated the 25th of April 1810, and Communicated for our information and guidance on the 15th December 1810, together with the Resolutions of your Honor in Council on the orders of the Honorable Court

Paragraphs 259, 260, 261 Report of the Committee of Military Finance on the Barrack Department.

2d As the Records of our Office did not afford us the means of prosecuting the enquiries directed in the foregraphs, we were under the necessity of requesting the Military Auditor General would examine the Records of his Office, as all charges for barrack Articles must have been entered on the Disbursements of Paymasters, and Consequently subject to the examination of the Office of Audit.

3d In reply to the Communication made on this Subject, we have to

Received

15791

Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

No 1. Received a letter accompanied by Statements, Copies of which we have the honor to submit with this Report.

3. It appeared from these Statements that the several charges which were the Subject of animadver-=sion by the Committee of Finance had been retrenched in the Office of Audit, we were inclined to suppose that the Retrenchments on these charges might have taken place subsequent to the period when the Committee re-=corded their Sentiments, and we there-=fore directed that a letter of which

No 2. the accompanying is a Copy should be addressed to the Military Audi-=tor General with a view of satis-=fying ourselves with respect to the Nature of the Documents upon which the Committee founded their

Report

1792 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

No. 3.

Report - a Copy of that Officer's reply we have now the honor to submit, and to state that we have ascertained the satisfactory result that the Charges for Damaged Articles had been duly retrenched in the Office of Audit, but that no communication of this Circumstance was made to the Committee of Finance, in the Month of May 1810. the period when the Statements upon which that Committee formed their opinion were furnished to them by the Military Auditor General.

4. The information received upon this subject from the Military Auditor General will we trust be Satisfactory to the Honorable

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=rable Court as it must necessarily remove the impression occasioned by the Report of the Committee that the Barrack charges had been continued after the Troops had been withdrawn from different Stations of the Army.-

5th The Honorable the Court of Directors having in their remark upon the Monthly allowance of 36 Fanams granted to Officers Commanding Troops for the Provision of Head and Heel Ropes, adverted to the allowance for similar articles in Bengal, and which is stated to be 27 Fanams. We have referred to the Regulations of that Presidency; and find that Officers Commanding Troops are permitted to draw the Sums noted in the Margin on account

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account of Articles which are provided by the Officers of the Native Cavalry of this Establishment, out of the Monthly allowance of 30 Fanams, and Consequently that the Comparison is not so unfavorable to the System authorized under this Presidency as might at first appear. It may also be observed that the rates at which those Articles are procurable in Bengal are certainly much lower than those which obtain upon the Coast.

6. It has ever been generally admitted that Contracts between a Government and its Officers should be framed on that footing which whilst it secures to the Government the supply of the Articles at a rate proportionate to the responsibility of

Monthly allowance.	
For Shoeing Horses. Supply Collars, Cloaths, Head & Heel Ropes, Currycombs, Mussallahs & Physick when required @ for each Horse R. 2. for 95 Horses.	S. Rupees 190
For Camisoons Cotton Ropes &c. for each Troop.....	5.
Pots for soaking and preparing Gram per Troop.	20.
Cart allowance when actually marching to be drawn with each Troop.	30
	245

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Besides this in time of War and in cases of long Marches provision is made for carrying with the Regiment the Gram pots &c.

of the Officer, the trouble imposed in procuring the Supplies, and to the actual value of the Articles, enables the Officer to Command resources which will protect him from losses incidental to a Campaign and to the inevitable consumption of such perishable Articles.

7. Under the present Contract that principle is in our opinion fully kept in view, and it is understood that the Officers of the several Cavalry Regiments have come every Justice to the Contract, as their Line Articles have at all times been kept in the most efficient State.

8. We are aware that these Articles might be furnished at lower rates whilst Corps of Cavalry are at fixed Stations, but the most authentic information

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information which has been obtained on this Subject, has satisfied us, that, Officers in Command of Troops are not able to fulfill their Contracts on the Established allowance whilst employed on Field Service, and on the principle to which we have before adverted, we apprehend that Officers of Cavalry would be desirous of relinquishing the Contract if the rate was reduced.

9. To supply the various articles required by the Regulations, demands a Considerable degree of attention and arrangement, and it must be evident that no Officer would be inclined to undertake a duty of this nature, unless he was afforded the means of doing so with credit to himself and without any apprehension

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of suffering by the engagements; on the other hand, if the supply was transferred to the Commissariat, an immediate saving would be effected, but as the demands for these Articles occur at all hours, and could not without fear of limited, the Arrangements, would be attended with considerable difficulty even in Garrison, and in the Field the inconveniences would be considerably increased. Hitherto, the Supplies have been made without difficulty and the Simplicity of the present arrangement forms in our opinion one of the strongest arguments for its continuance. We therefore strongly recommend that no Reduction may be made in the present

Monthly

15198 Fort St George 19th Oct.r 1812.

Monthly allowance of 36 Lascars.—

Fort-St.George
19th October 1812.

We have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your
Most obedient
Humble Servants
Signed E. Stephenson
" R. Bell,
" P. Bruce
" F. H. S. Conway
" T. Blacker.
" W. Morison

To The Secretary to the,
Military Board,
Fort St George,

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter dated the 9th May last, enclosing by order of the Military Board, an Extract of a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors dated 25th April 1810.—

relative

15199 Fort St. George 14th Octr 1807

relative to abuses in the Barrack Department, with the Resolutions of the Honorable the Governor in Council passed thereon, and requesting that reference may be made to the records of this Office, and such information as they may contain connected with the Subject discussed by the Honorable Court furnished, for the purpose of enabling the Board, to carry the orders of Government into effect.

The records of this Office have accordingly been examined, for the Years 1801/2, 1802/3, 1803/4, 1804/5 and 1805/6; but it does not appear, that any charges for Barrack Articles or attendants have been admitted, on account of Stations at which there

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15,200 Fort St. George 19th Oct. 1812.

were no Troops, or where the number of Troops had been diminished beyond what was sanctioned by the General Orders of Government, under date the 30th December 1811. Copy of which I have the honor to enclose. —

Charges of the above mentioned description it is true have been made by Barrack Masters and entered in the Disbursements of Paymasters, but they have always been objected to, and Retrenched, as will appear by the accompanying Extracts of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of the Paymasters at Vizagapatam, Masulipatam, Pulicat, Vellore, and Mysore, marked A, B, C, D, and E; a circumstance which it is presumed could not have been known

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known to the Committee of Military Finance at the time their report of abuses in the Barrack Department was drawn out and in which it is stated "that although the troops have "been withdrawn from the Stations — "the Barrack charges have been con- "tinued and that at several Posts, "a considerable charge has been con- "tinued for periods, in some cases "equal to thirty Months after expence "had became wholly unnecessary from "a total removal of the Troops, or after "a diminution had became practica- "ble, from a partial removal." —

The Statements of Barrack charges furnished to the Committee of Military Finance — were extracted from the Disbursements

of

15202 Fort St George 9th Oct. 1812

of the different Paymasters without reference to the Retrenchments made therefrom; this may have induced the Committee to suppose that all the charges contained in those Statements were passed on Audit - there is another circumstance which it may be proper to mention, Viz. it was formerly the practice to detach small details from different Companies of Corps, or Detachments, to do duty at inferior Posts, or at Stations, where the Troops had been withdrawn the pay of these details was included in the Abstracts of the Companies to which they respectively belonged at Head Quarters, and as their Pay Abstracts did not appear in the Paymasters Disbursements under the Head of the Station or Post to which

15203 Fort St George 14th Octr 1812.

which they were temporarily detached, it may have been concluded that there were no Troops at these Stations or Posts; a reference however to the Muster Rolls of Companies, from which such details were sent, would have ascertained and explained this point. - And it may be proper to add that all bills for barrack Supplies whether on account of Troops, Stations or Posts, are supported by Abstracts of the number and description of Troops at each Station or Post signed by the Officer Commanding, & all bills that are not thus supported are objected to, and Retrenched on Audit. —

The foregoing explanations will I trust appear satisfactory, & enable the Board to report to Govt on the reference from the Honorable Court of Directors.

Signed J. Bruce
M.A.J.C.

Mil.y Aud.r Genl.s Office,
Fort St George
30th Sept.r 1812. —

A true Copy
Signed W. Ramsay
Lieut.t & D.

Extract

15204 Fort St George 17th Octr 1842.

Extract of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of M.W. Hawkins, Paymaster at Trichinopoly for the years 1840/1, 1841/2 and 1842/3 - which relate to the Barrack Department.—

March 1840.

Sanore,

Barrack Department.—

19 The Barrack Master charges for Cart-
for this Station Pagodas. ——————— 7-21-11

Inadmissible because there are no
European Troops at this Station Retrenched. — 7 21 11

April 1840.

Carroor.

Barrack Department.

27 Ditto Do. Charges for Cart for this
Station. ——————————— 7-21-11

Inadmissible, Carts are only allowed
for Garrisons & Cantonments, where a
considerable number of European Troops
are Stationed. Retrenched ——————— 7 21 11

N.B. A similar Retrenchment was

continued

15203 Fort St George 14th Octr 1812.

which they were temporarily detached, it may have been concluded that there were no Troops at these Stations or Posts; a reference however to the Muster Rolls of Companies, from which such details were sent, would have ascertained and explained this point. - And it may be proper to add that all bills for barrack Supplies whether on account of Troops, Stations or Posts, are supported by Abstracts of the number and description of Troops at each Station or Post signed by the Officer Commanding, & all bills that are not thus supported are objected to, and Retrenched on Audit. —

The foregoing explanations will I trust appear satisfactory, & enable the Board to report to Govt. on the reference from the Honorable Court of Directors. —

Signed J. Bruce
M. A. J.

Mil. Fin. Aud. Gen. Office,
Fort St. George
30th Septr 1812. —

A true Copy
Signed W. Ormsby
Lieut.

Extract

15204 Fort St George 15th Octr 1802.

Extract of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of M.W. Hawkins, Paymaster at Trichinopoly &c. for the years 1800/1, 1801/2 and 1802/3 - which relate to the Barrack Department. -

March 1800.

Sanore,

Barrack Department. -

19 The Barrack Master charges for Cart-
for this Station Pagodas. ——————— 7-21-11

Inadmissible because there are no
European Troops at this Station Retrenched. --- 7 21 ..

April 1800.

Carroor.

Barrack Department.

27 Ditto Do. Charges for Cart for this
Station. ——————————— 7-21-11

Inadmissible, Carts are only allowed
for Garrisons & Cantonments, where a
considerable number of European Troops
are Stationed. Retrenched. ——— 7 21 ..

N.B. A similar Retrenchment was

continued

15205 Fort St George 14th Octr 1812.

continued upto September 1801. when
the charge ceased. —

June 1800

Do Do draws for 21 Ounces Cotton thread,
29 Lamps, & Water Potts, 10 Mundays, 4 Gug=
=lets & 20 Necessary Potts, for the use of the
Sweepers, Sorties, and Lamp lighters for
Pagodas. — ---------- 2-28-46.

The European Troops having been removed
to another Station admitted as deemed
Sufficient for the few Europeans in Garri=
=son Vizt. for 2 Necessary Potts and 2
Baskets Fanams 10.- and the Difference
is Retrenched. — ---------- 2 18 46.

N.B. A similar Retrenchment contin=
=ued upto September 1801, when the
charge ceased. —

July 1800.

Coimbatore.

Barrack Department.

17. The Barrack Master charges for 2 Water
Potts.

5206 Fort St George 14th Octr 1812

Pott, 3 Wandays, 1 Goglet, 4 Necessary
Pott 2 Baskets, 5 Ounces of Thread
and 5 Lamps — Fanams — " : 24 : 69.
The European Troops having been
removed to another Station ad-
=mitted as deemed sufficient for
the Europeans in Garison of Coimba-
=tore Viz.. 1 Necessary Pott, and 1 Bas-
=ket Fanams. — " : 5 : " — 19 69

N.B. A similar Retrenchment conti
=nued up to July 1812, when the
charge ceased. —

May 1812.

Tranquebar.

Barrack Department.

18. D.. D.. charges 93 Seers Lamp Oil for
the use of Guard Rooms at 10 Lamps
per Day for the Months of January,
February, March and April 1812. —

Pagodas. — 60 — " — "

Admitted Oil for one Lamp per day for
the

15207 Fort St. George 17th Octr 1862.

The use of one Guard room as the number of troops has been reduced agreeably to G.O. 31 December 1861 for the above period Pagodas 3-31-60

and the Difference is Retrenched 56 10 60

N.B. A similar Retrenchment was made up to October 1862 when the charge ceased. —

The Barrack Master charges Pay for 2 Scavengers Carts for the use of Cleaning the Officers, Sheds, &c. in Garrison in January, February, March, and April amounting to Pagodas —

15 P.M. Month Pagodas ..... 60 " "

Admitted one Cart for the use of the Garrison ..... } 30 " "

And the Difference is Retrenched. ..... 30 " "

N.B. A similar Retrenchment was made up to July 1862 when the charge ceased.

Do

15208 Fort St. George 17th Oct. 1792.

Do. Do. Charges for 40 Necessary Pots,
10 Bamboo Baskets, 8 Water Pots,
8 Mundays, 40 Ounces Cotton
Thread, 8 Guglets and 39 Lamps
for the use of the Sweepers and
Sorties in January, February,
March, and April, amounting
to Pagodas. ..... 19. 31. "

Inadmissible agreeably to the
General Orders 30th December 1801.
The Troops having been consider-
-ably reduced at this Station. — 1931 —

N.B. A similar Retrenchment was
made p/p to october 1802. when the
charge Ceased. —

/A true Extract/
/Signed/ Chas. Rundall.
1st A.A. G.G.

Memorandum

15209 Fort St George 14th Oct. 1802.

Memorandum shewing the Dates when the foregoing Retrenchments were Dispatched to the Paymaster.

March 1800, dispatched 30th Sept. 1800.
April 1800, do. do.
July 1800, do. 14th April 1801.
May 1802. do. 11th Aug.t 1802.

(Signed) Chas. Rundall.
1st Asst. M.a.G.l

A true Copy
(Signed) W.m Ormsby
A.M.S.B.

Extract

15210 Fort St. George 14th Oct.r 1812.

Extract of Retrenchments from the Dis-
=bursements of Mr. J. Young Paymaster at Ma-
=sulipatam &c. from the Years 1802/3 to 1807/8
which relate to the Barrack Department.-

September 1802.

Vellore,

Barrack Department.

215. Captain J. A. Fraser, Barrack Master
Charges for Lamp Oil, Earthern Ware,
Sotties &c. for Aug.t 1802. Pag.s 15-28-55

Admitted 6/16 Measures of
Lamp Oil and Cotton thread
for 1 Guard only at 3 fan.s
76 Cash each Year. ---- " 26-20

and the Difference is Retrenched
agreeably to G.O. 30.th Dec.r 1801.- 15 2 35

N.B. A similar Retrenchment
was

15211 Fort St George 17th Octr 1812.

was continued up to the Month of
November 1812, when the Charge ceased.

Ongole,

225. Captain J. H. Fraser, Barrack-
Master, Charges for Lent Bill, Car-
=then Hire, Sotties &c. for August. —

Pagodas		8 - 12 - 39
Allowed as in former Months for the rest of 1 Guard only	20 : 40	
and the Difference is Retrenched agreable to G.O. of the 30th December 1811.		17 33 39

N.B. a Similar Retrenchment was
continued up to the Month of
November 1812, when the
Charge ceased. —

January 1814. —

Nellore

15212 Fort St George 17th Oct 1812.

Nellore.

Barrack Department.

215 Captain J. A. Fraser, Barrack
216. Master, Charges Lamp Oil &c. for
the use of 1 Guard and 1 Lamp
=lighter for the Months of Novem
=ber and December 1812. Pag. 4-4-40.

allowed as in former Months Audit, for the use of 1 Guard only agreeably to G.O. 30th Dec.r 1801.	}	1-10-40

and the pay of a Lamp Lighter is Re
=trenched puntill Sanctioned by
Authority. ---------- 2 36.

N.B. A similar Retrenchment
was continued up to the Month
of June 1814. when the charge
ceased.

July

15,213 Fort St. George 17th Octr 1812.

July 1805.

Innocondah.

Barrack Department.

131 Captain Fraser, Barrack Master, charges for Sweepers Sorties, Oil, and Earthen Ware, &c. for May 1805. Amounting to Pagodas. ---------- 22-30-3.

Admitted Lamp Oil for the use of Guard, Agreeably to G.O. 30th December 1801. } " - 23 - 20

And the overcharge is Retrenched, as it appears that there are no Troops doing Duty at this Station, a few Invalids excepted. ---------- 22 12 63.

N.B. A similar Retrenchment was continued up to the Month of December 1805, when the charge ceased.

August 1805.

Tuticorin

Barrack

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Barrack Department.

295. The Barrack Master, Charges Sweep-
ers, Sorties, Oil and Earthen Ware
&c. for June 1805. Pag. 13-30-41.

Admitted the Lamp
Oil &c. for the use
of 1 Guard Allow-
-ably to the 30th
December 1805. — " 23- 20.

and the overcharge is Retrench
ed Agreeably to G.O. 30th Octr
1805. as it appears there are
no Troops doing Duty at this
Station nor Invalids expected 13 7 21.

N.B. A similar Retrenchment was
continued up to the Month
of December 1805. when the
charge ceased.

Bellemconda.
Barrack Department.

312. The Barrack Master, Charges Sweepers,

Sorties

15,215 Fort St George 17th October 1812.

Totties Oil and Earthen Ware &c. for
June 1805 ..... Pag. 2 - 9 - 25 - 6½

Admitted oil
&c. for the Year
Guard agreeable
to G.O. 30th De-
cember 1805 ..... " - 23 - 20

and the same charge is Retrench
ed as it appears there is no
Troops doing duty at this
Station a Serjeant and a
Party of Native Invalids
excepted 9 2 4½

N.B. A Similar Retrenchment was
continued up to the Month
of December 1805 when the
Charge ceased.

December 806.
Temerico Mark.
Barrack Department.

185. The Barrack Master, Charges for Sweepers,

Tottes

15216 Fort St George 14th Oct.r 1812.

Tolies, Lamplighters, Oil &c.a for Au=
=gust 1806. Pagodas. . . 12-39-59.

Admitted Oil &c.a
for 8 Europeans &
Oil for 1 Main=
Guard only. . . . . } 2-7-7½

and the difference accordingly
is Retrenched Agreeably to
G.O. 30th December 1807. — 10 31 6½

N.B. A Similar Retrenchment was
continued up to the Month
of February 1807. when the
Charge ceased. . . . . .

July 1807.

Corkadelly.

Barrack Department

141. The Barrack Master charges for=
16⅞ Measures of Oil for 3 Gates for
June 1807. Pagodas. . . . . 3-25-40.

Which is Retrenched=

agreably

15217 Fort St George 17th October 1812.—

Agreeably to G.O. 31st December 1811. ... 3 25

/ True Extract /

/ Signed / Chs. Rundall
1st Lt. & Ad. A. G.

Memorandum Shewing the dates when the foregoing Retrenchments were dispatched to the Paymaster.—

September 1802. Dispatched 30th December 1802.
January 1804. Do 17th Nov. 1805
July 1805. Do 18th Nov. 1805
August 1805. Do 4th Jan. 1806.
December 1806. Do 23d April 1807.
July 1807. Do 23d Nov. 1807.

/ Signed / Chs. Rundall.
Lt. & Ad. Int. Qrs. Genl.

/ A true Copy /

/ Signed / H. Crawley.
S. Pm. G.—

Extract.

15218 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Extract of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of Mr. H. Wilson Paymaster at Vizagapatam &c. for the year 1803/4 which relate to the Barrack Department.

February 1804.

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Barrack Department.

1 Captain F. Wilson Barrack Master charges for cocoanut oil for the Native troops, arms & Lamps ail Earthen Ware and Lamp Lighter for December 1803. Pagodas 3-41-32

Admitted the Lamp oil &c. for the use of Guard agreeably to G.O. 30th December 1801. ..... } 23-20

And the over charge is retrenched as it appears that there are no troops doing duty in this Garrison 3 18 12

N.B. a similar Retrenchment was continued up to the Month of April 1804 when the charge ceased.

A true Extract

Signed Chas. Rundall
1st Lt. & Adjt.

Memorandum shewing the date when the foregoing Retrenchment was dispatched to the Paymaster.

February 1804. Dispatched 29th May 1804. Signed C. Rundall. 1st Lt. & Adjt.

A true Copy
Signed W. Dansey
Lieut.

Extract

Extract of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of Wm. J. L. Smith, Paymaster at Vellore &c.a from the Years 1805/6 to 1806/7 which relate to the Barrack Department. —

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Sent to Madras 1812.

No. of Vouchers

July 1805.

Kistnaghery,

Barrack Department.

236 Captain Fraser, Barrack Master charges Barrack Articles and Servants for the use of the Companys troops at this Station for June 1805. Pagodas. - - - - - - - - - - 9-22-64

This place not appearing to be Garrisoned by any troops whatever, tho' the Barrack Master states that oil is issued for the Arms of Men of the 1st. Battalion 18th. Regiment N. I. the above charges are Retrenched until the Barrack Master Explains on what-

account the Articles &c. were provided. - - - - - - - - - - 9 22 64.

N.B. a Similar Retrenchment was Continued up to the Month of November 1805, when the Charge ceased.

August 1806.

Amboy.

Barrack Department.

81. The Account of this Abstract is returned and the Voucher herewith returned for the following reasons - the Quantities of Oil required for the different Guards &c. not being Specified, nor the prices Certified, agreeably to the Regulations, and no Return of the troops, doing duty in the Garrison, is annexed to the Abstract. - - - - - - - - - -

of 30th December 1805. –

N.B. A similar Retrenchment was continued up to the Month of November 06, when the charge ceased. –

(A true Extract)

(Signed) Chas. Rundall

1st Asst. M. A. G. –

Memorandum Shewing the Dates when the foregoing Retrenchments were dispatched to the Paymaster. –

July 1805. Dispatched 3d December 1805.

August 1806, ... Do. 27th November 1806.

(Signed) Chas. Rundall.

1st Asst. M. A. G.

(A true Copy)

(Signed) W. Ormsby

Lieut. R. –

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List of Retrenchments Oct. 1812

Extract of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of Wm W. H. Gordon Pay Master at Seringapatam &c. in 1801/2, 1802/3 and 1805/6 which relate to the Barrack Department. —

No. of Vouchers.

April 1802. —

Mudgherry and Murgasee. —

Barrack Department.

Captain A. Grant Barrack Master Charges for Barrack Articles for the above Garrisons for the Months of May, June, July, August, September, October, and December 1801, and January, February, March, and April 1802. Amounting to Pagodas

905 — 41 — 10.

These Garisons having been without troops for the whole period for which Barrack Articles are charged, the amount drawn as above is inadmissible and —

No. 22 Extract &c. Gordon Pay Master Seringapatam 1812

A Similar Retrenchement was continued up to the 30th June 1806, when the Charges ceased. —

Mudgherry. —

180. The Barrack Master charges Barrack Articles &c. for this Garrison for September Pagodas ..... 15- 9- 20.

Which is Retrenched as there are no troops of any Discription at this Station ..... 15 9 20.

Mergasee. —

81. The Barrack Master Charges Barrack Articles and Oil for this Garrison for September Pagodas ..... 10- 39- 0.

Which is Retrenched as there are no troops of any Discription at this Station ..... 10 39 0.

Tooriboondah.

213. The Barrack Master charges Barrack Articles and Oil for this Garrison for September Pagodas 19- 13- 50

Charge of the Retrenchments 1812.

Which is retrenched vide preceding Remark. ——— 1913.56.

A Similar Retrenchment for the Garrisons of Mudgherry, Mergasee, & Goorikandah was continued up to the 30th June 1866. when the Charge ceased.

A true Extract
Signed Chas. Rundall.
1st Lieut. M. A. F.

Memorandum, shewing the dates when the foregoing Retrenchments were Dispatched to the Paymasters. —

April 1862. Dispatched 2d July 1862.
May 1862. ..... Do 3d Augt 1862.
October 1865. ..... Do 24th February 1866.

Signed Chas. Rundall.
1st Lieut M. A. F.

A true Copy
Signed W. Ormsby
Lieut. 13. —

1913.56. Fort St. George 1st October 1913.

A Similar Retrenchment was continued up to the 30th June 1826, when the Charges ceased. —

Mudgherry. —

180. The Barrack Master charges Barrack Articles &c. for this Garrison for September Pagodas. . . . . 15-9-20.

Which is Retrenched as there are no troops of any Discription at this Station. . . . . 15 9 20.

Mergasee. —

81. The Barrack Master Charges Barrack Articles and oil for this Garrison for September Pagodas. . . . . 10-39-0.

Which is Retrenched as there are no troops of any Discription at this Station. . . . . 10 39 0.

Sooribandah.

213. The Barrack Master charges Barrack Articles and oil for this Garrison for September Pagodas. 19-13-50

1825 Copies of Charges 1826.

which is retrenched pvde preceeding Remark. ——— 1913 5d.

A Similar Retrenchment for the Garrisons of Mudgherry, Mergasee, & Goorihandah was continued up to the 30th June 1816. when the Charge ceased.

A true Extract
Signed Chas. Rundall.
1st Lieut M. A. G.

Memorandum, shewing the dates when the foregoing Retrenchments were Dispatched to the Paymasters.

April 1802. Dispatched 2d July 1802.
May 1802. ..... Do 3d Augt 1802.
October 1805. ..... Do 24th February 1806.

Signed Chas. Rundall
1st Lieut M. A. G.

A true Copy
Signed W. Brumley
Lieut 13.

1st Lieut Rundall 1816

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to state, that as the Audits forwarded by you, may probably have been made subsequently to the period at which the Committee of finance closed their proceedings, it will be desireable that the Military Board should have the means of explaining this particular point in Reporting on the Subject referred by Government.—

The board have therefore instructed me to request that they may be favored with another Copy of these Audits exhibiting the dates at which the Retrenchments were actually made, as those Received, do not afford this information, which they are of opinion is necessary to be ascertained in Justice to the Committee of finance.—

With

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With reference to the latter part of your letter in which it is stated that "the Statements "of Barrack Charges furnished to the "Committee of Military finance were "extracted from the Disbursements of "the different Paymasters without "reference to the Retrenchments "made therefrom" I am desired to ex=press the Request of the Board that you will favor them with any information in your power Rela=tive to the source from whence these Statements were furnished to the Committee.

(Signed) W. Grunsby.
Lieut. B.

Fort St. George.
17th October 1812.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) W. Grunsby
Lieut. B.

To

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To The Secretary to the,

Military Board

Fort St George,

Sir,

I have received your letter dated the 10th Instant acknowledge=ing the receipt of my letter of the 30th Ultimo, with its enclosures, and have the honor to acquaint You as follows for the information of the Military Board. -

I have affixed a Memo=randum at the end of each of the Ex=tracts of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of the General Pay=masters which relate to the Bar=rack Department, shewing the dates on which the Retrenchments were dispatched to the Paymasters

respectively

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Respectively - the Extracts are accord-
=ingly herewith returned. -

The Statements of -
Barrack Charges alluded to in the last-
=ter part of my letter to you of the
30th Ultimo, were furnished to the
Committee of Military Finance -
from this Office in May 1806. at the
Request of that Committee. -

/Signed/ P. Bruce
M.F. Genl.

Mil.y Aud.r Genl.s Office.
Fort St George
13th Octr. 1812.

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ W. Ormsby
Lieut.

To The Honble Sir J.H. Barlow Bt. & K.B.
Govenor in Council
&c &c &c

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Honble Sir,

I have the honor to

from the Milit.y
Board. Replying
to Para.s of a Genrl
Letter

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Letter from the Honble the Court of Directors - dated the 23d Jany. 1811. —

to submit for the consideration of your Honor in Council our Report upon the several Paragraphs of a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated the 23d January 1811, and communicated for our information and Guidance on the 17th December 1811, together with the Resolutions of your Honor in Council on the orders of the Honorable Court.—

Paragraphs 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, relative to Storing grain & the Establishment of a Commissariat as alluded to by the Honble Court & suggested by Lt. Col. Brunton.

2. The Establishment of the Commissariat Department and the success which has attended it, renders it, in our opinion, almost unnecessary to offer any reply to these several Paragraphs beyond that which is contained in our successive Reports of the Dates noted in the Margin wherein we have detailed our sentiments

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1st Augt 1811.
9th Augt 1811.
13th Feby 1812.
20th Feby 1812
23d May 1812
17th Septr 1812
10th Octr 1812.

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sentiments upon the efficiency and
economy which has been the Result
of the Regulations Established by
your Honor in Council, for the Conduct
of this Department.—

3. These Regulations have
so clearly Defined the Principles upon
which the Commissariat is
to be Conducted, that we presume
the Honorable Court will be sa-
tisfied, that in the organization
of this great and important Depart-
ment, every provision has been
made for ensuring the strictest
economy as well as that efficiency
which it must be confessed did not
exist previously to its formation.—

4. On a due Consideration
of the Suggestions contained in the
letter

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Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Brunton, in are not aware that any Rules and Regulations arise out of them, which it would be expedient to introduce for the guidance of the Commissariat General, and we shall therefore proceed to consider the General Question, relative to the expediency of storing Grain, which has met the consideration of the Honorable Court.

5. The very heavy expence which has been incurred within these few Years in supplying grain to the Troops on occasions of Scarcity, would seem to point out the Necessity of guarding against the serious Consequences which result from a failure

of

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of the periodical rains and consequent scarcity. The Establishment of Depots of Grain at the principal Stations must therefore be considered as an object of much importance. The Extent of these Depôts we conceive should be regulated according to the Number of Troops at these Stations, calculating the supply for a period not less than Six Months.

6. Unless this measure be adopted, we are of opinion, that the Government cannot be secured against the recurrence of Demands, similar to those, which have been so frequent of late Years, and which have entailed an expenditure far

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far beyond any Expence, which we
can incur pounds result from the
Establishments of Depôts of grain
for the use of the Troops at the
principal Stations of the Army.

7. The immediate expence
for the purchase of Grain will no
doubt be considerable; but the
advantage of securing to the troops
a Stock of Grain independent of the
resources of the Market, as also
the saving which will be effected
in case it shall be necessary to
issue Rice to the Troops, are objects
of so much importance that we are
persuaded every principle of Mili-
tary arrangement and General
economy, dictates the adoption of
this

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this Measure.—

8. Under the existing Regu-
=lations of this Government it is provided
that, when the price of Rice shall exceed a
certain rate, the troops are to receive
compensation in Money in lieu
thereof, an arrangement which seems
to meet the views with which it was
adopted, in Stations where the number
of Troops is small; but at those Sta-
=tions where there are large bodies of
Troops, it is evidently expedient to have
the means of subsisting them independ-
=ent of the Market, for if Riots ensue
among the Inhabitants in consequence
of the scarcity, the service of the troops
may be required for the maintenance
of order, but if the troops were not
supplied from the Stores, instead of

suppressing

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suppressing irregularities, they might join in those disturbances to the detri-
=ment of the Public Service and private property. ~

9. It will no doubt sometimes happen that the state of the ~ Markets will render it unnecessary to issue grain from the Public Stores, it will in that case, be advisable for the Government to give General au-
=thority to the Commissary General, ~ to dispose of the grain in store in such manner, as that Officer may consider most advantageous to the Public In-
=terests, and should the principle be adopted, we conceive that it should be an especial part of the Commissa-
=ry General's duty to make such ar-
=rangements as would enable him to

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to sell off the quantity in Store and to replace it at such times, as grain may be procurable at cheap rates. This is a point however which must necessarily be left to the Judgement of the Commissary General, as no Regulation could, we apprehend, be established which would be attended with any advantage to the Government relative to the mode or to the time of Disposing of the Rice in Store. —

10. On the next material Question for Consideration, in what way can the Requisite Supplies of Grain be Kept in Store in the most efficient and economical manner? We are of opinion that at what ever Station it may be resolved to

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to Establish Depôts of Grain, Granaries
should be constructed on the best and
most efficient principles, or otherwise the loss by Wastage must be
considerable. To enable the Commis-
=sariat to conduct its duties in
an efficient and economical man-
=ner, it is indispensible that build-
=ings capable of preserving Grain
and other Stores, should be allotted for
the purpose; and it must be evident
that unless Granaries constructed
upon proper principles are estab-
=lished, that an arrangement of this
importance must be defective, in-
=efficient, and expensive. The pre-
=servation of Grain is an Object that
requires considerable attention, and
unless every precaution be taken by

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lodging it in such Buildings that are perfect in
- ly dry and secure from the Depredations & ta
of Vermin; the decay would be very
paid, and in a short time the loss would be
- ceed the expence necessary to erect
permanent Buildings. -

As the Regulations esta- -blished for the guidance of the Commissa- -riat Department of this Country, the arrangements for Storing Grain should be considered to be entrusted to the discretion of that Officer, subject to the Confirmation of Government, and in an opinion that the general Interests of the Commissariat throughout its several Departments warrants the Expectation, that the exertions of its Officers in Establishing Depôts

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Depôts of grain would secure the greatest efficiency and there can be no doubt that if a General system for that purpose were once established, the grain may generally be stored at rates considerably lower than the rate at which it would be issued to the Troops. on the contrary, if Depôts of grain be not kept up and be only formed when a reason of scarcity actually occurs, the grain will in all probability be supplied, if it can be supplied at all, at rates far beyond the rates of issue, and consequently the Public will be liable to sustain considerable losses.

12. In concluding this subject we beg leave to express our opinion that at all the Stations where the number of Troops are considerable, Granaries should

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should be maintained sufficiently ex-
=tensive to enable the Government to
store a quantity of Grain which
will be sufficient to prevent the
Troops from suffering from the ef-
=fect of Scarcity.

13. When this Scheme was
first submitted for the Consideration
of the Military Board and Subse=
=quently approved by Government, it
certainly held out the expectation of
a favorable result; but a reference
to our Reports dated the 13th Novem-
=ber 1809, and 5th February 1810, will
shew that obstacles occurred to the
fulfilment of those expectations.
In the preparation of the Contract
between the Government and Mr.
Withers all due delay took place which
prevented

paragraphs 11th, 12th - Scheme storing grain. Sketch simply on the principle of advance of Money to officers for purpose of enabling him buy grain. certain period.

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presented the advance of Money being
made at as early a period as could be
wished; and altho' Mr. Nethercall com-
=pleted his purchases, he did not de-
=rive that advantage from the arrange
=ment which in the first instance
he had anticipated. The amount ad-
=vanced to him was Pagodas 20,000 of
which Sum he brought to accounts
Pagodas 10,000 and in a letter dated
3d February 1809. he stated that the
uncommon productiveness of the last
Carroa Crop and the very promising ap-
=pearance of the Pishacanum then in
the ground, had contributed to dimi-
=nish the price of Paddy to a far lower
rate than when he purchased it. He
therefore solicited permission to keep
the grain in Store until such time
as

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as the price should prove to the Board at which it was when he laid it in. This Request was accordingly complied with, and subsequently, in the Month of Sept. = ember he solicited permission to = transfer to the account of the Honorable Company 31/4 Candy which remained unsold at Pitchinopoly. This was = considered ineligible, but under the

orders of Government dated 23d. Sept. Bd. Mr. Wetherall was directed to dispose of the above quantity on such terms as he should deem most advan- = tageous and to bring the balance out = standing, in account of the advance above mentioned, to account, on the 1st of January instead of the time = Stipulated in the Contract. He was however authorized to transfer to the

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the Department of the garrison stores
Rupees 105 Price which had been stored
at Tanjore, and which could not be dis-
=posed of in consequence of the Troops
having been withdrawn from that
Station. —

4. An eventual loss on the sale
of this latter quantity amounting to
Pagodas 1084 was sustained, and the
result of this first experiment must
therefore be considered as unfavorable.
If it were practicable to enter into
Contracts of the nature which was giv-
=en to Mr Rotherall, under adequate
security for their due fulfilment, we
have no doubt but that it would be
advisable to enter into them: and if
this should be resorted to in preference
to the measure of storing grain directly
on

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on the public account, we think that it might be accomplished with more success under existing circumstances - than at the time, the Contract was - arranged with Mr. Withnall. Because the Commissary General has more im- - mediately the means of judging of the terms of such Contracts, and because the Officers of his Establishment in the Divisions would be a proper check upon the Contractors and see that their Agreements were duly fulfilled. In the instance of Mr. Withnall he was both Contractor and Storekeeper, than which there could not in our Judgment be two Situations more completely incompatible with one another. -

15. On referring to the Report of the Military Board dated the 12th

Paragraphs 38, 39 - Stores - captured in the Dutch - Settlements of Sadras & Pulicat purchased. -

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October 1807, and to the Statement of valuation which accompanied it, we find that these Stores were estimated at the value which they bore agreeably to the Table of Rates in our Office. This Table Comprehends serviceable and Repairable Stores, and under whatever head each Article is found to be on inspection, the Valuation corresponding with the rates assigned to their State is admitted by us. This Explanation will we trust be Satisfactory to your Honor in Council. —

Serviceable-full value
Repairable-two thirds.

Paragraph 162. Chapel at Cuddalore. — 16. On reference to the proposition contained in the Reverend Mr. Thompson's letter upon this Subject, we find that he considered a Bungalow Room with a Verandah capable of containing 2 or 300 Persons would be

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be sufficient for the object he had in view, and the expence of which he Calculated would not at the utmost exceed five or Six hundred Pagodas. The Estimate which was prepared by the Chief Engineer, appears to have been drawn up on a due Calculation of the extent of work to be executed and the prices at which the Necessary materials could be procured at Cuddalore. No date is given by the Reverend Mr Thompson and it is not therefore practicable to make any comparison, which could lead to a Satisfactory conclusion. It is to be apprehended that this Gentleman could not have acquired much information relative to the expence of workmanship or materials at the period when he made the above

Calculation,

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calculation, and we can only on this oc-
=casion, state in support of the Estimate
prepared by the Chief Engineer, that
it nearly corresponds in amount with
those Estimates for Chapels which have
subsequently received the Sanction of your
Honor in Council. The Estimate for this
Chapel not having been approved of, no
expence has been incurred on this account.

Paragraph 163. Syrian Roofing. 17th. On the Subject of this
Paragraph, we beg leave to refer to our
report of the 20th February last, and to
state, that since that period we have
not received any information, from
which we are enabled to form any opi-
=nion on the propriety of introducing
the Syrian mode of roofing into the
buildings at this Presidency.

Paragraph 164. Improvements of the interior of Seringapatam. 18. In a Report of the military

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Military Board dated 23d May 1808, a State-
ment of the expence which had been
incurred on account of the Works re-
commended by the Committee of Health,
was submitted to Government, the amount
of which was Pagodas 35,828, and in
continuation of this Statement we have
now the honor to lay before your Honor
in Council on account of the expence
which has been incurred since that
period, amounting to Pagodas 7,925.

No 1.

Paragraphs 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, - Agreement with Mr. Wathen. all for keeping up a supply of Grain in the district of Trichinopoly.

19. The Subject of these Paragraphs having been adverted to at the commencement of this Report it does not seem necessary to enter on any further Discussion of the Subject.-

Paragraph 151. Agreement for the supply of grain at Hydrabad concluded at Hyderabad by the Deputy Adjt. Genl. without our Authority.

20. In Conformity with the Resolution of Your Honor in Council, the Adjutant General of the Army was

called

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called upon to record his Points of
dissent to the opinions expressed in
our Report of the 20th August 1811.
We have not however received from
that Officer any Communication of
his Sentiments upon this Subject,
but shall submit it for the Consid-
eration of Government, as soon as it
shall be recorded upon our Proceedings.

Paragraph 54. Contract for the supply of Spirits concluded with Messrs. Balfour & Baker for 5 Years.

21. The difference in the price
of a Lagier of Arrack and the rate
paid to the Contractors adverted to in
this Paragraph arises from the Allow-
ance granted under the Terms of Con-
tract, on account of the expence in-
curred by the Custody of the Arrack,
Servants Wages, Buildings, Cooperage,
and a variety of Charges which were fully
stated in a Report from the Military
Board

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Board dated 13th October 1806.—

Paragraph 53. Contract for the supply of Water Casks.

22. In our Report of the 4th January 1811, we have dispensed the Subject of this Paragraph, and a new Contract upon more advantageous terms has been concluded with Messrs. Balfour and Baker. A Considerable saving has accrued under the operation of this Contract, since its renewal on the 1st January 1811.—

Paragraph 23. Officers Guard Room at Bellary.

23. At the period when the necessity of erecting a guard room at Bellary was brought under the Consideration of the Military Board, it appears that a Company of Europeans were employed on Duty at the upper Fort, and as there was no place upon which a Tent could be pitched, the measure of Constructing a Room for the

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the officers attached to the Europeans on duty became indispensible. On referring to the report of the Board with which the Estimate for this Building was submitted to me I do not find that the above circumstance was brought to the notice of Government. —

Paragraph 249. supply of salt Provisions — 24. On this subject we beg leave to refer to our Report of the 24th January 1811, on Extracts of a Journal Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated 6th April 1809. —

Paragraphs 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255. — Storing Provisions Fort St. George. 25. With respect to the Question stated by the Honorable Court, how far it might be practicable in the event of any attack from without or insurrection within, to procure a sufficient supply of Provisions — at a few hours Notice from the Black Town

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Sirs, we have the honor to observe that in the Consideration of this Question, it becomes necessary to advert to the Discription of Enemy with whom Government in all probability would to have to Contend. —

26. We conceive it may be assumed that from the nature of the Defences of Fort St George, the extent of its Garrison, and the Difficulties of Landing upon the Coast, that no European Enemy could make an attack between the Fort and Clives Battery, and Consequently could not possess themselves of the resources of the Black Town. — The Enemy approach must therefore be made either from the Southward of the Fort or the N.W. Quarter, in either of

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of which cases, there could be sufficient time to introduce into the Fort the requisite supply of Provisions— The resources of the black Town might possibly afford the means of supply but we are doubtful of the expediency of relying upon those resources.—

27. We are of opinion that it would be more advisable for the Government to enter into a Contract upon such terms, as would ensure a specific quantity of Provisions being at all times available for the use of the Troops— The Government are no doubt aware that the Naval Contractor is obliged to keep in Store for the use of the Navy Supplies of Salt Provisions and such other Articles as would be required during a period of Seige, and it

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it may therefore, we conceive, be practicable
to engage with the Contractor, to keep a
supply sufficient for a Specified period,
for a given number of Troops, to be at
the Command of Government and to ensure
the due performance of the Engagement,
that the Provisions should be subject
to such inspection, either Monthly or
quarterly as might be determined on
by the Contracting parties. An Engage
=ment of this nature would certainly
occasion a positive Expence, but it
cannot be to any great amount, as
the Contractor possess all the means
of fulfilling it, without incurring
much additional expence or risk to
themselves, and we are decidedly of Opi.
=nion that the safety of this Fortress
should not be endangered by too rigid
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an attention to economy on a point of so much importance - The resources of the Black Town might generally speaking afford, all the requisite means of subsis-=tence with the exception of Salt Provi-=sions, and it is to be apprehended that the Stores of the Naval Contractors would be the only source of supply for this Article, in a case of emergency, and how far it might be considered expedient to seize upon the supplies intended for His Majesty's Navy, is a Question we do not conceive it Neces-=sary to discuss at this moment. With respect to the Article of Rice we have only to refer to the opinion expressed in another part of this Re-=port and to state generally that a Quantity of grain should at all times be

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be stored in the Granary on the North
beach, from whence it can be removed
to the Fort without any difficulty.-

Paragraph 25th
Account of
Capt. Johnson
late Superintendant
of Bringaries

28. The Communication
forwarded to me by orders of your
Honor in Council under Date the 5th
May 1810. having been referred for
the report of Major McIntosh Superin-
-intendant of Bazars with the Hy.
=drabad Subsidiary Force, his Reply
has been submitted with my Report
on the Extracts of a Penual Letter
from the Honorable the Court of Di=
=rectors dated 9th Augt. 1809.-

x dated 20th
Feby. 1812.

Paragraphs 26,
27, 28th
on the failure
of the works in
the Garrison of
Fort St George.
2d Powder mills.
3d Statements
of loss in Provi-
-sion Stores from
Feby. 1806. to
Jany. 1807.-

29. On the first of these
Paragraphs which has reference to
-the loss of a material Document
connected with the Discussion re-
=lative to the failure in the works
of

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of Fort St. George, we have the honor to report that our enquiries after this Document have been fruitless and we are therefore unable at this period to offer any further explanation Re=garding this Subject. —

3d. With respect to the Subject of the 2d. Paragraph, we have the honor to express our regret that the explanations afforded by the Mili=tary Board should not have proved satisfactory to the Honorable the Court of Directors, but the misformed state of the Powder Manufactory and the advantages which result from its Establishment, has we trust, already justified the Expence which has been incurred in the Construc=tion of the Powder Mills. —

The

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31. The excess of Wastage adverted to in the last Paragraph is to be ascribed to the great importations of Rice from Bengal on account of the Famine which prevailed throughout this Presidency in 1876 and upon which a Deficiency between Weight & Measurement to a Considerable amount was experienced on the issue of Rice under the orders of Government.

We have the honor to be,

Sir

Your

Fort St George
16th Oct. 1812.

(Signed) E. Stephen
" Rob. Bell,
" G. Bruce,
" T. H. Conway,
" T. Blacker,
" W. Morison.

Statement,

Statement for Continuation of Expenses incurred on Account of works Executed at Seringapatam at the Recommendation of the Committee of Health for the Salubrity of that Garrison.

Nature of Work	Amount of the Bill.	Under what Authority.	Recommended
As per Statement furnished 23d May 1808	25,828 30 50		
Register of Houses removed for improving the Streets.	2474 20	Committee of Health	23 May 1808.
Constructing several Small Drains in the Fort under the Orders of the Committee of Health.	1280 1 58	Do.	6th June "
Constructing Drains in Mootiah Tappiah & and Ranchajee Lanes	709 36 78	Do.	9th Aug.t "
Constructing a Drain from Pannick Street to the Bottom of Flag Staff Street, and one along Hoskidy Street	1715 17 62	Do.	9th Aug.t "
Constructing Drains in front of the Bungalow			

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Street, Dobawany Humbug herry Lanes. -	10 7 7	1 7 7	Do.	19. Sept.r ..
Constructing a Drain in Coondal Nag Street Adjoining one near the Gun Carriage Yard. -	358. 38 4 7		Do.	2. Jan.y 1809.
Value of two Houses taken down for the Salubrity of the Port.	139		Do.	14.th Aug.t ..
Pay to Establishment Employed to 10 Sept.r 1808. when it ceased.	66 16 5 ..		Do.	1.st Feb.y ..
	Pagoas.	13,653 13 12.		

Military Board Office
Fort St. George.
10.th October 1812. —

E.E.P.r.
Signed W.m Ormsby
Lieut.t

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To the Honorable,

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

Governor in Council

&c &c &c

No. 11.

Military Bulletin

From the Military Board— Reporting the Expence of the Commissariat contrasted with the expences under the former system of supply & noticing the Experiment of Tents made up agreably to the plan recommended by the Commander in Chief in India.—

1. In pursuance of the intention expressed in the 7th Paragraph of our Report under date the 13th Feby. last, we have never the honor to report that a Comparative Statement of the Expences incurred on the supply of Military Stores at the out Stations of the Army by the Commissariat contrasted with the former System of supply has been prepared, and we feel much Satisfaction in stating that our Expectations on this Subject have not been greatly Disappointed, as the

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the saving effected has been found to be equal
to 42-19 per Cent on the whole amount
expended during the first 12 Months of
the operations of the Commissariat.—
From a Comparison—
2.
which has been made, as particular-
ly stated in the 10th Paragraph of our
Report dated the 8th August 1811, and
adverted to in the above mentioned pa-
ragraph of the Report of the 13th Fe-
bruary, it appeared that the saving
had been equal to 44 per Cent; this
Comparison however was formed from
only one Months Accounts of the late
Commissaries of Supplies, and as
throughout the Year the Charges have
been variable, the Difference between
that Calculation and the present one
is five per Cent.—

In

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3. In the Abstract following the 5th. Paragraph of the Letter Report the whole amount of the Expences incurred from December 1810, to November 1811, inclusive is stated to be Pagodas 17,171: 36: 4. and calculating the saving at 42-19. per Cent upon that amount, there has been a Reduction in the Supply of Stores at the out Stations of Pagodas 7,2114-38-36, that is the Stores would have cost under the former System Pagodas 24,4,1852-9-40. instead of Pag.s 17,17,1: 36.4.

4. We had the honor, in the Report already adverted to, of shewing the amount of the Bills for the Supply of Military Stores, at the Presidency and of the actual saving below the Agency Rates for these supplies being

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being Star Pagodas 27 824: 29, 46, and
the above amount added to this gives
a total saving of Pagodas 35,569. 23. 22,
during the first 12 months of the
Commissariat. —

5. The Detailed State-
-ments on which this Result has —
been found of Course include, the
amount of each Article supplied
on each Indent at every Station
of the Army, they seem therefore to
be too Voluminous to be forward-
-ed with a Report of this kind, we
trust however that what has already
been stated, will be considered —
Satisfactory. —

6. In Concluding this —
Report on the Supply of Military
Stores, it seems incumbent on us
to

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10. With respect to the quali-
=ty of these Tents we have much satis-
=faction in submitting to your Ho-
=nor in Council, a Copy of the Proceed
=ings of a Committee of our Board —
who surveyed them, and from whose
report it may be concluded that they
will be found of a more durable qua-
=lity than any which have hitherto
been supplied. — The Opinion of His
Excellency the Commander in Chief —
noticed in these Proceedings supports
the Sentiments expressed by the Com-
=mittee, and we have no doubt that
the correctness of their opinion will
be confirmed by the Result with res-
=pect to their efficiency. —

11. One hundred and Fifty
Tents of the same pattern having been
made

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made up at Vasulipatam the
Bills for the expence incurred have
been certified in the usual man
=ner, and we derive much Satis-
=faction in laying before your
Honor in Council a Copy of the
No 3. Commissary Generals Minute,
in which it is clearly pointed out
that the Assistant Commissary
General in the Northern Division
has constructed those Tents at
rates which correspond, under all
circumstances, with those pro=
=vided at Fort St. George.

Fort St. George
16th Octr 1812.

We have the honor to be
&c &c
(Signed) E. Stephen
R. Bell
T. H. Conway.
V. Blacker.

Minute

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to add, that the Supplies have all been of the most efficient kind, and that no Complaint against their Quality has in any one instance come to our knowledge. —

7. We now beg leave to advert to the Expences incurred in the Supply of Camp Equipage authorized by your Honor in Council on the 6th September 1811, to be made up agreeably to the Plan recommended by the Commander in Chief in India.

8. The Commissary General in forwarding for the purpose of being certified a Bill of the Assistant of this Department at the Presidency for the Supply of 200 private Tents of the Bengal Pattern, laid before us at the same time a Minute of which the

No. 1. —

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the accompanying is a Copy, wherein he has entered into a Calculation of the ultimate comparative expence of Supplying Tents of this pattern and of the old private Tent hitherto in use at this Presidency; but this is a question which, as he observes, can only be determined by experience, & tho' the Calculation of the Commissary General, seems to be founded on correct principles. -

9. With respect to the rates at which those Tents have been made up, we have the honor to report that they are lower than the Table of rates in the proportion of 76. to 45 Pagodas as particularly described in the Commissary Generals Minute, above alluded to. -

With

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in providing Bengal private Tents for the European Troops, will not however be so great as the proportion just mentioned, because they will last much longer, The Walls of the Bengal private Tents cannot be considered so much exposed as the private Tent of the Old pattern, and they will consequently last so much the longer, The Walls of the Bengal Tent will I think last as long as three common Tents, upon the well known principle, that in Tents which have flies, the Walls are considered to last three time as long as the flies, and presuming that the Walls will last twice as long as the Tent of Old pattern, the following Calculation will exhibit the ultimate expence of the new description of

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of Private Tents compared with that
of the Camp Equipage hitherto in use.

		P	L	C
The price of three flies	may be saved on	54	-	-
The price of one Shell		13	-	-
The price of two Walls		12	-	-
		92	-	-

The above mounts last as long
as three Private Tents of
the pattern which mounts
cost ..... 40 - 22 - 40

Difference 52 - 22 - 40

But the Bengal Tents
as already stated cover
twenty five Men, and
consequently the Actual
difference of expense will
be as Pagodas 92 - to Pag.s 81 -
nearly; or under this view
of the Subject - Pagodas ... 11 - " - "
only

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only, in the provision of
Cover for 25 Europeans &
if 30 Men are allotted to
each Tent, which I think
very practicable, the Diff-
-ference will be Still
less. -

4. The correctness
of this Calculation can of course be
=verified only by experience, and I
recommend for that purpose, that the
accounts of the repairs of these Tents
may be so arranged that this point
may be determined at a future period.
In the mean time the above view
of the Question with I am persuaded
be sufficient to prove that no com-
-parison of the actual expence of
the Tents can be formed by a mere

reference

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reference to the prime cost of each description of Camp Equipage, — and whether the real Difference be more or less than the sum I have — above estimated. I have no hesitation in expressing a decided opinion, that the saving of the lives of the Men by the superior accommodation which the Bengal private Tents are calculated to afford, will more than compensate for the actual difference of expence which may eventually be found to have been incurred by the adoption of them. —

5. It will remain for me to point out the difference of the cost of these Tents, as supplied by the Commissariat, contrasted with

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with the proportionate value which
they would bear according to the Table
of rates. Afield Officers Tent accord
-ing to that Table costs Pagodas 107.12.4
and consists of 541 yards of Cloth of the
kind which has been employed in
making the Bengal Tents, the latter
Tents contain only 403 Yards of that
Cloth and according to the proportionate
value of the Table of rates, they would
thus have cost about 76 Pagodas each,
But the accompanying Bill will
shew that each Tent has been provid-
-ed by the Commissariat, at an Expence
of Pagodas 45-:0-:19 only; on a Supply
of 210 therefore, the saving which may
be considered to have been effected by
this Department cannot be stated at
less than 6000 Pagodas; while the Cloth
of

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of which they have been made, is, I am confident far superior to that which may have been used on any former occasion under the late System; it being of Pungum procured from the public Factory at Vizagapatam, and prepared expressly for the Europe - market. after these assertions it - would be highly Satisfactory to me, if a Minute inspection were made into the particular Quality of these Tents by the Military Board. -

6. The remaining 150 Tents Required to complete the Quar- =ter Master Generals Indent have - been ordered to be made at Masuli- =patam, and I entertain every expec- =tation, that a similar result in favor of the Commissariat will be shewn

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shewn in the supply of them.- On this subject however I shall be prepared, to speak more particularly when the Bills on their account shall have reached me, and when I shall have the honor of submitting them to be certified by the Military Board.-

/signed/ W. Morrison

Com.y General

Fort St. George
8th May 1812.-

/A true Copy/

/signed/ W. Bromley

S. M. B.

Proceedings of a Committee of the Military Board, consisting of the Adjutant & Genral and Quarter Master Genral of the Army, appointed in meeting the 9th May for the purpose of surveying the 200 Tents of the New Bengal Pattern

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pattern reported by the Commissa-
=ry General to have been completed.-

The Committee -
having proceeded to examine the Tents
of the Bengal pattern, have found -
them well made and of the best ma-
=terials. The Cloths which the Commis
=sary General informs the Committee,
is by Punjum Commissioned from the
Honorable Company's Factory at
Vizagapatam, is certainly very supe-
=rior to any Cloths, which the Com-
=mittee have seen employed, for the
Contruction of Camp Equipage, and
there can be little doubt, but the Tents
will last long in proportion to the
Quality of the Cloth. His Excellency
the Commander in Chief having -

inspected

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inspected the Tents, expressed his high
approbation of their construction, and
the Quality of their Materials. -

With respect to the -
extent of accommodation which these
Tents are meant to afford, the Com-
=mittee in Reporting on this Subject,
beg leave to state the result of an -
experiment which they made for the
purpose of Determining this Question.

A Tent having been -
pitched for the purpose, after the fore-
=going Survey had been made, a Detach
=ment of Horse Artillery was brought
from the Mount, and it was found
that 20 Men with their Saddles and
Horse Accoutrements / allowing 4 Men
to be on Guard or in Hospital / could
be accommodated in it with ease
and

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and comfort, and the Committee are of opinion that these Tents when issued for the Service of Horse Artillery or Dragoons should be regulated in their number according to this proportion, that is one Tent to every 20 Men. But adverting to the room which is necessarily taken up in accommodating the Saddles and Horse Accoutrements of Horse Artillery and Dragoons, which does not apply to the case of Infantry, the Committee are of opinion that 25 Men of the latter Description of Troops, will be comfortably accommodated in one of these Tents, allowing 5 Men to be on Guard or in hospital. The Committee recommend therefore that when Tents of this pattern are issued for the service of European

Infantry

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Infantry that one Tent may be allow-
-ed to every 25 Men. -

The Committee in con-
-cluding this report beg leave to state -
their opinion that whatever increase
of expence may be at first occasioned
by the introduction of Tents of this
Discription, the comfort which the
Troops will derive and the number
of lives which will in Consequence
be saved will amply compensate for
this Expence. The Committee are also
satisfied that the increase of expence
will not be in proportion to the Dif-
-ference between the price of Tents
of the old and new patterns; are they
are persuaded that the New Tents -
from their Construction will last
much longer than those of the old
pattern

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pattern, and the exact difference of this account can only be ascertained by experience. —

Fort St. George
20th June 1812.

Signed { T. H. S. Conway
F. Blacker.

A true Copy
Signed W. Ormsby
Sec.

To the Honble the Commissary General.

With reference to the concluding paragraph of a Minute which I had the honor of record-ing at this Board on the 8th of May last, I have now the satisfaction to state that the 130 Tents of the Bengal Pattern ordered by me to be made up at Masulipatam, have been completed and delivered into Store at that place. The Bill for making

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making up one hundred of these Tents
was certified by order of the Militia-
=ry Board on the 3d Instant, and in
forwarding for the purpose of being
Certified in like manner, the ac-
=companying Bill for the Supply-
of the remaining fifty, I beg leave
to remark that the Total amount
charged for the 150 Tents appears
to have been Star Pagodas 6,817. 1. 79.
or on an average Pagodas 45. 23. 76
each, being somewhat more expensive
than those made up at Madras, which
in an average cost only Pagodas 45.
- 19- each. This is to be chiefly ascrib-
ed to the circumstance of the Cloth
having been conveyed from Ingeram
to Masulipatam, by Land, thereby
occasioning a considerable charge
for

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for Cooley Inie, while the Clothing used in the construction of the Tents at the Presidency, was conveyed on the Honorable Company's Ships from Bengal, free of expence, but this Difference will not affect in any degree the Calculations exhibited in my Minute of the 8th. of May above alluded to. —

Fort St. George
21st. Sept. 1812.

Signed W. Morrison.
Comptroller.

A true Copy
Signed W. Ormsby
S. M. B.

No. 12.
Addition.

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing Reports from the Military Board be transmitted to the Honorable the Court of Directors Numbers in the Packet by the present Dispatch. —

To

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To The Honorable,

Sir George Hilaro Barlow B.t & K.B.

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

No. 13.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to forward for the purpose of being transmitted to the Honorable the Court of Directors the Proceedings of the several Committees which have been assembled to examine the Stores consigned to this Presidency on the Ships detailed in the Margin, and we trust these Documents will prove satisfactory to the Honble Court. We

From the Mill. Board - Forwarding for transmission to England, Proceedings of Committees appointed to examine the Stores brought out on the Ships within mentioned.

Winchelsea,
Royal George
David Scott.
Cuffnells.
Asia.
Astell.
Prince Regent
Bengal
City of London
Lord Keith
Sir Wm Bensley
Anne
Harriett
Indus.
Earl St Vincent.

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We have the honor to be,
Sir
Your
Most
Obedient
Humble
Servants

Fort St. George
16th Octr. 1812.

(Signed) E. Stephen
R. Bell
P. Bruce,
T. H. S. Conway,
W. Blacker
W. Morison.

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

No. 14.

From the Milty. Board. Forwarding, for transmission to England, an Indent for Arms and Accoutrements.

Hon'ble Sir,

In obedience to the orders of Government communicated in a letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department dated the 13th instant, we have the honor to forward for transmission to the

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the Honorable the Court of Directors
an Indent for Arms and Accoutre-
=ments to the extent of the supply
suggested by the Commander in Chief
as stated per the Extract of His Excellen-
=cy's Minute which accompanied &
the Letter above acknowledged. —

We have the honor to be
Gentn
Your
Obedt. Servts

Fort St. George
15th. Octr. 1812.

/Signed/ E. Stephenson,
Rob. Bell
P. Bruce
F. H. S. Conway,
T. Blacker.
W. Morison.

Rd 15 Order thereon

Ordered that the enclo-
=sures of the foregoing Letters be
transmitted to the Honorable the
Court of Directors, numbers in the

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the Packet by the present Dispatch.

Read the following let-
=ter from the Secretary to the Mili-
=tary Board.-

To the Chief Secretary
to Government,

Sir,

With reference to the
reports of the Military Board dat-
=ed the 9th and 10th October 1809, &
to the resolution of Council un=
=der date the 28th of that Month, I
am directed to request that you
will be pleased to state to the Ho-
=norable the Governor in Council,
that Captain Chadwick late Assis=
=tant General agent for Cavalry
supplies, has received the Sum of
Pagodas 340 of the balance out-
standing

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the Honorable the Court of Directors
an Indent for Arms and Accoutre-
=ments to the extent of the supply
suggested by the Commander in Chief
as stated in the Extract of His Excellen-
=cy's Minute which accompanied &c
the Letter above acknowledged. —

We have the honor to be
Hon.ble Sirs
Your most faithful
humble Servants

Fort St. George
15th Oct. 1812.

/Signed/ E. Stephenson,
Rob. Bell
F. Bruce
T. H. Conway.
T. Blacker.
W. Morison.

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Order thereon

Ordered that the enclo-
=sures to the foregoing Letters be
transmitted to the Honorable the
Court of Directors, numbers in the

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the Packet by the present Dispatch.

Read the following let-
=ter from the Secretary to the Milit-
=tary Board.-

To the Chief Secretary
to Government,

Sir,

With reference to the
Reports of the Military Board dat-
=ed the 9th and 10th October 1809, &
to the Resolution of Council un-
=der date the 28th of that Month, I
am directed to request that you
will be pleased to state to the Ho-
=norable the Governor in Council,
that Captain Chadwick late Assis-
=tant General agent for Cavalry
Supplies, has received the Sum of
Pagodas 570 of the balance out-
standing

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The Honorable the Court of Directors

an Indent for Stores and Accoutre-

=ments to the extent of the supply

suggested by the Commander in Chief

as stated per the Extract of His Excellen-

=cy's Minute which accompanied &c

the Letter above acknowledged. —

We have the honor to be

Gentn Gentn

Your most obedt Servts

(Signed)

E. Stephenson,
Rob. Bell
P. Bruce
F. H. Conway.
T. Blacker.
W. Morison.

Fort St. George
15th Octr. 1812.

Note
Order thereon

Ordered that the enclo-

=sures of the foregoing Letters be

transmitted to the Honorable the

Court of Directors, numbers in the

15292 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

the Packet by the present Dispatch.

Read the following let-
=ter from the Secretary to the Milit-
=tary Board.-

To the Chief Secretary
to Government,

Sir,

No 10.

From the Sect.y to the Military Board reporting that Capt.n Chadwick late Asst. General Agent for Ca=valry Supplies has recovered part of the ba-lance standing against the Bullock Driv=ers in that Department, & recommending that the re=mainder be written off to profit and loss. —

With reference to the
reports of the Military Board dat-
=ed the 9th and 10th October 1809, &
to the resolution of Council un=
=der date the 28th of that Month, I
am directed to request that you
will be pleased to state to the Ho-
=norable the Governor in Council,
that Captain Chadwick late Assis=
=tant General agent for Cavalry
supplies, has recovered the Sum of
Pagodas 540. of the balance out-
standing

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=standing against the Bullock own-
=ers, in that Department, and that
there still remains a balance of Pa-
=godas 51-43-40, against the owners,
this Sum Captain Chadwick reports
he cannot recover, many of the pet-
=ty owners having changed their
place of abode and others being
totally unable to discharge the Sum
due by them, The Military Board
are fully satisfied that the exertions
of Captain Chadwick have been di-
=rected to the recovery of the balance,
and aware of the difficulties which
he must have experienced in the ad-
=justment of accounts with this
Description of persons, have directed
me to submit this your their Re=
=commendation, that Authority
may

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may be given for uniting off to the Head of Profit and Loss the above Sum of Pagodas 157. 43. 40. and that he may be relieved from all further responsibility respecting this amount which, on the eve of his Departure for Europe, the late General Agent for Cavalry Supplies has called upon him to adjust. —

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c.
(Signed) W. Brumley
L. M. B.

Fort St. George
12th Oct. 1812.

Ordered in Consequence
that the following Letter be dispatched
=ed to the Military Board. —

To

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To The President and
Members of the
Military Board.

No. 17. Sir,

To the Mily. Board. Captain Chadwick is relieved from all further responsibility on account of the balance remaining due from the Bullock owners—

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Secretary's Letter dated the 12th Instant, and to inform you that the Honorable the Governor in Council in concurrence with your Recommendation is pleased to direct that the Sum of Pagodas 157:43:40, which it has been found impracticable to recover from the Bullock owners be written off to Profit and Loss, and that Captain Chadwick be released from all further responsibility for this amount—

I have

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Fort St George
17th Octr 1812.

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

(Signed) Wm Thackeray
Chief Engr & Secrt

Read the following Letters.

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

N° 8.

From the Mil. Acct Genl. - Enclosing for transmission to England, duplicate List of pensions granted since the last general Dispatch which require the Confirmation of the Honble the Court of Directors.

Honble Sir

I have the honor to transmit herewith for transmission on to the Honorable Court of Directors a Statement, in Duplicate, of Pensions granted by Government since the last General Dispatch which are not provided for by the Regulations of the Service and require the Confirmation

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-tion of the Honorable Court of Di-
-rectors shewing the Date of the -
different grants and amounting to
Pagodas 243-35-40 per Month. -

Mil.y Aud.r Gen.l Office,
Fort St. George
16th Oct.r 1812.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most obed.t Hum.le Ser.t
(Signed) P. Bruce
M.r A.t Gen.l

To the Honorable,
Sir J. F. Barlow Bt. & K.B
Governor in Council
Fort St. George

No. 19.

Hon.ble Sir,

Trans.r Mil.y Acc.ts Genl. Inviting for transmission to England Duplicate Statements of Passage Money, and Advances of Cash paid to Officers of H. M. & the H. C. Service since the 29th Feby. 1812. -

1. I have the honor to enclose Statements in Duplicate, - shewing the payment of Passage - Money, paid at Fort St. George on account of Officers in His Majes-
-ty's and the Honorable Company's -

Service

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service proceeding to Europe since the
29th. February 1812, and the amount
of advances of Cash to officers and Men
of His Majesty's Regiments, proceed-
=ing to Europe in the present Fleet,
the former amounts to Pagodas 857/1,
6, 60 and the latter to Pagodas 2,370-
0-45 =

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

Signed J. Bruce

Mil. Acct. Genl.

To the Chief Secretary
to Government,

Sir,

I have the honor to
enclose for transmission to the Hono-
=rable the Court of Directors a list
of the Widows who have been admitted
to

Mil. Acct. Genl. Office
Fort St. George
17th. Octr. 1812.

No. 20.

From the Account-
=ant General.-
List of Widows
recently admit-
=ted to partici-
=pate in the
benefit of Lord
Clive's fund
for the Court
of Directors.

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-tion of the Honorable Court of Di-
=rectors shewing the Date of the-
different grants and amounting to
Pagodas 243-35.40 per Month.-

Mil.y Aud.r Gen.l Office,
Fort St. George
16th Oct.r 1812.

I have the honor to be
g.r g.r
Sir
Your
Most Obed.t Humble Serv.t
(Signed) P. Bruce
M. S. Genl.

To the Honorable,
Sir J. F. Barlow Bt. K.B.
Governor in Council
g.r g.r g.r

No. 19.

Honble Sir,

Trans. Mil.y Aud.r Genl. forwarding for transmission to England Duplicate Statements of Passage Money, and Advances of Cash paid to Officers of H. M. & the H. C. Service since the 29th Feby. 1812.

1. I have the honor to enclose Statements in Duplicate, shewing the amount of Passage Money, paid at Fort St. George on account of Officers in His Majes-
-ty's and the Honorable Company's
Service

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Service proceeding to Europe since the 29th February 1812, and the amount of advances of Cash to officers and Men of His Majesty's Regiments, proceeding to Europe in the present Fleet, The former amounts to Pagodas 857/1, 0, 60 and the latter to Pagodas 2,370 - 0 - 45 -

Mil.y Aud.r Genl's Office
Fort St. George
17th Oct.r 1812.

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) P. Bruce
Mr. A. Gen.l

To the Chief Secretary
to Government,

No. 20.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors a list of the Widows who have been admitted to

From the Accountant General - List of Widows recently admitted to participate in the benefit of Lord Clive's funds for the Court of Directors.

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to the participation of the bounty of Lord Clives Fund, since the date of the last list, dated the 27th Feby. last.-

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your
Obt. Servt.

Accountt. Genl. Office
Fort St. George 7th Octr. 1812.-

(Signed) J. Farrer
Acct. Genl.

List of Widows to whom the Donation from the late Lord Clives Fund has been granted since the 27th Feby. 1812.-

Names of the Widows.	Names of their Deceased Husband	Rank.
Catharine Doran.	Patrick Doran.	Matross of Artillery
Janet Cade. -	William Cade.	Serjt. of Artillery.
Elizabeth Mary Strange.	Robt. Montagnue Strange -	Col. of Infantry.
Sarah Hill. -	Joseph Fullerton Hill. -	Lt. Col. of Infantry.

Accountt. Genl. Office,
Fort St. George
7th Octr. 1812.

(Signed) T. Blair,
Asst. to Acct. Genl.

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To The Chief Secretary
of Government,

Sir

No. 21.

From the Account=ant General.= Enclosing a Re=gister of Bills dis=charged in the Military Department on account of Account Cur=rent London.

I have the honor to trans=mit herewith a Register of Bills dis=charged in the Military Department on account of Account Current London Pagodas 1274: 34: 55 Two Hundred and Seventy Seven, Fanams thirty four, & Cash fifty five.- and in which Sum that head has been debited on the Military General Books in this Month.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
your m.o
Signd/ J.r Farrow
Acct Genl.

Account.t Genl.s Office
Fort St George 9th Oct.r 1812.

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 22.

From Ditto. For=warding for transmission to England a Statement

Sir.

I have the honor to enclose in Triplicate for transmission to

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Statement of Sums Deposited in their Treasury, on account of the estates of Military persons deceased, for the quarter ending with April, 1812.

To the Honorable the Court of Directors,

Statement of the Sums Deposited in the Treasury on account of the Estates of Military Persons deceased for the Quarter ending 30th April 1812. Shewing the Sums which have been paid out again to Administrators and others, and Specifying also the Sums still remaining unclaimed.

I have the honor to be
&c &c

(Signed) J. Garrow

Accountt Genl.

Fort St. George
Account Gen. Office
14th Octr. 1812.

No 23.
Order thereon

Ordered that the Enclosures of the foregoing Letter be transmitted Numbers in the Packet by the present Dispatch.

Read the following
Reports from the Commissary General.

To

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To George Stracey Esq.
Secretary of Government
in the Milit.y Department,

No. 24.

Sir,

From the Commissary General enclosing a statement of appointments provided for the use of troops proceeding to England & to the French Islands, as well as for certain French Prisoners Equipped by order of Govt. at Fort St. George, which appointments are exclusive of those on the expence of which the Military Board reported under date the 20th Feb.y last.

In a Report submitted by the Military Board to the Honorable the Governor in Council under date the 20th February last, relative to the Expences incurred by the Commissariat in the Equipment of the Expedition to Java, there was included the following paragraph, describing the saving which had been effected by that Department in the provision of the personal appointments for the European Troops.

"The Reduction of expence in the provision of personal appointments

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"appointments for the use of the Expe-
"dition Troops on Ship Board has been
"very great. The particulars of these
"in the accounts charged to the Expedi-
"tion, are entered at length in the Com-
"parative Statement of expence, to
"which we beg leave particularly to
"refer. The rates of every Article of these
"Appointments are very considerably
"reduced, those which have been charg-
"ed in the Disbursements of the late
"Expedition, adding the charge for Com-
"mission drawn by the Town Major,
"would, at the rates included in the bills
"on account of the Expedition to Bour-
"bon and Mauritius, have Cost Pago-
"das 12535-13-17, but it appears
"that they have only cost the Sum
"of Pagodas 7426-7-10 the Difference

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"of Pagodas 15,709. 6, 7 being an ac=
"tual saving to the Government, the
"Reduction calculated to have aris-
"en by the measure of issuing 1464
"Hammocks as explained in the
"Commissary Generals Minute is
"another instance of saving proced=
"ing from the internal arrange-
"ments of the Commissariat, and
"as such we have not hesitated to
"include the amount in our com=
"parative Statement, We also an-
"nex a separate Statement shewing
"the amount of a Complete set of
"personal appointments to an Euro-
"pean Soldier as charged under the
"former System of Supply, Compa-
"red with that of the Commissariat,
"the difference being on each Set

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Pagodas 3, 23.. 32 - the Amount incurred for personal appointments on account of the Expeditions to the French Islands was equal to Pg.s 29, 273, 17, 19.

The foregoing Extract of the Military Board's Report, having had reference only to the expence incurred for the Equipments provided for the Men proceeding on the Expedition, it remains for me to submit, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, a Statement of the Appointments provided for the use of the troops returning to Europe, and proceeding to the French Islands, as well as for certain French Prisoners equiped by order of Government at Fort St George, but which appointments were not included with

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with those on the expence of which, the
Military Board reported.

No 1. The Accompanying Statement
accordingly shews the amount disbursed for
the articles in Question, and adopting the same
calculation with the Military Board the Differ-
-ence in favor of this Department in the pro-
-vision of the Appointments appears to
be Pag.s 4,179. 7. 7. in addition to the very conside-
rable Sum of Pag.s 5,109, already reported by the
Military Board to have been saved in the Supp.
-ply of Articles of this Discription. Thus -
during the first Year from the formation of
the Commissariat, there has been a saving
of Pagodas 19,288, in the provision of personal
Appointments to European Troops, and
Prisoners of War. - I have the honor to be &c.&c.

(Signed) W. Morrison.
Com.y Gen.l

Fort St. George
17th Oct.r 1812.

Statement.

No 1.

Statement shewing the actual Disbursements by the Commissariat for providing the following personal Appointments and the amount which the same number would have cost according to the former rates & the difference in favor of the Commissariat to which is annexed a Copy of the Comparative Statement for the Appointments of 100 Men sent by the Military Board to Govt. in their report of the 20th. February 1812.

Enclosure No. 1 to Letter from Lt. Col. Geo. Ll. Pye dated 15th October 1812.

Number	Rates of the former rates.	Supplies.	Amount according to the rates as shewn in the 2d Column.	Actual Cost.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
Hammocks New with the bedding.	24	3 " "	1 22 40	72 " "	36 " "	36 " "
Ditto repaired & Supplied with the New Do.	746	3 " "	" 26 62 2238	" "	443 39 12	1794 5 68
Cumblies. - - - - - - - -	1089	" 16 57	" 9 "	402 28 19	217 36 "	184 37 19.

Tin Kettles	160	1	1	"	"	14	70	163	25	"	52	40	"	110	30	"			
Do Pans	131	1	1	"	"	10	10	133	41	"	29	21	30	104	19	30			
Do Pots	867	"	16	8	"	3	40	310	8	56	67	19	40	242	34	16			
Do Plates	784	"	23	"	"	6	"	400	32	"	104	24	"	219	8	"			
Do Canteens	2907	"	25	70	"	7	"	1671	23	50	452	9	"	1219	14	50			
Wooden Spoons	933	"	1	60	"	"	60	36	12	60	15	24	60	20	33	"			
Haver Sacks	719	"	14	62	"	4	26	230	3	18	69	4	54	166	43	44			
Bheastie Bags	24	"	11	40	"	5	50	6	6	"	3	"	"	3	6	"			
Total	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5671	"	43	1491	38	36	4179	7	7			

Commissary Genl's Office,
Fort St George 9th Octr 1812.

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Signed W. Bonnisor
Com.y Genl

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Copy of a Statement shewing the amount of a Compleat Set of personal appointments to one hundred European Soldiers &c for one Man under the former System of Supply compared with the same expence by the Commissariat Department.

By the former System for 100 Men.		By the Commissariat for 100 Men.		
100 Hammocks & Bedding @ 3 Pagodas each.	300 " "	100 Hammocks at 1-32-2 each	128 42 40	
100 Cumblies @ 16 Fanams each	36 43 60	100 Cumblies at " 9 " each	20 " "	
20 Tin Kettles @ 1 Pag.a 1 Fan. each	20 20 "	20 Tin Kettles at " 14 " 70 each	6 27 40	
20 D.o Platers @ 1 Pag.a 1 Fan. each	20 20 "	20 Tin Canson plates @ " 10 " 0 each	4 22 40	
100 D.o Plates @ 23 Fanams each	57 5 "	100 Tin Plates @ " 6 " - each	13 15 "	

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100 Tin Pots @ 16 Fan.s 8 Cash each	35 35 ..	100 Tin Pots @ .. 3 .. 40 each	7 35 ..		
100 Do. Canteens at 25 Fs. 70 Cash each	57 22 40	100 Tin Canteens @ .. 7 .. each	15 25 .		
100 Wooden Spoons @ 4 Fan. 60 Cash each	3 40 ..	100 Wooden Spoons @ .. .. 60 each	1 30 ..		
8 Bheastie Bags @ 11 Fan.s 40 Cash each	2 2 ..	8 Bheastie Bags @ .. 5 .. 50 each	1		
100 Haver Sacks @ 14 Fs. 62 Cash each	32 37 40	100 Haver Sacks @ . 4 .. 26 each	9 27 40		
	561		209		
		Difference in favor of the Com.t on 168 40/100 P. Cent	352 . 60		
For one Man according to the former System	5 27 36		561 .. 60		
		For one Man by the Commissariat	2 4 4		
		Difference	3 . 23 32		
Pagodas.	5 27 36	Pagodas.	5 27 36.		

N.B. The rates of the above appointments with exception of the Hammocks include the Commission of 15 P Cent drawn by the Lascar Majors.

(Signed) W. Ramsay
D.M.G.

A true Copy
(Signed) W. Morrison
Com.t Genl.

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No 25.

From the Commissary General - Report on the Department of public Cattle. -

Fort St. George 17th October, 1812.

To George Strachey Esqr.
Secty to Government
in the Civil Department

Sir,

I have been so long prevented from submitting the several separate Reports, on the several Branches of the service placed under the Controul of the Commissariat, as alluded to at the Commencement of a Report which I had the honor of addressing to you under date the 31st of December last, that it is incumbent on me to offer some explanation in Apologizing for the Delay which has unavoidably occurred, I request therefore that you will do me the favor to represent to the Honorable the Governor in

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in Council that this delay has not pro-
-ceeded merely from the Constant
pressure of publick business, but
that it is to be ascribed in a greater
measure to the difficulty which I
have experienced in procuring the
requisite accounts or Statements, on
which alone such Reports and the
Comparative Statements which
they are required to exhibit can
with any accuracy or certainty
be framed. Several of these accounts
have only recently reached me.-

2. I have now the ho-
=nor to Report on the Department
of publick Cattle, but to em=
=brace the whole of the objects
which perhaps ought to be deemed

this

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in treating of a Department so ex-
=tensive, and at the same time so com-
plicated in its details, scattered
as it is throughout the Peninsula,
from Jaulnah to Travancore, and
from Goa to Fort St. George, would
apprehend oblige me to exceed the
limits which should be given to a
Report of this Nature. In proceeding
however to discuss, the success
which has, as I conceive, attended
the Commissariat, in the Conduct of
the Department of Public Cattle,
I shall give a Sketch of the Manner
in which its usual Duties have
been carried on, since the 1st of De-
=cember 1810.

3. It is sufficiently
understood

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understood that the Establishment is divided into three branches Viz. the Draught Bullocks, the Carriage Bullocks, and the Elephant and Camel Establishment, the former being intended specially for eventual service in the field, but employed in times of peace upon such duties as may occur, the two latter branches, being entirely appropriated to the Conveyance of the Camp Equipage and Stores, attached to the European and Native Troops of the Army. The Elephants Camels and Carriage Bullocks, and in some instances a proportion of Draught Bullocks are distributed to particular Divisions and Stations, where they fall under the immediate

Controul

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control of the Officers of the Com-
=missariat on the spot, who are re-
=sponsible for the successful ma-
=nagement, for the provision of
the supplies, and for the general su-
=perintendence of the Detachments
of the Public Cattle.-

4. To Estimate the ad-
=vantages resulting from the exer-
=cise of this responsibility, and
superintendence, on the part of the
Officers of the Commissariat, it is
Necessary to take a retrospective
view of the system of Manage-
=ment which formerly obtained,
and in pursuance of this purpose
it is incumbent on me to state
that under the able directions and
vigilant

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vigilant Superintendence of the late Quarter Master General, Lieutenant Colonel Munro, a considerable reform was understood to have been effected in the Department of Public Cattle, previously to the Year 1808, the details of them allotted to the several Divisions of the Army with the exception of those at Seringapatam where the Agent usually resided, and at Caveripauk where a Conductor was stationed, were under the Charge of the Principal Native Servants, to whom Bills for their Maintenance were transmitted by the Agent payable at the nearest Pay Office, and whose accounts were subject to

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no immediate Control, or to the
inspection of any local authority
in the expenditure of the Money thus
remitted. Placed at a considerable
distance from the Head of the De-
=partment and entrusted with
Disbursements to a large amount,
it will be evident that the attend-
=ants possessed the greatest facili-
=ties for the practice of abuses, —
and that the strongest temptation
was presented to them in the dif-
=ficulty not to say impossibility
of discovery for it was almost —
impracticable for the Agent to
Establish any real check, or to —
arrive at any accurate Knowledge
of these distant transactions, he

had

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had not the means of ascertaining the justness of the charges which were made at so many different Stations, and he was in fact obliged to depend in a great degree upon the precarious honesty of his Native Servants.

5. The Establishment of Public Cattle, having however been brought more immediately under the orders of the Quarter Master General of the Army, Lieutenant Colonel Munro in 1808, instructed the Officers of his Department to consider themselves vested with the general charge and Superintendence of the Public Cattle in their respective Divisions

and

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and to omit no endeavour to se-
=cure the efficiency of that impor-
=tant branch of Public Equip-
=ment. This arrangement was pro-
=ductive of considerable benefit,
and the expenditure on account
of the Public Cattle, was in many
instances understood to have been
materially decreased, but the Of-
=ficers of the Quarter Master Ge=
=nerals Department, were not
charged with the Disbursements
for maintaining the Cattle in
their respective Divisions, they
were directed to exercise a gene
=ral Superintending Authority,
but the detailed Management
and the expenditure of Money

was

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was still left in the hands of Na-
=tives. The arrangement was theo-
=fore highly expedient as far as
it went, but it was susceptible of
a degree of improvement which
the Establishment of the Commis-
=sariat seemed well calculated
to effect. By the transfer of the
charge of the Public Cattle to
the Commissariat, the Officers
of that Department, became
vested not only with the gene-
=ral Superintendence, as exercis-
=ed by the orders of the Quarter
Master General above described, but al-
=so with the provision of the
Supplies, which they were bound
to procure with the same atten-
=tion

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=tion to economy as pervaded the other branches of the Department, and with the direct charge of all expen=ces on account of Public Cattle, — for the correctness of which they were held responsible, in the same degree, as for the other accounts — which they were required to render. —

With the view therefore of combining the advantages which had arisen from the arrangements of Lieutenant Colonel Munro, — with the additional benefits to be expected from a more extended ap=plication of European Agency, the following plan was adopted from the time that the Department of Public Cattle was placed under the

contract

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-contract of the Commissariat. Cap-
=tain Harvey the late Agent for Pub-
=lic Cattle had been entrusted with
the executive duties of that De=
=partment, under the orders of -
the Quarter Master General, and
has been principally concerned
in carrying into effect the Reform
introduced as above alluded to,
and the Honorable the Governor
in Council having been pleased -
to appoint him to be an Assistant
Commissary General, he was, con-
=tinued in the immediate Super-
=intendence of the Department
of Public Cattle, in which his ser-
=vices would become be useful
and Valuable in proportion to -
the

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the experience which he had gained,
and to the knowledge which he had
of those duties.-

It was accordingly
directed that he should be vested with
a General Controul relative to reliefs
of Cattle, promotion of attendants and
other Minor arrangements of internal
economy, that the bills for the expences
of the Cattle wherever stationed should
be drawn by him on the Commissa-
=ry General under the sanction of an
Estimate passed Monthly for the
express purpose, these bills being
transmitted Monthly to the out-
Stations, that Accounts should be
forwarded to him by the Officers of
the Commissariat, that these should

be

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be formed into general Disbursements
comprising the whole of the expences of
the Department of public Cattle, that
the Monthly returns from the Subor-
-dinate Depôts, should in like manner
be framed into general returns, exhi-
-biting the total strength as well as
the alterations and casualties of the
Establishment; and that these general
Disbursements and Returns should
be prepared, and transmitted to this
Office by Captain Harvey, similar com-
-munications were at the same time
made to this Office, which afforded to
me at all times the most ample
means of controuling and Superin-
-tending the Whole.

8. This System appears

in

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in every respect convenient, although still perhaps susceptible of future amendment, in its general details, by the local Superintendence of the several Officers of the Commissariat, the successful Management of the battle, the due appropriation of their food, and the accurate examination of their Accounts are ensured on the spot, while by the Authority vested in Captain Harvey as described in the foregoing paragraph, a general uniformity prevails, the whole are embodied into one Department, detachments from different depôts can unite without inconvenience or confusion, the Cattle and their Attendants are equally trained before they

are

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are sent upon service, the Characters of all the followers are known, their promotion is regulated upon a gene-=ral Scale, they are relieved and de-=tached without any details, and ha-=ving all the same home at the gene-=ral Depot in Mysore, they are con-=-nected together by a common feel-=ing which cements their attach-=ment to the Service —

9. Under the operation of the above System, it was found practicable to introduce the follow-=ing arrangements, for simplifying the adjustment of Accounts, and for preventing the Necessity of large outstanding balances on the move-=ment of public Cattle from one

Station

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Station to another, if the Cattle move within the Range of any one Officer, the Management of them continues to be conducted by him, but when it is intended that a Detachment shall proceed beyond the Division to which it is attached, the Sum of Money is advanced to the person in Charge and placed to the debit of Captain Harvey in Account Current with the Officer, making such advance, a list of Attendants with the period up to which they have been paid, a Return of the Cattle and Furniture, and an Account of the advance Specifying the Date from which the accounts are to commence, are transmitted to

Captain

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Captain Harvey who then furnishes
the necessary intimation to the
Officer of the Commissariat at the
Station to which the Cattle are pro-
=ceeding, whose duty it then becomes
to Check the accounts, if one pay
to the attendants if due, and make
any further advance or arrange=
=ment that may be Necessary. -

10. This seems to be a
made not only simple but satis-
=factory. The Examination of the
Accounts is made by an Officer
who communicates personally
with the Native in charge of re-
moving Detachments, and the
Necessary Measures are taken
from time to time as the Cattle
arrive

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parrive at a Station where a Commis-
=sariat Officer is situated. Large
outstanding balances are prevented
as upon information of the place
to which the party are proceeding
Captain Harvey's Drafts are made
out accordingly and the amount of
the Draft for the original Depot
proportionally Diminished, so that
whatever movements take place
during the Month, the General Es-
=timate Sanctioned for that Month
is seldom or never drawn. By the
adoption of these arrangements, all
the advantages of the reform introd-
=duced by Lieutenant Colonel
Munro, were realized and secur
all the internal regulations whic
experien

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experience had proved to be useful re-
=garding the subsistance and treatment
of the Cattle, the employment of the
attendants, the supply and repair
of the furniture were at once known,
and were adhered to, or modified as
the advantage of the service seemed
to suggest, while the more extended
application of European Agency and
the more minute Examination and
Stricter Control which the Establish-
=ment of the Commissariat immedi-
=ately effected, afforded reasonable
grounds to hope that a considerable
reduction of Expence might be exhi-
=bited in favor of the New System,
at the close of the first Year of its
operations.

These

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11. These expectations, I am happy to add, have not been disap-
=pointed, as I shall now hope I shall be able to prove to the satisfaction of the Ho-
=norable the Governor in Council, by submitting Statements exhibiting the expences incurred, on account of the Public Cattle, for a certain peri-
=od preceding the formation of the Commissariat, and the expences incur-
=red in the same account under this Department, from the 1st of December 1810, to the 30th November 1811, The Fluctuations of the public Cattle Establishment are however very con-
=siderable. The variations in the number of the Cattle, the Vicissitudes of the Seasons, the difference of the

number

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number employed and of the Stati=
=ons at which they are maintained;
are circumstances that concur in
opposing any accurate comparison
between the expenses of confined
periods. The following observation
therefore which I submitted in my
Report dated the 24th of February
last, relative to the comparative
Expences of the Department of
Cavalry Supplies, is also applica-
=ble to the Department of public
Cattle. "It would be unjust and
"inconclusive to compare the Disburse-
"=ments of any particular Year of
"the late System with those of the
"Commissariat during the 12 Months
"which it has had effect, and per=

haps

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=haps the comparison of the ope-
=rations of the new System
"should not be made until
"after a period of some Years."

12. In awaiting how-
=ever the result of this experience,
I may be permitted to follow
a similar plan, to that which
I observed in reporting on the
Department of Cavalry
Supply, and of the Remount
of the Cavalry, by transmit-
=ting a general Statement,
prepared from Statements re-
=ceived from the Accountant
N. 1, 2, 3 General's Office, Copies of which
& 4, Vide appendix are at the same time forwarded,
and shewing in one view, the
expend

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expence of the attendants and subsistance, of the public Ele-=phants, Camels, Parkhanah Draught bullocks and Tent-carriage bullocks, during the official Years 1807/8-1808/9, 1809/10, and the broken part of the Year 1810/11, which pre-=ceded the formation of the Commissariat, as, also the average Monthly expence of one of each Discription of Cat-=tle, for the whole of that per-=iod.- The Recapitulation of the average of each Year, which is given on this Statement will shew in the clearest man-=ner the Reduction of expence

which

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which seems to have been
immediately produced by
the arrangements of Lieu-
=tenant Colonel Munro, &
although this reduction does
not appear to have been pro-
=gressive, this proceeds no doubt
from the employment of a
great number of Cattle in
the field, during a Considerable
part of the two subsequent
Years. —

13. — At the foot of this
No 5. Vide appendix. Statement has been shewn
the difference for Month in
the expence of the attendants
as well as in that of the Sub-
=sistence of the Public Cattle

under

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under the former and under-
the present System, but as the
difference on account of the
attendants should not perhaps
be considered as a saving, I
propose that it should be in-
=cluded. From the foregoing
statement therefore, I have
prepared another, exhibiting
the amount which would
have been incurred according
to the Accounts of 43 Months,
preceding the formation of the
Commissariat for the attendants
and Subsistence of the Cattle
which have been maintaining
on the Establishment from
that period, ended the 30th
Nov.r

No. 6. Vide appendix with State-ment A annexed.

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November Bill, contrasted with
the amount incurred on ac-
-count of the same number
of Cattle for those twelve
Months, and from the differ-
-ence being Pagodas 23,000-42:21¾
I have accordingly deducted
the difference on account of
the attendants, when it will
appear, that there has been
an actual saving in the Subs-
-sistence alone, amounting
to the sum of Pagodas 22,317-
21-34-

14. This very favorable
result was I must confess
entirely unexpected by me,
for although I certainly
anticipated

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anticipated a considerable
reduction from the improve-
=ments which had been in-
=troduced as already noticed,
yet I had not been sanguine
enough to suppose that this
reduction would have proved
equal to one half of the a-
=mount of saving exhibited
in the Statements to which
I have just referred. I was
naturally therefore induced
to enquire more minutely
into the causes which could
have produced so great a Diffe-
=rence in the expense of sub-
=sisting the Barracks, in par-
=ticular, and having ascertained

the

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the amount incurred for Grain and Straw, during the period to which a retrospect has been had, as well as the amount charged for the same Articles under the Management of the Commissariat, it has appeared evident that the difference of expense in question has arisen chiefly from the difference of the rates at which those supplies were provided formerly, and under the present System, a fact which proves beyond doubt the advantage derived to the public, from the responsibility which has been attached

to

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to the Officers of the Depart-
-ment in the provision of the
supplies required for the public
cattle placed under their immme-
-diate Charge.—

15. To the amount of
Reduction above exhibited, may
be added the expunde of an Esta-
-blishment of public Followers
formerly attached to the Agent,
whose services being in my
opinion quite unnecessary
were reduced under my direc-
-tions immediately after the
Department came under
my contraul. The amount
of this Reduction was Pagodas
50, 44, 72.- per Month or Pago-
-das

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=das 611. 43. 04.- per Year, as stat=
No. 7. vide appendix =ed in the accompanying Copy
of the abstract, drawn in ar-
=rears for November 1810, to
which Shave annexed the pay
of three Lascars formerly Draft
for, with the Elephant Esta-
=blishment, the amount of
whose pay is included in the
Sum just stated to be a saving
to the Public. -

16. It may be proper
in this place to observe that
in the Year 1807/8, the cattle
were not nearly so much em-
=ployed, as in the succeeding
periods. On the other hand from
January 1809 to August 1810,

with

with very little intermission, con-
=siderable numbers of Cattle were
employed on Field Service in Ka-
=vancore, and to the North of the
Kistna, a circumstance which
enhanced the expences of those
periods more than might be
supposed without an inspec-
=tion of the Accounts. But it
seems unnecessary to dwell
longer on these particulars. The
general result only can be re-
=quired, and the general result
is manifestly and decidedly in
favor of the period since the
Establishment of the New De-
=partment. A reference to the
Statement forwarded with
this

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this Report, particularly proves the difference of management, & and of expence during the peri= =ods it comprizes, and shews = that with the exception of Ca= =mels the Expence of which has latterly been increased by more extensive employment, than formerly, every other branch of the Department has cost con= =siderably less since the forma= =tion of the Commissariat than at former periods. But the publick will have derived an Additional advantage from this more extended employment of the Camels, as Cattle must have otherwise been hired, for the

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the Work performed by this part of the Establishment of public Cattle.—

17. The Reductions of expence and the improved Sys-=tem of management in the maintenance of the public Cattle as described in the foregoing part of this Report, have not of course been con-=fined to the period of the first twelve Months after the for-=mation of the Commissariat as therein alluded to. The Sa-=ving to the public has been on the Contrary generally en-=creasing, and I entertain the fullest expectation that when

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able to exhibit the accounts of future Years, the result will not be less satisfactory than that which I have now had the honor of reporting. - Some of the particulars which will contribute to the realization of these hopes I shall here beg leave to notice, premising that most of them have been already submitted to Government, and that some refer to the purchase of Lands the ultimate advantage of which arrangement, cannot yet be correctly ascertained.

14. In a letter which I had the honor of addressing to

15,346. Fort St. George 19th October 1812.

to you under date the 21st of Ju-
=ly last, I represented, for the
information of the Honora-
=ble the Governor in Council,
that the proportion of attend=
=ants permanently attached
to the Public Elephants,
had appeared to be more nu-
=merous than necessary, par-
=ticularly in time of peace, a
and that I had accordingly
considered it my duty to as-
=certain how far it might
be practicable to reduce that
number without effecting
the efficiency of the Establish
=ment. The result of my en-
=quiries on this subject was
fully

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fully detailed in the letter above
referred to, and with that letter
was forwarded, a Memorandum
shewing the amount of the
Monthly saving expected to be
effected by the Reduction and
Modification which I then Re-
=commended in the Establish-
=ment of the Attendants to
the public Elephants, which
amount appeared to be Pagodas
236.9. per Month, or Pagodas
2,837.3. p.r Year. The Hono-
=ble the Governor in Council
having been pleased to resolve
that the Establishment of
Servants attached to the Ele-
=phants shall be regulated

according

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Vide Ex=tract from minute in Council 29th July 1812 forwarded with Mr. Secretary Stracheys letter of that date.—

according to the Scale and in the manner recommended, I have only in this place to add, that the Arrangement is now in progress, that I shall take a future opportunity of re=porting when it shall have been completed, and that the Reduction will certainly not be less, while it may be some=what more, than the amount of my Estimate above recapitulated.—

19. By the abolition of the Tent contract the num=ber of carriage Bullocks to be maintained by the Public was fixed, at 200 exclusive of

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of those employed with the Troops
in the Dickan, but although this
number was established with
reference to the Distribution
of the Army at that time, it
appeared by a Statement, trans
=mitted to me, from the Quarter
Master General of the Army in
October 11th, that the number re-
=quisite for the disposable
force amounted to 2,443. In
forwarding to me this Statement,
the Quarter Master General con
=veyed to me the desire of the
Officer Commanding the Army
in Chief, that I should point
out the Stations at which
bullock Cattle might be expended
on

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on with most confidence, and that I should submit my opi-
=nion in regard to the most
advisable distribution of
the public carriage bullocks
kept up for the conveyance
of Camp Equipage. —

2d. In compliance
with these directions, I had
the honor of submitting a
report for the consideration
of His Excellency the Comman
=der in Chief, who had at this
time returned from the Con
=gress of Goa, in which
I suggested an arrangement
for placing public Cattle
at certain Stations, for
Commandg

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Commanding at a short notice
at other Stations a proportion
of hired Cattle, and for not com-
=pleting in consequence the
permanent Establishment
of public Carriage Bullocks
in time of peace. These Sug-
=gestions having been approved
by the Commander in Chief,
were Recommended by His
Excellency to Government on
the 13th of December last, and
as the Resolutions adopted in
consequence, as well as the
measures which were taken
for carrying these Resolutions
into effect are already known
to the Honorable the Governor
in

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in Council, having been Re-
=ported in my Letter to you
address under date the 22d
of April last, it seems unn-
=necessary to enter further
on the Subject at present.
The Statement which I
then prepared and forwarded,
exhibited the Saving to the
Public, which might be
expected to Arise from a Sub-
=stitution of hired Cattle at
certain Stations, and which
appeared to amount to Pa-
=godas 10,843:32:8 Per Annum.
21. This advantage-
=ous result may be thus brief
=ly explained by the State-

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=ment of the Quarter Master
General already before the
Government, 2,643 Bullocks
are required to be held in con
=stant readiness for the disp
=able force of the Army, exc
=sive of the subsidiary force
of Hyderabad, and of that Est
=blishment which was appro
by the Commander in Chief
and sanctioned by the Hono
=rable the Governor in Counc
906 hired Bullocks are now
maintained constantly at
Commandy under the operat
of Contracts, which were lon
-sidered by this Department,
and confirmed by Government

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The difference between the expense of keeping up public Cattle to the full extent required, and the amount of the expenses which will be actually incurred in keeping up the above mentioned proportion of Cattle under these contracts, constitutes the amount of saving arising from the arrangement in question, while the purchase of 906 Public Buttocks which must otherwise have been made to complete the Establishment is at all events deferred, and the interest & stock purchase Money, and the amount of Offal on account

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of Casualties may be fairly
computed, as encreasing in a
considerable degree the
amount of the Total annu-
=al saving on account of this
Arrangement, as more particu-
=cularly described in my Re-
=port of the 22d of April 1812.-
22. On the 8th of Novem
=ber 1811, I had the honor of
receiving the Resolution of
Government, under date the
1st of that Month, authoriz=
=ing me to complete the Carri-
=age of the Camp Equipage of
the Disposeable European Force
and directing me to purchase
Camels for that purpose in
preference

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preference to Elephants. It became then my duty to procure the required number of those Animals, and which by a statement of the Quarter Master General transmitted to me at the same time, appeared to be equal to one hundred and forty five. =

23. Having been led to believe that Camels could be supplied from Bengal on more advantageous terms than could be obtained on this Establishment, I made an application to the Commissary General at Fort William, which was forwarded with the corresponding

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=pense of the Honorable the Governor in Council, requesting his Assistance to procure one hundred Camels and to dispatch them to Hydrabad for the service of the Campaign Equipage Department of this Presidency. The Government are already aware that ninety six of these Camels have arrived at Hydrabad, have been surveyed by a Committee, and have been distributed to the Service; all those circumstances, as well as the Death of four Camels during the Journey, and the favorable Report of the Committee on the

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the Camels that arrived, having been submitted in my letter to your address of the 15th of September last, not having yet received the invoice, on account of these Camels, I cannot enabled to state their price and the amount of their Expence on the March from Cawnpoor, but I have no hesitation in expressing my belief that they will cost the public much less than the amount formerly paid for similar supplies, whilst their quality has been acknowledged to be very superior.

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24. By way of experi-
=ment I was induced to com
=mission fifty Camels from
Cutch, a province in which
I had ascertained that these
Animals could be procured
of a superior description
and at moderate rates, and
this supply having been re-
=ceived at the Depôt near
Seringapatam I was enabled
on the 1st of June to report
for the information of the
Honorable the Governor in
Council the result of this
Experiment. The Camels were
described to be of a very Su-
=perior description, and
the

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the average cost of each on ar-
=rival at the Depôt was found
to amount only to Rupees
152-3-" or Pagodas 63 22 22-
while by the Statements fur=
=nished to me by the Account-
=ant General and which ac=
=company this Report, the
average rate of Camels pur-
=chased appears
to have been 65 Pagodas each.

78 Camels at 65-25. Rs. Twenty Eight
each, 5070...
50 Camels from Camels have been also pur=
Cuttack 2174.336
28 purchased by the Officers of the Commt. chased by the Officers of this
Rs. 1099-12-69
78-Cost 4327-14-1-49 Department, since December
Differ. 1795.4331. 1811, at a total expence of Pa.
=godas 1099-12-69, giving an
average of Pagodas 39-11-57
each

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each, and thus in the provision
of 78 Camels a difference of
cost equal to Pagodas 1795"
43. 31. may be stated, as the
advantage realized, by the
arrangements of the Commis
=sariat, to which may be a
hereafter added the amount
of saving on the purchase of
Camels procured from Bengal

From Bengal 96
From the Provinces
of Kutch — 50
From the Officers
of the Dept. 28
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26. The total number of
Camels supplied will thus
be perceived to have exceeded
the Deficiency at first stated,
but in the progress of the Com
=mission several Casualties
occurred among the Public
Elephants, and for the convey

ance

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=ance of the loads allotted to the latter, it became necessary to provide Camels, under the Resolution of Government, dated the 1st of November, 1811, above referred to. The preference thus given to Camels before Elephants appears to have met the sentiments entertained by the Honorable the Court of Directors on the Subject of Carriage, as stated in their Despatch of the 23d January 1811, and I conclude therefore that the casualties which may hereafter occur amongst the present Establishment of Elephants, will be replaced by a number of Camels proportionate to the loads

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loads carried by the former, and that Elephants will in course of time be maintained to the extent only which may be necessary to facilitate the movement of heavy ordnance in the field.—

27 Having now submitted for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council such observations as have appeared, deserving of an immediate Notice, with regard to the Establishment of Elephants, Camels, and Carriage Bullocks, it only remains for me to advert to the Establishment of Draught Bullocks, to

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to explain the mode in which
the Expenses of this branch of the
Department have been Suppos-
-ed of late Years to have been
reimbursed to the Public, and
to discuss the System at present
observed in the proceeding Establish
-ment, from which the Cattle
are supplied for the use of the
public Service.—

28. The Draught Bul-
-locks form the principal branch
of the Department of Public
Cattle, and as these are frequent
-ly employed in Services of a
public Nature in time of Peace,
for which hired Cattle would
otherwise be required, it has

been

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been the practice for some years past to calculate the value of such work, by estimating the amount that would necessarily be disbursed in the employment of hired Cattle, for the performance of the duty Executed by the public Cattle.

29. This practice was first directed in the year 1808, by the Quarter Master General, of the Army, who in giving orders on this Subject, stated to the Agent for Public Cattle that the extensive employment of the Karkhana Bullocks in the transportation

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of Military Stores, and other
public property, pended it
proper, on principles of Jus-
tice to that most valuable
Establishment, that an ac-
curate Account should be
kept of the expences incurred by
the services of the public
Cattle, and desired accordingly,
that a quarterly Statement
to that effect might be regu-
larly transmitted by the
Agent, calculated according
to the Established rates of hired
Cattle.

30. The principle
upon which this Calculation
has been framed, appears to
be

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be equitable, inasmuch as a certain Sum of Money, be it more or less, is certainly issued to the publick, by the application of publick Cattle to the performance of labor, for which if the publick Cattle did not exist hired Cattle must be engaged. The manner in which this Valuation has been computed is described in the accompanying Extract from a Report addressed by the Agent to the Quarter Master General under date the 27th June 1810, by which it appears that each Bullock when employed on service in any way, is charged, in these Estimates for the time he

No 8. vide appendix

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he is working, at the rate of two Pagodas and Eight Fanams per Month, which is the sum hitherto paid by Govern= =ment for all kind Draught Bullocks when employed by time, whether in peace or War. It might perhaps however be argued that no charge should be made in the Calculations for Cattle returning without loads, to which it may be answered, that when Cattle are hired by the trip, the amount to be paid always includes an allowance for returning. -

31. This Subject has been already before the Govern-

ment,

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=ment, it having been distinctly explained, in the accompany=ments to a Minute of the late Quarter Master General of the Army, which was forward=ed with a report of the Military Board to Government, under date the 30th of June 1808. In that report the Board do not question the computation of the value of the labor actually performed, and if the principle therefore be cor=rect, it will be satisfactory to reflect, that the important ob=ject of Maintaining an Esta=blishment of Draught Bullocks of a superior Description, has of late years been effected, at a little

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little or no expence to the Public
=ly; as the mode in which those
Bullocks have been employed
appears to have afforded a re-
turn very nearly equivalent,
to the whole of the Charge of that
particular branch of the De-
=partment.

32. In this part of the
Subject, Captain Harvey has
dealt with a degree of confi-
=dence arising from his long
experience and intimate acquain-
=tance with the internal ma-
=nagement of the Department
of Public Cattle. I think it
proper therefore to transcribe
in this place an Extract from

one

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one of his latest reports on this
Subject, and to forward a Copy of
the Statement of Labor to which
that Extract refers. —

N.B. vide appendix. —

33. "With the view of
"throwing further light upon
"this Subject, I beg leave to enclose
Not sent. "a Statement No. 3. — Shewing the
"Total amount of expense of the
"Draft Bullocks and the gradual
"saving that has been made during
"the period comprized, in the Ge-
vide N.B. in the ap- "=neral Statements, and No. 4. shew-
=pendix. — "=ing the nature of the work perform
"=ed by the public Cattle for the
"same period. "—

"From these it will
"appear, that in the Year 1807/8

the

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"the expenses were Pagodas 12,563-- --"

"the value of work. " 12,389-- --

"Leaving a balance of " 174-- --

"In the Year,

"1808/9 the expenses were " 2,873-- --

" The value of work. - " 2,611-- --

" leaving a balance of " 262-- --

" In the Year,

"1809/10 the expenses were " 76,762-- --

" The value of work - - " 75,031-- --

" Leaving a balance of - " 1,681-- --

" From May to November

"1810- the expenses were Pg. 41,756-- --

" The value of Work - - - " 39,590-- --

" Leaving a balance of - " 2056-- --

" In the first 12 Months,

" of the Commissariat the -

"Expenses were including

the

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the purchase of bullocks ..... 53,357-"-"

The value of work ... 53*,557-"-"

Leaving a balance in favor

of the Department of ... 198-"-"

* vide Capt. Harvey's Statement of Labor No 9. of the Appendix.

34. I am aware that an objection may be raised against estimating in these Calculations the expences of the Draught Cattle now and Bellary, but whether if these public Cattle did not exist, hired cattle would be kept up at those Stations, is a question which is not within my province to discuss; yet, presuming that the Government might think it Expedient to maintain in Constant readiness

the

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the Cattle which are required
for the ordnance attached to
those proportions of the Troops,
which are considered imminedi-
-ately disposeable, I would con-
-tend, in this case, that the Cal-
-culation of the Value of the Ser-
-vices of the Public Cattle in
Question is indisputably just,
inasmuch as the application
of them to this purpose, is the
means of preventing the expence
of hiring an equal Number; —
I feel the more disposed to sup-
-port the justness of including
the expense of these Cattle in
this manner, as at neither of
the places above mentioned, can
efficient

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efficient Draught Cattle be hired
for the service of the ordnance, and
as the expense of maintaining the
Necessary number of Public Draught
Cattle seems therefore indispensa=
=ble. But if this reasoning should
not be admitted and that the expense
of the Establishment should not
become credit, for the cost of main
=taining the few Cattle Disposed
of in this manner, the amount
of Labor actually performed by
the Remainder will still be very
considerable, and the balance against
the Department will be very trifling
compared with the great importance
which must be attached to the
maintenance of it. —

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35 It will be Satisfactory to observe, that, during the first twelve Months of the Commissariat the amount value of the Labor has exceeded in a small degree the Expenses of the Draught Bullocks. The amount of the Bullocks of the Establishment of Draught Cattle for the official Year 1811/12, was Pagodas 53,671. 13. 79. The amount value of their Labor was Pagodas 54,026. 19. 68, a result which will be deemed remarkable when it is considered that a great num-

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ber of these Cattle in the Course
of that Year, suffered much fr
the effects of a serious disorder
which appeared among them,
and from the effects of which
a Number are only recovering
at the present moment. The
amount of Casualties which
were occasioned by this disease
and all the arrangements which
were adopted in consequence of
its appearance, are already
before the Honorable the Gover
nor in Council, having been
submitted in my Reports of
the 31st of August and 22d No-
vember 1811; and it appears
therefore to be unnecessary
that

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that I should enter further on the subject
of them, in this report.-

36. At a very early period
after the Commissariat was ordered to
be formed, my attention was di=
=rected to the breeding Establish=
=ment of public draught cattle
in Mysore by a reference from the
Assistant Commissary General Cap=
=tain Harvey, Regarding the Age of
the Cattle to be procured in future,
from the Mysore Government. The
substance of this reference and the
instructions which I communi=
=cated to him upon it, were de
=scribed in a letter which I ad=
=dressed to Mr. Secretary Cole un=
=der date the 26th of November 1810.

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and at the Conclusion of that Letter, I stated my intention to make every enquiry which might tend to elucidate, the important object, of improving the breed of these Cattle. Having now been furnished by order of the Honorable the Governor in Council, with a Copy of a Minute recorded by the Commander in Chief, dated the 29th September, and having been desired to take the Subject of that Minute into Consideration, and agreeably to the Suggestion of His Excellency, to submit a report, respecting the Measures which it may be necessary for Carrying into effect the Reform of the breeding Establish-

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=ment as recommended in the Mi=
=nute which has been communi=
=cated to me, I shall avail myself
of this occasion to afford such
information as I have been able
to acquire, as well as the conclu=
=sions which have been drawn relative
to this important Question. It
may be proper however, to sub=
=mit in the first instance, a
short view of the arrangements
which appears to have been made
for the conduct of this branch, since
the War of 1799.

37. The Establishment
of Draught Bullocks, which
formed the Annual Mahl of the
late Tippoo Sultaun having been
delivered

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delivered up to His Excellency Lieutenant General Harris, after the fall of Seringapatam. His Excellency was induced, by a consideration of the complete failure of the System then obtaining in the Bullock Department of the Army, to make an Experiment by adopting the mode of management observed by the Mysore State, which appeared likely not only to render the draught Cattle more efficient, but also, to be attended with less expense in reality, than the System which had been previously in force.

38 The Cattle of the Sultaun were accordingly directed to be maintained, agreeably to the

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the Suggestion of the Commander in Chief, and they were placed under the charge of an Officer appointed to that special duty.

vide letter to the Sect.y. of Government accompaniments 14th Jan.y 1800. In one of the earliest reports of this Officer, allusion was made to some Cows and Calves belonging to the Establishment and still in the Country, and the Subject was brought to the notice of the Government in the Month of January 1800, by Lord Wellington, at that time Commanding the Forces in Mysore, who stated that from the different Communications which he had held with the Resident Lieutenant Colonel Close, it appeared, that the

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the latter was of opinion, that it would be most proper to leave these Cows and Calves in the hands of the Rajah's Government, there to be kept without expence, and that the supply of Calves to be expected might be subsequently ascertained and Determined.

39. This suggestion, it appears, was referred for the consideration of the Military Board, and the following is the opinion of a Committee of that Board, to whom the Question had been referred for Special Report. "Although a disadvantage may be "apprehended in transferring to a "Native Government, the manage-

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"ment of any part of the public Es-
"tablishments, yet this disadvantage
"in the present case will be effec-
"tually checked by the vigilance
"and Controul of the Resident
"in Mysore. The Committee there-
"fore concur with Colonel Welles-
"ley in his Recommendation, that
"all the Cows and Calves, should
"be in the Genral charge of the
"Rajah's Dewan, as they will by
"this means be kept without
"expense, and when Lieutenant
"Colonel Close shall have leisure
"to examine the subject, and
"have learnt the exact number
"of Cows and Calves belonging to
"the Establishment and the places

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"where they are kept, no difficulty
"it is imagined will remain, in
"ascertaining the Supply which
"may be expected to keep up, and
"if necessary, to increase it. - In
"case this Supply may be depended
"upon, the Committee agree with
"Colonel Wellesly, that it will
"be better in all respects that the
"Cows and Calves should be in the
"hands of the Government of the
"Country, rather than that the
"Establishment should be saddled
"with the care of them, and
"the Company be thereby under
"the Necessity of incurring ad-
"ditional expense for their -
"Maintenance." -

vide Report of the Committee the 15 April 1813

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40. In a letter from the Government to the Military Board, under date the 30th of April 1810, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, adverts to this Re-=port, concurs in the recommend-=ation for leaving the Cows, and Calves, under the Superintend-=ence of the Dewan of Mysore, and observes, that the Resident in Mysore has been Requested to make the Necessary Arrange-=ments for that purpose. In Con-=formity with this Request, Lieu-=tenant Colonel Close in a letter under date the 29th of May 1810, appears to have submitted for the Consideration of Government

Such

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such Regulations for the breed-
-ing Establishment as were
deemed by him to be Requi-
-site to promote its encrease,
and to secure the produce be-
-ing fully applied to the be-
-nefit of the publick Service."-

4th The substance of
these Regulations may be briefly
stated as follows. That the Es-
-tablishment was to continue
under the charge and at the
expence of the Mysore Government,
that the whole of the Male Calves
should be offered to the Company
that they should be transferred
at the Age of one Year and a half
and upwards, at the price of 4
Star

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Star Pagodas ahead, and that the Re=
=sident should receive returns, and
should have Authority to muster
and inspect the Cattle, as often as
he might judge Necessary —

42. From the Preceding
cursory review of the motives —
which led to the transfer of the
breeding Establishment to the Go=
=vernment of Mysore, it would
appear that they originated in a
wish to secure the Supply of the
requisite number of Calves, with=
=out incumbering the Establish=
=ment of public Cattle, with the
care of the former, and without
the necessity of incurring any
additional expence for the mainte=
=nance

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=tenance of it. But, the complete failure, of the expectations entertained in both these respects, is strikingly exemplified by the following important facts, recorded in His Excellency's Minute. That 8997 Cows and 1917 Calves were transferred in the Year 1800, and that during the lapse of twelve years, only 4755 Calves appear to have been delivered over to the Company, at rates which may be pronounced uncommonly expensive while the breed has been gradually becoming worse and worse and despair apprehensions may be entertained of its utter extinction.

These facts, speak for

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for themselves - They would seem
to require little or no comment.
Yet as the subject involves ma-
=ny important considerations,
I shall trust be excused the
liberty of offering some observa-
=tions explanatory of the causes
which have been conceived to
operate in frustrating the hopes,
which were so reasonably enter-
=tained of the success of the
arrangement, formed as above
described in the year 1800.

44. The deterination
of the breed is universally ad-
=mitted, and it would be there-
=fore useless to adduce any proof
of a proposition so evident -

Should

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dunied. The causes of this deterio-
=ration are naturally demanded,
and for the discovery of them it
will be necessary to recur to the
period at which the Establishment
was placed under the Superintend
=ence of Poornia. Great Expecta-
=tions were formed from his situ-
=ation: It was supposed that
he would easily follow up the
System Established, with so
much care by the Sultaun, and
that his anxiety to give Satis=
=faction to the Government would
naturally induce him to devote
much attention, to an object, that
was deemed by them of so much
importance. This was done for

a

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a time, but experience has prov-
=ed that the System was erro-
=neous, and that the exertions
of Parwnia could not remedy
the original defects of the
Arrangement. —

45. The Minister or
the head of a Government does
not seem to be the proper per-
=son for managing these details.
He cannot pay attention to so
inconsiderable an object, and
I think that the same might
be observed with regard to the
attention and time of a Political
Resident. It may be argued
that the details are conducted
by individuals subject to
the

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the controul of the Dewan and the inspection of the Resident, but these details can be better managed Peacable by an European Officer, appointed for the purpose, and I am also of opinion that the only means of restoring the breed and rendering the establishment of draught Bullocks completely efficient, will be to adopt the proposition of His Excellency the Commander in Chief Viz: "a complete alteration of the System, by transferring to European Superintendence, the whole of the details of the Department." The Natives are considered not sufficiently

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sufficiently enterprizing, they
follow the Customs of their
fathers; they think of no im=
=provements; have no Idea
of the Science of breeding, and
without fear of Contradiction
I might perhaps be allowed to
add that the Native Superin
=tendants under a Native Go=
=vernment, are neither suffici=
=ently Zealous, Vigilant, nor
trust worthy, to prevent mis=
=management, to controul de=
=tails, to discover imposition, or
to discharge with efficiency
the duties required to be perform
=ed in this important Establish=
=ment, maintained chiefly on
account

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account not of their own, but of another Government.—

40. These Considerations may be stated as some of the immediate causes of the deterioration of the breed while others which may have also contributed materially to the same result, have been described in a letter from the Resident in Mysore, to the Chief Secretary of Government under date the 2d June 1810, Vizt "that sufficient "attention has not been paid latterly to the selection of breeding "Bulls, the importation of new "stock, and the culling of those "which are inferior in strength

and

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and Sizes. These causes, naturally present themselves, but many others may exist, all arising from the want of due attention, from want of proper internal ma=nagement, and from want of an active head.

47. In the Minute of the Commander in Chief, it has been observed by His Ex=cellency, that by the time the Calves now procured from the breeding Establishment are fit for work, they will have cost the Company 60 Pagodas each, and that the actual cost of the Cattle formerly procu=red at an earlier age must

have

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have been enormous. In addition to this observation I may perhaps be excused in stating the following remarks. It is clear, that no Cattle ought to be admitted into the Kaukhana, until they can be put into the Yoke, and none can be put into the Yoke under 5. some until 6 Years of Age. They work well until 12, they are in their prime at 10, and are quite worn out at 15 or 16. According to the Original Arraingement, the Dairan delivered Calves at 1½ Years and upwards, for 4 Star Pagodas a Head. But there was an incumbrance on the Establish

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Establishment until they were
fit for work, and their Expend=
=es in the mean time ought to
be added to their prime Cost, to
shew their Real cost to the Hon=
=ble Company.—

48. Supposing then that
600 Calves were procured in
each Year at the ages
which I believe to be nearly
correct, their Expences before
they were fit for work, would
be at the rate of one Pagoda per
Month more; and without in=
=cluding Casualties the Draught
Bullocks must have cost the
Public as follows 100 Calves
at 5 Years old, they must be
kept

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Kept 6 Months for training which amounts to	Star Pags 600.
300 Calves at 4d. to be kept 1 Year until they are of age and trained	3,600.
100 Ditto at 3 Do. Do. 2 Do Do.	2400.
100 Ditto at 2 Do. Do. 3 Do Do.	3600.
Total 600.	Pagodas. 10,200.

That is 10,200 Pagodas must have been disbursed for 600 Calves, before they could be used for Labor, or 17 Pagodas a Head, over and above the first cost of 4 Pagodas. Thus, each Draught Bullock from the Year 800, to 811, must have cost 21 Pagodas, without allowing for Casual=ties, for every one of which, should

be

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be added 4 Pagodas the original purchase price, and also the expences incurred in its maintenance, from the time of its being received from Poonnia, until the casualty occurred.

49. In consequence of the proposal contained in the letter of the Resident to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated the 26th June 1812, the Calves have recently been received at the age of four years old, and are continued to be paid for at the rate of 4 Pagodas each: Those however are not fit for Labor until they are five Years old at which time

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Sir

I send each Bullock will still have cost about 16 Pagodas, without calculating the casualties which may occur in the interim, and this price as His Excellency has stated may be pronounced uncommonly expensive, as the best common Bullocks of my Sort can be purchased for 6 or 7 Pagodas a head fit for immediate service.

5th. These observations will I conceive tend to confirm the conclusion, that the present System is inefficient and expensive, and that the only means of remedying the defects and of preventing the

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utter extinction of the breed, are to be found,
in the adoption of the arrangement sug-
=gested by the Commander in Chief. The e-
Execution of this arrangement would be
conceive be as easy, as the result of it,
would be beneficial, and I shall now
proceed to offer the outline of a plan,
which after a full communication
with Captain Harvey who has given much
attention to this subject, would in my
Judgement, be well calculated to en=
=sure the accomplishment of the objects
held in view by His Excellency in Co=
=mmand Authority.

The Cows with attend-
57.
-ants should be transferred again to
the Company, and the Annual Superin-
-tendance of the breeding Establishment
should be placed in the hands of an
European

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European Officer, to conduct the whole of the details for the mutual benefit of the Honorable Company and the Mysore Government. By him the attendants should be paid, and the expense of the breeding Establishment regulated under such general Superintendance as the Government may think proper. With him also should rest exclusively, all the management and selection of the Cattle, until the Calves were of a proper age to be delivered over. Those required for the Honorable Company's public Establishment, should then be received into the Kaukhanas, and the remainder might as at present, belong to His Highness the Rajah, who should bear a just proportion of the expense attending

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attending the breeding Establishment; but which expence, it is presumed would be fully reimbursed by the Cattle - which the Government of His Highness would have to receive, from the surplus remaining, after the drafts had been made, to keep complete the Larkhanas, and even the Establishment of Carriage Bullocks, maintained for the Carriage of the Camp equipage - and Military Stores, of the disposable force of this Army. -

52. It is only by having the attendants under the Controul of an European Officer, that any real or useful information would in my - opinion be gained. For constant and frequent musters might be made, the whole of the Jungles in Mysore

might

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might be traversed to little or no purpose
if these people depended on, and received
their pay at the pleasure of the Dewan;
while on the contrary when placed im-
mediately under the superintendence
and orders of an European Officer of
the Government they would feel it
to be their interest, as well as their
duty to look up to him, as they
would be continued in employment
or discharged according to the manner
in which they might perform the
service required of them.

53. In the event of this plan
being approved of, the whole of the
details, which must be grounded on
those which have prevailed formerly
and the general System of management,

which

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which must be regulated with refer-
-ence to such improvements as ex-
-perience and the practice of breeders
in Europe may suggest, might be
immediately arranged, and the breed
might be certainly meliorated if
not entirely recovered, by a steady ad-
-herence to fixed rules, and by observing
the strictest attention in the following
particulars. —

1st. In securing a proper de-
-gree of attention on the part of the
attendants to the herds generally. —

2d. In Establishing proper
checks for the due appropriation of
the whole of the Milk to the young
Calves. —

3d. In making proper

arrangements

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arrangements for the supply of a suffi-
-cient quantity of nutritive and
succulent food to the Cows and their
offspring; as no subsequent care and
attention can remedy the effects re-
-sulting from neglect in the earlier
stages, and as to the scarcity of proper
food in the dry weather, may possibly
be attributed in a very great degree,
the degeneracy of this breed of cattle. -

4th In separating the young -
calves from the Cows, and in castrating
them at a proper age. -

5th In selecting proper subs-
-jects for breeding, in rejecting at stated
periods all improper cows, and if ne-
-cessary introducing stock from other
Quarters. It is probable that they

have

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have been breeding "in and in" from the
first commencement of the Establish
=ment, a system which has been found
=... in Europe, injurious to the breed
of any kind of cattle. —

6th In securing a due appro
=priation of the Calves and in pre=
=venting the Establishment from be=
=coming overloaded by those which
will certainly be useless. —

7th In delivering the Calves
at a proper age for work, and in
training them previous to delivery
at the breeding grounds. If the Calves
are handed over monthly, as casu=
=alties occur, great benefit would
be derived to the Establishment
both with regard to Economy and
efficiency. —

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54. Under the present System many of the Cattle in the Karkhana Es-=tablishment are too young for work, and others are too old for Service, so that were a large force assembled, in-=stead of having 4000 effective Cattle, probably not more than two thirds of that number would be found actu-=ally fit for a campaign. But if the breeding Establishment were at the dis-=posal of Government, it may be con-=cluded, that in the course of a few Years, a great Number of Calves would be produced than are actual-=ly required to complete the Casu-=alties both in the Draught and Car-=riage Establishments, and when all the old Bullocks might be sold off two or three Years before they become unfit

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unfit for work, at a price nearly e-
qual to that which is given at
present for the Calves; It is impossi-
=ble for me to state the exact a-
=mount which every draught o-
Bullock might cost the public
under the proposed System; but I
think it may be presumed, that
the price, would not amount to one
half of what they cost at present,
before they can be employed in the
yoke.

55. Before I conclude this
Report, it is incumbent on me to
bring to the notice of the Government,
the diligence, attention, and activity
which have been shewn by Captain
Harvey the Assistant Commissary
General in immediate charge of
the

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the department of Public Cattle.
The numerous details have been
conducted with regularity and
precision, and the complicated
and voluminous accounts, have
been prepared with so much care
and punctuality, that not a single
bill has been returned to him, from
this office for correction, nor has
any retrenchment been as yet
made by the Military Auditor
General from the large disbursements
in this branch of the Commissariat.
To Captain Harvey, I was chiefly
indebted at the time of the forma-
tion of the Commissariat for my
information relative to the details
of the Department of Public
Cattle, as also for the suggestion

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of several improvements which are too minute to be described in this report; but which have contributed in produc= =ing the favorable result which I have been enabled to exhibit. As an Ex= =ample however, I may state one ar= =rangement, adopted indeed during the period of his Agency, and since continued by this Department. It had been necessary before his appoint= =ment to the situation of Agent, to purchase very large Quantities of Straw at the Depot near Chingapa= =tam during several of the driest Months of the Year; but since the charge of that Depot has been in the hands of this Officer the expence on this account has been saved by cutting and drying grass at the proper

season,

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Seasons, and stacking it for future
use by means of the attendants of
the Cattle. —

56 Having thus endeavour
-ed to give as complete a view of the
present state of the Department of
public Cattle, as circumstances
will admit; having described the
arrangements adopted for the Manage
-ment, subsistence and purchase of
the Cattle; and having drawn a Compa-
-rison between the expenses incurred
on their account, under the Commis-
-sariat, and the expenses of former
Years under the former System, I have
only to express my hope that the Ho-
-nourable the Governor in Council
may be pleased to approve of the
Measures which have been carried
into

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into effect. I have also to express my hope that the Honorable the Governor in Council may be of opinion, that I am justified in stating that a material reduction of expense has been produced by those measures. A reduction which Compared with the expenses of the period to which I have had a retrospect cannot be computed at less than Pagodas 22,307-21-34, on the Cattle actually on the establishment, and Pagodas 911-63-64, saved by the reduction of Followers, the total Establishment being Pagodas 22,919-20-20. During the twelve months, exclusive of the further savings in progress and arising from the Modification and decrease of the number of

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of attendants attached to the public Elephants; from the substitution at certain Stations of Hired bullocks in lieu of public Carriage Bullocks; and from the Plan adopted for procuring Canals from Bengal, and from the Province of Cutch, which savings belong properly to the following Year.

Much however remains to be accomplished in the Department of Public Cattle and many arrangements of minor importance, some of which are now in Progress and some in contemplation, will be reported in Course of Business; and with the view of securing the

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the advantages which have been derived of introducing further improvements and of placing the future Conduct of the Department under a simple and fixed Sys-tem, I shall have the honor to as early a period as possible, of Submitting for the consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council, a draft of such further regulations as have appeared to be necessary and calculated to establish and promote the Success and efficiency of this branch of the Commissariat.

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I have the
&c
I am Sir
your obedt Servt
W. Morison
Commy Genl.

Statement

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Appendix No 15

Statement of the Public Cattle shewing the number and description and made for the Offices year 1807/8.—

Months	Elephants							Camels						
	No of Elephants	Allowances	Mussauls &c.	Furniture & Repairs	Purchase additional Elephants No.	amount	Camels	Allowances	Feeds	Mussauls &c.	Furniture & Repairs	Purchase additional Camels No.	amount	
1807/8														
May	109	111	21	61	4	"	170	23	16	"	"	"	"	123	202	10	"	317	5	62	27	23	14	1	18	"	"	"	"	"
June	109	111	17	57	7	6	5	44	124	24	"	"	"	"	"	122	201	28	"	297	40	70	18	7	49	6	15	"	"	"	"	"
July	109	111	9	40	42	68	32	21	124	24	"	"	"	"	"	122	201	28	"	325	35	27	11	34	26	4	39	"	"	"	"	"
August	111	111	10	41	38	1	7	63	32	47	126	31	16	"	"	"	"	128	205	16	"	373	32	40	9	35	44	49	32	46	7	455	"	"
September	109	111	8	39	30	70	10	58	126	35	32	"	"	"	"	128	213	4	"	320	26	24	7	26	9	"	24	"	"	"	"	"
October	109	110	1	47	35	60	58	5	10	124	24	"	"	"	"	131	214	18	"	304	41	40	21	2	71	"	6	"	3	195	"	"
November	109	110	2	42	37	61	60	3	9	124	24	"	"	"	"	132	217	16	"	338	18	46	14	40	47	34	26	"	2	130	"	"
December	109	110	1	41	42	40	4	124	24	"	"	"	"	"	131	222	2	"	272	16	78	9	36	47	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1808 January	109	112	28	70	29	49	36	51	22	"	124	24	"	"	"	"	"	127	237	2	50	242	20	9	14	22	"	15	25	53	"	"	"	"
February	108	113	2	41	26	64	22	63	124	8	"	"	"	"	"	117	202	29	40	180	13	71	12	26	67	49	41	13	"	"	"	"
March	107	121	6	15	26	21	64	22	63	123	2	"	"	"	"	"	115	199	14	"	144	5	2	17	9	5	11	16	40	"	"	"	"
April	118	120	7	32	1	41	73	28	35	135	39	48	"	"	"	"	109	197	6	"	129	27	73	13	29	26	2	5	"	"	"	"	"
Total	1316	1365	5	54	59	16	770	19	30	150	31	32	"	"	"	"	1485	2514	6	10	3247	32	62	179	"	5	176	38	74	12	786	"	"

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the Expense of their Feed and attendants as also of the Purchases

Kankhanna Gun Bullocks

No. of Bullocks	Draught	Forage	Attendants	Grain	Straw	Mussal &c.	Purchase of Furniture and repairs	Purchase of additional Bullocks
5875	439	5293	27	4834	35	17	55	2456
5841	431	5252	12	"	3770	19	11	2722
5810	425	5235	18	"	4486	25	7	13450
5777	418	5230	19	16	4350	13	7	7339
5735	412	5283	6	"	3729	12	4	6
5709	409	5193	25	16	3613	18	28	1745
6005	408	5215	18	"	3819	34	4	4507
5970	405	5269	18	15	4469	40	13	1025
5948	400	5265	28	45	3801	33	50	9982
5976	397	5263	15	48	2667	7	7	750
5878	392	5260	19	16	3003	13	3	8373
5829	382	5237	30	"	3066	30	7	986
70362	4918	62900	28	24	44153	44	12	2196

No. of Bullocks	attend^{ts}	Gram	Straw	Mus^{l} &c.	Repairs	Furniture and D^{o}	Purchase of additional Bullocks	Total expense for the year
1446	29	46						
1513	8	41	30					
1680	1	22	31					
1719	3	26	77					
1456	7	37	25					
1424	3	20	37					
1597	8	29	21					
1476	3	25	64					
1362	0	18	53					
1198	9	32	79					
1240	8	36	70					
1261	5	14	50					
17130	8	32	23					

Errors Excepted

Signed R. Macomochie
Dy a Gen^{l}

A true copy H. Morison
Comy Gen^{l}

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Appendix No 2

Statement of the Public Cattle shewing the numbers and Purchases made for the official year 1808, 9.

Months	Elephants: No. of Elephants	Attendants	Food	Medicines &c.	Furnitures & Repairs	Purchases of additional Elephants: No.	Amount	Camels: No. of Camels	Attendants	Food	Medicines &c.	Furnitures & Repairs	Purchases of additional camels: No.	Amount	Bullocks for Draught & Charge
1808/9															
May	117	1190	24	1775	29 46 12 33	124	20	103	187	26	104	20	9	20	5792 370
June	115	1181	11	1857	67 51 29 64	125	27 32	99	182	26	90	40	23	6 9	5474 347
July	114	1180	11	1977	35 35 49 33	50	131 37 16	99	159	10	96	28	21	8 1 40	3748 328
August	116	1208	8	1981	13 1 51 1	10	140 24	88	167	30	116	8	68	5 13	3713 322
September	116	1187	16	1985	17 54 47 4	44	127 35 48	89	161	22	97	14	37	10 28	13 47 34 64 2 125 30	3683 320
October	116	1197	4	1993	3 49 12 36	139	30	93	170	36	112	21	5	14 12	20 6 18	3604 295
November	116	1212	1	1964	58 2 46	125	80	98	173	40	132	21	75	8 21	43 9 15 30	4456 284
December	115	1265	11	2033	21 49 8 22	130	3	3	457	6	92	220	26	116	10 4 14	34 40 36 7 18	4100 279
1809																	
January	113	1257	25	2111	78 47 36 74	129	24	121	242	26	133	40	22	26 5	7 3 15	4042 270
February	117	1258	13	2081	49 44 29	65	130 2 32 5	100	131	214	20	32	161	4 15	21 12 75	3988 256
March	117	1259	13	2140	57 45 36	46	42 24	130	227	36	184	27	14	19 6	30 15 12 70	3896 241
April	116	1265	9	2189	27 40 32	4	20	134	18	129	233	34	177	11 12	14 36 37	24	20 40	3829 231
Total	1366	1302	30	2227	497	98	585 17 30	1572	28	48	8	657	6	1272	238	6 32	1573	17 76	158	34	28	453	22	42	2	125	30	50015	3543

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description and the Expense of their Fleet, and attendants as also of the pres-

Kan Khana Gun Bullocks

Tent Carriage Bullocks

Attendants	Grass	Straw	Mussals &c.	Furniture & Repairs	Purchase of additional Bullocks Draught & Forage	No. of Bullocks amount	Attendants	Grass	Straw	Mussals &c.	Furniture & Repairs	Purchase of additional Bullocks No. Amount	Total exp. of one year
5206 24	"	3046 39	69 16	15 33	50	24	17	40	18	36	"	"	1342 12 53
6158 9	48	2854 12	10	1151 16	36	24	41	20	25	36	"	"	1277 40 "
3539 19	16	2226 34	41	1326 23	16	14	12	"	"	"	1618	1236 39 64	362 23 46	2968 39 "	7687	12896 39 25
3529 "	"	2066 28	72	788 21	"	16	40	40	9	36	1665	1229 8	305 26 67	1708 28 40	3402	11739 27 29
3240 21	48	2139 38	3	942 33	30	11	14	22	3	16	1768	1214 5 16	344 13	5839 3 41	7042	11826 44 17
3704 27	24	2259 34	9	693 27	15	15	23	30	13	24	1741	1211 27	48 336	1763	184 10	10745 21 31
3369 22	32	3757	"	574 54	29	"	23	8	40	6	28	1729	1125 16	48 259	6	23 105	7926	11937 23 15
3397 24	"	2084 39	6	547 1	24	17	41	60	9	15	1698	1113 "	"	308 9	31	245	9724	10917 23 19
3240 18	"	2139 1	31	545 29	775	6	11	20	14	26	40	1654	1205 32	18	625	38	72	290	3297	11884 24 17
3435 29	78	1976 17	35	715	11	27	14	39	40	13	7	40	1596	1246 10	36	660	26	24	250	12136 30 64
3457 30	12	2039 11	58	586	11	"	19	9	40	9	20	1564	1267	2	58	9	436	7	237	12	9	28	243	55	2818	11314 11 11
3357 "	18	1568 30	67	669	8	76	12	21	"	6	21	1577	1126	18	34	18	46	294	20	8	25	2	29	10465 28 76
4289 16	36	2850 36	55	1010	36	29	201	17	82	130	14	1530	1176	36	2	4086	5	37	2911	22	234	1201	30	14226 38 17

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Appendix No 5

Statement of the Public Cattle shewing the Numbers and descrip-
Purchases made for the Official years 1809/10 —

| | Elephants | | | | | | | | Camels | | | | | | | |

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tion and the Expense of their Feed, and attendants as also of the

Kankhana Gun Bullocks

Tent Carriage Bullocks

| Gram | Straw | Musalo &c. | Furniture & repairs | Purchase of additional Bullocks | No. of Bullocks | Allowance for Drought Forage | Allowance for Drought Forage | Allowance for Drought Forage

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Statement of the Public Cattle shewing the Numbers and description for the

Elephants

Camels

Months	No. of Elephants	Allowance Trees	Purchase of additional Elephants	No. Amount	Allowance Camels	Trees	Purchase of additional camels	No. Amount	Bullocks Allowance	Trees	Mussals & Hyæ	Repairs	No. armourd	Draught	Forage	Allowance dants
1810/11																
May	120	1711	24	52	27	20										
June	117	1198	4	16	27	00										
July	117	1180	3	"	26	40										
August	117	1180	3	"	25	40										
September	118	1132	28	44	49	3	4	66	07	4	40	00				
October	118	1206	28	"	121	0	9	63	49	17	40	00				
November	118	1206	28	"	138	8	16	33	54	39	20	00				
Total	825	8616	40	32	1021	11	76	372	256	90	37	00				

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and the Expense of their Feed and attendants as also of the Purchases made

Official Years 1810/11.—

Kankhana Gun Bullocks Tent Carriage Bullocks.

Grains	Straw	Musals and Gra repairs	Purchase of Furniture additional Bullocks Draught Forage amount	No of Bullocks	Attendants	Grains	Straw	Musals Gra repairs	Purchase of Furniture & additional Bullocks No	Amount	Total Expense of one years
279	2 58	26 50	38 40	114	10 10	4 13 40	" " "	" " "	799	916 5 70	123 6 3	186 15 40	4 35	15,378 8 40
245	7 26	26 16	28 35	71	9 24	" 2 18 40	" " "	" " "	785	906 32 46	98 7 4	126 29 26	2 32	12785 35 20
211	7 25	5 3	13 38	21	5 9	" 1 11 34	" " "	" " "	774	898 4 24	100 23 3	120 16 17	3	11132 34 37
113	5 36	5 6	10 7	5 14	6 10	36 18 19	13 40	" " "	" " "	794	872 24	98 3 43	70 38 53	2	9119 22 17
98	8 24	7 0	5 4	9 17	9 5	26 60	" 18	" " "	" " "	923	848 42	106 35 19	49 36	2 3	182 8 14	10 40	9903 4 26
99	5 16	19	24	14	5 3	8 41	" 7	9 " "	" " "	1049	843 17	[illegible]	2	28 556	9 "	9116 13 62
102	23 7	4 5	7 2	29	24 7	" 55 11	23 " "	" " "	" " "	1095	843 16	24 20	23 5	76 57	24 29	5	68 145	6 14 8	20	9756 19 47
158	30	30	8	15	7 30	22 65	13 44	57 3 40	" " "	" " "	6219	6129	16 8	88	9	21	45	16	47	2	37	22	26	45	5	20	44	27	60	77149	12 69

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General Statement of the expense of the attendants and Subsistence of the Officials years 1807/8 1808/9, 1809/10, and the broken part of the years 1810/11 average expense of one of each description of cattle for one month for each of Cattle since May 1807 to December 1810 being the whole period Commissariat, is also annexed and the difference

Particular Statement from which the Items are taken	Period	Elephants: Total number of Elephants entered in the year	Elephants: amount for attendants in the year	Elephants: amount for Subsistence including Massalah year	Elephants: Total	Camels: Total number for Camels entered in the year	Camels: amount for attendants in the year	Camels: amount for subsistence including Massalah year	Camels: Total	Total number of Draught & Baggage Bullocks entered in the years
From the Accountant General	1807/8									
average monthly expense of one of each description of cattle	Do									
From the Accountant General	1808/9	1366	39	22 17165	36 76	30968	31	18 12772	2318	6 32 2185 29 66 45053 36 18 53558
average monthly expense of one of each description of Cattle	Do									
From the Acct Genl	1809/10	1420	1437	34 16 19404	25 20	33772	14	36 1356	2581	6 64 2617 20 53 51798 27 37 44589
average monthly expense of one of each description of Cattle	Do			3 33	13 29	74 23	33	27 1	1	40 53 1 41 69 3 37 42 1
From the Acct Genl	1810/11 (March Examined 4th May 1811 Last Year 1810 Examined 7th March)	825	32	13341	30 28	21952	25	60 921	1688	8 20 1931 29 61 36119 38 1 23680
average monthly expense of one of each description of Cattle	Do									

From the Accountant General — average monthly expense of one of each description of Cattle — Do: 10 16 72 16 4 52 26 21 44 1 1 31 15 2 19 16 4 5 31 1

From the Accountant General — average monthly expense of one of each description of Cattle — Do: 10 4 56 12 25 39 22 30 15 1 1 37 1 1 32 26 3 24 27 1

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the Public Elephants Camels Kan Khanas Draught Bullocks and Tent Carriage Bullocks during immediately proceeding the formation of the Commissariat and shewing the of these periods and the average monthly expense of one of each description embraced by this Statement — The average expense under the —

Kan Khanas Draught Bullocks including Forage Bullocks attached				Tent Carriage Bullocks				Total of each year	Remarks
amount for attendants in the year	amount of subsistence including Massal & year	Total	Total number of Carriage Bullocks subsisted in the years	amount for attendants in the year	amount of subsistence including Massal & year	Total			
62930, 28	24,666 32	44 32	129,563	27 56	"	" " "	" " "	" " "	170528 4 23	The Public Elephants Camels & Draught Bullocks & Tent Carriage Bullocks discontinued
" 3749	" 39 66	1 32 35		"	"	" " "	" " "	" " "		
44289	16 36 38,593	14 36	82,882	30 72 16,550	119 75 35	2 799	25 67 19,185	18 69	138,2[illegible] 24 14	
" 37 17	" 32 34	1 24 51	1	"	32 45	" 21 40½	1 9	56		
39967	8 76 36,793	38 35	76,761	2 31 13,887	12,766	22 38 64 34	2 38	19200 24 76	131,377 25 70	
" 40 27	" 37 10½	1 32 37½	1	"	41 30	" 20 67	1 17	19		
21844	16 26 19,860	32 56	41,705	4 2 6219	629	16 8 16 91	18 18	7,820 34	[illegible] 17 8	
" 4141	" 37 59	1 34 20	1	"	44 28	" 12 19	[illegible]	[illegible]		

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Recapitulation of the average expense of one of each

For the year	1807/8	1	10	16	72	16	4	52	26	21	44	1	1	31	15	2	19	16	14	5	31
Do.	1808/9	1	10	4	56	12	25	39	22	20	15	1	1	37	1	1	32	26	3	24	27
Do.	1809/10	1	10	3	33	13	29	74	23	39	27	1	1	40	53	1	47	69	3	37	42
Do.	1810/11	1	10	20	1	16	7	57	26	27	58	1	1	37	38	2	4	30½	38	41	68½
Total		4	41	2	2	58	22	62	99	22	64	4	7	11	27	8	7	61½	15	19	8½
General average monthly expence of one of each description of cattle for 12 months preceding the formation of the Commissariat		1	10	11	20½	14	28	15½	24	39	36	1	1	36	46 3/9	2	1	75½	3	38	42
average under the Contract during the first 12 Months		1	10	8	11½	12	9	7 24	22	9	3¾	1	1	3¼	44¾	1	35	62¾	3	25	24½
Difference of one of each Description							9	22	7 23¾					"	"	2	5	"	11	12½	
Total difference on one Elephant		2	30	32⅞										Total difference on one Camel		"	13	17½			

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description of Cattle Corresponding with the foregoing periods

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Appendix

Statement exhibiting the amount which would have been incurred in subsisting Twelve Months of its operation according to the average Monthly cost of each description the Commissariat on account of the same number of cattle for the same pe=

	Elephants			Camels			Khaun Kamas		
	Total number of Elephants subsisted in the year	amount for allow=ances in the year	amt of subsistence including Massal & Fees	Total number of Camels subsisted in the year	amount for attendants in the year	amt sub =sisted in the year	Total number of draug.ts & Bullocks subsisted in the year	amount for attendants in the year	
amount of expense which would have been incurred according to the average of former rates for the cattle actually on the Establishment	1361	13950	19605	1990	31	55½	3385	7	36
amount actually incurred for the same cattle for 12 Months under Commissariat	1361	13856	14	7516	359	14	8	30215	29
Difference in favour of the Commissariat	..	94	14	65	357	17	47½	3641	22

amount of expense which would have been incurred according to the average of former rates for the cattle actually on the Establishment	1859	33,70	15	28½	3798	7	49¾	7168	22	78	40560	35,304	4	40
amount actually incurred for the same cattle for 12 Months under Commissariat	1859	3285	6	—	3337	11	57	6622	17	57	40560	35071	1	14
Difference in favour of the Commissariat	..	85	9	28¼	460	40	72¾	546	5	21	..	233	3	26

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the Public Cattle actually under the charge of this department during the first
for the preceeding 43. Months contrasted with the amount actually incurred by
=riod, and shewing the difference in favor of the Commissariat.—

Draught Bullocks			Tent Carriage Bullocks				
amt of sub=sistence inc=cluding Masal and Gear.—	Total	Total number of carriage Bullocks subsisted in the year	amount for attendants in the year	amount of subsistence including Masal and Gear	Total	Total	Remarks
33149 15	60 12453	20 20	15530	13607	19 76	6281 1	19888 20 76	129367 25 50
16678 18	3 51749	19 14	15530	11266	16 48	4452 35	63¼ 15719 ¼	31¼ 104,366 28 28¼
16470 42	57 16704	1 3	..	2341 3	28 1828	10 16¾	4169 13	44¾ 25060 42 21¾

All the particulars of this amounts are shewn at length in the annexed Statement mark'd A

Total difference 25060 42 21¾

From which deduct the difference in the expense

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of the attendants			
of Elephants	94 : 4 : 65¼		
of Camels	85 : 9 : 28¼		
of Draught and Sonage bullocks	233 : 3 : 26		
of Tent Carriage	Do. 2341 : 3 : 28	2753 20 67½	
	Total Saving Pagodas	22307 21 34	

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Statement of the Public Cattle shewing their number and description and the expense 1st December 1811 being the first 12 Months of the operation of the Commissariat.—

	Elephants					Camels					Kankhanas Draught Bullocks attached				
	No. of Elephants	attendants	Fruit & Masals	Furniture repairs	Total	No. of Camels	attendants	Fruit. Masals	Furniture & year [illegible]	Total	No. of Bullocks	attendants	Gram	Straw	Total
December 1810	118	1193	34	20	1253	16	16	60	38	21	1	4	"	250	8
January 1811	119	1218	11	48	1392	6	63	52	21	9	2	"	"	266	4
February	119	1194	16	17	1030	7	12	60	5	3	38	"	"	238	5
March	119	1201	38	"	1218	25	14	62	46	62	4330	23	2531	8	19
April	117	1192	30	30	1142	41	23	61	18	80	"	"	"	240	8
May	115	1176	32	30	1145	1	"	112	10	30	6	8	2730	2741	3
June	115	1157	32	"	1239	16	9	75	14	36	21	28	30	2543	39
July	115	1157	28	"	1327	18	67	75	6	40	25	24	50	2545	35
August	107	1140	3	52	1268	33	71	99	25	51	197	16	6	2705	26
September	107	1084	26	"	1209	29	57	52	39	10	"	"	"	2347	10
October	105	1071	18	32	1218	37	14	68	8	45	3	26	"	2162	14
November	115	1066	37	48	1373	24	6	68	13	71	111	19	65	2820	16
Total	1361	13856	14	375	15637	10	62	880	32	67	469	172	44	30215	29

	Kankhanas Draught Bullocks attached														
	No. of Bullocks	attendants	Gram	Straw	Total	No. of Bullocks	attendants	Gram	Straw	Total	No. of Bullocks	attendants	Gram	Straw	Total
December 1810	132	40	39	28	"	26	"	"	"	"	452	40	65	3527	202
January 1811	144	23	14	72	0	33	13	677	9	27	3478	197	2983	24	"
February	142	2	73	27	7	52	26	18	20	479	1865	3436	191	2961	8
March	144	2	33	94	187	2949	20	64	961	14	17				
April	126	12	37	31	76	180	2945	"	32	891	21	61			
May	140	4	49	20	16	67	4	10	4	561	7	40	3120	199	2935
June	125	39	26	30	99	257	2908	37	64	858	32	36			
July	141	23	60	30	33	47	"	"	"	484	3	27	3043	243	2889
August	163	"	46	28	40	34	85	30	"	533	35	"	2968	220	2881
September	230	41	70	33	10	41	22	5	16	561	5	41	2934	214	2882
October	172	19	37	38	24	57	24	37	46	530	31	54	2910	210	2878
November	231	17	38	31	17	65	130	15	50	685	26	73	2900	276	2870
Total	1859	3285	6	"	2464	37	15356	3459	515	23	63	6622	17	57	37990

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	Kankhanas Draught Bullocks attached					Grand Total									
	No. of Bullocks	attendants	Gram	Straw	Total	No. of Cattle	attendants	Fruit. Masals	Furniture repairs	Total					
December 1810	252	40	65	3527	202	2983	"	"	931	11	53				
January 1811	257	20	"	154	17	"	4423	1472	0	33	13	677	9	27	3478
February	283	32	"	142	2	73	27	7	52	26	18	20	479	1865	3436
March	278	14	"	293	37	60	30	2922	1	"	"	603	9	2	3394
April	241	2	"	236	33	22	19	1915	"	"	"	676	12	27	3176
May	266	18	"	270	4	49	20	16	67	4	10	4	561	7	40
June	262	10	"	240	8	1	23	21	25	"	"	"	525	39	26
July	256	30	"	191	23	60	30	33	47	"	"	"	484	3	27
August	256	6	"	163	"	46	28	40	34	85	30	"	533	35	"
September	274	32	"	230	41	70	33	10	41	22	5	16	561	5	41
October	294	34	"	172	19	37	38	24	57	24	37	46	530	31	54
November	242	18	"	231	17	38	31	17	65	130	15	50	685	26	73
Total	3285	6	"	2464	37	15356	3459	515	23	63	6622	17	57	37990	25

	Grand Total														
	No. of Cattle	attendants	Fruit. Masals	Furniture repairs	Total										
December 1810	2983	"	"	931	11	53									
January 1811	2983	24	"	892	15	23									
February	2961	8	"	871	15	24									
March	2949	20	64	961	14	17									
April	2945	"	32	891	21	61									
May	2935	37	16	912	3	25									
June	2908	37	64	858	32	36									
July	2889	11	16	1020	13	53									
August	2881	37	40	1119	14	40									
September	2882	19	48	953	25	14									
October	2878	35	54	1930	19	31									
November	2870	27	"	1217	22	66									
Total	37990	25	70	35071	7	14	11657	41	43						

No. 13 Expenses of the Draught and Forage Bullocks 51749
Purchase of ——— do ——— do ——— do 1610
Total. Vide conclusion of the 33d para of the Report 53359

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of their attendants and subsistence from the 1st December 1810, to the

Bullocks and Forage										Tent Carriage Bullocks									
Straw	Masauls Forage	Furniture and repair	Total	No. of Bullocks	attendants	Grams	Straw	Masauls Forage	Furniture and repairs	Total									
284	3 69	6	24 70	"	"	"	4204	40	32	1121	850	364	176	28	53	55	28	71	60
282	8 5	12	16 50	11	29	40	4182	9	38	1169	871	28	24	160	29	30	56	37	36
377	16 75	19	8 60	2	36	"	4232		79	1185	903	224	139	14	56	61	5	17	2
450	23 67	4	10 "	"	"	"	4365	26	68	1222	904	6	40	174	26	65	108	6	57
383	13 24	4	35 75	"	"	"	4225	29	32	1238	898	14	24	178	27	25	122	1	63
446	8 54	10	31 77	"	"	"	4274	39	12	1257	899	7	"	181	19	69	121	2	"
319	" 54	6	34 27	"	"	"	4093	21	21	1278	944	14	"	166	32	67	83	38	6
453	11 "	15	15 75	"	"	"	4378	9	64	1119	993	24	"	186	22	58	113	40	57
523	24 1	27	14 15	5	18	"	4657	24	16	1361	993	24	"	227	33	47	196	5	7
366	6 36	29	25 19	"	"	"	4225	34	36	1321	984	15	43	232	41	"	157	11	49
396	9 63	46	14 25	"	"	"	4351	37	13	1520	984	6	"	238	2	62	150	34	34
542	35 30	23	7 30	2	37	40	4657	46	11	1439	1039	6	"	286	36	26	236	26	20
4738	35 77	206	29 43	22	37	"	51749	25	17	15719	10	31	4						

Abstract

Elephants	39215 : 29 : 3
Camels	6622 : 17 : 57
Draught & Forage Bullocks attached	51749 : 25 : 17
Tent Carriage Bullocks	15719 : 10 : 31¼
Grand Total for the first 12 Months	104306 : 10 : 28¼

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Appendix No 1

Abstract of Pay and Batta to the Lascars, artificers, Puckallies and Bamboo coolies attached to the Public Cattle Department in Arrears for November 1810

Objections		Batta for November	Gratuity for D:	Establishment allowance for D:	Pay for D:	additional Pay for D:	Total one of each Rank	Total of each Rank	Total of abstract
1	Head Tindal	" 60 "	"	"	2 22 "	"	"	2 82 "	
6	Lascars	" 45 "	"	"	1 34 "	"	1 79 "	10 306 "	
1	Carpenter	" 60 "	"	"	2 36 "	"	"	2 96 "	
1	Smith	" 60 "	"	"	2 36 "	"	"	2 96 "	
1	Hammerman	" 45 "	"	"	2 6 "	"	"	2 51 "	
1	Bellows Boy	" 15 "	"	"	30 "	"	"	45 "	
1	Puckally	" 60 "	"	"	3 2 72 "	"	"	3 62 72	
3	Bamboo Coolies	" "	"	"	2 "	"	"	6 " "	

Total Star Pagodas Twenty seven Fanams seven hundred and thirty seven and Cash seventy two 27 737 72

To J. Smith Esqr.
Paymaster in Mysore

Grazing Farm near Seringapatam
1st December 1810

Signed H. Harvey
a P. C

Received the contents

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Brought down amount of abstract	43	17	72
To which add the Pay of 3 Lascars formerly drawn for, with the Elephant Establishment at 2. 23. each. is ..	7	27	
Total per Mensem ...	50	44	72
Total per annum	611	43	64

Vide Report Para 15

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Appendix. N8

Extract of a Letter from the agent for Public Cattle to the Quarter Master General of the Army dated 27th June, 1810.

"I have the honor to transmit upon three General Statements of the Expenditure and Receipts by the Draft Cattle Establishment from January to September of the year 1809, which have hitherto not been forwarded to your office.—

It is unnecessary to recapitulate the remarks which were formerly communicated on this subject. The justice of those observations is sufficiently proved by the result.—

The rate according to which the calculations in the enclosed papers are framed, may perhaps be objected to; it was originally adopted, in conformity to orders received from your office, and is in favor of each not more favorable than any other, to this Establishment.

Each Bullock when employed on service in any way either with or without a load, going or returning,

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is charged in these Estimates for the time he is working at the rate of two Pagodas and eight fanams, the sum actually paid by Government for all hired Draught Bullocks when employed by time. It may perhaps at first sight be imagined that charges should not be made when they are returning without loads, but Inventure to say that no native would enter into such an agreement for his own cattle, a comparison with other accounts of this nature will however be more clear and decisive. —

Naganah's contract for transporting stores from Masulipatam to Hyderabad has been considered favorable to the Public. He is in fact paid monthly hire when travelling at the rate of five miles a day, but is paid no return money. This amounts to the same thing as if he travelled ten Miles a day, going and returning and were paid for both. —

Now the Public Cattle, under proper management can travel with loads at the rate of nine Miles a day and without them at about twelve, so that supposing them always to return without loads, the scale of charge here adopted, is more favorable than Naganahs contract, but when they return with loads which is most frequently the case, the two

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charges will scarcely bear a comparison for Pagamah would be paid monthly hire for both, whereas the Kankhana cattle would be charged for at the rate of nine Miles a day. If therefore the rule here adopted be faulty, it is evidently against, not in favor of the department.

It is however fair to observe, that as two charges are not entered into for agents accounts, so they are omitted here. I mean the charge for the Agents salary, office Establishment &c. &c. &c., amounting to 5 or 6000 Pa-godas annually, half of which only properly belongs to this branch, and the price of the Calves, which I am raising them at 500 a year, will be 2,000 Pagodas more

A true Extract

Signed Henry Harvey

asst. Commy Genl.

A true Copy

Signed W. Morrison

Commy Genl.

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Appendix No. 9

Average Statement of the Works performed by the Draft Bullocks from May 1807 to November 1810, inclusive —

	Number of Bullocks employed	Value of the Works performed.			Total of each year	
1807/8		Pd	ℳ	ℂ	Pd	ℳ ℂ
May 1807	2950	6463	12	19		
June	3961	8610	22	63		
July	3964	8680	29	69		
August	3309	7248	8	76		
September	3043	6665	22	75		
October	3106	6790	23	5		
November	3248	7004	23	37		
December	3719	8045	25	79		
January 1808	2651	5806	28	53		
February	2426	5314	40	63		
March	2510	5498	24	29		
April	2858	6259	39	23	82389	8 31
May	3382	7409	"	42		
June	3245	7107	37	64		
July	2862	6270	32	32		
august	2581	5653	10	74		
September	2916	6387	21	6		
October	3068	6682	7	12		
November	3077	6702	16	50		
December	2814	6195	2	23		
January 1809	3156	6913	36	53		
February	3010	6593	26	23		
March	2606	5708	24	32		
April	2733	5987	28	"	77611	34 11
May	2757	6039	11	53		
June	2926	6409	34	42		
July	2916	6389	8	22		
Carried Over		18,838	12	37		

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	Number of Bullocks employed.	Value of the Works performed	Total of each year	
		Pagt.	Fo.	6ths P. F. L.
Brought forward	18,832	12	37	
August	2552	5,830	31	53
September	2266	4964	21	52
October	2474	5419	39	30
November	3010	6592	28	75
December	3079	6.744	26	70
January 1810	3029	6634	12	32
February	3100	6789	37	31
March	3040	6658	26	74
April	2994	6,558	12	" 75031 36 54
1810/11				
May 1810	2964	6492	24	
June	2,568	5626	10	11
July	2656	5,817	22	53
August	2607	5,711	37	16
September	2,388	5230	2	22
October	2,608	5474	39	71
November	2437	5337	10	40 39690 26 24

Signed H. Harvey

a/d. Comy Genl.

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Average Statement of the Works performed by the Draft Bullocks from December 1810 to November 1811.

	Number of Bullocks employed	Value of the Works performed	Total of each year
1810/11		P ℔ s d	P ℔ s d
December 1810	2176	4766	32 21
January 1811	1886	4130	39 59
February	2,191	4797	36 60
March	2,172	4757	33 5
April	2067	4527	11 60
May	2047	4484	26 53
June	1902	4164	25 46
July	2014	4,412	33 5
August	2017	4418	26 31
September	1912	4188	4 75
October	2027	4439	39 70
November	2,030	4467	35 26 53,557 9 15

Signed H. Harvey
a/st. Comy Genl.

A true Copy
Signed Wm. Morison
Comy Genl.

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To George Strachey Esqr.
Secretary to Government
in the
Military Department.

No. 26. Sir,

From the Commissary General — Report on the Victualling Department. — I have Now the honor to submit, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, a report of the results of the operations of the Commissariat in the Victualling Department, and of the advantages which in point of economy, have been derived to the Public from the arrangements adopted by the Officers under my Directions, and at the Presidency under my own immediate Superintendence, in supplying the European Troops with Provisions. —

The

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2 The new Regulations published at the formation of the Commissariat, did not in any shape affect the proportion of Articles which the European Troops, had previously been accustomed to receive. The same allowance in every respect continued therefore, to be supplied, and it may be fairly presumed that the provisions, were at least of as good a quality as had usually been issued, or discontent would have prevailed and Complaints would have been preferred. I may Consequently be relieved from the Necessity of discussing the manner in which this Branch of the Department has been conducted, without Difficulty or dissatisfaction,

and

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and proceed at once to point out the economy which has been observed in the supplies, without occasioning the smallest sacrifice of either the Necessaries or the Comforts of the Troops.

3d. From a variety of reports that have been made to me by the Officers under my Controul, from the inspection of their accounts and from the experience which I have had in this branch since the Establishment of the Commissariat, I have long since been led to believe that a Considerable Diminution of Expence had been effected in the Victualling Department; but in order to satisfy the Honorable the Governor in Council of the justness of the conclusion at which

I have

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I have arrived, it is Necessary that I should authenticate in the usual manner the grounds from which it has been deduced, and exhibit certified Documents in support of the same.

4. With this view I have obtained from the Office of the Accountant General in the Department of Military Accounts, a statement of the expenses incurred in Victualling the European Troops marching from one Station to another, for a considerable period previously to the formation of the Commissariat, and this Statement a Copy, of which is annexed, exhibits the average rates of Victualling one Man per Day, in each Division of the

No. 1.
vide appendix.
Presidency Division — 5-64
Centre Do. — 5-8.
Northern Do. — 6-6
Southern Do. 4-19
Mysore. Do. 4-3

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the Army, as transcribed in the Margin. The Statement did not however afford the means of ascertaining the average Rate of Expense for victualling the Troops in the said Districts. Two Charges only are inserted as incurred in that Division for several Years, and these being on account of Troops in Garrison, do not consequently apply to the Troops Marching. The same may be observed with regard to Malabar and Canara, as the number of Men Victualled are not expressed in the Statement. I have therefore, with the view of enabling me to complete the Comparison which I am about to exhibit,

been

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been obliged to assume that the Average Cost of Victualling the Troops Marching in the Ceded Districts and in Malabar and Canara has not been less than 6 Fanams per Man per Day, a Sum which I have fixed on the Grounds which will be Stated in a Subsequent Paragraph. Whether this rate be just or not, the general Result cannot be much affected by it, as the whole Amount incurred for Victualling Troops in those Divisions During the first 12 Months, is extremely trifling.

vide 13th Paragraph being an Extract from a report of the Military Board.

5. It may be proper to observe in this place, that the expenses Referred to in the preceding Paragraph,

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Paragraph, include every Charge on account of Victualling the Troops; Viz.t the Supplies of Rice, Salt, Arrack, Meat and Fire-wood, the Carriage required for the Conveyance of the three former Articles of dead Stock, and the hire of the Requisite Establish-ment of Servants. A different System has always obtained with Regard to the Victualling Depart-ment with the Subsidiary force of Hyderabad, which is regulated by the Rules prescribed for Troops in the field. To arrive therefore at a Knowledge of former Rates, at Jaulnah and Secunderabad, I have obtained from the Department of Military Accounts a Statement

of

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of the Victualling purchase Bills;
for all Articles provided, to w-
which shall be applied the quan-
=tities issued as taken from
the Returns of the Men Victualled,
and the result produced by this
Calculation is shewn in the State-
=ment and expressed in the Star=
=ling Currency of Pagodas which exhibits the average
expences of Victualling one Eu=
=ropean per day at those Stations
exclusive only of Carriage which
is maintained at Jaulnah for
the Victualling, in the same man-
=ner as for any other of the Sub=
=sidiary Departments, with the Sub-
=sidiary force of Hydenabad.

Having thus described
the manner in which these
ascertained

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ascertained the expences incurred for vic-
-tualling Europeans under the former
system; and having prepared an Abstract
of the Actual Expences incurred on the
same account and in the same Divisi-
-ons of the Army during the first
twelve Months of the operations of
the Commissariat which Abstract
is annexed, I have now the honor to
submit a Comparative Statement
shewing the Difference between these
expenses; in Explanation of which, I
beg leave to add the few following
Remarks. -

No 2 Abstract
-pendix.-
No 3. Do

1st. The Troops in the Garrison
of Fort St George, and on their first ar-
-rival from Europe, were formerly
victualled by the Town Mayor, but
this Duty devolved on the Commissariat
in

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In conformity with the general orders of the 10th. January 1811 the rate of Expence under the former system appears to have been fanams 3-36- per Man per Day, but this Expence on the same account under the Commissariat has been reduced to fanams 2-33/4 making a Difference of fanams 1-2 3/4 for each Man, which applied to the number of Men actually victualled, gives the amount of saving, Viz Pagodas 193-37-75 as expressed in the accompanying Statement.-

It will be seen by a Reference to the Accountant Generals Statement, that the former average Rate, in the Presidency

Division

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Division, was 5.64. and I might
have been justified in computing
the Difference between that Sum
and the actual Expences of the Com-
=missariat, in the number of Troops
actually Victualled; but it having
occurred to me that a greater propor-
=tion of these Troops were encamp-
=ed at the Race Stand near St Thomas'
Mount previously to the Dispatch
of the late Expedition to Java, where
the Expence on account of Carriage
was of course less than if the Troops
had been Marching, I have judged it
Expedient to separate that charge
from the other, and to place it in
Direct Comparison with the charge
made by late Garrison Storekepers

for

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for Victualling Troops encamped at the same place on former occasions. If I had applied the rate of 5.64. to the number of Troops, Victualled near St. Thomas' Mount, the Difference would have been Pagodas 11,432-21-76. instead of Pagodas 6,065-41-26. but after making the distinction above explained it appears from the Comparative Statement to which I beg leave particularly to refer, that the total Saving effected by the Commissariat in the Victualling Department from the 1st December 1810 to the 30th November 1811, has still amounted to Pagodas 8,613-12-69.

In

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9. In representing the a-
bove amount as the actual saving
produced by the arrangements of this
Department, I trust that the Ho-
=norable the Governor in Council
will be Satisfied that I have not
rated it too highly; as the follow-
=ing cursory review of the preceding
System, and the Circumstances which
I shall take the liberty of introduc-
=ing, will I am persuaded fully s-
upport the Correctness of my c-
- Calculations. -

10. The Duty of Victualling
European Troops in all Situations
when entitled to be provisioned
by the Public, in time of Peace, -
was formerly entrusted to the c-

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Garrison Storekeeper at Fort St. George and to Military Paymasters at the Out Stations in their Capacity of Garrison Storekeepers. These Officers when employed on this Duty were allowed to draw 4 Fanams per Day for each Man Victualled, which was declared to be "the fixed Rate in full for the several Articles in the Establishment Proportions, and for Bastage, Servants Wages, and Carriage." This fixed Rate was therefore intended to cover every expense; it was in fact a kind of Contract, the terms of which it may be concluded were regulated with reference to the probable Amount of Expense Necessary to be incurred, as it was expressly stated in the same Regulations, that any

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Vide Code of Regulations Section XX - printed by Order in the Year 1806.

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expence could only be expected to occur on very extraordinary occasions when it was provided that the bills for such extra expence should be discharged by the Pay Master of Extraordinaries.

11. But under the latitude thus allowed, and contrary to the Expectation expressed, it has been usual for many Years past for the Garrison Store keepers to incur Contingent or Extra charges beyond the above fixed rate. The frequency of such Contingent charges had as I understand attracted particular notice and had suggested the expediency, previously to the formation of the Commissariat of encreasing the fixed rate, with

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with the view of preventing any ex-
tra charge from being preferred,
and in order to obtain more certain
information on this Subject, which
would I conceive be extremely use-
ful in enabling me to report on
the advantages which had been deri-
ved to the Public since the Victualling
Department had been placed under
the Commissariat, I was induced to
apply to the Honorable the Gover-
nor in Council in a letter to your
address under date the 8th of Octobe-
1812, requesting to be furnished
with Copies or Extracts of any Pa-
pers relating to such an arrange
ment.

2. In reply to this ap-
plication, I had the honor of receiv
-ing

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=ing from the Chief Secretary of Go-
=vernment an Extract from a let=
=ter from the Military Auditor Ge=
=neral dated the 12th June 1810, —
which Extract I shall here take the
liberty of transcribing. —

13. "In collating the Ge=
"=neral Orders, it has been found —
"Necessary in a few Instances, when
"a Regulation or order appeared not to
"be perfectly clear and explicit, to
"add an explanatory Paragraph. The
"only alteration of any Consequence
"which I have taken upon me to —
"suggest, is, in the Victualling De=
"=partment, in which the allowance
"for Victualling the Troops when —
"Marching, is encreased from 4 to 6.
"Panams for Victualling each European

to Lieu

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"Soldier per Diem - because almost upon
"every occasion the former allowance has
"been represented as inadequate to cover
"the expense incurred, and which in Con-
=sequence has been the cause of Bills
"for Additional Charges being brought
"forward, and which with the former al-
=lowance of 4 fanams have generally
"been found to exceed 6 fanams per Diem
"for each Man Victualled. What has
"been submitted therefore in the propos-
=ed alteration, is with the view to pre-
=vent any charge extra to the fixed al=
=lowance being subsequently preferred,
"it being precisely laid down, that none
"will be admitted - On a comparison
"also with the Regulated allowance
"of 10 fanams a Day for Victualling a
"European on Board of Ship, the
proposed

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"proposed Addition in the New Regu-
=lations will appear Reasonable and
"Moderate."

4th. From the information contained in the foregoing Extract, that the Expences incurred have generally been found to exceed 6 Fa-
=nams per Diem for each Man Victu-
=alled when Marching - A Compa-
=rison might at once be drawn be-
=tween the former and present Manage
-ment by contrasting the amount that would have been incurred at that rate on the Number of Men Victualled by the Commissariat with the amount actually Charg-
-ed by that Department. In this Comparison however it would be necessary of course to exclude the

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Troops Victualled in Garrison, those with the Subsidiary Force and perhaps also those who were encamped near St. Thomas' Mount, when the rate of 6 Fanams being applied to the remainder Pgs. 1,97,533 Men, a difference will be found in favor of the Commissariat equal to Pagodas 10,046-16-00, on the number of Men Marching. If to this amount be added, the saving shewn to have been effected on the Troops excluded from this Comparison, the total saving in Victualling the European Troops for the first 12 Months might be fairly stated, under this view of the Subject at Pagodas 21,011=19=76. as will more clearly appear in the Column of Remarks of the Comparative

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Statement.—

5. By a reference to that Column of remarks, it will be further seen, that 19,533 Men when Marching have been Victualled at an average Expence at 3 fanams 56 9/10 Cash per Day, a Result which proves in a striking manner the degree of attention that must have been paid to economy in this branch of the Commissariat, inasmuch as the Troops marching have in these instances been Victualled for a Sum less than the fixed rate of four fanams, a rate which was found inadequate to cover the expense, and which it was therefore Suggested should be increased.—

6. In stating this fact,

and

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and in exhibiting the actual expense
under the Commissariat contrasted
with the amount stated to have been
generally incurred under the former
System, I may be considered to have
afforded a Comparison sufficiently ac-
=curate, without having recourse to the
Statement received from the Account-
=ant General, and without framing a
Comparative Statement from them, which
would seem Superfluous. These Papers
had however been prepared, before I was
furnished with the Extract from the
Military Auditor Generals letter,
and I have determined therefore to
submit them for the information
of the Honorable the Governor in
Council, more particularly as the
amount of saving therein shewn, as
described

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described in the 8th Paragraph of the
this Report, and as deduced from au=
=thenticated accounts falls short
of the Amount Estimated, by ap=
=plying the Rate of 6 Fanams under
the information of what had been
the usual Charge. The smaller sum,
Viz: Pagodas 186/2=12=69= may
be therefore indisputably stated as
the Amount saved, a result which
will I trust appear as Satisfactory
as Conclusive.

14. By the 8th Paragraph
of Section the 2d of the Commissari=
=at Regulations, it was prescribed
that Payment should be made to
the Contractors for Spirituous Li=
=quors for the Arrack procured by the
Officers of the Commissariat according

to

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to the Contract Rate of the Station, —
this Paragraph has however been
in some Instances Misunderstood, —
and the mode in which the Arrack
has been received and Adjusted has —
not in Consequence been uniformly
the same. To remedy this inconveni-
-ence, I had it in Contemplation to
propose a new arrangement: but
being aware that a material change
will probably take place in the Cus-
-tody and Distribution of the Arrack
within Fort St. George and at the —
Out Stations from and after the 1st
of January next, I have thought
it advisable to refrain from Disturb-
-ing the present System, until able
to ascertain the precise nature and
effect of the intended alteration, —

when

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whem Ishall have the honor of again bringing the Subject to the notice of Government.—

18.th Others details of this Department which have been hitherto carried on under Instructions from this Office require to be defined and authorised, and with a view therefore to Secure the future realization of the advantages which have been derived to the public as shewn in this report, I shall take the same opportunity of Submitting for the Consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council a draft of revised Regulations for the conduct of the Victualling Department, founded on the experience which has now been acquired, and calculated to place it on the same fixed and uniform principles as now obtain in other Branches of the Commissariat.—

I have the honor to be &c.

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Signed W. Morison
Comy Genl.

Statement

Appendix No 1

Statement Shewing the Expenses that have been incurred in Victualling the European Troops March-ing from one Station to another from 1.st January 1807 to 31.st January 1810

				N.o of European Men	women	Amount cost for Victualling		
		Fort St George						
1807								
January	His. Majestys 30.th Regiment	from. Madras	to Wallajabad	2520	147	280	44	70
	D.o 30.th	D.o	D.o to D.o	648	348	726	2	60
March	D.o 25.th	Regt. L.t D.	Poonamallee to Arcot	210	"	27	10	45
"	Squadron of Horse artillery incamped on the Island			1273	"	126	32	53
April	His. Majestys 22.d L.t D.	from	Poonamallee to Bangalore	500	"	67	27	25
"	His. Majestys 12.th Regiment	from D.o	to Seringapatam	364	"	58	32	79
"	Madras E.n Regt.	from. Madras	to Masulipatam	300	"	52	5	35
"	H.s M.s 69.th Regt.	from	Poonamallee to Trichinopoly	1210	"	165	22	28
May	" 34.th and 59.th Regt.	from D.o	to Goaty	2402	"	338	19	15
	Honorable Companys Invalids	from. Madras	to Vellore	436	9	53	29	34
July	H.s M.s 22.d & 25.th Regt.	L.t D.	from Poonamallee to arcot	168	"	23	2	26
August	H.s M.s 30.th Regt. of Foot 25.th L.t D.		from D.o to Wallajabad and to arcot	725	62	97	28	45

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Septr and October	H. M. 22d L. D. 59th and 80th Regiment from D° to Nundydroog Arcot and Bangalore	1785	68	257	7	50
	H. M. 34th & 69th Regts from D° to Cooty and Trichinopoly	2180	241	354	"	34
November	H. M. 22 L. D from Poonamallee to Arcot	1455	2	192	25	60
	H. M. 59th Regt from D° to Bengalore	3532	109	502	29	30
	H. M. 12th & 80th Regts from D° to D°	2546	"	358	9	39
	H. M. 34th Regt from D° to Cooty	1627	74	275	7	38
	H. M. 2d Battalion 1st or Royal Regt Madras to Wallajahbad	4468	273	473	"	13
1808 January	H. M. 33d Regt from Poonamallee to Hyderabad	2936	15	476	38	79
	H. M. 2d Battn Royal Regt from Madras to Wallajahbad	1588	136	173	34	71
	H. M. 30th Regt from Madras to Vellore	4507	227	492	33	"
	Madras European Regt from Madras to Masulipatam	258	"	52	1	8
February	H. M. 69th Regt from Poonamallee to Trichinopoly	864	"	118	27	57
March	H. M. 2d Battalion Royal Regt from Madras to Wallajahbad	680	54	77	32	5
	H. M. 34th Regt from Madras to Bellary	455	"	72	29	48
	1st & 82d Battalion artillery from the Mount to Trichinopoly	759	"	101	39	57
April	2d Battalion artillery in Garrison Tranquebar	737	"	85	44	75
May	A Detachment of 2d Battalion artillery from the Mount to Bellary	824	70	136	16	20
	Carried Over	44796	18	296,219	6	72

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			No. of Europeans	Amount of cost for Mens Women	Victualling	
1808		Brought Over	4796	1829	6219 6	72
July	A Detachment of 2d Battalion artillery from Mount to Bellary		318	37	420 "	72
	Squadron of Horse artillery from Do to Hyderabad		201	"	307 31	77
	Do Do Do		120	"	187 19	54
	H. M. 12th 34th 59th & 80th Regts from Poonamallee to Seringapatam		1277	43	174 2	77
July	H. M. 2d Battalion Royal Regt from Do to Wallajahbad		713	45	76 33	20
August	H. M. 69th Regt from Poonamallee to Trichinopoly		312	"	394 17	50
	A Detachment of H. M. Royal Regt from Poonamallee to Wallajahbad		726	42	78 28	46
	Recruits of H. M. 22d L. D from Do to Arcot		234	"	29 44	16
	H. M. 69th Regt from Poonamallee to Trichinopoly		740	"	879 4	27
Novr	H. M. 80th Regt from Do to Seringapatam		489	6	649 17	49
	H. M. 59th Regt from Do to Bengalore		232	8	348 30	36
	H. M. 25th L. D. from Do to Bengalore		78	"	109 12	60
1809 Feby	H. M. 34th Regt 25th L. D & 2d Battalion artillery from Madras to Bellary		141	2	144 34	18
	Madras European Regiment from the Presidency to Masulipatam		408	"	84 37	36

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	Squadron of Horse artillery from . Mount to Hyderabad	1215	"	219	26	54
	H" . M" 69" Regiment from Poonamalle to Tranquebar	437	"	78	20	42
April	H" . M" 30" Regiment from D" to Trichinopoly	6327	87	799	7	30
May	A Detachment of 1" and 2" Battalion artillery from Mount to Bengalore and Seringapatam	3502	"	457	16	78
June	" of 2" Battalion artillery from . Mount to Seringapatam	1238	"	173	39	33
	" of " " from . Mount to Trichinopoly	2550	25	322	36	55
	His Majestys Ship" Regiment from . Mount to Trichinopoly	500	"	63	17	33
July	A Detachment of 2" Battalion artillery from . Mount to Palamcottah	4780	75	703	40	38
November	Madras European Regiment from . Madras to Wallajahbad	136	.	15	12	78
December and January 1810	Hers Majestys 1" Battalion 56" Regiment from arcot to Gooty and Bellary	25353	"	3208	37	10
		1,23536	2193	16,146	38	29

or 5 4 64 each day for a man.

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Statement Shewing the Expenses that have been incurred in Victualling the European Troops in the Garrison of Fort St. George on Christmas and new years day &c. Landing from Europe from the 1st May 1807 to December 1810.

Station	In what month Disbursements to charge	No. of Vouchers	Number equal to one day.	Amount of expence at the fixed Rate		
Fort St. George	May 1807	198	1040	83	24	"
	September "	219	1048	84	9	"
	December "	333	2,410	193	27	66
	January 1808	268	1687	135	23	50
	May "	243	1.197	96	7	70
	June "	246	1238	99	20	20
	January 1809	238	1.894	152	8	20
	June "	264	1974	148	2	20

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September	"	256	1203	90	10	10
January	1810	310	2488	182	4	40
April	"	423	1498	112	15	60
May	"	362	1317	98	34	70
October	"	338	3.264	244	36	"
January	1811	327	1954	146	24	60
January	1808	33	658	51	16	70
August	1809	27	2079	155	41	50
		28	696	52	9	"
		41	1026	76	42	60
		45	1539	115	19	10
		48	96	7	9	"
		49	303	22	32	50
Total		"	30,609	2349	15	"

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Statement Shewing the Expenses that have been incurred at the following Stations in Victualling the European Troops . Marching from one Station to another from the 1.st of May 1807 to 1.st Dec.r 1810

Station charged.	In what month Disbursements	No of Vouchers	Number of men equable to expence at the one day	Amount of fixed rate	Excess amount above the fixed rate as charged on the Disbursements of Extraordinaries for the corresponding number of men — In what month dis-bursements charged	No of Vouch-ers	Amount	Remarks
Vellore. —	September. 1807	7	325	29 32	" "	"	"	"
	"	12	7398	691 25 62	March 1809	"	323 29	34
	October "	6	3,363	300 33 52	" "	"	"	"
	February 1808	45	4185	420 5	" "	"	"	"
	March "	17	1672	158 24	" "	"	"	"
	April 1809	6	924	88 "	" "	"	"	"
	July "	39	228	21 30	" "	"	"	"
	August "	2	3646	347 10	" "	"	"	"
	"	56	966	92 "	" "	"	"	"
	September "	59	2852	271 26	" "	"	"	"
	January 1810	64	13,240	1260 39	" May 1811	49	648 8	70

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	October "	16	5356	493	39	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Arcot	August 1809	208	49	4	28	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	September "	166	6	"	24	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Wallajahbad	March 1810	18	678	64	24	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	January "	319	4063	381	26	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	"	320	400	37	38	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	"	321	32	3	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	May	241	367	34	36	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	June	230	587	55	22	"	"	"	"	"	"	1/6 or 5 1/8 each day ea man
Total	"	"	50,533	4758	14	34	"	"	971	38	24	
Trichinopoly												
	March 1808	359	86	8	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	January	36	1040	99	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	February 1809	422 & 427	1047	94	20	64	"	"	"	"	"	
	March "	350 & 359	1149	109	15	"	May 1808	16	41	18	"	
	April "	283	1992	189	30	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	May 1808	218 23	2240	213	38	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	December "	24826	1296	123	18	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Carried Over		"	8850	837	41	64	"	"	41	18	"	

Statement of Corps in the Service of the Honble Company on the Coast of Coromandel from 1st October 1812

Nation	In what month Disbursements Charged —	No of Vouchers	Number of men equal to one day	Amount of expence at the fixed rate. —	Excess amounts above the fixed rate as charged in the Disbursements of Extraordinarys for the Corresponding number of men	In what month Disbursements Charged	No of Vouchers	Amount	Remarks
Trichinopoly Continued	D°. C°.	"	8,850	837 41 64	"	"	"	41 18	
	April 1809	17 & 18	9844	930 43 40	"	"	"	" "	
	May "	20	9,557	910 8 "	"	"	"	" "	
	June "	10	41,483	3957 23 16	"	"	"	" "	
	"	26 & 27	1782	169 38 "	"	"	"	" "	
	July	15	12,694	1208 40 "	"	"	"	" "	
	October	60	18182	1574 4 "	May 1811	14	16	21 "	
	"	72	1292	123 2 "	"	"	"	" "	
	November	52	358	36 4 "	"	"	"	" "	
	December	14	2609	248 20 "	"	"	"	" "	
	"	15	15980	1356 28 "	"	15	87	15 60	
	"	16	11,335	1037 2 "	"	"	"	" "	
	"	218 22	21,543	1887 38 "	"	"	"	" "	

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	February 1810	13	10,323	905	10	"	"	17	130	22	40		
	May 1809	331	585	55	30	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	June "	278	464	44	16	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	July "	205	112	10	28	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	September "	200	2432	231	26	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	October "	388	1984	188	40	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	July 1810	18	6235	554	10	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	31	15152	1346	38	"	"	"	"	"	"		
Palamcottah	October 1809	63 & 64	1285	122	13	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	70 & 71	166	15	34	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	80 & 81	10417	992	1	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	86 to 88	2486	236	29	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	90 & 91	496	47	10	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	November	16 & 18	16,040	1527	26	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	19	1079	102	26	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	21	16,995	1618	24	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	25 & 27	487	46	13	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	63 & 64	1554	147	38	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	December	51	1452	138	12	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	58	154	14	28	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	70	4,647	442	24	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	March 1810	46 & 48	2384	227	4	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	April "	56	54	5	6	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	Carried Over	50 & 56	22728	2131	30	"	"	"	"	"	"		
		"	296684	27527	43	40	"	"	275	32	20		

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Station	In what month Disbursements charged	No. of Vouchers	Number of men equal to one day	Amount of expence at the fixed rate			Excess amount above the fixed rate as charged in the Disbursements of Extraordinaries for the corresponding number of men					Remarks
							In what month Disbursement charged	No. of Vouchers	Amount			
Tuchinopoly & Palamcottah Continued B^t C^r			296684	27527	43	40	"	"	275	32	20	
	May 1810	50 & 65	20123	1916	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	August "	34 & 35	27047	2576	38	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	October "	29 & 31	44088	4198	33	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	"	54	16612	1582	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	"	57 to 59	38023	3621	7	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total		"	442577	41422	10	40	"	"	275	32	20	£ s d = 4 & 19 each day for man
Travancore & Cochin	July 1809	406 to 413	9530	907	17	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	August	555 to 567	1419	134	24	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	September	564 & 565	1503	143	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	November	436 to 441	4380	389	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	December "	489 to 491	1537	128	25	72	"	"	"	"	"	
	January 1810	499 to 503	1731	153	39	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Quilon	May	414 to 419	5267	468	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	June "	359 to 361	2737	243	13	"	"	"	"	"	"	

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Total	"	"	28104	2568	9	72	"	"	"	"	"	& 6 or 4 8/9 each day per man	
Malabar	June 1807	112	"	312	26	2	"	"	"	"	"	number of men not ascertained	
	August	115	"	568	38	40	"	"	"	"	"		
Total	"	"	"	881	19	42	"	"	"	"	"		
Bellary	December 1807	12	647	52	21	21	"	"	"	"	"		
Gooty	January 1808	190	5	"	17	75	"	"	"	"	"		
Total	"	"	652	52	39	16	"	"	"	"	"	or 3 & 51 bash each day per man in Garison	
Seringapatam	May 1807	373	216	220	24	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	July "	2	2331	222	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	5	3800	361	38	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	February 1808	39	553	52	28	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	40	4456	424	16	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	47 & 64	1549	147	19	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	April	25	956	91	2	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	February 1809	473	461	40	31	"	"	"	"	"	"		
Carried Over		"	14322	1360	23	"	"	"	"	"	"		

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Station	In what Month Disbursements charged		No. of Vouchers	Number of Men equal to one day	Amount of Expence at the fixed rate			Excess amount above the fixed rate as charged in the Disbursements of Extraordinaries for the corresponding Number of men						Remarks
								In what month Disbursement charged	No. of Vouchers	Amount				
Seringapatam	Contt.	Dr.	Cr.	14,322	1360	23	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	April	1809		4118 42	552	47	28	71	"	"	"	"	"	"
	March	"		42	4756	407	7	67	"	"	"	"	"	"
	May	"		18	32,572	2892	28	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	"		28	8,555	754	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	June	"		41	17411	1547	29	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	November	"		208 81	69,930	6252	11	7	"	"	"	"	"	"
	December	"		68 & 69	24,908	2043	5	17	"	"	"	"	"	"
	February	1810		66	580	51	25	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	May	1809		457	81	7	9	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	November	"		552	7,831	697	43	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	June	1810		45	6692	594	38	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
				62	324	28	36	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	August	"		56	249	22	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

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October	"	24	31,76	282	14	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	34	2697	239	33	"	"	"	"	"	"		
	"	75	30,459	2707	21	"	"	"	"	"	"		
May	"	439	4430	393	35	"	"	"	"	"	"		
June	"	465	50	4	20	"	"	"	"	"	"		
September	"	519 to 521	4044	371	21	"	"	"	"	"	"	£ s d or 4 8 3 each	
Total		"	230589	20706	35	2	"	"	"	"	"	day per man	
Masulipatam													
February 1808		77	580	51	25	"	Sept 1803	26	34	40	"		
April	"	88 & 89	20	26	16	16	"	"	"	"	"		
May	"	86 & 87	2500	222	10	"	Decr	186	136	40	29		
June	"	74	360	32	"	"	Sept 1809	12	68	4	38		
	"	56	580	51	25	"	"	"	"	"	"		
February 1809		91	673	59	37	"	"	14	47	10	13		
March	"	77	216	19	14	"	"	16	48	8	40		
	"	24	384	34	6	"	"	13	41	34	52		
	"	25	192	17	3	"	"	15	18	34	16		
April	"	24	188	16	32	"	"	"	"	"	"		
July	"	76	960	85	15	"	April 1810	60	77	16	52		
	"	77	416	36	44	"	"	61	65	30	25		
November	"	76	5940	528	"	"	Aug P.	23	266	32	8		
Carried Over	"	"	13009	1181	2	16	"	"	807	16	33		

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Station	In what month Disbursements charged	No. of Vouchers	Number of men equal to one dcy	Amount of expence at the fixed rate	Excess amount above the fixed rate as charged on the Disbursements of Each Embarkation for the corresponding number of Men. In what month Dis-bursement Charged	No. of Vouchers	Amount	Remarks
Masulipatam	Cont.ᵒ P.ʸ C.ⁿ		13009	1185 12 16	"	"	807 16 33	
	February 1810	70	26.631	2367 9 "	Oct.ʳ 1810	17	1091 23 67	
	"	71	26	2 14 "	"	"	" "	
	April "	67	3479	309 11 "	Dec.ʳ	1	197 5 75	
	"	68	1540	136 40 "	"	2	55 15 25	
	February 1811	42	8.743	777 7 "	Aug.ᵗ 1811	1	371 " 77	
	"	22	3921	348 24 "	"	2	108 35 64	

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Vizagapatam	July	1809	.....	75	841	74	34	"	Nov. 1810.	12	22	36 73
		"	.....	76	493	43	37	"	"	11	23	34 42
Total		"	.....	"	58,683	5240	43	16	"	"	2677	34 56

or 6 and 6 each day per man

Statement of Troops &c. October 1812

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Accountant Generals Office
Fort St. George
10th September 1812.

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(Signed) Geo. Gannow
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(A true Copy)

(Signed) W. Morison
Comm. Genl.

Appendix N.2

Abstract Statement of the actual expense incurred by the Commissariat in Victualling the European Troops in Garrison on Marching from one Station to another and with the Subsidiary Force of Hyderabad from the 1st December 1810 to the 30th November 1811.—

Months and dates.—	Corps &c.	Number of men Victualled	Amount	Remarks
1811				
March.....	A Detachment of H. M. 34th Regiment from Poonamalle to Hyderabad.....	700	73 36 17	
	D. of H. M. 25th Regt. L. D. to Bengalore.....	2004	160 43 25	
April.....	Madras European Regiment to Vellore.....	1286	104 21 65½	
May.....	A Detachment of H. M. 22d Regt. L. D. to Arcot.....	91	10 37 30	
	His Majestys 84th Regiment Foot to Bangalore.....	20,481	1637 38 68	
	A Detachment of H. M. 56th Regt. to Bellary.....	4.724	413 10 25	
June.....	D. ..... D. 89th Regt. to Wallajahbad.....	3100	236 37 58	
July.....	2d Bn. Artillery 81st Bn. 24th Regts to Hyderabad.....	2,268	222 42 72	
August....	A Detachment of H. M. 89th Regt. to Wallajahbad.....	295	25 41 6	

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September	D°.....	D° 22.d 25.th & 84.th Regt. to Bengalore.....	3,298	269	8	50
October	D°.....	D° 80.th Regiment to Cannanore.....	1050	112	36	"
	D°.....	D° Royal Regt. to Trichinopoly.....	3663	2963	16	42
	D°.....	D° 22.d 25.th Drags. & 84.th Regiment to Arcot and Bangalow.....	4667	396	12	37
	A° Detachment of H° M° Royal Regt. to Trichinopoly.....		3132	287	28	30
November	D°.....	D° 34.th Regt. to Secunderabad.....	1508	160	23	53
	D°.....	D° 56.th Regt. to Gooty.....	420	52	33	48
	D°.....	D° 30.th Regt to Cannanore.....	4907	453	13	20
			90.544	7582	32	12

£ 3 6½ p.man

Troops encamped at the Race Stands.....	202,300	14.641	33	4

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For Victualling the Troops in the Garrison of Fort St. George on Christmas and new years day and the Troops landing from Europe from 1.st December 1810 to 30.th November 1811.....	8,441	453	13	45	.2	33¼

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Month & Date	Corps and Stations	Number of Men Victualled	Amount	Remarks
1811	Vellore			
June	Cannatic Veteran Battalion	504	42 - 16	70
August	Detachment of Madras European Regiment	64	7	22 8
November	Do: of Do: Do:	170	15	21 75
	Arcot			
February	Detachment of H. M. 22d. Regt. L. D. to Poonamallie	137	11	15 28
March	Do: Do: to Race Stand	3228	239	23 51½
April	Do: Do: Do: to St. Thomas Mount	52	5	9 3½
		4155	321	18 76 £ 3 £ 38 Sh 7d Man
	Trichinopoly			
1811 July	A. Detachment of Europeam Veterm Battn. to Madras	2291	191	27 37
	His Majestys 30th Regt. to Cannanore	29119	23,20	11 45
		31,410	2511	39 2 3. 48 Do:

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		Masulipatam				
1811						
May	Victualling the Troops marching in the Polecondah Zemindary	714	67	8	1	
June	D° D°	2,030	192	2	6	
July	D° D°	1993	178	30	38½	
August	D° D°	1844	161	7	69¼	
September	D° D°					
	His Majestys Royal Regiment to Madras	38,005	3140	2	61	
	Vizagapatam					
1811						
June	A Detachment of the Carnatic Vetern Battalion with Field	544	47	41	72	
July	D° to Masulipatam	853	76	19	74	
	Ganjam					
August	A Detachment of the Carnatic Vetern Batt° to Masulipatam	884	80	21	"	
	Seringapatam					
March	A Detachment of H. M. 33d Regt to Madras	47,395	4012	7	36	3 64¾ D°
June	D° D° to D°	16,74	123	1	65	
1811 February	D° Invalids of H. M. 25th L. D. & 80th Regt from Bengalore to Poonamallee	14,150	1020	39	64	
April	D° artillery to Saint Thos Mount	977	77	38	38	
		658	56	10	61	
		17,459	1278	" 68	3 " 23½	D°

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Month and Date	Corps and Stations	Number of men Victualled	Amount			Remarks
1811						
	Ceded Districts					
January	A Detachment of H. M. 1st Bn 56th Regt from Bellary to Gooty	760	50	34	2	
	Do Do Do	152	9	28	7/8	
June	Do Do Do	895	60	18	7/9	
January	Do Invalid from Gooty to Poonamallee	825	98	29	20	
"	Dn of H. M. 56th Regt from Dt to Bellary	766	50	20	7/4	
July	Do of Do Do to Do	900	61	27	6/9	Jr. Clk
		4,298	331	25	2 3	37/4 Jr Mar
1810	On Christmas and new years day—					
December	H. M. 1st Bn 56th Regiment at Gooty	139	10	18	19	
1811 January	Do Do Do	144	10	37	75	
"	Do Do E. Troops at Bellary	498	26	29	44	
		781	47	40	58 2	60/4 Do
June	Cannanore A Detachment of H. M. 80th Regiment to Seringapatam	2,272	253	29	64 5	2 Do
1811	Secunderabad—					

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January	A Detachment of H.M. Royal R.t to Masulipatam	13,255	1373	5 40		
March	A Party of artillery to Jaulnah	403	62	31 54		
April	A Detachment of H.M. 34th Regt to D.o	442	59	25 65		
August	D.o 2.d B.y artll to D.o	493	75	5 17		
		14,593	1570	23 16	4. 67½	D.o

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1810 December	For Victualling the European Troops & Servants	27,600	3.327	34 14		
1811 January	D.o D.o D.o	25,829	3085	43 48		
February	D.o D.o D.o	22,575	2544	38 18		
March	D.o D.o D.o	24,002	2691	24 24		
April	D.o D.o D.o	21190	2430	38 18		
May	D.o D.o D.o	22,390	2,540	1 41		
June	D.o D.o D.o	11120	1329	7 68		
July	D.o D.o D.o	6,200	708	4 34		
August	D.o D.o D.o	4901	574	11 11		
September	D.o D.o D.o	3901	489	25 59		
October	D.o D.o D.o	3958	465	4 62		
November	D.o D.o D.o	3661	431	31 68		
		177,327	20618	36 65	5 - 18½	D.o

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E.E. Sr.

Signed W. Morison

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Comparative Statement of the expense incurred by the Commissariat in Victuall with the amount which would have been incurred according to the rates of the

	Number victualled for one day	Farmer rate of man per day	Rate actually incurred by the Commissariat	amount according to the Farmer rates
Troops Victualled in the Garrison of Fort St. George on Holidays and on landing from Europe	8645	3. 36	2. 33 1/4	647 6 36
Troops Victualled in the Garrison of the Ceded Districts	781	3. 51	2. 60 3/4	63 5 71
Troops encamped near St. Thomas's Mount	202300	4 48 1/2	3 20 1/2	20707 29 30
Troops marching in on from the Presidency Division	90544	5. 64	3. 61 1/2	11670 5 16
Troops marching " " the Ceatle Division	4155	5. 8	3. 38 1/2	470 40 40
Troops marching " " the Northern Division	47393	6. 6	3. 64 3/4	6398 14 50
Troops marching " " the Southern Division	31410	4. 19	3. 48	2957 34 70
Troops marching " " the Mysore Division	17459	4. 3	3. 23 1/2	1566 20 57
Troops marching " " the Ceded Districts	4298	6 "	3. 37 1/2	573 9 "
Troops marching " " Malabar and Canara	2272	6 "	5. 2	302 42 "
Troops with the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force at Jaulnah	177327	6. 24 1/5	5. 18 1/2	24835 28 33
at Secunderabad	4593	6 24 1/5	4. 67 1/2	2043 37 30
				77236 43 33

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...ing the European Troops under the Presidency of Fort St. George contrasted

...former system. —

...amount according to the rates actually incurred. —	Difference in favor of the Commissariat	Cent per Cent	Remarks	
453 13 41	193 37 75	4276	Difference in favor of the Commissariat carried out	Saving 193 . 37 . 75
47 40 58	15 10 13	3178	Do.	Do. ..... 15 . 10 . 13
641 33 4	6065 41 26	4143	Do.	Do. 6065 41 26
382 32 12	4087 18 4	539		
325 18 76	149 21 44	46.5	The total . N.o of Troops victualled when	
4012 7 36	2386 7 14	5947	marching is 199533 and which N.al the	
571 39 2	445 40 68	47.75	rate of 6 fanams each per day, is	P. 26337 33.
278 . 68	288 19 69	2257	But the expense actually incurred by the	
331 25 2	241 22 78	7284	Commissariat for the same number of Men	
253 29 64	49 12 16	1942	was only at the rate of 3 fan.s 856 ⁄₁₀₀ each	
			amounting to Pagodas	6291 18 20
			Shewing a difference in favor of the Commissariat of ..	1004 . 14 . 60
618 36 65	4216 36 48	2045	Difference in favor of the Commissariat carried out	4216 . 36 . 48
5979 28 46	473 74 14	30.13	Do.	Do. 473 14 14
3629 30 44	18613 12 69	3471		
			Total saving under this view of the subject ..	₹ 21011 19 76

E.E.
J.r

Signed W. Morison
Comm.t Gen.l

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To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary of Government in the Military Departmt.

Sir,

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From the Commissary General — Reflections on the Department of hired cattle —

I am commencing a report on the operations of the commissariat in the Department of hired Cattle, and on the Reduction of Expenditure which those operations have effected, I much regret that the limited period of time in which it is desirable, that this Report should be prepared, will prevent me from entering on the Subject so fully as I could wish, and as the important Considerations which it involves would seem to require, The result however during the first twelve months of the Commissariat has proved so extremely favorable that I am particularly anxious to exhibit it without further Delay for the Information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, and for this purpose it is necessary that Postponing all Explanations which can be deferred until a future opportunity, I should at once submit a Comparison of the Expenses incurred previously and Subsequently to the formation of the Commissariat on the 1st of December 1810.

2. The very large amount annually disbursed in the conveyance of Military Stores had frequently attracted the notice of the Government, and of several of the authorities at the Presidency A Memorandum of the Secretary of the Military Board dated the 26th October 1805. and two Minutes recorded

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recorded by the late Quarter Master
General Lieutenant Colonel Munro under date the 2d of April and 15th
of July 1808 - all which Papers are
already before Government, describe
the Successful result of three several
Experiments in three Divisions of
the army for obtaining Carriage on
terms more advantageous to the
Public, than the Established rates
then existing, a partial Reduction in
the rates of hire from the Presidency
to certain Stations in the Mysore coun-
try was effected by Mr Kenworthy
when Garrison Store Keeper at Fort
St. George, in 1805, and a contract
was concluded in the Year 1807, with
the late Rajah Saugunah for the
carriages of Stores &c. from Masulipatam
the

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the terms of which were at that time considerably favourable, but none of these arrangements appeared to me to be calculated to ensure a permanent Reduction of expence, or to secure to the Public the whole of the benefits which might be safely attained; and I trust that in the course of this Report it will appear that this opinion has proved correct.

3. Under this impression and persuaded that a material Reduction was practicable in the Disbursements on account of carriage in time of peace, without endangering its efficiency, it became my Duty to direct my earliest attention to a branch of the Department which appeared susceptible of considerable reform. In the instructions

therefore

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therefore which I addressed to the Officers of the Department, and which were honored with the approbation of the Government, I decided that when Indents were made for Cattle to proceed from one Station to another they might always be engaged on the lowest terms procurable. These orders were gi-ven with reference to the following extract from a Memoir of the late Quarter Master General Lieutenant Colonel Munro, dated the 10th of November 1807, and Submitted to Government by His Excellency Lieu-tenant General McDowall. "The "Monthly hire allowed by the Public "for each Draft Bullock is 2 Pagodas "and 8 Fanams and for each Carriage "Bullock one Pagoda and a half. Garrison

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"Stockkeepers who are always charged
"with the Collection of Bullocks in
"time of peace invariably charge those
"rates of hire for Draft and Carriage Bul
="locks excepting in cases where the hire
"of the Bullocks may exceed those rates
"and the excess in such cases is charged
"against the Public. These cases occur
"in Malabar and Canara where the
"ordinary hire of Bullocks is greater
"than the rates established by the Re
="gulations. But in the greatest part
"of the Territories dependent upon
"this Government, Draft and Carriage
"Bullocks can be obtained in time of
"peace on terms considerably below
"those allowed by the Public: convinc
="ed of the accuracy of these observati
="ons I was led to believe that the
abolition

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abolition of the fixed rate and the substitution of different engagements varying according to local circumstances, would necessarily produce a saving of expence, how far these expectations have been justified at the out stations, will be presently noticed, but in the first instance I shall beg leave to describe the Measures adopted and the reform introduced in consequence, at the Presidency from which the largest amount of carriage had usually been Dispatched and the most considerable expence accordingly incurred.

4. Having held frequent Communications with all the respectable Bullock owners at the Presidency, and having found that they unanimously

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unanimously admitted the equity,
as well as the Possibility of a Re=
=duction being made in the existing terms
of hire, it only remained for me
to accept that proposal, which seem=
=ed to comprehend the most advantage
=ous terms to the Public in point
of economy, without hazarding the
risk of impairing the efficiency of
these important supplies, or of ren=
=dering their future provision more
difficult or less precarious. —

5. Keeping these precaute=
=ons in constant view, and desirous
at the same time to secure a Regu=
=larity in the Supply and a decrease
in the hire of Draft and Carriage
Cattle, and of Country Carts with
Bullocks and Drivers complete, &c

Sen=

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I engaged a respectable Bullock-
owner to be attached to this Office
and to effect these object under my
own immediate Superintendence, -
arranging with him that any num-
=ber of Carts should be supplied -
whenever required for the convey=
=ance of Military Stores from the Pre-
=Sidency to the several Stations through-
=out the Establishment, at certain
rates, fixed with reference to dis-
=tance and involving an allowance
for returning - a Copy of which I
have now the honor to submit and
in explanation of which I may be
permitted to add the following -
Remarks. -

No. 1. Vide ap-
=pendix. -

6. They have been framed
upon the Principle of paying the

Sum

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Sum of Eight Fanams and forty
Cash per Cent for every ten Miles,
and of allowing a certain Sum for
returning equal to the same rate
computed on half the Distance. For
instance the distance from Madras
to Nundydrog being two hundred
Miles, the rate at Eight Fanams
and an half is calculated upon
three Hundred Miles. In some cases
it was Necessary to modify this
Rule and to grant a trifling increase
in Consideration of difficult Road or
other Obstacles. These Modifica-
tions have been noted in a Column
of Remarks a Reference to which
will shew that they have not been
numerous, and are not likely to
subtract much from the General
Result

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Result of this arrangement.

By the means of this

y.

Bullock Mastry I also arranged, —

that the small number of Draught

and Carriage Bullocks, occasionally

Required at the Presidency, should be

furnished in time of peace, at rates

some what lower than those previ-

=ously Established, Viz.t that the

Monthly hire of each Draught —

Bullock shall be 2 Pagodas only

instead of 2 Pagodas and 8 fanams

and that the Monthly hire of each

carriage Bullock shall be reduc-

=ed from Pagodas 1-22-40. to Pago-

=das 1-15 Per Month. But as it —

had been customary to employ —

Country Carts principally if not

entirely in the conveyance of Ar-

Stores

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Stores sent from the Presidency, my chief attention was of course paid to the Provision of that Description of conveyance on terms more advantages to the Public, and the success of my endeavours in this respect is manifested in the Establishment of the reduced rates by the Trip as above explained.

4. In order to form a correct estimate of these rates it appears Necessary to contrast them with the rates which previously obtained, and the latter I have ascertained from statements furnished to me by the Military Auditor General copies of which are annexed. These Statements comprehend the partial Reduction effected in 1805,

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as

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as noticed in the 2d Paragraph, and with this exception, the rates which they exhibit are the same, as have been invariably paid at Madras since 1792, when they were established and approved, during the time that Mr Thomas Cockburn held the Situation of Agent for the provision of Draught and Carriage Bullocks and Carts. I have accordingly prepared and have now the honor to submit a comparitive Statement shewing the Difference of hire of one Cart for the Trip to each of the Principal Stations, which will sufficiently prove the general Reduction of expense, while the particular account of the saving realized, is given in a detailed Statement of the actual Disbursements by the Commissariat

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No 4 Vide appendix.—

During

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During the first twelve Months on account of hired Carriage, com-
pared with the amount that would have been paid under the former system for the same amount of Carriage. —

2. To this detailed State-
ment I beg leave to refer the Ho-
norable the Governor in Council; -
but in this place it will be suf-
ficient to notice the result of the arrangements at Fort St. George, and which may be briefly stated as fol-
lows. The total amount disbursed for the hire of Carriage at the Pre-
sidency from the 1st of December 1810. to the 30th of November 1811, has been Star Pagodas 12, 805. 33-1. For this carriage, the amount according to

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to the former rates would have been
Pagodas 17,733-17-72 and the difference
between these Sums, Viz.t Pagodas 4928-
16-71- may be stated as the amount of
saving effected by the Commissariat,
and this appears to be equal to 38½
Per Cent; while every demand for
carriage has been met with a degree
of promptitude which has frequently
excited my surprize and neither loss
nor Damage of the Stores conveyed, nor
any unusual Delay on the road has
ever been brought to my notice.—

10. Having thus described
the reform introduced at the Presi-
dency, I proceed to notice the Steps
which were taken under my Direc-
tions for accomplishing similar ob-
jects in other Divisions of the army.

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of these the greatest degree of success has attended the exertions of the Commissariat in the Northern Division, under the Contracts concluded at Masulipatam, and submitted for the confirmation of Government with a Report which I had the honor of addressing to you on the 9th of December 1811. In that Report I entered so fully on the Subject, and dwelt so minutely on the terms of the contracts as well as on the advantages which I considered them calculated to produce, that I have only to refer to it on the present occasion, and to add, that in no one instance since it was written, has a Single complaint been made either of the inefficiency of

Supplies

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supplies, of the loss or Damage of Stores,
or of the least Delay or inconvenience
to the service. —

11. In the 8th Paragraph
of my Report of the 9th of December
above alluded to in comparing the
Rates of the present agreement with
those of the contract with the late
Rajah Nauganah, I observed that
the period of time actually charged
for instead of being forty Days only
agreeably to the Contract, was not
unfrequently extended to fifty-
Days; and this period, I have since
ascertained was Rather under-rated
than the contrary for having refer-
-red to the exact amount of charge
and the number of carts employed,
I have been able by applying the

latter

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Letter to the former to ascertain that the average number of Days of hire, paid for by the Public was in fact equal to Fifty Five. This computation I have therefore thought myself justified in adopting in calculating the amount of saving effected in the Provision of hired Cattle in the Northern Division of the army, during the first twelve Months, and the result as shewn in the annexed Detailed Statement has proved to amount to Pagodas 5799. ~

12. It is with equal satisfaction that I am able to report for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that a Considerable degree of Success has attended the operations which have been

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been made to reduce the hire of carriage in the Southern Division of the Army; in which Draught and Carriage Bullocks and Country Carts have been furnished by the Assistant Commissary General at the rates of pre[illegible]ed in the Margin; and the result of this Zealous attention to economy, is expre[illegible]ed in the accom-panying detailed Statement, by which it will appear that the amount saved to the Public during the first twelve Months has been Pagodas 2078: 39: 4. in the Expenditure of Pagodas 7026: 33: 34 that is carriage which according to the former Rates would have cost the Public the lat-ter amount had been provided by the Commissariat for Pagodas 4947: 39: 32: being a Difference of 42 per Cent

Hire P. Month of 1
Draft Bullk. 132-10
Do Do 1 Carriage 16-30
Do Do 1 Cart 5-11-20.

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Cent in favor of that Department.

13. Some Reductions have been made in the hire of Carriage in the Centre Division, in the ceded Districts, and in the Mysore Country, but the amount has been too trifling to deserve notice or to justify the conclusion, that any material reform has been yet effected in those Divisions. This remains to be accomplished, and I have every reason to hope and expect, that by degrees similar advantages to those which have been described in this Report, will be realized throughout the greater part of the Establishment, although not to the same extent, but it is necessary that I should at the same time express my apprehension that it will not be practicable to effect any

Reduction

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Reduction below the Established rates in Malabar, and Canara, and that in the Ceded Districts, there is no immediate prospect of any considerable decrease of expense in this branch of the Department.

14. In reporting the arrangements which have been adopted to reduce the expense of carriage, and the amount of saving which has been actually derived, and which cannot be estimated at less than Pagodas 12,106-15-40. During the first Year, I feel it to be incumbent on me explicitly to declare, that these arrangements have reference only to a time of peace, and that I am decidedly of opinion to reduce the rates of hire in time of war at least on distant fields of operations

Presidency Division - 4928-16-71.
Southern Do. 2078-39-4.
Northern Do. 5099-11-54
12,106-15-49.

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operations, would be inexpedient if it were practicable. In farther Explanation of my Sentiments on this Subject, I beg leave to transcribe in this place, an extract from a Circular Letter which I addressed to all the Officers of the Commissariat on the 14th of October last, in calling on them to report on all subjects connected with the Duties of the Department in which they might be able to give information or suggest improvement.—

5. "With respect to the rates of hired cattle employed on distant field service, beyond the Dominions of the Honorable Company; it will be proper that you should impress on the minds of the owners of Cattle, with whom you may have intercourse, that it is by no

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no means intended to decrease the rates of hire on such occasions; for although it may be advisable to limit as much as possible the expences of hired cattle, employed for temporary purposes and at no great distances from the places of residence of the owners of the cattle, it might be injurious to the Public service in a moment of emergency, if the owners of Draught and carriage Cattle were impressed with an Idea of its being intended to reduce the rates of hire of the cattle employed on distant field operations. You will therefore be careful to explain that to all the owners of Cattle, with whom you may have occasion to have any intercourse, in your investigations

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investigations on this Subject."-

16th The Disbursements on account of hired Cattle with the Subsidiary Force are very considerable;- from the 1st of December 1810, to the 1st of December 1811, they were not less than Pagodas 80,000- but on the rates of their hire, it has not been practicable to effect any Reduction, as the Cattle employed with that Force are supplied under a Contract, held formerly by the late Rajah Nargunah, and since renewed and made applicable to Jaulnah under an arrangement concluded in the Year 1810, by Colonel Close with Fattiah the Successor of Nargunah- It is not however irrelevant to the Subject of this Report, to state that a material Reduction in the number

of

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of cattle and a consequent decrease
of expense, took place in the Month
of August 1811, in consequence of the
suggestions submitted for the con-
=sideration of the Honorable the Go-
=vernor in Council in my letter to
Mr. Secretary Peile dated the 22d
of June 1811.

17. In that letter I recom-
=mended that the number of Bul-
=locks in the Provision Depart-
=ment should be reduced from 610
to 108 and that the Bringarry Bul-
=locks in the Cavalry supply De-
=partment might be reduced from
the proportion of two Bullocks to
that of one Bullock for each horse;
measures which I stated would pro-
=duce a saving of about Pagodas
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11,196 per annum, without impairing the efficiency of the Force.- I am happy to have an opportunity of reporting that the correctness of this opinion has been completely verified by experience. The Reductions were made in August under the authority of Government, - and when the Force marched on the 7th of December following the Equipments were completed to the full extent at one Day's notice; the Cattle thus hired for the occasion were again discharged on their return to Jaulnah, and the facility with which they were supplied when required may be adduced as the Strongest argument in favor of the Reduction which I had the honor of suggesting. On the march of the Force in December last, as above

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alloded to the employment of Bullocks in the Provision Department instead of common carriage Bullocks as heretofore, & was productive of some saving, and averting to the Difference between the terms on which these two Descriptions of cattle can be engaged, I am of opinion that the adoption of this plan may hereafter prove of very considerable advantage.

The Success which has attended these attempts to decrease the very heavy expense of the hired Cattle Department with the Subsidiary Force of Hyderabad would lead to the opinion, that further reductions might perhaps be made whilst the Troops

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Stationary in Cantonment, without occasioning the smallest risk of affecting the efficiency of the Force or of retarding its movement, at the shortest notice. This is a Subject however which embraces so many points of a political as well as of a Military nature, that the Discussion of it may be deemed foreign to my immediate Duty. I may however be permitted to refer for the Consideration of the Government to the Council a Copy of a proposal which I have recently received from a respectable Native, having extensive concerns at Seroor and Saulnah the acceptance of which would produce a saving compared with the present

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contract

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contract of Pagodas 12,421=9:72,=
Per Annum while the Force is
Stationary and of Pagodas 3,264-3-48
per annum while it may be employed
on actual service.=

19. In forwarding this pro-
=posal I am not at present prepared
to offer any opinion as to the expedi-
=ency or otherwise of accepting it: at
all events it would seem just that
the present Contractor should have
the opportunity of becoming a com-
=petitor for a new Contract if it be
determined to resume the existing
one; and perhaps it would even be ad-
=viseable to give him a preference
if he should be found willing to
Modify the terms of the present a=
=greement, while the force remains

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determined to presume the existing
one; and perhaps it would even be ad=
=viseable to give him a preference
if he should be found willing to
Modify the terms of the present a=
=greement, while the force remains

in

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on Cantonment. In the mean time it seems Necessary to enquire as to the means which may be at the dis= =posal of Trevenyadum Moodeliar for fulfilling the engagements which he has proposed to conclude, and to ascer= =tain the Responsibility which he may be equal to justify. On these points it will be my Duty to acquire the fullest information, in order to communicate the same to Government in the event of the proposal appear= =ing to deserve their Consideration.

20 Before I conclude this Report I may be allowed to observe, that the present Contractor is the Principal Owner of the Draught and Carriage Bullocks employed with the Subsidiary Force of H. Hyderabad

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Hyderabad, a circumstance which I conceive involves many positive dis=
=advantages. The petty owners of cattle
in the adjacent country are discourag=
=ed from maintaining any number, as
there is little or no chance of getting
employment for them. The inter=
=course which their subsist be=
=tween these owners and the Com=
=missariat officer is, consequently
much circumscribed, if not alto=
=gether prevented; instead of looking
up to him, they have recourse to
the Contractor, whenever they are
desirous of engaging their cattle, a
who may be said to possess the
exclusive power of rejecting or
accepting their proposals. This pow=
=er makes the petty owners
entirely

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entirely Dependent on the Contrac=
=tor and it may be apprehended that
there is no Sufficient security
for his equitable treatment or
liberal encouragement of these
People; while the policy at least
seems questionable of entrusting
an individual native with so com-
=manding an influence over the
most important equipment of
the Detachment of the Army
in advance. These considerations
have Suggested in my mind a
Doubt whether it might not be
preferable to dispense altogether
with the any contract for the Supply
of hired Draught and carriage Bul-
locks, with the Subsidiary Force,
leaving the future provision of
those

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those Equipments to Depend
on the Knowledge of the Resources
of the Country and of the best
means of rendering them a-
=vailable, which the Officer of
the Commissariat attached to
the force must of course possess.
The Decision of the important
Question I beg leave to refer
to the Honorable the Gover-
=nor in Council, m Stating
at the same time, that some
Modification of the Present
System appears to be par-
=ticularly advisable and that
in making this alteration, a
proper opportunity seems
to be offered, for introduc-
=ing such partial improvements

as

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or such an entire change, as ex=
=perience may have proved to
be Necessary, or as the wisdom
of Government may authorize
as politic and expedient.

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I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servt.

(Signd) W. Morison
Comptr. Genl.

Statement

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Appendix N°1.

Statement of the rates fixed for the hire of Country Carts by the trip from Fort St. George to the several Stations throughout the Establishment as described in the 5th Paragraph of the Report.

From the Presidency to the following Stations.	Miles to each Station	Miles to return from each Station	Total Miles to a Trip of each Station	The rate of Hire.	Total hire of each Station.	Remarks.
Arcot.	75	37½	112½	at 3P. 4 40 Cash for every 10 Miles	2 5 30	
Arnee.	80	40	120	Do.	2 12 ..	
Amboor	119	59½	178½	Do.	3 16 58	
Aska.	683	341½	1024½	Do.	19 15 66	
Bangalore.	209	104½	313½	Do.	6 22 40	A small increase allowed to Carts proceeding to Bangalore, Seringapatam, Chittledroog, Bellary, and Gooty on account of the Ghauts —
Bellary.	343	171½	514½	Do.	11	
Chunglepat.	36	18	54	Do.	1 .. 72	
Cuddalore.	115	57½	172½	Do.	3 11 52	
Cumbum.	212	106	318	Do.	6 .. 24	
Cuddapah.	167	83½	250½	Do.	4 32 74	

	Miles to each Station.	Miles to return from each Station	Total miles to a Trip of each Station	The rate of Hire.	Total hire to each Station.	
Chittledroog	346	173	519	At 2 Fanams 40 Cash for every 10 Miles	10 22 40	Vide the remarks against Bangalore
Combatore	314	157	471	Do	8 4 28	
Cannanore	397	198½	595½	Do	18	
Dindigul	267	133½	400½	Do	7 25 34	
Ellore	307	153½	460½	Do	8 31 34	
Gooty	339	169½	508½	Do	10	Vide the remarks against Bangalore.
Guntoor	244	122	366	Do	6 41 8	
Ganjam	667	333½	1000½	Do	18 40 34	
Goa	608	304	912	Do		
Hurryhur	394	197	591	Do	11 7 28	
Hyderabad	398	199	597	Do	12 22 40	
Hullial	506	253	759	Do		

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Paulnah.	671	335½	1006½	Do		
Pistnagherry.	175	87½	262½	Do	4	03 10
Mount.	8	4	12	Do	"	10 16
Masulipatam	288	144	432	Do	8	7 16
Mangalore.	438	219	657	Do		
Madura.	289	144½	433½	Do	8	8 38
Negapatam.	191	95½	286½	Do	5	1 42
Naumagul.	244	122	366	Do	6	11 8
Nundidroog.	200	100	300	Do	5	30 "
Nundihall	245	122½	367½	Do	6	12 30
Nellore	112	56	168	Do	3	7 64
Ongole	190	95	285	Do	5	14 20
Poonamallee.	13	6½	19½	Do	"	16 66

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Miles to each Station	Miles to return from each Station	Total miles to a Trip of each Station	The rate of Hire.	Total hire to each Station.
Pondicherry	99	44½	143½	{at 8 f.ᵈ 440 Cash for every 10 Miles} 2 36 18
Poonah	674	337	1011	Do. " " "
Palamcottah	387	193½	580½	Do. 10 43 34
Palicatcherry	346	173	519	Do. 9 36 12
Royacottah	192	96	288	Do. 5 19 64
Rajammundry	365	182½	547½	Do. 10 15 30
Sankerydoog	239	119½	358½	Do. 6 34 58
Salem	213	106½	319½	Do. 6 1 46
Seringapatam	284	142	426	Do. 8 33 60
Seera	292	146	438	Do. 8 12 28
Trichinopoly	207	103½	310½	Do. 6 22 60

Between Madras & Trichinopoly several Nullahs and Rivers are to be crossed which occasion Delay in Consequence of which a trifling increase was granted.

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Tanjore	214	107	321	D°	6	2	68	
Trangueba	173	86½	259½	D°	4	41	.	
Triagadroog	141	70½	211½	D°	3	44	63	
Tripassore	31	15½	46½	D°	"	39	12	
Vellore.	89	44½	133½	D°	2	23	38	
Vizianagarum	507	253½	760½	D°	14	16	34	
Vizagapatam	489	244½	733½	D°	13	38	38	
Wallajahad.	40	20	60.	D°	1	6	..	

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Fort St. George 13th October 1812.

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Signed W. Morrison
Com.y General.

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Appendix No. 2. —

Rates Established before the Year 1792, for the Hire of Draught and Carriage Bullocks Carts from the Presidency to Different Stations. —

Names of Stations. —	Rates for a Cart with 2 Bullocks.		
From Madras to Connatore	2	31	40
Arcot	2	10	40
Poonamallee	"	21	"
Vellore	2	31	40
Wallajahabad	1	15	60
Pondicherry	3	10	40
Tanjore	7	"	"

Copy of Letter from Bengal Dated 1st October 1793.

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Masulipatam	9	"	"
Tanjore	7	21	"
Kistnagherry	6	"	"
Ryacottah	7	21	"
Amboor	3	31	40
Arnee	2	31	40
Jagadroog	5	"	"
Chingleput	1	"	"
Innacondah	9	"	"
Sankerry Droog	8	"	"
Trichinopoly	7	21	"
Dindigul	8	"	"

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Guntoor	7	21	"
Ongole	6	21	"
Madura	11	"	"
Nellore	5	"	"
Semundalem	4	21	"
Vellaut	2	31	40
Negapatam	7	21	"
Cuddalore	4	"	"
Mount	"	15	"
Murmalong	"	15	"
Tripassore	1	"	"

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Saidawaidoo	1	21	"
Coimbakum	3	31	40
Ennore	"	20	"
Egmore	"	10	40
Carriage Bullocks per Month.	1	21	"
Draught Bullocks per Month.	2	8	"
Country Carts with 2 Bullocks p.r Month.	1	21	"

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Fort St. George 13th. Decr. 1810.

(Signd) L. Bruce
M. A. Genl.

Received 17th October 1810

Rates Established for the Hire of Draught and Carriage Bullocks with Carts to different Stations in Mysore

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Names of Stations.

Rate at which the Maistries have agreed for a cart with 2 Bullocks.

Dist. Office, Bangalore, 1st October, 1913.

From Madras. to	Seringapatam	12 " "
	Bangalore	10 " "
	Chittledroog	14 " "
	Seera	12 " "
	Sundydroog	12 " "
	Coimbatore	13 " "
	Sooty	16 " "

Cumbum	16	"	"
Ryacottah	14	"	"
Gundycottah	15	"	"
Bellary	14	"	"
Cuddapah	16	"	"

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Fort St George 13th December 1810.—

/Signed/ P. Bruce
M.a Gen.l

/True Copies/
/Signed/ W. Morison
Com.y Gen.l

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Appendix N°3.

Statement shewing the rates Established for the hire of Carts from the Presidency to the undermentioned different Stations taken from the Statements furnished by the Military Auditor General - the rates Established by the Commissariat and the difference between those rates on the hire of each Cart. -

Stations.	Distance in Miles.	Rates of Cart hire according to the Military Aud.r Generals Statement.	Rates Established by the Commissariat.	Difference on each Cart. -
From Madras to Arcot.	7	2 10 40	2 5 50	" 4 70
Poonamallee.	13	" 21 "	" 16 46	" 4 34
Vellore.	89	2 31 40	2 23 38	" 8 2
Wallajahbad	40	1 15 60	1 6 "	" 9 60
Londicherry. -	99	3 10 40	2 36 18	" 19 22

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Masulipatam.	228	9	..	8	7	15	.. 37 64
Tanjore.	214	7	21	6	2	63	1 18 12
Kistnagherry.	475	6	..	4	13	10	1 1 70
Ryacottah	192	7	21	5	19	64	2 1 16
Amboor.	119	3	31 40	3	16	58	.. 14 62
Arnee.	80	2	31 40	2	12	..	.. 19 40
Tagadroog.	141	5	..	3	44	63	1 .. 17
Chinglepat.	36	1	..	1	.	72	.. .. ..
Sankerrydroog.	239	8	..	6	36	58	1 10 22
Trichinopoly.	207	7	21	6	22	40	.. 13 40
Dindigul.	267	8	..	7	25	34	.. 19 46
Guntoor.	244	7	21	6	41	8	.. 22 72
Ongole.	190	6	21	5	17	20	1 3 60

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	Distance in Miles	Rates of Cart hire, according to the Military Audr Genrals Statement.	Rates Established by the Commissariat.	Difference on each Cart.
Madura.	289	11 " "	8 8 38	2 36 42
Nellore.	112	5 " "	3 4 64	1 37 16
Negapatam	191	7 27 "	5 1 42	2 19 38
Cuddalore.	115	4 " "	3 11 52	" 33 28
Mount.	8	" 15 "	" 10 16	" 4 64
Tripassore.	31	1 " "	" 39 42	" 5 38
Seringapatam.	284	12 " "	8 33 66	3 11 20
Bangalore.	209	10 " "	6 22 40	3 22 40
Chittledroog. —	346	14 " "	10 22 40	3 22 40.
Seera. —	292	12 " "	8 12 28	3 32 52

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Vundydroog.	200	12	"	"	5	30	"	6	15	"
Coimbatoro.	314	13	"	"	8	40	28	4	1	32
Gootty.	339	15	"	"	10	"	"	6	"	"
Cumbum.	212	15	"	"	6	"	24	9	44	56
Bellary.	343	17	"	"	11	"	"	6	"	"
Cuddapah.	167	16	"	"	4	32	24	11	12	6

Commissary Generals Office
Fort St George 13th October 1812.

E.E.
/Signed/ W. Morrison
Com.y Genl

Recd 15th Octr 1812

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Detailed Statement of the Actual Disbursements during the Year 1811 of Hired Carriage, at the Presidency in the Southern Division of the Same Carriage would have Cost according to the former Rates,

Date.	Divisions or Stations	No. of Mandtries.	No. of Draught Bullocks.	No. of Carriage Bullocks.	No. of Country Carts.	Period or distance for which Employed.	Rate &c. Trip or for time.	Amount
1811. January	Fort St. George	"	8	"	"	5 Days.	2 Pag.s each p. Month	2 30 "
	For the Carriage	"	8	"	"	3 Days.	Do.	1 27 "
	of Military Stores	"	"	"	7	to the Presidency from Wallajahbad.	16 fs. 70 Ch.s ea p. Trip.	2 28 10.
		"	"	"	1	to Arcot.		2 5 50.
		"	"	"	3	to the Mount.	10 fs. 16 Ch.s p.s trip.	" 30 48
		"	"	"	2	From Cuddalore		3 33 60
		"	"	"	13	to Wallajahbad.	33 fs. 60 ch.s p. trip.	9 33 60
February	"	"	"	"	44	From the Beach.	4 fs. per Trip.	3 61 "
		"	"	"	4	to Poonamallee	16 fs. 10 Ch.s p.s Trip	1 21 24
		"	"	"	4	to Vellore.	2. 23. 38. fs. Do.	10 3 72
		"	"	"	1	to Wallajahbad		1 6 "
		"	"	"	116	Mount to Race Stand.	10 fs. 16 Ch.s p.s trip.	26 13 10
		"	"	"	7	From Mount	5 fs. 8 Ch.s Do.	" 35 56
March.	"	"	8	"	"	2 Days.	2 Pag.s p.s Month.	1 3 "
		"	"	"	1	From Wallajahbad	11 Rs. 6 fs. p.s trip half hire.	" 25 40

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of the first twelve Months of the Commissariat on Account and Northern Division of the Army shewing the amount which and the difference in favor of the Commissariat.-

Former rate for the same Service as expressed in the first Column	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commis. sariat.	Total. Amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat.	Total. Amount which the same Carriage would have cost according to the former rates of hire.	Total. Difference in favor of the Commis. sariat.
at 2:8:-	per Mo.	2 40 50	1050		
----	Do.	1 33 32	632		
at 30 3/8 fs.	per trip.	4 32 50	2 4 40		
at 2:10:60.	Do.	2 10 40	" 470		
at " 15: "	Do.	1 " "	" 1432		
at 2: " - "	Do.	4 " "	" 1120		
at 1: 15:60.	Do.	17 24 60	736 "		
at " 8: "	Do.	737 "	341 "		
at " 21: "	Do.	1 39 "	" 1756		
at 2: 31:60.	Do.	11 " "	" 418		
at 1: 15:60	Do.	1 15 60	" 960		
at " 15: "	Do.	38 30 "	12 16 64		
at " 7:60:	Do.	1 7 60	" 1664		
at 2:8: "	Do.	1 7 21	" 421		
at " 30:30:	Do.	" 30 30	" 470		

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Date	Divisions or Stations		Period or distance for which Employed.	Rate per Trip or for Time	Amount.
				Pags Fs	
" " "	10	Race Stand to Bangalore 35 Days	5	30 p. Month	66 5 "
" " "	35	to Race Stand	10 Fs 16 Ch	Trip	7 12 "
" " "	4	to Arcot 15 Days	5 Pag	30 Fs p. Mo.	11 15 "
" " "	4	From Vellore	1:11:59		5 1 76
April. " " "	1	to Mount	10 Fs 16 Cash		" 10 16
" " "	55	to Bellary	11 Pag. each	p. Trip	605 " "
" " "	11	Do	Do		121 " "
" " "	2	Trichinopoly	6:22:40 each	p. Trip	13 " "
" " "	1	to Bangalore	Do		6 22 40
" " "	2	Palamcottah	10:43:34 each	p. Trip	21 11 68
" " "	10	to Chittledroog	10:22:40	Do	105 " "
" " "	4	From Bellary through Chittledroog	5:22:40	Do	22 " "
" " "	4	To Gooty	10: :	Do	40 " "
" " "	2	To Palamcottah	10:43:34	Do	21 11 68
" " "	10	to Race Stand 16th to 18th	5:30 each	p. month	5 30 "
Carried Over	24	358			1121 8 84

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	Former rate for the same Service as expressed in the first Column	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commis.	Amount actually Discharged by the Commis- sariat.	Total. Amount which the Difference same Car- riage would have cost at the Commis- sariat. according to the former rates of hire.
at 7:22:40	Ms.	87 22 40		21 7 40	
at 15:	Ship-	11 30		3 33	
at 7:22:40	Ms.	5		3 30	
at 1:15:60	Ship	5 18		1 64	
at 15:	Do.	15		4 64	
at 17:	Do.	935		330	
	Do.	187		66	
at 7:22:40	Do.	15		2	
		10		3 22 40	
at 16:	Do.	32		10 3 12	
at 11:	Do.	140		35	
at 8:22:40	Do.	34		12	
at 16:	Do.	64		24	
at 16:	Do.	32		10 3 12	
at 7:22:40	Ms.	7 22 40		1 37 40	
		1674 11 63		533 2 79	

13,541. Fort St. George 17th October 1812

Date	Divisions or Stations	No. of Musitiers	No. of Drums & Buffalo	No. of Serjeants & Buffalo	No. of Infantry Corps	Period or distance for which Employed	Rate p. Trip or for Time	Amount
1811	Brought over	24	"	358				1121 8 64
April	Fort St. George	"	"	1	To Tranquebar			4 41 "
		"	"	17	To Mountracestands and from	10 P. 160 Ch. @ P. trip		10 29 32
May		"	"	1	To Wallajahad	1 Pay. 6 P.	Do	1 6 "
		"	"	6	From Do	25 P. 240 Ch.		3 18 "
		"	"	116	To Trichinopoly	6½ Rs @ P. trip		754 " "
		"	"	43	From Do	3/4 Pay. being half hire		139 33 60
		4	"	"	2 Month 25 Days	2 Pay. P. Month		17 15 "
		"	"	4	From Gooty half hire	5 Pay. each P. Mo.		20 " "
		"	"	2	From Pallamcottah	5. 21. 57.	Do	10 43 34
June		"	"	66	To Trichinopoly	6½ Pay. each P. trip		462 " "
		1	"	"	1 Month & 23 days	2 Pay. P. Month		3 24 "
		1	"	"	25 Days		Do	1 30 "
		"	"	54	To Cannanore	18 Pay. @ P. trip		972 " "
		"	"	38	From Do	9 Pay. P. half hire		342 " "
		1	"	"	5 Months & 9 Days	2 Pay @ P. Month		10 21 "
		"	"	2	From Palamcottah	5. 21. 57. each P. trip half hire		10 43 34
July		"	37	"	19 Days	2 Pay. @ P. Month		46 39 "

Carried Over

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Former rates for the same Service as expressed in the first Column	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total Amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat.	Total Amount which the same Carriage would have cost according to the former rates of hire Commissariat	Difference in favor of the
	1674 11 63	553 2 79			
at 7 - - - pr Trip.	7 - -	24 - -			
at - - 15 - - Do	15 30 -	5 - 48			
at 1 - 15 - 60 - Do	1 15 60	- 9 60			
at - - 30 - 30 - Do	4 2 20	- 2 9 20			
at 7 - 22 - 40 Do	8 7 0	- - 116			
at 3 - 33 - 60 Do	161 11 20	21 22 40			
at 2 - - - - Mo	17 15 -	- - -			
at - 8 - - - - Trip	32 - -	12 - -			
at 8 - - - - Do	16 - -	5 1 46			
at 7 - 22 - 40 - Do	570 - -	68 - -			
at 2 - - - - Mo	3 24 -	- - -			
Do	1 30 -	- - -			
at 25 Pags pr Trip	1350 -	- 378 -			
at 12½ Pags Do	475 -	- 133 -			
at 2 Pags pr Mo	10 21 -	- - -			
at 8 Pags pr Trip	16 - -	5 1 46			
at 2 - 8 - - pr Mo	51 1 37	4 7 37			

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Date	Divisions or Stations		Period or distance for which Employed.	Rate P. Trip or for Time	Amount.
		1st Master Attendant 1 Assistant 1 Boatswain 1 Gunner 1 Butler 1 Serjeant 10 Lascars 1 Tindal 10 Coolies.			
1811	Brought Over.				
		1	To Arcot		2 5 50
		2	To Poonamallee	16 Ps. 40 Ch. ea P. Trip	33 12
		2	From Trichinopoly	3:11:20 Do. halfRice	6 22 40
		1	From Arcot	1:2:65 Do. Do.	1 2 65
August		113	To Seringapatam	8 3/4 Pag. each P. Trip	988 33 60
		111	Bangalore	6 1/2 Do.	721 22 40
		99	Bellary	11 Do.	1089 "
5		1	Month 13 Days.	2 Pag. ea P. Month.	14 15 "
4		1	Do. and 19 Do.	Do.	13 3 "
4		1	Do. and 2 Do.	Do.	8 24
		1	To Poonamallee	11 Ps. 40 Ch. P. Trip.	" 16 46
		1	To Arcot & Vellore		2 23 38
		11	To Vallajahbad	1 Pag. 6 Ch. ea P. Trip.	12 21 "
		11	From Do.	25 Ps. 40 Ch. P. halfRice	6 10 40
		3	16 Days	5 Ps. 30 Ch. ea P. Mo.	9 3 "
September.		4	2 Months 17 Days	5 Ps. 30 Ch. P. Do.	50 28 "
		4	To Poonamallee	16 Ps. 40 Ch. ea P. Trip.	1 2 24
		4	From Bangalore	3:11:20 ea D. halfRice	13 " "
	Carried Over	20 & 1108			6854 8 79

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Former rates for the same Service as expressed in the first Column	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat.	Total amount which the same Service would have cost the Commissariat according to the former rates of hire.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
at 2:10:40	for No. 2	10	40	4	70
at 21	Do.	12		8	68
at 3:33:60	Do.	7	22 40	1	
at 1:5:20	Do.	1	5 20	2	35
at 12	for Trip.	136		36	11 20
at 10	Do.	1110		388	22 40
at 17	Do.	1683		594	
at 2	for No.	14	15		
	Do.	13	3		
	Do.	8	24		
at 21	for Trip.		21	4	34
at 2-33-60	Do.	2	33 60	10	22
at 1:15:60	Do.	14	38 20	2	17 20
at 3	for 30	7	10	1	850
at 7:22:40	for No.	12		2	42
	Do.	67		16	17
at 21	for Trip.	1	39		17 50
at 8	for Do.	20		7	
		9539	30 70	2685	21 71

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Date	Stations	Dirs. of Artificers	Dirs. of Pioneers	Dirs. of Lascars	Dirs. of Cattle	Period or Distance for which Employed	Rate p. Trip or for Time	Amount
								6854 8 19
811	Brought Over	20	61	"	1108			
Sept.	Fort St. George	"	"	"		5 To Trichinopoly	6.22.40 p. Trip	32 22 40
		"	"	"		16 To Bangalore	6.22.40 Do	104 " "
		"	"	"		6 From Ponamalee	8 Ps. 23 Ch. D. half rice	" 33 12
		"	"	"		6 From Seringapatam	4.16.70 Do Do	26 11 20
		"	"	"		10 From Beach to the fort	4 Ps. p. Trip.	" 40 "
		"	"	"		6 2 Months & 18 Days	5 Ps. 30 Fs. p. Mo.	88 18 "
		"	"	"		2 2 D. and 10 Days	Do	28 32 "
		"	14	"		" 2 D. and 7 Days	2 Pags. Do	62 24 "
Oct.		"	"	14	"	" 18 Days.	2 Pags. Do	16 36 "
		"	"	25	"	1 Month & 14 Days	1 P. 15 Fs. Do	48 40 "
		"	"	12	"	21 Days	Do	11 9 "
		"	"	"		1 To Vellore Walajahbad.		2 33 38
		"	"	"		8 1 Month & 28 Days	5 Ps. 30 Fs. p. Mo.	87 29 "
		"	"	"		19 to Bangalore	6½ Pags. each Trip.	123 22 60
		"	"	"		" 1 Month.		2 " "
		"	"	"		5 From Bellary	5½ Ps. 5 trip half rice	27 22 60
		"	"	"		" 1 To Ponamallee		" 166
		"	"	"		1 From Vellore	half rice	1 11 39

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Former rate for the same service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total amount at which the same cargo would have cost According to the Commissariat former rate of hire	Difference in favor of the Commissariat
	9539 30 70	2685 21 71		
at 7. 22. 40. Ps. Mo.	37 22 40	5 " "		
at 10. " " Do.	100 " "	56 " "		
at 10 1/2 Jan.s Ship.	" 12 "	" 3 68		
at 6 Ps. . . . Do.	36 " "	9 33 60		
at 8 Jans. . . . Do.	1 35 "	" 40 "		
at 7 1/2 Pags. Ps. Mo.	117 " "	28 27.		
Do.	38 " "	9 13.		
at 2. 8. " Do.	68 4 10	5 25 10		
at 2. 8. " Do.	18 13 15	1 22 15		
at 1 1/2 Pags. . . . Do.	55 " "	6 5 "		
Do. . .	12 27 "	1 18 "		
at 2 3/4 Ps. Ps. Ship. .	2 33 60	. 10 22		
at 7 1/2 Ps. Ps. Mo.	116 " "	28 16 "		
at 10 Ps. Ps. Ship.	190 " .	66 22 40		
at 2 Ps. Ps. Mo.	2 " "	" " "		
at 8 1/2 Ps. Ps. Ship.	12. 22 40	15 " "		
at 21 Janams Do.	" 21 .	" 4 34		
at 1. 16. 70 Do.	1 16 70	. 5 11		

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Date	Stations.	No. of Havildars	No. of Drought Bullocks	No. of Carriage Bullocks	No. of Country Carts	Period or distance for which Employed	Rate & Trip or for Time	Amount
1811								
	Brought Over							
					2	To Wallajahbad.	1 B 6 P. ea. & Trip.	2 12 ..
					14	From Cannanore 9 Pags	Do	126 .. ..
		1	..	..	..	1 Month 11 Days	2 P. ea. p. Month	8 33 ..
					14	To Vellore - - -	2. 23. 38. ea. & Trip	35 13 52
					70	To Seringapatam	8. 33. 60 Do	612 22 40
		1	..	..	..	1 Month 1 24 Days	2 B. & Month	3 27 ..
		2	..	..	..	1 Do 18 Do	2 Do	6 18 ..
					1	To Cuddalore.		3 11 52
					100	To Seringapatam	8 3/4 P. ea. & Trip	875 .. ..
Nov.r		1	..	..	..	1 Month 1 22 Days	2 B. & Month	13 29 ..
					173	To Bellary.	1 1/2 B. & Trip.	1903 .. ..
		1	..	..	..	2 Months 1 5 Days	2 B. & Month	38 15 ..
					2	From Cannanore sic	9 B. & Trip.	18 .. ..
					1	Do Vellore. - - - - - - -		1 11 59
					1	Do Bangalore - - - - - - -		3 11 20
					1	To Wallajahbad - - - - - - -		1 6 ..
					1	From Cuddalore - - - - - - -		1 28 20
		36	39	37	1572			11165 19 63

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Former rates for the same Service as exposed in the first Column.	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total Amount which the same Carriage would have cost according to the former rates of hire	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
at 1.15.00 ... Ps. Trip ...	2 31 40	" 19 40		
at 1½ Ps. Do.	1 15 "	" 19 "		
at 2 Ps. Per Month	8 33 "	" " "		
at 2. 33. 00 Trip.	38 22 40	3 8 68		
at 12 Ps. Do.	8 40 "	" 227 22 40		
at 2 Ps. Per Month.	3 27 "	" " "		
Do.	6 18 "	" " "		
at 4 Ps. Per Trip.	4 " "	" 33 28		
at 12 Ps. Do.	1200 " "	325 " "		
at 2 Ps. Per Month	13 29 "	" " "		
at 17 Ps. Per Trip.	2941 " "	1038 " "		
at 2 Ps. each Pr. p Month.	30 15 "	" " "		
at 12½ Ps. Per Trip.	25 " "	7 " "		
at 1.10.70 Do.	1 10 70	" 5 11		
at 5. " " Do.	5 " "	1 33 60		
at 1. 15. 60 ... Do.	1 15 60	" 9 60		
at 2. " " ... Do.	2 " "	" 10 54		
	15,738 37 35	4 573 17 52		
Carried over. " " " " "	11165 19 [illegible]	15,738 37 35	4 573 17 52	

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Date	Stations	Horses Mustrs	Bullocks	Carriages	Bullocks	Camels	Period of Detention for which Employed.	Rate & Trip or for Time	Amount
	Brought over								
1811	For the Carriage of Camp Equipage								
Jan.y	Fort St. George						6	Beach to Fort ... at 3 Fs p. Trip.	" 18 ..
	" " "						2	Residency to Ponamallee at 12 Fs Do.	" 24 "
Feb.y	" " "						478	To Race Stand at 10 Fs 10 Ch. p. Trip.	108 15 48
	" " "						44	From Beach to Fort at 4 Fs Do.	3 41 "
	" " "						1	From the Race Stand half Hire	" 5 8
	" " "						6	to North Beach at 6 Fs .. Do. ..	" 36 "
March	" "						10	" 11 Days ..... at 1 P. 15 Fs p. Month	4 40 "
	" "						1	" 8 Do. .... Do.	" 16.
	" " "						29	1 Do. ——— 4 Fs each p. Trip.	2 26.
	" " "						40	2 Do. ..... 5 P. 30 Fs p. Mo.	15 5.
	" " "						1	23 Do. .... Do.	4 15 40
	" " "						88	To Race Stand .. 10 Fs 10 Ch. p. Trip.	19 42 48
	" " "						13	Do. to Ponamallee 10 Fs 40 Ch. Do.	4 35 38
April	" "						3	" 2 Months & 10 Days 1 P. 15 Fs each p. Mo.	9 15 "
	" "						87	" " 13 Days. Do.	30 12.
	1 " " "							Do. 2 Fs Do.	" 39 "
	" "						18	" 16 Do. 1 .. 15. Do.	12 36 "
	Carried over								

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Former rates for the same service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total amount hitherto finally discharged by the Commissariat.	Total amount which the same cargo would have cost According to the former rates of hire.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
			11165 19 63	15,738 37 35	4573 17 32
at 2 ps pr Trip	1 3 "	" 30 "			
at 21 ps Da	" 12 "	" 18 "			
at 15 ps Da	159 15 "	50 44 32			
at 8 ps Da	7 37 "	3 41 "			
at 7 1/2 ps Da	" 7 40	" 2 32			
at 15 ps Da	2 " "	1 9 "			
at 1: 22: 40. pr Month.	5 22 40	" 27 40			
Da Da	" 18 "	" 2 "			
at 8 ps pr trip	5 7 "	2 26 "			
at 7 1/2 ps Da	20 " "	4 40 "			
Da Da	5 33 60	1 18 20			
at 15 ps pr Trip	29 15 "	9 17 32			
at 21 ps Da	6 3 "	1 12 42			
at 1 1/2 ps pr Month.	10 22 40	1 7 40			
Da	56 24 60	6 12 60			
at 2 ps Da	" 39 "	" " "			
at 1 1/2 Da	14 18 "	1 27 "			

15557 Fort St George 17th October 1812

| Date | Divisions or Stations | Rec'd Musketoes | Rec'd Pouches | Rec'd Cartouch Boxes | Rec'd Serjeants Pikes | Rec'd Drums | Rec'd Colours | Rec'd Serjeants Sashes | Rec'd Serjeants Swords | Rec'd Serjeants Knots | Rec'd Drummers Clothing | Rec'd Fifers Clothing | Rec'd Drummers Caps | Rec'd Fifers Caps | Rec'd Halberts | Rec'd Drum Major's Staff | Rec'd Fife Major's Staff | Rec'd Colour Sergeants Pikes | Rec'd Colour Sergeants Swords | Rec'd Colour Sergeants Knots | Rec'd Colour Sergeants Sashes | Rec'd Colour Sergeants Caps | Rec'd Colour Sergeants Clothing

15552 Fort St George 17th October 1872.

Former rates for the same Service as expressed in the first Column. —	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat —	Total Amount actually paid by the Commissariat —	Amount which the same carriage would have cost according to the former rates of hire	Difference in favor of the Commissariat —
at 15 fs Da	80 30		25 36 48		
at 2 1/2 Ps Da	1 15		" 4 "		
at 2 Ps Da	2 6		" 20 "		
at 1 1/2 Ps Da	15 40 40		5 4 40		
at 21 fs Ps Trip	5 27		1 8 8		
at 1:15:00 Da	6 23 60		1 3 60		
at 7:22:40 Da	15		2 " "		
at 7:22:40 Pr Mo	6 22 40		1 26 40		
at 2:22:40 Da	" 33 60		" 2 20		
at 1:22:40 Da	8 18		" 42 "		
at 7:22:40 Da	1 22 40		" 16 40		
at 7:22:40 Da	19 22 40		4 34 40		
at 1:22:40 Da	16 36		1 19 "		
at " :21: " Ps Trip	1 18		" 13 22		
at 2:33:60 Da	2 33 60		" 10 22		
at 21 fans Da	7		" 1 21 30		
at 7:22:40 Ps Mo	4 22 40		1 4 40		
at Da Da	5 11 20		1 12 60		
	557 26 "	136 5 48	111 65 19 63	15 38 37 35	45 73 17 52

15553 For / St. George 17th October 1812

Date	Stations	Divisions or Stations	No. of Masters	No. of Quarter Boatmen & Boatmen	No. of Seamen & Boatmen	No. of Seamen per Contr.	Period or Distance for which Employed.	Rate p. Trip or for Time.	Amount
	Brought Over	1	..	168	1034				£21 20 32
1811 Sept.	For St. George	..	..	..	1		Trichinopoly		6 22 40
		..	..	..	22		1 Month & 12 Days	5:30 ea p. Mo.	174 24 "
		1	..	..	..	1	Do. & 8 Do.	2 " " p. Do.	2 24 "
		..	..	..	11		From Race Stand	" 10.10 ea p. Trip.	2 22 10
		..	..	..	1		Dooly		10 " "
		..	..	..	31		2 Days	5:30 ea p. Month.	11 32 "
		..	..	5	"		2 Month & 22 Days	1:15 Do.	18 10 "
		..	..	111	"	1	Do. & 9	Do.	19 2 18 "
		2	"	..	..	1	Do. & 9	Do. 2 " "	Do. 5 9 "
		..	..	22	"	1	Do. & 12	Do. 1-15 "	Do. 41 3 "
		..	..	4	"		9	Do.	Do. 1 27 "
		..	..	5	..		14	Do.	Do. 3 5 "
		..	..	12	..		1 Month & 20	Do.	Do. 20 30 "
		1	..	..	..	1	Do. & 20	Do. 2 " "	Do. 3 15 "
		..	..	18	..		17	Do. 1-15	Do. 13 27 "
		..	..	12	..		2	Do.	Do. 1 3 "
		..	..	3	..		15	Do.	Do. 2 " "
		..	..	3	..		18	Do.	Do. 2 18 "

Carried over.

15554. Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Former rates for the same Services as expressed in the first Column		Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat	Total Amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat	Total Amount which the same Cattle would have cost according to the former rates of hire.	Total Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
		537 26 ..	136 5 48	11165 19 03	15738 3/4 35	4573 17 32
at 7. 22-40 P.C.	Trip.	7 22 40	1			
D.. D..	Month.	231	56 21 ..			
at 2 P.. D..	D..	2 24 ..	.. .. ..			
at 15 P.. D..	Trip.	3 30 ..	1 7 64			
at 10 P..	D..	10	6			
at 7/2 P.. D..	Mo.	15 22 40	3 35 40			
at 1/2	D..	20 22 40	2 12 40			
	D..	216 20 20	24 2 20			
at 2 P..	D..	5 9 ..	.. .. ..			
at 1/2 P..	D..	46 9 ..	5 6 ..			
	D..	1 36 ..	.. 9 ..			
	D..	3 22 40	.. 17 40			
	D..	30	3 15 ..			
at 2 P.. D..	Month.	3 15 ..	.. .. ..			
at 1/2 P.. D..		15 13 40	1 31 40			
	D..	1 9 ..	.. 6 ..			
	D..	2 11 20	.. 11 20			
	D..	2 31 40	.. 13 40			

15555 Fort St George 17th October 1812

Divisions or Date Stations	No of Masters Mates	No of Quarter Gunners	No of Carpenters	No of Coxswains	No of Cooks	Period or Distance for which Employed.	Rate p. Trip or for Time.	Amount.
Brought Over.								
" "	1	"				1 Month & 20 Days	1-15- p.	" 10 "
1 Driver.	"					5 Do.	1 " " Do.	" 7 40
" "	18	"				1 Month & 18 Days	1-15 " Do.	30 18 "
" "	30	"				19 Do.	1-15 " Do.	25 15 "
" "	1	"				1 Month & 21 Do.	1-15- Do.	2 12 "
1 Driver	"					1 Do. & Do.	1 Do. Do.	1 31 40
" "	1	"				1 Do. & 12 Do.	1-15 ea p. Mo.	2 6 "
1 Driver	"					18 Do. & 18 Do.	1 " " Do.	1 27 "
" "	21	"				21 Days	1-15 " Do.	1 27 "
1 " "	"					Do.	2 Do.	1 18 "
" "	1	"				3 Months & 2 Do.	1-15 Do.	4 4 "
" "	3	"				14 Do.	Do.	1 39 "
" "	1	"				1 Month & 24 Do.	Do.	2 18 "
" "	12	"				8 Do.	Do.	4 12 "
" "	"	7				14 Do.	5:30 Do.	18 23 "
" "	"	11				19 Do.	Do.	39 21 60
Carried Over	9	"	52	11	18.			1095 16 48

15556 Fort St George 17th October 1812.

Former Rates for the same service as expressed in the first Column—	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat	Total Amount which the same Cargo would incur postage at the Corresponding former rates	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
at 1½ Ds per Mle	" 11 20			" 1 20	
at 1 Ds do	" 7 40			" " "	
at 1½ Ds do	3 4 9			3 3 30	
do	28 22 40			3 7 40	
do	2 24 66			" 12 66	
at 1 Ds do	1 31 40			" " "	
at 1½ Ds do	2 18			" 12 "	
at 1 Ds do	1 27			" " "	
at 1½ Ds do	22 2 20			2 20 20	
at 2 Ds do	1 18			" " "	
at 2½ Ds do	7 30			3 26	
at 1½ Ds do	2 4 40			" 10 40	
at 2½ Ds do	4 22 40			2 4 40	
at 1½ Ds do	4 36			" 24	
at 7½ Ds do	24 22 40			5 4 40	
do	52 11 20			12 34 66	
	13 72 38	" 277 23 32	11 11 65	19 63	15 73 37 35 45 72 19 52

15557 Fort St George 17th October 1812

Division or Date	Station	No of Musters	No of Days	No of Rations	Period or distance for which Employed	Rate p. Trip or for Time	Amount
	Brought over	9	152	1118			1095 14 48
1811 Novr	Fort St George			19	Days	5 30 @ p. Mo.	1 31 40
				1 14	Do	Do	2 29 "
				2 1	Month and 10 days	Do	15 5 "
			7	" 1 8	& 10 Do	1 15 - Do	12 20 "
			2	" 2	Do & 13 Do	Do	6 22 "
		1	Driver	"	Do Do	" 22 40 Do	1 9 60
			7	"	8 Days	1 15 " Do	2 22 "
			1	" 3	Month & 10 do	Do	4 20 "
		1	Driver	"	Do	1 " " Do	3 15 "
			11	"	8 Days	1 15 " Do	3 41 "
811			11	" 180	1122		1149 4 08

For the Carriage of Grain. —

March	Fort St George	"	" 8	"	30 days	1 15 @ p. Month	10 30 "
			" 3	"	3 Do to Arcot	1 15 Do	" 18 "
			" "	3	Do	2 5 50 @ p. trip.	6 10 70
April			" "	5	12 Do	5 30 " @ Month	11 15 "
Sept.			" "	8	" 12 Do	1 15	4 12 "
			" "	6	" 13 Do	Do	3 21 "
Oct.			" "	13	" 1 Month & 26 days	1 15 " Do	31 9 "
			" "	7	" 3 Do & 2 Do	Do	28 28 "
	Carried Over		" "	45	8		96 14 70

15,558 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Former rates for the same service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat	Total Amount to be charged by the Commissariat	Amount at the same rates as the former rates of hire	Difference in favor of the Commissariat
	1372 38	277 23 32	1116 5 19 63	1573 8 37 35	457 3 17 52
at 7 1/2 Pags. p. Month.	2 11 20	.. 24 60			
Do	3 22 40	. 38 40			
Do	20	4 10 ..			
at 1 1/2 Ps. Do.	14	1 25 ..			
Do	7 13 40	. 36 40			
at 1/2 P. each	1 9 60	.. .. ..			
1 1/2 Do.	2 36 .	. 14 ..			
Do	5	.. 25 ..			
at 1 P. Do.	3 15 .	.. .. .			
at 1/2 Ps. Do.	4 18 .	.. 32 .			
	1436 29 ..	287 24 12	1149 4 68	1436 29 .	287 24 12
at 1 1/2 Ps. p. Month.	12	1 15 ..			
Do	.. 20 20	.. 2 20			
at 2.10.40 p. trip. ..	6 31 40	.. 14 50			
at 7.22.40 p. Month.	15	3 30 ..			
at 1.22.40 Do	4 36 .	.. 24 ..			
Do	3 40 40	.. 19 40			
at 1 1/2 Ps. Do.	35 4 40	3 40 40			
Do	32 9 .	3 26 ..			
	110 6 60	13 36 70	96 14 40	110 6 60	13 36 70

15559 Fort St. George 17th October 1862.

Date	Division or Station	Name of Employed	Period or Distance for which Employed	Rate per Trip or for Time.	Amount.
		For the Carriage of Sick:—			
Jan.	Fort St. George	9 " "	4 Days	2 " " ea. per Mo.	2 18 "
Feby		28 " "	North Beach to race Stand	2 " "	11 33 "
March		25 " "	2 Days	2 " "	8 30 "
		14 " "	1 Do	Do	12 "
April		" " "	30 To Race Stand	" 10 10 ea. per trip.	6 36 "
May		14 " "	28 Days	2 " " ea. per Mo.	20 6 "
		35 " "	1 Month & 11 Days	2 " "	95 30 "
		13 " "	Do & 24 Do	2 " "	46 36 "
June		21 " "	10 Do	2 " "	14 " "
Oct.		14 " "	5 Do	2 " "	4 30 "
		14 " "	1 Month & 14 Do	2 " "	41 3 "
		21 " "	21 Do	2 " "	29 8 "
		" " "	4 Covered Cart 5 Do	7 30 "	5 5 "
		" " "	3 Do 1 Month & 23 days	Do	40 28 40
		" " "	4 Do 10 & 11 Do	Do	41 41 "
Carried over.		308 " 11.			375 11 10

15560 Fort St George 17th October 1812.

Former rates for the same service as expressed in this first Column	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total amount Actually disbursed by the Commissariat.	Total amount which the same carriage would have cost according to the former rates of hire.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.-
at 2 Ps. 8 Fs. per Mo.	2 27 45	" 9 45			
at 2 Ps. 4 Fs. Do.	12 34 75	1 4 75			
at 2 Ps. 8 Do.	9 19 53	" 34 53			
Do. Do.	1 " 39	" 3 39			
at 15 Fs. per trip.	10 " "	3 9 "			
at 2 Ps. 4 Fs. per Month.	28 20 43	2 14 43			
Do. Do.	104 7 53	8 22 53			
Do. Do.	50 43 16	4 17 16			
at Do. Do.	15 11 "	1 11 "			
at 2 Ps. 4 Fs. Do.	5 3 53	" 18 53			
Do. Do.	44 32 21	3 29 21			
Do. Do.	32 " 48	2 27 48			
at 9½ Ps. Do.	6 15 "	1 10 "			
Do. Do.	50 15 60	9 32 20			
Do. Do.	57 12 "	10 1 "			
	425 1 16	49 8 6	12,1039 41	17285 28 15	4874 33 54

15,561

Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Date	Stations	Divisions	No. of Matthies	No. of Bullocks	No. of Camels	Peradon Distance for which employed.	Rate p. Trip or for Time.	Amount.
811 Brought Over	"	308	"	41				375 41 40
Nov. Fort St. George		8	"	"	1 Day	2 " — "	@ p. Month	" 24 "
					2 11 do	7 30 "	do —	5 28 "
					3 14 do		do —	10 33 "
					4 8 do		do —	2 2 "
		316	"	47				394 38 40

Southern Division.

For the Carriage of Military Stores.

811 Feby.	Dindigul	"	"	9	"	9 Days	1 21 "	@ p. Mo.	4 28
May	Trichinopoly	"	"		2	1 Month & 8 Days	5 — " — "	Do	12 30 "
"				88	"	"	15 Do	5 Rupees	Do	62 38 45

Carried Over.

15562. Fort St George 17th October 1812.

Former rates for the same Service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commis. Dariat.	Total. Amount the Amount which Difference is the same Corps actually Pd is agreeable actually paid Pursuant to the Commissioners Dariat.	Difference in favor of the Commissioners Dariat.
	425 4 46	49 8 6	12410 39 41	17285 28 15
at 2 Pd 8 fs pr Month.	" 26 11	" 2 11		
at 9 1/2 Pay. Do.	6 43 40	1 15 40		
Do. Do.	13 13 40	2 25 40		
Do. Do.	2 24 "	" 22 "		
	148 21 57	53 28 17	394 38 40	148 21 57
				53 28 17
			12,805 33 1	17734 4 72
				4928 16 71

at 1/2 Pd Pr Month.	4 2 20	"	" 12
at 1/2 Pay. Do.	19 "	"	6 15 "
at 2 Pd. Do.	95 37 "		32 4 35

15,563 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Date	Stations	Divisions or	Mod. Majesties	Regt. Dragoons	Regt. Cavalry	Regt. Cavalry	Corps.	Road or Distance for which em. played.	Rate p. Trip or for Time.	Amount
1811	Brought over.									
	Trichinopoly	1	"	"	"			15 days	2 Pag.s @ p. Mo.	1 " "
June	"	"	"	"	273	"		19 Do.	4 Rupees Do.	197 27 "
	"	"	15	"	1 Month & 3 Do.			4 Do.	Do.	56 25 56
	"	1	"	"	Do.			Do.	1 3/4 Pg. Do.	1 41 37
	"	21	"	"				19 Do.	at 5 3/4 Rupees Do.	21 38 18
	"	1	"	"				19 Do.	at 6 1/8 Rupees Do.	7 34 10
	"	"	"	"	73	1 Month & 3 Days		5 Pg.s	Do.	101 22 40
	"	3	"	"	"	Do.			1 3/4 Do.	5 34 70
	"	"	"	"	20	19 Do.		5 Pg.s	Do.	63 15 "
July	"	"	4	"	25	Do.		4 Rupees	Do.	3 30 33
	"	"	"	"	38	2 Month & 27 Days		5 Pg.s	Do.	551 " "
Carried over.		12	109	33	133					1391 31 10

15564 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Former rates for the same Service as exhibited in the first Column.		Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total Amount re Ammunition finally decided by the Commissariat to which the same Carriage would have been entitled according to the former rates of the Commissariat. Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
at 2 " "	Do	1 " "	" " "	
at 1. 22. 40.	Do	259	15 60	61 33 60
Do	Do	3/4	11 20	17 30 44
at 2 " "	Do	29	" "	12 30
at 2: 8 "	Do	28	13 30	5 5 12
at 2	Do	8	39 "	1 4 30
at 7. 22: 40	Do	602	11 20	200 33 60
at 2	Do	6	27 "	3 7 10
at 7. 22: 40	Do	95	" "	31 30 "
at 1: 22: 40	Do	5	" "	1 8 47
at 7: 22: 40	Do	826 22 40	275 22 40	
		2028 38 30	637 7 20	

15565 Fort St George 17th October 1812.

Date	Stations	Divisions of	Pd. of Marathas	Pd. of Rajah's Bullocks	Pd. of Carriage Bullocks	Pd. of Country Carts	Period or Distance for which Employed.	Rate p. Tish or for Time —	Amount.
B	Brought Over.	12	189	33	133				1391 31 10
1811	Southern Division.								
July	Trichinopoly	"	12	"	"		2 Months & 27 days	5 3/4 Rupees each p. Mo.	57 7 57
			1	"	"	"	Do.	Do. 1 3/4 Rs. Do.	5 3 29
			"	"	"	102	2 Do. & 15 Do.	5 Do. Do.	1275 " "
			"	34	"	"	Do.	Do. 5 3/4 Rupees Do.	139 28 24
			4	"	"	"	Do.	Do. 1 3/4 Rs. Do.	17 22 40
			"	"	"	4	1 Do. & 3 Do.	5 Do. Do.	22 " "
Augt.			"	"	"	138	" 2 Do. & 10 Do.	4 Rupees Do.	404 36 "
			3	"	"	"		6 1/8 Rs. Do.	13 21 30
			"	"	"	13	" 3 Do. & 2 Do.	4 Rupees Do.	46 2 45
			"	"	"	250	" 20 Do.	4 Rupees Do.	190 21 33
			6	"	"	"		1 3/4 Rs. Do.	7 " "
			"	"	"	82	" 22 days	4 Rupees Do.	68 32 40
			"	"	"	93	22 Do.	5 Rs. Do.	3 11 " "
			5	"	"	"		1 3/4 Do.	6 18 60
			"	"	"	15	" 25 Do.	4 Rupees Do.	15 10 57
			"	"	"	1	" 2 Months & 17 Do.	5 Rs. Do.	12 37 39
			"	"	"	"	20 Do.	5 Rs. Do.	133 15 "
			"	"	"	40	"		
Sept.			"	"	"	2	1 Month & 12 Do.	5 Rs. Do.	14 " "
Oct.			"	"	"	4	1 Do. & 5 Do.	5 Rs. p. Month.	23 15 1
	Carried Over		31	155	930	379			4186 34 35

15366 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Former rates for the same Service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total amount actually Disbursed by the Commissariat	Amount which the same Service would have cost according to the former rates of the Commissariat.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
	2028 38 20	637 7 20			
at 2: 8 .. pr Month	75 35 31	18 27 54			
at 2 .. .. .. Do	5 36 ..	.. 32 57			
at 7-22:40 - - - Do	1912 22 40	637 22 40			
at 2: 8 ..... Do	185 4 78	45 21 4			
at 2 - ..... Do	20	2 22 40			
at 7:22:40 ..... Do	33	11			
at 1:22:40 ..... Do	524 18 ..	119 27 ..			
at 2 .. .. Do	15 9 ..	1 32 50			
at 1:22:40 ..... Do	59 36 ..	13 33 15			
Do ..... Do	250	59 23 47			
at 2 .. .. Do	8	1			
at 1 1/2 Ps .. ... Do	90 9 ..	21 21 40			
at 7 1/2 Ps .. ... Do	511 22 40	170 22 40			
at 2 Ps ..... Do	7 15 ..	.. 41 20			
at 1 1/2 Ps .. .. Do	20	4 34 23			
at 7 1/2 Ps - Do	19 11 20	6 18 61			
Do	200	66 30 ..			
Do	21	7			
Do	35	11 29 79			
	6022 32 79	1837 43 44	4184 34 ..	6022 32 79	1837 43 44

16,567 Fort St. George 17th October 1812:

Divisions or Date Stations	Regt. Marches	Regt. Baggage	Regt. Carriage	Regt. Bullocks	Regt. Carriage Cattle	Distance for which Employed.	Period or Rate per Trip or for Time.	Amount.
Brought Over								
1811. For the Carriage of Camp Equipage.								
Sant. Trichinopoly		31			7 Days		1-7-40 per Mo.	8 6 60
" "		8	"		10 Do.		Do.	3 14 "
" "		14	"		9 Do.		Do.	5 7 40
" "		5	"		11 Do.		Do.	2 12 20
" "		3	"		12 Do.		Do.	1 21 "
" "		3	"		4 Do.		Do.	" 21 "
Feby. " "		"	3		1 Month 11 Days	5 " - "	per Mo.	20 7 60
" "		2	"		18 Do. 10 do.	4 Rupt.	Do.	3 2 20
" "		1	"		" 19 Do.	"		" 32 43
Palamcottah "		7	"		" 20 Do.	1/2 Ps	Do.	7 " "
1 " "					Whole Month.			2 " "
March Trichinopoly "		2	"		22 days.	1 Rt.	per Month	1 32 10
Palamcottah "		3	"		20 Do.	1/2 Ps	Do.	3 " "
Carried Over. 1	"	79	3					59 13 73

1568 . Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Former rates for the same Service as exprest in the first Column.	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat	Total amount as actually disbursed by the Com.	Total amount which the same Carriage would have cost according to Commissariat rates of hire.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat
at 1½ Ps D. Month.	10 38 20	1 39 40			
Do Do	4	" 31 ..			
Do Do	6 13 40	1 6 ..			
Do Do	2 33 60	" 21 40			
Do Do	1 36 ..	" 15 "			
Do Do	" 27 "	" 6 "			
at 7½ Ps Do	30 33 60	10 26 20			
at 1½ Ps Do	4	.. 62 60			
at 1½ Ps Do	.. 62 60	.. 10 17			
Do Do	7 " "	" " "			
at 2 Ps Do	2 " "	" " "			
at 1½ Ps Do	2 9 "	" 21 70			
Do Do	3 " "	" " "			
	76 9 "	16 20 7 41 84 34 35	6022 32 79	1837 43 44	

15569 Fort St Jorge 19th October 1812.-

Date	Stations	Decisions or	W.m Meastin	Jos. Dwight	W.m Skinner	Jos. Wells	W.m Hanna	Period or distance for which Imployed.	Rate per trip for Month or Time	Amount
	Brought Over		1	" 79	3					59 13 7
	1811 Southern Decision.-									
April	Tschimpsky		3	"				2 Months & 4 Days	4 Rs. each p. Month.	7 14 11
			3	"				2 do. & 17 do.	4 Rs. do.	9 11 6
May			1	"				4 do. & 19 do.	4 Rs. do.	5 13 2
			1	"				15 do.	do.	" 25 5
			3	"				15 do.	do.	1 37 2
			6	"				1 Month 15 do.	4 Rs. do.	10 23 4
			1	"				29 do.	do.	1 4 5
			1	"				15 do.	do.	8 24 "
			1	"				1 Month 17 do.	do.	1 33 6
			1	"				1 Month	do.	1 0 2
July			7	"				1 do.	do.	8 " "
			3	"				2 do. & 25 days	do.	9 32 1
			17	"				1 do. & 15 do.	do.	29 6 3
			4	"				21 do.	do.	3 9 "
			3	"				9 do.	do.	1 " 6
			7	"				24 do.	do.	6 17 7
			1	"				6 Month & 20 do.	do.	7 27 6
Augt			1	"				1 Month.	do.	8 " "

J. Canedouc.

15570 Fort St George 17th October 1812.

Former rates for the same Service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat.	Total amount which the same Cattle would have cost according to the former rates of hire.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat
	76 9 ..	16 10 7	4 1 6 34	35 6 22	32 19 7
at 1/2 Ps. p.r Month	9 27 ..		2 12 69		
Do	Do	11 24 60	2 13 15		
Do	Do	6 42 60	1 29 38		
Do	Do	.. 33 60	.. 8 4		
Do	Do	2 18 ..	.. 25 38		
Do	Do	13 36 ..	3 12 30		
Do	Do	1 20 20	.. 15 42		
Do	Do	11 9 ..	2 30 ..		
Do	Do	2 15 60	.. 26 42		
Do	Do	1 22 40	.. 16 6		
Do	Do	10 22 40	2 22 40		
Do	Do	12 33 60	3 1 48		
Do	Do	38 11 20	9 4 66		
Do	Do	4 9 ..	1		
Do	Do	1 15 60	.. 14 71		
Do	Do	8 18 ..	2 .. 1		
Do	Do	10	2 17 12		
Do	Do	10 22 40	2 22 40		

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Date	Divisions or Stations	No. of Privates	No. of Pioneers	No. of Sappers	No. of Country Corps	Period or distance for which Employed.	Rates p. Diem for Time	Amount
	Brought over.							
	Trichinopoly							
	"	"	"	2	"	2 Do. @ 20 Days	4 R. p. Month.	6 24 66
	"	"	"	1	"	1 Do. @ 23 Do.	Do.	2 " 68
	"	"	"	1	"	18 Do.	Do.	" 30 67
	"	"	"	1	"	2 Months @ 4 Do.	Do.	2 19 56
	"	"	"	3	"	1 Do. @ 7 Do.	Do.	4 10 22
Sept.	"	"	"	12	"	1 Do. "	1-6-34 Do.	13 32 10
	"	"	"	2	"	17 days.	1-6-34. Do.	1 12 68
Oct.	"	"	"	6	"	1 Month	1-6-34 Do.	6 38 64
	"	"	"	3	"	2 Do. @ 29 days	1-6-34 Do.	10 7 58
	"	"	"	2	"	25 Do.	4 R. Do.	1 40 57
	"	"	"	2	"	41 Do.	" Do.	3 5 86
	"	"	"	1/4	"	2 Do.	" Do.	1 3 "
	"	"	"	8	"	6 Do.	" Do.	1 37 22
	"	"	"	2	"	1 Month @ 11 Do.	" Do.	3 5 45
	"	"	"	1	"	1 Do. @ 1 Do.	" Do.	1 8 11
Nov.	"	"	"	1	"	1 Do. @ 14 Do.	" Do.	1 30 34
	"	"	"	6	"	1 Do.	" Do.	6 38 64
				1	"	229	3	218 19 21

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Former rate for the same Service as expressed in the first Column. —	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total. — amount the Commissariat would be entitled by the same Rate according to the former rate of hire	Difference in favor of the Commissariat
at 1½ P.S. P. Month	8 27	"	2 2 12	
Do Do	2 29 20	"	28 32	
Do Do	" 40 40	"	9 53	
Do Do	3 9	"	" 34 24	
Do Do	5 24 66		1 14 38	
Do Do	18	"	" 4 12 70	
Do Do	1 34 40	"	18 32	
Do Do	9	"	" 2 6 36	
Do Do	13 15 60		3 8 2	
Do Do	2. 22 40	"	26 63	
Do Do	1 4 40	"	43 74	
Do Do	1 18	"	" 15	
Do Do	2 18	"	" 25 58	
Do Do	4 4 40	"	43 75	
Do Do	1 24 60	"	16 49	
Do Do	2 9	"	" 23 46	
Do Do	9	"	" 2 6 36	
	323 40 40	75 21 19	248 19 21	323 40 40 75 21 19
Carried Over			1433 8 56	63 46 239 19 13 19 63

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Date	Divisions or Stations.	No. of Invalids.	No. of Dooly Bullocks.	No. of Carriage Bullocks.	No. of Country Carts.	Period or Distance for which Employed.	Rate per Diem or per Mile.	Amount.
	Brought Over	..	..	..	..			.. .. ..
	Southern Division							
1811.	For the Carriage of the Sick							
Jany.	Trichinopoly.	14	..	..		7 days	1 .. 30 .. @ per Mo.	5 20 ..
May	..	14	..	..		9 Do.	5 3/4 Rs. Do.	6 40 38
June	..	42	..	..		16 Do.	Do. Do.	36 35 78
		1	..	..		16 Do.		.. 42 ..
July	..	28	..	..		1 Month 15 days.	5 3/4 Rs. Do.	69 .. ..
		1	..	..		Do.	1 3/4 Pgs. Do.	2 28 10
	..	..	..	..	4	1 Month 12 days	5 Rs. Do.	28 .. ..
		2	98	..	4			149 31 46
1811	For the Carriage of Grain.							
May	Trichinopoly	..	246	..	..	1 Month 18 Days.	4 Rs. @ per Month.	356 5 8
		4	..	..	..	Do.	1 3/4 Pgs. Do.	8 39 ..
		4	..	246	..			364 44 8
	Northern Division							
1811.	For the Carriage of Military Stores.							
Feby.	Ellore	..	..	..	4	To Masulipatam 153 Miles 5 days	at 7 1/2 Rs. per Mo.	4 41 61
	..	..	28	..	5	Days	at 1 1/2 Rs. Do.	6 40 50
	Carried Over	..	..	..	..			

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Former rates for the same Service as expressed in the first Column	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat &c.	Total. - Amount Rates Amount which usually disbursed the same Service by the Com. Commissariat	Differences in favor of the Commissariat	Differences in favor of the Com. Commissariat according to the former rates of hire.
at 2 Pds 4 Bfs p. Mo.	7 5 11	1 30 11			
Do Do	9 6 48	2 11 10			
Do Do	48 35 16	11 46 18			
at 2 Pds Do	1 3 " "	6 "			
at 2 Pds 8 Fs Do	91 21 "	22 21 "			
at 2 Pds Do	3 " "	" 16 70			
at 7/2 Pds Do	42 " "	14 " "			
	202 25 75	52 39 29	149 31 46	202 25 75	52 39 29
at 1/2 Pds p. Month	167 12 "	111 12 72			
at 2 Pds do	10 6 "	1 12 "			
	477 24 "	112 24 72	364 44 8	477 24 "	112 24 72
			949 39 30	702 63 3/4	207 83 9 4
at 2/2 Pds p. Mth.	10 " "	5 3 19			
at 1/2 Pds Do	14 " "	7 4 30			

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Date	Stations	No. of Masulipatam	No. of Dumpies	No. of Bullocks	No. of Carriage Bullocks	No. of Country Carts	Distances for which Employed.	Period or distance for which Employed.	Rate & Trip or for Time.	Amount.
	Brought over									
March	Masulipatam	"	179	"			To Hyderabad	1-6-60	@ 5 Rs. @ Trip.	205 35 56
		3	Petty	"			"	Do. for 23 days 2	" Do.	1 27 "
	Vizagapatam	"	"	36	"		7 days		1 Rupee @ Trip	10 12 68
	Ganjam	"	"	"	6		From Chatterpoor	6 Gs.	Do.	" 36 "
		"	"	"	132		Fort to Beach	2 Gs. @ Trip.		5 39 "
		"	"	"	8		Do.	Do.		" 16 "
April	Masulipatam	"	"	28			To Hyderabad	5 3/4 Rs. each Cart.		161 " "
		1	Petty	"	"					1 24 "
		"	"	"	18		From Hyderabad 1 1/2 days 3	2/8 Rs. Do. @ Trip.		57 33 60
	Chicacole	"	"	4	"		14 days.	3 Rs. @ 5 Rs. Mo.		1 27 "
May	Masulipatam	"	64	"	"		To Samulcottah 22 days 5	2 1/4 Rs. @ 5 Rs. Trip.		41 6 34
		1	Petty	"	"		11 Days.	2 Rs. @ 5 Rs. Mo.		" 33 "
	Chicacole	"	"	4	"		1 Month.	3 Rs. @ 5 Rs. Mo.		3 19 23
		"	"	2	"		3 Days.	@ 5 Gs. 3 1/4 Cs. @ Trip.		" 12 68
June	Masulipatam	"	28	"	"		1 Month.	5 Rs. @ 5 Rs. Mo.		125 32 11
		"	1	"	"		Do.	2 Pagodas.		2 " "
	Vizagapatam	"	"	1	"		13 Days.			" 28 73
	Carried Over	6	152	254	196					629 16 24

15576 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Former rate for the same service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total Amount after deducting the Amount which alleged disputed and the same Carriage by the Commissariat.	Amount according to the former rates of hire	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
at 2 27 Ps. Tuf.	465 18	259 27 24			
at 2 Ps. Bullock.	4 27	" " "			
at 1/3 Ps. Da.	12 27	2 4 12			
at 1/4 Ps. Bullock	2 6 30	1 15 30			
at 5/8 Ps. Da.	23 25 40	17 31 40			
Da. Da.	1 19 40	1 3 40			
at 13/2 Ps. Bullock	378 " "	217 " "			
at 2 Ps. Da.	1 24 " "	" " "			
at 6/8 Ps. halfhire.	123 33 60	42 " "			
at 1/2 Ps. Da.	2 36 "	1 9 "			
at 1 27 Bullock.	102 18 "	61 11 46			
at 2 Ps. Bullock	" 33 "	" " "			
at 1/2 Ps. Da.	6 " "	2 25 57			
Da. Da.	" 13 40	" " 52			
at 2 8 Ps. Bullock.	191 21 "	65 4 69			
at 2 Ps. Da.	2 " "	" " "			
at 1/2 Ps. Da.	" 29 20	" 27			
	1343 24 40	714 8 10			

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Date	Divisions or Stations	No. of Masters	No. of Pursers	No. of Surgeons	No. of Asst. Surgeons	No. of Captains	Period or distance for which employed.	Rate & Trip. or for Time.	Amount.
	Brought Over -	6	152	254	190				629 16 24
Bill	Northern Division								
July	Masulipatam	"	28	"	"	"	1 Month	5 Rs @ p. Mo.	125 32 11
			1 Petty	"	"	"		2 Rs Do	2 " "
		"	"	"	22		To Hyderabad	20 Rs @ p. Trip	125 32 11
		"	"	459	"		To Secundrabad	40 Rs Do	524 25 57
			4 Choudries		23 Days			3 Rs p. Mo.	9 9 "
			9 Petty M		Do			2 Do	13 36 "
	Vizagapatam	"	"	"	3		To Masulipatam 40 days.	22 Rs @ p. trip	18 38 45
	Ganjam	"	"	"	1		5 days	9 Rs @ p. Mo.	" 19 22
Aug.	Masulipatam	88	"	"	"		1 Month	5 Rs @ p. Mo.	125 32 11
	"		1 Petty	"	"	"		2 Rs Do	2 " "
Sept.	Northern Division	"	410	"	"		To Secundrabad	40 Rs @ p. trip	468 25 57
	"		4 Choudries		23 Days			3 Rs p. Mo.	9 9 "
	"		8 Petty	"	"		Do	2 Do	12 12 "
	"	"	"	1	"		9 Do	3 Rs Do	" 11 45
	"	"	88	"	"		11 Do	5 Rs p. Do	46 4 22
	"		1 Petty	"	"		11 Do	2 Rs p. Do	" 33 "
Oct.	Masulipatam	19	"	"	"		1 Month 12 Days	5½ Rs @ p. Mo.	41 35 79
	Carried Over	"	"	"	"				

15578 Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Former rate for the same service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total. Amount actually Disbursed by the Commissariat	Total. Amount which the same Carriage would have cost according to the former rates of hire.	Total. Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
	1343 24 40	714 8 10			
at 2-8 ... p.r M.o	191 29 "	65 41 69			
at 2 p.r D.o	2 " "	" " "			
at 13/2 p.r p.r Cart	297 " "	171 12 69			
at 2 27 p.r C. B.k	1193 18 "	668 37 23			

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Date	Divisions or Stations	No. of Waggons	No. of Draught Bullocks	No. of Carriage Bullocks	No. of Country Carts	Period or Distance for which employed &c.	Rate of Trip or of Time	Amount.
	Brought Over.							
Oct.	Masulipatam	"	"	"	1	1 Month 12 days	5 Ps. p. Mo.	7 " "
					115	To Secunderabad	20 Rs. @ p. Trip	657 6 34
					6	Chendries " 23 Days	3 Ps. each p. Mo.	13 36 "
					12	Petty " " Do.	2 Pog. Do.	13 18 "
					"	70 " "	To Secunderabad	6 Rs. @ p. Trip 120 " "
					1	" " "	23 Days	2 Ps. p. Mo. 1 24 "
					"	" " "	3	To Ellore 15 Miles 2 1/4 Rs. each p. Trip 3 28 74
					"	" "	390 "	To Secunderabad 1/4 Rs. Do. 445 32 11
	Vizagapatam	"	10	"	"	8 Months 24 Days	5 Do. p. Mo.	54 12 68
Nov.	Masulipatam	"	"	"	3	From Ellore half Sea	2 1/8 Do. p. Trip.	1 36 75
		53	575	1574	344			3479 28 6

For the Carriage of Camp Equipage.

811 Feby.	Ellore	"	"	16 "	19 days	3 3/4 Rs. p. Mo.	9 22 40
March	Masulipatam	"	"	2 "	45 Do.	3 3/4 Rs. p. Bullock p. Mo.	3 9 57
				2	25 Do.	Do.	1 35 28
				5	37 Do.	Do.	6 27 25
				6	27 Do.	Do.	5 35 27
				11	18 Do.	Do.	7 3 17
				23	14 Do.	Do.	11 22 39
	Carried Over.	"	"	63	"		45 20 67

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Former rate for the same service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat	Total. Amount actually Disbursed by the Commissariat.	Total. Amount which the same Carriage would have cost according to the former rates of hire.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
at 7.22.40 P. M.	10 22 40	3 22 40			
at 13½ Ps ea Cart	152 22 40	895 18 6			
12 Maistrie at 52 Ds Pay each at 2 Ps p. Mo	44 " "	11 36 "			
at 2.8 ea P. Mo for 52.	264 10 50	146 10 50			
at 2 Ps p. Month.	1 24 " "	" " "			
1 3/4 Ps ea for 7 Days	5 11 20	1 27 26			
at 2.27 p. each p. trip.	1014 " "	563 12 69			
at 2.8 p. Mo.	82 34 "	28 21 12			
at 1.11.20 each.	3 33 60	1 41 65			
	7471 38 45	3992 10 39	3479 28 6	7471 38 45	3992 10 39
at 1½ Ps p. Mo	13 13 40	3 30 "			
Do Do	4 22 40	1 12 69			
Do Do	2 22 40	" 32 12			
Do Do	9 11 20	2 28 75			
Do Do	8 4 40	2 14 13			
Do Do	9 40 40	2 37 23			
Do Do	16 4 40	4 27 1			
	63 29 20	18 8 33 34	3479 28 6	7471 38 45	3992 10 39

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Date	Divisions or Stations	No. of Masulas	No. of Pinnaces & Budgeroes	No. of Canoes & Budgeroes	No. of Country Craft	Period or distance for which Employed	Rate p. Trip or for Time	Amount.
	Brought Over	63						45 20 6/7
1811	Northern Division.							
March	Ellore	7				1 Month 17 Days	33/4 Rs. p. 15th p. Mo.	11 30 7/1
	Vizagapatam	9				15 Do.	4 Rs. p. Mo.	3 19 22
April	Masulipatam	45				April 1811.	3/4 Rs. p. Mo.	48 9 5/7
	Vizagapatam	9				Do.	3 Rs. Do.	7 32 11/2
	Gangam	3				20 Days	4/2 Rs. p. Trip.	3 18 45/2
		3				To Chatterpoor	1 f. 40 C. p. Trip.	4 40
		3				Chatterpoor to Cuttack 120 miles	3 Rs. 1 f. 40 C. Do.	2 30 17
		3				From Cuttack 115	Do. 3 Rs. Do. Trip.	2 25 5/7
May	Masulipatam	45				1 Month	3 Rs. p. Month	38 25 5/7 1/2
		8				14 Days	Do.	7 9
		89				15 Do.	Do.	38 6 32
	1 Chowdy					15 Do.	3 Rs. Do.	1 22 40
	1 Petty					15 Do.	2 Do. Do.	1
	Vizagapatam	9				1 Month	3 Rupees p. Mo.	7 32 11/2
June	Masulipatam	170				Whole Month	3 Rs. Do.	145 32 8
	1 Chowdy					Do.	3 Rs. Do.	3
	1 Petty					Do.	2 Rs. Do.	2

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Former rate for the same service as expressed in the first Column.		Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total. Amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat.	Total. amount which the same Cargie would have cost according to the former rate of hire.	Total. Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
		63 29 20	18 2 33	3479 28 6	7471 38 45	3992 10. 39.
at 1½ Rs. p. Month.		16 20 20	4 44 29			
Do.	Do.	4 22 40	1 3 18			
Do.	Do.	67 22 40	19 12 69			
Do.	Do.	13 22 40	5 35 28½			
Do.	Do.	4 22 40	" 28 74½			
at 3½ p. trip.		" 9 "	" 4 40			
at 4 3/16 p. for 16 Miles		3 22 40	" 37 23			
Do.	Do.	3 15 75	" 35 88			
at 1½ Rs. p. Mo.		67 22 40	28 41 62½			
Do.	Do.	12 27 "	5 8 "			
Do.	Do.	66 33 60	28 27 28			
Maistries 1 for 30 d.s & 2 for 15 D.s @ at 2½ p. Mo each.		4 " "	1 22 40			
at 1½ Rs. p. Mo.		13 22 40	5 35 28½			
Do.	Do.	255 " "	109 12 72			
at 2½ Rs @ for 3 Maistries.		6 " "	1 " "			

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Date	Divisions or Stations.		Period or distance from which Employed.	Rate P Trip or for Time.	Amount.
	Brought Over				
July	Masulipatam	1	1 Month 20 days	4 Rs. Fs. Pa.	1 40 56
		3	2 Da.	4 Rs. Da.	6 38 44
		134	1 Da.	3 Rs. Da.	114 38 43
	1 Chandy	1	Da.	3 Rs. Da.	3 .. ..
	1 Petty.	1	Da.	2 Pags. Da.	2 .. ..
	Vizagapatam.	3	To Madras.	3 Ps. @ 3 Trip	9 .. ..
		3	To Masulipatam 227 Miles	1 1/4 Rs.	3 28 74
		65	Month	3 Rs. Fs. Pa.	55 32 11
		1	Da.	2 Ps. Da.	2 .. ..
		43	13 Days	3 Rs. @ Fs. Pa.	15 43 56
		38	1 Month	Da.	32 25 57
August	Masulipatam	39	1 Da.	Da.	33 25 55
		65	17 Days.	Da.	33 19 28
		4	20 Da.	Da.	2 12 68
		5	13 Da.	Da.	1 38 44
		2	9 Da.	Da.	.. 23 11
		5	12 Da.	Da.	1 32 11
	Carried Over	7	902		

Fort St. George Marine Establishment.
Boat Carriage Bullocks
Bullock Carts.

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	Former rate for the same service as expressed in the first Column	Amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat at	Difference in favor of the Commissariat	Total Amount which the same carriage would have cost according to the former rates of the Commissariat	Difference in favor of the Commissariat
at 1/2 Ps Fr Mo	2 22 40	2 6 4			
Do Do	9	2 6 36			
Do Do	201	86 6 37			
for 3 Maistries at 2 Ps each	6	1			
489 Miles at 4 3/8 Ps Fr 10 miles Ps Bullock	14 11 65	5 11 65			
at 1-40-40 Ps Bullocks	5 31 40	2 2 46			
at 1 1/2 Ps Fr Month.	97 22 40	41 35 29			
at 2 Ps Fr Month.	2				
at 1 1/2 Ps Do	27 42 60	11 4 4			
Do Do	57	24 19 23			
Do Do	88 22 40	37 41 65			
Do Do	58 22 40	25 3 17			
Do Do	4	1 32 12			
Do Do	3 11 20	1 17 56			
Do Do	40 40	17 29			
Do Do	3	1 12 69			
	1183 25 40	475 15 76	347 28 6	471 38 45	399 10 39

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Date	Divisions or Stations	No. of Mustrs	No. of Bearers	No. of Carriages	No. of Cattle	Period or distance for which Employed.	Rate P. Trip or for Time.	Amount
	Brought Over							708 9 44
1811	Northern Division.							
August	Masulipatam					6 " 20 Days	3 Rs. pr. Month.	3 19 23
					1	Chandy 18 Do.	3 Ps. Do.	1 36 "
					1	Petty. Do.	2 Ps. Do.	1 9 "
	Vizagapatam					1 " 3 Month 24 days	3 Rs. Do.	3 11 45
	Ganjam					2 " To Masulipatam 405 Miles	3 7/2 Rs. pr. Trip.	4 12 68
Sept.	Northern Division					16 " To Secunderabad	4 Rs. Do.	132 25 57
					1	Chandy " 28 Days	3 Rs. pr. Month	2 13 40
					2	Petty. " Do.	2 Ps. Do.	3 3 "
						2 " 29 Do.	3 Rs. Do.	1 29 44
						21 " 11 Do.	Do.	6 26 76
						178 " 1 Month.	Do.	152 25 56
						5 " 18 Days	Do.	2 25 57
						7 " 26 Do.	Do.	5 8 79
						3 " 15 Do.	Do.	1 12 68
						72 " 1 Month 8 days	4 Rs. pr. Month.	104 9 56
						14 " 28 Days	Do.	14 41 76

Carried Over.

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Forwarded for the same service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Amount actually Disbursed by the Commissariat.	Amount which the same Cargo would have cost according to the prime rates of hire	Total. Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
	1183 25 40	475 15 76	3479 28 6	747 38 45	3992 10 39
at 1/2 Pd each p Mo	6 " "	2 25 57			
1 Maistry p Mo	2 " "	" 9 "			
1 Do for 18 Days	1 9 "	" " "			
at 1/2 Pd p Mo	5 31 40	2 19 75			
3.42.15 p Bk at 4 3/8 p for 10 Miles on 405 Miles	7 39 30	3 26 42			
at 2.27 p Bk	301 27 "	169 1 23			
2 Maistries for 52 Do at 2 Pd each p Mo	6 42 "	1 25 40			
at 1/2 Pd p Mo	2 40 40	1 10 76			
Do Do	11 24 60	4 42 64			
Do Do	267 " "	114 19 24			
Do Do	4 22 40	1 11 63			
Do Do	9 4 40	3 10 41			
Do Do	2 11 20	" 63 32			
Do Do	136 30 "	32 26 24			
Do Do	19 27 "	4 30 4			

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Date	Stations.	Divisions or	Brought Over.	Lenis or distance for which Em. played.	Rate p. Diem or for Time.	Amount.
			23 .. 10 Days	8 Bullocks at 4 Rs. p. M. = 32 Rs. 21 Bullocks at 3 Rs. p. M. = 76. 34	10	8 46
			.. 1 .. 1 Month 5 days	4 Rs	Do	1 15 ..
			1 Cloudy 38 Days ..	3 Rs	p. Month	3 36 ..
			2 Petty .. Do ..	2	Do	5 3 ..
			.. 5 . 12 Do ..	3 Rs	Do	1 32 11
			.. 1 .. 1 Month ..	3 Rs	Do	.. 38 45
October	Masulipatam		.. 11 .. 28 days	3 Rs	Do	8 36 ..
			.. 23 .. 6 Do ..		Do	3 42 33
			.. .. 33 .. 1 Month		Do	28 12 68
			.. 9 .. 25 Days	3 Rs	Do	6 19 23
			.. 12 .. To Vizagapatam	4½ Rs & p. Trip		1 4 25 57
			.. 35 .. To Secundenabad	4 Rs	Do	10 .. ..
	Vizagapatam		.. 71 .. 1 Month ..	3 Rs	p. Month	60 38 45
			1 Petty .. Do ..	2 Rs	Do	2 .. ..
			.. 6 .. From to Barampore	5 Rs & p. Trip		5 32 11
	Chicacole		.. .. 11 .. To Vizagapatam	1¼ Rupees	Do	3 11 62
			Carried Over 16 . 578 .			1346 28 70

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Former rate for the same Service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Total. Amount actually disbursed by the Commissariat	Amount which the same Carriage would have cost according to the former rates of hire	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.
at 1/2 Pd. p. Mo.	16 22 40	6 13 4			
Do. Do.	1 33 60	" 18 60			
3 Maistries at 2 Pd. p. Mo.	6	2 9 ..			
2 Do. for 38 D. each.	5 3 ..	.. .. ..			
at 1/2 Pd. Do.	3 .. .	1 12 69			
Do. Do.	1 22 40	.. 28 75			
Do. Do.	15 18 ..	6 27 ..			
Do. Do.	6 40 40	2 43 7			
Do. Do.	19 22 40	21 9 52			
Do. Do.	11 11 20	4 36 77			
at 1.40.40 @ p. Lascr.	22 36 ..	8 10 23			
at 2.27 p. Bullock	91	34 .. "			
at 1/2 Pd. p. Mo.	106 22 40	43 28 75			
at 2 Pd. Do.	2	.. .. ..			
at 1.31.40 p. Bk.	6 36 .	1 36 9			
at 27 p. Do. p. Bk.	6 27 .	2 30 18			
	2321 6 30	974 22 40	3679 28 6	1671 38 45	2492 10 39

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Date	Divisions or Stations	Men Mustered	Men off Strength Sundays	Men off Cumly Cards	Period or distance for which Employed.	Rate p. Trip or per Diem.	Amount.
	Brought Over 16 .. 178						1346 28/0
1811.	Northern Division.						
Nov.r	Masulipatam	42			1 Month	3 Rd.s p.r Month.	35 44/9
		34			To Chicacole 284 miles	5/4 Rd.s p.r Trip.	54 .. ..
		1			To Vizagapatam	Do.	1 22 10
	Vizagapatam	71			1 Month.	3 Rd.s p.r Month.	60 38 45
	1 Petty				Do	2 Ps. Do.	2 .. ..
		17	1726				1497 44/4
1811	For the Carriage of the Sick.						
July.	Vizagapatam	3			To Masulipatam	12/2 Rd.s p.r trip.	10 32 11
Sept.r	Northern Division	14			1 Month 18 Days	3/2 Rd.s p.r Mo.	27 38/9
		17	14	1726.3			38 26 10

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	Former rate for the same Service as expressed in the first Column.	Amount.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Annuitae actually disbursed by the Commissariat.	Amount which the annuitants would have cost according to the former rate of hire.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat
				Total.		
		2321 6 30	976 22 40	3479 28 6	7471 38 45	3992 10 39
at 1/2 Ps. D. Month.		63 " "	27 " 1			
2-18 " Do. Bullock		81 27 "	30 27			
at 2 Ps. Do. Do.		2 " "	" 22 40			
at 1/2 Ps. D. Month.		106 22 40	45 28 75			
at 2 Ps. D. Do		2 " "	" "			
		2576 10 70	1078 10 76	1497 44 74	2576 10 70	1078 10 76
at 9. 22. 40 Ps. Cart.		28 22 40	17 35 29			
at 2. 8. " Ps. No.		38 27 69	10 33 70			
		67 5 29	28 24 19	38 25 10	67 5 29	28 24 19
				3015 9 10	10715 9 64	5099 " 54

E. E. E.

Signed W. Morrison

Comy. General.

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Abstract of the foregoing Statement shewing the Amount of Actual saving on the amount of Hired Cattle and Carts in the Undermentioned Divisions, from the 1st December 1810, to the 30th November 1811, being the first 12 Months of the operations of the Commissariat.

	Amount Accordg to the former rates.	Amount Actually disbursed Accordg to the new rates.	Difference in favor of the Commissariat.	Differences P. Cent.
Presidency Division	17734 4 72	12805 33 1	4928 16 71	38½
Southern Division	7026 33 34	4947 39 30	2078 39 4	42
Northern Division	10115 9 64	5016 9 10	5099 . 54	101⅝
Total	34876 3 10	22769 36 41	12106 11 49	53⅛

Commissary Gen.l Office
Fort St. George
13th October 1812

E. E.
(Signed) W. Morrison
Com.y Gen.l

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Appendix N 5

The following is a proposal given by Tremengudom Moodeliar for the supply of hired Draught and Carriage Bullocks for the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.

I do hereby propose to enter into a Contract for providing draught and Carriage Bullocks for the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force on the following terms.—

1.st The whole of the Draught and Carriage Bullocks which will be required by the force, are to be supplied by me when it is halting or marching, and I engage to provide them at the rates herein specified the Bullocks being under my own management and Contract.—

2 The draught Bullocks while station-=nary are to be paid at the rate of 6½ arcot rupees and at 7 rupees when marching.—

3.d The Carriage Bullocks for the conveyance of the General and Regimental Stores Camp Equipage &c. are to be paid at the rate of 4 Arcot Rupees per Bullock moving by while stationary and

and 5 Rupees in the field, allowing one Maistry whe-
-ther in Cantonment, or in the field per every hundred
bullocks at the rate of 2 Pagodas each per month.—

4th The carriage bullocks for the
conveyance of Provisions Grain &c. are to be paid at
the rate of 4 arcot Rupees per Bullock monthly
while stationary and at 5 Rupees in the field which
will be provided with bags each carrying eighty
seers making myself answerable for the quantities
of grain delivered, taking the regulated allowance for
the wastage of half a seer per month on each bul
-lock load in marching.-

5 Notice is to be given for
the number of extra bullocks which will be
required by the force fifteen days before its move-
-ment or as early as possible. The necessary advances
should also be made which are to be recovered in
the usual manners.—

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6th The Contract should be granted for the space of ten years or such time as the Government may think proper that there will be no disturbance before the expiration of my engagement.—

7th One drivers for every three carriage bullocks and one for every two draught bullocks shall be employed by me agreeably to the practice which has hitherto been continued.—

8th I shall lodge either one Lack (100000) of arcot Rupees in the Honorable Companys Treasury or such sum as the Government may wish to have as a responsibility for the full performance of my Engagements.—

Madras
7th September 1812

(Signed) Swaminadien Moodeliar

(True Copy of Translate)
(Signed) W. Morison
Comm. Genl.

Statement

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Statement Shewing the difference between the charges incurred by Tanjore and that proposed by Travancore Moodeliars while the Force is stationary and in the Field.

Pay.t F C Pay.t F C

Charges by Tanjore while Stationary

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817 Draught Bullocks including the spare Bullocks one to every six
at 2 Pagodas and 8 fanams per Bullock monthly ..... 1779 11 "

1208 Carriage Bullocks for the Ordnance, Provision Sick and Camp
Equipage &c. at 1½ Pagodas per month including the spare Bul-
locks one to every six ..... 1812 " " "

35 Maistries attached to Do ..... 70 " " "

998 Carriage Bullocks for the Cavalry at 5 a Rupees per month inclu-
ding spare Bullocks one to every eight 1425 32 10

Wastage charges for the Bullocks employed in the Grain Department

at 1/n Seek per Load and at the rate of 8 ... A Rupees per Bullock on

10 Mercalls 28 25 56

Totals per Month 5115 23 66

Charges proposed by Teroovengadom Moodeliar

817 Draught Bullocks at 6½ - A Rupees per Bullock 1517 12 68

1208 Carriage Bullocks for the Ordnance, Provision, Sick, Camp Equipage

&c. at 4 - A Rupees P Bullock 1380 25 56

28 Maistries attached to the above ..... 42 " "

998 Carriage Bullocks for the Cavalry at 4 - A Rupees per Month

including the Gunny Bags 1140 25 56

2580 19 20

Difference per month Pagodas 1035 4 46

Do. for one year 12,425 9 72

Or arcot Rupees 43,474 3 38

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Received 6 Nov.r 1812

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Charges by Saubahs in Field

The insertion of the particulars of those charges appears here to be unnecessary, as the number of Bullocks and Rates, are same in Field as in Peace ..... Pagodas 5115 23 66

Charges by Sherengada Moodeliars in the Field

of Draught Bullocks at 2 Pagodas per Bullock monthly ..... 1634 " "

1208 Carriage Bullocks for the Ordnance, Provision Sick Camp Equipage &c.a at 2 Rupees each Bullock including Gunnies for the Bullocks which may be employed only for the Grains 1725 32 16

28 Maistries attached to the above ..... 42 " "

998 Carriage Bullocks for the Cavalry at 5 A.. Rupees per month including Gunnies 1425 32 16

Wastage Charges for Bullocks employed in the Grain Department at 5/8 Seers per Load at 8 Rupees per Bullock or 10 Mercalls 9 1922 4,836 38 42

Difference p.r Month 278 30 24

Do. for one Year Pag.s ... 3344 3 48

On Arcot Rupees ... 11,704 3 48

Commissary Generals office
Fort St. George
13.th October 1812. —

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Sr.
, Signed, W. Morison
Commy Genl.

Fort St. George 13th October 1812

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Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

No 28.
order thereon.

ordered that Copies of
the foregoing Reports be transmit-
=ted to the Honorable the Court
of Directors by the present dis-
=patch. —

To George Strachey Esq.
Secretary of Government
in the

No 29. —

Military Department.

Sir,

From the
Acting Surveyor
General — Inc-
=closing an In-
=dent for Colour
boxes, Brushes,
&c. required
for the use of
the Military
Institution. —

In obedience to the
orders of the Government conveyed
to me in your letter of the 4th Inst-
=tant I have the honor to enclose
an Indent on the Honorable the
Court of Directors for the Colours
and Brushes required for the
Military Institution, towards which
I have

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Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

Sir

I have taken the liberty of adding a small Quantity of Drawing Paper and Black Lead Pencils required for the use of the Surveyor Genl's Office, which I hope will meet with the approval of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servt

/Signed/ St. Morison.

Actg. Surveyr. General.

Indent

Thadeus
12th October 1812

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Indent on the Honorable Court of Directors for Drawing Paper, Pencils, Colours &c required for the service of the Surveyor Generals Department at Fort St George, and the Military Institution

Articles.		No	Remarks
Paper.			
Elephant Paper Drawing	Reams	4	
Imperial Paper Do	Do	2	
Royal Paper Do	Do	2	
Black Lead Pencils	Dozen	50	
Colors.			
Lake		50	
Carmine		50	
Gamboge		50	
Prussian Blue		50	
Do Green		50	
Burnt terra de Sienna		50	
Light Red		50	
Vermillion		50	
Camel Hair Brushes	Dozen	10	These brushes should be chiefly of the middle size some large ones

Surveyor Generals office,
12th October 1812.

/Signed/ A. Wilson
Surveyor Genl

/A true Copy/

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Fort St George 14th October 1812.

To

George Strachey Esqr.

Secretary to Government

in the

Military Department

No. 20.

Sir,

From the Judge advocate Genl forwarding trials for transmission to England.

I have the honor to send you for transmission to the Honorable Court of Directors, Copies of the following Trials of Officers by General Courts Mar-

tial of Captain Kent 15th Regiment N.I.

of Mr Asst. Surgeon McDonald 13th Regt. N.I.

of Lieut. Harkness 13th Regt N.I.

of Lieut. Newell 11th Regt N.I.

of Lieut Binny & Lieut Farmer 4th Regiment Native Infantry.

of Lieutenant Higgins 17th Regt N.I.

of Lieutenant Dyce 24th Regt N.I.

of Lieutenant Bishop 19th Regt N.I.

Trial

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Trial of Lieutenant Bell 10th Regt N.I.
" of Lieutenant Hoofstetter 3 Regt N.I.

Fort St George
13th Octr 1812.

Signed J Smith.
Judge Advocate Genl

To George Strachey Esqr
Secretary to Government in the
Military Department

No 31.

Sir,

I have the honor to send
for transmission to the Honorable
the Court of Directors the following
Trials —

Trial of Captain A. Brown Veteran Bn
" " Mr Assistant Surgeon —
Boardman ..... Severs. —
" " Ensign Hodgett Veteran Bn

Fort St George
17th Octr 1812. —

Signed J Smith
J A G —

From the Judge
Advocate General
Enclosing trials
for transmission
to England.

Ordered

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Fort St. George 17th October 1812.-

No. 32.

Order thereon.

ordered that the enclosures of the foregoing Letters be transmitted numbers in the Packet by the present Dispatch.—

Read the following letter from the Town Major of Fort St. Georgen—

To The Chief Secretary to Government Fort St. George.

No. 33.

Sir,

From the Town Major of Fort St George submitting a letter from Mr. Wigan, late Lieut. in the Company's Service, requesting permission to remain in India for a further period

I have the honor to submit for the Consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council a Letter received from Mr. Wigan late a Lieutenant in the Service of the Honble Company.—

I have the honor to be &c.

Town Major's Office, Fort St George. 14th Oct. 1812.

Signd/ S. Fraser T. M.

To

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Fort St. George 17th October 1812.

To The Town Major

Fort St. George.

Sir,

In reply [illegible] several letters directing me to proceed to [illegible] I have the honor to inform you that the same reasons exist as before given, in addition to which I have since obtained a copy of my Court Martial and the Papers relative to Lieutenant Colonel Walls [illegible] al proceedings are now before Council, so that I trust the trial will be over by next Sessions; and I have to beg the indulgence of being allowed to remain in Fort till then.- I now really have not the money to proceed home, but I have not a doubt but that upon my friends in England receiving my dispatches (of which I duly advise them) they will send me out Money for that purpose.- I have the honor to remain,

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

J. W. Rigan -

Commander in Chief's Dispatches

Madras

17th Oct. 1812. -

(Signed)

Ordered that the following be dispatched.

To

The Town Major of Fort St. George

Sir,

I am Directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 17th Instant, and to acquaint you that Mr. Rigan is permitted to remain at this Presidency until the Departure of the

No. 34.

To the Town Major of Fort St. George.

Mr. Rigan is permitted to remain at this Presidency until the departure of the next Packet.

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Of the next Fleet

Fort St. George
17th October 1812

I am &c. &c.
Signed / G. Strachey
Secy to Govt

Extd / Strachey

" G. A. Barlow
" A. Rutherfurd
" Oakes
" Jas. W. Cassamajor

M. D. Office Set
Comp. Sept. 5/12
Regd 107. Copr
Secy for Thompson

List of Papers, Resolutions, and Orders recorded in the following Diary and Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department dated 20th October 1812

Consult. &c.	Miscellaneous Book &c.		Dates
		Diary	
1	"	From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief	16th October 1812
2	"	Proceedings of the Medical Board	12th do do
3	"	From the Military Auditor General	15th do do
4	"	From the Commissary General	9th do do
5	"	From the British Envoy at Goa	2 do do
75		From the Medical Board	12th do do
76		From the Military Board	1st do do
77		From the do do	26th Sept. do
78		From the Envoy at Goa	26th do do
79		From the Officer Commanding the Force at Goa	3d Octr. do
80		To the Commander of the Honorable Company's Ship Lady Castlereagh	17th do do
			From

Consult No	Book No		Date
6	"	From the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army	19th Octr 1812
7	"	From the Secretary to the Marine Board	19th do do
8	"	To the Lieutenant Governor of Fort St. George	19th do do
81		From the Military Auditor General	19th do do
82		From the Military Auditor Genl	19th do do
83		To the Marine Board	19th do do
84		To the Military Auditor General	19th do do
85		To the Commander of the Ship Earl St. Vincent	19th do do
86		To the Commander of the Ship Dover Castle	19th do do

Consultation

9	"	President's Minute	16th do do
10	"	Do	20th do do
11	"	Do	20th do do
12	"	Resolution and Order thereon	
13	"	From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief	13th do do
14	"	Resolution thereon	

From

Fo. Sec. Cons. 7. Oct. 1812

Consult Misc'lly Book No	No		Dates
	15	" From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief	13th Octr do
	16	" From Do Do	16th do do
	17	" Proceedings of the Medical Board	9th do do
	18	" Do of Do Do	12th do do
	19	" From the Adjutant General of the Army	15th do do
	20	" Resolution thereon.	
	21	" From the Adjutant General of the Army	15th do do
	22	" Resolution thereon	
	23	From the Quarter Master General of the army	15th do do
	24	" Order thereon	
	25	" To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William	20th do do
	26	" From the Medical Board	16th do do
	27	" To the Medical Board	20th do do
	28	" From the Military Board	28th Sept. do
	29	" Memorial and Resolution thereon	
	30	" From the Military Board	28th do do

Order

Consult Faculty
No Book
No

Date

6 " From the Deputy Auditor General of the Navy ... 19th Octr 1812

7 " From the Secretary to the Admiralty Board ... 19th do ... do

8 " To the Lord Mayor of Fort St George 19th do ... do

81 From the Military Auditor General 19th do ... do

82 From the Military Auditor Genl 19th do ... do

83 To the Marine Board ... 19th do ... do

84 To the Military Auditor General 19th do ... do

85 To the Commander of the Ship Earl St Vincent ... 19th do ... do

86 To the Commander of the Ship Dover Castle ... 19th do ... do

Consultation

9 " President's Minute ... 16th do ... do

10 " Do ... 20th do ... do

11 " Do ... 20th do ... do

12 " Resolution and Order thereon ... —!

13 " From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief ... 13th do ... do

14 " Resolution thereon ...

From

Consult Miscellaneous Book No	No		Dates
	15	" From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief	13th Octr do
	16	" From Do Do	16th do do
	17	" Proceedings of the Medical Board	9th do do
	18	" Do of Do	Do 12th do do
	19	" From the Adjutant General of the Army	15th do do
	20	" Resolution thereon.	
	21	" From the Adjutant General of the Army	16th do do
	22	" Resolution thereon	
	23	From the Quarter Master General of the army	15th do do
	24	" Order thereon	
	25	" To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William	20th do do
	26	" From the Medical Board	16th do do
	27	" To the Medical Board	20th do do
	28	" From the Military Board	26th Sept. do
	29	" Minute and Resolution thereon	
	30	" From the Military Board	26th do do

Orders

Consult. No	Miscellany Book No		Dates
	31	" Order thereon	
	32	" From the Military Board	26th do do
	33	" Resolution thereon	
	34	" From the Military Board	1st Octr do
	35	" Resolution thereon	
	36	" From the Military Auditor Genl	
		Do	7th Octr do
	37	" Resolution thereon	
	38	" From the Military Auditor Genl	7th do do
	39	" Minute and Resolution thereon	
	40	" From the Military Auditor Genl	8th do do
	41	" Minute thereon	
	42	" From the Military Auditor Genl	9th do do
	43	" Minute and Order thereon	
	44	" From the Military Auditor Genl	10th do do

Resolution

Consutt Nos.	Miscellany Book Nos		Dates
45	"	Resolution and Order thereon	
46	"	From the Military Auditor General	13th do do
47A	"	Order thereon.	
47B	"	To the Chief Secretary to the Gov- ernment at Colombo	20th do do
48	"	Order thereon	
49	"	From the Commissary General	8th do do
50	"	Order thereon.	
51	"	To the Commissary General	20th do do
52	"	From the Accountant General	16th do do
53	"	From the Town Major of Fort St. George	14th do do
54	"	Order thereon.	
55	"	To the Solicitor of the Honorable Company	25th do do
56	"	From the Town Major of Fort St. George	10th do do
57	"	Order thereon	
58		From the Secretary to the Government at Fort Williams	26th Sept do
59	"	From Do Do	26 do do

Consult Secretly Book

No.	No.		Date
60	"	From the British Envoy at Goa	2 Octr do
61	"	From Do Do Do	9th do do
62	"	Order thereon	
63	"	From the Secretary to the Govern ment of Bombay	30th do do
64		Order thereon	
65		From Lames Brigons private Soldier	10th April do
66	"	Order thereon	
67	"	To Messrs Coll. Hart & Weston & Co Officiating Prize Agents for the Captors of Pondicherry	20th Octr do
68	"	To the Commander in Chief	20th do do

Diary

15,606 Fort St. George 20 October 1812

19th Duty

Received the following

Letters

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward proceedings of the Medical Board dated the 12th Instant and enclosing Copy of Letter from the Staff Surgeon of the Field force under Lieutenant Colonel Doose, I have been directed by the Commander in Chief to request, may be laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council as containing a very satisfactory report of the State of Health which

N.1
From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.
Submitting proceedings of the Medical Board, and accompanying letter from the Staff Surgeon with the force under Lieut. Colonel Doose relative to the health of the Troops.

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Fort S. Georges 12th October 1812

Sir

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
Signed Hugh Scott
Maj Secretary

Fort S. Georges
16th Oct 1812

Sir

I have the honor to transmit to your Excellency the Proceedings of a Medical Board assembled at this Post on the 12th Inst. for the purpose of examining into the state of health of the Troops composing that Force and to report whether in their opinion any of the Troops could be removed to a more healthy situation with advantage to the service.

The Board have accordingly assembled and have the honor to report that they are of opinion that the Troops composing that Force continue to enjoy as healthy a state of health as can be expected in a Climate and Season so unfavorable as the present.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Excellency's
most obedient
humble Servant
Signed Thos. Sumter
Lieut Colonel
Commanding

His Excellency
Major General Pinckney
Commanding the Southern Division
Charleston

No 2
Proceedings of the Medical Board - Submitting Letter from the Staff Surgeon with the force under Lieutenant Colonel Sumter reporting favorably as to the health of the Troops.

Medical Board
12th Oct. 1812

The Medical Board met at the request of Lieutenant Colonel Sumter for the purpose of examining into the state of health of the Troops under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Sumter.

This being an Official Report of the very healthy state of the troops on actual Service Empirically as well as Nature, the Medical Board are pleased that it will prove highly satisfactory.

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Satisfactory to this Evening.

(Signed) Alex.r Watson M.D.
President Med.l Board

(Signed) Henry Harris M.D.
2.d Member Med.l Board

To Alexander Watson Esqre M.D.
President and Members of the
Medical Board

Gentlemen,

I have much pleasure in stating to the Board that the Troops both European and Native on this Camp continue in excellent health. No Casualty has occurred in the Fourth Regiment, the Two that appear on the returns having taken place one at Bellary, in His Majesty's 58.th previous to the Movement of the Force and the other in a Squadron of the 25.th Dragoons on its March from Bangalore about

three

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Camp 12 Miles
E. of Darwar 3 Octr
1812

three Weeks before it joined this detachment

I have the honor to be

Your &c.

Signed Wm. Fallowfield

Asst Surgeon

Lt. Col. Dowse's detachment

True Copy

Signed Wm. Norman

Secy Med Board

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

N3
From the Military Auditor general to Govt
Sept Cobbett's
letter from the
Paymaster at Goa
stating that
Lieutenant Cunningham of the 2d
13 Regiment Native
Infantry has paid
the Balance due
by him on account
of the purchase
of Sprunt's Captain
in that Corps

Honble Sir

By the Minutes of your Honble Council under date the 15th ultimo, I am directed to report the balance which may remain due by Lieutenant Cunningham of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry on account of the purchase

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certain articles of property captured in Travancore which Instructions having been communicated to the Paymaster at Goa with a view of enabling me to comply with your directions, I have now the honor to transmit an extract of a letter from the Paymaster under date the 3rd instant by which it appears that Lieutenant Cunningham has paid into his Office the sum of Pa. 225 ... being the amount of the sales due by him on this account

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

Mily Acct. Genl's Office
Fort St. George
15th Octr 1812

Extract of a Letter from the Secretary Paymaster at Goa to the Secretary Auditor General. Dated 3 October 1812

"I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the

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the 22d September 1812, transmitting an Extract from the Minutes of Council under date the 16th ultimo, and to inform you that Lieutenant C. Cunningham of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry has paid into this Office the Sum of Star Pagodas 225-"-" in liquidation of the Amount he states to be due by him for the purchase of Public property captured at Bangalore.

/True Extract/

/Signd/ D Bruce

M. A. Genl

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government in the

Military Department

No 4
From the Commissary General stating that the Commissary General in Bengal has been charged of the arrears of the Land at Hyderabad which were sent from Cawnpore

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th ultimo forwarding for my information and guidance

an

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an Extract from the Proceedings of the Governor in Council of that date, and with reference to the Observation recorded on my report of the 15th of September, I beg leave to State that the Commissary General at Fort William was apprized of the favorable report which was recived respecting the quality and Condition of the Camels Consigned from Bengal, by a letter which I addressed to him on the 22d of August and which was forwarded to him in the usual manner, a Copy of this letter have now the honor to transmit for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obt Servt
(Signed) H Morrison
Comptroller

To

Fort St. George
3 October 1812.

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To The Commissary General
Fort William

Sir,

I am acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 21st of April last, I have the honor to inform you that ninety six of the Camels dispatched from Cawnpore on the 27th of March have arrived at Hydrabad, four casualties having occurred during the Journey.

2. On the arrival of these Animals at Hydrabad, they were inspected by a Committee of Officers, and I have much satisfaction in transmitting to you a copy of the proceedings of this Committee reporting in the most favorable terms as to their general appearance and very superior quality.

3. The Officer of this department at Hydrabad had been duly furnished

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furnished with my instructions to release the whole of the attendants attached to the Camels, immediately on their arri=val at that place, but a proportion of those attendants having declined em=ployment, that Officer consented to their request without referring to me. Adverting however to the wish expressed in the fourth paragraph of your letter now under reply, and considering that arrangements might have been made for the subsistence of their families during their absence, I have deemed it expedient to retain any of them in the Service on this es=tablishment and order, have according=ly been given for the relief of such as may have remained

4 I beg leave to request that you will have the goodness to

furnish

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furnish me at your earliest Convenience
with a Statement of the Cost of the
Camels including all Charges; and I
avail myself of this Opportunity of ex=
pressing my wish to be favored with
the Invoices of Canvas, as requested in
Letter which had the honor of addres=
sing to you under date the 4th of June
last.

Fort St. George
22d August 1812

I have the honor to be
&c &c
Signed H. Harrison

To George Strachey Esqre
Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Comy General

No 5
From the British Envoy
at Goa - Enclosing
Copy of a dispatch
from the Govt at
Bombay by which
it appears that
the hostilities of the
Mogul by Egypt
must Comfort be
accommodated on
board

Sir,

I have the honor to trans=
mit to you for the information of
the Honorable the Governor Copy of
a

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Board the Lord Duncans Intimation of this has been made to the Officer Commanding at Goa.-

I have a dispatch from yesterday received from the Secretary to Government Bombay, and further to acquaint you that I have furnished the Officer Commanding the Auxiliary Force with a Copy of the same.

Camp at Madras
2d October 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most obedient
humble Servant
Signed C. Schuyler
Envoy

To Captain C. Schuyler
Envoy at Goa

Sir,

In reference to a Communication received from the Madras Government requesting Conveyance to England might be provided in the Lord Duncan if proper for the Invalids of His Majesty's 69th Regiment at Goa, and desiring that intimation might be given to you whether or not

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not the Arrangement could be effected, I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, to transmit to you, the accompanying Copy of a Letter from His Excellency the Commander in Chief at this Presidency dated the 21st Instant, from which you will perceive it will not be in the power of this Government to afford the Accommodation required, unless some unexpected Opportunity should occur of which you will receive early intimation.

I am

Bombay Castle
24th Sept. 1812

Sir
Your Most Obedt
Hble Servt
(Signed) J Farish
Secy to Govt

(A true)
(Signed) C. Schuyler
Envoy

&c &c &c

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The Right Honorable

Sir Evan Nepean Bart

President and Governor in Council

Honble Sir,

I am honored with your Commands Conveyed to me in your Secretary's letter under date the 19th Instant, desiring to be informed of the Number of Invalids of this Establishment for whom a passage will be required to England on the Lord Duncan.

The Periods not yet arrived for the usual annual Reports from Corps of the Number of Invalids to be sent home this Season, but as there are Six European Corps serving under this Presidency, I have every reason to believe from former experience that one Ship will not be able to accommodate the Number that will be furnished

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Invalided or discharged to be sent to Europe,
but if any Opportunity by extra Shipping
should present itself, which I am not
at present aware, the Invalids of His
Majesty's 69th Regiment may probably
in that case be furnished with ac-
commodation to England

Bombay
21 September 1812

I have the honor to be
Your
Your
Your

Signed John Abercrombie
Lt. General

Received and sent the
following letters entered in M B No 76.
76-77-78-79-80.

From the Medical Board.

From the Medical Board
reporting that one John Westfall, was, at
the instance of the Town Major examined,
and that having been found to be deran
ged he was recommended as a fit object
for the Lunatic Asylum.

Town

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From the Military Board.

From the Military Board

The necessary Orders have been given in consequence of the Letters of the 25th 26th and 29th ultimo. The Board will shortly submit their sentiments relative to the drains on the Esplanade adverted to in the Letter of the 28th ultimo.

From Ditto

From Ditto stating

that their report upon the distribution of Barrack at Military Stations will be speedily transmitted.

From the Envoy at Goa

From the Envoy at Goa acknowledging the receipt of a Letter relative to recent movements of Corps.

From the Officer Commanding the Forces at Goa.

From the Officer Commanding the Forces at Goa enclosing Copy of a Division order issued prescribing the Ceremonials to be observed in Consequence of the death of His

Majesty

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To

Right Hon.ble Sir Pedro Inyarete of Spain.

To the Commander of the Honble Company's Ship Lady Castlereagh

To Captain Simpson. Directing him to receive on board, as Charter party passengers to England the men specified in a list enclosed.

19th

Received the following letters.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St George

No

I am directed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief to request that you will submit to the Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying application from Captain G. L. Nixon of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, soliciting permission to proceed to England on leave of absence for three years.

I have the honor to be.

Sir

Your most obedient

humble Servant

Signed J. H. S. Conway

Adjt Genl of the army

To

Adj Gen Office
Fort St George
19th Octr 1812

No

From the Assistant Genral of the army submitting application from Captain Nixon of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, soliciting permission to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years.

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To the Honorable

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

Governor in Council

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

Fort St. George

Hon'ble Sir,

I request the favor of your Honorable Board to have the goodness to grant me permission to proceed to Europe on Furlough for 3 years, on one of the Ships now under dispatch.

Madras

17th October 1812

I have the honor &c.a

(Signed) G. Watson

Capt.r

To the Chief Secretary to Govern.t

at Fort St. George

Sir,

I am directed by the Marine Board to acknowledge the receipt of your Secretary

No.

From the Secretary to the Marine Board. The Commander of the Dover Castle has been ordered to provide me.

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Mr. O'Reilly with a passage to England, as it necessary that he should have a Cabin to himself the Board recommend that 1500 Rupees be paid for his passage.

Secretary Strachey's letter of the 15th Instant, was read to report for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the Commander of the Honorable Company's Ship Dover Castle had been ordered to provide Mr. O'Reilly with a passage to England. In Consideration of the circumstances under which Mr. O'Reilly embarks which render it necessary that a Seperate Cabin should be allotted for his accommodation the Board are of Opinion that the Sum of Rupees 1,500 should be paid for his passage.

Fort S. George
19th October 1812

I have the honor to be &c.
(Signed) J. Gwatkin
Secretary

Sent the following Letter

To The Town Mayor
of Fort S. George

Sir,

No. 8
To the Town Mayor of Fort St George — He is authorized to draw 1500 Rupees for passage Money for Mr. O'Reilly, and the usual

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to furnish for your information

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subsistence for
nths; the amount
h is to be entrusted
mmander of the
stle and to be
d to Mr. O'Reilly
rival in England.

information and guidance the enclosed Copy of a Letter from the Marine Board, and to acquaint you that authority has been given for advancing to you the sum of one thousand Five Hundred Rupees to be paid to the Commander of the Honorable Company's Ship Dover Castle for the passage of Mr. O'Reilly on board that Ship to England.

You are also authorized to draw on account of Mr. O'Reilly the usual Subsistence for Six Months, the amount of which you will deliver to the Commander of the Dover Castle for the use of Mr. O'Reilly on his arrival in England.

In addition to the instructions already furnished to you on this subject, I am directed to desire that Mr. O'Reilly may be recommended to the particular care of the Commander

of

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19th Octr 1812

Sir

I am &c. &c.
I Signed J. Strachey
Secy to Govt.

Received and sent the follow-
ing Letters entered in M.B. Nos 31. 32. 33-
34. 35. 36.

From the Military Auditor General

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce - Reports on the additional Amount of Cash required by the Paymaster on Bry-
-ore.

From Ditto
Co
19.

From Ditto - Reports on the General Statute of Cash required for the payment of the Army for November -

To the Marine Board - &c. -

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do.

-closing for the Board's information Copy of a Letter addressed to the Town Major on the Subject of Mr O'Reilly's passage to England -

To the Military
Aud. Genl.

To the Military Auditor
General

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General — Enclosing Copy of a Letter addressed to the Town Major of Fort St. George —

To Captain Pascall — Directing him to receive on board as Charter Party Passengers to England the under specified in a list enclosed.

To the Commander of the Ship Earl St. Vincent.

To Captain Richardson — Directing him to receive on board a Box Containing Patterns of a Bungaret and Rowar and to deliver them to the Secretary at the India House —

To the Commander of the Ship Dover Castle.

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At a Consultation

Present

The Honorable

Sir G. H. Barlow Bt. & K. B.

Governor and President

His Excellency

Lieutenant Genl. Sir S. Auchmuty K.B.

Commander in Chief

Tuesday the

20th October, 1812 Thomas Oakes

and

J. H. Casamayor } Esqrs.

Minutes of last Consultation

read and approved.

The President records the

following Minutes

No 9

President's Minute proposing that Ensign Darby 2d Batt. 2 Regiment Native Infantry do duty with the escort of the Resident at Hyderabad—

The President proposes the

following appointment—

Ensign W. J. Darby of

the 1st Battalion 2d Regiment Native

Infantry

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Infantry to do duty with the Escort of the
Resident at Hyderabad

(Signed) G. H. Barlow

Secretary.

Fort St. George
16th October 1812

The President recommends
the following appointments.

No 10
President's Minute.
Proposing various
Military appoint-
ments.

Lieutenant John Scott of
the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry
to be Assistant Adjutant General of
the Army vice Balmain

Captain G. Jackson of
the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry
to be Quarter Master of Brigade
on the Ceded Districts vice Scott.

Lieutenant C. B. M. Johnston of the 20 Regiment of Native Infantry to be Brigade Major on the Southern Division of the Army vice Jackson

Lieutenant John Little
of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry

&c.

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To be assistant in the Office of the Adjutant General of the Army vice Johnston.

Lieutenant W. Marshall
of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry
to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion, vice
Johnston.

Lieutenant S. M. Cornick
to be Adjutant of the 1st Battalion of the 17th
Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Mar-
tin.

No 11

Presents Principle
Proposes appoint
ment of Lieutenant
B. Blake of the 25th
Regiment Native
Infantry to be As-
sistant to the 2d
Bn. vice Young, and
of Lieutenant R.
Crewe of the same
Regiment to act
as aid de Camp
to Major General
Hard until fur-
ther orders.

The President proposes the following appointments.

Lieutenant Benjamin
Blake of the 25th Regiment Native In-
fantry, to be Adjutant to the Second Batta-
lion vice Young.

Lieutenant Richard Crewe
of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry
to act until further Orders as Aid
de Camp to Major General Hard. This
ap-

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appointment to have effect from the 22d
instt –

I Signed J. H. Barlow
Secretary
to Council

Resolved and Ordered accordingly

No 12.
Resolution and order thereon

Read the following Letter
from the Commander in Chief's Military Secretary.

To George Strachey Esqre
Secretary to Government
&ca
&ca
&ca

Fort S. George

Sir,

No 13
From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. Recommending that Major Hall be relieved from the Retrenchment Standing against him on account of that allowance –

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter to the Commander in Chief of the 8th Instant transmitting Extract from the Proceedings of Government dated the 23d ultimo, and requesting that His Excellency would record his Opinion on the application of Major Hall His Majesty's 84th Regiment

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to which these Proceedings relate —

On a due consideration of the subject before him, His Excellency has accordingly directed me to state his opinion that Major Hall seems to have a claim to receive the amount of Tent allowance which he would have drawn in Ceylon for the period in reference with his advanced Rank. That allowance His Excellency understands amounts in six Dollars to the sum of 30 Pagodas per Annum, and although a diminution of that sum would have been occasioned by the difference of exchange had it been drawn monthly by the Major on Ceylon, the Commander in Chief is not of opinion that this circumstance should affect the disbursement at this Presidency. In other words His Excellency Recommends that Major Hall be relieved entirely from the

whatsoever

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retrenchment against which he has appeales.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most

Obedt Servt

Signed H. Scott

Military Secretary

Fort S. George

13th October 1812

No 14

Resolution thereon

Resolved that the Military Auditor General be authorized to relieve Major Hall of his Majesty's 89th Regiment from the retrenchment standing against his name on account of the allowance

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government

&c &c &c

Fort S. George

Sir,

No 15

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief submitting proceedings of the Medical Board, and enclosing from the Officer Commanding the Centre Division relative to the establishment of a Lock Hospital at Arcot.

In Obedience to the Resolution of Government under date the 8th instant by which the Commander in Chief was requested in Communication with the Board of

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Medical Board to submit an arrangement for the formation of a Lock Hospital at Arcot Have been directed to request that the Accompanying Proceedings of the Medical Board dated the 9th Instant, and Letter with enclosure from the Officer Commanding the Center Division on the Subject abovementioned may be laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council.

It appears from Lieutenant Colonel Nicol's Letter that there is no building in the Vicinity of the Cantonment at Arcot which can be appropriated to the purposes of Lock Hospital, this Excellency would recommend the early erection of a Suitable building when the proposed Establishment may be carried into effect under the same Regulations which apply to the other Establishments of this

Nature

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Nature, and which are detailed by the Medical Board in their Proceedings herewith inclosed

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most
Obedt Hble Servt

Signed Hugh Scott
Paymr Depy

To the Military Secretary
To His Excellency the Commander in Chief
Fort St. George

Fort St George
13th Octr 1812

Sir,

In reply to your Letter of the 16th of September Last which I have had the honor to receive, I now inclose a Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Neale relative to a Lock Hospital recommended to be established at Cuddalore, but for which purpose there appears to be no public or other building now in the Vicinity

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Vicinity of that Station.

Head Quarters Center Division I have the honor to be

Arcot 24th Octr 1812. &c. &c.

Signed J. Hare

Major General

The Major of Brigade

To the Center Division

Sir,

In reply to your Letter of the 20th instant I beg leave to inform you for the information of the Officer Commanding the Center Division of the Army that there is no building procurable either public or Private at this Station eligible to be converted into a Lock Hospital.

Having requested Mr. Surgeon Briggs to examine the environs of the Cantonment for the purpose of finding an eligible spot for the site of a Lock Hospital

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Hospital he has reported to me a Spot which he conceives would answer the purpose, situated close to the Nullah which crosses the road leading to the high Ground of Chrisna and which some Native has lately taken possession of and enclosed without previously having obtained any permission for the same.

Arcot

5th Octr 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most
Obedt Servt
Signed Geo. Neale
Lt. Col. Comg Arcot

To George Strachey Esqre
Secretary to Government
&c. — &c. — &c.
Fort St. George

No 16
From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief submitting Proceedings of the Medical Board, reporting their opinion on two pattern doolies for new Construction the Existing Pattern wanting, that the suggestions

Sir,

I am directed by the Commander in Chief to request that the enclosed Proceedings of the Medical Board under date

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Suggestions of the board for the improvement of those Doolies be adopted.—

dorte the 12th Instant may be Submitted to the Consideration of Government

His Excellency has also instructed me to express his Opinion that the Suggestions of the Board in regard to the Construction of the new Doolies appear Judicious and worthy of attention.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your

Most obedient

humble Servant

Signed H. Scott.

Fort St. George

10th October 1812

M. Secretary

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

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Medical Board

9th October 1812

Proceedings of the Medical Board on the subject of the Establishment for Sick Hospital Establishment

Resolution of the Honorable the Governor in Council dated 20th October 1812

In Obedience to the Orders of the Honorable the Governor in Council, dated the 8th instant Communica

tion

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Fort St. George 30th October 1812

Resolved at Communicated to them in
recommended by the annexed Letter from the Private
mander in Chief that a Secretary of this Excellency
the Military Board be by the Commander in
Desired to Submit a Chief Engineer date the
plan and estimate for 15th ultimo the Medical
a Building to be erected Board have the honor
in the Vicinity of and to recommend that an
for the purposes of a Suitable Building for
Lock Hospital, and Erected for a Lock Hospital
that the usual in the County of the
establishment and Cantonment Allowances
allowances be autho- 2 That the duties
-rized on the Completion of the Lock Hospital at
of the Building. that Cantonment be Con
ducted by the Senior Sur-
geon for the time being
3 And that such
Establishment and allow
ances be granted for the
Care

By Order of the Honble
the Governor in Council.
Signed/ Gn Strachey
Secy to Govt

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Care of General patients there
as are at present authorized
for Lock Hospitals at other
Stations by the General
Orders issued on the 2 Sep
tember 1806 and 11th Ulto.
B.O, and now Comprising
a part of the great Code
of printed Regulations—

I Signed A Watson M.D.

Presidt Med. Board
I/- Henry Harris M.D.
Member Bd. Board

No 18
Proceedings of the
Medical Board Re
porting their Opinion
on the Pattern de
tails of under Con
struction—

Resolution of the Hond. Medical Board
made to the Governor in 12th October 1812.
Council Dated 20th Oct. /

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The Medical Board
have the honor to acknow
ledge the receipt of Mr. Se
cretary Strachey's Letter
of the 16th Ultimo together
with Copy of one from
the

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approved by the Com the Military Board dated
mander in Chief Orde the 3, and Extract from
red that a Copy of the the Minutes of the Pro-
Proceedings on which ord the Governor
they are submitted in Council bearing date
be furnished for the the 15th instns, relative
information and to a Body of a new Con-
guidance of the Mili struction proposed for
tary Board. the Conveyance of Patients
sick.

By Order of 2 The Medical
the Honble the Board having inspected
Governor in the new Pattern Body
Council. for Native Sick are
(Signd) G Strachey of Opinion that it
Secy to Govt stands strongly recom-
mended by the lightness
and simplicity of its
Construction.

3 I would add a little
lighter

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Lighter hammer and in the
Opinion of the Medical Board
equally Commodious and a-
greable to a Native Soldier
if the whole Body was
reduced in its length half a
foot, and that each door was
made Narrower by Six
inches.-

4 The Medical Board
are accordingly indued to
submit these alterations
to the Consideration of
His Excellency the Commander
in Chief.-

5 Since examining
the abovementioned Dooly,
another new Pattern for
the Conveyance of Europe
Sick has been brought
for-

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for inspection to the Office
of the Medical Board; this
Double Chimney appears
to stand strongly recommended by being together,
than the one at present
in use.

I The Medical
Board are of opinion how-
ever that it would also be
considerably improved if
both of it doors was made
Narrower by Six Inches
as well to shade the fire-
place better from the sun
as to shelter him as much
as possible from the severity
of Stormy weather.-

I Signed Batson M.D.
President M.D.
H Harris M.D.
2d Mr Int Board
Read

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Fort St. George 20th October 1812.

Read the following Letters from
the Adjutant General of the Army
To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the
Commander in Chief to request that you will
submit to the Honorable the Governor in
Council the accompanying application
from Captain Lieutenant Smith of the
6th Regiment Cavalry requesting that the
leave granted him to proceed to Europe by
G. O. of the 2d June last may be Cancelled
I have the honor to be
&c &c
Signed J. H. Conway
Adjt Genl of the army

To

No. 19

From the adjutant Genl to the Secretary to Government transmitting an application from Lieutenant Smith of the 6th Regt N. C. requesting that the permission now granted to him to proceed to Europe by the G.O. of the 2d June last may be cancelled, the State of his health rendering it inexpedient that he should proceed by the present fleet.

Adjt Genls Office
Fort St George
15th October 1812.

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Fort S. George 20th October 1812

To the Honorable

Sir George H. Barlow B.t K.B.

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

Honble Sir,

I have the honor to request you will be pleased to cancel the permission granted to me by G.O. 5th June 1813 to proceed to Europe on furlough, my present State of health being such as to render it very inexpedient that I should embark by this Fleet.

Fort S. George
6th Octr 1812

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) John Smith
Capt.n 2d. B.t Regt. Cavalry

I do hereby certify that Captain Smith of the 6th Regiment of Cavalry labours under a disease which requires immediate Surgical aid, and I am in course =

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cantonment of Opinion that he should retain
until his intention of proceeding to Europe
for the present and remain at the Presidency
that his wife may be completed-

Fort St. George
October 6th 1812
No 20
Resolution thereon

(Signed) J D White
Garrison Surgeon -

Resolved that the Furlough
to proceed to Europe granted to Captain &
Lieutenant Smith of the 6th Regiment
Native Cavalry in the G. O. of the 2nd
June last be cancelled in compliance
with his request.

To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George.

No 21
From Dr. Anderson an
Attested extract of a
letter from Lieutenant
Colonel Barclay
stating the death of
Major Blair of the
Engineers & recommending
a successor thereto

Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency
the Commander in Chief to request you
will submit to the Honorable the
Governor in Council the enclosed Attested
Extract

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Fort L. George 20th October 1812

Extract of a Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Barclay which His Excellency Considering to contain authentic information has further desired me to recommend that the name of Major Jno. Blair of Engineers may be struck off the List of the Army from 23d March, 1812, and that the following Promotions may be Ordered in Consequence.—

Corps of Engineers

Capt. Brevet Major Totten to be Lieut. Colonel in succession to Blair deceased, Date of Commission 24th March 1812.

To Thering Shaw to be Major — in succession to Totten promoted

Lt. John Blake Stone to be Captain. Ensign Duncair Sinn to be Lieutenant....

Adjt. Genls Office
Fort L. George
15th Octr. 1812

Have the honor to be
Yr. Obt. Servt.
I Signd J. B. Conway
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

Extract

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Fort St. George 20th October 1812

Extract from a Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Barclay -

On the 23rd of March Major John Blair of the Engineers Died -

Madras 14th Oct. 1812

/ a true Extract /
/ Signed E. S. P. Barlow

Resolved that the promotion recommended in the foregoing Letter be directed to take place from the 26th March 1812.

N°22
Resolution thereon

Read the following Letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army -

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Military Department

Sir,

N°23
From the Quarter Master General of the Army, Explaining the Circumstances under which the Troops embarked on board the Ships and Pinnaces October 1810 -

His Excellency the Commander in Chief having directed a reply to be made from this Office to the Letter from the Military Secretary to Government under date the 9th Instant wherein information is required of the Circumstances under which the Officers and Troops were Landed under Orders given direct to the Board Master

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Master General of the army by Lieutenant General
Hewitt their Commanding in Chief. On examina-
tion of the records of this Office, it does not ap-
pear that the usual Order from the Govern-
ment for embarkation was issued for the
above Officers and Troops, and it is therefore con-
sidered that the direct Order was given by
Lieutenant General Hewitt in consequence
of some personal Communication with
Superior authority to which the Lieutenant General is immediate
Department in Company with the Georgiana
It did not occur to him to notify through
the regular Official forms
I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Obt Servt
Signed A B Otto
D Qr Mr General

Quarter Mr Gen.ls Office
Ft St George 15th Octr
1812

No 24
thereon.

Ordered in consequence that
the following Letter be dispatched to the
Secretary

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Fort St. George 20th October 1812

Secretary to the Government at Fort William.

To John Adam Esqr.

Secretary to the Government at

Fort William

Sir,

N° 25.

To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William transmitting Copy of Correspondence with the Commander in Chief Relative to the Circumstances under which the Troops mentioned in the letter dated the 22d August last were embarked on board the Honorable Company's Packet Georgiana.

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22d August last, and to request that you will submit to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council the inclosed Copy of a Letter addressed to the Commander in Chief at Fort St. George on the Subject of that communication, as also a Copy of the reply which has been furnished by Order of His Excellency.

2. I am also directed to State that the Governor in Council is unable to afford any further explanation relative to the Circumstances under which the

Officers

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Fort S. George 20th October 1812

Officers and Troops Mentioned in your Letter embarked on board the Honorable Company's Packet Georgiana than is contained in that reply and in the enclosed Return of the detachment.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obt Servt
Signed J: Stacker
Secretary to Government

Fort S. George
20th October 1812

Return

Return of Troops embarked on board the Honorable Company's Packet Georgiana proceeding to Bengal on the 10th October 1812

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Detachments	Captains	Lieutenants	Ensigns	Br. Majors	Serjeants	Corporals	Drummers	Privates	Women	Children	Total
His Majesty's 24th Regt	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	51	8	6	76
Total	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	51	8	6	75

D. A. G. Gen.ls Office
Fort St George 6th October 1812

Signed G. C. Johnston
A. D. A. Gen.l

Recd 30th October 1812

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Fort S. George 20th October 1812.

Read the following Letter from the Medical Board.

To The Honorable
Sir G.H. Barlow Bt & C.B
Governor in Council
&c. &c. &c.
Fort S. George

Hon'ble Sir,

No 26
from the Medical Board recommending that the Senior Member of the Committee for ascertaining the efficacy of Mr Surgeon Dalton's cure for the Leprosy be authorized to draw an allowance for a person and Stationary applied for in a letter forwarded an extract is submitted. &c. —

It having been represented to us by Mr. Surgeon Ord as Senior Member of the Committee appointed to ascertain the efficacy of the Medicine prepared by Mr Surgeon Dalton as a cure for the Leprosy that a certain expence is incurred in providing Stationary as well as in Copying and Circulating proceedings We have taken the Liberty of submitting an Extract of the Letter from Mr Ord and of recommending to your Honor in Council that he be authorized to draw for a Person and Stationary

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Stationary a Monthly allowance of Pagodas 3

During such time as a Continuance of the

Duties of that Committee shall be deemed

Necessary

Fort St George

Medical Board Office

16th October 1812

We have the honor to be

Sir &c &c &c

Signed, Alex.r Watson

M. D. President M. Board

" Henry Harris M. D.

2d Member Medical Board

Extract of Letter from the Senior Member

of the Committee appointed by Government

to ascertain the efficacy of Mr Dalton's

Medicine as a Cure for Leprosy to the Secre-

tary of the Medical Board, Dated the 1st

September 1812

"Finding that it is expected

that I as Senior Member of the Committ

ee should circulate intimations respecting

Meetings, Copies of Proceedings for Signature

&c

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Sir, Sir, To the Members, May I take to express
a hope that the Board will see the
propriety of recommending to Government
that some allowance be made for a pen
and Stationary while the Committee
continues to act"

True Extract

Signed H. Horsman

Secy to Med. Board

Ordered that the following
reply be dispatched

To the Medical Board

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Hono-
rable the Governor in Council to acknow-
ledge the receipt of your letter of the
of the 16th instant and to request you
that in compliance with your re-
commendation the Senior Member of
the Medical Committee appointed for
the

No 27.
To the Medical Board.
the Senior Member of the
Medical Committee
appointed to examine
Lepros Cases is permit
ted to draw 3 Pagodas
a Month for pen
and Stationary; the
bills for this allow-
ance will be dis-
charged by the Com
missary General.

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The examination of Lepriers Cases is authorized to draw a Monthly Allowance of Three Pagodas for Diet and for Stationary.

2 It having been resolved that all Charges Connected with the duties of the Medical Committee shall be included in the first instance in the Accounts of the Commissariat, you will instruct Mr Surgeon Orr to present his Bills for this allowance to the Commissary General by whom they will be discharged -

Fort St. George
20th October 1812

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

Read the following letters from the Military Board -

To the Honorable
Sir G. H. Barlow Bt & C. B.
Governor in Council &c. &c. &c.

Honble Sir,

No 28
From the Military
B.B

We have the honor to submit

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Board. Enclosing Copy of a Correspondence between the Commanding Officer of the Ceded districts and the Collector respecting the Shutting of the Sally Port of the Fort of Bellary which he presents the encroachment of Cattle.

Submit to your Honor in Council a Copy of a Letter from the Officer Commanding in the Ceded Districts in which he has stated that he found it Necessary to Order that the Sally Port of the Lower Fort of Bellary should be shut up; and that no Cattle should be permitted to enter the Gates, with this Communication the Officer Commanding has forwarded a Copy of a Correspondence which has taken place with the Collector in Consequence of the Orders above alluded to, of which we have also the Honor to submit Copies.

2 We Cannot but Concur in the justness of the Observations which Major General Taylor has offered in Support of the Necessity of the Measure which he adopted, but adverting to the Consequences which have resulted as Stated by Br. Chaplain we think it proper to refer the Question for the Consideration

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Consideration of your Honor in Council, with whom it will remain to decide whether it may not be more expedient to suffer some small Sacrifice of Revenue than that the Troops should be exposed to the evils so forcibly represented in the accompanying Documents.

Fort St George
20th September 1812

We have the Honor to be
&c &c &c
(Signed) E Stephenson
T. H. S. Conway
W. Morison

Prize Head Quarters
Ceded District

To the President and Members
of the Military Board

Gentlemen,

The Movement of the
Field Force under Command of Lieutenant
Colonel Doyle having left a very small
proportion

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proportion of troops for Garrison duty at Bel-
lary, I found it Necessary to Order that the
Sally Port of the Lower Fort should be
Shut up, and that no Cattle should be
permitted to enter the Gates but for the
purpose of delivering their Loads, and further
that dry forage should not be permitted
to pass without a particular permission
Necessary to be granted in some instances.

These arrangements having
caused a representation from the Collector of
this Zillah, I conceive it my duty to submit
his letter together with my reply to your con-
sideration, and at the same to solicit your
final decision on the subject.

In addition to what I have
stated in my reply, beg to observe that the
measure of shutting up the Sally Port
has long been deemed, it weakens the face
of the Fort on which it is placed, in two
manner

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manner just but for the admission of Cattle and has immediately in its front at the foot of the glacis a considerable number of huts principally belonging to the Lascar Establishment, I therefore conceive it would be of advantage in every respect that it should be permanently shut up which I strongly recommend.

What I have adverted to Mr Chaplain regarding the Quantity of Spirits which is introduced into the Fort and of the late extensive prevalence of the venereal disease is founded not only on my personal observations but on repeated communications on those subjects made by the Commandants of the Troops, and by the Medical Departments who respectively assure me that whilst the Fort continues crowded with inhabitants, they find it utterly impossible notwithstanding every certain and precautions to prevent

the

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the clandestine introduction and sale of Liquor, or to trace those Objects who disseminate infection Amongst the Troops, It therefore appears to me a matter of the first importance to Open as far as possible the number of Inhabitants within the Fort, and no Measure occurs to my mind so likely to produce that effect as by prohibiting Cattle from being kept in it. At present the Number of Huts is much too great and those between the Fort Wall and the Range of New European Barracks ought almost speedily to be taken down; they are close to the Buildings, create much filth and harbour that description of people most likely to infect the Soldier with the evils complained of, and they occupy the only ground in the Vicinity of the Barracks proper for a

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a Parade. I therefore beg again to offer it as my Opinion that they be immediately taken down as also the whole of the Casks of the Lascars formerly mentioned to whom an eligible Spot would be pointed out for their habitations near to the Artillery practice ground.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient

Humble Servant

Signed A. Taylor

Col Comg Ceded District

Bellary

27th Sept. 1812

A true Copy

Signed W. Ormsby

S. M. B.

To the Officer Commanding

the Ceded Districts

Sir,

Having received Complaints from the cultivating Inhabitants and owners residing in the Lower Part of Bellary that

Revenue

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owing to the shutting up of the Sally Port the ingress and egress of their Cattle are not only forbidden but that they are also prevented from bringing in Straw and forage for them. I am induced to represent the case to you in the hope that some modification of the Late Orders may be admitted in their favor. I am aware that Military arrangements may have led to the adoption of the Measure, but as the distress occasioned by it will seriously affect the Revenue, as well as the individuals Concerned, many of whom I understand have acted unconsequence to the Injunction I have deemed it my duty to Transmit you with this Communication.

I have the honor to

&c &c &c

Signed Wm Chaplain

Collector

Division

Amuntpoor

7th September 1813

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Division Head Quarters, 2d Do. District

Bellary 17th September 1812.

To the Collector in the Zillahs

of Bellary

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th Instant.

In reply I beg leave to state that the Shutting up of the Salty Port is a measure of necessity at present from the very small proportion of Troops for Garrison duty, but that I conceive it to be productive of such beneficial effects by shutting out the Cattle from the Fort, that I have recommended that it should be permanently shut up and on the following Grounds.-

It is my wish to afford as far as may be possible the Inhabitants within the Fort a Cattle if found totally impracticable to

suppress

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suppress intoxication among the Europe-
an Soldiers whether every individual of
the former description of people are
allowed to purchase a bottle of Liquor
per day and which it is impossible to
prevent being smuggled into Garrison
by them and disposed of on their several
Passes; there is also every reason to believe
that great Quantities of intoxicating
Spirits are conveyed into the Fort con-
cealed in Bundles of Forage & all descrip-
tions which are daily hawked in for
the Cattle, and which plan it is entirely
done away by excluding them, it is further
highly desirable that as small a
Number as possible of Native Families
should reside within the Fort, from
the very extensive prevalence of the
Venereal Disease among the troops
which has latterly occurred, the Fort

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I also greatly incommoded by the Number of huts within it surrounding the Barrack, to the very walls, the whole of which I have recommended should be pulled down nor can I allow in future any buildings to be erected covered with Straw, the inhabitants will therefore have no pleas for disregarding that article within the Gates.—

The exclusion of the numerous Cattle will also tend greatly to the Cleanliness of the Garrison, and I cannot conceive it an hardship to Cultivators in particular that they should be obliged to keep them at the regulated distance from the glacis for houses of 1,200 yards at which distance property of all description must surely be deemed to be sufficiently under the protection of the Garrison; under these impressions I cannot rescind the directions given for the exclusion of

Cattle

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Cattle and forage from the Fort

Share the honor to be

&c &c

(Signed) A. Taylor

Col Comg Coast district

(True Copies)

(Signed) A. Taylor

Col Comg Coast district

(True Copies)

(Signed) W. Arnold

Secy to the Board

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Minute and Resolution thereon

The Board will not proceed to the consideration of the Measure proposed by the Commanding Officer in the Coast Districts of permanently closing the Port of Bellary until the Officer of Engineers recently appointed for the special purpose of surveying the works of that Station shall have submitted his report on the subject.

Resolved

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Resolved in the mean time until the Strength of the Garrison of Bellary shall again admit of a Guard being Stationed at the Sally Port that a passage be allowed at the Gates for the Cattle of the inhabitants and for the forage required for their use subject to the necessary Search for preventing the clandestine entry of intoxicating Spirits.

To the Honorable
Sir, G. H. Barlow Bt & C. B
Governor in Council
&ca &ca &ca

Hon'ble Sir,

No 30
(from the Military Board. Statement of arms supplied to Peshwa's & Sabat Khan.

With reference to the Orders conveyed to us in a Letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department dated the 10th September 1811 and to our Report under date the 30th July 1812, we have the honor to forward a State-

=ment

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Fort S. George 20th October 1812

Statement Valuation of 1000 Yards of Army
supplied to Purahonnes Subadar Khan from
the arsenal of Fort S. George, and duly
Leave to recommend in Conformity with
the Resolution of Council dated the 22d
may last, that the amount may be
recovered by the Accountant General in
communication with the Resident
at Hydrabad, and placed to the Credit
of the Military Board Ordnance De-
partment.

We have the honor to be
Yours Yours Yours

Fort S. George
26th September

Signed & Prepared
" J. H. S. Conway
" W. Morison

Statement

1811

Statement of one Thousand Stand of arms sent from the Arsenal of Fort St. George on Board the Ship Henry Via Brandipatam to Trichinopoly Salabut Khan by Order of the Government under Date 10th September 1811

1812

Pattern 4th Muskits with Bayonet repaired 1000 at 4 Pagodas pr C — Rup. P. C. — 4000 " "

Charges Merchandize

Chests	50 at 1. 22. 40 pr Cwt	375	"
Nails	11 25 at 3. 72 40 pr Cwt	2 7	40
Freight from Madras to Trichinopatam for 14 T. 5 Cwt 2 Qr 24 lb at 4 Pags pr Ton		57 6	36
13 pr Double Country Carts employed in conveying the above from Trichinopatam to Secunderabad at 40 Rupees pr Cart		142 38	44
To the proportioned Pay of a Choundry and 2 Petty Peastries employed with the above		2 38	"
Total Pagodas		4,280	38

Fort St George
Military Board Office
26th September 1812

E. E. Jr
Signed W. Cramby
Secy & Acct Mr B

Ordered 30th October 1812

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Ordered that a Copy of the

No 31 Order thereon. foregoing Report with the Original Statement of Fire arms supplied for the use of Rahamed Sahaber Khan be furnished to the Accountant General for his infor=

=mation and guidance.

To the Honorable

Sir G. H. Barlow Bt. M. B.

Governor in Council

Fort St. George

Hon.ble Sir,

No 32 From Ditto Submitting arsenal Expences for Sanction.

We have the honor to sub=

=mit and recommend an Estimate for Construc=

=ting four small Furnaces for Melting Lead and Casting Leaden Balls at the Arse=

=nal of Fort St. George amounting to Pagodas 12. 11. 20.

We have the honor to be Hon.ble Sir Your most obedient humble Servants

Signed E Stephenson

" J. H. Conway

" W. Marson

Fort St. George

26th September 1812

Probable

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Probable Estimate of the Expense of Constructing Four Small Furnaces for Melting Lead and Casting Canon Balls at the Arsenal in Fort St. George

1811

Length	Depth	Thickness	Cubic Feet	Pagodas
Steam Vent				
9	3	6	1 3 157.72½	Furnaces each ——— "
2	6 3	6	1 3 37½	8 Pairs each ——— "
Total			247	Brick in the Furnaces ——— " 2 20 pcft 12 11 20
				Pagodas ..... " 72 11 20

Fort St. George
17th. September 1812

(Signed) I. L. Caldwell
Supg. Engr. P.D.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Wm. Ormsby
Sup. Mate Board
Resolved

Pagodas 20th October 1812

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Resolved that authority be
given for Constructing four small furnaces
in the arsenal of Fort St George as recommend
ed by the Military Board

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

Hon'ble Sir

We have the honor to sub-
mit for the Consideration of Government an
Estimate for Opening the drain which runs
to the ground Enclosure from Barker Chitty
Tank in Commissariat Street in the Fort of
Seringapatam and paving it with Stone
and Chunam in place of the existing
Earthern pipes, amounting to Pagodas
877. 24. 61. That subject we beg leave to
Notice by the Officer Commanding at
Seringapatam in Consequence of our Letter

Your

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From certain Informations of the Morgue which do ourselves the Honor to forward with this Letter.

Fort S. George
1st October 1812

We have the Honor to be
Your Honor
Your
Signed E Trapaud
" R. Bell
" J Blacker
" Wm Morison

To the Secretary to the Military Board

Sir,

I have the Honor to transmit herewith a Letter (with a translation) addressed by the Cazies attached to the Pagoda in this Garrison to Major General Wetherall, and which I am directed by him to forward for the Sanction of the Military Board.

An Estimate of the probable expence which may be incurred has been

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Have forwarded to the Board by the Superintendg
Engineer.

Seringapatam
30th August 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most
Obedt Hble Servt
(Signed) J. White
Lt. Colt. Comg Seringapatam

To Major General Wetherall

Sir,

We the undermentioned Cap-
tains and Subalterns attached to the great Burj
geed in the Fort of Seringapatam humbly
beg leave to inform you that there is a
Tank in the Burjeed which was built
by the late Tippoo Sultan for containing
water for the use of the Burjeed and
a great Number of the Inhabitants
of the Garrison.

Since the year 1805
the water has been prevented from run-
ning into it from Bursting of the Tank
not

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not a great distance between that and the Pagoda Tank in consequence of the drains being filled with sand.

We therefore humbly request that you will Order them to be cleared out, that water may be conveyed to the Tank as formerly; for which kindness we shall ever be bound to pray for your welfare and happiness.

We have the honor to be

Seringapatam

23 August 1812

(Signed) Syedally Rajah Cazie

" Sheriffodeen Khukil

" Meer Furkerodeen Khotwally

" Abdal Rauff Moodie.

(True Copies)

(Signed) W Ormsby

Secretary to Board.

Estimates

Estimate of the probable Expence of Opening the Drain which runs to the great Mosque from Basker Pet by Tank in Soorniahs Street in the Fortress of Seringapatam, and paving it with Stone and Chunam in place of the existing Earthen pipes Called for by the Officer Commanding in Mysoor

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Seringapatam 20th October 1812

Measurement								Pices							
Nos	Length	Breadth	Thickness	Sup.s	Feet	Inches		Per Sup.e Foot	Rupees		Pices		Rupees		Pices
1503	3	″	45	70	″		Paving with Stone in Chunam about 6 Inches thick	3 36 60	Sup.e	172	2977	″	″	-	
1502	2½	″	37	70	″		Covering with 25 Inches thick	3	″	″	Sup.e	113	4	40	
1503	1½	2	″	″	4527		Brick in Chunam Walls	2 70	Sup.e	5	Sup.e	289	1	40	
1503	4	″	60	32	″		Brick ament Do	2	″	″	Sup.e	120	28	64	
1503	3	8	″	″	36192		Excavating and refilling the Earth	″	″	15	Sup.e	150	36	0	846 10 64
							Repairing the Aqueduct in Soorniahs Street having burst west of the Basker Chitty Tank 6 -								

Measurement

Sheets

Number

Sheet Book

Sq Yds

Feet

Subject

Pwis

Square

Farmans

Cash

Square

Farmans

Cash

Rupees

Annas

Cash

Opening in various places and repair
ing inside with Cotton Mill and Chu
nam to the inter of the Stones
where necessary.—

160	3	3½	"	"	360	Covering 2nd Coat of Chunam	—	"	2	70	Pgs	23	"	"	
160	1	"	1	60	"	Plastering with one Coat of Chunam	..	"	33	60	Pgs	1	9	"	31 16 ..

Total Star Pagodas 877 24 6

Bangalore
10th September 1812

(Signed) L. C. Nattes
Engr in Charge

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Wm Arnsby
S M B

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N°35
Resolution thereon

Resolved that the drain at Serungapatam described in the foregoing Letter be repaired and improved at the estimated Expence of Pagodas 877. 24. 61.

Read the following Letters from the Military Auditor General.

To the Honorable

Sir G. H. Barlow Bart K.B.

Governor in Council

&c &c &c

N°36
From the Military Aud.r Gen.l Referring for decision the Question regarding the Medl Expences of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion.

Honble Sir,

1 I have the Honor to Submit for the decision of your Honor in Council a Question regarding the Medical Allowance to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion -

2 Previous to the formation the European Invalids now composing it had no Surgeon permanently posted to it as a Corps, and the Surgeons or Assistant Surgeons

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in charge of ~~the of the different Stations~~

Surgeons, drew Medical allowance at the rate
four fanams per man per day for the
Number present under their respective
charge, and the Hospital expence of the
absent Sick was defrayed by the Honora=
ble Company in the same manner as regulated
for the absent Sick of the artillery in Conse
=quence of the ~~divided~~ State of that Corps.

3 In the formation of the
Carnatic European Veteran Battalion as
published in G: O: by His Excellency the Com=
mander in Chief under date the 29th
April 1811, a Surgeon is posted to it Regi=
mentally in consequence of which a Question
has arisen whether or not the Surgeon
of this Corps is to draw for the whole
strength, including all parties who may
be stationed at the different Garrisons
&c. on the Coast at a distance from
the Regimental Head Quarters and to

defray

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defray the hospital expences of the absent sick in the same manner as the Surgeons of the Madras European Regiment and the Surgeons of His Majesty's Regiments of Foot.

4. It may be presumed that no alteration is intended to take place either in the rate or mode of drawing the Medical allowance for the European Invalids now the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, although a Regimental Surgeon was included in the Staff to be attached to it, nor can it be reasonably expected that the Surgeon of that Corps could support his own Regimental Hospital and defray the hospital Expences of the Absent Sick out of the Medical allowance to that Corps, which only consists of about 200 Men present at Masulipatam and it may be pro-

per

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proper to add that this Battalion is general
ly in a detached State and Compos[ed] of
Old and unform men.

5 under these Circumstances
your Honor in Council may be pleased
to direct that the Medical allowance
for the Caribatic European Veteran
Battalion shall continue to be drawn
at the former rate, and that the Hospi
tal expences of Individuals who may
be occasionally left sick in Hospitals
on the March or Removal of the Corps
or Detachment shall be defrayed by
the public in the same manner as
those for the absent sick Europeans
of the artillery under similar Circum-
stances.—

6 The Medical Officers
whose under whose Charge Detach-
ments of the Caribatic European Veteran
Battalion

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Battalion may be placed and who draw the monthly allowance for medicine and attendance on their account while of course defray whatever expence may be incurred on account of the sick at their respective Stations without any additional expence to the public.—

Military and Gen.l Office
Fort St. George
7th Oct.r 1812

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
Sgd. Sydney P. Bruce
Mily and Genl Sec.y

No 37
Resolution thereon

Resolved that the Medical allowances to be drawn on account of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion be regulated as proposed by the Military Auditor General.

To the Honorable
Sir G. H. Barlow Bt &c.
Governor in Council &c. &c.

No 38
From the Military Auditor General to the Secretary against Mr Assistant Surgeon McKenzie—

Honble Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith the Madras Volunteer Battalion

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Battalion not embarking on the Expedition against the Mauritius in September 1810, it appears there was not sufficient room in the Transports for the whole of that Corps in consequence of which a part of it about 350 Men remained behind and Mr Assistant Surgeon Mackenzie was ordered to take Medical Charge of the Detachment as the Surgeon, and the whole of the Medical Establishment proceeded with the Head Quarters of the Corps on the Expedition.

2 Mr Mackenzie in order to form an Hospital for the sick of this Detachment which it is stated were Numerous entertained one Native dresser and one Coly at the usual allowance, and included them in his abstract for Medical Expenditure for the Detachment, but as a dresser and a Coly are not

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not allowed for Detachments of Corps the charge was objected to, on audit, as will appear by the accompanying Extract of Retrenchments from the disbursements of the Paymaster at the Presidency in the Month of November 1810, to which Mr Mackenzie's reply is annexed, and upon which he requests a reference to Government.

3 It is here proper to observe that Mr Mackenzie should have applied to this Quarters for the requisite authority to sanction the entertaining of this Establishment of a Native dresser and Coly for the Detachment of the Madras Volunteer Battalion in his said application — would have met with due attention the Situation of that Detachment being very different from that of a Detachment

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Detachment from a Corps serving on the Coast a part of the Medical Establishment would be sent with it and as the whole of the Medical Establishment of the Madras Volunteer Battalion embarked and proceed with the Corps on foreign Service, it may perhaps be the pleasure of your Honor in Council, as an act of indulgence to relieve Mr. Mackenzie from the Privation of this Retrenchment which might not have occurred had that Officer adopted the more regular steps of proceeding.

Mily. Asst. Genl's Office
Fort St. George 27th Oct. 1812.

I have the honor to be
&c &c &c
I Signd J. Bruce
Mily Asst. General

Extract

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Extract of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of Mr Joseph Greenhill Paymaster at Fort St George in the Month of November 1810 on account of Expences 1810/11.

P. F. C.

Madras Volunteer Battalion

Medical Department

459 Mr Assistant Surgeon Wm Mc Kenzie draws pay for October 1810 for a Dresser and Tely for 340 Peons of the above Corps ---------- Pagodas 12-"-"

Which is Retrenched nothing allowed to Detachments ---------- 12 " "

A Similar Charge was made and the Retrenchment Continued up to April 1811, Amounting altogether to Pagodas 72-"-"

Reply

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Reply

To the Military Auditor General

Fort St. George

Sir,

I beg leave to State in Support of my Charge of 12 Star Pagodas per Month for Hospital Servants on account of the Detachment of the Madras Volunteer Battalion for the Months of November, December, January, February, March and April 1811/12.

That on the embarkation of the Corps for the French Islands 350 Men were left at Madras including 50 Sick in my Medical Charge, in Justice to them I was under the absolute Necessity of hiring Hospital Servants, the sum charged I have actually disbursed, the Medical allowance at 4 Pagodas per 100 Men, amounted during that Period to only 14 Pagodas, if I am retrenched on Account

of

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of Hospital Servants shall only have received 12 Pagodas for a period of 6 Months, a Sum not equal to the expence of Cloth and Bazar Medicines, mine is rather a new Case, the detachment belonged to a Corps on foreign Service; the Regulation quoted Humbly Conceive was intended to apply to Detachments of Corps actually in India: I beg leave to request that you will be pleased to submit the foregoing Statement to the Honorable the Governor in Council with such favorable Recommendation as you may think it Merits. —

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) Wm Mackenzie
Assistant Surgeon

Madras 31st August 1812

(A true Copy)
(Signed) P Bruce
Secy to Govt

The

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No. 39.
Minute & Resolution thereon.

The Board Concur in the Military Auditor General's Opinion that Assistant Surgeon Mackenzie should have applied in the first instance for the requisite authority to entertain the Medical Servants whom he employed while in charge of the Detachment from the Madras Volunteer Battalion.

Resolved however as recommended by the Military Auditor General that Mr. Mackenzie be allowed from the Establishment incurred on that Account.

To the Honorable
Sir. G. H. Barlow Bt. &c. &c.
Governor in Council
&c. &c. &c.

No. 40
From the Military Auditor General reporting on Major General Wapull's application to be permitted to draw the difference between the allowances of Colonel and Lieut. and Asst. Colonel from the

Hon'ble Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Stracey's Letter of the 23d. Ultimo transmitting an Extract

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the 1st January 1803 to the 1st May 1804.

Extract from the Minutes of your Honor in Council of the 22d in which I am directed to report upon an application of Major General Trapaud to be permitted to draw the difference between the allowances of a Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel from the 1st. January 1803 to the 1st May 1804, founded upon a Mistake supposed the Major General represents he has been known the Cause regarding the date of his Commission as Colonel and Chief Engineer - I have accordingly the Honor to State that Major General Trapaud's Case is not singular but similar to many other officers who are placed exactly in the same predicament being all equally affected by the same arrangements which occasioned the Mistake in regard to Major Generals Trapaud's date of rank -

2 The General Orders of Government

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Government under date the 1st May 1804 first announced the formation of the retired list and other Military arrangements founded upon Orders received from the Honorable Court of directors by which a General promotion took place throughout the army, and from which period Major General Popham was promoted to the rank of Colonel and Major General Ross placed on the retired list from that date. By the General Order under date the 28th April 1804. However, it was directed in consequence of instructions from the Honorable Court of Directors that the formation of the retired list should have effect from the 1st January 1803, this arrangement consequently affected the whole of the promotions which took place in conformity with the G. O. of the 1st May 1804 as the eight Major Generals, and Sir Thomas was Major General

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General Roll of the Engineers who were not placed on the retired list under that date, save in consequence of the subsequent orders of April 1807 placed thereon from the 1st January 1803, and hence arose the cause of Major General Trapaud's date of Commission as Colonel and Chief Engineer being antidated to that period.

4 The consequence of this alteration of the date of formation of the retired list occasioned as before observed an alteration in the whole of the promotions which took place under the Orders of the 1st May 1804, a great proportion of the Officers so promoted having obtained considerable back rank while others sustained a depression of rank which gave rise to the General Order of the 5th May 1807 wherein it was directed that Officers who had been promoted

to

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promoted by the General Order of the 28th ultimo
should agreeably to the principle observed upon
a similar Occasion in Bengal, be permitted
to draw the Subsistence only from their respec-
tive dates of ranks and which accordingly
satisfactorily explains why Major Generals
Dupont was not permitted to draw the dif-
ference of allowances between the two ranks
of Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel for the
intermediate period between the dates of
his two Commissions agreeably to the Orders
before mentioned, and I fear he cannot well
now be authorized to draw it without a
Deviation from those Orders, which Indul-
gence if not granted to the other Officers who
were similarly situated would be deemed
partial and to their prejudice —

5 Under these circumstances
I presume to suggest, Originating from Arrangements
Ordered to take effect by the Honorable Court

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of Directors I cannot take upon my-
-self to recommend to your Honor in Coun
cil to accede to the present request
of Major Shapland.

Brig.d Asst.t Gen.l Office
Fort S. George
2d Octr 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most
Obedt
Humble
Servt
(Signed) P. Bruce
Brig.d Asst.t Gen.l

No 41
Minute thereon

The Commander in Chief
is requested to apprize Major General
Shapland that under the General Order
of the 8th of May 1807, the Board are
precluded from authorizing the pay-
ment of his allowances as Chief Engi
neer from a date prior to that from
which he has already received them.

To the Honorable
Sir G. H. Barlow Bt. G.C.B.
Governor in Council &c &c &c

No 42
Form Dr Abbe stating the

Honble Sir,

I have the honor to ac-
knowledge

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The day from which Pensions should be paid to the heirs of those Sepoys who fell during the expedition to Ceylon.

Acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Stracheys Letter of the 28th ultimo with which was transmitted for consideration and report Copy of a Letter from the Town Mayor of Fort St George to the Chief Secretary to Government under date the 19th of the same Month.—

2 Have according to the honor to State that the purport of the abovementioned Letter is requesting to be informed from what date the pensions which are about to be granted to the heirs of Native Soldiers of the Madras Establishment who fell on Service on the reduction of the Island of Ceylon should commence.

3 Have accordingly to observe that the Native troops in general who proceeded on the Expedition against the Island of Ceylon availed themselves of the Indulgence of having Certificates sent to their Families to enable their Relatives to receive a Moiety of their Monthly Salaries

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Subsistence whilst they might reside on the Coast; it may be deemed proper that the persons now preferring claims to Pensions as Heirs to the deceased Native Troops should substantiate that point to the Satisfaction of the Committees appointed to investigate the claims, and also to ascertain up to what date such payments were made. From which term Date of Opinion the Pension certificates only should be directed to Commence, and not from the date of the Casualty, because it might happen in Numerous instances that the relative or Nearest Heir of the deceased might have always belong to the present time been in the Monthly receipt of the Sum Specified in a Family Certificate probably exceeding the amount of Pension which may be granted together with Gratuities or Years

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Journal of Sessions if directed to commence from the date of Casualty in place of in Cases where Family Certificates had been granted from the period when payments cease to be made. In Cases however where no Family Certificates have been granted, it may be directed to commence from the date of the Sessions now in question to commence from the date of the Casualty the Original papers are herewith returned.

Brig and Genl Office
Fort St George
9th October 1812

I have the honor to be
&c &c
(Signed) R. Bruce
Brig and Genl

To the Town Major
of Fort St George

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit to you by desire of His Excellency the Commander in Chief the Original proceedings of

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of Two Committies held in the 2d Battalion
24d Regiment Native Infantry under au-
thority from Head Quarters to ascertain
the Nearest Heirs of rank of the late Lt.
Battalion 1st Regiment Native Infantry who
died whilst on Service on the Island of Ceylon
and have to request that pension certifi-
cates may be prepared and forwarded to this
Office for those whose claims may be
considered to have been Established

That Heirs having been called
on to Explain why they did not Earlier come
forward with their pretensions, have unif-
ormly Stated that their ignorance of the
G.O of 1807 which gave them a claim
to Pensions was the Sole Cause of their
not having Sooner preferred them -

I have the Honor to be

Sir Gents Office
Fort St George
5th Sept 1812

Sir &c &c
Signed C. P. Agnew
D. A. G.
Proceedings

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Proceedings of a Committee assembled by Order of Lieutenant Colonel Infantry to investigate the claims of the Families of some men of the Captain Chr Wilbier — President

No	Name of the Demand	Corps and Rank	Name of the heir and Nature of the relation ship with the deceased	description Colour Caste & other Remarks &c	Height	
11	Ramasawmy	1st Regt 13th Regt 3 Co	Nallay amah wife	Dark Brown	5	6½
19	Perrattan	do do 4th Co	Muniamah Brother	do Bamboo Carter	5	4
1	Mahamud Gotlop	Sick Lilly do 4th Co	Shallapatan wife	do do	5	4
38	Moonah	1st Regt do 2 Co	Tremally	do dark Pariah	5	4
32	Pethoo	do do Light Co	Mustafa	do do Gentoo	5	4
"	Mahamud Saib	do do 3 Co	Coloomsaib	Brother Bamboo Cutter	5	4
3	Candee Cauny	Hand do Light Co	Moonsaib	wife dark	5	4
1	Hub	1st Regt do Light Co	Muniatchy Serjeants Lascar	dark Pariah	5	4

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Marriott Commanding 2d Battalion 24th Regiment Native

late 1st Regt N. I. who died whilst on Leave on the Island of Ceylon

Lt Gy Agnew & Menchon & Macdonald Madras 4 May 1812 -

Remarks

Subadars Shaick Emaum and Rungapah also Jemadar Pennab-
-los of the 2d Battalion 24th Regiment of Native Infantry
State that the within mentioned persons are the Heirs to
Luis to the deceased Peter of the late 1st Battalion 1st Regt
Native Infantry who died whilst on Service
on the Island of Ceylon. --

Subadars Shaick Emaum Rungapah State that the
within mentioned Warren is only Subadar to Will
Tipu Major who died at Ceylon but that he was a Lieutenant
in the 2d Battalion 24th Regiment Native Infantry and
present at Madras

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No	Name of the deceased	Corps and Rank Company	Name of the heir and Relation of the Widow with the deceased	Description of Widow Caste and other Remarks	Height ayr Feet Inches
41	Mootoo	Depy 11th Regt 3 Co	Pethay Daughter	Black female	30 5 1
9	Sangaralingum	do do 5 do	Villyay do	dark do	25 4 7½
32	Varapah	do do 1st do	Rammi Ling		
36	Sayden	do do 3 do	Nillachy Letter		
11	Mootoo	do do	Clay Wife		
59	Venkatachellum	do do 3 Co	Nillanah Mother		
15	Venkatachellum	do do 1 Co	Annamah Wife		
11	Mootoo	do do 4 Co	Calandichy do		

Duplicate
Copy Vic. Marriott
Sd A.D. Cons.
2 Nov 24 Augt

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Remarks

Subadars Shaick Emam and Rungapah State that the within
mentioned is the only Daughter of Matoo Sepoy who died at Cuylan.
but that his wife Stile is living at Tanjore
Calliarah Vizier of Cattiwar mentioned Sepoy has not appeared be-
fore the Committee but is at Bellary. Subadars Shaick Emam
and Rungapah know Villy amy to be the Daughter of the Sepoy
who died at Ceylon.

Subadars Shaick Emaum and Rungapah State that he is not Son of
Europah Sepoy but a Child purchased by him, the Superior Caste.
Does not appear to be the mans Child, his wife being alive at
Tuticorin Poly. Chony Mootoo Sepoy, of the 2d B.n 24th Regt and formerly a
Sepoy in the 1 B.n 1 Regt States the above -
has not appeared before the Committee. Subadars Shaick Emam and Runga
pah, also Jemadar Permallar State, that he is not related as -

Has not appeared before the Committee

President
Signd / L Webber Captain
2d B.n 24 Regt

Signd / G. Gibbons
Sd 2 B.n 24 Regt
N.I.

Boundary

Signd / J Macdonald
Sd 2 B.n 24 Regt

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Adjourned proceedings of a Committee assembled by order of Lt Genl of the Families of some Men of the late 1st Battn 1st Regt Native

No.	Demand Name	Rank	Corps and Company	Name of the Heir and Nature of the relation he bears with the deceased	Description of the Heir Colour Caste and other remarks	Height in Feet Inches
3	Mariatha	Sepoy	late 1st Battn 1st Regt 5 Co.	Colamy wife	Black Pariah no particular mark	5 4 10
4	Hyder Cauw	Naique	late 1st Battn 1st Regt 5 Co.	Boythaben de	Bamboo Brown no particular mark	5 4 3/4

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Colonel Thomas Marriott Comg 2/18th 24th Regt N I to investigate the Pensn claim of Sundry Persons on the Island of Ceylon. Capt Charles Watkins President

Lt G. Gilvie } Members } Lt I Macdonald —

Remarks

Appros Vow Mandar and Chowry Mootoo Sepoy of the 2nd Battalion 24th Regt Native Infantry State that the within Muntsamy Veiroen is wife of Mootoo Sepoy who died whilst on Service on the Island of Ceylon but they did not hear of the Government General Orders in the year 1807 or that she was entitled to a pension until the was informed by some people who arrived at Chilliput where she lived.

Appros Vow Mandar and Chowry Mootoo Sepoy of the 2nd Battalion 24th Regiment formerly belonging to the late 1st Battalion 1st Regt N. I. State that the within Muntsamy Veiraen is wife of Hyder Cauen Lengue who died whilst on Service on the Island of Ceylon but they did not hear of the Government General Orders in the year 1807 or that she was entitled to a pension until the was informed by some people who arrived at Pundamalee where she lived —

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No	Deceased Names	Rank	Corps and Company	Name of the Heir and Nature of the Relation he bears with the deceased	Description of the Heir Caste Colour Cast and other Remark	Age	Feet	Inches
44	Shaick Ebram	Sepoy	do 6th Co.	Mentioned Said Brother	Dark Moor a Sabre wound on his right Shoulder	69	4	9½
5	Shaick Hamid	Sepoy	do 3 Co	Potchapa Said Brothers	Said Dark Moor respectable Mark	30	4	11

Madras 12 August 1812

I Agney J Marriott
Lt A. Comy.

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Remarks

Subadars Shaick Emam and Rungapah of the 2 Battalion 24th Regiment and formerly belonging to the late 1 Battn 1st Regt N. I. State that the within mentioned Warrior is Brother of Shaick Ebram Sepoy who died whilst on Service of Island of Ceylon but he did not hear of the Government Genl Orders on the 7th 1807 or that he was entitled to a pension or until he was informed by some people who arrived at Ceylon whence he came -

Subadars Shaick Emamsaud Rungapah of the 2 Batt. 24 Regt and formerly belonging to the late 1 Batt. 1st Regt N. I. State that the within mentioned Warrior is Brother in law of Shaick Hamid Sepoy who died whilst on Service of Island of Ceylon the only relation living, but he did not hear of the Government Genl Orders on the year 1807 that he was entitled to pension or until he was informed by some people who arrived at annuals Pattah where he came -

President

Signed C. Walker Captain
2 Batt. 24 Regt

Signed G. Ogilvie
Lt 2 Batt. 24 Regt N. I.

Members

Signed J. Macdonald Lt
2/24 N. I.

To

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To the Town Major

of

Fort S. George

Sir

I have the honor by

desire of His Excellency the Com=

mander in Chief to transmit to

you the accompanying Original

Further proceedings of a Committee

held in the 1st Battalion 7th Regi=

ment Native Infantry under au=

thority from Head Quarters to

ascertain the heirs of more of

that Corps who died when on

Service on the Island of Ceylon

and have to request that pension

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certificates for such of those heirs

as may be considered to have

established their claim to be

proposed and transmitted to this

Office -

Adjutant Genl's Office

10th September 1812

I have the honor to be

Sir,

your most Obedient Servt

Signed P. V. Agnew

Dpy Adjt Genl

Proceedings

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Proceedings of a Court of Enquiry held by Order of Major Charles Nation Infantry to investigate the Claims of the Families of who died whilst on Service on the Island of Ceylon Pradras

Name of the Deceased	Rank	Corps and Company	Name of the Heirs and Nature of their relations ship with the deceased	Description of the Hair Colour Cast and other Remarks	Height Feet	Inches
Soubah	Sepoy	1st	7 5 Pherooz Brother	Gr.	5	4
Eswalla	Do	"	" 3 Verata Sister	do	5	1/2
Meenatchy Cupah	Do	"	" 6 Carpen Sister	Do	5	2
Vellayeeah	Do	"	" 2 Moostanah Sister	do	5	4
Ramasamy	Do	"	" 1 Letchmee Mother	do	5	4 1/2
Chenniah	Do	"	" 10 Carpen Sister	do	5	2 1/2
Cheenee	Do	"	" Do Pungoo Sister	Do	5	1 1/4
Narrainah	Do	"	" 6 Veeri Sister	Do	5	4 1/4
Cheenee	Do	"	" 3 Carpie Sister	do	5	4 1/4
Chengiah	Do	"	" 4 Mallalah Sister	Parriah	5	4 10 1/2
Ramiah	Do	"	" 3 Master Daughter	do	5	4 7
Pyapah	Do	"	" 2 Annamah Mother	do	5	4 11
Anamootoo	Rayer	"	" 6 Letchmee Sister	Brown	5	4 10

Signed A. Heath Major
In Charge

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Sketch Junr Officer in Charge of the 1 Battalion 7 Regiment
Soldiers of the 1 Battalion 7 Regiment Native Infantry
27th August 1812

Captn Lt A Kettle President
Lt I Myers } Members { Lt I Bucklett
Lt A Hindoe } { Ens. I James

Remarks

Certified by Noctoo Savvy Sepoy No 7 Bn and Kistna Rajo Sepoy 1
Bn 7 Regiment Native Infantry
Certified by Noctoo Dummun 7 Regiment and Invalid Sepoy Ramo
formerly in 7 Regiment at Cuttack
Certified by Noctoo Savvy Sepoy 1 Bn and Invalid Sepoy Canah
Certified by Noctoo Cupah Rangee and Sepoy Cayee 7 Regt also
Sepoy Noctoo Savvy all 1 Battalion
Certified by Noctoo Cupah Rangee and Sepoy Cayee 7 Regt also
Invalid Sepoy Canah —
Certified by Noctoo Cupah Nayne and Sepoy Cayee 7 Regt
also Invalid Sepoy Canah —
Certified by Noctoo Cupah Rangee 7 Regiment also Invalid
Sepoy Canah —
Certified by Noctoo Cupah Rangee & Sepoy Cayee 7 Regt also Invalid Sepoy Canah
Certified by Sepoy Cayee and Noctoo 7 Regt also Invalid Sepoy Canah & Sepoy
Noctoo Savvy all 1 Bn
Certified by Noctoo Cupah Rangee & Sepoy Cayee 7 Regt also Inva
lid Sepoy Canah
Certified by Noctoo Cupah Rangee and Sepoy Cayee 7 Regt also
Invalid Sepoy Canah
Certified by Noctoo Cupah Rangee 7 Noctoo Savvy all 1 Bn
and Invalid Sepoy Canah
Subadars Noctoo Addee and Yellapah, also Rangee Vania
Tahsildars and Pundits Certify this Claim

The Court after having fully investigated the circumstances of this Claim are of opinion that the Claimants the Commandant and Officers of the 1st Battalion 7th Regiment Native Infantry are entitled to Batta at the rate of Sicca Rupees 60 per Month each from the 27th August 1812 to the 20th October 1813 inclusive

(Signed) James Kettle Capt & Pro Batta 7 Regt & President
" I Myers Lt } Members { I Bucklett
" A Hindoe Lt } { I James Ensign

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No 43
Remark and Order thereon

The Board are of Opinion that the Military Auditor Generals Suggestion regarding the date at which the grant of pensions to heirs of Native Soldiers who fall on Service is equitable and Correct.

Ordered accordingly that Copies of his Report on that Subject be furnished to the Commanders in Chief, and for the information and guidance of the Town Major of Fort S. George.

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

Honorable Sir,

No 44
From the Rely and Evt Supporting a retrenchment against which Mr Surgeon Trotter appealed and which appeal was upheld.

1 In Obedience to the Orders contained in the Minutes of Council of the 2d Instant I join with Respect

tary

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referred for his report under date the 2d instant.

Secretary Stracey's Letter of the 3d I have the honor to report on the Complaint preferred by Mr Surgeon Trotter against my Department.

2 The Retrenchments to which Mr Trotter's Complaint has reference are as follows. Mr Surgeon Trotter draws Pay for January and February 1809 for a dresser and 2 Tobies at 14 Pagodas p.m. Month amounting to — Pagodas 28. — — "

Which are considered inadmissible until the Charges are authorized by Government, Pagodas 28" — " "

3 In reply to these Retrenchments Mr Trotter transmitted for Record an authenticated Copy of an Order by Brigadier General Macleod authorizing him to entertain a dresser which Order not Considered sufficient

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sufficient to warrant my passing the Charge,
and it was of course my duty to enquire the
Retrenchment until the Charge should
be submitted to Government for Sanction,
but which at that time Mr. Trotter,
did not request. Inclose for the informa-
tion of Government a Copy of Brigadier
General Wilson's Order and of the other
papers noted thereunto and have only to
add that if Mr Trotter forwarded the
Letters which he states desiring an appeal
to Government, they never reached my Of-
fice, nor did I ever any other letter or docu-
ment regarding the Charges in question
except those of which I have now the ho-
nor to submit Copies.

4 The employing of a dresser
appears under Brigadier General Wilson's
Order to have been requisite and may be
deemed proper to be admitted, but I see

ers

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no grounds on which I can recommend the
admission of the charge for two Tokies,
as no authority or explanation has been
forwarded in its support except in that
stated in Mr Trotter's letter to His
Excellency the Commander in Chief, and
it is to be presumed if Brigadier Ge-
neral Malcolm considered such Ser-
vants necessary, he would have sanctio-
ned them in the same Order under
which the Dresser was entertained;
neither is it usual for such charges
to be incurred on account of details
of Cavalry -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most
obedt Servt
Signed J. Bruce
Brigd Asst Surgn

Brigd Asst Surgn Office
Fort St George 16th Octr 1812

To Mr Assistant Surgeon Trotter
Sir,
I have the honor to annex
Extracts

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Extract from the retrenchments of the Military Auditor Genral on the accounts of my Office During the Months of February and March 1809, and have to request you will pay the Amount into the hands of the Paymas ter of your Station, at the same time Have the pleasure to inform you that Two Abstracts will be paid on Bond in to such Further authorities as shall be

Afford in Support of the Charges.

Fort St. George
6th June 1809

/ Signd / Lohn Little
Acty Sy. to G. Malcolm Jour

To the Military Paymaster
Fort St George

Sir,

I accompanying I send the letter of Brigadier Genral Malcolm which I am Charge my drawing for Hospital Sirrants. Also send a similar Letter from the Bee Board at Bombay who Charg at that

the

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Camp at Wairavalley
28 August 1809

the Number of Servants Enumbered and
down for was absolutely necessary
Signed J. Trotter
Late Surgeon to the Cavy Detach

Camp Bombay 1st Janry 1809

G. O. By Brigadier General Malcolm

The Surgeon in Medical
Charge of the detachment of Cavalry
is authorized to entertain a Dresser.-

Signed F. N. Balmain
Major of Brigade

Brigadier Genl Malcolms Genl

(A true Copy)
Signed F. N. Balmain
late Major of Brigade
Brigadier Genl Malcolms Genl

To Surgeon Porter
Cavalry Detach

Sir,

I am instructed by
Her

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the Medical Board to request that you will forward to my Office without delay a List of Servants and attendants entertained for your Hospital and the Care of the Sick after your departure from this Island, with an Account of Hospital Cloathing Bois de Gaiac and such articles as come under the denomination of Country Medicines -

I am
Gen" &c &c

Bombay
Med" Board Office
January 29th 1809

I Signed George Keir
Sec" Med" Board

(True Copies)
I Signed D Bruce
Maj" Asst Gen"

B/45
Resolution and order thereon

Resolved that Mr Sarjeant Trotter be retained from the Retrenchments outstanding against him to the extent recommended by the Medical Director General and the Board will be prepared to take

into

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into their Consideration any Reasons which he may have to offer in Support of his other Charges, to whom his Appeal shall be laid before them through the Channel of the same Officer.

Ordered that the Commander in Chief be furnished with a Copy of the foregoing Resolution

To the Honorable

Sir George H. Barlow Bart & K.B.

Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

Honorable Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Your Secretary Shaw's letter of the 13th August transmitting an extract from the Minutes of your Honor in Council of the same date in which I am directed to report whether the amount of the Returns

ments

No 46
from Lieut. Stappan=
ing that Captain
Watts of H.M. 19th
Regiment has assen
ted the amount
of the returns
ment against him
in Ceylon, the Mi
litary Auditor
Genl commands that
it may be remi=
tted to him by
the Regt Paymaster
Genl thereof, and
added to this Ac=
count

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Attachments against Captain Watts of his Ma
-ty's 19th Regiment which your Honorable
Concurred in Opinion should be remitted t
actually been refunded by that Officer on
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Thave accordingly the
honor to report that having obtained from
Captain Hardy a certificate from the Ma
-tary Paymaster General on Ceylon Stating
that the amount of the Attachments a
gainst him was refunded into his Office by C
tain Watts in March 1812, amounting t
Pagodas 673 ... and that the same was brought
the credit of this Government in accoun
Current for that Month, I addressed a
Letter to the Accountant General in th
Military Department of accounts unde
date the 10th Instant. for which I enc
a Copy N°1., together with a Copy of the
reply thereto from the Accountant Genera
dated the 12th Instant. N°2. from which
appear

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appears that no intimation has been received
on his Office from Colombo respecting this
refund-

I am therefore of Opinion
3
that the Government of Ceylon may be re-
=quested to direct the Military Paymaster
General there, to reimburse Captain
Watts the said Sum of Pagodas 70-
placing the Amount for his Account Cur-
=rent to the debit of this Government,
as it clearly appears from the Certificate
of the Military Paymaster General at
Colombo that the Sum was Actually
Expended by Captain Watts-
I have the honor to be
Sir Your
Most Obedt Servt
J. B. Bruce
Dy Audr Genl

Dy Audr Genl's Office
Fort St. George
13th October 1812

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To the Accountant General
in the Military Department &c &c
Fort S. George

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose an Extract from the Minutes of the Honorable the Governor in Council under date the 13th August last, containing the decision of Government on the Retrenchments from the Disbursements of Wallamavaring Cate Paymaster at Cuddalore in the Month of November 1809 Vouchers 433 & 434 — also Copy of a Certificate from the Military Paymaster General on Ceylon dated the 17th Ultimo, stating the sum of Pagodas 75 was refunded into his Office by Captain Watts of this Regt. by the 19th Regiment of Foot on that account in March 1812, and brought to the Credit of this Government in the account

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Account Current for that Month, and request you will have the goodness to inform me in what manner that sum has been adjusted in the Books of your Department, and whether the Amount cannot be paid to Captain Hardy of the same Regiment, who is now here acting for Captain Watts as far as regards the Retrenchments in question.

I am &c
(Signed) P. Bruce
Mily Auor Genl

Mily Auor Genl's Office
Fort St George 10th October 1812

Extract from the Minutes of the Honorable the Governor in Council dated 18th August 1812

Read the following Letter from the Military Auditor Genl's 14th August

The Board concur in the Military Auditor General's Opinion that Captain Watts of His Majesty's 19th Regiment

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Payment of Lot may with propriety be
allowed from the retrenchments detailed in
the foregoing Letter.

Ordered therefore that the
Military Auditor General be desired to
report whether the amount of those re-
trenchments has been actually refunded by
Captain Watts in which case the Re
-asury measures for reimbursing that offi
-cer will be adopted in Communication
with the Government of Ceylon under
which he at present serves. —

The Original also accom
panies the Letter to Government.

I do hereby certify that
Captain Watts of His Majesty's 19th Regiment
refunded amongst other retrenchments
made against him at Madras five
Sums namely. Pc 433 for Star Pagodas
21, and Pc 434 for Star Pagodas 54; three
Sums

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Sums were with Others paid into this Offic
by Captain Watts in March 1812, and brought
to the Credit of the Government of Fort Saint
George in the Account Current of this
Offic for that Month.

Chief Sayr Genls Offic (Signed) A. Cadell

Colombo 17th September 1812 A. P. Genl

To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

I have the honor to acknow-
-ledge the receipt of your Letter of the 10th
Instant and to inform you that no inti-
-mation has been received in this Offic
from Colombo of the refund of 7 Pagodas, 75
Seventy Five by Captain Watts of His
Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot on Account
of the late Paymaster claiming same.

I have &c &c

Accountt Genls Offic (Signed) Geo Garrow

Fort St. George

12th October 1812 A true Copy P. Bruce Actg Genl
m. a. f.

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I do hereby certify that Captain Watts of the Majesty's 19th Regiment reported amongst other retrenchments made against him at Madras two Sums namely Rs 433 for Star Pagodas 21, and Rs 434 for Star Pagodas 54, these Sums were with other sums paid into this Office by Captain Watts in March 1812, and brought to the credit of the Government of Fort Saint George in the Account Current of this Office for that Month.

Military Paymaster Gen.l Office
Colombo 17th September 1812

(Signed) A. Cadell Milty. Pay. Genl.

N.47A
Order thereon

Ordered that the following letter be dispatched to the Chief Secretary at Colombo.

To the Honorable John Rodney
Chief Secretary to the Government
at Colombo

Sir,

N.47B
To the Chief Secretary
to

The Honorable the
Governor

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to the Government at Colombo. Enclosing a Statement of Retrenchments against Captain Watts of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot which have been omitted, and requesting that any part of the amount retrenched which may have been refunded by Captain Watts at Colombo may be repaid to him and written back to the debit of this Government.—

Governor in Council having been pleased on the recommendation of the Military Auditor General at Fort St. George to relieve Captain Watts of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot from the demand exhibited against him in the inclosed Statement of Retrenchments from the Pension of the late Paymaster in Travancore, I am directed to signify His request that any part of the Amount being Pagodas 110 which Captain Watts may have refunded at Colombo may be repaid to that Officer under the authority of His Excellency the Governor of Ceylon, and be written back to the Debit of this Government.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
Signed G. Strachey
Sec.y to Government

Ordered

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No 48
Order thereon

Ordered that the Accountant General and the Military Auditor General be furnished with Copies of the foregoing Letter.

Read the following Letter from the Commissary General to George Strachey Esq. Secretary to Government in the Military Department

Sir,

No 49
From the Commissary General respecting a supply of Bengal Salted Provisions.—

I have the honor of addressing to you Secretary Bale under date the 24th of April 1811, I recommended that an application should be made to the Supreme Government for a supply of a quantity of Bengal Salt Provisions which might be sufficient to repay the amount due to the Crown and to leave a surplus for the current expenditure

15728.. Fort St. George 20th October 1812

Expenditure of Fort Saint George and for the use
of the Troops at Goa.—

2 With reference to that Com-
-munication and to my Letter to your address
dated the 13th of April last reporting that
in obedience to the directions conveyed to me
in the Chief Secretary's Letter under date
the 24th of March, I had delivered to the Con-
tractors for Victualling His Majesty's Navy
1,500 Tierces of the Salted provisions Consigned
from Bengal, I have now the honor to state
for the information of the Honorable the
Governor in Council that I have dispatched
285 Tierces on the Brig Candor Ceylon to
the Deputy Assistant Commissary General
at Goa the Stores at that Station having
been destitute of Salt provisions since
the period of the embarkation of His
Majesty's 78th Regiment in March 1811.

3 The freight for these
provisions

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provisions has been arranged at two Pagodas per Tierce one half to be paid here and the remainder on their delivery at Goa, a rate which may be considered extremely reasonable when it is known that the contractors for victualling the Navy are now paying a higher sum for freight from Calcutta.-

4 It may be proper for me to add that the quantity of Salt Provisions now in Store at Fort Saint George is sufficient to meet the Ordinary demands of the Service.-

Fort St. George
20 October 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c &c
Sgnd Wm Thomson

Wm Thomson
Esqr

Ordered that the following
reply be dispatched to the Commissary Genl
viz.

To

15730 .. Fort St. George 20th October 1812

To the Commissary General

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter dated the 8th Instant, and to inform you that the Honorable the Governor in Council approves of your having sent 285 Tuns of Salt pursuant to Gov.r Instructions, and that the rate of freight is satisfactory.—

I have &c.
Signed W.m Thackeray
Chief Secy to Government

No 51
To the Commissary General, the Government approve of his having sent 285 Tuns of Salt pursuant to Gov.r Instructions to Goa— the rate of freight is satisfactory.—

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20th October 1812

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Sir,

Read the following Letters

In consequence of Mr. Secretary Thackeray's Letter of the 7th Instant I have the honor to enclose for submission to the Honorable the Governor in Council, Copy of a Letter addressed to the Presidency Paymaster

No 52
From the Accountant Genl enclosing Copy of a Correspondence with the Paymaster at the Presidency relative to the arrears due to the late Lieutenant Leslie.

15731 Fort St George 20th October 1813

Paymaster by this Department on the Subject of the arrears due to the late Lieutenant Locke together with his Answer from which it appears that the last pay was for August and arrears for July drawn by the deceased and that there is due to his Estate the Pay & allowances from that period to the day of his Death, the 2d September last.

Accountant Genl Office
Fort St George
16th October 1813

I have the honor to be
&c &c &c
I Sgnd Geo Garrow
Acct Genl

To the Paymaster
at the Presidency

Sir

I am directed by the accountant General to inform you that a report has been directed to be made of the arrears due to the late Lieutenant Locke of the 3d Regiment

15732.. Fort St. George 20th October 1812

Regiment Native Cavalry who died on
board Ship in the roads. Have
to request that you will at your
first convenience state the period to
which the late Lieutenant Locke
received his Pay and allowances from
your Office —

Accountant Genl. Office
Fort St. George
10th October 1812

I am
Sir
Your Obt
Servt
Signed J. Blair
Asst Adjt General

To the Accountant General

Sir,

The amount of the arrears
due to the late Lieutenant J. Locke
of the 3d Regiment Native Cavalry died
the 2d September last is still unpaid —
as the agent of his Brother did not
sign the receipt the late pay Account
by the deceased from this Office & the
Pay

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Pay for august and allowances for July 1812.-

Fort S. George
13th October 1812

Sam Fcu Fcu
(Signed) J. A. Casamajor
Brig Paymaster

True Copies
(Signed) Geo Moore
D. A. Genl

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort S. George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknow-
ledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Strachey's
Letter under date the 7th Instant and to
acquaint you for the information of the
Honorable the Governor in Council that
the late Lieutenant Lacke died on the
2d September last on board of the Honora-
ble Company's Ship David Scott Command-
ed by his Brother Captain Lacke. that
Gentleman

No 53
From the Town Major
of Fort St George stating
that Lieutenant Lacke
died at Sea in September
last, and that his
brother took possession
of his effects.-

15734 Fort St. George 20th October 1812.

Gentleman took possession of his deceased Brother's effects which were of very little Value and according to information that I have received from Mr Arbuthnot paid his debts to the amount of a thousand Star Pagodas.

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

I Signed J. T. Fraser

Town Major

Town Majors Office

Fort St. George

14th October 1812

N. 54
Order thereon

Ordered in Consequence that the following Letter be dispatched to the Solicitor for the Honorable Company. —

To Mr. Robert Orme

Solicitor for the Honorable Company at

Fort St. George

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to desire that you will submit the enclosed Original papers relative to the

N. 55
To the Solicitor for the Honorable Company directing him to submit to the advocate General certain enclosed Original papers relative to the estate of the late Lieutenant Lock in order to obtain his opinion as to the mode in which the arrears of pay and allowances due to that Officer at the

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the time of his decease should be disposed of.

the estate of the late Lieutenant Lacke
of this Establishment to the Advocate
General and that you will ascertain
his Opinion with respect to the manner
in which it will be proper to dispose
of the arrears of pay and allowances due
to that Officer at the time of his decease

I am

Sir. Sir

Your Obt Hble Servt

Sydney G. Strachey

Secretary to Government

Fort St George

20th October 1812

Lush.

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List of Original papers forwarded in a letter to the Solicitor of the Honorable Company dated 20.th October 1812

No.		
1	Cons 18.th September 1812 from M.r John Lasite	11.th Sept.r 1812
2	D.o ... Extracts from the Minutes of Consultation	18.th d.o d.o
3	Cons. 6.th October From Military Secy to the Commissioner Chief	29.th d.o d.o
4	D.o Extract from the Minutes of Consultation	6.th Oct.r do
5	Cons 20.th October From Town Major of Fort S.t George	14.th d.o do
6	D.o From Accountant General with an Enclosure	16.th d.o do

Signed G.o Stracheys Secy to Govern.t

Fort S.t George
20.th October 1812

Read

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Read the following letter

from the Town Major of Fort St. George

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to transmit for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council the inclosed Certificate of the Insanity of a Native Man named John Westfall in consequence of which I have given orders for his reception into the Lunatic Hospital.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient

Humble Servant

Signed J. S. Fraser

Town Major

Fort St. George

Med.l Board Office

9th October 1812

I do hereby certify that I have this

A36

From the Town Major of Fort St. George enclosing a Certificate of the insanity of a person named, John Westfall, and stating that he has given orders for his admission into the Lunatic Asylum.

Town Majors Office

Fort St. George

10th October 1812

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This day duly examined John Westfall a patient from the General Hospital sent for examination to the Office of the Medical Board and that I have found him to be marked a State of Mental Derangement that I recommend him as a fit Subject for the Lunatic Asylum -

(Signed) A. Watson M.D.
President Mr Board

" Henry Harris M.D.
2 Member Mr Board

Sup the Presidency Division

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter be furnished to the Mile Lary Auditor General for his information

Read the following letters from the Secretary at Fort St George and from the British Envoy at Goa

To George Strachey Esq
Secretary to Government
at Fort St George

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge

N° 57
Order thereon

N° 58
From the Secretary to the Government at Fort William transmitting Copy of a letter from

15739

Fort St. George 26th October 1812

From the Commissary Genl
at Bengal, and stating that the Right Hble the Governor General in Council approves of the mode therein proposed for adjusting the claims of the Sun Lascars mentioning in the letter from that Government under date the 28th ultimo.

I acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st ultimo and to transmit to you the enclosed Copy of an address under date the 19th Instant from the Commissary General to whom it was referred.

The mode of proceeding which Lieutenant Colonel Wegulin proposes to adopt with a view to the adjustment of the claim of the Sun Lascars has obtained the approbation and sanction of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

Council Chamber
26th Septr 1812

I have &c.
(Signed) J. Adam
Secy to Govt

To John Adam Esqr
Secretary to Government
Military Department

Sir,

I have had the honor to
Receive

15740 Fort St. George 20th October 1812

Received your Letter No 163 transmitting by Direction of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council Copy of a Letter from Fort St. George and of Correspondence thereon referred to with instructions to proceed to the adjustment of the claims of the Seven Lascars therein mentioned

2 In reply I have the honor to State for the Information of His Lordship in Council that there are no documents or Accounts on this Office which could enable me to examine or adjust those claims all such papers and Information being with Major Campbell Deputy Commissary General in charge of the Department on the Java Expedition to which they have reference who alone possesses the Means of ascertaining the extent of Compensation to which the claimants are entitled

I-

15741 Fort St. George 20th October 1812

3 I therefore propose with the
Sanction of this Lordship in Council to transmit
to Major Campbell Copies of the Correspondence
accompanying your address with Instructions
to proceed to the adjustment of the claims of
the parties in question, and to forward a
Statement of the account to the Commissary
General at Fort Saint George together with
an Order for the amount placing the same
to the Debit of the Expedition —

I have &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) Thos M. Wegueline

Commy General

Comm Gen[l] Office
Fort William
19th September 1812

(A true Copy)

(Signed) J. Adam

Secy to Govt

To George Strachey Esqr

Secretary to the Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

I am directed by the Right
Honorable

No. 59
From Ditto The Board
of Trade will be
instructed to forward
this

1742 Fort St. George 20th October 1812

the Stores of H.M. 30th Regiment by the first favorable opportunity, the intention of the Honble the Governor in Council to bring to the notice of the Honble the Court of Directors the Subject of the Stores for H.M. Regiments shipped on the Honorable Company's Ships is approved.

Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 4th Instant with its enclosures relative to the inconvenience frequently experienced by His Majesty's Regiments from the improper description of their Stores on board of the Ships of the Honorable Company, and in reply to acquaint you for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council that the Board of Trade will be instructed to forward to Fort Saint George by the first favorable Opportunity, the Stores of His Majesty's 30th Regiment of Foot which have been brought round to Fort William on board of the Honorable Company's Ship City of London

2 His Lordship in Council entirely approves the intention of the Governor in Council of Fort Saint George to bring the Subject of the Stores for His Majesty's Regiments shipped on the Honorable

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Fort St George 20th October 1812

Honorable Company's Ships under the Notice of the
Honorable the Court of Directors

Fort William
the 26th September 1812

Jain, &ca &c.

I Signed J. Adam
Secy to Govt

To George Strachey Esqre
&ca &ca &ca

Fort St George

Sir,

No 60.

I was the British Envoy at Goa's his Opinion that a Company should not be detached to Sedashagur until the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry arrives at Goa from Bombay: his Opinion has been Communicated to the Officer Commanding at Goa -

I have the honor to acknowledge your dispatch of the 18th ultimo intimating that it was deemed advisable that one Company of Native Infantry should be detached from the auxiliary Force at Goa to Sedashagur and that the Commanding Officer has been furnished with Provisional instructions to that effect but that if I was aware of any objection to the intended movement, to request I would state the same for the information of the Officer Commanding who in that case would be guided by my instructions -

In-

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Fort St George 20th October 1812

In consequence of the march
of the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment Madras Native
Infantry from Goa on the 30th ultimo the re-
duced State of the Goa auxiliary force from
that cause, as well as the probability of
shortly requiring 300 Men in this quarter
I am of opinion the detaching to Sedasheger
a Company should be suspended for the present
or until the arrival here of the 2d Battalion
13th Regiment Madras Native Infantry from
Bangalore. These Sentiments I have Conveyed to
the Officer Commanding at Goa and have also
transmitted to him Copy of your address now
acknowledged.

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) C Strachey

Envoy

amp at Madoor

iant Territory

October 1812

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government

Fort St George

Sir

My letter to your address of the

Bey
the British
Envoy

15745 Fort St. George 20th October 1812

Envoy at Poonah relative to the Invasion of the Territory by the Regt.

The 2d Instant will have acquainted you for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council that I had furnished Copies of the Letters I received from the Secretary to Government Bombay intimating that it was not in the power of that Government to afford the accommodation required for the Invasion of His Majesty's by the Regiment to the Officer Commanding the Goa Auxiliary Force.

2 I have now the honor to transmit Copy of a letter from that Officer in reply thereto and in which he suggests the propriety of application being made to the Government of Bombay for Tonnage to convey them to Fort Saint George also Copy of my Answer in return —

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient

humble Servant

(Signed) C. Schuyler.

Envoy

Vengorla

9th October 1812

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Fort St. George 20th October 1812

To Captain Schuyler

B. Envoy &ca &ca

Camp at Madras

Sir

I have the honor to ac-
knowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd
Instant with enclosures, being copies of the
His Excellency the Commander in Chief and
Secretary to Government of Bombay's letter
and in reply I beg leave to suggest the
propriety of application being made to the
Bombay Government for Tonnage for the
conveyance of those now to Madras by
Sea, many of them being complete cripples
and incapable of Quarching

I have the honor to be
Sir
&ca &ca

(Signed) J. M. Cagl Lt Colt
Comg B A F.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) C. Schuyler
Envoy
Lieutenant

Cabo de Goa
4th October 1812

15745

Fort St. George 20th October 1812

Envoy at Gen. Watson
on the subject of his
Ch. of 4th Regt.

The 2d Instant will have acquainted you
for the information of the Honorable the
Governor in Council that I had furnish'd
Copies of the Letters I am much oblig'd by the Secre-
tary's Contained in your Letter to me of the 6th Inst.
Sanctioning to the Government of Bombay for
Passages to Convey the Invalids of His Majesty's
Regiments to Madras in Consequence of the critical
State of many of them: this application I should
have made, but as the Monsoon sets in on the
Coromandel Coast the 15th Instant, I am induced
to suppose no Ships or Vessels would proceed from
Bombay to Madras during its Continuance, it
also appears to me by the Military Secretary's
letter of this Contents, the Commander in Chief
to the address of the Secretary to Government
in the Military Department that in the
event of this Suggestion of the Officer Command-
ing His Majesty's 69th Regiment being found
impracticable or inexpedient they are to pro-
ceed

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Fort S. George 20th October 1812

To Captain Schuyler

B. Envoy &c &c &c

Camp at Madras

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that the Commissariat Department at this Presidency has received Orders to supply such of the Troops of his Majesty as may arrive in a crippled State or any others that are unable to march with Doolies, and which I understand may be expected particularly as a detachment of his Majesty's 69th Regiment may shortly be expected to arrive at Goa and the doolies which they will bring with them may be applied to the use of the Invalids -

I have the honor to be

Sir &c &c

Signed Schuyler

Envoy.

Verger Lake

2 October 1812

A True Copy

Signed Schuyler

Envoy

Addressed

1541

Fort S. George 20th October 1812

Lieutenant Colonel Ogg

Commanding the British auxiliary Force

Goa

Sir,

I I

am much obliged by the Sugges-
tion contained in your letter to me of the 4th Instant
of my applying to the Government of Bombay for
Passage to convey the Invalids of this Troops by the
Regiment to Madras in Consequence of the difficulty
state of many of them: this application I should
have made, but as the Monsoon set in on the
Coromandel Coast the 15th Instant, I am induced to
suppose no Ships or Vessels would proceed from
Bombay to Madras during its Continuance, it
also appears to me by the Military Secretary's
letter of his Excellency the Commander in Chief
to the address of the Secretary to Government
in the Military Department that in the
event of the Suggestion of the Officer Comman-
ding His Majesty's 69th Regiment being found
impracticable or inexpedient they are to pro-

ceed

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Fort St George 23rd October 1812

proceed to Fort Amherstburg. I am therefore led
to conclude it is intended they should march
Overland to the abovementioned place, and
that the Commissariat Department
should supply such of the Invalids as are in
a crippled state or any others that are unable
able to march with Packs, and which
I understand may be effected particularly
as a detachment of His Majesty's 41st Regi-
ment may shortly be expected to arrive
at York and the packs which they must
bring with them may be applied to the
use of the Invalids -

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
Sign'd J Schuyler
Envoy

Venerable
23 October 1812

[True Copy]
Sign'd J Schuyler
Envoy

Addressed

1547

Fort St. George 20th October 1812

Lieutenant Colonel Ogg

Commanding the British auxiliary Force

Goa

Sir,

I am much Obliged by the Sugges-
tion contained in your letter to me of the 4th Instant
for my applying to the Government of Bombay for
Tonnage to convey the Invalids of His Majesty's 69th
Regiment to Madras in Consequence of the crippled
State of many of them. This application I should
have made, but as the Mansoon set in on the
Coromandel Coast the 15th Instant, I am induced to
suppose no Ships or Vessels would proceed from
Bombay to Madras during its Continuance, it
also appears to me by the Military Secretary's
letter of His Excellency the Commander in Chief
to the address of the Secretary to Government
in the Military Department that in the
event of the Suggestion of the Officer Comman-
ding His Majesty's 69th Regiment being found
impracticable or inexpedient they are to pro-
ceed

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Fort St. George 25th October 1812

proceed to Pondamalee, I am therefore led
to conclude it is intended they should march
Overland to the aforementioned place, and
that the Commissariat Department
should supply such of the Invalids as are in
a crippled State or any others that are unfit
-able to march with Doolies, and which
I understand may be effected particularly
as a detachment of his Majesty's 6th Regt
-ment may shortly be expected to arrive
at Goa and the doolies which they will
bring with them may be applied to the
use of the Invalids -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obt Servt
Sgnd C Schuyler
Envoy

Vengo Lake
25 October 1812

True Copy
Sgnd C Schuyler
Envoy

Ordered

15749

Fort St George 29th October 1812

№62
Order thereon

Ordered that Copies of the
foregoing Letters be furnished to the Commander
in Chief

Read the following Letter
from the Secretary to the Government at
Bombay

To George Strachey Esqre
Secretary to Government
at Fort St George

№63
From the Secretary
to the Government
of Bombay stating
that Lieutenant
Blacker has drawn
two Bills on the Go
vernment at Bombay
for Rupees 11,000-

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Hono
rable the Governor in Council to acquaint
you for the information of the Honorable the
Governor in Council at Fort Saint George
that Lieutenant St. John Blacker of the
Medical Establishment has drawn on this
Government two Bills &c 29 for Rupees
(6000) Six thousand and №30 for Rupees
(5000) five thousand, which will be ac
cepted on presentation and the amount
debited

7750.

Fort St George 26th October 1812

Secret to the Government of Fort Saint George.

Bombay Castle
30th September 1812

No 64
Orderd Chauvin

I have the honor to be &c &c &c
Signed J. Farish
Secy to Govmt

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be transmitted to the Commander in Chief Secret Committee Military General for his information and guidance

Read the following Letter from James Bridges private in the 1st Battalion His Majesty's 24th Regiment dated at Calcutta -

To J. H. Pole Esqre
Secretary to Government
Fort St George

No 65
From James Bridges a private in the 1st Battalion 24th Regt dated at Fort Wm - stating his claim to Seringapatam and praying his Name may be inserted in the Roll of Merit and expressing his hope that he may receive a medal on account of the Capture of Seringapatam

Honored Sir,

I have taken the liberty to trouble you with a few lines on the subject of my claim of Prize Money for the Capture of Seringapatam

15751

Fort S. George 20th October 1812

Seringapatam and also for that of Pondicherry in the year 1793 at both of which Captures, I had the honor of serving in this Majesty's 74th Regiment of Foot. In my former Letter I briefly stated my claim with some thing of the Nature of the arduous Service I was Employed on, but as I fear my Letter did not come to your hand, I make bold to Repeat some of the outlines thereof for your and the Satisfaction of all those Concerned. I served in the above Regiment and was present at the Capture of Pondicherry where I got severely wounded and I understand that payment has been made for the same, of which I have not received anything. I was also present with the Regiment at the Capture of Seringapatam where I Volunteered myself for the Forlorn Hope to Mount the breach under the Command of Lieutenant Hill of His Majesty's 74th Foot. I was one of the Sixty that General Baird first posted at the Entrance of the Palace Gate. I have received the

first

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Fort St George 20th October 1812

first part of Payment amounting to Eighteen Star

Pagodas for the same previous to my leaving the County the Judge

and Understand that Steps have been taken to that has been

that time present. I should be happy in being honor-

ed with one, not for its Value but as an Honorable

= ble badge of his some degree Intitled and Meritorious me

Service, and a lasting token of the approbation of my fellow=

Country. I hope your Honor will not Consider this

as an

by any means Boasting any Superior degree of Patriot-

or making a claim of such a trifle, but as I am

getting an Old Soldier this with other docu-

ments may be the means of future promotion

tion should divine providence spare me until

my Service is no further needful. -

I most humbly hope Honored Sir

you will have the goodness to pardon this together

with my former application on the Subject

and the Condescension to give some direction as

and how and the purport of my claim which when

finally adjusted you will have the goodness to

transmit

to

15753

Fort St. George 20th October 1812

transmit to your Honour more judicious judgement than I think
meet and your condescending Compliance will confer the
most lasting Obligation on an old Veteran who is with the
most dutyful respect and Obedience your Honour's much
obliged most humble Servant to Command

Fort William
10th April 1812

Signed James Bridges Genl. H.M. 15th & 24th Regts

I believe the above to be a correct Statement—

Signed R Marriott Lt. Col. H.M. 24th Regt.

Ordered in Consequence that the
following Letters be Dispatched.

No 66
Order thereon

To Messrs. Colt Hart Weston & Co.

Officiating Prize Agents for the Captors of Pondicherry

No 67
to the officiating Prize agents for the Captors of Pondicherry—
covering Letters from Genl. James Bridges of the 24th Regt. of Foot, and directing them to state the amount of Prize Money due to him on account of the Capture of Pondicherry. If his claims be well founded application will be made to the Supreme Government for liquidation of the amount due in Prize &c. In the mean time it may be paid by the Prize agents into the Genl. Treasury.

Gentlemen,

1st

I am directed by the Honorable the
Governor in Council to transmit to you the enclosed
Copies of Letters from Genl. James Bridges of his
Majesty's 24th Regiment of Foot, and to request that you
will ascertain and state to me for the information
of the Governor in Council the amount of Prize
Money which may be due to that Soldier on
account

15754

Fort St. George 20th October 1812

account of the Capture of Pondicherry at the Siege
of which place it would appear that he has served
as a private in His Majesty's 74th Regiment.

2 If the claim should be found Valid
it is the intention of the Governor in Council
to request the Supreme Government that direc-
tions may be given for its liquidation in Bengal,
and in the mean time you may pay the amount
into the General Treasury of Fort Saint George

Fort St George
20 October 1812

Sam. Fr. Fr.
Sam. J. Strachey Sey to Govt

To His Excellency Lieut. Genl. Sir S. Auchmuty K.B.
Commander in Chief

No 68

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Go-
vernor in Council to transmit to your Excellency the en-
closed Copy of a letter from Lieutenant James Bridgens of His Majesty's
24th Regiment of Foot, and to request that he shall be entitled
to the Prize Bread for which he has applied on account
of the Capture of Seringapatam directions may be
given for sending one to this Office to be forwarded

to

* To the Commander in Chief for having Copy of a letter from Lieutenant James Bridgens of H.M. 24th Regiment of Foot, and requesting that if His Excellency considers his claims to a Seringapatam Prize Bread to be well founded, orders may be given for sending one to this Office for transmission to Bengal.

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Fort St. George 20th October 1812

To the Secretary at Fort William

Fort St. George
20th October 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your

Signed / G. Strachey

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Your

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