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Received the following Letter.

To George Strachey Esqr.

Secretary to Government &c &c &c

Sir,

No. 1

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief - With papers from Head Quarters in India Relative to the application of the Court of Directors for Copies of all Courts Martial -

The Commander in Chief having, in pursuance of his intention expressed in my Letter to your address, of the 12th of August last, addressed His Excellency Sir George Nugent, regarding the requisition of the Honorable Court of Directors, to be furnished with Copies of all Courts Martial on the Officers of His Majesty and the Honorable Company, under this Presidency, I am now directed to request, that the Accompanying Copies of a Letter and enclosure, from Head Quarters in India, on this Subject, may be laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council.

I have the honor to be &c &c

Commr. in Chiefs Office

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(Signed) Hugh Scott
Mily Secy.
Captain

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I have the honor to be &c &c

Comm.r in Chief's Office

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(Signed) Hugh Scott
Mily Secy.
Captain

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Captain Scott Military Secretary to His Excellency

Lieutenant General Sir S. Auchmuty &c. &c.

Sir,

I have not failed to submit to the Commander in Chief, your letter of the 15th ult. August, with its enclosures, Copies "Extract of Military Letter to "Bengal dated the 16th ult. February 1810 Paragraphs 106 & 107." (communicated to Lieutenant General Sir Samuel Auchmuty by order of the Honorable the Governor in Council of Fort St. George) expressive of the instructions of the Honorable Court of Directors, that "Copies of the "Proceedings of all Courts Martial held in India — "whether upon His Majesty's or their own Troops", — should be transmitted to the Honorable Court. —

As also of Lieutenant General Sir Samuel Auchmuty's Reply to that Communication. —

And I have received the directions of the Commander in Chief, to acquaint you, for the Lieutenant Generals' information, that His Excellency fully coincides in the opinion expressed by Lieutenant

General

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General Sir Samuel Auchmuty, on the difficulty of reconciling the wishes of the Honorable Court, to the letter and Spirit of the 28th. and 29th. Clauses of the Mutiny Act now in Force.—

In elucidation of this Subject I am instructed to transmit to you the accompanying Copy of a Letter addressed by order of the late Commander in Chief Lieutenant General Hewett, to the Secretary to the Supreme Government in the Military Department, on the precise Subject of your Communication.—

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

/Signed/ Alex.r McGregor Murray
M. S.

Head Quarters, Camp.
Saakepore 9th. December
1812.—

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ H. Scott.
M. S.

To John Adam Esq.r

Secretary to Government Mily Depart.
&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I have received the honor of
your

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your letter of the 8th September last, forwarding extracts from a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors dated 16th February 1810, and intimating the request of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, that the Commander in Chief would be pleased to state whether he is aware of any objection to the transmission to the Honorable Court, of the Proceedings of Courts Martial held on His Majesty's Officers and Soldiers in India. —

I am in reply directed by the Commander in Chief to acquaint you, for the information of His Lordship in Council, that, as it would not be in His Excellency's power to furnish the Honorable Court of Directors with Copies of the Proceedings of General Courts Martial, which are referred to England for His Majesty's decision, and, as all proceedings of General Courts Martial held on the King's Troops in India, are forwarded in original to the Judge Advocate General at home, His Excellency begs to submit, whether, it would not be preferable in every point of view, for the

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the Honorable Court to procure the Copies Required, from one Source only, Rather than obtain a part from this Country, and the Remainder (in General those of most importance) from the Office of the Judge Advocate General in England. —

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

Head Quarters.

Calcutta.

25th December 1810. —

/Signed/ P. Carey

Mily Secy.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ A: M: Murray

M. S.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ H. Scott

M. S.

Sent the following Letters entered in MB. Nos. 32 - 33 - 34 - 35 - 36 - 37 - 38 - 39 - 40 - 41 - 42 - 43 - 44. —

To His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Samuel Auchmuty - With Extract from the Proceedings in Council of this date. —

To the Commander in Chief -

To the Military Board - With Copy of a letter from Port Louis respecting the horses transferred to

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to that establishment for the Madras Cavalry.—

To the Military Board — Petition of certain Store Lascars who served against Ceylon, to be Reported on — Extract from the Proceedings in Council of the 8th Instant enclosed.—

To the Military Board.—

To the Marine Board — With Copy of a Letter from the Town Major, Reporting the number of Invalids for whom Charter party passages will be Required by the present fleet.—

To the Marine Board.—

To Ditto — Copy of a Letter from the Adjutant General, enclosed — The Town Major to be apprized of the first opportunity of sending the Matross therein mentioned, to new South Wales.—

To Ditto —

To the Board of Trade — With Extract from the Proceedings in Council of the 15th Ultimo.—

To the Board of Trade.

To the Military Auditor General — Authority to be given for the Admission of the Charge and the payment of the bills Recommended in the Military Board's letter of the 17th Ultimo.—

To the Military Auditor General.

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To the Military Auditor General—

To the Military Auditor General— Sums Advanced at Bombay and Fort Cornwallis on Account of this Presidency to be Adjusted.—

To Ditto— Establishment proposed

To Ditto— for the Pay Office at Cuddapah to be Reported on.—

To the Commissary General—

To the Commissary General— He is Authorized to contract for 36 draught Bullocks, and 106 Carriage bullocks, to be held in Readiness at the Presidency.—

To the Commissary General—

To Ditto— With Copy of a Letter from the Resident in Mysoor of the 3d Ultimo:—

To the Town Major of Fort St.

To the Town Major of Fort St. George— George— The Matross mentioned in an enclosed Copy of a letter from the Adjutant General to

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be kept in custody till an opportunity occurs of sending him to new South Wales, of which the Town Major will be apprized by the Marine Board. —

To Mr. Gardiner - With a letter from the Commissary General — at Madras to the Commissary General in Bengal —

To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William —

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At a Consultation

Present.

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

Governor and President

His Excellency
Lieutenant General Sir S. Auchmuty K.B.

Commander in Chief—

Tuesday the
12th January 1813.

Thomas Oakes
and
I. H. Casamaijor } Esqrs.

Minutes of last Consultation read

and approved.—

Read the following letters from

the Adjutant General of the Army.—

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

By desire of the Commander in

Chief I have the honor to Report for the Information

of

No. 2.
From the Adjutant General of the Army Reporting Casualty and Recommending a promotion in the 3 Regt. Native Infantry

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of the Honorable the Governor in Council that Lieut.
Henry Dixon of the 2d. Battalion 3d. Regiment Native
Infantry died at Calicut on the 26th. December 1812,
and to add the Recommendation of His Excellency that
the following Promotion may be ordered in consequence
of that Event.—

3d. Regiment N. I.

Ensign Jn.o Gordon Morison to be Lieut. vice Dixon deceased,
Date of Commission 27th. December 1812.

Adjt. Generals Office
Fort St. George
4th. January 1813.—

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ T. A. S. Conway
Adjt. Gen.l of the Army

No. 3
Order thereon.

Ordered that the promotion recommended in the foregoing letter be directed to take place.—

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

No. 4
From the Adjutant General of the Army
Captain Brown of the 2d. Regiment N. I.
Requests permission to go to the Cape of Good Hope or St. Helena or

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

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or eventually to England on Sick Certificate — Lieutenant Colonel Gurnell of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry Requests permission to go to Sea on Sick Certificate —

The accompanying Applications from Military Officers.

1. ——— Application from Captain R. Burn of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry and Deputy Judge Advocate Soliciting permission to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope or St. Helena and eventually to England, on Sick Certificate. —

2. ——— Application from Lieutenant Colonel Gurnell of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry Soliciting permission to proceed to Sea on Sick Certificate. —

I have the honor to be &c &c

/Signed/ F. H. S. Conway

Adjt. Genl. of the Army

Adjt. Generals Office

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To The Honorable the Governor in Council

Fort St. George.

Honorable Sir,

I have the honor to request the permission of your Honorable Board to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope or St. Helena, and eventually to England for the recovery of my health, according to the recommendation contained in

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in the enclosed Certificate. —

Camp at Coodoorenhutty
29th December 1812. —

I have the honor to be &c &c
/Signed/ Richd. Burn Captn.
2 - Bn. 2 - Regt.

Camp near Coodoorenhutty 29th December 1812.

We W. E. E. Conwell and T. Bradbury Surgeons
of London
Do hereby declare on Oath that we are
of opinion it is absolutely necessary that Captain R.
Burn should leave this Country and proceed to the
Cape of Good hope, or St. Helena and Eventually to
Europe for the Recovery of his health: So help us God.

Disease . . . . .
Deranged Prostate Gland
and General Debility

/Signed/ W. E. E. Conwell Asst Surgeon
Thos. Bradbury Asst Surgeon

Sworn before me this Day
29th December 1812.

/Signed/ W Dowse Lt. Col. —
Comng. Field Force.

/Signed/ W. Fallowfield.
Staff Surgeon field force

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To The Honorable Sir Gy. H. Barlow Bt. & K B.

Governor in Council &c &c &c

Honorable Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith a Surgeon's Certificate which strongly recommends my proceeding to Sea with the least possible delay, for the reestablishment of my health, I therefore request permission to proceed to Sea and to be absent six Months, as I have not experienced that benefit from the Air on the Sea Coast that was expected when I left the Mysore Country, and am now from Repeated Relapses in a more debilitated State than on my first arrival here.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

Pondicherry

3d January 1813.—

/Signed/ T. Gurnell

Lieut Col. 2. Bn 18 Regt

This is to certify, that Lieutenant Colonel Gurnell, 18th Regiment Native Infantry, has been at this Station for some months past in a very debilitated State of health from Catarrhal and Rheumatic Complaints

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complaints and has experienced repeated relapses, it is therefore my firm opinion that nothing but a voyage to sea will be of permanent benefit to him, and I do hereby strongly recommend his proceeding to sea with the least possible delay.—

Pondicherry
2d January 1813.—

/Signed/ C. Simson Gar.r & Lot.t
Surgeon

No 5
Resolution thereon

Resolved that Captain R. Burn of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry be permitted to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope, or St. Helena, and eventually, to England, on Sick certificate, and Lieutenant Colonel Gurnell of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Sea on Sick Certificate.

Read the following Letters from the Military Board.

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

Honorable Sir,

No 6
From the Military Board
Receipt of Letters acknowledged. an Indent has been passed on the Commissary General for the Sick Carriage required

1. We have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of two letters from the Secretary to Government in

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Required to Complete the Establishment of the Army.—

	Doolies	Doolies new Construction	Mussalchis
Fort St. George	50.	50.	"
Masulipatam	"	40.	"
Quilon	"	70.	"
Goa	20.	"	50
	70.	160.	50

in the Military Department dated the 24th and 28th Instant, and to Report that the necessary orders have been given in consequence.—

2. At the Requisition of the Quarter Master General, we have passed an Indent on the Commissary General for the amount of Sick Carriage noted in the Margin, Required to complete the Estab: blishment for the Army, which measure, we trust will receive the Sanction of your Honor in Council.—

We have the honor to be &c.

Fort St. George.
31st December 1812.

C. Trapaud
Rob. Bell
/Signed/ P. Bruce
N. Blacker
W. Morison

No 7.
Minute thereon.

The Governor in Council approves the Indent passed on the Commissariat under the Authority of the Military Board for the Carriage Required to complete the establishment for the Sick of the Army.—

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To The Honorable Sir G. H. Barlow Bt. & K.B.

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

Honorable Sir,

No. 8

From the Military Board - Explaining the object they had in view in recommending that timber should be supplied to His Majesty's Navy from the Company's Stores; and the terms on which they proposed to supply it.

1. We have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of a letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department dated the 22d Instant, communicating the Sentiments of your Honor in Council upon the Subject adverted to in our Reports of the 22d October and 26th November, and in obedience to the instructions conveyed in the Resolution of the above date, we have the honor to state that we considered the Removal of all competition in the Market as a measure most likely to ensure Supplies of Timber being procured at the cheapest rates, and the quantity which might be required for His Majesty's Navy would of course be delivered at the prices which it might actually cost the Honorable Company.

2. As the Sentiments expressed in the Resolution of your Honor in Council, and which are proposed

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proposed to be communicated in Reply to the Resident Commissioner, coincide entirely with those which we have entertained on this Subject, we conceive it unnecessary to offer any further observations in Support of a measure suggested for the sole object of producing mutual advantage to the Crown and the Honorable Company.—

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

C. Trapaud.
Rol. Bell.
/Signed/ P. Bruce
N. Blacker
W. Morison

Fort St. George.
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No 9.
Order thereon

Ordered that a letter be dispatched to the Resident Commissioner in conformity with the tenor of the Resolution passed by the Governor in Council on the 22d Ultimo.—

Read the following letter from the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency.—

William

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William Thackeray Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

Sir,

No. 10
From the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency - submitting a letter from the Rev. Mr Thomas Representing that the Church at Bangalore is not yet completed -

I have the honor to transmit the accompanying Letter from the Reverend W. Thomas Chaplain at Bangalore, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council. Mr. Thomas's Statement is a Correct one, and it is much to be regretted that any impediment should exist to prevent the completing of a Building highly desirable for the accommodation of so Numerous, and so Respectable a Body of European Inhabitants.

I have the honor to be &c.

Egmore
January 8th 1813.

/Signed/ Edward Vaughan
Senior Chaplain

The Reverend Edward Vaughan
Senior Chaplain

Sir,

Fort St. George

I have the honor to address you, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council

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Council on the Subject of the church at this place, It is at present what it was a year ago. Nearly 3000 Pagodas if I am rightly informed, have been already expended upon it, and now the building in its unfinished state, is daily going to ruin, altho' not more than one half of the above Sum as I should conceive, would be necessary to complete it. Lieutenant Colonel Campbell who commands this Cantonment informs me, that the want of timber is the only obstacle to the finishing of the church. I would humbly submit to the consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council the necessity that exists for its completion, as the European population at Bangalore is probably three times the number of that, at any other outstation.

I need not mention to the Honorable the Governor in Council the sacred decency which is attached to a building appropriated solely to the Offices of our Holy Religion, and how much such a Temple tends to excite respect from the

Natives

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Natives of the Country, who while we Refrain from officiously interfering with their own Systems of Religion, will doubtless respect us the more as we guard and foster our own, by all the proper externals of sincere devotion.

Bangalore
December 20th. 1812.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ W. Thomas.
Chaplain.

No. 11.
Order thereon.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter be furnished to the Military Board, and that they be desired to explain the delay which has taken place in constructing the Chapel at Bangalore, & to give the Requisite directions for expediting the completion of that work.

Read the following Petition.

To The Honorable Sir George H. Barlow K.B.
Governor in Council of Fort St. George.

The humble Petition of Ramen formerly a Store Lascar.

No. 12
Petition of Ramen formerly a Store Lascar
Claims

Sheweth,

That your Petitioner after his Return from

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Claims prize Money on Account of the Captures of Amboyna, Banda, and Ternate and Short allowance for the period of his Stay at the two former places.—

from Foreign Service to the Eastward, having heard that early after his embarkation on that Service his Wife had been murdered and plundered of all her property by her murderers, and his Children not to be found, your Petitioner immediately became distracted, forsook his Employment in the Service, and went in Search of his unfortunate offspring, whom he found after a long Search Some at Saulnah and other Countries which Circumstances are well Known to Peer Ramen Syrang; and Naigue of Sepoys Tanjore Ramen, the Supposed Murderer.

That in this interval of your Petitioners' Lunacy, he understands Several Store Lascars have received the Short Allowance for the period of their Stay at Amboyna and Banda, as well as Prize Money for those two Captures, amounting to about 60 Pgs and upwards, your Petitioner begs leave to Submit his Claims to a Similar Extent, on account of Short Allowance and prize for the above places also 5 Jackets.

That your Petitioner is also intitled

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to Prize Money for Ternate, in which none of the Store Lascars have yet Shared, but for which they still look forward to receive.—

That your Petitioner Served the Honorable Company 11 years; and was one of those who supported Captain Walker when he received the Mortal wounds of which he died.—

Your Petitioner, submitting the above Circumstances to your Excellency's humane Consideration, humbly Prays, that what the other Store Lascars received on Account of Amboyna and Banda may be awarded to him, if upon enquiry your Petitioner is found entitled to it And your Petitioner as in duty bound shall ever Pray

No. 13
Order thereon.

Ordered that the foregoing Petition be referred to the Military Board for consideration and report.

Read the following Letter from the Military Auditor General.

To

Fort St. George 12th January 1813.

To The Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. & K.B.

Governor in Council &c &c &c

Honorable Sir,

No. 14
From the Military Auditor General — Forwarding, with Remarks, Copy of a letter from the Deputy Adjutant General King's Troops, who solicits that the allotment of a public Office to him in the Fort, may not prevent his abstract for Office Rent being passed as heretofore.

1. At the Request of Lieutenant Colo. Macgregor Murray Deputy Adjutant General to His Majesty's Troops, I have the honor to submit an Appeal to your Honor in Council as stated in the accompanying Address from that Officer transmitted to me through the Paymaster at the Presidency.

2. Upon the Receipt of Mr. Secretary Strachey's Letter of the 27th November communicating the arrangement which had taken place Respecting the allotment of public Quarters in the Fort for the Offices of the Adjutant General and Quarter Master General of the Army and of the Deputy Adjutant General and Deputy Quarter Master General to the King's Troops, I considered it my duty to give the necessary Instructions to the Paymaster to discontinue payment of the Allowance for Office Rent hitherto drawn by the Principals of those Departments

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Departments respectively as expressed in the letter marked No. 7 which having been duely acted upon by that Officer, has occasioned the present Repre: :sentation.

3. The Deputy Adjutant General to His Majesty's Troops having in support of his claim to the allowance of Fifty Pagodas Monthly for Office Rent as annexed to his appointment, adduced much matter and Argument, part of which may not be deemed immediately Applicable to the Question — I have not therefore considered it Requisite in this Report to enter minutely and to Reply to the Reasoning and Circumstances which are Rather foreign to the point Submitted — And as no doubt can exist Regarding the power being vested in Government of Reducing altering or amending the Establishments and Allowances annexed to every Department under this Presidency by carrying into effect whatever arrange: :ments may be deemed expedient in the judgement of your Honor in Council — In the present case however

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however some distinction may be drawn and appear deserving ~~deserving~~ of favorable consideration from the sentiments and Resolutions of the Honorable Court of Directors cited in the address of the Deputy Adjutant General to the King's Troops as expressed in the Extract (marked No. 4) of a General letter from the Honorable Court in the Military Department under date the 17th of August 1803.

4. In this communication from the Honorable Court it is to be remarked that when the Honorable Court were determining upon the Increase of Salary to the Officer holding the appointment of Deputy Adjutant General to the King's Troops serving under this Presidency, and which had been granted by this Government by the Resolution of Council under date the 25th of July 1801, the confirmation of which however was by the Honorable Court rejected, they had under their Review, not only the Salary annexed to the Situation but every item of the expense of the Office Establishment including the

Pay

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Pay of the Writers and Office Rent for the carrying on the Current business of the Department - In detail: ing of which an Annual Amount of £1926. 13. " is composed - And in the manner in which the obser: vation following upon that income is expressed in the 62. Paragraph of the beforementioned letter from the Honorable Court, Viz. "they consider as fully adequate "to the duties of the Office" From which it may be inferred that the above aggregate Sum was Resolved to be the permanent consolidated Allowance attached to the Situation and on which Account they Refuse to Admit any Increase in particular to the Salary.

5 The Honorable Court having thus precisely enumerated every Item of Expenditure incurred for Carrying on the duties of the Department of the Deputy Adjutant General to the King's Troops and from their observation which followed I cannot but consider that consolidated Allowance as having been fully sanctioned by the Honorable Court, a circumstance strongly favorable to the present application and

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which may impress on the mind of your Honor in Council the propriety of either acceding to the Request of directing the continuing the payment of the Allowance to the Deputy Adjutant Genl. to the King's Troops upon that Officer finding accommo: dation for carrying on the duties of his Office and lodging the Records of the Department - Or should that measure not be deemed expedient in the opinion of your Honor in Council, it may perhaps be considered proper to bring the subject again to the notice of the Honorable Court previous to striking off the allowance. It may also appear proper in conformity with the view taken by the Honorable Court of the Allowances to con: solidate the different Items, which might have the effect to preclude Claims for Office Rent altho' not so well founded being preferred from other Quarters.-

I have the honor to be

Hon. Sir

Your

/Signed/ P. Bruce

M. A. Gl.

Deputy

Military Auditor Genl. Office.

Fort St. George.

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Pay of the Writers and Office Rent for the carrying on the Current business of the Department - In detail: ing of which an Annual Amount of £1926. 13. " is composed - And in the manner in which the obser: vation following upon that income is expressed in the 62. Paragraph of the beforementioned letter from the Honorable Court, Viz.t " they consider as fully adequate "to the duties of the Office" From which it may be inferred that the above aggregate Sum was Resolved to be the permanent consolidated Allowance attached to the Situation and on which Account they Refuse to Admit any Increase in particular to the Salary.

5 The Honorable Court having thus precisely enumerated every Item of Expenditure incurred for Carrying on the duties of the Department of the Deputy Adjutant General to the King's Troops and from their observation which followed I cannot but consider that consolidated Allowance as having been fully sanctioned by the Honorable Court, a circumstance strongly favorable to the present application and

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which may impress on the mind of your Honor in Council the propriety of either acceding to the Request of directing the continuing the payment of the Allowance to the Deputy Adjutant General to the King's Troops upon that Officer finding accommo: dation for carrying on the duties of his Office and lodging the Records of the Department - Or should that measure not be deemed expedient in the opinion of your Honor in Council, it may perhaps be considered proper to bring the subject again to the notice of the Honorable Court previous to striking off the allowance. It may also appear proper in conformity with the view taken by the Honorable Court of the Allowances to con: solidate the different Items, which might have the effect to preclude Claims for Office Rent altho' not to well founded being preferred from other Quarters.-

I have the honor to be

Hon. Sir

Your

/Signed/ P. Bruce

M. A. G.

Deputy

Military Auditor Gen.ls Office.

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To A. Casamajor Esqr.

Military Paymaster

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt, on the 21st of your letter of the 15th Instt. giving Cover to a Communication from the Military Auditor General expressing his inability to pass the allowance, hitherto drawn, on Account of Office Rent by the Officer in Charge of His Majesty's Adjutant Genls' Department, in Consequence of an intimation from the Secretary to Government, on the Authority of a Report by the Town Major, Notifying the allot: :ment of Public Buildings in the Fort for the accom: :modation of the Adjutant and Quarter Master Generals of the Army, and the consignment to casemates of the Kings' Records and the Principal Officers of His Forces attached to this Establishment; and I take the liberty of Requesting the Subject may be submitted with the following Particulars for the Military Auditor Generals' Reconsideration.

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No 1.

The Town Major's letter (a Copy of which is Re-enclosed) is so ingeniously worded that it must Naturally impress a person, ignorant of the transaction, with an idea that the lodgement of His Majesty's Records in this Casemate was simultaneous, with the Removal, of the Honorable Company's Military Servants, into the Public Buildings allotted for their Reception - The fact however, The Town Major knows, and I have lately ascertained, to be precisely the Reverse, and the case of the Deputy Adjutant Generals' Office is not in any other way connected with that of the Adjutant General of the Army, than by Captain Fraser having found it convenient to group them together in the same Statement - The Company's Adjut: tant General is said to have Removed into the Fort, and the Kings' Records to have been deposited therein, whether by Removal or otherwise is not explained, but the Military Auditor Generals' Recollection will Remedy this omission, as it must be consistent with his Knowledge that the very Spot, from which I have

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now the honor to address you, has been possessed by my predecessors for years, without the exaction of any pecuniary consideration having ever been proposed.—

The Note and Memorandum by Lieu:

No 2 : tenant Colonel Robertson, when applying for an Addition to his Salary, shew that the King's Deputy Adjutant General Received /200/ Two hundred Pagodas when the Adjutant General of the Army had /266/ Two hundred and Sixty Six Pagodas Monthly.—

The Minute of Consultation dated

No 3. July 25th 1801, Conveys the acquiescence of this Government in the justice of the Claims preferred by Colonel Robertson,

No 4 and the Accompanying Extract of a Letter from the Directors proves that, altho' the Honorable Court declined Com: : pliance with the increase Recommended in the above document, yet they at the same time Consolidated his income in such a manner as to preserve the due proportion between it and that of the Adjutant General

No 5. of the Army, by fixing it at (301.) Three hundred and one Pagodas, when the former had been Raised

to

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to (350) Three hundred and Fifty Pagodas Monthly.—

An Extract of a Letter from the

No. 6 Court of Directors in 1806, intimates their approval of the Retrospective increase of the Allowances of their own immediate Servants to (500) Five hundred Pags Monthly from the year 1800, on the plea of Similar Additions to those of the Adjutant and Quarter Master Generals of the Forces in Europe — but the Reason: ing, deduced from the practice of the King's Army in Great Britain, altho' so happily applied to the Staff Officers of the Company, has not been hitherto extended (probably through inadvertence) to the Heads of the same Departments in the Service of His Majesty at this Presidency — The Military Auditor General will perceive therefore that since the year 1800 Allowances of the latter have remained almost Stationary, while those of the former have been nearly doubled, in manifest direliction of the Rule of proportion formerly established between their several Appointments.—

From

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From this Statement it becomes evident

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That the case of this Office is in no Respect analogous to that of the other Military Departments Recently accommodated with Public Buildings in the Fort.

II

That its Official Revenue was fixed by the Court of Directors in 1803 at £1,926. 13. 4 per Annum, and cannot be diminished without an express injunction on the part of Government to that effect.

III

That so far from warranting a deduction the Appointment of the Principal Staff Officer of His Majesty's Adjutant Generals Department with this Army is already in a Situation of the most pointed and disproportionate inferiority on the score of Allowances, with Relation to that of the same Branch of Service in the Company's employ

and

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and on these grounds, as well as because no Govern
: ment Order has been issued for the Reduction, I
trust the Military Auditor General will not Consi
: der me unreasonable in expecting that my Abstrac
may be passed as well as those of my predecessors,
presented under similar circumstances: But should
that Officer deem an Application to Government in
: dispensably necessary, for the decision of the question
I feel it incumbent on me, in justice to myself or to
a Brother Officer, (if the Prince Regent shall hav
been pleased to place the Appointment in more ab
hands) as well as for the Interest and Respectabil
of His Majesty's Service, which Cannot but be mat
: rially affected by the Comparative Situation of His
Staff, to Request through your medium, that he wo
do me the honor to Recommend my Representation
to the indulgent attention of the Honorable the
Governor in Council, to whose liberal and
impartial Judgement a Sense of Public duty

impels

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impels me to appeal.

I have the honor to be &c &c

(signed) E: I: Macgregor Murray
D. A. G. H. M. Forces in India

Deputy Adjt. Genl. Office.
Fort St. George
24th December 1812.

(True Copies)

(signed) P: Bruce
M. A. G.

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acquant you that Public buildings have been allotted in Fort St. George by order of the Honorable the Governor as Offices for the undermentioned Officers, the Adjutant General of the Army, the Quarter Master General of the Army, the Deputy Adjutant General Kings Troops, the Deputy Quarter Master General Kings Troops.

The Quarter Master General removed into the building allotted for the Accommodation of his Office on the 1st October, and the Adjutant General on the 31st of the same Month.

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The Acting Deputy Adjutant General

King's Troops Reported to me in a Letter under date the

5th October that his Records were deposited in the

Casement allotted to him and the Casement provided

as an Office for the Deputy Quarter Master General

King's Troops was Reported to that Officer by the

Assistant Superintending Engineer to be in a Complete

State of Repair on the 21st Instant.

I have the honor to be &c &c

/Signed/ J. S. Fraser

Town Major

Town Major's Office

Fort St. George.

25th November 1812.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ C. J. Macgregor Murray

D: A: G:

/By Lieutenant Colonel Robertson/

Note.

Salary to the Deputy Adjutant General of the King's

Troops as settled by Lord Hobart Pagodas 200 — —

when that of the Company's Adjutant General was

fixed at 266. —

Allowance now applied for on the same proportion

by

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by His Majesty's Deputy Adjutant General Pagodas 263. when the Salary of the Company's Adjutant General is fixed at 350. —

Memorandum

The Aggregated Allowance given to the Adjutant and Quarter Master General under this Government, as settled by the Court of Directors in their General Letter of the 7th May 1800, Paragraph 236 is 350 Pagodas Monthly so that the Nett encrease to their former allowance of 266 Pags. is 84 Pagodas Monthly —

Upon the same principle of proportion that originally regulated my Allowance of 200 Pagodas pr Month, there should now be an increase granted of 55 Pagodas to preserve the Relative proportions that have been heretofore observed with Regard to my Salary. —

/ True Copy /

/ Signed / C. I. Macgregor Murray

D. A Gl. —

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department - dated 25th July 1801. —

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The Application of the Deputy Adjutant General of His Majesty's Forces for an increase of his Salary proportionate to that granted by the Honble Court of Directors to the Adjutant General and Quarter Master General of this Army, Appears to be consistent with the principle on which the Allowances of the Deputy Adjutant General were originally determined as well as to the principal on which the Honorable Court of Directors have Recently determined the Relative proportion of the Allowances of the Deputy Adjutant General and Deputy Quarter Master General, to those of the Adjutant General and Quarter Master General of the Army - Resolved therefore, that the Deputy Adjutant General of His Majesty's Forces Serving for this Presidency, be permitted to draw a proportionate increase of Salary, being Fifty Five Pagodas pr. Month, from the day of Lieutenant Colonel Robertson's arrival in India, Subject to the Approbation of the Honorable Court of Directors.

Ordered that the foregoing Resolutions be

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Be Communicated to the Office of Audit.—

/a true Extract/

/Signed/ J. Webbe

Chief Secy to Govt.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ E. I. Macgregor Murray

D. A. G.

To Capt. P. Bruce

Dep.y M.y A. Gen.l—

Extract of a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors in the Military Department dated 17th August 1803.—

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department dated 10th April 1804.—

General Letter to the Honorable the Court of Directors dated 15th October 1801. Para. 181 and 185: Augmentation of allowances made to His Majesty's Deputy Adjutant General—

Para. 61. The Allowances drawn by the Deputy Adjutant General of His Majesty's Troops according to the Book of Establishments on 30th April 1801, are as follows.

Batta £1: 5: ₰r day

or ₰r Annum . . . . . £ 456: 5: —

Resolved that the allowances of the Acting Deputy Adjutant General of the Kings Troops at this Presidency be Regulated according to the Scale prescribed by the Honble Court and that a Copy of these Paras be furnished for the information and guidance of the

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The Military Audr.
Genl.

£456: 5: — for General —

Staff Pay Pag.s 208 1/3
p.r Month or p.s 1,000 — —
Annum . . . . .

Allowance for Wicks
and Candles Pagodas 230 — 8: —
48 p.s Month or.

ditto for Office
Pagodas 56 or 240 — —

Total p.r Annum £1926 13: —

62. We Consider these Allowances as fully — Adequate to the duties of the Office, and Cannot therefore Admit of any increase thereto. —

/a true Copy/

/Signed/ C. S. Macgregor Murray
D. A. G.

Extract —

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Extract of a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors in the Military Department, dated 7th May 1800.

236. 'Having given due attention to your " " Several Representations in favor of these Officers and to your Proceedings Advised in your Subsequent Letters of 2d January and 13th August 1799, We have taken into Consideration the Amount of the Allowances, which the Officers holding these Appointments would be entitled to, if Serving only Regimentally, and have determined that such Staff Allowances shall be added thereto, as may afford a Reasonable Remuneration for the Additional duties of the Staff Appointments, in this view we direct that the Staff Salaries to the Adjutant and Quarter Master General be fixed at 350 Pagodas pr Month to take place from Receipt of this Letter, and to be in full for every Allowance for the Staff Appointment.

237. In addition to this, the Officers holding these Stations are to receive the pay and half Batta, or in the field full Batta of their Regimental Ranks

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Ranks when they are field Officers or otherwise
the Pay Gratuity and half (or in the field full)
Batta of their Regimental Ranks.—

238. Upon the same principles, the
Deputy Adjutant, and Deputy Quarter Master
Generals are to receive a Staff Salary of 208 1/3
Pagodas per Month each, and to draw the Pay &c—
of their Regimental Rank in Addition thereto.—

/Signed/ R. Turing

See 4 to Govt.—

/a true Copy/

/Signed/ E. I. Macgregor Murray

D. A. Genl.—

Extract of a General Letter from the Honorable
Court of Directors in the Military Department
dated 30th July 1806.—

565. In support of this opinion on this subject

Letter to England 8th March 1805 Para 238 at 41
Recommendation 565. of the late & present

the present Commander in Chief has noticed
the considerable additions made to the Offices
of Quarter Master General in Great Britain

and

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Commander in Chief for Augmenting the Salaries of the Adjutant General and Quarter Master General—

and Ireland within a Certain period.—

566. Whatever that Addition may have been we are warranted in asserting that the Allowances of the Staff Appointments of Adjutant General and Quarter Master General in His Majesty's Service in any part of the Globe are far inferior to those of Similar Officers in our Service in India.—

567. Having given due attention to all that has been said upon the subject of the allowances to these Staff Officers under your Presidency, we have determined to fix them at Pagodas 6,000 each per Annum to take place from the Receipt of our Orders of 7th May 1800.—

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ E. I. Macgregor Murray
D a. G.

/True Copies/

/Signed/ P. Bruce

Mily Audr Genl

To

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To The Military Paymaster

Fort St. George.

Sir,

You will receive herewith Copy of a communication just received by me from Government Respecting the Accommodation allotted as Offices by Government for the Departments of the Adjutant General and Quarter Master General of the Army and of the Deputy Adjutant General and the Deputy Quarter Master General to His Majesty's Troops.

In consequence of which I shall not consider myself warranted to Pass from the Respective dates Specified in the Copy of the Letter from the Town Major of Fort St. George, the Allowances for Office Rent hitherto drawn by the Officer in Charge of those Departments to which you will be pleased to make the Requisite Intimation to the Parties concerned.

/Signed/ P. Bruce
Mily Aud.r Gl.

Military Aud.r Gen.l Office
Fort St. George
2.d December 1812.

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ P. Bruce
M. A. Gl.

The

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No. 15.
Minute thereon

The Governor in Council deems it proper to Remark that the manner in which the Town Major of Fort St. George reported the allotment of a public Quarter for the accommodation of the Office of the Deputy Adjutant General to the Kings' Troops was perfectly correct, and that it was the duty of the Military Auditor General on receiving that Report, to object to the continuance of the payment of an allowance granted to the Deputy Adjutant General for the express purpose of enabling him to provide an Office for his Department.

Resolved however, as that allowance has been Specially sanctioned by the Honorable the Court of Directors, that the Deputy Adjutant General to the Kings' Troops be permitted to continue to draw it until their pleasure shall be known, and that in the meantime the public quarter now allotted for his Office, be appropriated by the Town Major to some other purpose.

Read the following letter from the Military Board.

To

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To the Honorable Sir G: H: Barlow Bt & K.B.

Governor in Council &c &c &c

No. 16.
From the Military Board - Recommending payment of several Bills -

Honorable Sir,

We have the Honor to forward and Recommend payment of the following Bills - Viz. -

No. 1 . . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Presidency Division for Roof, filling and Plastering the Cornice with three Coats of Chinam to 6 Rooms, Repairing the Walls, floors &c. in general and green painting with Linseed Oil the whole of the Doors, windows, and white painting the Ceiling, likewise constructing a new necessary on the out-side, Repairing, plastering and whitewashing the out Houses and Passage in the lower Story to the House occupied by the Garrison Assistant Surgeon, Amounting to Pagodas. 340: 30: 14. —

No. 2 . . . Bill of D°. for Repairing and whitewashing the Apartments allotted for the dispensary, also Shutting up a door and two Windows, Repairing

and

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and fitting glazed Windows, putting new Wooden Tails, Shelves, Planks, fixing Brackets in the wall and Green painting to Doors and Windows Amounting to Pagodas 18:39:27.—

No. 3. . . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Presidency Division, for Plastering 2 Coats Chunam to the Hall, Repairing and Whitewashing the House in General, Building Parapit wall to the terrace and Repairing the Cracks with Tar, Pitch and Cloth, also fixing three new venetian Windows, Setting up 2 Wooden partitions in the Hall with old planks, and Repairing the whole of the Doors and Windows and green painting Vizt to the Office of the Quarter Master General in the Fort, Amounting to Pagodas. 263:1:57.—

No. 4. . . . Bill of Ditto for Repairing and whitewashing the House in general, green painting one Room, shutting up two Doors, erecting a compound wall to the Horse Stable, setting up wooden Rails in the Centre of the House to a length of 58 feet, also opening and fixing a Door to communicate with the

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the Military Board Office - flooring with one foot Square Blue Stone to the Verandah of the lower Story, and fixing 14 new Iron bars to the Windows &c — repairing the whole of the Doors and windows &c to the House occupied as an Office by the Adjutant General, Amounting to Pagodas 187: 40: 27.—

No. 5. . . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Presidency Division, for Squaring with Chunam Blue and white the floor of the Bomb proof in the Sea line, whitewashing the wall and blue washing as high as wainscoat, also making and fixing one new Door and frame and four Venitian Window Shutters to allot as an Office for the Deputy Quarter Master General King's Troops, Amounting to Pagodas 97: 5: 10.—

No. 6. . . . Bill of Ditto for fitting up the Casemate near the Wallajah Ramp including &c new heavy Bomb proof door allotted as Quarters for the Serjeant Major of the Garrison and Serjeant Murray, Amounting to Pagodas. 65: 18: 66.—

No. 7. . . Bill of Ditto for whitewashing the

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the Bombproofs No. 196, and 197, in the Sea Line Amount-
ing to Pagodas 3:15:28.

The works stated in the above Bills have been performed by order of the Honorable the Governor conveyed thro' the Town Mayor.

No. 8. . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Presidency Division for paving with Iron Stones the interior of the Main Guard Yard, and constructing an arched Drain from the Yard to the Common Shore in Palace Street to pass under the Officer's Quarters Amount-
ing to Pagodas 369:34:40.

No. 9. . . Bill of Ditto for Repairs to the forti-
fications of Fort St. George for the Month of September Amounting to Pagodas 202:14:18.

No. 10. . . . Bill of Ditto for Repairs to the fortifications of Fort St. George for the Month of October Amounting to Pagodas 198:7:66.

No. 11. . . . Bill of Ditto for laying Brick Rubbish, clay, sand, and, Turf at the Lines for the detail of Cavalry on duty at Head Quarters - Amounting to

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to Pagodas 35:26:40.

No. 12 . . . . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Presidency Division for expenses incurred for Repairing the Roof and shifting the Tiles of the Smiths work Shop on the Berm near the Arsenal, Amounting to Pagodas 31:26:45.

No. 13 . . . . . Bill of Ditto for Repairing the temporary Buildings erected for the cover of the detach of Cavalry on duty at His Excellency the Commander in Chiefs' Gardens, Amounting to Pagodas 27:25:25.

No. 14 . . . . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Presidency Division - for Repairing the Sheds erected near the two Batteries N. E. Angle of the Granary and N. E. of the Black Town Wall for the preservation of Stores and Ammunition &c. Amounting to Pagodas 20:34:50.

No. 15 . . . . Bill of Ditto for Repairing the Roof of the upper Room of the Office of the Commissary General in Fort St. George, Amounting to Pagodas 19:7:55.

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No. 16 . . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Presidency Division for constructing four small furnaces for melting and casting leaden Balls at the Arsenal in Fort St. George, Amounting to Pagodas 12 : 11 : 20.—

No 17 . . . Bill of Ditto for constructing a Place of Arms for two Companies of Golundauze at St. Thomas's Mount, Amounting to Pagodas 950 : 37 : 60.— whereof a balance is due of Pagodas 624 : 37 : 60.—

No. 18 . . . Bill of Ditto for erecting a Railing with a Brick wall and Piers in Masonry along the front of the Horse Artillery Barracks at St. Thomas's Mount, amounting to Pagodas 1,027 : 42 : 60, a balance whereof is due of Pagodas 514 : 42 : 60.—

No 19 . . . Bill of Ditto for extending the compound wall thro' part of the Rear and up the sides of the Horse Artillery Barracks at St. Thomas's Mount, amounting to Pagodas 465 : 22 : 20.—

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No. 20. . . . Bill of the Superintending Engr: : neer Presidency Division for putting an Additional Gate in the Barrack yard at St. Thomas's Mount, Amounting to Pagodas. 54: 9. — —

No. 21. . . . . Bill of Ditto - for opening a door and constructing a flight of Steps to the upper Door of the Grain House belonging to the Horse Artillery for removing the entrance from within the Barrack yard to the outside, Amounting to Pagodas. 31: 28: 35. —

No. 22. . . . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Center Division for Repairing the Barracks occupied by His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons at Arcot, Amounting to Pagodas 321: 43: 45. a balance whereof is due of Pagodas 204: 43: 45. —

No. 23. . . . . Bill of Do. Do. for Repairing the Hospital of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons at Arcot, Amounting to Pagodas. 56: 33: 11. —

No. 24. . . . . Bill of Do. Do. for Repairing the Barracks of the 2d Regiment Native Cavalry at Arcot, Amounting to Pagodas 133: 37: 45. a

balance

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balance whereof is due of Pagodas 90: 37: 45.—

No. 25. . . . Bill of the Superintending Engineer Center Division for whitewashing the Barracks of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry at Arcot, Amounting to Pagodas 16: 11: 51.—

We have the honor to be &c.

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31st December 1812.—

/Signed/
E. Trapaud
Rol. Bell
P. Bruce
N. Blacker
W. Morison

No 17
Order thereon.

Ordered that Authority be given for the payment of the bills recommended in the foregoing letter.—

Read the following letters from the Accountant General.—

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

No 18.
From the Accountant General – with a Bill for Military

In pursuance of the Orders of Government dated 25th September last regarding

the

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Charges disbursed by the Collector in Bellary; and the Military Auditor General's Report thereon.

the mode to be observed by Collectors in submitting for sanction bills for contingent expenses incurred in facilitating the March of Troops through the Company's Districts, the Collector of Bellary has transmitted for that purpose the enclosed bills for charges in crossing the Field force under Lieutenant Colonel Dowse over the Toombuddra River, and for maintaining an Establishment of Boats at the Kempsagur Ferry; which I have the honor to lay before Government, accompanied by the Report of the Military Auditor General, as prescribed in the case of such Charges in the orders above quoted.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

/Signed/ Geo. Garrow

Atty. Genl.

Fort St. George.

Acct Genls Office

5th January 1813.—

To the Accountant General.

In the Military Department of Accounts

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 29th Ultimo, enclosing for

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For my Report, Conformable to the Extract of a Letter from Government to the Board of Revenue, dated the 25th September 1812, an Account particular of Charges incurred by the Collector at Bellary for Boats &c employed on the Tumbuddra on Account of the Field Force Commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Dowse, Amounting to Pagodas 824: 7: 78 - up to the end of October last.

Having examined the different Charges Contained in this Account, I have the honor to Report that they do not Appear objectionable; the Collector Certifies that the Sums and Rates Charged are in his Opinion Reasonable and Conformable to the usual Rates of labor and hire in his Zillah, and Lieutenant Colonel Dowse Certifies that after a Careful examination of the Account it is found Correct - I am therefore of Opinion it may be submitted for the Sanction of Government.

There appears to be some Small Errors in the Additions and Calculations of the different Charges which makes the Account Amount to Pagodas 841: 37. instead of Pagodas 824: 7: 78.

I have

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I have taken a Copy of the Collector's Letter, and Return the Original along with the Account particular agreeably to your Request.

/Signed/ P. Bruce
M: A.G.

Military Aud.r Gen.l Office
Fort St. George 14th January 1813

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ Geo: Garrow
A.G.

No. 19.
Order thereon -

Ordered that authority be given for the admission of the Charges mentioned in the foregoing letter. -

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir,

No. 20.
From the Accountant General - with a Statement of the Expences incurred in one year in the Revenue Department for furnishing Supplies to troops Marching. -

Dr. Sir, Agreeably to the orders expressed in Mr. Secretary Stracheys letter of the 29th ultimo I have the honour to forward herewith the Statement required by the Commissary General of the Amount of one years Expenses charged by the Revenue Department for providing Supplies to Troops and facilitating

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facilitating their march through the Company's
Territories.—

2. The Statement of these charges in
any one year cannot afford a just idea of the
annual expenses incurred on this account, because
the charges are so very variable and uncertain; but
I have selected those of last year as the most recent
and as the largest that have yet appeared in any
one year in the Civil Accounts.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Geo. Garrow
At. Gl.

Fort St. George.
Accot. Genl.s Office
8th January 1813.—

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Statement of the Amount of Expenses charged by the Revenue & Department in the year 1811/12 for providing Supplies to Troops and facilitating their March through the Company's Territories.

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December " By Cash paid to Captain Wm. Hawkins Commanding a Detachment L. Bn. 22 Regt. N.I. being a difference Arising in the purchase of Rice between the Company's prices to Troops in the field and the price of the different place thro' which the Detachment passed on its Route to Hydrabad and Return to Bellary 42:38:45

Cuddapah.

By Do. to Do. Do. Do. for the Expences incurred in Crossing a Detachment and Treasure over the Toombadra and Kistna Rivers on its March to Hydrabad, and the Detachment Again on its Return to Bellary ..... A. " " 5038/45

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Carried forward —— 5038/45

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	Brought forward		50 38 45.
	1812.		
	April " By Dr on Account of the		
	March of Colonel Conrans		
	Detachment through the		
	Cuddapah District . . .	51:34:61	
Cuddapah.	By Dr on Account of Loss		
	on Supplies Sent for that		
	force from Cuddapah		
	to Gooltee	83:22:55.	
		135.12.36	186 6 1
	By Dr to the Judge of the		
	late Tillah of Ramnad.		
	upon the Contingent Indent		
	Signed by Him and his		
Madura.	Register for Supplying	. . .	436 1 18. 436 1 18.
	Provisions and Boats to		
	His Majesty's 19th Regiment		
	of foot on their Route from		
	Columbo to Negapatam		
	in Fusly 1216.		
	Carried forward		622 7 19

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		Brought forward		622 7 19.
	1811.			
	Octr. "	By Ditto for Supplying Gram to a Lot of Horses which passed through this Zillah as per Bill drawn by Lieut.t Colonel T. Nuthal Remount Department on the Commissary General	5.20.39.	
Guntoor	1812			
	Febry. "	By Cash paid for Supplying Gram to a Lot of Horses which passed thro' this Zillah as per Bill drawn by Lieutenant Colonel T. Nuthall Remount Depart: : ment on the Commissary Genl.	10.4.33.	
	April "	By Dr. for Dr. to ∞ Dr. as per Do drawn by Dr. on Ditto.	23.21.38	
				39 1 30.
	1811.			
	Octr. "	By Dr. for Articles Supplied to His Majesty's Royal Regiment as per Bill from Mr. F. A. Savage Paymaster Masulipatam dated 9th. October 1811	985.77.	
Nellore				
		Carried forward	985.77	661 8.19.

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	Brought forward	985 " 77	661 8 49
	By Dr. for Dr. Supplied to Remount Horses passing thro Nellore Zillah as per Bill from Lieutenant Colonel T. Nuthall dated 15th October 1811	15 11 79.	
			1000 12 76
Nov.r "	By Boat Hire paid for 104 Men waiting at the Penna River at Nellore for the 2d Batt.n 20th Regt. N.I. ...	10. 18..	
Nellore	By Dr. paid for Dr for H. M. Royal Regiment as per Dr. Dr. Dr. ...	8. 29. 20.	
			19. 2. 20
" "	By Amount paid for Articles Supplied for Remount Horses passing through Nellore Zillah as per Bill from Lieutenant Colonel T. Nuthall	3 10.	
			22 12 20
	Carried forward		1022 25 16 661 8. 49.

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Brought Over . . . . . 1022 25 16. 661 8 4½.

Jany. " By Amount paid for Articles Supplied for Remount Horses passing thro' Nellore Zillah as pr. bill from Lieut. Col. T. Nuthall dated 11th. January 1812 . . . . . 12. 17. 7½.

By Do. Do. Do. as pr. Do. dated Do. . . . . 17 " -: 7½.

29. 18 7½

Nellore 1812.

March " By Amount paid for Horse Gram Supplied for Remount Horses passing thro' the Nellore Zillah as pr. bill from Lieut. Col. T. Nuthall dated 10th. March. 1812 . . . . . 36 23 7½.

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Fort St. George.
Accountant General's Office
8th. January 1813. —

/Signed/ Geo. Garrow
A.G.

Ordered

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No. 21.
Order thereon.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter 49
be transmitted for the information and guidance of the
Military Auditor General.

Read the following letter from the
Commissary General.—

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

No. 22

From the Commissary General - Submitting Copy of a Circular letter to the Commissariat Officers on the subject of the Arrack department.—

Sir,

In attention to the orders of the Honorable
the Governor in Council conveyed to me in a letter from
the Chief Secretary of Government dated the 11th Ultimo,
I have communicated such instructions to the Officers
of the Commissariat, as have in my judgement appear
to be necessary, in commencing the new arrangement of
the Arrack department, under the operation of the G. O.
dated the 29th December.—

2. These instructions are only intended to
prescribe, the mode of carrying on the duties of the
arrack department, by the Subordinate Officers of the
Commissariat, and the Rules to be followed in the 49.
arrangement

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arrangement of the accounts of quantities, and the dis:
:bursements which will be required to be incurred by
these Officers. They apply alike to every station of the
Army, with the exception of Saulnah, where the
Arrack department will of course be continued to be
conducted, under the Regulations for the provision
Department in the Field; and I have therefore ad:
:dressed a Separate letter to the Commissary General
Major Mackintosh, directing him with a view to
uniformity, to adopt the forms of returns, which have
been ordered to be observed at the depots in the Divi:
:sions.—

3. In the hope therefore that the Honble
the Governor in Council may be pleased to approve of the
Orders which I have given on this Occasion, I have
the Honor to enclose a Copy of my Circular letter addressed
and dispatched on the 5th Instant, to all the Officers of
this Department.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

(Signed) W. Morrison
Comm'y Genl

Commissary Generals Office
Fort St. George 7th January

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Circular

To all the Officers of
the Commissariat

Sir,

1. The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to announce in General orders the determination which has been adopted of placing under the Commissariat, the distribution, Custody, and issue of Arrack within Fort St. George, and at the several Stations of the Army, from and after the 1st. of February next, and to publish an outline of the Regulations which have been established in consequence of this new arrange: ment, I have the honor, in transmitting to you the accompanying Copies of the G: O. to communi: cate the following further instruction, for your information and guidance, in the Conduct of this additional branch of the Commissariat.—

2. The Rules to be observed in receiving charge of the Arrack, in conducting the issues, and in

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in disposing of the Amount Sales, have been described with sufficient minuteness and precision in the Ly: O; and on these points it would be superfluous therefore to give any additional directions. It Remains however for me to prescribe the Returns and Accounts which you will be Required to prepare, and the mode to be followed in managing the detailed arrangements connected with the interior economy of the Arrack department.—

3.

No1. Monthly Return
2 Quarterly Do.
3 Journal Do.
4 Register of daily sales to Europeans.
5. Do. Do. on extra Indents
6. Indent on the Comy Genl. for Arrack
7. Bill for Servants Wages.
8 Do. for Contingent Charges.
9. Account Current of quantities
10. Do. Do. of Cash

These Returns and Accounts are Specified in the Margin, and forms of the whole are transmitted with this letter. They will I trust be easily comprehended, although it may in this place be proper to enter into a short explanation Relative to the Accounts of quantities and accounts of Cash, Respectively.—

4.

The Returns and Journals must exhibit the whole quantity of Arrack either transferred in

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in the first instance, or subsequently consigned to you by you by my orders, or Received from any of the Officers of the Department, - The wastage that may be incurred on the road, or while in Store is to be ascertained by a Committee of Officers and their proceedings being forwarded for my consideration lists will be sent from this Office as usual, Authorizing such wastage to be written off the Return, as may have been sufficiently authenticated, to have arisen from unavoidable causes. The same form is to be observed, whenever any Accident may happen, or any extraordinary loss of Arrack may be sustained from any cause whatever; and the Actual wastage should be ascertained in the manner above prescribed, at least once in every quarter. No stated allowance of wastage has been fixed altho' I have Reason to expect that the vigilant Superintendence of the Officers of this department will Reduce the amount greatly below the former Rate of ten per Cent per Annum;

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an allowance which there are grounds for believing much exceeded the actual wastage.—

5. The quantities sold to the Troops on Account of their daily allowance, or supplied upon "Extra Indents" will be entered in the Registers of daily Sales; and these Registers being Certified by the Commanding Officer, in the manner which has hitherto obtained, will constitute the proper Vouchers for writing off such quantities as sold during the Month". When arrack may be required for the Victualling Department it will be supplied from the Stores; you will however make out an Indent and Receipt in duplicate for the quantity you may require, which you will forward with your Returns, when one Set will be transferred from the Arrack Department to the Victualling department in this Office.—

No 4. 5.

6. With the exceptions stated in the preceding paragraph, it is to be understood as a standing Regulation, that no quantity of Arrack,

nor

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nor other articles of Store in the Commissariat Arrack department is to be written off your Returns without the Special Authority of the Commissary General, communicated to you by lists which will be transmitted in the usual manner. The Casks and Iron Hoops will be particularly described in the Returns, and lists will be sent from time to time by the Commissary General either for dispatching them by Return Carriage, or for disposing of them in such other manner as may appear expedient. All these lists are to be invariably forwarded with the Returns to which they have Reference.

7. A fixed proportion of arrack will be hereafter allotted for every Station of the Army; but until this allotment shall have been made, you will be careful that one years Stock for the European Troops shall be constantly Kept up; and in forwarding your Quarterly Returns you will submit an Indent for such quantities as may be Required to complete the Stock in question, at the several

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several Stations within your Range.—

8. It having been determined by Government that the Commissary General shall be debited with the whole value of the arrack to be transferred on the 1st of February, and of such quantities as may be hereafter supplied by the Contractors, it follows as a matter of course that the Subordinate Officers of the Department, will be debited in Account with the Commissary General for the value of the arrack under their Charge; corresponding Credits being given to them for the Amount of issues, and wastage, which the latter may have been ascertained and Authorized. This arrangement refers exclusively to the value of the arrack, and to the Accounts of quantities, to facilitate the adjustment of which, the monthly Account Current of Quantities is principally intended.—

9. With Respect however to the expenses which may be incurred in the Receipt, Custody, and issues of the arrack, these are to be entered in your Account of Disbursements, under the head of "Arrack Department"

Such

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such expences may be generally described as Servants—
No 8. Wages, and as contingent Charges. The Bills for the
latter must be supported by the usual Indents sanctioned
by the Commissary General, while the former will not of
course include any persons for whose employment you
have not received authority agreeably to the 11th paras
of G: O: of the 9th of October 1810.—

10. I have the honor to transmit for your
No 11. information a list of the Servants understood to be employed
at present in the Arrack Department at the Stations within
your range, together with a memorandum shewing the
securities which they have respectively given to the
Contractors; and to request that you will immediately
institute such enquiries as may enable you to satisfy
your mind, with regard to their character and
Responsibility, after which you will have the good-
:ness to submit for my consideration a Revised esta-
:blishment for the management of this new branch
of the Commissariat: as you will be held answerable
for their Conduct, it is not intended that the present
Servants

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servants should be continued, if on enquiry, you should have Reason to be satisfied with them, and in proposing the revised establishment you will be at liberty to Recommend such modification, as may in your judgement appear to be necessary or expedient, the Grounds of which recommendation it will at the same time be desirable that you should State for my consideration.—

II. It will further rest with you to arrange and combine the application of the Services, of the whole of the persons of your department, and adverting to the local Superintendence which you will have it in your power to bestow, to the advantages which the Co-operating assistance of the other Servants of the Commissariat will afford, and to the facilities arising from unity of Controul, I confidently expect that you will be able to effect a considerable Reduction in the expense of the Servants, who have been hitherto exclusively employed in the arrack Department, and generally speaking at a distance from the Responsible authority; Viz. the Contractors for Spirituous liquors. It will be incumbent on

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on you to Require adequate and unexceptionable Security from the Servants placed in charge of the arrack Godowns whether those at present employed are Retained, or others engaged in their room.

12. The preservation of the arrack so much depends on the condition of the casks, that it appears to be an object of the first importance to possess the means of executing any occasional repairs and of Replacing the troops whenever necessary at the shortest notice. I beg therefore that your particular attention may be directed to the qualifications which the persons now serving as coopers may possess, keeping in view the expediency of proposing the removal of any of them who may be found incompetent to the duty which they are Required to perform.—

13. In concluding your Report on the subject of the present and proposed establishment, I request that you will acquaint me, how far in your opinion the Services of arrack Godown Serjeants may be considered absolutely Requisite as it has

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occurred, that they may be, at all events be dispensed with at Stations where there are no European Troops.—

14. The above instructions provide for every circumstance that has occurred to me, but further experience will no doubt suggest some improvements. In the means time I take this opportunity of bringing to your notice an alteration which becomes necessary in the Victualling Department. The new arrangement in the Arrack Department partially cancels the 7th & 8th paragraphs of the 2d Section of the Commissariat Regulations; but in order that the amount of Arrack Chargeable to the Victualling Department may be correctly ascertained and easily Adjusted, you will be pleased to transmit with your Victualling bills, a Return of Arrack agreeably to the accompanying form No. 12. shewing, the quantity Received on the Indent prescribed by the 5th Para. of this letter; the quantity that may be Received from other depôts on the march; the quantity issued to the Troops; the actual wastage not exceeding the

Rate

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Rate mentioned in the 2d. Section of the Commissariat Regulations; and the surplus quantity remaining, after a Corps or detachment may have reached its place of destination; which surplus quantity will of course be delivered into the Commissariat Stores at that Station; and the entry to this effect on your Return will be supported by the usual Receipt for the quantity so delivered.

15. As the arrack Department will form a distinct branch in this Office, I have the honor to Request that all your communications Regarding that Department, may be unconnected with any other subject.

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

/Signed/ W. Morison

Com. G. Genl.

Commissary Genl. Office
Fort St. George.
4th. January 1813.

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ W. Morison

Com. G. Genl.

P. S.

After having received charge of the Arrack Department at the Station, at which this letter may reach

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reach you, you will proceed for the same purpose to the other Stations in your range at which arrack may be Stored; apprizing the Officers Commanding, of the period at which you may expect to arrive there; and in the event of your finding it impracticable to attend at all such Stations previously to the 1st of February; it will be desirable that you should Request some Officer to Receive Charge on your account, and until your arrival, when you will of course proceed to organize the Department according to the tenor of these instructions.—

Monthly

No. 1.

Monthly Return of the Arrack Department under the Charge of A.B. Assistant Commissary General at ——— Shewing the Receipts, Issues and Remains for the Month of February 1813.—

Arrack Quantity	Empty Casks	Copper Gallon Pots	Copper half Gallon Pots	Copper Funnel	Aygl Casks	Iron Hoops on the Casks	Iron Hoops unserviceable Iron.
Gallons	Continued in						
Drams.							
Leagues							
Pipes							
Hogsheads							
Anchors							
	serviceable						
	unserviceable						
	Repairable						
	serviceable						
	unserviceable						
	Repairable						
	serviceable						
	unserviceable						
	Repairable						
	serviceable						
	unserviceable						

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Feby 1st To Received from the late Contractor as pr Proceedings of a Committee - - - - -

20th 20. To Received from - - - as pr Proceedings of a Committee held on the

23. To articles purchased as per indent dated —

28th 28. To Received per trivas for from full to empty casks this month - -

1813

Feby 28 By sold to the Eur Troops as pr indent from No. 1 to 50 and Register - - - - -

By Do. to Do. on extra Incidents and Register -

By Do. to the Officers as pr Do.

20 By actual road wastage ascertained by the Proceedings of a Committee held on the on pr and authorized to be written off as pr accompanying list of the Comm.r Gen.l - - - - -

28 By Balance - - - - - -

Total - -

Arrack Quantity	Empty Casks	Copper Gallon Pots	Copper half Gallon Pots	Copper Funnel	Aygl Casks	Iron Hoops on the Casks	Iron Hoops unserviceable Iron.
Gallons	Continued in						
Drams							
Leagues							
Pipes							
Hogsheads							
Anchors							
	serviceable						
	unserviceable						
	Repairable						
	unserviceable						
	Repairable						
	serviceable						
	unserviceable						
	serviceable						
	unserviceable						
	serviceable						
	unserviceable						

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Station and Date

Signature

In this Return will of course be included, Dram Cups, Copper Basons, and every other Articles of Stone in the Arrack Department.—

No. 2

Quarterly Return of the Arrack Department under the Charge of A.B. Assistant Commissary General ——— Shewing the Receipts, Issues and Remains for the quarter ending 30th April 1813.

Arrack Quantity	Continued in	Empty Casks.	Copper Gallons	Copper Half Gallons	Copper Quarter Gallons	Copper Pint Cocks	Iron Hoops in the Casks.	Iron Hoops Loose.
Gallons								
Drams.								
Leagues.								
Pipes.								
Hogsheads.								
Puncheons.								
Serviceable								
Repairable								
Unserviceable								
Serviceable								
Repairable								
Serviceable								
Serviceable								
Serviceable								
Unserviceable								
Serviceable								
Unserviceable								

1813
Feby 1st Remaining
April 30th Received during the Quarter. }

Total ..

1813.
April 30th Issued during the Quarter . . . }
" " Actual wastage in the Quarter . }
Remaining ...

Total.

Station and Date

Signature.

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No. 3.—

Journal of A. B. Assistant Commissary General at ——— in the Arrack Department for the Month of ——— 1813.—

1813. P. fo L. fo.

Receipts

February 20th Received from ——— as per Proceedings of a Committee held on the ———

Arrack Serviceable Casks Gallons. . . . . .

23 Purchased as per Indent passed by the Commissary General dated ——— . . . . . .

Brass Casks. . . . . No.

28 Received per transfer from the head of full Casks this Month — Casks empty Serviceable.

Issues.

" Sold to the European Troops as per Indent & Register . . .

Arrack . . . . . Gallons at 22 40 fo Gn

" Sold on Extra Indents . . . . . .

Arrack . . . . . Gallons at 40 fo per Gn

" Sold to Officers as per Indents.

Arrack . . . . . Gallons at 1st 22. 40 fo Gn

20. Road Wastage ascertained by the Proceedings of a Committee held on the — and Authorized to be written off as per list from the Commissary General.

Arrack . . . . . Gallons.

28. Transferred to the head of empty Casks this month.

Casks full . . . . . No.

Station and Date. Signature.

No 4.

No 4.

Commissariat Arrack Department

Register of the daily Sales of Arrack by A.B. Assistant Commissary General at _____ to the European non Commissioned Officers and Privates during the Month of February 1813.—

Date	Name of the Officer Commanding or to whom the daily Report is made.—	No. of Vouchers	No. of Casks from which Served	No. of Men to whom Sold.	Quantity Sold. Gls Ds.	Rate per Gallon P. fs.	Value Received P. fs.	Rate of exchange per Pagoda.	Total Value P. fs.	Remarks
1813 Feby 1st	Lieut Colo C.D. Commanding.									
2d										
3d										
4										
5										
6										
7										
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28.										

Total . . .

Station and Date

A B.
Asst Comy Gl.—

I do hereby Certify the above to be a just and true Account to the best of my knowledge.

C D.
Lieut. Colo Commanding.

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No 5.

Commissariat Arrack Department.

Register of the daily Sales of Arrack on extra Indents by A.B. Assistant Commissary General at — to the European Troops and Officers during the Month of February 1813. —

Date	Name of Officer Commanding or to whom daily Report is made.	No of Vouchers.	No of Casks from which served.	No of Men to whom sold.	Quantity Sold on extra Indents to Troops	Quantity Sold on extra Indents to Officers	Rate per Gallon	Value Received.	Rate of exchange per Pagoda	Total Value.	Remarks.
					Gs Ds	Gs Ds		P f c.	F.		
Feby 1st to 2d	Lieut Colonel A.B. Commissary										
3											
4											
5											
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25											
26											
27											
28											

Total ..

Station and Date.

I do hereby Certify the above to be a true and just Account to the best of my Knowledge. —

A.B.
Asst Comy Genl. —

Signed / C. D
Dy. Colt. Comy.

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No. 6.

Indent on the Commissary General at Fort St. George for the following quantity of Arrack Required for completing the Stated proportion of the different Stations of — Division for the quarter ending 30th April 1813.

Stations	No of Troops Receiving Arrack from the Stores	Stock for one year	Stock in Store	Indented for	Remarks.
Vellore					
Arcot					
Wallajabad					
Ryacottah					
Total					

Station and Date.

Signature.

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No. 7.

Commissariat Arrack Department.

The Honorable Company ..... Dr.

To A. B. Assistant Commissary General at ——— for the following Servants attached to the Arrack Department for the Month of ——— 1813. ———

To 1 Serjeant C. D. ..... " " "
1 Conicopoly E. F. ..... " " "
1 Assistant de. G. H. ..... " " "
1 Measuring Man K. L. ..... " " "
1 Peon ..... M. N. ..... " " "
Godown Rent ..... " " "
Pagodas ..

Station and Date. Signature.

N. B. The Receipts of the Servants for their respective Salaries to be endorsed on the abstract, agreeably to the form directed by a Circular Letter dated the 14th June 1811. ———

This bill to be entered at length in the Disbursements as. "Paid to A. B. A. C. General" &c.

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No 8.

Commissariat Arrack Department

The Honorable Company . . . . . Dr.

To A/B. Assistant Commissary General &c ——— for the following Charges incurred in the Arrack Department for the Month of ——— 1813. —

To Brass Cocks. . . . . " " "

" Coolies employed in Removing the empty Casks from ——— to ——— at ——— } " " "

Fanams . . . . . Fanams . . . . . Fanams . . . . . " " "

Pagodas . . " " "

Station and Date. Signature

This bill to be entered at length in the Disbursements. as "Paid to A/B. A.G. General &c. —

No 9.

No 9.

Commissariat Arrack Department

Dr. Account Current of Arrack under the Charge of Captain A B. Assistant Commissary &c.
General for the Month of —— 1813.

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Date 1813		Arrack Total Gs	Arrack Total Ds	Date 1813		Arrack Total Gs	Arrack Total Ds
Feby 28	To balance brought from last Accomt Current being 100 Casks of Rinds	"	"	Feby 28	By Sold to the Europeans as per Register No. 3	"	"
28	To Received from	"	"		By Do. to Do. on Extra Indents as per Register No.	"	"
					By Do. to the Officers as per Register No.	"	"
					By wastage Authorized to be written off as per List sent with the Return	"	"
					By Balance Remaining	"	"
	Total Gallons.				Total Gallons.		

Station and Date.

Signature.

Commissariat Arrack Department.

Dr { Account Current of Cash in the Commissariat Arrack Department at ---- for the Month of ---- 1813. } Cr

1813.		P. F.	1813		
Feby 28th	To Gallons — of Arrack sold to the European non Commissioned Officers and Privates this Month as per Register No. . . .		Feby 28th	By delivered to the Pay master as per accompanying bill on the Accountant General in favor of the Commissary General No. — dated — — 1813. x . . .	
	To Gallons — of Arrack sold the extra Indents as per Register No. . . .				
	To Gallons — of Arrack sold in Officers indents as per Register No. . . .				
	Total Pags			Total Pags	

Signature.

Station and Date.

x The Bill granted by the Pay master to be invariably sent with this Account. —

No 11 not sent

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N°12.

Commissariat Victualling Department.

Return of Arrack Received expended and Returned into Store by A. B. Assistant Commissary General at _____ for Victualling a Detachment of H. M — Regiment on the March — to — from — of February to — of March 1813. —

Arrack
Quantity Contained in

1813.

Feby. To Received from the Arrack department — as per Indent and Receipt dated . . . . .

March To Received from do. at — as per Indent and Receipt dated.

Total Gallons.

Station and Date.

Arrack.
Quantity Contained in

1813

March. By issued to a detachment of H M. — Regiment from — Feby to — March 1813 as per Register . . . . . —

By wastage for — miles — at — per Cent per 10 Miles . . . . . —

By Returned to the Commissariat Arrack Department at —— as per Receipt

Total Gallons.

Signature

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№ 23.

Resolution thereon

The Board approve the Circular in-
structions dispatched by the Commissary General to
the Subordinate Officers of his Department regarding
the distribution, custody, and issue of the Public Arrack.—

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

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

Sir,

1. I have the honor to request that
you will submit to the Consideration of the Honorable
the Governor in Council, the enclosed Petition from
Elizabeth Young and Margaret McGiff, two Women
belonging to His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons,
who by Order of the Honorable the Governor in
Council have been under my charge since the 2d
of November last.—

№ 24.

From the Town Major of Fort St. George— Two European Women now in the General Hospital solicit permission to return to their Husbands at Bangalore.—

2. On the 12th November they were
sent into the General Hospital for Medical treat-
ment and prior to that period I beg to state that
they

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they were Guilty of no irregularity or Misconduct whatever.—

3rd To their Conduct since they have been in the General Hospital the enclosed letter from the Surgeon in Charge, bears favorable testimony.—

I have the honor to be

Sir Sir

Your Most Obedient Humble Servant

/Signed/ J. S. Fraser

Town Majors Office

Fort St. George

6th January 1813.—

T. M.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor

The Humble Petition of Elizabeth Young Wife of Serjeant Young: and Margaret McGiff Wife of William McGiff Private - His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons.—

Sheweth,

That your Petitioners have been sent away from the Regiment without the consent of their Husbands to this place where they are kept in confinement; and being desirous to return to their husbands as well as from the tenor of their letters to them it appears they are equally anxious to receive their wives—

Your

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Your Petitioners most humbly ~
Solicit you will grant them the Liberty they so earnestly
wish for begging leave in the mean time to observe
they have been Kept in this State without the Small-
est pecuniary assistance since having left Benga-
lore, inasmuch as not have Received the monthly
Pagoda usually allowed to European married
Women and also that when they were forced ~
from their Husbands they were each bereft of the
Comfort of having with them their Children, Infants
one not three years of Age the other much younger. ~

And your Petitioners will ever pray.

Signed { Elizabeth Young 25 L.D.
Margeret M.Giff 25 L.D.

To Captain J. J. Fraser
Town Major
Fort St. George.

Sir,

In Reply to your Letter of the
4th Instant I beg to say that the European Women

Elizab.

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Elizab. Young and Mary McGiff now in the General Hospital have conducted themselves with perfect propriety since they have been placed under my charge.—

Madras.
5th January 1813.—

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) Wm Ord
Surgeon.
Genl Hospital

No 25
Order thereon—

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter, with the Petitions from the two European Women therein mentioned, be referred for the consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

Read the following letters from the Secretary to the Government at Fort William.—

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

Sir,

No 26.
From the Secretary

I am directed by the Right Honorable the

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The Government at Fort William – the Surgeon of the H. C. Ship the City of London has been paid the Established allowance for Six Men of H. M. Regiments on the Bengal Establishment brought out by that Ship from England – and detained by Sickness at Fort St. George –

Fort St. George – 12th January 1813. –

The Governor General in Council to inform you that His Lordship in Council has Authorized the Military Auditor General at Fort William, to pass a Bill drawn by the Surgeon of the Honorable Company's Ship City of London, for the Established Medical allowance for Six Men for His Majesty's Regiments Serving under this Presidency, brought from England on board of that Indiaman and left Sick at Fort St. George, Amounting to £ 4 : 10. –

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedient

Humble Servant,

(Signed) C: W. Gardiner

Secy to Govt. –

Fort William.

19th December 1813. –

To

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To George Strachey Esqr

Secretary to Government

at

Fort St. George.

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 30th of October with its enclosures, and in reply to transmit to you for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council the annexed Copy of a letter Received from the Military Auditor General at this Presidency under date the 19th Instant.

I am

Sir,

Your Most Obedient

Humble Servant,

(Signed) C.W. Gardiner

Secy to Govt.

Fort William.

22d December 1812.

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From the Secretary to the Government at Fort William — with Copy of a Report from the Military Auditor General at Calcutta, Relative to the pay of the Pioneer Sappers, Chunnabrian and Calandy.—

To

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To The Right Honorable Lord Minto

Governor General in Council,

My Lord,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of Mr. Secretary Gardiner's Letter dated 26th Ultimo, transmitting to me by the Orders of your Lordship in Council, a Copy of a dispatch Received from the Secretary to the Government at Fort St. George under date the 30th Ultimo, and desiring me to furnish the information therein Required.

2. In obedience to these Orders I have the Honor to Report that the Pay of Pioneer Sepoys Chingabrian, and Colandy for the Month of December 1810, has not been drawn in the Pay Abstract of the Detachment of Madras Pioneers at the Isle of France for that Month, nor has it been drawn in any of the Pay Abstracts for Succeeding Months hitherto Received back in this Office from the Presidency

of

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of Fort St. George — I beg leave however to Report the probability of the Pay of the Men in question, not only for December 1810, but likewise for the month preceeding, being included in an Abstract drawn by Lieutenant Patterson, and charged on Lieute: nant Playfair's Disbursements for the Month of July 1811, and which Abstract forms No. 14 of the List of Vouchers which I had the honor to submit to your Lordship in Council with my letter dated the 14th Ultimo, for eventual transmission for Audit to the Presidency of Fort St. George, and to which it will be the duty of the Military Auditor General at Fort St. George to make a Reference. —

Mility Audr. Genls. Office
19th December 1812. —

I have the honor to be &c &c

/Signed/ A. Imlack.
M. A Gl.

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ C. N. Gardiner
Secy to Govt.

No 28
Order thereon —

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing Letters

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letters be furnished for the information and guidance of the Military Auditor General.—

Ordered that the following letter be dispatched.—

To George Sayer Esqr.

Captain of His Majesty's Ship Leda

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you the enclosed Copies of papers Relating to a pipe of Wine supplied by the Honorable Company for the use of the Sick of His Majesty's Sloop Hesper and as the Com: mander in Chief Vice Admiral Sir Samuel Hood has intimated to this Government that directions have been given that Mr. Hornblow who is now purser of His Majesty's Ship Leda should be ordered to make an arrangement for the payment of the Amount of the Wine to Request that

No. 29.
To the Captain of His Majesty's Ship Leda—Requesting that the value of the pipe of Madeira furnished to Mr. Hornblow, now Purser of the Leda, may be recovered from him.—

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That you will take such measures as you may consider proper for that purpose.

I have the honor to be

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12th January 1813.

&c &c &c

(Signed) Wm Thackeray
Chief Secy to Govt

" G. H. Barlow
" J. Stratton
" J. Oakes
" Sa. F. Hammaym
" Ed Strange

M. D.
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T. Doolaroy

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List of Papers, Resolutions and Orders recorded in the following Diary and Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department — Dated 15th January 1813. —

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1. Copy of Letter to the Superintendent of the Military Male Asylum — 8th January 1813.

45. From the Town Major of Fort St. George 8th Do. — Do.

46 To the Commander in Chief — 12th Do. Do.

47. To the Military Board — 12th Do. — Do.

48. To Ditto Ditto — 12th Do. — Do.

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50 To the Military Auditor General — 12th Do. — Do.

51 To Ditto Ditto — 12th Do. — Do.

52 To Ditto Ditto — 12th Do. Do.

53 To Ditto Ditto — 12th Do. Do.

54 To the Commissary General — 12th Do. — Do.

55 To Ditto Ditto — 12th Do. — Do.

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— 13th Do. — Do.

2 President's Minute —

3 Resolution thereon —

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9	From the Adjutant General of the Army	12th	Do.	Do.
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13	To the Paymaster of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot	15th	Do.	Do.
14	From the Commissary General	14th	Do.	Do.
15	Order thereon			
16	From the Naval Commissioner	8th	Do.	Do.
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18	From the Naval Commissioner	15th	Do.	Do.

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35		Presidents Minute	15th D: D:
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Diary

13.th The following Copy of a paper received from the Public Department is ordered to be recorded in this Department. —

To The Superintendent of the Military Male Orphan Asylum.

Sir,

No.1.

Copy of Letter to the Superintendent of the Military Male Asylum. The Surgeon of the Asylum will receive Country Medicines on Indent from the Public Stores. —

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4.th instant and to inform you that orders will be given for supplying the Surgeon of the Asylum with Country Medicines from the Public Stores on the usual indents. —

I am &c.a &c.a

(Signed) David Hill
Sec.y to Gov.t

Fort S.t George
8.th January 1813.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) D.. Hill
Sec.y to Gov.t

Received

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Received and Sent the following letters entered in MB. Nos. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. —

From the Town Major of Fort St. George. —

From Captain Fraser - Printed Papers required during the present year. —

To the Commander in Chief. —

To His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Samuel Auchmuty - Referring Copy of a letter from the Town Major and the Petitions of two European Women that accompanied it. —

To the Military Board.

To the Military Board — Payment of the Bills recommended in their letter of the 1st. Instant has been authorized. —

To Ditto —

To Ditto — With Extract from the Proceedings in Council of this date. —

To the Medical Board. —

To the Medical Board — With Copy of a letter to the Superintendent of the Military Male Asylum Dated the 5th. Instant. —

To

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To the Military Auditor General.

To the Military Auditor General—

Charges incurred by the Collector of Bellary on account of the Field Forces to be passed—

Copy of a letter from the Accountant General reporting the Amount of Military Charges incurred in the Revenue Department last year enclosed.—

To Ditto.

To Ditto — With Copies of two letters from Calcutta Dated the 19th and 22d. ultimo.—

To Ditto.

To Ditto — Bills submitted by the Military Board to be passed.—

To — Ditto —

To Ditto — With Extract from the Proceedings in Council of this date on their letter of the 4th Instant.—

To the Commissary General.

To the Commissary General — With Copy of a letter from Port Louis of the 23d October 1812.—

To Ditto —

To Ditto — His circular — instructions

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Instructions for the Conduct of the Attack Department approved. —

At a Consultation

Present

The Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. G.K.B.

Governor and President

His Excellency

Lieutenant General Sir S. Auchmuty K.B.

Commander in Chief

Thomas Oakes

and

J. H. Casamayor

} Esqrs.

Friday the
15th. January 1813.

Minutes of last Consultation read and Approved. —

The President records the following Minute. —

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The President proposes the

following appointment. —

Captain F. P. Stewart of the

14th Regiment Native Infantry, to act as

Deputy Judge Advocate during the absence

of Captain Burn on Sick Certificate. —

(Signed) G. H. Barlow

Resolved and Ordered Accordingly.

Read the following Letter

from the Commander in Chief's Military —

Secretary. —

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government

&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I have been directed by the

Commander in Chief to request, that the

Accompanying

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President's Minute - Captain Stewart of the 14th Regiment Native Infantry to act as Deputy Judge advocate during the Absence of Captain Burn on Sick Certificate. —

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Resolution thereon.

No. 4.

From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief - Submitting Proceedings of the Medical Board recommending Appointments consequent to the promotion of Mr.

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+ No. 1.

Mr. Boswell, to a seat in the Board: His Excellency's sentiments thereon. —

Accompanying Proceedings + of the Medical Board, under date the 4th Instant, and — expressing their recommendation of certain successions, consequent on the appointment of Mr. Boswell to be 3d. Member of that Board, may be laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council: —

His Excellency recommends, in concurrence with the suggestion of the — Medical Board, that Mr. Surgeon Goldie be appointed to the Medical Superintendancy of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force, from the date of Mr. Boswell's being considered a Member of the Board. —

Although the Commander in Chief is fully aware of the Merits and Services of Messieurs Surgeons White, Avy, Evans, Sherwood, and Annesley, whose applications to be appointed Medical Store: Keeper are herewith submitted, there exist

circumstances

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circumstances which induce His Excellency to support the Medical Board's recommendation of Mr. Surgeon Horsman for that situation. —

Mr. Horsman has served in this Country, and with this Army, for a period of 33 Years, with Credit to himself, and advantage to the Service, although he was not during the whole of that time attached to the Honorable Company's service; independent too of this Consideration, his having held the situation of Secretary to the Medical Board, for so long a period as eleven Years, would seem, in the Commander in Chief's opinion, to give him the accustomed claim to look forward to the better appointments in the Medical line. —

His Excellency therefore has the honor to recommend, that Mr. Surgeon Horsman

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Horsman be appointed Medical Store: Keeper in succession to Goldie – that Mr. Surgeon Stewart may succeed Mr. Horsman as Secretary of the Medical Board – and that Mr. Surgeon Sherwood be appointed to the Medical Charge of the Provincial Courts at Chittoor vice Stewart. —

With respect to the alteration suggested by the Medical Board in the depart: ment of Vaccination, the Commander in Chief is unwilling to offer any opinion on the subject, which His Excellency considers as being exclusively of a Civil Nature. —

Adverting to the local situation, and Number of Troops, at Bangalore, and to the complicated Medical duties of that station, which the Commander in Chief had recently a personal opportunity of remarking, His Excellency is of opinion, that a Garrison Surgeon ought to be per: manently

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permanently attached to that place. His Excellency would therefore recommend, that Mr. Surgeon Heward be appointed Garrison Surgeon at Bangalore; and as the appointment of an Assistant Garrison Surgeon at Seringapatam, may be deemed equivalent to the relative Medical Duties of that station, His Excellency would further suggest, that the succession to that situation may be given to an Assistant Surgeon, on the eventual removal, from whatever cause, of Mr. Garrison Surgeon Scarman. —

I have the honor to be
Sir &c.
(Signed) Hugh Scott
Milit. Sec.

Commander in Chief's Office
Fort St. George
7th January 1813.

The Board proceed to pass orders on the following Proceedings of the Medical Board submitted with the foregoing Letter. —

Medical

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N: 5.

Proceedings of the Medical Board — Recommending appointments consequent to — Mr. Boswell's promotion to a seat in the Medical Board; and proposing a new arrangement for the Vaccination Department. —

Resolutions of the Honorable The Governor in Council. Dated 15th. January 1813 —

Medical Board 1st. January 1813.

The appointments recommended in these Proceedings having been approved by the Commander in Chief,

Resolved that they be directed to take place. — a Vacancy in the line of

Resolved that the Rank of Mr. Goldie as Superintending Surgeon 2d. be fixed from the 10th. July last, being the date of the expiration of Doctor Berry's — Furlough to Bengal. —

Resolved that the appointment of Assistant

Para 1st. Mr. Alexander Boswell being, by the Resolutions of Government dated 29th. ultimo, appointed 3rd. Member of the Medical Board, in the Room of Doctor Andrew Berry proceeding to Europe, a Vacancy in the line of Superintending Surgeons, is thereby occasioned. —

To complete therefore, the Establishment of that Class of Medical Officers, the Medical Board beg leave to recommend, that Senior Surgeon John — Goldie, be promoted to the rank

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Assistant to the Medical Store Keeper at the Presi: Surgeon, and appointed
dency be abolished from to Superintend the Medical
this date. —— duties of the Hydrabad
Subsidiary Force, vice —
Boswell. ——

The Governor 3. On the subject of
in Council approves the appointment of Medi:
the mode proposed by cal Store Keeper, to be —
the Medical Board for vacated by the promotion
conducting in future the of Mr. Goldie, the —
duties of Vaccination, Medical Board have the
and it is accordingly honor to Submit, to His
Resolved that they be Excellency the Commander
directed to submit a in Chief, and Government,
Draft of a General the accompanying Copy of
Order for the purpose letter, with enclosure
of establishing the new from Mr. Surgeon —
arrangement. — Horsman. ——

By Order of the
Honorable the Governor
in Council. —

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

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4. As most of the Facts stated, in the annexed Extract, from the Minute of Doctor Gahagan, came under the personal observation of Doctor Watson, and are generally consistent with the Knowledge of the present Members of the Medical Board, they derive much satisfaction, in the opportunity which they now have, of adding their testimony, to that formerly given, by the late Physician General; as well, in his capacity of President of the Medical Board; as in that, of Superintendent of Medical Stores.——

5. W. Harsman, has now performed, the duties of

Secretary

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Secretary to the Medical Board,
for a period of eleven years.—
He had also the merit of intro=
ducing and establishing, the prac=
tice of Vaccine Inoculation, at
this Presidency; the duties of
which, he conducted with the
recorded approbation of Govern=
ment, and with great advantage
to the Public, from October 1802.
to September 1805. also, from
October 1810. on, the then reduced
allowance, to the present —
period; in all, upwards of
five years; and having always
deported himself, in the execution
of these duties, with the —
utmost assiduity, and attention
and in every way to merit,
the entire approbation of —
the

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the Medical Board, they beg leave to recommend to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and Government, that he be appointed to the Office of Medical Storekeeper, in the room of Mr. Goldie. —

In the event of the appointment of Medical Storekeeper being conferred on Mr. Horsman, the Medical Board would further recommend, that Mr. Surgeon Alexander Stewart, a Medical Officer who has served in all situations, and with the approbation of his Superiors, be nominated to succeed him as their Secretary; and that Mr. Surgeon R. C. Sherwood, be directed to afford Medical

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Medical aid, to the Provincial
Courts at Chittoor, vice
Stewart. —

7. With regard however,
to the Vaccine Inoculation,
the Medical Board would
recommend, that Mr. Stewart's
situation in that Depart:
:ment, be considered altogether
of a local nature, at the
Presidency — and that the
Vaccination Returns from
the Out Stations, be in future
forwarded to their Office,
by the Superintending Surgeons
of Divisions. —

8. By this arrange:
:ment, their future Secretary,
will be exonerated from
an extensive general correspon:
:dence

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correspondence, which would materially interfere with the duties, absolutely requiring, his close, and undevided attention; particularly as he must, alike with every new secretary, be in a great degree, a stranger to the business for a considerable time, after he shall have taken charge of his Office. —

9. The present proposed arrangement, will also have the advantage, of enabling Superintending Surgeons, to or repair to, and to afford immediate Assistance to Villages, where Small-pox may have made its appearance, and become prevalent — and it will

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will be the means of removing those unpleasant feelings, which Seniors must generally have, in reporting to a Junior. —

10. The accompanying letters having been submitted by Messrs. Surgeons White, Hay, Evans, Sherwood, and Annesley, —

The Medical Board, take the liberty of forwarding them, to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and Government; although, it does not appear that any of them represent claims, which are at all equivalent, to those of Mr. Norman, whom they have therefore recommended

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recommended, for the charge
of the Medical Stores. —

Alex. Watson M. D.
President Med. Board
(Signed) Henry Harris M. D.
2d Member Med. Board.

To The President and Members
of the Medical Board

Gentlemen,

Para 1st Humbly conceiving that Mr. Surgeon Goldie is on the eve of promotion, in consequence of Mr. Boswell's appointment, to a Seat at the Medical Board; and that the Office of the Medical storekeeper will, accordingly soon become vacant, I take the liberty, of Offering myself, to your attention, as a candidate for that situation. —

2. It is I believe, fully known to you Gentlemen, that I have been in the pay, and virtually in the service of the Honor-

able

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Honorable Company, for nearly 33 years, and that the best part of my life, has been devoted, to active professional duties, and on the most trying occasions with their Armies in the Field, since the year 1780. —

3. At the time that, the — Appointment of Medical Store Keeper was last Vacant, I had the honor to tender myself, for the discharge of the duties of that situation, supported with the suffrage of the late Physician General; an Extract from whose Minute, on that occasion, I herewith take the liberty of submitting, to your favorable consideration. —

4. It is now, upwards of eleven Years, since I had the honor of being appointed Secretary to your Board; during which period, I trust, I have conducted the duties of that Station to the satisfaction of my Superiors. —

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5. It also fell to my lot, to be the first, to introduce, and to establish at this Presidency in 1812, the blessings of Cow-Pock Inoculation — and to conduct with the recorded approbation of Government, for upwards of three Years, the Vaccine Institution, which was subsequently formed, for its support. —

6. From the period of my last appointment in October 1810, to the present time, I have reason to hope, by my experience and the interest which I have always felt for its success, that the duties of the Vaccination Department, have been carried on, entirely to your satisfaction; and in every part of the Country, where Practitioners are appointed, with the best advantage to the public. —

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) Wm. Horsman
Surgeon and Sec.y Med.l Board.

Fort St. George
2d. January 1813.

(True Copy)
(Signed) Wm. Horsman
Sec.y to Med.l Bd.

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Extract from the Minute of Dr. Gahagan then 2d. Member Medical Board – Dated 24th. August 1807. —

Para 6. When Doctor Gahagan took the Field with the Army under the Command of the late General Sir Hector Munro. in the year 1780 Mr. Surgeon Heerman was placed in charge of the whole Sick of the Army in the great Pagoda at Conjevaram – After the retreat from that Post, he was left with the Sick and wounded at Chengleput – In a few Months after. he marched with the Army under the Command of the late Sir Eyre Coote – shared in all the difficulties experienced, in that defensive, and calamitous War – and was subsequently, actively employed on all the Field Services, under Generals Sir William Medows and the late Marquis Cornwallis. —

7. Mr. Surgeon Heerman has now

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now been nearly Six Years Secretary to the Medical Board — and having conducted the various details of that Office with ability, attention, and the approbation of his Superiors, he is in the opinion of the 2nd Member, of peculiarly well qualified for the situation now vacated by the resignation of Mr. Surgeon FitzGerald. —

8. Doctor Gahagan would therefore, in his Capacity of Second Member of the Medical Board, as well as in that of Superintendent of the Medical Stores, earnestly recommend, to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that the appointment of Medical Storekeeper, be now conferred on Mr. Surgeon Heersman — from whose Knowledge, experience, and care, the Second Member feels assured, the public service in the Medical Store Department, would be much benefited. —

True

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(True Coctract).

(Signed) Wm. Horsman

Secy Medl. Board

The 1st Member of the Medical Board has great satisfaction, in being able from personal Knowledge of the subject, to Corroborate and bear unequivocal testimony, to the truth of the facts stated by Doctor Gahagan, relative to the length and merits of Mr. Horsman's services. —

(Signed) Alexr. Watson M.D.

1st Member Med. Board

Madras
15th December 1812.

To Alexander Watson Esqre. M.D.

President and Members of
The Medical Board.

Gentlemen,

Understanding the situation of Medical Storekeeper will shortly be vacant by the promotion of Mr. Surgeon Goldie, I beg leave to acquaint you. I am anxious to be his successor. —

I trust.

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I trust my application will meet with your approval and that you will be pleased to recommend me to the Honorable the Governor in Council for the appointment — my claim to this indulgence, is founded upon my length of service, which is now upwards of twenty years, during which period I have been for the most part actively, and I trust usefully, employed in the various duties of my profession, and have twice had charge of Medical stores to the satisfaction of my superiors. —

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) J. D. White

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March 31st 1812.

To Alexander Watson M. D.
President and to the Members of the
Medical Board
Fort St. George

Gentlemen,

In the event of the Medical Storekeeper's appointment being disposeable

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by the promotion of Mr. Goldie, I beg leave to offer myself a candidate for his place — and will be happy if your favourable Report to His Excellency the Commander in Chief attends this application. —

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) John Hay
Surgeon.

St. Thomas's Mount
26th March 1812.

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

Honorable Sir,

Having understood since my arrival from foreign service, that it is likely the appointment of Medical Store-Keeper at the Presidency will become vacant in the course of a short time, I beg leave to state for your Information, the Number of years

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years I have been in the Honorable Company's
Employ. as well as the manner in which
my services have been disposed of; in the
Hope they will strengthen my Claims to that
respectable Situation. —

I was appointed Surgeon to the
Lord Hawkesbury, (Captain John Price) in
the year 1796. and sailed in Company with
a large Fleet of Indiamen for Madras,
where we arrived in January 97. This being
the first publick Situation which I had
the Honor of holding, and consequently the
more anxious on account of there being up-
wards of 250 Soldiers Rk. of His majesty's
12th. Regiment of Foot under my Care. It is
with Satisfaction I observe, at this late Period,
that not a single Casualty happened in the
Detachment, and that every Man who had
embarked at the Isle of Wight, was landed
at this Presidency, with the Exception of one
private Soldier left at the Cape in a convale-
scent

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convalescent State. —

A short time after our Arrival in Diamond Harbour, the following Ships, were equipped as Men of War, for the intended Expedition against Manilla, Lord Macartney, Camden, Hawkesbury, Rhanie, Goddard, and Lushington — At this time a Correspondence took Place between the Surgeons and the Bengal Government, about the Medical Charge of the different Detachments of His Majesty's 33d. Regiment about to embark on Board those Ships — The Government, in the first Place, decided in favor of the Surgeons of the Indiamen, but that Order being cancelled, and the Regimental Surgeon continuing in charge of the whole. Every Surgeon in the Fleet, except myself, resigned his Situation, and were in Consequence ordered to England by the First Ships. —

In Consequence of the above

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above Resignations Lieutenant Colonel — Wellesley, (now Lord Wellington) Commanding the Regiment, requested the Regimental Surgeon would enter into an Agreement with me for Charge of the Men that were to be in the Hawkesbury. This Indulgence, I declined from Principle, not from Pique, and the late Mr. Assistant Surgeon Mc. Roberts of the 33d. was sent on Board in charge of those Men — When the Detachment became very sickly previous to our Arrival at Penang, and several of the stoutest, and healthiest Men died suddenly of Dysentery, I afforded that Gentleman every Assistance in my Power, as well by attending the Sick along with him, as otherwise consulting with him in every dangerous Case. ——

The High Official Situation, which you held under the Bengal Govern: ment at that time gave you an opportunity of forming a just Opinion of the Conduct of the

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the Surgeons of the Fleet, and as I was the only Surgeon who did not resign his situation, I trust, although my Conduct on that Occasion may be considered as having but little Connection with the present Military Service, It will in your Wisdom, and Justice, give me Claims to the Appointment of Medical Store Keeper, should a Vacancy happen. —

On our Arrival in England in the year 98, I was desirous of being appointed an Assistant Surgeon on this Establishment, which I at length succeeded in through the Kind Support which I received from Messrs. Boehm and Co. Merchants in the City. not, however, before stating my Claims in Writing to those Gentlemen, for the Purpose of being forwarded to the late Sir Lionel Darrell, who considered them of such Weight, as to appoint me to the Situation. —

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I was informed by the late Wm. Brodie, Assistant Surgeon in this Service, who had formerly been Surgeon of an — Indiaman, that when he applied to come out on this Establishment. The Honorable the Court of Directors, were so much dis= pleased with the Conduct of the Surgeons of Indiamen in the Bengal River. That he was under the Necesity of declaring upon his word of Honor, that he was not one of those Medical Offices. —

I arrived at Madras in the — Capacity of Assistant Surgeon twelve years ago, and remained a short time at the General Hospital, and on other Medical Duties at the Presidency. when I was posted to the 5th. Regiment Native Cavalry at Coimbatore. The Corps being ordered to March a short time after I joined, I accompanied it to Hardenally, within two Days march of Seringapatam; I was then relieved by the late Mr. Street Surgeon

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to the Regiment, and joined my other Stations, Sankerry Droog and Errode. —

Having joined the latter Stations, I was appointed in a few weeks, Asistant Surgeon to the Governor's Body Guard. by Lord Celine, and instead of proceeding to the Head Quarters of the Corps at the Presidency, I joined Lieutenant James Grant, in command of a Detachment of it before Panjalam= Courchy - Who was at the time, severely wounded in the Chest, I remained with the Detach= =ment and in charge of a Corps of Infantry, besides, for some time. Was at the succesful Attack of that Fort, and have every Reason to Believe my Conduct was approved of by my Commanding Officer. —

There being some Disturbances expected at the Presidency, when the late Nabob died, the Detachment of the Body Guard was ordered to the Presidency, where I continued for several years, in charge of that, and other Corps,

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Corps, besides the female Asylum: and beg leave to enclose, a Letter which I received from the Secretary to that Institution, wherein the Governors, and Directresses, approved highly of my Conduct. —

Being at this time stationed at the Presidency, I was variously employed, as well in private Practice, as on other Civil, and Military Duties; and from the Friendship which I experienced, from some of its most respectable Inhabitants, I had Reason to believe, the attention, which I at all times shewed to my professional Duties, had been approved of by my Superiors, and as the favorable Opinion of the late Dr. Anderson, P. G. may have Weight on the present Occasion, I beg leave to enclose, a Letter which I received from him, when I applied for the situation of Medical Store Keeper several years ago. —

I was at this time posted to the 2d. Battalion 8th Native Infantry, and accompa:

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accompanied it to Secunderabad, with
Colonel Conran's Detachment. Being the
only Surgeon of the C. S. present, I had
Charge of the whole of the Sick Details,
both European, and Natives, and have
Reason to believe my Conduct was approved
of — The Commanding Officer of the 8th
previous to my Departure, issued a handsome
Order on the Occasion; and Lieutenant Colonel
Gore, Commandant of the Cantonment,
promised to that Officer, to recommend me
to the favorable Notice of the Commander
in Chief. ——

In February 1810, I was attached
to the flank Companies of His Majesty's
33d Regiment, ordered to Madras, for the
Purpose of going on foreign Service; and have
the Satisfaction to state although we had
not a halting Day, and marched at
the rate of from 18 to 23 Miles daily, not
a single Person was unfit for Duty on our
arrival

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Arrival at Pondamallee.—

Being at this time posted to the 6th Native Infantry, I was attached to the 1st Battalion of that Regiment, ordered on the Expedition against Bourbon, a short time after the Conquest of that Island. I was relieved from that Duty, and Appointed — Garrison Surgeon of St. Denis, where I was in charge of numerous sick and wounded Men of His Majesty's Army and Navy, as well as His Majesty's Bourbon Regiment and Details of different Descriptions, in which situation, I was continued, till within a short time of the final Departure of the whole of the Honorable Company's Troops from that Island.—

As this was a Situation, where the greatest attention was required from the Medical Officer in charge, particularly to the wounded Men, I must beg leave to refer my Conduct, to Colonel Keating, Lieutenant Governor

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Governor of Bourbon - Lieutenant Colonel Fraser. His Majesty's 86th commanding the Garrison of Fort St. George, and Dr. Henry Harris, 2d. Member of the Medical Board, late Superintending Surgeon to the Expedition. To Lieutenant Colonel Fraser, / who is on the spot / I shall most willingly submit the Justice of my Cause, as a most respectable and distinguished Officer - To Doctor Harris, as an unprejudiced and experienced Physician. —

Thus, Honorable Sir, have I entered into such Particulars, as will I trust, give me Claims to the appointment of Medical Store Keeper - In the fullest confidence of your attention to them. and with due Submission to your Decision. —

I have the honor to be
&c &c
(Signed) Tho. Evans
Surgeon 11th N.I.

Fort St. George
10th April 1812.

To

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To Doctor Thomas Evans

Sir,

I am directed both by the Governors and Directresses of the Female Asylum to assure you from them by a Letter that they observe with Pleasure, that there has not occurred one Casualty in the last Year, and that you appear to them highly deserving of Commendation for your peculiar Care of the Children of the Asylum. —

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

February 5th. 1803

(Signed) C. W. Gericke

Secy. to the Fem: Asylum

(A true Copy)

(Signed) Thom.s Evans

My Dear Sir,

I am very sensible that besides Regimental Duty you have laid yourself out and been very useful in the settlement in the way of your Profession, for that it will always

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always give me much pleasure to promote your interest - But I see that you have been led into a persuasion which seems to have been too sedulously propagated (Viz) that the Medical Board have recovered their Patro: nage, which however is not exactly the case, and therefore I can say but little more than to assure you of my best attentions as far as may be in my power. ——

Yours.

15th October.

(Signed) Jas. Anderson

To Alexander Watson M.D.

President and the Members of the

Medical Board

Fort St. George

Gentlemen,

The promotion of Mr. Goldie to the rank of Superintending Surgeon, occasioning a vacancy in the appointment of Medical Storekeeper, I respectfully solicit your

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your recommendation and support towards obtaining either that or any other situation which I may be considered eligible to hold, that may become vacant by arrangements consequent to Mr. Goldie's promotion. —

In support of the application which I have thus taken the liberty to prefer, I transmit the Papers Nos. 1 and 2, which I beg may be forwarded with this letter to the Honorable the Governor in Council. —

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

Madras
11th. July 1812.

(Signed) R. C. Sherwood
Surgeon

Letter from the Directors of the Military Male Orphan Asylum to the Honorable Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. &c. K.B.
Governor in Council.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to forward to you the enclosed copy of a letter addressed

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to us by Mr. Sherwood acquainting us that by the General Orders of the 9th. October he is removed from the Medical charge of the Male Asylum. —

The merits of Mr. Sherwood's services we judged it particularly necessary to bring to the notice of Government in our letters of the 4th. January 1808, and the 28th. February 1809; and we feel it now in: cumbent upon us on this occasion to express to your Honor in Council the high satis: faction with which we have invariably regarded the conduct of Mr. Sherwood in the discharge of his important trust for a period of upwards of nine years. —

The eminent success which has attended his endeavours in improving the general health of the boys, diminish: ing the number of Casualties, and particularly in ascertaining and removing the —

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causes of a most fatal disease, long prevalent in the School, and the nature of which was not then generally understood has been brought to the notice of Government in our annual Reports and particularly attracted the attention of your Honor in Council. ——

The humane attention he has uniformly shewn to the Children under his care and the success attending his professional treatment afforded us the utmost confidence in his vigilance as well as skill; and we cannot therefore but regret that the calls of the Public service should necessarily deprive this benevolent Charity of his able assistance. —

Under the foregoing circumstances we hope we shall be excused the liberty of expressing our unanimous wish that the services rendered by Mr. Sherwood may recommend him to the favorable consideration of Government. —

We

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We have the honor to be

Honorable Sir.

Your most Obedient

humble Servants

Madras

December 1810

(Signed)

S. Auchmuty

J. H. Casamajor

C. Trapaud

B. A. Agnew

P. Bruce

R. Barclay

V. Blacker.

T. H. S. Conway

A. Falconar

E. Vaughan

M. Thompson

W. Thackeray

Fredk. Gahagan

J. H. Beile

Wm. Harington

To

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To The Honorable
Sir George H. Barlow K. B. and Bart.
Governor in Council

Honorable Sir,

Having been informed that in consequence of the recent arrangements of Government in the Medical Department, we shall sustain the loss of the services of our Secretary and Superintendent and the Native Sick and Poor those of their Medical attendant, a due regard to the welfare of the Establish: :ment which Government have confided to our charge makes us feel it to be our indes: :pensable duty to lay before your Honor in Council the consequences likely to arise from his removal. —

We have had abundant — opportunities of observing that Doctor Sherwood has, in the discharge of the professional Duties of his Employment, and his general Superinten: :dence at this place manifested a degree of — diligence

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diligence and assiduity most advantageous to his Patients) a class of Beings, who are seldom blessed with such treatment; besides which he has for years past gratuitously given his time, attention and labour to the concerns of the poor with such Patience, tenderness, and ability as have excited the special attention of this Committee, and of our Predecessors, and the continuance of which is apparently of the most material consequence to the interests of the Sick, — and Poor. —

Your Honor in Council must be well aware that it cannot be expected from the Members of a Committee like this, some of us Officers of Government, and all of us men with Numerous other avocations, to give any more than a casual and irregular attention to a concern of this nature; and the well being of such an Establishment

depends,

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depends, in a great measure, on the steady and continued attention of some person possessed of leisure to Superintend, qualified by experience to judge, and impelled by a strong desire to promote its prosperity — Such a Person is Doctor Sherwood, and such has he been ever since the time of the Famine in 1806-7. —

It does not belong to us Honorable Sir to interfere with the arrangement of Government, or to calculate what advantage may arise from Doctor Sherwood's Services elsewhere, but we feel that we should ill discharge our Duty in this important trust confided to us by Government if we did not make Known to your Honor in Council the value, and importance of that Gentleman's services here, and the apprehensions we entertain of the probable injurious consequence to the native Sick, and Poor should they be deprived of their continuance. —

We

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

R. Barclay
W. Harington
M. Thompson
R. Alexander
G. Arbuthnot
R. Yeldham
A. Watson

Madras
14th November 1810

(A true Copy)
(Signed) W. I. Chater
Supt to Secretary

To The President and Members
of the Medical Board
&c &c &c

Gentlemen,

Understanding that the situation of Medical Store Keeper is likely to become vacant by the promotion of Mr. Goldie. I beg to offer myself to you as a candidate, and I trust that my

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my conduct and services will give me a fair claim to your favorable consideration. —

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

Madras
15th. March 1812.

/Signed/ James Annesley
Surgeon M. E. Regt.

N:6.
Minute thereon

The Governor in Council is also pleased to adopt the recommendation of the Commander in Chief for restoring the appoint: ment of Garrison Surgeon of Bangalore and for discontinuing that of Garrison Surgeon of Seringapatam, whenever it may become vacant. —

Resolved that Mr. Surgeon Heward be re-appointed Garrison Surgeon of Bangalore as recommended by His Excellency. —

Read the following Letters from the Adjutant General of the Army. —

To The Chief Secretary to Government
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From the Adjutant General of the Army - Recommends that

Sir,

Colonel Bell Commandant of Artillery

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that the Commandant of Artillery receive authority to purchase, at the expense of Government, a Number of Copies of a Book entitled the "Madras Gunner."—

Artillery having submitted to His Excellency the Commander in Chief the publication which accompanies this letter, denominated "the Madras Gunner," and the Commandant of Artillery having stated his opinion that it would be usefull if established as a Regimental Book for the use of the Officers and Non Commissioned Officers of Artillery, the Commander in Chief has directed me to request you will solicit the sanction of the Honorable the Governor in Council for Colonel Bell to purchase a sufficient Number for that purpose and to charge the expence to Government.—

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) J. H. S. Conway
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

Adjutant General's Office
Fort St. George 8th January
1813.

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Resolution thereon.

Resolved that Copies of the Printed Work mentioned in the foregoing Letter be issued to the Commissioned and Non Commissioned Officers of Artillery at the public expense,

and

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expense, and the Commander in Chief is — requested to submit for sanction the charge which may be incurred on that account. —

Read the following letter from the Adjutant General of the Army. —

To The Chief Secretary to Government

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Arg.
From the Adjutant General of the Army. Lieutenant Colonel Adams requests an extension of his leave of absence. Lieutenant Edmonds of the 2d. Battalion 11th. Regiment N. I. requests permission to go to Sea on Sick Certificate. —

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 applications from Military Officers. —

1. Application from Lieutenant Colonel Adams of His Majesty's 25th. Regiment Light Dragoons Commanding Bangalore, for an extension of his leave of absence until the 1st. of March. —

2 Application from Lieutenant and Adjutant Edmonds of the 2nd. Battalion 11th. Regiment for leave to proceed to Sea on Sick — & certificate

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Certificate.—

I have the honor to be

&c.a &c.a

(Signed) J.H.S. Conway

Adj.t Genl. of the Army

Adj.t Genl's Office
Fort S.t George
12.th January 1812.

To The Honorable
Sir George H. Barlow Bar.t & K.B.
Governor in Council.

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

Honorable Sir,

I have the honor to request you will grant me an extension of my leave, to be absent from my Station from the 1.st of February to the 1.st March.—

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

(Signed) Geo.l Adams

Lieut.t Col.l Comg Bangaloor.

Madras
2.d January 1813.

To The Honorable the Governor in Council.
Fort S.t George

Sir,

I have the honor to submit a

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Surgeon's Certificate of the necessity of my proceeding to sea for the benefit of my health and to request permission to that effect:—

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

Cananore
22d. December 1812.

(Signed) Rich: Edmonds
Lieut. and Adjt. 2d. Bn. 11. Regt.

This is to certify that Lieutenant Edmonds of the 11th. Native Infantry who is ill with a Liver complaint, ought in our opinion to proceed to sea, it being absolutely necessary for the recovery of his health.—

Cananore
21st. December 1812.

(Signed)
George: Baillie
Sup. T. Surgeon
Wm. S. Anderson
Garrison Asst. Surgeon.

No. 10.
Resolutions thereon

Resolved that the leave of absence granted to Lieutenant Colonel Adams, Commandant of Bangalore, be extended from the 1st. February to the 1st. March: and that Lieutenant Edmonds of the 11th. Regiment of Native

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Native Infantry be permitted to proceed to sea for the recovery of his health. —

Read the following letters from the Military Auditor General. —

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

Honorable Sir,

No. 11.

From the Military Auditor General. Report on Mr. Paymaster Nicholls's application for compensation for losses which he sustained while serving with his Regiment in Travancore. —

1. In Obedience to your commands conveyed in Mr. Secretary Strachey's letter of the 22d. ultimo referring for consideration and report copy of a letter from the Paymaster of His Majesty's 19th. Regiment of Foot, requesting compensation for certain losses which he sustained while serving with this Regiment in Travancore I have accordingly the Honor to submit the following report. —

2. The application contained in Mr. Nichol's Memorial is in the first place to receive compensation for not having participated in

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in the Travancore Gratuity in Consequence of being detained on duty at Ceylon and not having joined the Regiment in Travancore until four days after the date limitted to entitle him to share in the donation granted by Government to the Troops employed on that service, the Amount of which share would be Star Pagodas 320. ——

3. With regard to which, as it appears from Mr. Secretary Stracheys letter that this part of the application had been submitted and rejected by the Committee appointed to investigate the claims upon that Gratuity — The subject therefore having been already decided upon by the proper Tribunal, my opinion upon this part of the Paymaster's claim may not be considered requisite as the decision already passed upon it is probably by your Honor in Council deemed conclusive. ——

4. The 2d. part of the application from Mr. Paymaster Nicholl's, is for reimburse

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reimbursement for the price of a House for which it is stated he paid upwards of 100 Pagodas hired by him for the safety of money necessarily under his charge. —

5. To which it appears only necessary, concisely to remark, that neither the Regulations nor the usage of the service under this Presidency authorize such charges to be admitted in the Military accounts, and I see no necessity for admitting such Extra charge upon the present occasion, the Regiment being encamped and upon Field allowances. —

6. The 3d. and last part of the application is to be reimbursed the sum of Pagodas 60, the price of a horse belonging to Mr. Nicholls which died at Dwilon. —

7. To which I have only to observe that althó it may be remarked that the sum requested to be reimbursed is only of a trifling nature, Casualties however of a similar kind and to a much greater amount

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in individual cases happen so frequently in this Quarter of the World for which no Compensation is provided by the Regulations or been sanctioned by Government, that I am of Opinion it is advisable a Precedent should not be established in this Instance. —

Military Auditor General's Office
Fort St. George 12th January 1813.

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

No. 12
Order thereon

Ordered, in consequence, that the following letter be dispatched to the — Paymaster of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot. —

To Mr. Nicholls
Paymaster to His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot

Fort St. George

Sir,

No. 13
To the Paymaster of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot.
The Regulations of the Service do not authorize the grant of any Compensation for Losses such as those specified by him

Para 1st. I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorial under Date the 12th

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him – The Governor in Council regrets that his claim to share in the Travancore gratuity has been found inadmissible.

12th of September last; and to acquaint you that the Regulations of this Government do not authorize the grant of any Compensation for the losses which you have specified. —

2. I am further directed to express the regret of the Governor in Council that your claim to participate in the Gratuity allowed to the Forces who served in Travancore was found to be inadmissible. —

I am &c &c

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

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Read the following letter from the Commissary General. —

To George Strachey Esq.re
Secretary of Government in the
Military Department

Sir,

No. 14.

From the Commissary General – Information respecting the Horses purchased for the Public service at Java – Suggestions for providing forage for them during the Voyage. —

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th ultimo, furnishing for my guidance a Copy of a letter from

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from the Secretary at Fort William, respecting the horses to be purchased for the Public service in Java, and desiring me to submit as soon as practicable, for transmission to the Supreme Government, a report of the Number of horses which would be in readiness for embarkation at Masulipatam by the 1st. of February next. —

2. I request that you will do me the favor to represent to the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the necessity of referring the question to Lieutenant Campbell, who had proceeded from Secunderabad to attend the Horse Market at Mullagong, has prevented me from affording the information required, at an earlier period; I have just however received a Communication from that Officer, which enables me to state that the Commission has been executed to it's full extent, and to estimate the period by which the horses may be expected to reach the Coast. —

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3. A proportion of these horses had been procured, previously to the departure of Lieutenant Campbell to Mullagong, and the remainder have been purchased at that fair. With the latter Lieutenant Campbell proceeded on the 28th. ultimo, on his return to Saundera: bad, where the whole will be brought before a committee of survey, assembled under orders from His Excellency the Commander in Chief; such as may be passed will be dispatched to Masulipatam without delay, and may reasonably be expected to arrive at that place, on or before the 10th. of February next. —

4. I shall have the honor of forwarding a more particular account of these Horses, after they have been surveyed; in the mean time I have thought it my duty to submit the preceding information in order that the necessary arrangement may be made for providing the means of transport to Java. —

5. In advising the Supreme Government

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Government that 120 horses may be in readiness for embarkation at Masulipatam by the 10th. of February. I take the liberty of requesting, that the Honorable the Governor in Council may be pleased to refer to the suggestion contained in the concluding paragraph of my letter, to your address of the 2d. of October, relative to the provision of forage; in addition to which I now beg leave to recommend, that the Transports dispatched from Bengal for the conveyance of the Horses, may be fitted up for their reception, and may be furnished with slings to hoist them in, and with stanchions and mats for their security and accommodation on board. The impossibility of procuring Casks at Masulipatam, and the scarcity of Grain now prevailing at that place, seem to render it requisite or expedient, that the water and Grain should be provided at Fort William, while the difficulty which I apprehend may be

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be experienced in prevailing on any natives to embark from the Northern Circars for Java, makes it desirable that the necessary proportion of Horse Keepers should be entertained in Bengal; and I have the honor therefore in conclusion to submit for consideration, that arrangements should be made at Fort William, for the supply of Forage, Grain, water, and attendants for the subsistence and care of the Horses during the Voyage, and that some trustworthy person may be sent to superintend and take charge of them until delivered at Java. —

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) W. Morison
Com. Genl.

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No. 15
Order thereon. —

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be transmitted to the Secretary

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Secretary at Fort William, in order that measures may be taken for the embarkation at Masulipatam of the horses purchased for the public service at Java. —

Read the following Letters from the Resident Commissioner. —

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras

Sir,

No. 16.
From the Naval Commissioner — Requesting information respecting Provisions shipped at the Cape on the Transport "Welcome Return" for the use of the Expedition to the Mauritius. —

Herewith I have the honor to transmit for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council the Copy of a letter addressed to me by the Commissioner of His Majesty's Navy at the Cape of Good Hope under date the 19th. of September last, with the Copy of two Enclosures which accompanied it, respecting a Supply of Provisions therein specified to the Troops embarked on board the Transport Welcome Return and who were employed on the Expedition to the Mauritius. —

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As the acting Agent Victualler at that Island in his letter to Commissioner Shield states, that the Books of the Commissariat Department connected with the Service therein referred to, were sent to India - I have therefore to request you will solicit the Honorable Sir George Barlow in Council that he will be pleased to give directions, to the proper Authorities at this Presidency to inform me, whether the Supplies of Provisions mentioned in the Statement herewith enclosed are inserted in the Victualling Accounts of that Expedition, and if they are so introduced, I should further request that the Amount of their Value may be repaid to me on the part of the Crown. ——

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

(Signed) Peter Puget

Commissioner

Peter.

Naval Commissioner's Office

Madras 8th January 1813.

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Peter Puget Esqre.

Commissioner of His Majesty's Navy.

Madras.

Sir,

Adverting to my letter to you dated 26th. of May last, enclosing by desire of the Commissioners of the Victualling Board, an account of Provisions Issued at this Place to the Ships employed in taking Troops against the Mauritius. —

I have now the honor to transmit an account of those Issued to the welcome Return, with a Copy of a Letter written to me by the Acting Agent Victualler at Port Louis. —

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

(Signed) W. Sheild

Commissioner

Cape of Good Hope
19th. September 1812.

(True copies)

(Signed) Peter Puget

Commissioner

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To William Shield Esqr.
Resident Commissioner
His Majesty's Navy
Cape of Good Hope

Sir,

Agreeable to your Directions contained in your Letter of the 6th of may — last respecting the Fresh Provisions furnished the Troops on Board the Welcome Return, In consequence of the Changes which have taken place in the Commissarial here, I waited on the Chief Secretary to Government with your Letter and Enclosure, by whom I begged to be referred to the proper Channel to demand the Account you require, but he informed me that he could not assist me in procuring it, as in the first place, the Books of the Department were sent to India with the Officers lately employed therein, and secondly he conceived that it being all Fresh Provisions, must have been

consumed

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consumed soon after it's being supplied and that the Master of the Welcome Return was the only person who could account for its expenditure, whose name is James, late second Officer of the Windham, and who joined the Ceylon at this Place for England in march 1811. —

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) Thomas King
Acting Agent Victualler

Fort Louis Yard
28th. July 1812.

(Copy)
(Signed) Wm. Shield

A Statement of Provisions supplied by Wm. Alfred Johnson, Agent Victualler at the Cape of Good Hope between the 9th. September and 25th. October 1810 to the Welcome Return E. I. C. hired Brig, Thomas Jones Master for the Victualling of His Majesty's Troops proceeding on an Expedition to the Island

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of Mauritius. —

Soft Bread.	Fresh Beef	Vegitables
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202.	1192½	596.

(Signed) W. Shield
commissioner

(True Copies)
(Signed) Peter Puget
Commissioner

No. 17.
Order thereon.

Ordered that the Resident Commissioner be informed that the Supreme Government will be requested to obtain from the Officer who served as Commissary General with the Expedition against the Isle of France the requisite explanation on the subject of the foregoing letter, with a view to the adjustment of the account in question between the Crown and the Honorable Company in

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compliance with his request. —

Read the following letter from

the Naval Commissioner. —

The Chief Secretary, to the Government

of Madras.

Sir,

Captain Brian Hodgson of

His Majesty's Ship Owen Glendower having

this day represented to me, that the Gun-

powder on Board that Ship has been found

damp and unfit for use, and it being —

requisite she should be equipped without loss

of time for service. —

I therefore beg you will do

me the honor to request the Honorable the

Governor in Council will be pleased to give

directions, that the Gunpowder so complained

of may be landed and received into the

Honorable Company's Magazines at this —

Presidency and that the Owen Glendower may be

supplied

No. 18
From the Naval Commissioner Requesting that His Majesty's Ship Owen Glendower may be supplied with serviceable Gunpowder in lieu of damaged powder now on Board. —

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supplied with serviceable Gunpowder in lieu of the Quantity intended to be returned.—

Naval Commissioners Office
Madras January 15th 1813.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) Peter Puget
Commissioner

No. 19.
Order thereon

Ordered, in Consequence that the following letters be dispatched.—

To The Naval Commissioner

Sir,

No. 20.
To the Naval Commissioner - Measures taken for supplying the ewen Glendower with Gunpowder.—

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to Acknowledge the receipt of your letter of this date, and to state that directions have been sent to the Military Board to receive into store the damaged gunpowder and supply Captain Hodgson with such quantity of serviceable powder as may be requisite, and to the Marine Board to afford every proper assistance in shipping it on board His —— Majesty's Ship Ewen Glendower.—

I have

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I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) W. Thackeray
Chief Sec. to Govt.

To The President and Members
of the
Military Board

Gentlemen,

No. 21.
To the Military Board — Gunpowder to be supplied to His Majesty's Ship Owen Glendower. —

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you for your information the enclosed copy of a Letter of this date from the Naval Commissioner, and to Request that the Gunpowder complained of on board His Majesty's Ship Owen Glendower — may be received into Store and that you will ascertain the quantity of serviceable Gunpower required to supply that Ship and give directions that it may be issued without delay. —

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I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) W. Thackeray
Chief Sec. to Govt.

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To The Marine Board.

Gentlemen,

No. 22.
To the Marine Board. Every proper assistance to be afforded to Captain Hodgson in shipping Gunpowder on the Owen Glendower. —

The Honorable the Governor in Council desires that every proper assistance may be afforded Captain Hodgson in shipping Gunpowder on board His Majesty's Ship Owen Glendower. —

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

(Signed) W. Thackeray
Chief Sec: to Govt.

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Read the following letter from the Seringapatam Prize committee. —

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

Honorable Sir,

No. 23.
From the Seringapatam Prize committee submitting a claim from Captain King for Travancore Gratuity. —

We have received from Captain King, the Senior Surviving Officer of a Detachment of the 2d. Battalion 14th Regiment

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Regiment Native Infantry, which was commanded during the period of the disturbances in Travancore, by Captain Walker, now deceased, a further representation on the subject of the claim for Travancore Gratuity, for the Detachment, which was formerly rejected.—

2. We had the honor of reporting on this claim in our Letter to Government under date the 9th of May last, and we have now but little to add to the observations which we then submitted — We are sensible that the services performed by Captain Walker's Detachment were of a laborious nature, and that it would probably have reached the Cochin Territory, within the prescribed period, had not the difficulties which attended the transportation of the Guns &c. prevented it.—

3. Were we disposed to recommend a departure from the principle upon which claims for the gratuity are ordered to be admitted

admitted, it would be in favor of this Detach:
:ment — We can only, however Submit, the present
Application from Captain King, for the
Consideration and final decision of your Honor
in Council. —

4 We have again to observe
that Captain King is Mistaken with respect
to the grounds upon which the Detach:
:ment of His Majesty's 59th Regiment,
under Lieutenant Colonel Weir has been
allowed to share in the gratuity; for altho
that Officer might have been at Tortulla
on the 3d of March, when Captain Walker's
Detachment arrived at that Place; yet it
appears by the Letter from Colonel Gibbs,
that Lieutenant Colonel Weir had been
ordered forward and that he was acta:
:ally at Karicote, a Village in the
Cochin Territory on the 21st of February
1812. —

We

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7th. October 1812.

We have the honor to be
Hon. Sirs
Your most obedient
Humble Servants
John Hilley Symons
Lieutenant Colonel
President
/ Signed T. H. S. Conway
V. Blacker

To The Secretary to the
Seringapatam Prize Committee

Sir,

As Next Senior Officer in a Detachment of the 2d. Battalion 14th. Regiment Native Infantry under the Command of the late Captain T. Walker which formed a part of the Field Force that marched from Bangalore, Commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Gibbs during the late disturbances in Travancore, I have been induced in Consequence of the Claims of that Detachment to the Donation granted by Government to the Troops engaged

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engaged on that Service, having been rejected, to examine into the grounds upon which — Captain Walker had advanced their pretensions to participate in the same, and hope that I may be able in justice to the Detachment to point out some additional Motives, which may induce the Committee to take the case into their more favorable Consideration, and recommend it to the notice of the Honorable the Governor in Council. —

It will be here needless for me to report the situation of the Detachment under Captain Walker and those of His — Majesty's 59th Regiment and one Company of the 2d. Battalion 14th Regiment Native Infantry at Tertulla (a place beyond dispute within the Company's territories) the same having been already submitted to the consideration of the Committee thro' a Letter forwarded by me thro' His Excellency the

Commander

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commander in Chief to the Honorable the Governor in Council which I conceived and was informed to have been the regular channel of Communication and which I regret had not been referred by me direct to the Committee, but which I beg leave to assure them originated in misapprehension alone.—

I therefore trust that notwithstanding the rejection by Government of the claims of the Detachment on that representation, the present appeal will be considered to arise from my anxiety for their interests, and will offer a sufficient apology to the Committee for my again intruding it upon their notice.—

In order at this stage, to bring the situation of our Detachment more pointedly to the notice of the Committee in reference to their claims to share equally with

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with that of His Majesty's 59th Regiment and the Company of the 2d Battalion 14th — Regiment remaining at Tartulla. They leave to state that one Company from that Corps was expresly ordered to remain there by the directions of Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage, under the Com: mand of Lieutenant Leasey, whilst the other five with the Head Quarters of the Battalion proceeded to join the force at Karicote, at — that time on their march to Parroor. —

No part of the Detachments ordered to remain at Tartulla advanced into any part of the Cochin or Travancore territory untile the arrival of Captain Walker's Detach: ment with the Guns, when the whole proceeded forward to Karkote, and on the evening of the day of our Arrival at Karkote, the four Companies under Captain Walker marched to join the force at Parroor leaving the Detachment of His Majesty 59th Regiment and the Company under Lieutenant

Leasy

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easy stationary at the former place.—

The pretensions of the Detach:
:ment in question, I humbly conceive, to have
been fully equal to those already alluded
to, and cannot but be considered in point
of situation and dates as specifyed in the
Orders of Government to have been upon
precisely the same footing; and when the
exertions and fatigue that the Detachment
necessarily underwent from the nature of the
Service on which they were specially employed
are taken into consideration, I trust that the
Committee will once more be pleased to re:
:consider the circumstances; and I cannot
help entertaining sanguine expectations
but that they will yet be induced to recom:
:mend the Bounty of Government to be
extended to the Detachment whose cause
I have thus taken the liberty of pleading.

I beg leave to add that even

had

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had the four Companies with Captain Walker arrived at Tortulla within the period specified in the Orders of Government (which the difficulty of bringing on the Guns alone prevented) a probability existed, that even then, they would not have been permitted to have advanced further, the force ordered to remain at Tortulla; having been intended as a resource or to keep in check any hostile movements that might have been Menaced in South Malabar. —

I have the honor to be
Hon. Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Tho. King Captain
2d. Bn. 14th. Regt.

Madras
8th. September 1812.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Tho: Macleane
Secy. to Prize Committee

Resolved that the following reply be dispatched. —

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To The President and Members of
The Prize Committee

Gentlemen,

No 24
To the Seringapatam Prize Committee — Grounds on which the claim preferred by Captain King of the 14.th Regiment N. I. in behalf of his Detachment, to Travancore Gratuity is considered inadmissible. —

Para 1.st I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 7.th of October last. —

2 The Governor in Council is not displeased at the importunity with which Captain King of the 14.th Regiment of Native Infantry has continued to urge the claims of the Detachment with which he served, to participate in the Gratuity of Travancore, but entirely concurs in your opinion that his comparison of their claims with those of the Detachment of His Majesty's 59.th Regiment halted at Tertulla has been founded on erroneous grounds and in some measure on imperfect information. —

3. From the very short distance from the frontier of Cochin at which the Detachment

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Detachment of His majesty's 59th Regiment were halted by an Order from the Officer exercising the principal command in Travancore, they could not but be considered to have been in direct cooperation with the remainder of the Corps, and to have had an equal influence in overawing the inhabitants of the country. They were further halted at Tortulla for the express purpose of preventing an attack expected in that direction, and may be viewed therefore as the Reserve or Rear Guard of the Force stationed at Kancotte within the Cochin territory. The Detachment also having rejoined the Regiment at Kancotte, as appears from the letter of Lieutenant Colonel Gibbs on the Morning of the 25th of February 1809 being one day only beyond the prescribed period, the equity of that decision might have been well disputed,

disputed, which notwithstanding the cir:
:cumstances under which they had been halted,
should have made the difference of a few
hours a ground for excluding them from
an equal share in the Gratuity with the
Force with which they were cooperating.
The same principle was applicable to the
claim of the party of the 2d Battalion
of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry
halted at Tortulla under the command of
Lieutenant Casey of that Corps. —

4. With respect to the Detach:
:ment, commanded by the late Captain —
Walker the case is widely different. They
arrived on the frontier of Cochin at a much
later period and their march towards it
cannot be supposed to have had more effect
in establishing tranquillity in Travancore,
than the advance of other Corps and
Detachments, which have been equally —

excluded

excluded from a participation in the
Gratuity. Assenting also to the possibility sub-
mitted by Captain King that the march
of the force in question through Malabar
may have been the means of preventing
disturbances in that Province, yet the
actual suppression of Rebellion within
the British territory could not afford to
British Troops a ground for claiming
compensation in lieu of Prize money.
under a full impression that every credit
is due to the exertions of the Detachment
of the 14th. Regiment of Native Infantry
to overcome the obstacles which impeded
their progress. and to reach the point of
their destination with the least possible
delay. the Governor in Council particularly
regrets the disappointment which they have
experienced; but the admission of their claim
would establish a precedent under which

many

many others must be allowed, while the amount already distributed to the Forces actually employed in Travancore has exceeded the Fund originally appropriated as a remuneration for that service. —

5. Under these circumstances — the Governor in Council has finally decided against the appeal of Captain King on behalf of his Detachment, and I am directed to desire that the grounds of the decision may be fully communicated to that Officer. —

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

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Read the following
Letter from the Resident at Hydra-
bad. —

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To William Thackeray Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honour to report to you, for the Information of the Honor: able the Governor in Council, that — Major General Conran has left Heydrabad, on his way to the Presidency - The Command of the Subsidiary Force has consequently devolved on Colonel Rumley and the Command at Secunderabad on Lieutenant Colonel Scott. —

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
(Signed) Henry Russell
Resident

Hydrabad
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No 25.
From the Resident at Hydrabad - Major General Conran having set out for the Presidency, the Command of Hydrabad has devolved on Colonel Rumley, and that of Secundera: bad on Lieutenant Colonel Scott. —

No 26.
Order thereon

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be furnished for the information and guidance of the Military Auditor

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Auditor General. —

Read the following letter from the Resident at Tanjore. —

To The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have had the honor to receive your Letter of the 29th ultimo, authorizing an allowance to Captain J. Butler of twelve Pagodas a Month for provided Cover for the Native Troops at Tanjour, from the 1st December 1812, and directing that a Bill on Honor be forwarded by that Gentleman for the Amount which he may have previously espended on that Account. —

I have the Honor to enclose the Bill for sixty Pagodas which has been made out by Captain J. Butler in obedience to your Instructions. —

No 27.
From the Resident at Tanjore - Forwarding Captain Butler's Bill on honour for the charge incurred by him in providing Cover to the Troops at Tanjore. and requesting that the Civil Auditor may be authorized to pass the Amount, as also the Bills in future for Barrack rent. —

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If the Honorable The Governor in Council be pleased to sanction the payment of this Bill, I request that Instructions may be given to the Civil Auditor to allow the Charge in my accounts, as well as the monthly payment of twelve Pagodas for Barracks for the Troops. —

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your

Most obedient

Most humble Servant

(Signed) W. Blackburne

Resident at Tanjore

Tanjore

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No. 28.

Order thereon.

Ordered, in consequence, that the following letter be dispatched to the Civil Auditor. —

To The Civil Auditor

Sir,

No. 29.

To the Civil Auditor. Amount of a Bill accompanying, to be paid to the Resident in Tanjore, Pagodas 12 per Mensem to be admitted in the Residents account for Barracks furnished by Captain Butler to the Troops. —

Para 1st. The Honorable the Governor in Council desires that the Amount of the accompanying Bill (Pags. 60.) may be paid

paid by the Resident at Tanjore, and that the Charge be admitted in his accounts. —

2. The Governor in Council has also been pleased to direct that 12 Pagodas per Mensem shall be paid from the 1st Ultimo to Captain Butler for barracks for the Troops there to be charged in the accounts of the Resident at Tanjore. —

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I have the honor to be &c. &c.
(Signed) W. Thackeray
Chief Sec. to Govt.

Read the following letter from the Collector in Tinnevelly. —

To The Chief Secretary
to the Government
of Fort St. George

Sir,

Nº 30.
From the Collector at Tinnevelly — Information relative to Ordnance supposed to have been landed in Tinnevelly from Columbo in 1809. for the

Para 1st. I have had the honor to

receive

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the Service in Travancore

Received the Letter of the Secretary to Govern-
-ment in the Military Department Dated
22d. ultimo, enclosing by order of the Honor-
-able the Governor in Council, Copies of certain
Letters which have passed between the
Government of Fort St. George and that of
Ceylon, respecting three twelve Pounders
and one eight and a half Inch Howitzer,
shipped at Columbo in the year 1809.
in aid of the Service then going on in
Travancore, and directing that I shall
state any information within my
Knowledge respecting the Ordnance in
question, which appears to have been
consigned to me. —

2. In addition to the enclosures
in Mr. Strachey's Letter, I have the honor
to transmit, for the information of
the Honorable the Governor in Council,
copy of my reply to His Excellency —

General

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General Maitland's Letter of the 12th. of February 1809. as also Copy of my Letter to Lieutenant Colonel The Honorable A Sentleger apprizing him of the expected arrival of these Guns, and requesting a communication of his wishes respecting the disposal of them, being doubtful myself, as expressed in my Letter to the Governor of Ceylon, whether they would then be required, as the Detachment under Colonel Sentleger's command, had before that time taken the Aramboody Lines by Storm, and had obtained possession of Woodaverry containing a large Arsenal. Colonel Sentleger's reply to my Letter is also subjoined, whence it will be observed, that from a Correspondence with the Rajah having been commenced, the Colonel could not, just at that Moment, say whether he would require these Guns or not, and he therefore

deemed,

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desired, that if the ship on board of which they were placed should arrive, that the commander be requested to remain 'till his final instructions with respect to them should be received — Two days after the date of that Letter, I received intimation from Colonel Sentleger, that tranquillity was again restored in Travancore. with directions to reestablish the public Post between Palamcotah and Quilon as usual. —

3. The above Letters contain the only information respecting the Ordnance in question which is to be found upon the records of this Office — as the Circumstances respecting it, are perfectly within my recollection. I beg leave to add for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the Guns never were received by me, nor to the best of my Knowledge

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knowledge, ever were landed in this
Province as being consigned to me, and
having given orders to my local Officers
to inform me of their Arrival the Moment
they reached Manapar. I certainly must
have Known it, and an acknowledge:
:ment of their receipt would, besides, have
been expected from me, either to the Comman:
:der of the Vessel who delivered them, or to the
Government of Ceylon, to neither of whom,
I think, I can with confidence say, such a
document was ever granted by me. —

4. To the best of my recollection,
I afterwards understood from some of the
Officers from Ceylon, who had been employed
in Travancore, that from the number of
rocks and the dangerous nature of the
navigation at Manapar, it was found
impossible to bring the Vessel, on which the
Ordnance was shipped, sufficiently near to

land

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land it, and that the Commander was therefore obliged to relinquish the attempt, but whether he then returned to Ceylon, or not, it is not in my power to say. - Sought also to add, that I have ascertained — through the Officer Commanding the — Troops in this Province, that no such — ordnance, is, or ever was received into the — Arsenal at Palamcottah. —

5. This Ordnance is entirely distinct from the Field Train brought with the Detachment under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Morrice, which landed at Tutacoryn in February 1809, as it accompanied the Troops to Colonel Sutteger's Camp —

I have the honor to be

Sir Sir

Your Most Obedient

Tinnevelly
4th January 1813.

(Signed) Ja: Hepburn

Collector

To

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To His Excellency

General Maitland

Governor &c. &c. &c.

Ceylon

Sir,

Para 1st I have had the honor to receive your Excellency's Letter of the 12th. Instant informing me of your having on that day ordered three 12 Pounders and one 8 1/2 Howitzer to be shipped for Manapar which guns you desire me to forward on their arrival without delay to the Camp of Lieutenant Colonel The Honorable A. Sentleger. —

2. As the Capture of the Forts at Wodagerry, and Pampanavaram has put Colonel Sentleger in posession of one of the Enemy's principal Arsenals I have considered it proper to await his determination with respect to these Guns when they shall be landed, before forwarding them on to his Camp for which purpose I have this day written to

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to him informing him of their expected arrival and I shall have the honor of communicating his reply to your Excellency by which my conduct in respect to the Guns will of course be — guided. —

3. I have also intimated the expected arrival of these Guns to the Officer in Command of this District and have requested him to send a party to Manapar for their protection if he deems it necessary but I should hardly think it will be required. —

(Signed) Ja. Hepburn
Collector

Tinnevelly
21st February 1809.

To Lieutenant Colonel
The Honorable A. Sentleger

Sir,

I have this day received a Letter from His Excellency the Governor of Ceylon, in which he informs me, that in consequence of letters from the Government of Madras, informing him

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him that heavy Guns maybe wanted in your Detachment he had ordered three 12 Pounders and one 8 1/2 Inch Howitzer. with a full proportion of Ammunition and Stores to be shipped on the 12th. Instant for Manapar, which Guns he requests me to forward to your Comp. —

I request to be favored with a communication of your wishes respecting the Guns in question after their arrival at Manapar. —

(Signed) Ja: Hepburn
Collector

Tinnevelly
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To The Collector
of Tinnevelly

Sir,

I have been honored with your letter of the 21st. Instant and as it is impossible for me as yet to say whether

there

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there will be a peace or not, the Communi-
:cation not being open with Colonel —
Macaulay. I would advise that the Vessel
which brings the Guns may be detained
one or two days by which time I hope to be
able to give full instructions whether to
land or to return the Guns. —

On the evening of the 21.st
Instant a Naigue and 4 Troopers were
sent to Trevandrum, with a letter in
answer to one from the Rajah- two of
the Troopers were to proceed to Quilon with
a dispatch for Lieutenant Colonel —
Macaulay - Accounts have been received
(but not Officially) that they were wel-
:comed and the Residents letter immediately
forwarded by the Troopers - the others
remains to bring the Answer, which must
determine every thing. —

(Signed)

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Camp
23d. July 1809.

(Signed) A. Sentleger
Lieut. Colonel

(True Copies)
(Signed) Ja: Hepburn
Collector.

No. 31.
Order thereon.

Ordered, in Consequence, that
the following letter be dispatched to the
Chief Secretary to the Government at
Columbo. —

To The Honorable John Rodney
Chief Secretary to the Government
at
Columbo

Sir,

No. 32.
To the Chief Secretary to the Government at Columbo — For: warding papers relative to the Ordnance — mentioned in Mr. Gay's letter of the 6th. Novem: ber last. —

I am directed by the Honora
the Governor in Council to acknowledge
the receipt of Mr. Deputy Secretary Gay
Letter of the 6th. of November. last; and
to request that you will submit to Hi
Excelle

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Excellency the Governor of Ceylon the enclosed Papers, relating to the subject of that communication. —

1. Extract from a Report from the Military Board at Fort St. George, Dated the 11th. of July 1811, with copies of the statements of Ordnance and Military Stores therein mentioned. —

2. Copy of a Letter to the Military Board. Dated the 27th. November 1812. —

3. Copy of a Letter from the Military Board. Dated the 10th. of December 1812. —

4. Copy of a Letter to the Collector of Tinnevelly. Dated the 22d. December 1812. —

5. Copy of a Letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly. Dated the 4th. Instant. —

I have

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I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obedient
humble Servant
(signed) G Strachey
Secry to Govt.

No. 33.
Order thereon.

Ordered that the following
Letter be dispatched. —

To The Resident
in Travancore.

Sir,

No 34.
To the Resident at Travancore — He will forward the Proceedings of the Native Court on the Trials of the Puckally Sheikh Ameen, and the discharged Sepoy Sheikh Ibrahim, and state his opinion as to the final determination which should be passed with respect to those Prisoners. —

In your letter under date the 6th June last it is stated that the Pakally Sheikh Ameen and the discharged Sepoy Sheikh Ibrahim as well as the Same Pakeer had been tried and sentenced by the principal Native Court in Travancore to suffer death, but that it would be requisite to postpone their execution as their evidence might be required for the conviction of the Sepoys; from your Letters under date

the

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the 16th. and 19th. June it appeared that the evidence of the lame Taker was not considered requisite on the trials of the Sepoys, and the sentence passed upon him by the Court was carried into execution. —

The Honorable the —

Governor in Council desires that you will transmit for his information the proceedings of the principal Native Court on the trials of the Pakally Shekh Ameen and the discharged Sepoy Shekh Ibrahim. and submit your Opinion as to the final Determination which it may be proper to pass with regard to these two prisoners. —

I have

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I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) W. Thackeray
Chief Secy. to Govt.

The President records
the following minute. —

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No. 35.

President's Minute.
His Majesty's 86th. Foot to be halted at Vellore 'till it be ascertained whether it be necessary to station a European Regt. at Goa, in the room of His Majesty's 69th. —

The President proposes
that His Majesty's 86th. Regiment
of Foot may be halted at —
Vellore, and it's marching Equip-
-ments discharged; until it be —
ascertained

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ascertained whether or not the — presence of a European Regiment at Goa shall be considered necessary, after the march from that place of His Majesty's 69th. Regiment. —

(Signed) G. H. Barlow.

N. 36.

Resolution and Order thereon. —

Resolved that the — Commander in Chief be authorized and requested to give orders for — the Halt of His majesty's 36th. Regiment at Vellore, and for the discharge of it's marching equipments as recommended by the President. —

Ordered

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Ordered that the suspension of the intended march of Her Majesty's 78th Regt be communicated to the British Envoy at Goa and to the Commissary General.

" G. H. Barlow
" J. Stratton
" J. Oakes
" E. H. Kindersley
"

Ex^d Strange

M. D.
Office 1st 15th Jan^y 1813
Pages 106. Copied by M.
Chinglewoy. —

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Diary

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Diary

16th Received the following Letter.

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary of Government in the

Military Department

No. 1

From the Commissary General - Lieutenant Cullen has been instructed to dispose of the proceeds of the arrack Bazar at Bangalore in such manner as the Resident in Mysore may think proper. —

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 8th Instant, — forwarding for my information and guidance a letter from the Resident in Mysore, requesting "that the Honorable the Governor in Council may be pleased to direct the Commissary General to deliver over to the Mysore Government the — profits upon arrack, collected in the Bengalore Bazar, and that he may be instructed to make regular payments in future, of the Revenue arising from this source". —

In replying to that Communication I beg leave to report for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that when

I was

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I was favored with the receipt of the decision of Government, conveyed to me with a letter from the Chief Secretary dated the 15th ultimo, I sent the necessary orders to the Assistant Commissary General Lieutenant Cubbon respecting the mode to be observed in the adjustment of the accounts of the arrack Bazar at Baingalore, directing him at the same time to be prepared to pay the balances of cash in hand to the order of the Resident; and, concluding that Mr. Cole, after the receipt of the Chief Secretary's dispatch of the 15th December, will probably communicate with Lieutenant Cubbon on the Subject, the proceeds will of course be immediately disposed of in such manner as he may think proper. I am satisfied also, that the future payments will be arranged with all the Regularity that may be desired by the Resident, and in any way that may be most convenient to him.—

Fort St. George
12th January 1813

I have the honor to be &c &c
/Signed/ W. Morison
Commy. General

The

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The following Copy of paper — received from the Revenue Department is — ordered to be recorded in this Department. —

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

Para 1 I am directed by the President and Members of the Board of Revenue to submit the accompanying letter from the Collector in Canara, suggesting the propriety of storing a quantity of Rice at several Stations along the Coast for the Consumption of the Troops and of such of the Inhabitants as depend upon the Bazars for their daily supply. —

N. 2
Copies of Letters from and to the Board of Revenue. Relative to a proposition of the Collector of Canara for storing Rice at different Stations on the Coast. —

2 The measure suggested by Mr. Read, so far as it regards the supply of the Troops in Canara, appears to the Board to be a matter for the consideration of the Commissary General; and the Board beg leave to recommend that a reference on the Subject may be made to that Officer. —

When

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3. When the propriety of storing rice at Onore for the Consumption of the Troops and others was under discussion, the Magistrate gave it as his opinion that the measure was — absolutely necessary, because the Merchants residing at the place are not possessed of — capital sufficient to enable them to keep in store the requisite supply; and the measure, restrict= =ed to Onore, has already received the Sanction of the Honorable the Governor in Council. — But to lay in supplies for the Consumption of the inhabitants along the Coast as suggested by Mr. Read, appears to the Board to be extremely objectionable, because, although the quantity which he proposes to store is quite inadequate to meet the general demand, the provision of it by — Government would still interfere very materially with the private trade. —

4 With this view of the Subject, the Board intend, with the permission of Government,

to

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to inform Mr. Read that the measure proposed by him, of storing rice for the supply of the inhabitants along the Coast is Considered to be altogether inexpedient; and that he will receive a Communication from the Commissariat Department, if it should be deemed necessary to provide rice for the Consumption of the troops stationed in his district. —

Fort St. George
14th January 1813

I have the honor to be
Sir Sir
/Signed/ H. Oliver
Secretary

To the President and Members of the
Board of Revenues

Gentlemen,

Being about to proceed on Circuit to Sedasheguir, I deem it of importance before leaving this part of the Province to call your attention to the great exportation of Grain which has already taken place, its dearness

in

in comparison with other years — the demand still existing, and which seems likely to exist, and the expected scantiness of the second Crop usually reaped in February proceeding from the want of rain in September and October last. —

I am fully aware of the desire of Government that the Grain market should at all times be left free, and therefore am far from recommending any Check being given to exportation, at the same time, when the fore=going circumstances are considered, and that Canara cannot be supplied like other Countries should any scarcity arise except through the slow and precarious medium of Bullock = Carriage from Mysore, I am of opinion that a public Stock of Rice should be stored with=out loss of time at convenient places along the Coast for the supply of the Troops and such Inhabitants as depend on the Bazars

for

for their daily support.—

With this view I beg leave to recommend that permission be granted me to purchase and store the following quantity at the undermentioned places.—

Sedashigur	75 Corges
Ankola	20 "
Gokurn	20 "
Amore	100 "
Buteul	25 "
Cundapoor	25 "
Woorpi	40 "
Mangalore	300 "
Buntwal	50 "
Munjasur	40 "
Coombah	35 "
Cassergody	30 "
Total	760 — estimated at

100 Rupees pr. Corge or Rupees 76,000.—

Copy

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Copy of this Letter has been sent to the Judge and Magistrate who is fully impressed with the necessity of the measure.—

Mangalore
31st December 812.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Sir
/Signed/ Alexr. Read
Collector

To the President and Members of the
Board of Revenue

Gentlemen,

Para 1 I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Secretary's letter dated the 14th instant, and to transmit to you the annexed Copy of a letter on the same Subject which had previously been received from the Magistrate of the Zilla of Canara.—

2 The Governor in Council concurs in your opinion regarding the inexpediency of

Storing

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Storing grain for the use of the Inhabitants of
Canara, but desires that the Collector may —
receive orders to store such quantity as in —
Communication with the Magistrate, he may
deem necessary for the supply of the prisoners —

Instructions regarding the
3 supply of the troops will be furnished to the
Commissary General, and I am directed to —
desire that the Collector may attend to any
requisition on the subject which may be
addressed to him by that Officer. —

I have the honor to be
Sir Sir —

Fort St. George
15th January 1813

/Signed/ D. Hill
Secy to Government

/True Copies/
/Signed/ D. Hill
Secy to Govt.

Sent the following Letter
To the Naval Commissioner

No. 3
To the Naval
Commissioner —
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Sir, I am directed by the Honble
the

It is not possible to calculate the precise saving that would arise if the timber for H. M. Ships were to be supplied from the Company's Stores — The arrangement however is advantageous and may, it is thought, be adopted after a reference shall have been made to England respecting it. —

the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 11th November, and to state that it is not practicable to make a Calculation of the Advantage which would result from the adoption of the Arrangement Recommended by the Military Board that the timber Required for the use of His Majesty's navy should be supplied from the public Stores of this Presidency, but as that arrangement would prevent Competition in the purchase of that Article between the Crown and the Company which would probably enhance its price to both, and as it was intended that timber provided for the Navy should have been supplied at the same Rate of Charge to the Crown as it might actually cost the Company, there is no doubt that the Crown and the Company would benefit by that arrangement, and although your instructions

might

might preclude its immediate adoption, the Governor in Council is of opinion that it may take place hereafter with the same prospect of advantage to the public service, if on a Communication with the authorities in England you should be empowered to accept the proposal of this Government. —

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c

Fort St George
15th January 1813

/Signed/ Wm Thackery
Chief Secy to Government

Received and sent the following Letters entered in M. B. Nos 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. —

From the Military Board. Estimates will shortly be prepared for the alterations and repairs recommended by the Officer Commanding the S. Division of the Army in his Letter of the 4th December last. —

From the Military Board. —

From Lieutenant Colonel Bruce — Report

From the Military auditor General

Reports on the General Estimate of Cash required for the payment of the Army for February. —

From the British Envoy at Jeya. — From Captain Schuyler — acknowledging receipt of the orders of the 22nd ultimo relative to Military movements. —

From the acting Secty to the Govern=ment at Fort Cornwallis. — From Mr. Clubley — with Statements of advances of Cash made to Officers of the Madras establishment. —

From — Ditto. — From — Ditto — Cash advanced to Lieutenant Bennett of the Madras Establishment. —

To the Commander in Chief. — To His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Samuel Auchmuty — With Extract from the Proceed=ings in Council on the letter from His Excellency's Military Secretary of the 7th Instant. —

To the Military Auditor General. — To the Military Auditor General — With Copies of letters regarding the succession to the Command of the Subsidiary Force at Hydrabad, and of the Cantonment of Secundrabad. —

To — Ditto. — To — Ditto — With Copy of a letter to the Civil Auditor. —

To

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To the Accountant General —

To the Accountant General — with an acknowledgement of Wm. C. Macdonald late Assist.-Surgeon for the purchase of two horses from the Company —

To the Superintendant of the Government Press. — Printed papers to be prepared for the use of the Town Mayor's Office —

To the Superintendant of the Government Press. —

To Captain Schuyler — H. M. 86th Regiment has been ordered to halt at Vellore 'till it shall be ascertained whether a European Corps will be required at Goa after the removal of the 69th —

To the Envoy at Goa.

To M. C. W. Gardiner — Copy of a letter from the Resident Commissioner — enclosed. It is requested that the information therein required may be procured from the Officer who served as Commissary General with the Expedition to the French Islands. —

To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William. —

To — Ditto — With Copy of a letter from the Commissary General relative to the

To Ditto —

horses

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horses purchased for the public Service at Java. —

B.# Sent the following Letters entered

in M. B. Nos 69. 70. 71. —

To the Military Auditor General. —

To the Military Auditor General. —

an advance to be paid to a detachment of the

8.th Native Infantry ordered to Trichinopoly. —

To the Commissary General. —

To the Commissary General —

With Copies of a Correspondence with the Board

of Revenue. —

To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William. —

To W. C. H. Gardiner — with

General Return of the Army for December. —

At a Consultation

Present

The Honorable Sir George Hilaro Barlow B.t G.C.B.

Governor and President

His Excellency Lieutenant General

Sir Samuel Auchmuty K.B.

Commander in Chief

Friday the

19.th January 1813.

Thomas Oakes

and

J. H. Casamajor } Esqrs

Minutes of last Consultation

read

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Read and approved.—

Read the following letters from the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.—

To George Strachey Esqre.

Secretary to Government

&c &c &c

Sir,

The Commander in Chief has directed me to submit herewith, to the consideration of Government, the enclosed Proceedings of Committees assembled under His Excellency's authority at St. Thomas's Mount, to investigate the Claims for short allowance of Provisions of Certain Gun Lascars, Invalided and Pensioned Lascars, and of the Families of deceased Men, while station-ed at Malacca.—

I have been further instructed to enclose herewith a Letter from the Officer Commanding

No. 4

From the Military Secretary to the Commr. in Chief—With Proceedings of Committee relative to Claims on account of short issues of provisions at Malacca.—

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Commanding the 2d. Battalion 9th. Regiment, forwarding a Similar claim in behalf of certain men of that Battalion; and to express His Excellency's Recommendation, as Precedents appear to Warrant the Consideration of these appeals, that the Military Auditor General be instructed to report on them accordingly.—

Comm.t in Chief's Office
Fort St. George
13th. January 1813.—

I have the honor to be Sir &c.
/Signed/ Hugh Scott
M. S.

To Captain Hugh Scott
Military Secretary to His
Excellency the Commander in Chief

Sir,

Agreeably to the instructions commu-
=nicated in your Letter of the 15th. of July last, I have the honor to transmit for the Consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the Proceed-
=ings of a Committee of Officers. Assembled for the investigation of Claims to Compensation on account

of

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of Short allowances to Gun Lascars whilst on Service at Malacca.—

The Proceedings were not closed till all Claims from Persons at the Mount, and at Out Stations appeared to have been received.—

St. Thomas's Mount
1st. December 1812.

I have the honor to be
Sir Sir
/Signed/ Robt. Bell
Col. Comdt. Artillery

To the Military Secretary of the Commander in Chief

Sir,

Having been given to under-stand by the Adjutant General of the Army, that I am to refer to you for the adjustment of all Claims for Short allow-ance of Provisions which may be possessed by men of this Corps, who were employed on

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on Service to the Eastward, I do myself the honor of enclosing a List of Claimants accordingly, and hope the men therein mentioned, will be allowed, as well as the families of those deceased, to share the Compensation now about to be given, to Shaik Hussain, late a Subidar in this Corps, who served with the Coast North Volunteers in the old 11th. Battalion, in 1796.—

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

/Signed/ Geo. Rose Lieut.

S. O. in Charge 2d. Battn.

9th. Regiment N. I.

Cannanore

22d. December 1812

List

List of Men of the 2d. Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry who claim a short allowance of Provisions for the time they were Employed on Service to the Eastward. –

Present Situation in the Corps			Situation when Employed on Foreign Service				Year Embarked and to what place	
Company	Rank	Names	Compy.	Corps	Rank	Name of the Officer under whose order Embarked.		
4th Bn.	Havildar	Ramdoo	1st Co.	11th Bn.	Private	Majr. McNeile	1796	Amboyna
2d.	Naigue	Ebram Cawn	1st Co.	Do	"	Do	Do	Do
2d.	Private	Abdul Nabby	5th	Do	"	Do	Do	Do
2d.	"	Achanah	5th	Do	"	Do	Do	Do
7th	"	Cumboo	2d	Do	"	Do	Do	Do
6th	"	Mahomed Sheref	2d.	Do	"	Do	Do	Do
2nd	"	Baubboo Singh	2d.	Do	"	Do	Do	Do
3rd	"	Hussain Homed	7th	17th Bn.	"	Major Gordon	Do	Do
L.I.	"	Narrain Sing	1st Co.	33rd	"	Major Tolfrey	Do	Pulo Penang

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List of Men of the 2d Battn 9th Regiment Native Infantry who embarked for Foreign Service (since deceased) whose Heirs claim a Short allowance of Provisions for the time their relatives were Employed.—

Situation at the time of Embarkation.—				Name of Officers under whose order embarked.—	Year Embarked and to what Place	Heirs	
Company	Corps	Rank	Names			Names	Nature of Connection to the deceased
1st Battn	11th Regt	Private	Laul Cawn	Major McNeile	1796 Amboyna	Ally Cawn	Brother
5th "	D	Drum Major	Manual	D	D	Chowry Mootoo	Brother
2d Co	D	Private	Ramdoo	D	D	yenkee	Mother
1st Do	D	D	Sain Singh	D	D	Gungee	Daughter
Do	D	D	Chaik ally	D	D	Talamah Saib	mother
2d Do	D	D	Leehmadoo	D	D	Achanah	Brother in Law

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NB: Laul Cawn and manual Died in the Coast after their Return from Foreign Service —

Ramdoo, Sam Singh, Shaik ally, and Leehmadoo died at Amboyna, and their respective heirs are living on the Pension granted to them by Government.

Cannanore
22d December 1812

/ Signed / J. Rose Lt
Actg in charge 2d
Battn 9th N. I.

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No 5

Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter, with the original papers therein mentioned be referred to the Military Auditor General for Consideration and Report. —

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

No 6.

From Deputy Forwarding Proceedings of a Committee relative to losses sustained by men of the Corps of Artillery at the French Islands.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith, by order of the Commander in Chief, a Letter addressed by the Commandant of Artillery to the Adjutant General of the Army, transmitting the Proceedings of a Committee assembled to ascertain the losses sustained by men of the Corps of Artillery, in the Expeditions to the Isles of France and Bourbon. —

The Submission of these Proceedings has been delayed in Consequence of some error in their mode of transmission to Head Quarters —

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Quarters — His Excellency however, in adverting to recent cases of a similar nature, which have met the favorable attention of Government, has the honor to Recommend, that the Claims submitted herewith, may be referred to the Military Auditor General, and if found parallel with the former applications on the same head, be adjusted on similar principles. —

Comm.t. in. Chief's Office
Fort St. George
13th January 1813. —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most
Obed.t
Humble Servt.
/ Signed / Hugh Scott
Adj.t Gen.l

To Lieutenant Colonel Conway
Adjutant General of the Army

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit the Proceedings of a Committee assembled by my Order to ascertain the losses sustained on the late Expedition against the Isles of France and

Bourbon

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Bourbon by Men of the Corps of Artillery —

I forward this Paper to your Offices in consequence of the Proceedings of a Committee of a Similar discription having passed through it to Government, and the orders relative to which, were communicated in Lieutenant Johnston's letter of the 22d July 1811. —

St. Thomas's Mount
4th May 1812. —

I have the honor to be
Sir &c.
/ Signed / Robt Bell
Col. Commt. Artillery

No 7
Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter with the original Proceedings of the Committee therein mentioned be referred to the Military Auditor General for Consideration and report. —

To George Strachey Esqre
Secretary to Government
&c. — &c. — &c. —

No 8.
From the Military Secretary to the Commr in Chief — supporting

Sir,

I have been directed by
Lieutenant

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Supporting an application from Major Mandeville of the 17th Regt N. I. for the usual allowances for the period during which he commanded at Tinnevelly. —

Lieutenant General Sir Samuel Auchmuty to request, that the accompanying Letter and enclosure from Major Mandeville of the 17th Native Regiment, may be laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council, with His Excellency's recommendation, that the Major be authorized to draw the usual allowances for the Command of the Tinnevelly District, for the period during which he may have performed that duty. —

Commt. in Chief's Office
Fort St. George
13th January 1813. —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Obedt.
Servt.
/Signed/ Hugh Scott
A. S.

To the Military Secretary
To His Excellency the Commander in Chief
&c &c &c
Fort St. George

Sir,

I beg leave to state for the information

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information of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, in having been ordered by Major General Wilkinson late Commanding the Southern Division of the Army, to proceed hence to Pallamcottah, and assume the Command of 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry in consequence of the extreme Illness of Lieutenant Colonel Brice, as will appear by the enclosed Copy of a Letter dated 24th September 1812 from the acting Major of Brigade to the Division; and as the death of Lieutenant Colonel Brice happened on the 23d of that month I consequently became the Senior Officer in Command of the Tinnivelly District, Pallamcottah and 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry and exercising such Command from 1st October 'till 16th November 1812 inclusive, when I relinquished the same, owing to the arrival of Lieutenant Colonel

Trotter

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Trotter — But as the Military Paymaster at Quilon declines paying the Superior Batta for such temporary Command unless Sanctioned by Government, agreeable to the 66th Para. Page 22 — Code of Pay Regulations; may I request the favor, you will submit this Letter to the Consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, in hopes he will have the goodness to obtain the Sanction of Government, towards drawing the allowance in question for the temporary Command of the Tinnivelly District during the period above stated. —

I should have inclosed the Original Letter from the acting Major of Brigade Southern Division, but such being attached to the abstract, including my Pay and allowances In Arrear for September and advance for October 1812 has induced me to substitute a Copy thereof. —

I have

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

(Signed) C. Mandeville Majr

1st Battn 17th Regt N.I.

late Commt Tinnivelly District.

Madura

7th January 1813.

To Major Mandeville

1st Battalion 17th Regiment

Native Infantry

Commanding Madura

Sir,

Lieutenant Colonel Brice, from extreme Illness being incapable of Commanding the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry I Major General Wilkinson has directed me to desire that you will forthwith proceed to Pallamcottah, and assume the Command.

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

Head Quarters S.D.

Madura 24th Sept. 1812.

(Signed) John Wade

Adjt N.B. S.D.

(A true Copy)

(Signed) C. Mandeville Majr

1st Bn 17th Regt N.I.

Comdg Madura

Resolved

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Resolution thereon

Resolved that Major Mandeville of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry be permitted to draw the authorized allowances while Commanding the Troops in the District of Tinnivelly.—

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government

&c.— &c.— &c.—

No 10.

From the Military Sect. to the Commr. in Chief— opinion on the Claim preferred against this Govern.ment by Captain Covell of the 4th Ceylon Regiment.—

Sir,

I am directed by the Commander in Chief to acknowledge the receipt of your letter to His Excellency's address of the 5th Instant, together with the several documents referred to in that Communication.—

His Excellency is fully aware of the difficulty of attending, in its full extent, to the application contained in Captain Covell's address, without establishing a principle, in reference to the precedent quoted by the Military Auditor General, which must subject the Honorable Company to an undue proportion of the Public Charge, on

all

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all occasions of Transfer, similar to that under Consideration.—

On this particular case, however, His Excellency is inclined to suggest, that Captain Covell should be referred to the Government of Ceylon, for the payment of the allowances of a Subaltern, for the period stated in his application, and that the difference between them, and the Amount he would have received as a Captain on this Establishment, be made good to him by the Madras Government, for the period of his having actually served on the Coast, as an Officer of the latter rank.—

The Commander in Chief Considers this to be the most equitable mode of adjust=ment, in reference, as well to the attention necessary to be paid to the interests of the Honorable Company as to the peculiar hardship which would otherwise accrue to the applicant, under all the Circumstances of his situation.—

I have

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I have the honor to return herewith the Vouchers transmitted with your letter of the 5th Instant and to be,

Comm.r in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
13th January 1813

Sir, Your ___ Your ___

(Signed) Hugh Scott
M. S.

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Order thereon

Ordered that the Military Auditor General be desired to submit a Statement exhibiting the Balance of Allowances payable by this Government to Captain Covell of His Majesty's 4th Regt. of Ceylon Infantry, under the arrangement suggested by His Excellency the Commander in Chief for the adjustment of the Claims of that Officer. —

George Strachey Esqre
Secretary to Government

№ 12

Sir,

From Delto — with papers from the Fort adjt. at Poonamallee relative to unsettled claims of men of the 69th Regt. who were invalided at that station. —

I have the honor to transmit herewith, by direction of the Commander in Chief, a — Letter from the Fort adjutant at Poonamallee, with

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with Several enclosures, on the Subject of Certain unsettled claims of Men of the 69th. Regiment, who had been invalided at that Station. —

Additionally to the papers forwarded by Lieutenant Agnew, I have also the honor to enclose Copy of my Letter to Major Syms, in reply to that Officer's Communication of the 14th. September last; and the perusal of these Documents will prevent the necessity of enlarging on the Subject, in this place. —

As it does not appear, that the Department of the Commissary General has any Concern in these Claims; and as some neglect would seem to have existed, in the event of the Vouchers necessary to settle them, His Excellency is unwilling, of his own authority, to Sanction the mode of adjustment suggested by Lieutenant Agnew; and has therefore

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therefore instructed me to submit the Case to the notice of Government, with his recommendation that it be referred, for early report, to the Military Auditor General.—

Commt. in Chiefs Office
Fort St. George
14th January 1813

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c.
/Signed/ Hugh Scott
M. S.

No 13
Order thereon

Ordered that the subject of the foregoing letter be referred to the Military Auditor General for early consideration and report.—

Read the following Letter from the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.—

To George Strachey Esqr.
Secretary to Government
&c. &c. &c.

Sir

No 14
From the Military Secy to the Commt. in Chief submitting a letter from the Officer Commg in Travancore requesting authority to establish

I have been directed by the Commander in Chief to request, that the enclosed letter from the Officer Commanding in

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establish a Lock Hospital at Quilon.—

in Travancore, suggesting the necessity of esta-
blishing a Lock Hospital at Quilon, may
be submitted to the consideration of the Honble
the Governor in Council.—

Comm.t in Chiefs' Office
Fort St. George
19th January 1813

I have the honor to be
Sir Your
/ Signed / Hugh Scott
Mily Sec.t

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

Sir,

The late addition of a Consider-
:able number of European Troops to this
Force - together with reports made to me by
Officers Commanding Corps, and Surgeons
of the great encrease of Venereal Sick in
all the Hospitals owing to a number of
diseased Women inhabiting this Canton-
:ment and it's neighbourhood; rendering
it indispensibly necessary that a Lock
Hospital

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Hospital should be immediately established.—

In Compliance therefore with the Government Order of 7th January 1806, I beg leave to submit this measure to His Excellency the Commander in Chief's consideration, and to request authority for its establishment from this date — as the Resident has been kind enough, at my request, to give up a Building for the purpose at least until a more Convenient one in the Cantonment can be prepared — or a House rented as may be determined.—

I have in consequence of this proposed arrangement ordered a number of diseased persons to be taken up and lodged in the building and to be fed and attended at the public expence which I trust may be approved of, else the health of the Troops both European and Native must have suffered Considerably.—

I have

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Head Quarters in
Travancore, Quilon
6th. January 1813.—

I have the honor to be &c. &c.—

(Signed) H. Hall Lt. Col.
Comdg in Travancore

№15
Order thereon

Ordered, in Consequence that the following letter be dispatched to the Military Auditor General.—

№16

To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

To the Military Auditor General— The Charge incurred on Account of a temporary Lock Hospital at Quilon to be admitted. It is not expedient to authorize any Extra Establishment on account of that Hospital.—

Para 1 I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to furnish for your information the enclosed Copy of a Letter addressed to the Military Secretary of His Excellency the Commander in Chief by the Officer Commanding the Troops in Travancore; and to desire that you will admit the Charge which may be incurred under the arrangement made by that Officer for establishing a temporary Lock Hospital at Quilon while a

Considerable

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Considerable body of European Troops are serving at that Station.—

2 The Governor in Council however concurs in the Commander in Chief's opinion — that it will not be expedient to authorize any extra establishment on account of that Hospital.—

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I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy to Govt.

Read the following Letter

No 17

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Adjt. General of the Army. The Officer Comm'g. in Malabar and Canara requests that some one may be appointed to officiate as Chap:- lain at Canna:- nore during the absence of the Revd. C. Sampson.—

I am directed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, to request, that you will submit the Enclosed Copy of a Letter from Major General Wetherall, giving Cover to one from Colonel Lockhart Commanding in Malabar

and

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and Canara, to the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

Adjt. Genl's Office
Fort St. George
15th December 1812.

I have the honor to be &c.
(Signed) J. H. Conway
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

To the Adjutant General
of the Army

Sir,

I have the honor to subjoin Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding Malabar and Kanara to the Acting Brigade Major of the Division, stating, that as the Reverend W. Sampson has quitted the Coast for the recovery of his Health, that the Services of some other Chaplain during that Gentleman's absence is particularly required at Cannanore, which Circumstance I beg you will be pleased to Communicate to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.—

I have

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Head Quarter
Mysore Division
Bangalore
4th December 1812

I have the honor to be Sir Your
/Signed/ F. A. Wetherall
Major General

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

To the Major of Brigade
Mysore Division

Sir,

I have the honor to state, for the information of Major General Wetherall, that, the Reverend C. Sampson Chaplain of this Garison having obtained leave of absence for Six months on account of his Health has proceeded to Bombay.—

It being absolutely necessary that a Clergyman Should be attached to this Garison, I have the honor to request, that during the absence of Mr. Sampson one may be sent to Cannanore to perform his functions,

and

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and that the Major General will have the goodness to forward this application to the Head Quarters of the Army, for the attainment of that object.—

To the Major of Brigade
Mysore Division
Cannanore
November 30th 1812

I have the honor to be &c &c
/Signed/ Wm Lockhart
Colonel Commanding

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ E Osborn acting
Major of Brigade in
Mysore

/A true Copy of Copy/
/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Adjt. Gl. 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 Copy of

No. 18

From Dr. Representation of the inconvenience experienced from the want of a Resident Clergyman at Arcot since the publication of the General Order of the 23d. October 1812.

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of a letter from Major General Hare Commanding the Center Division of the Army, with Copy of it's enclosure. —

Since the publication of the Government Order of the 23rd October 1812. the same inconvenience has been experienced by all European Regiments stationed where there is no Resident Clergyman, as is stated by Lieutenant Colonel Neale. —

Adjutant Gen.ls Office
Fort St. George 11th January 1813.

I have the honor to be &c.a &c.a
/Signed/ T. H. L. Conway
Adjt. Gen.l of the Army

To the Adjutant General of the Army
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to give cover to a Letter from the Officer Commanding at Arcot on the Subject of the inconvenience experienced from the want of a Chaplain at that Station, a Circumstance which I request you will have the goodness to bring under the Consideration of

His

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His Excellency the Commander in Chief.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

Head Quarters
Center Division
Arcot 29th December 1812

/Signed/ J. Hare
Major General
&c &c &c

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Adjt. General

The Brigade Major
to the Center Division

Sir,

I have to request you will be pleas=
=ed to Communicate to the Officer Command=
=ing the Center Division of the Army, that
since the publication of the late General Orders
prohibiting the performance of the Rites of
Matrimony and Baptism by Military Officers,
it has been communicated to me by the Officer
Commanding His Majesty's 22nd Dragoons that
Several applications have been made by Indivi=
=duals in that Corps, either to be married or to

have

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have their Children Christened, which has been rendered impracticable as no Chaplain is Resident at this Station. —

I have the honor to be Sir &c.

/ Signed / Geo. Neale Lieut. Col.
Commg. Arcot

A true Copy

/ Signed / T. H. S Conway
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

Arcot
27th. December 1812

George Strachey Esqr.
Secretary to Government

No. 19

From the Milty. Secty. to the Commr. in Chief - Forwarding a letter from the Officer Commg. at Travancore representing the want of a Resident clergyman at Quilon. —

Sir,

I am &c &c &c

I am directed by the Commander in Chief to request, that the enclosed Letter from the Officer Commanding in Travancore, stating the inconveniences which are occasioned to the European Troops there, from the non Residence of a Clergyman at Quilon, may be submitted to the Consideration of the

Honorable

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Honorable the Governor in Council. —

I have the honor to be &c. &c. —

(Signed) Hugh Scott

Mily. Secy.

Commr. in Chiefs Office

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To the Military Secretary

to His Excellency the Commander

in Chief

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Communication of the 24th ulto. I beg leave to submit to His Excellency's consideration that by the Government Order of the 23rd October Military Officers being prohibited from the performance of the Ceremonies of marriage and Baptism considerable inconvenience has and Continues to be experienced by the Troops under my orders, from there being no Clergyman resident at this Station, or in the neighbourhood. —

As I have received official

information

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information from the Resident that the whole of His Majesty's 80th Regiment have been ordered into Travancore, the inconvenience is likely to be more extensively felt, and I therefore beg to state my opinion that the Residence of a Clergy-=man in Travancore is very much required. —

Should such an appointment at this time be impracticable, if an exemption from the operation of the above mentioned order is granted for the present in Travancore, I shall cheerfully perform those duties as hitherto, or they may be performed if such a measure is sanctioned, by Mr. Ringlethaube a Missionary in general residing near Cape Comorin who I think would for a very small Salary under-=take this Office until a Clergyman is appointed and joins. —

At least twenty persons are now awaiting the performance of these Ceremo-=nies and look anxiously for His Excellency's

decision

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decision and the number increases from day to day.—

Head Quarters
in Travancore
Division 1st January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
(Signed) H. Hall Lieut. Col.
Comm.g in Travancore

№ 20
Resolution thereon

Resolved in Consequence, that the following Letter be dispatched to the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency.—

To the Senior Chaplain at
The Presidency

№ 21.

Sir,

To the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency—Suggesting arrangements for the performance of the Ceremonies of Baptism and Matrimony at Arcot, Quilon, and Cannanore, on which the Senior Chaplain's opinion is required.—

Para 1st I am directed to transmit to you the enclosed copies of Letters which have been laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council representing the inconvenience experienced at Arcot, Quilon and Cannanore from the want of Resident Clergymen at those Stations to perform the Ceremonies of Baptism and

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and Matrimony.—

2 The Governor in Council is aware that the present state of the Ecclesiastical Establishment under this Presidency does not admit of the inconvenience being obviated by the appointment of Regular Chaplains, but with reference to the information submitted in the enclosed Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding the Force in Travancore, I am directed to desire that you will state your opinion whether it may not be advisable to employ the Services of the Missionary at Quilon in the manner which has been proposed; and in forming that opinion you will of course consider it your duty to ascertain that the Gentleman in question is duly qualified for the office.—

3 I am further directed to desire that you will ascertain whether ~~it will~~ it ascertain

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ascertain whether it will not be practicable to provide by a similar arrangement for the performance of the same duties at Arcot and Cananore during the continuance of the present exigency. With respect to the former Cantonment and other Stations in the Center Division of the Army at which European Troops are quartered, it occurs to the Governor in Council that they might be regularly visited once in Two months by one of the Chaplains resident at the Presidency without material inconvenience either of a public or private nature, and I am accordingly instructed to suggest that arrangement for your Consideration. —

4 The Governor in Council directs me to request that you will submit an early reply to these instructions. —

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

Read

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Read the following Letters from the Adjutant General of the Army.—

To the Chief Secretary of Government

Sir,

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From the Adjutant General of the Army. Recommending that the Books of the Cadet Company now lodged in the Adjutant Gen.ls Office may be transferred to the College. A list of such as have been lent to Officers on their receipts, enclosed.—

On the abolition of the Cadet Company the Several Books which had been in use with that Institution were lodged in the Adjutant General's Office, and I am directed to request you will submit to Government, the Commander in Chief's recommendation that they be transferred to the College of Fort St. George.— Some of the Books have at different periods been lent to Officers on their Receipts, Lists of which I have the honor to enclose and of those remaining in this Office.—

Adj.t General's Office
Fort St. George
9th January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
/ Signed / J. H. S. Conway
Adj.t Gl. of the Army.

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The following Hindoostanee Books were issued from the Adjutant General's Office to the undermentioned Gentlemen Viz.t —

To Cornet Barlow

1	Grammar	
1	Dictionary	
1	Indian Guide	
1	Linguist	Total Books 8
2 Vol.s	Golistan	
1	Hindee manual	
1	ukhlage Hindy	

To Lieutenant Noble

1	Richardsons Persian Dictionary	
1	Grammar	
1	Dictionary	Total Books 5
1	Indian Guide	
1	Hindee manual	

To Major Agnew

1	Grammar	
1	Dictionary	Total Books ... 4
1	Indian Guide	
1	ukhlage Hindy	

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To Lieutenant Johnston

1	Richardson's Persian Dictionary	
1	Grammer	
1	Dictionary	Total Books -- 5
1	Indian Guide	
1	ukhlage Hindy	

To Lieutenant Little

1	Indian Guide ----	
1	ukhlage Hindy ------	Total Books ... 2

Grand Total 24

Remains in the Office

Richardson's Persian Dictionary	1
Hindoostanee Dictionary	12
Grammars	16
Indian Guide /2 damaged/	40
Linguist / damaged/	2
Antyorgonist/ damaged/	3
ukhlage Hindees	22
Golistan Manuscript	2
Stuart's Grammer Manuscript	3
Total ...	101

/ Signed/ J. H. S. Conway
Adjt. General

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№ 23 The Governor in Council approves the

Minute and orders thereon. — Suggestion of the Commander in Chief for transferring the Books mentioned in the foregoing Letter to the Library of the College of Fort St. George. —

Ordered accordingly that the requisite intimation be conveyed from the Public Department to the Superintending Board of that Establishment. —

№ 24 To the Chief Secretary to Government

From the Adjutant General of the Army — with bills for Colours furnished to the new Light Infantry Corps. —

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of His Excellency the Commander in Chief to request you will state to the Honorable the Governor in Council that in Re-forming the Four Native Battalions into Light Infantry Corps, Conformable to the Government G. O. of the 13th. October last, it became necessary to supply them with a New Set of Colours each. I have in consequence enclosed Bills as hereunder Specified

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Specified, and I am further desired to request you will obtain the requisite authority for their being discharged. —

No 1. . . . . 2 Stand of embroidered Colours Complete for the 1st. Battalion 3rd. or Palamcottah Light Infantry. —

No 2 . . . . . Stand of embroidered Colours Complete for the 1st. Battalion 12th. or Wallajahbad Light Infantry. . . . —

No 3. . . . . 2 Stand embroidered Colours Complete for the 1st. Battalion 16th. or Trichinopoly Light Infantry. —

No 4 . . . . . 2 Stand embroidered Colours, Complete for the 2d. Battalion 17th. or Chicacole Light Infantry. —

I have the honor to be Sir Your

/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Adjt. Gen. of the Army.

Adjt. General's Office
Fort St. George
11th. January 1813.

Ordered

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Order thereon

Ordered that authority be given for the payment of the Bills for Colours furnish-ed to the Battalions of Light Infantry, amount-ing to Star Pagodas 480:—

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

№ 26.

From the Adjutant General of the Army— Major General Conran's report on leaving Hydrabad for Madras forwarded.—

Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief to request you will lay before the Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying Copy of a Report received from Major General Conran.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
/Signed/ J. H. S. Conway
Adjt. General of the Army

Adjt. General's Office
Fort St. George
11th January 1813.

To the Adjutant General of the Army
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the information

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information of His Excellency the Commander in Chief that it is my intention to leave this Station tomorrow on my way to Madras, and that I expect to leave the Dominions of His Highness the Nizam about the 9th of January, when I shall resign the Command of the Force to Colonel Rumley or Officer next in Seniority to me. —

/Signed/ H.J. Conran

Major General

Secundrabad

31st December 1812

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway

Adjt. General

No 27.

Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter be furnished to the Military Auditor General for his information. —

Read the following letter from the Adjutant General of the Army. —

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To the Chief Secretary to Government
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No 28.

Sir,

From the Adjutant General of the Army — Cornet Thomson of the 2nd Regiment of Cavalry applies to be examined in Hindoostanee —

Cornet Monson of the 2nd Regiment of Cavalry having made application to be examined in the Hindoostanee Language with a view to obtain the Reward Offered by Government, I have the honor by desire of His Excellency the Commander in Chief to request that the same may be submitted to the Honorable the Governor in Council. —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) T. H. S. Conway
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

Adjt. General's Office
Fort St. George 11th January 1813.

No. 29
Resolution thereon. —

Resolved that the Standing Committee appointed for the examination of Officers Assistant Surgeons and Cadets in the Hindoostanee Langua-
-age be furnished with a Copy of the foregoing Letter; and be instructed to proceed to the examination

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examination of Cornet Morison of the 2nd Regiment Cavalry in compliance with his request. —

Read the following Letter from the Adjutant General of the Army. —

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Fort St. George

No. 30.

From the Adjutant General of the Army — Ensign McCarthy of the 9th Regt. N. I. requests furlough to England for 12 months. —

Sir,

I have the Honor by desire of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, to request, that the enclosed application from Ensign McCarthy of the 9th Regiment Native Infantry for permission proceed to Europe on leave of absence for twelve Months, may be submitted to the Honorable the Governor in Council, with His Excellency's recommendation that it may be granted, without Pay from the date of that Officer's Embarkation. —

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Fort St. George
11th January 1813

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) T. H. Conway
Adjt. General of the Army

To

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

Sir,

Having lately received Communi-
cations from my Friends in England which
make my early presence there of very great
Importance to me, I have the honor to request
Twelve months leave of absence to proceed to
thither on my private affairs. I hope it will
be obvious that Considering the great Expence
I must necessarily be at, an Expence too great
by far to be wantonly incurred, nothing but
its being of the very last Importance to
me could induce the application I have
now the honor humbly and most Earnestly
to make.—

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

Signed / T. M'Carthy Ensign
2d. Bn. 9th. Regt. N.I.

Cannanore
December 23rd 1812.

Resolved

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No 31
Resolution thereon

Resolved that Ensign Mac Carthy of the 9th. Regiment of Native Infantry be permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence for twelve months, without pay from the date of his embarkation. —

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

No. 32.

From the Adjutant General of the army - Ensign Skipp requests permission to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate. —

I have the honor by desire of the Commander in Chief to enclose an application from Ensign Skipp of the 17th. Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Europe to the recovery of his health, accompanied by the prescribed Medical Certificates, and to request you will submit the same to the Honorable the Governor in Council with the recommendation of His Excellency that the leave solicited by Ensign Skipp may be granted. —

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Fort St. George
13th. January 1813.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ F. H. S. Conway
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

To

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To the Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow. K B.

Governor in Council &c &c &c

Fort St. George

Honorable Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a Certificate and to solicit the permission of your Honor in Council for my return to Eng:-land for the Recovery of my health.—

I have the honor to be

&c &c

/Signed/ Geo. Wm. Shaw Shipp

Ensign 1st Bn. 17th Reg.t N.I.

St. Thome

January 13th 1813.

We hereby Certify that in our opinion it is absolutely necessary that Ensign Shipp of the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry should proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.—

Sworn before me this 12th day of January 1813

/Signed/ H.G. Gahagan
Justice of the Peace
Madras.

/Signed/ John Dalton
Surgeon

/Signed/ T. W. Davis Surgeon
in Charge of Officers sick at St. Thome

Resolved

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No. 33
Resolution thereon.

Resolved that Ensign Shipp of the 17th. Regiment of Native Infantry be permitted to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government

No. 34

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Adjt. General of the Army—Lieut. Colonel H. Macleod Solicits a Furlough to Europe.—

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 Lieutenant Colonel Macleod, Soliciting a Furlough to Europe for three Years, which the Commander in Chief recommends to the favorable Consideration of Government.—

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your

Most obedient

Humble Servant

Adjutant General's Office
Fort St. George
14th. January 1814

/ Signed / T. H. S. Conway
Adjutant General
of the Army

To

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To the Honorable

Sir George H. Barlow Bt. K.B

Governor in Council

&c. &c.

Fort St. George

Honorable Sir,

After serving thirty three years, I find my Health so much injured by the effects of the Climate, that I am induced to solicit your permission to go to Europe on Furlough for three years for its recovery.—

The whole of the above mentioned period, has been passed in India, with the exception of thirty four months absence in Europe and on passage, obtained on Sick Certificate, between the 22nd. of April 1805 and the 18th. of February 1808. I therefore hope you may

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may be pleased to indulge me by granting my request.—

Madras
12th. January 1813

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
/ Signed / Will.m Macleod
Lieut.t Col.o 15th. Reg.t N.I.

No. 35
Resolution thereon

Resolved that Lieutenant Colonel W. Macleod be permitted to proceed to Europe on Furlough for three Years.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

No 36.

From the Adjutant General of the Army—Lieut.t Hilton of the 14th. Reg.t N.I. requests permission to proceed to England on Sick Certificate.—

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 Lieutenant Hilton on the 14th. Regiment Native Infantry soliciting permission to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.—

I have

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Adjt. General's Office
January 19th. 1813

I have the honor to be
Sir Sir
/Signed/ J. H. S. Conway
Adjt. General of the Army

To the Honorable
Sir George Hilaro Barlow K.H.
Governor in Council
Fort St. George

Honorable Sir,

I have the honor of enclosing a Sick Certificate, shewing, it to be the opinion of two Medical Officers, the necessity of my proceeding to Europe for the benefit of my health.—

I have the honor to request your Sanction that I may proceed by the earliest opportunity.—

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15th. of January 1813.

I have the honor to be Sir Sir
/Signed/ Wm. Hilton Lieut.
2d. Bn. 14th. Regt. N.I.

We

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We John Douglas White Surgeon and Charles Stewart assistant Surgeon. do hereby declare upon oath that we are of opinion that Lieutenant Wm. Hilton of the 2d. Battalion 14th. Regiment should leave this Country and proceed to England for the recovery of his health.—

/Signed/ J D. White
Garrison Surgeon
/Signed/ C Stewart
Ast. Surgeon

Sworn before me the 18th. of January 1813
/Signed/ Henry Gahagan
Justice of the Peace
Madras.

No 37
Resolution thereon

Resolved that Lieutenant Hilton of the 14th. Regiment of Native Infantry be permitted to proceed to Europe on Sick Certifi:cate.—

Read the following Letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government
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No 38
From the Dy. M. Gl. of the Army.—
Respecting

Sir,

I have the honor of transmitting to

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Respecting the dispersion of a party of freebooters from the Nizam's Country by Lieut. Pew.—

to you by Order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, Copy of a letter from Major General Croker Commanding the Northern Division of the Army under Date the 2nd. Instant; and I am directed at the same time to express His Excellency's hope, that the Conduct of Lieutenant Pew will meet the approbation of the Government.—

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c.
(Signed) V. Blacker
Dy. Ad. General

Dy. Ad. Gen.l's Office
Fort St. George
8th. January 1813.

To the Quarter Master General
of the Army
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward for the information of His Excellency the Commander

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Commander in Chief Copies of letters received this morning from the Officer Commanding at Rajapore detailing the particulars of an engagement between a part of his detachment, and the freebooters from the Nizam's Country headed by Venkataroyloo, and Turmerauz.—

I trust the Spirited conduct of Lieutenant Pew, and his small detachment, against such Superior numbers, will meet with His Excellency's approbation.—

I have also forwarded Copy of these letters to the Magistrate of the Zillah that he may be acquainted with the Criminal Conduct of the Inhabitants of Chinamahpett, on this occasion, and which is strongly corroborative of what I have already stated to you on this subject.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

/Signed/ Robt Croker

Major Genl Comdg S.D.

Masulipatam
2nd January 1813

A true Copy

/Signed/ C C Johnston

Aft Dr. M. General

To

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To the Quarter Master of Brigade
Northern Division of the Army

Sir,

I have the honor herewith to enclose for the information of Major General Croker, Copy of a letter given at my request by Lieut. Pew, who had in consequence of the information received from Mr. Cazalet, detached from this with a party in the direction of Secundrabad, concerning from every information I was enabled to obtain, of the Banditte, had determined on their return any ways near this, that would be the most likely route they would take - I was on other grounds strengthened in my opinion that this was the most unexceptionable arrangement that could be adopted to ensure success from a subsequent report made to me that Congela Venkatroyaloo on one or two former occasions had passed near this on his way back from their plundering excursions, and

Again

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I gain consider that if Lieutenant Pew should fail in falling in with this party of Banditte, he still might gain that intelligence concern-ing them as might be of the greatest consequence in guiding him as well as myself in our future operations. The result has proved in a great measure to Corespond with the Ideas I had formed, as will be seen by his Letter, which is so very particular a one in its de-tail that leaves me nothing more to add than the confidence I placed in his judge-ment and abilities has been most fully justified. I beg you will be so good to state to the Major General, that the firing was heard distinctly at Nagapoor, as Lieut. Pew had supposed, and that not a moment was lost by me [with such men as I could collect about 8] in advancing with every possible haste to his support, and to cooperate

with

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with him as circumstances might happen.
My arrival at Chenampett however was not
in Sufficient time to be of any advantage in the
pursuit, yet it was in other respects of advantage
in the Security of the Prisoners that had
been taken, independantly of the receival
of two near the Village of Shwaporam from
the hands of a Village man, and the
apprehension of a third who I found secreted
in one of the Houses at Chenampett. From
the report of the Sepoy who I found in Charge
of the Prisoners at Chinampett, I had no
doubt existing in my mind that many
others were still concealed, and although
my search was as minute as time and
circumstances admitted of, I was unable
to meet with any more - For further support
of which the man had made known
two of the Prisoners confessed having

given

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given money to the Inhabitants for the purpose of concealing them, and on my making the enquiry, I regret to say such was found to be the case, for the amount that one of them had given 2. 3. Sawmy Pagodas and Rupees. and the other 4 Rupees was afterwards repaid into my hands by some women, the orginal receivers having absconded as I suppose from the fear of detection. The above circumstance in addition to another, I beg to detail, will I trust unequivocally shew to the Major General the general disposition of the Inhabitants together with the Peons stationed at Chenampett, of how little is to be depended upon from them, either in regard to information, or personal exertion - Lieutenant Pew informs me that when on his way through the Village he sent

for

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for the Head Zemidars Peons / who —
immediately attended / and on making
enquiry from him, if he knew any thing
of Venkataroyaloo or Tammirauze's party,
said to be on their return in that —
direction, he denied all knowledge what-
-ever when at this very time those men in
question were not 300 yards from the
Spot which must have been well known
to him, as well as the generality of all in
the Villages.—

Iam Sorry to say that the
wound of one of the Sepoys is more serious
than was at first apprehended as several
pieces of bones from his leg have come
away— Ishall therefore have him safely
conveyed to Ellore, this Evening, where he
will receive the benefit of far preferable
medical assistance, in the case of necessity

than

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than what a Native Dresser could possibly afford - The Prisoners 13 in number shall under the escort of a Havildars Guard be forwarded to the Magistrate at Masulepatam which I trust will meet with Major General Croker's approbation. —

Rajapore
December 28th 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
/Signed/ R. H. Yates Capt.
Comdg Detach.t 2d Bn. 2d Regt. N.I.

P.S. Not being wishful of delaying the dispatch of this Letter and the one I have written to the Magistrate it is possible I may not have been so particular in my address to him, as I could have wished - I shall therefore be much obliged if you will forward this to him for persual as early as may be convenient in order that he may possess the fullest information

on

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on the Subject it's in my power to give.—

True Copy

/Signed/ Robt. Croker

Major General

True Copy

/ Signed/ C C. Johnston

Aid.t. Dy. Mr. General

To Captain Yates,

Commanding a Detachment

of the 2d. Battalion 20th. Regiment

at Ragapore

Sir,

I beg leave to acquaint you that as I was proceeding towards the Villages of Sunnurbunda agreeable to your orders with one Subidar. 1 Havildar. 2 Naigues. and 30 Sepoys, I received intelligence when near Punnalapoor that Congela Venkatarayloo, and Timmerange with their party were halted under

Some

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some trees a little to the Southward of the Village of Chinampett, which I had passed about a mile. I immediately returned, with the Sepoys as fast as possible, and on the road I was informed by the Company's Lascar that he had been accosted by one of the party who was placed on a tree to keep watch, on his saying that he was a Company's Servant, the man on the tree called out to some people in the short Jungle below, to seize him, but he run forward and met the Sepoys, on this I ordered my party to load, still continuing the march, I suppose that this circumstance must have determined the Banditte to make the best of their way to the Nizam's Country, for on Coming near the trees, I saw them moving off with great haste in that direction, but in

good

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good order - There were 2 men mounted and apparently about 300 others Armed with matchlocks, Bows and Arrows and Spears. many of them had large bundles. A Field of high Cholum was at this place between the two parties, and it was only from the Circumstance of my being on Horseback that I had an opportunity of observing them, I think without their Knowledge, Immediately dismounted to head the men, and endeavour to get between their party and the Jungle, which was not above quarter of a mile to the Westward - I completely succeeded in Keeping them from taking that route which was nearest to the Nizam's Country and a very thick Jungle, on my getting clear of the field of Chalum, both parties got

sight

sight of each other - a few short thick bushes near their side, were occupied by some of their matchlock men, one of whom on our coming within about 70 Yards of them fired upon us: only 4 Sepoys had been able to keep up having a musket myself and having halted these few, we gave them our fire, the whole of their matchlock men instantly fired upon us, after which they ran towards the Village of Chenumpett, by this time some more of the Sepoys having come up I pursued as fast as was possible keeping up a Constant fire, great numbers of the Banditti threw down their bundles, matchlocks and Spears to run the lighter, but as I had given most positive orders to the Sepoys not on any account to remain behind, these things mostly

fell

fell into the hands of the Village people,
after we had passed on getting near Cheram-
-pett most of their party ran into it, and as
I thought they intended to make a stand
I was anxious to get between them and the
Nizam's Frontier, on our Coming near the
Village, we had another discharge of their
matchlocks, from the houses and hedges,
after which they quitted the Village at
the opposite side, Something having at
this time frightened the Horse of Temerange
he was thrown on the ground and the
Horse ran towards the Village, it would
not appear however that his rider was
hit by a Ball, as he got up again and
ran with the foremost of his party - the
other Horseman was in front, and I do
not think he was within shot of us. I suppo-
-sed that a good many of their peons

had

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had remained in the Village, but I considered it better to pursue the 2 Head men and the party with them than to remain to search the Village at that time I knew that there were a great many peons employed by the Zumindar, and had they been at all willing they could easily have secured all that remained behind, besides I thought that if you heard the firing at Rajahpoor you would come with a party towards the place which turned out to be the case- By this time the part of the Banditti, that remained had got about 3 or 400 Yards in advance of us and were getting every instant still further off- The Sepoys were very much fatigued, having run from the place where we first received the information about 1½ Mile, and halted the portion in front untill the rear Came up,

and

and here I learned that 3 Sepoys had been wounded, one by the 1st. Shot that was fired, another by the Shots that immediately followed, and the 3rd by a Shot fired from the Village - Having given the Sepoys time to drink a little water, I again commenced the pursuit, we followed their track thro the Jungle which now became very thick, we got sight of their party 3 or 4 times whenever they had a small space of open ground to Cross - They diminished gradually from the time of their entering the Jungle, and I supposed must have hid among the Bushes, but they did not attempt to make a stand nor even fired a Shot upon us, we found Several matchlocks and Spears, which they had thrown away, the latter I imagine to preserve the Valuable part of their plunder, we also found many pieces of Cloth stained

with

with Blood, which leads me to suppose, that several were wounded, we went about 4 Cos into the Nizam's Country and having then lost all traces of the party, I discontinued the pursuit - On my return I found that you had during my absence arrived at Chinampett, and secured the people that had concealed themselves in the Village. We can only find one man of their party who has been killed, another who was shot thro' the leg. has been sent to Rajaloe; the number of Prisoners amount to 13 or 14 men, and I have no doubt but that a great deal of useful information may be obtained from them by the Magistrate, as to who were acquainted with their Journey, and what places supplied them with Rice and money on their way down - I consider it as my

duty

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duty to say that the Sepoys behaved remark-
-ably well and exerted themselves to the very
utmost - Should Major General Croker consider
this likely to be benificial, I trust he will
recommend that something may be allowed
to the Men who brought the intelligence I am
happy to say that none of the wounds of
the Sepoys, are at all dangerous.—

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c

/Signed/ J W. Pew Lieut.
2nd Batt. 20th Regt.

Camp near
Chinumpett
December 27th 1812

A true Copy
/Signed/ R W. Yates Capt.
Comm.g Detach.t at Ragapore

/True Copy/
/Signed/ Robert Croker
Major General

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ C. C. Johnston
Aid.t de Camp

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No. 39

Minute thereon

The Board record their Satisfaction at the Conduct of Lieutenant Pew, as well as that of Captain Yates, and request His Excellency the Commander in Chief to Cause the Same to be Communicated to those Officers.—

Read the following letter from the Military Board.—

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

No. 40

Governor in Council

Fort St. George 19th January 1813

From the Military Board—Enclosing discription rolls of the heirs of two Lascars and a Syrang who died on foreign service; and recommending that they may receive pensions under the G. O. of the 15th January 1811.—

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to Submit a Discription Roll of the Heir of a Store Lascar who was killed on the Island of Ceylon in the year 1803 during the Massacre of the Garrison of Candy. The Heir now Claims a Pension under the authority of the G. O. of 15th January 1811, and states that she has not until lately been able to ascertain her husband's fate. By the records of our Office it appears that this Lascar went on

Foreign

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Foreign Service in the year 1795. and Several persons have deposed to the fact that the present claimant is the widow of the deceased; we therefore have the honor to recommend in Conformity with the principle of the G.O. to which we have above adverted, that authority may be granted for paying to her the arrears of the Pension to which we conceive she is entitled under that order as specified in the accompanying abstract, and that a Certificate may be granted, to enable her to receive the monthly Pension of Pagodas One from the 1st of this month. —

2 We have also the honor to submit a Discription Roll of the Heirs of a Syrang and Lascar who died on Foreign Service to the Eastward, and who have lately arrived at the Presidency. The decease of the Syrang and Lascar has been ascertained, and it has been proved that the present claimants are the heirs of those persons; we therefore recommend that they may receive the arrears of allowance to which they are entitled under the above order, as expressed in the accompanying abstract, and that Certificates may be granted for Pensions equal to the regulated Pension of their different Ranks. —

We have the honor to be
&c &c

Fort St. George
19th November 1812

/Signed/

E. Trapaud
R. Bell
P. Bruce
F H S. Conway
V Blacker
H. Morison

Description Roll of the Heir of a Store Lascar Killed by the Candyans during the Massacre of the Garison of Candy.—

Name	Age	Cast	Colour	Country	Remarks
Mungah	37	Pamiah	Black	Vundavasy	This woman is wife of Vundavasy Rammen Lascar who embarked from Madras with Major C Arnart Deputy Quarter Master General on Foreign Service to the Island of Ceylon on the 13th July 1795 and proceeded in 1803 on field Service to Candy where he was killed by the Candyans during the Massacre of it's Garison in June 1803.—

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Fort St. George
19th November 1812

/ Signed / H. Ormsby
Secy Mily Board

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19th January 1813

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This is to Certify that the family allowance of Vandavasy Ramen Lascar attached to the Deputy Quarter Master General Major C. Smart has received from this Office her Family allowance up to the 31st December 1799 and to no later. ——

Fort St. George
7th July 1812

/ Signed / P. Cherry
Actg Ass Paymaster

Charges

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Charges Garrison

Heir of Store Lascar

The Honorable Company Dr

Abstract of Pay in arrear from 1st July 1803 to 31st October 1812 to the Heir of a Store Lascar who was killed on the Island of Ceylon in the Year 1803 during the massacre of the Garrison of Candy.—

	Pay from 1st July 1803 to 31st October 1812	Total one of each Rank	Total of each Rank	Total of Abstract
To Pay to the Heir of the deceased Vundavassey Rammen Store Lascar from 1st July 1803 to 31st October 1812 being 9 years and 4 months at 1 Pagoda per month	112 " "	112 " "	112 " "	
		Total Pagodas. ------	112 " "	

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To J. Casamajor Esqr
Military Paymaster

Pagodas One Hundred and twelve

/Signed/ H. Ormsby
Secy. M. Board

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Discripton Roll of the Heirs of a Syrang and Lascar deceased on Foreign Service to the Eastward

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Names	Age	Cast	Colour	Countries	Remarks
Oonamalay	32	Velloyen	Brown	Vellaporum	This woman is wife of Velleeporum Poongavanum 1st Tindal of the 5th Company of the Arsenal, and attached to the Camp Equipage of the 1st Division 2d Regiment European Infantry, embarked on the Ships of the 1st Division for foreign Service to the Eastward on the 31st August 1797, and was promoted by order of the Military Board on the 19th November 1798 to the rank of Syrang at the Molucca Islands, where he died as appears by the returns of the Arsenal of Fort St George dated 1st February 1800 —
Mauryammah	43	Do	Bambo	Vundavassy	This woman is Mother of Vundavassey Conden Lascar of the 5th Company at the Arsenal and attached to the Camp Equipage of the 1st Division 2nd Regiment European Infantry embarked on the Ships of the 1st Division for Foreign Service to the Eastward on the 31st August 1797 and did duty at the Molucca Islands where he died, and was struck off his Company at the Arsenal of Fort St George on the 31st March 1802. —

Military Board Office
Fort St George
19th November 1812

(Signed) W. Ormsby
Sect. to Board

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This is to Certify that the Family Certificate of Vellipooram Poongavenum Syrang has been paid from my Office up to 31st March 1801 and to no later Period.—

Fort St. George
17th April 1812

(Signed) I. Casamajor
Mily Paymaster

This is to Certify that the Family Certificate of Vandavajay Canden Lascar has been paid from my Office up to the 30th April 1807 and to no later Period.—

Fort St. George
17th April 1812

(Signed) I. Casamajor
Mily Paymaster

Charges

Charges Garrison
Heirs of Store Lascar

The Honorable Company ---------- Dr

Abstract of Pay in arrears to the Heirs of a Store Syrang and Lascar deceased on Foreign Service to the Eastward ---

	Pay from 1st April 1801 to 31st October 1812	Total one of each Rank	Total of each Rank	Total of Abstract
To Pay to the Heir of the deceased Vellipoorum Poongavanum Syrang of Store Lascars from 1st April 1801 to 31st October 1812 being 11 years and 7 months at 3:21 ″ per month	P F C 486 21 ″	486 21 ″	486 21 ″	
To Dº Dº of the deceased Sundavajoey Canden Store Lascar from 1st May 1807 to 31st October 1812, being 5 years and 6/12 months at 1 ″ ″	66 ″ ″	66 ″ ″	66 ″ ″	
			Total Pagodas	552 21 ″

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T. I. Hasannajor
Mily Paymaster

Pagodas Five hundred & Fifty Two & Fanl. Twenty one

/Signed/ H. Ormsby
Secy Mily Board

Received Payment November 1812

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Order thereon

Ordered that the following reply be dispatched. —

To the President and Members of
The Military Board

No. 41.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th of November last, and to acquaint you that authority has been given for paying to the Nearest Heirs of the Store Syrang and of the Store Lascars therein mentioned their established pensions from the commencement of the month in which their applications for that allowance were submitted to the Military Board; but that their Claim to arrears will hereafter be taken into Consideration.

The Governor in Council desires that the Town Major of Fort St. George may be furnished with the requisite information under these instructions, in order that the usual Certificates

To the Military Board — authority has been given for paying to the Store Syrang and Lascars mentioned in their letter of the 19th November the established pensions from the Commencement of the month in which their application was submitted to the Military Board — Their Claim to arrears will hereafter be decided on. The Town Major must be furnished with the necessary information to enable him to prepare the usual certificates. —

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Certificates may be prepared by that Office for delivery to the Pensioners.—

I have the honor to be

Sir Sir

Your Most Obedient Humble Servant

/Signed/ G. Strachey

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

20th January 1813

Read the following Letters from the Military Board.—

To the Honorable

Sir George H. Barlow Bt & K.B.

Governor in Council

Sir Sir Sir

No. 42

From the Military Board, Submitting Estimates.—

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to Submit and recommend the following Estimates Viz.t

No 1. . . . Estimate for Constructing a Gate

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Gate to the Pettah wall at the Fort of Royacottah, amounting to Pagodas 71: 18: 6: Agreeably to the accompanying plan; This Estimate was called for in Conformity with the orders of your Honor in Council under Date the 23rd May 1812.—

№2. . — . . . Estimate for building a new Cook Room to the Commanding Officers House at Arcot, amounting to Pagodas 241: 34: 78: Agreeably to the accompanying Plan. The present Cook Room has been reported by the Officer Commanding in the Center Division of the Army to be in a very dangerous and decayed state as appears by the accompanying Copy

№3 of the Proceedings of a Committee of

Officers

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Officers who were assembled to —

Survey it. —

We have the honor to be

Fort St. George

7th January 1813

Honorable Sir

Your most obedient

Humble Servants

Signed ..... Robt. Bell

P. Bruce

V. Blacker

H. Morison

Estimate

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Estimate of the probable Expence of Constructing a Gate in the Pettah wall at the Fort of Ryacottah.—

Measurement										
Length	Breadth	Thickness		sup.ft.	cubic feet	Nature of work			Rs	Fs	As
4	4	6	"	"	96	Excavating Foundation of two pillars	"	"	10	76 f.	" 12 "
4	4	3	"	"	48	Foundation of D°					
3½	3½	3	"	"	36¾	Basement D°					
3	3	26½	"	"	238½	Two Pillars					
		Total 323¼				Brick in Chunam	"	3 "	76 f.	21	24 60
						Fixing 3 pair of Hooks in Stone	"	" "	"	2	" "
18	13¼	"	2	38½	"	Plastering with 1 Coat of Chunam	1	" "	sf.	2	17 26
						1 Pr. of Gates complete with Spikes hings bolts and Padlock —	"	18 "	Sup.ft	43	9 "
						Carriage to Royacottah — — —	"	" "	"	2	" "
									Total S.r Pagodas — —	71	18 6

Bangalore
27th December 1812

/Signed/ Chas. C. Nattes Lieut.
Supg. Engineer in Charge
Mysore

A true Copy
/Signed/ R. Ormsby
Supg. M.J. Board

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Estimate of the probable expense of Building a new bookroom to the Government House at Arcot.—

Measurement						Price					
Length	Depth or Thickness	Thickness	Inches	Sq. ft.	Cub. ft.						
						do. ft.			do. ft.		
89	3	2	"		534	Foundation 2 Side Walls					
36	3	2	"		216	Do. 3 Cross walls					
17	3	2	"		102	Do. 2 Do. in Verandah					
89	12	16	"		1602						
36	12	16	"		648	Walls above Do.					
17	93	16	"		296						
36	2	16	"		108	Gable Ends					
11	3	16	"		49½	Walls of Oven					
					3495½						
					74¼	Deduct Window and Door ways					
					Total 3421¼	Brick work in Clay	"	1	40	₹. 6 ft.	114 1 70
						4 Pillars 7 feet by 1 ft Diameter	"	33	60	each	3 " "
256	12	"		3000	"	Plastering 2 Side walls & 3 Cross walls					
34	93	"		314½	"	Do. 2 Cross walls in Verandah					
72	2	"		144	"	Do. 3 Gable Ends					
		Total		3458½	"	Plastering one Coat Chunam	"	25	"	₹ 4 ft.	19 9 50
446	30			135	"	Roofing Country wood rafters & small Bamboos Matts & tiles with Chunam borders	7	"	"	Do.	93 20 20
40	12	"		480	"						
41½	86	"		3523¼	"						
		Total		8321¼	"	Paving with 9 Square bricks in Chunam	2	"	"	Do.	16 29 38
42	6	5	"		"	Breast Summers	"	"	"	"	4 30 "
7	3	"	"		"	2 Doors	5	22	40	each	11 " "
3	26	"	"		"	1 Window	"	"	"	"	3 33 60
						4 Bulls Eye with wooden bars	"	"	"	"	1 " "
											266 34 78
						Deduct old materials					25 " "
										Pagodas	241 34 78

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(Signed) C. Trapaud
Chief Engr.

A true Copy
(Signed) H. Ormsby
Sec. to Bd Board

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Proceedings of a Committee assembled by order of the Officer Commanding Arcot, to inspect and Report on the State of the Cook room at the Government House.—

President

Lieutenant Slegg His Majesty's 22d. Regiment Light Dragoons.—

Members

Lieutenant Taunton 22nd Dragoons

Cornet Brunton Honble Company's 1st. Native Cavalry

The Committee having assembled proceed to examine the Cook Room at the Govern:=ment house, and on inspecting it find the walls very much cracked by the pressure of a bank of earth on the outside, and the materials being of Raw bricks, the Committee are of opinion that the building is not repairable but that the Tiles &c. of the roof may be again employed.—

Arcot
29th September 1812

/Signed/ Richard Slegg Lt. 22 D. President
R. H. Taunton Lt. 22 D.
H. C Brunton Cornt 1. N.C.

A true Copy
/Signed/ H. Ormsby Sub. Asst. Adjt. Genl.

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№ 43.
Minute thereon

The Governor in Council approves the Estimates Submitted in the foregoing letter.—

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

№ 44

Honorable Sir,

From the Military Board — Forwarding Papers Concerning a double Cased Shell invented by Major Ross, and recommending that they be transmitted to England, in order that the efficiency of the Shell may be ascertained by experiment there.—

We have the honor of laying before your Honor in Council a Copy of a letter from the Commandant of Artillery submitting for our Consideration several papers from Major David Ross of the Coast Artillery. It will appear from these papers, that Major Ross has suggested the Construction of a double Shell, the explosion of which he is of opinion, would produce more destructive effects, than the explosion of the Common Shell. The papers which accompany this letter convey sufficient information with

with respect to the new Shell in question;
and conceiving it of importance to give every
encouragement to any improvement of this
nature, we have much satisfaction in
Submitting the Subject to your Honor in
Council with our Recommendation that
it may be brought to the Consideration of the
Honorable the Court of Directors.—

2 The Commandant of Artillery
has observed, that the Construction of Shells
of the principle proposed, for the Service
of Field Artillery would much diminish
the cavity and Consequently the number
of balls,- we fully concur in this observation,
and as any decrease in the number of
balls intended to be projected according
to the plan of Colonel Shrapnell, would
evidently diminish the effect, we are
clearly of opinion that the Construction

of

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of the proposed Shell for the Service of Field Artillery would not be adviseable. On the Contrary however, we conceive that considerable advantage would be derived from the employment of the new Shell for the Service of Mortars or even Howitzers. The experiment described by Major Ross seems to be decisive of this question, and being of opinion that the Subject is of sufficient importance to induce a set of experiments in the Ordnance Department in England, we recommend that the papers may be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors by the earliest opportunity.—

We have the honor to be
Sir Sir

Fort St. George
7th January 1813.

/Signed/

Robt. Bell
P. Bruce
V Blacker
H Monson

To

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To the Secretary to the
Military Board

Sir,

Major Ross of the Artillery having in a letter under Date 2d. January 1812, submitted to Lieutenant Colonel Frese Acting Commandant of Artillery, Suggestions Respecting an improvement in Spherical Shells for Case Shot - as also a further explanation in a letter dated 11th. February 1812, these letters I have the honor to transmit herewith at the desire of Major Ross for the Consideration of the Military Board.

Since the date of Major Ross's last letter above mentioned, he has by experiment confirmed his opinion of the improvement that may be made in the Construction of Spherical Shells for Case Shot - an Extract from his letter dated 22nd. September

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1812 giving an account of the experiment is herewith transmitted, as also another Extract from a letter Dated 12th Instant wherein he requests that his Suggestions may be submitted to the Military Board, with the result of his Comparative experiment, and with a hope that the Board will transmit the Suggestion to the Honorable Court of Directors for investigation and eventual Trial.—

On this Subject the Board may expect an opinion from me.—

I am free to Acknowledge that I am not Capable of forming a decision from the Speculative discription; but the Comparative Trial mentioned by Major Ross is decisive with Regard to the encreased effect produced by the explosion when in a State of rest, and of the practicability

of

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of casting shells of the discription he wishes.—

In Cases where the Shell is Station=
=ary, or in a state of rest, the Effect with double
Shell will I conceive, be much encreased, and
therefore falling within a Fort, Town, or work, such
Shells would produce encreased destruction.—

I do not think that in the Flight
Much Shells bursting would cause so great a
divergency, as the Single Spherical Case Shot shell
of Colonel Shrapnell.—

Double Shells for Field Guns
particularly 12 and 6 Pounders, those most
in use, would reduce the Cavity Considerably
and Consequently the number of Balls.—

It is also a question how far it may
be Considered an object to Construct Shells of
large dimensions on the principle here submitted.

St. Thomas's Mount
24th November 1812.—

I have the honor to be &c.—&c.—
/Signed/ Robt. Bell
Col. Commt. of Artillery

To

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To Colonel J. W. Fresle

Commandant of Artillery.

Mount

Sir,

Induced by your known ready attention to every suggestion bearing even but the semblance of Improvement connected with the Ordnance Department, I take the liberty of respectfully submitting to your Consideration, the following proposed simple alteration in the Construction of the Common Shell, the adoption of which would I am led to believe considerably increase the execution of that destructive projectile; in which light should the matter appear to you, I have to request that you will take the trouble to intimate the same to the Military Board, who at your Recommendation may be perhaps

perhaps persuaded to embrace measures for having a few shells after the Muster about to be described cast in England, towards a proof, a point which, as far as I know cannot be effected in this Country.—

The proposed alteration, has for it's object to render the Shell capable of being loaded in such a manner as will occasion the Contents being discharged, when the explosion takes place, at all elevations and positions, whether the Shell is in motion or at rest, with nearly similar Velocity and effect.—

It has hitherto been Customary with Bombadiers more especially the French and Dutch, as I myself have had frequent opportunities of observing, to mix leaden Balls, Grape Shot Langrage &c. with the Charge of the Shell, a practice which Colonel

Shrapnel

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Shrapnel has proved to be wounderfully efficacious so long as the projectile Continues under the full influence of the orginal impetus of the discharge of the Gun. or mortar, but when the Bomb is thrown at any elevation under 45°. and that it explodes, when the initial Velocity, has almost yielded to the power of Gravitation its Contents will not be impelled in any direction with velocity enough for execution; and even admitting that it has been projected at an Angle of 45° degrees, and that the explosion takes place five feet from the Ground, wherein the Shell and its Contents are of Course in possession of the utmost Velocity they Can derive from Gravitation, consistent with a proper Range; tho' the Contents in this partial situation may be capable

of

of execution, their divergement will not be sufficient for any Considerable effect; moreover, if the Shell reaches the ground previous to bursting the Splinters alone will possess a Velocity sufficient for execution, whilst the Contents from being in a quiescent state and equally acted upon in all directions by the charge of the Shell, will remain stationary or nearly so.—

To obviate therefore these disadvantages and to render the Contents of an exploding Shell equally serviceable in all Situations, I would Recommend the Shells being made <u>double</u>, that is, one Shell cast within another apart from each other at such distance as might be found best to answer the purpose proportionate to the Caliber of the Shell, care being only taken to have the inner shell large enough to hold a proper charge, the Metal

of

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of the Shell being in thickness about one half of the Shells in use and Completely united at the Fuze hole, the intermediate Space between the Shells to be filled with Musquet Balls or Grape Shot to be inserted by means of a small interstice made near the Fuze hole, firmly secured by an Iron Slide forming when shut part of exterior Surface of the outer shell; on the bursting then of a Shell constructed and loaded as above described, it follows that the Contents must partake in every situation of the force of the explosion in Common with the Splinters of the Shell itself; and from their circular shape and greater Comparative Specific Gravity have a wider range and Consequent Superior effect. —

Begging Pardon for having thus long intruded on your time. —

I have

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Colonel Conrans Camp
Banks of the Poonnats Berar
2d January 1812. —

I have with respect the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most
Obedt
Humble Servt
/ Signed / D. Ross Major
2d Battn Artillery

Camp Lackonwary Pass
11th February 1812

To Colonel J. H. Freese
Commandant of Artillery

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of date the 27th ultimo, and of requesting your acceptance of my best thanks for the trouble you have taken in regard to my late suggestion, to the several objections to the Probable efficacy of which I take the liberty to reply as Vizt. —

1st The impracticability of Casting a Shell of the form required, +

Considering

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Considering the very great perfection at which the Art of Founding has arrived in England, the Casting of the not very complicated Imple-ment in question, could scarcely, I should conceive oppose an absolutely insuperable obsta-cle as the artificer, one would imagine who possesses sufficient skill to found a Single Shell, could experience but little difficulty in the founding of a double one, which task would in fact be no more than a repetition of very nearly the same process, but should this impediment prove actually insur-mountable, and that a complete Shell of the sort cannot be cast, here of necessity must the matter end; nevertheless, should it be deemed expedient, for experiments sake merely, to ascertain the effects of the Fire alluded to, the point might

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be gained by having the one half of the exterior shell cast separate from the other Component parts, and subsequently Joining the pieces by means of a Rivitted Circumfe:rence Screw, a Contrivance which would, I doubt not, sufficiently answer the intended proof, but would at the same time unavoidally involve so much additional Workmanship and expence as would most likely prevent the Shells ever becoming an object of general use.—

2nd With respect to the leaden Balls being rendered useless by flattening, on the explosions taking place.—

On this particular allow me — with deference to remark that in the event of the allotted concentric space between the — shells being regularly and Compactly filled with leaden Balls, the above Consequence — could hardly follow, let the pressure be how

great

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great Solver, because, the Balls so situated would be equally acted upon by the Surfaces of the Shells and by each other respectively, forces directly opposite, which by filling up the intervening Chinks between the Balls would naturally change their individual shape from round to cubical, a result which if on the one hand it might tend to reduce their range on the bursting of the Shells, would on the other occasion their inflicting most severe wounds; but on this Subject I cannot but think that the pressure would be by much too momentary to Cause any very Considerable alteration in the shape of the Balls, and at any rate this disadvantage could as you observe be easily remedied by substituting Iron for leaden ones, or as weight might be considered an object, by rendering the latter Capable of resisting

the

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the pressure of the explosion, by a slight admixture of any of the hardening Metals.—

Apologizing for these cursory observations.—

I have the honor to remain

Sir Sir

/Signed/ D. Ross Major

2d. Battr. artillery

Extract from a Letter from Major Ross to Colonel Bell Commandant of Artillery - dated 22nd September 1812.—

A 5½ Inch Common Shell loaded with 95 Musket balls and 6oz of Powder was fired in an old mosque in this Neighbourhood under the inspection of Captain Weldon and myself, the explosion had no other effect on the balls than that of scattering them above the floor of the Building, from whence they were all picked up unaltered.

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Unaltered in shape, or any otherwise injured besides no recent impressions were perceptible on the Walls of the Mosque, but such as were occasioned by the Splinters of the Shell.—

A double brass Shell was then fired (cast by Mr. Conductor Brady) of nearly similar dimensions with the foregoing and loaded with an equal number of Carbine balls, but charged (in Consequence of the inner Cavity's being by mistake made too small with only 2 oz and 12 dr. of Powder, nevertheless the shell burst into a very great number of pieces, and the interior of the Building was throughout marked by the discharge of the balls, which were all recovered much flattened with the exception of such as had escaped by the Windows of the Mosque.—

These

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These several facts will I should hope be found to go near to prove to your Satisfaction the reality of my Conjectures on this point, and do I acknowledge tend to Confirm me in my former opinion, to wit, that the first of Shells of the nature in question cast of a proper thickness of metal to oppose an adequate resistance to the explosion, and at the same time of strength sufficient to withstand the shock of the Fall, and Charged with quantities of Powder and balls / of iron or of mixed Metal / proportionate to their respective Calibers would in various obvious situations be attended with very destructive effects. —

/ True Extract /

/ Signed / Robt. Bell

Col. Commt. Artillery

/ True Copies /

/ Signed / W. Ormsby

Secy. to Board

The

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No. 45
Minute thereon

The Commander in Chief is request-
-ed to record his sentiments on the expediency of
adopting the Suggestion submitted by the Military
Board for increasing the destructive power of Shells
and Case shot.—

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

Yea Yea Yea

No. 46

Fort St. George

From the Medical Board. Seven of the Lepros patients at the Moniygar Choul. -try are desirous to Return to their homes. The Board recommend that they may be furnished with Conveyance and Subsistence by the Commissariat.—

Honorable Sir,

The Committee for ascertaining
the efficacy of the Medicine, proposed by Mr.
Surgeon Dalton, as a cure for the Leprosy,
having reported to us, that seven of the Leprous
Patients at the Moniegar Choultry, are extre-
-mely desirous of being discharged, and permitted
to Return to their respective homes, we beg
leave to Recommend to your Honor in Council,

that

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that Authority be granted to the Commissary General, to furnish them with the requisite conveyance, and subsistence during the time, they may have occasion to travel.—

We have the honor to be
Sir Sir

Fort St. George
Medical Board Office
11th January 1813.

Alexr. Watson M.D.
President Medical Board
Henry Harris M.D.
2d Member Medical Board

No. 47
Order thereon

Ordered in Consequence that the following Letters be dispatched.—

To the Medical Board

No. 48.

Gentlemen,

To the Medical Board.
The Commissary General will provide for the Conveyance to their respective homes and for the subsistence during the Journey of the 3 Leprous patients mentioned in their letter of the 11th Instant, & report on the Proceedings of the Committee at the money gar Chealtry required.—

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 11th Instant, and to acquaint you that the Commissary General has been instructed to provide immediately

for

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for the conveyance of the Leprous Patients there-in mentioned to their respective Homes and for their subsistence during their Journey.—

The Governor in Council is desirous of receiving from your Board a full Report on the Proceedings of the Medical Committee appointed to ascertain the efficacy of Mr. Surgeon Dalton's proposed remedy for the disease of Leprosy.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your

Fort St. George
19th January 1813.

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy to Govt.

No 49

To the Commissary General

To the Commissary General, Arrangement to be made for Conveying Certain Lepros patients to their homes, and subsisting them during the journey.—

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you the enclosed Copy of a letter from the Medical Board, and to desire that immediate arrangements

may

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may be made for Conveying the Leprous Patients therein mentioned to their respective homes, and for Subsisting them during their Journey.—

It is desirable that these persons should be removed from the Mooneygar. Choultry with as much expedition as may be practicable consistently with their comfort, and you will Communicate with the Medical Board directly on the Subject.—

Fort St. George
19th January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Obt Servt
/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy to Govt.

Read the following Letter from the Secretary to the Marine Board.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government
at
Fort St. George

No. 50.

From the Secretary to the Marine Board— Submitting a claim of Arbuthnot + Dimonte and Co. for

Sir,

Para 1st. I am directed by the Marine Board

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freight due to them on account of the Madras Merchant and Interest thereon. —

Board to request that you will take an early opportunity of Submitting to Government the accompanying letter from Messrs Arbuthnot D'Monte and Co. enclosing a certificate under the hand of the Acting Secretary to the Govern-ment at Batavia, shewing that the Sum of five Thousand seven hundred and fifty Star Pagodas is due to the own-ers of the Ship Madras Merchant which imported here with Troops on the 8th of October last. —

2nd The Board are of opinion that the demand of Messrs Arbuthnot Dumonte and Co. for Interest upon this Bill is inadmissible, as it was obviously the duty of the Commander to have procured from the Government at Batavia before his departure, a bill upon this Govern-ment for the freight in question. —

I have

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Fort St. George
12th January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir Sir

/ Signed / I Gwatkin
Secretary

To John Gwatkin Esqre
Secretary to the Marine Board

Sir,

We herewith enclose a Certificate under the Hand of W. Blagrave acting Secretary to the Government of Batavia; which reached us this day via Bombay, & shewing that there is due to the owners of the Ship Madras Merchant the sum of Five & Thousand seven hundred and fifty Star & Pagodas for the transport of Troops on that Vessel from Batavia to Madras where she arrived on the 8th of October last, which we request the Board will give directions for being paid - And we take the liberty of

Submitting

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Submitting to the Consideration of the Board that as we have been deprived of our money for three months, notwithstanding the repeated applic-ations of our agents at Batavia, and that we have been, during that time, paying the expences of the Ship, Interest on the amount of the Certificate for Three months should be allow-ed. we request the Boards attention to this Representation and Remain.—

Beach Buildings
January 8th 1813.—

Sir, Yr. Yr.

/Signed/ Abrthnot. D'monte & Co.

This is to Certify that the Ship Madras Merchant, Captain Eaton, was taken up at Batavia to Convey Troops to Madras on the Same terms and conditions, as specified in the Charter party of that Ship executed at Fort Saint George for her Voyage to Batavia. And that according to the report of the Accountant no disbursement has been made from this Treasury

on

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Fort St. George
12th January 1813.—

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Sir Sir

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Secretary

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January 8th 1813.—

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/Signed/ Arbuthnot. D'monte & Co.

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on

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in account of the hire of that Vessel. Captain Eaton or his agents are therefore entitled to receive the sum agreed upon, being Five thousand, Seven Hundred and Fifty Star Pagodas at Fort St. George. —

This certificate is granted by order of the Honorable the Lieutenant Governor and is executed in Triplicate. —

Batavia
27th October 1812.

/Signed/ C.G. Blagrave
Actg Secy to Govt.

/True Copies/

/Signed/ J. Gwatkin
Secretary

No. 51
Order thereon.

Ordered in Consequence, that the following letters be dispatched. —

No. 52.

To the Marine Board

Gentlemen,

To the Marine Board — authority has been given for discharging the claim of Arbuthnot & Co. on account of the Freight of the Transport

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the Receipt of Your Secretary's Letter of the 12th Instant, and

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Transport Madras Merchant accordg. to the extent of the Board's recommendation.—

and to acquaint you that the Military Auditor General has been instructed to authorize the discharge of the claim of Messrs. Arbuthnot D'monte and Co. on account of the freight of the Transport Ship Madras Merchant to the extent of your Recommendation.—

Fort St. George
19th January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
/ Signed / G. Strachey
Secy to Government

To the Military Auditor General

Sir,

No. 53.

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to furnish for your information and guidance the enclosed Copy of a Letter from the Secretary of the Marine Board, and to desire that authority may be given for paying to Messrs. Arbuthnot D'monte and Co. the Sum of Pagodas Five Thousand

To the Military Auditor General—claims of Messrs. Arbuthnot D'monte & Co. on account of the Freight of the Madras Merchant to be discharged; no Interest on that amount, can be allowed.—

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Seven hundred and Fifty due to them for the Freight of the Ship Madras Merchant. —

The Governor in Council concurs in the opinion of the Marine Board that the claim of Messrs. Arbuthot D'munte and Co. to interest on that Sum cannot perfectly be admitted. —

Fort St. George
19th. January 1813.

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

Read the following letter from the Commissary General. —

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

No. 54

From the Commissary General with the receipt of the Master of the ann for provisions embarked on board that Transport at Goa. —

Sir,

With reference to my letter to your address of the 14th. of December last I have now the honor to enclose the receipt of the Master

of

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of the Ann Transport, for Provision Stores embarked on board that Ship at Goa, which it may perhaps be necessary to transmit to Bombay with the other papers forwarded with my letter above alluded to. —

Fort St. George
Commissary General's Office
15th January 1813. —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most obedient
Humble Servant
(Signed) W. Morison
Commy. General

Ordered that the Original —
Receipt accompanying the foregoing letter be —
transmitted to the Secretary at Bombay, with a
view to the adjustment of accounts with the
owners of the Transport Ship Ann. —

No. 55
Order thereon

Read the following Letter from the
Town Major of Fort St. George. —

No. 56.

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

From the Town Major of Fort St. George. — Remarks on the Auditor General's opinion respecting the dates from which the pensions lately claimed by the families

Sir,

Para 1.

I have the honor to acknow-
-ledge

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families of Soldiers who died at Ceylon Should take effect—

Acknowledge the Receipt of Mr. Secretary Strachey's letter under Date 21st October last, Communicating the opinion of the Military Auditor General on a question referred for his Consideration respecting the date from which it will be proper to Commence the payment of Pensions lately Claimed by the families of Soldiers deceased on the Island of Ceylon.—

2 The Military Auditor General deems it proper that those families with whom Certificates were left, should be permitted to draw their pension in arrears from the date on which payment of their family Certificates ceased, and in cases where no Certificates were granted, that their pensions should Commence from the date of the Casualties.—

3 The Suggestion of the Military Auditor General is Considered

by

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by the Honorable the Governor in Council to be equitable and Correct, and a Copy of the Report of that Officer is furnished for my information and guidance—

4 Before Pension Certificates are prepared in Conformity with this principle be issued to the parties Concerned, I beg permission to state that a case similar to that now under Consideration was referred to the Honble the Governor in Council in a letter from the Town Major of Fort St. George, under Date the 18th April 1808. when it was determined, as appears by the Secretary's reply under date the 20th April that payment of the pensions then claimed Should commence from the first of the month only in which the Reference was made.—

5 There may possibly be appre-
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essentially

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essentially different from that upon which the former decision was grounded should revive a claim for arrears on the part of those pensioned in 1808 who might perhaps be considered equally entitled with the present applicants as their claims being brought forward at on earlier period, are more open to investigation, and more likely to be well established. —

6 It may further be observed that most of the claims lately preferred being of Sixteen years standing, many persons who were the nearest heirs when their relatives died upon foreign Service, + may long since have been deceased, in which case it is not at all improbable that there may be among the present applicants some who though the nearest heirs now to be found, neither have,

nor

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nor ever had any Claim whatever. —

7 This however is a point that must frequently be difficult to determine and in which Committees notwithstanding every possible investi-gation may be deceived. —

8. The observation is therefore not made with any View to invalidate these Claims, as far as admission to the Pension list only is in question, but to Shew that on further enquiry the present applicants may not be thought to possess a better title to the grant of a long train of Arrears than those whose Claims were decided by the Government in 1808. —

9 Having stated for Consideration the Circumstances of a Particular case, I beg permission to solicit the attention of the Honorable the Governor in Council to points connected with the Pension Establishment in General as well as with the question

under

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under Present Reference.—

10 In a Report on the Native Law of inheritance from the Sudder Adawlet under Date the 18th September last and transmitted to me by the Secretary to Government in the Military Department on the 8th of October, it appears that not only the Hindoo and Mahomedan Laws differ from each other, but that there is a considerable variance between the Hindoo lists as Extracted from the different works to which the Pundit of the Court has referred for information.—

11 These discrepant Statements leave the Subject involved in the same obscurity as before, and Committees still remain without an established principle upon which to proceed in a very essential part of their duty, that of deciding upon the right of Contending claimants.—

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12 As Considerable difficulties have sometimes arisen upon this point from the want of an explicit Rule of guidance, I beg permission to suggest that when the desired information is obtained in a clear and Correct form, it will be productive of much Convenience that it should be published in a General Order for the guidance of Committees.—

13 It may further be deserving of Remark, and the Consideration of the Honble the Governor in Council, that there are persons of different descriptions upon this Establishment, to whom Pensions are granted without the immediate authority of Government, and who consequently are not provided with Regular Certificates under the Signature of the Military Secretary.—

14th A list of the various classes of people whose pensions are Carried to account

in

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in the Military Department furnished from the proper Office, would enable me to ascertain and bring to the notice of the Honorable the Governor in Council, the number of Native Pensioners to whom Regular Certificates have never been issued, and of whom therefore neither description Rolls are Recorded in the Town Major's Office, nor the Authority under which their pensions have been granted, or the Same object will perhaps be attained with greater facility by means of a General Order directing heads of Departments and of Public Officers, as also all Staff Officers who may draw for Pensioners circumstanced as above to transmit to the Town Major's Office descriptive Rolls of such Pensioners with particular Reference to the authority under which the Pensions were granted.—

15th The Subject has been brought

forward

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forward under an impression which I trust will not be considered erroneous, that while care is taken to avoid any course of proceed: =ing which may unnecessarily Restrict, or render difficult of attainment, the provision held out by the pension Establishment, the — possibility of abuse should at the same time be guarded against by every Requisite — precaution. —

16 That with this view and in order that the whole of the native Pension Establishment may be brought under one general and uniform system, Pensions to Military Persons should be granted only under the immediate and direct authority of the Honorable the Governor in Council, — Certified on each individual case by the Signature of a Secretary to Government. —

I have

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Town Major's Office
Fort St. George
7th December 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most
Obedient
Humble Servant
/Signed/ J. S. Fraser
Town Major

Order thereon.

Ordered that the following reply
be dispatched.—

To the Town Major of
Fort St. George

No. 57.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th ultimo last, and to acquaint you that the several points to which you have requested the attention of the Honorable the Governor in Council are under Consideration.

In the mean time the Governor in Council desires that the Pensions of the Persons whose claims have led to that reference, may be paid to them from the Commencement

To the Town Major of Fort St. George—
His letter of the 7th ultimo is under Consideration. The Pensions of the persons therein adverted to, to be paid from the Commencement of the month in which their applications were submitted, their claim to arrears will be hereafter decided on.—

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Commencement of the month in which their applications were submitted, the question regarding the allowance of arrears will be reserved for future decision. ——

Fort St. George

20th January 1813.

Jam. Jas Jas

/Signed/ G. Strachey

Secy to Govt.

Read the following letter from the Commander of the Ship Sovereign. —

To W. Thackeray Esqre.

Chief Secretary to Government

No. 58

Sir,

From the Commander of the Ship Sovereign — Requesting that thirty Invalids may be sent on board in Consequence of the war with America. —

Since my arrival at this presidency from Bengal, having learnt that a War has broken out between Great Britain and the United States of America, I have to request that Government will be pleased to order 20 or 30 Invalids on

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on board the Sovereign, as the danger to be apprehended / being a Single Ship / from the American privateers will be greatly lessened by her having this additional Strength. —

Madras 19th January 1813.

I have the honor to be &c &c

Signed / A Campbell

No 59.
Order thereon

Ordered in Consequence that the following letters be dispatched. —

To Captain Campbell

Commanding of the Ship Sovereign

No 60

To the Commander of the Ship Sovereign — Thirty Invalids will be embarked on the Sovereign. —

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of this date, and to inform you that the Honorable the Governor in Council has directed that thirty Invalids may be embarked on the Sovereign for the protection of that Ship from privateers. —

Fort St. George
19th January 1813.

I am &c &c

Signed / W. Thackeray

Chief Secy to Govt.

To

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To Marine Board

Sir,

No. 61

J. the Marine Board. Thirty Invalids will be embarked on the Sovereign —

The Honorable the Governor in Council has directed that thirty Invalids be embarked for England on the Sovereign for the protection of that Ship from Privateers. —

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your

Obt

Fort St. George

19th January 1813

/Signed/ W. Thackeray

Chief Secy to Govt.

To the Town Major of

Fort St. George

No. 62

Sir,

To the Town Major of Fort St. George — Thirty Invalids to be embarked on the Sovereign. —

The Honorable the Governor in Council desires that thirty invalids to be selected from the most fit for Service be embarked for England on the Sovereign for the protection of that Ship from privateers. —

I am Sir

Your

Obt

/Signed/ W Thackeray

Chief Sec to Govt.

To

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Fort St. George 19th January 1813

To the Commissary General

Sir,

No. 63.

To the Commissary General — Thirty Invalids will be embarked on the Sovereign. —

The Honorable the Governor in Council has directed that thirty Invalids be embarked for England on the Sovereign. —

Fort St. George
19th January 1813. —

I have the honor to be &c &c

/ Signed / H. Thackeray
Chief Secy to Government

Read the following Letters from the Judge Advocate General. —

To the Secretary to Government
in the Military Department

No. 64

From the Judge Advocate General — a letter and bill from Mr. Penman an Evidence on the trial of the late Ensign Skipp for his expences submitted, the Judge Advocates recommendation respecting it's adjustment. —

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a Letter and Bill from a Mr. Penman, for his attendance as a Witness on the late Trial of Ensign Skipp at a General Court Martial, — before which he was duly Summoned to give Evidence in Support of the Prosecution. —

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Fort St. George 19th January 1813.

I understand Mr. Penman to be a Country born man, acting as a Clerk to Mr. Chinnery in his Indigo Manufactory at Vellore.—

In order to prevent any further inconveniency or expence to Mr. Penman I have advised him, (the Trial being now over) to return to Vellore, where the Paymaster can be ordered to make such payment to him for his expences as Government may deem proper.— This will perhaps, be best regulated by a Consideration of Mr. Penman's Condition in life, of which the Paymaster as Resident at the place will be more Competent Judge, than I can pretend to be.—

(signed) I. Leith

Judge Advocate General

Fort St. George
13th January 1813.

To

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Fort St. George 19th January 1813.

To the Judge Advocate General
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that I left Vellore on the 4th Instant and expect to reach it again by the 17th both days inclusive, being 14 days extraordinary Expence to me for Bearers Coolies and Tavern Charges &c.a —

I have the honor to be
&c.a &c.a
/ Signed / Edward Penman

Madras
13th January 1813.

No 65
Order thereon

Ordered that the Contingent Charge Submitted in the foregoing Letter be referred to the Military Auditor General for Consideration and report. —

No. 66.

From the Secretary at Fort William — Instructions respecting the allowances of Lieut.t Col.s Sullivan and Murray. —

To George Strachey Esq.re
Secretary to Government
at Fort St. George

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honble

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Fort St. George 19th January 1813

Honorable the Governor General in Council to
acknowledge the receipt of your two Dis-
patches under dates the 6th of October and
10th of November last, relative to the Staff
allowances of a Lieutenant Colonel Sullivan
Deputy Quarter Master General, and Lieutenant
Colonel Murray, Deputy Adjutant General
to His Majesty's Forces Serving in India.—

2 Copies of those Documents
having been furnished to the Military Auditor
General at this Presidency; I am directed by
the Right Honorable the Governor General
in Council to transmit to you the annexed
Copy of a Communication which has been
received from Major Imlach on the Subject
of them, under date the 16th Instant, and
to request that the Honorable the Governor
in Council will issue the necessary Orders

for

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Fort St. George 19th January 1813.

For the Staff allowances of Lieutenant Colonels Sullivan and Murray being Charged to the Presidency of Fort St. George from the date of the General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, announcing their appointment to their respective Situations.

Fort William
the 19th December 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient humble Servt
/Signed/ C. M. Gardiner
Secy to Government

To the Right Honorable
Lord Minto
Governor General in Council

My Lord,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Gardiner's letter under date the 26th ultimo, transmitting for my information Copy of a dispatch from the Secretary at Fort St. George

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George, dated the 10th ultimo, on the Subject of the Staff allowances of Lieutenant Colonel Murray, Deputy Adjutant General to His Majesty's Troops. —

2°. From Mr. Secretary Stracheys letter it appears that Lieutenant Colonel Murray's allowances had, at the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief at Fort St. George, been debited to the Account of the Government at Fort William from the first of march last; the period when Lieutenant Colonel Sir William Nicolson ceased drawing the allowances of Deputy Adjutant General, until Lieut. Colonel Murray's arrival at Fort St. George on the 15th of October following, and it further appears that the allowances of the Deputy Quarter Master General Lieutenant Colonel Sullivan had likewise been debited to this

Presidency

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Presidency till the period of his arrival at Fort St. George. —

3 Lieutenant Colonel Murray was by General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, dated the 29th. January last, appointed Deputy Quarter Master General to the Kings Troops from the 14th. of the same month Vice Johnson Returned to Europe — By General order dated the 27th. march last, Lieutenant Colonel Murray was appointed Deputy Adjutant General to the Kings Troops from the 23rd. of February Vice Nicolson resigned, and by General Orders dated the 27th. of April last, Lieutenant Colonel Murray was directed to proceed to Madras. —

4 Major Johnson who held the appointment of Deputy Quarter master

General

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General to the King's Troops previously to the appointment of Lieutenant Colonel Murray Continued to serve in Bengal as personal Staff to His Excellency the Commander in Chief; and his allowances as Deputy Quarter Master General were admitted to the debit of Charges Military of this Presidency. At the same time it may be observed that the Deputy Adjutant General and Deputy Quarter Master General to the King's Troops had previously to the appointment of Major Johnson been Considered as attached to the King's Army serving under the Presidency of Fort St. George & and their allowances been provided for in the Military Charges of that Presidency. —

5th under the influence of the precedent established in the case of Major Johnson's

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Johnsons allowances as Deputy Quarter Master General have been admitted to Lieutenant Colonel Murray up to the 23d of February last, the date of his appointment to be Deputy adjutant General to the Kings Troops, from that period no allowances appear to have been drawn by him in Bengal, and any advances on account, which have been authorized to Lieutenant Colonel Murray Stand Charged to the Presidency of Fort St. George. —

6th To enable me to adjust the Amount of the General Staff of His Majesty's Troops serving in India, to be charged on the Books of this Office for the past year, now about to be closed. I request to be honored with the orders of your Lordship in Council First in regard to the Staff allowances of

Lieutenant

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Lieutenant Colonel Murray as Deputy Adjutant General from the period of his appointment, / the 23rd of February; / to the 27th of April last, the date of the General Orders directing him to repair to Fort St. George - During this period it may be observed Lieutenant Colonel Murray held no other Staff Situation at Head Quarters excepting that of Deputy Adjutant General, to occasion his detention in Bengal - no General Orders however having been issued by His Excellency the Commander in Chief directing him to repair to Fort St. George, his Services it may be presum-ed were required at Head Quarters and his allowances during the period may perhaps be Considered chargeable to this Presidency—

2ndly During the period from the 27th

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27th. of April to the 15th. of October last, when it appears Lieutenant Colonel Murray arrived at Fort St. George I am aware of no precedent for the admission of Deputy Adjutant Generals allowances to the debit of Bengal; nor is the principle on which it Could be so charged Conformable to practice in any similar Case.— The General Orders directing the Deputy Adjutant General to proceed to Fort St. George may be Considered equivalent to an appointment on the Staff of that Presidency; and, from the date of appointment to Staff Situation at another Presidency, such allowances as may be authorized under that Presidency for such appointment, if any are authorized during the interval between the date of appointment and the date of joining would

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would Conformable to usage, be a Charge of that Presidency —

7th It is true, it may not appear of much Consideration whether the allowances of the Deputy Adjutant General to the Kings Troops are Charged to the Honorable East India Company on the Military Books of Fort St. George or Fort William; the decision however of your Lordship in Council becomes necessary on this Subject in Order to prevent errors in the Military Books. —

8 The allowances of the Deputy Quarter Master General to the Kings Troops Lieutenant Colonel Sullivan appear likewise to have been debited to Bengal up to the period of his arrival at Fort St. George; the decision of your Lordship in Council on the Subject of

Lieutenant

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Lieutenant Colonel Murray's Staff allowances will guide the adjustment of those of Lieut.t Colonel Sullivan.—

Military Auditor
General's Office
16th December 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir &c &c
/Signed/ H. Imlach
Asstt. Audr. General

A true Copy
/Signed/ C. W. Gardiner
Secy to Government

No 67
Order thereon

Ordered that the Commander in Chief and the Military Auditor General be furnished with Copies of the foregoing Letter.

To the Secretary to Government
Military Department
Madras

No 68.

From the Deputy Secretary at Columbo – Captain Parker will proceed to the Coast to recruit as originally intended—

Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to request that you will be pleased

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pleased to state to the Honorable the Governor in Council that the Original arrangement for Captain Parker's proceeding to the Coast to Recruit for His Majesty's 2nd Ceylon Regiment has taken place in lieu of that Specified in His Excellency's Letter under date 28th October last.—

Chief Secretary's Office
Colombo 24th December 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Jas. Gay
Dy Secy to Govt.

No 69
Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy the foregoing Letter be furnished to the Commander in Chief.—

Read the following Letters.

No 70.

From the Secretary to the Government at Fort William — The Canvas for the Commissariat required in Mr. Piles Letter of the 19th July 1811 will be sent round by the Indus.—

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

Sir,

Referring to Mr. Secretary Piles

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Peiles letter and enclosure under Date the 19th of July 1811 I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to acquaint you for the inform:-ation of the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort St. George that the quantity of Canvas therein required, will be supplied by the Commissariat, for Madras on Board of the Honorable Company's Extra Ship Indus.-

Fort William
the 29th December 1812

I am
Sir —
Your —
/ Signed / C. W. Gardiner
Sct to Government

To George Strachey Esqre
Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

No. 1.

From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay — Transmitting Copy of

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In Reference to your Letter of the 5th

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a letter from the Secretary to the Military Board relative to the Stores conveyed by the David Scott to China, from Madras. but supposed to have been originally consigned from Bombay.—

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5th of May last, with it's enclosure, relative to Certain Stores Conveyed from Madras to China on Board the Honorable Company's Ship — David Scott, but supposed to have been originally dispatched from this Presidency.— I am directed by the Right Honorable the — Governor in Council, to transmit to you, for the purpose of being laid before the Honble the Governor in Council of Fort St. George, the accompanying Copy of a letter with — enclosures from the Secretary to the Military Board, Dated the 22d. Instant, and to inform you that the value of these Stores according to the memorandum transmitted has been written back, and debited to the Madras Govern: :ment, as suggested by the Military Board at that Presidency.—

Bombay Castle
29th December 1812.

I have the honor to be &c &c
/ Signed / J. Farish
Sect.y to Govt.

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To Francis Warden Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

In reference to your Letter of the 22nd May last, forwarding Copies of a dispatch from the Government of Fort St. George relative to Certain Stores, which appear to have been conveyed from India to China, on board the Honorable Company's Ship David Scott, - but originally supposed to have been dispatched from this Presidency I am directed in returning a Copy of the list of Stores thus forwarded, to acquaint you, that it appears, on reference to the Records of this Department, that the several + Articles marked thus + formed part of the Stores embarked on the Aurora, Cruizer in July 1810, for the use of the Factory at Canton, on an application from the

marine

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Marine Storekeeper under the Orders of Government of 19th of June 1810 of the articles remaining unmarked, no information is procurable in this Department.—

2 The destination of the Aurora having beeing Changed on her — arrival at Fort Saint George, they were, it now appears, transhipped to the David Scott, but from the probable circumstance of no explanation of this transhipment having been communicated to the Supracargoes at Canton, they were returned by them to — India.—

3rd As the Value of those Stores have been debited to the Factory at Canton it will remain with the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to Consider, whether the amount should be written back, and debited to the madras Government, where the Stores now are, as suggested in

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the letter from the Military Board at that Presidency - in aid of which arrangement I am directed to transmit to you a memorandum of the Value of the Stores, which appear to have originally belonged to this Arsenal. —

I have the honor to be &c &c

/Signed/ Willm. Newnham
Sct. Mily Board

Invoice of Military Stores, laden the hired Ship Futteh Pal Khyre, and Consigned to the Honorable the Governor in Council at Madras. —

Fort Cornwallis Magazine 5th December 1811. —

Description	Quantity	Remarks
Ordnance Brass Howitzer 5½ Inch	1	These articles were received from the Honorable Company's Ship David Scott at China as belonging to the Presidency of Fort St. George arrived at Penang[illegible] Ship Aurora in March 1811. —
Bed and Slide —— each ——	1	
Boxes covered dammered and lashed	4	
—— " —— lashed & marked	4	
—— " —— " —— " —— " —— " ——	1	
Bundles in Gunny and wax Cloth —	1	
Bales /marked Capt. Tucker/ ——	1	
Iron Shod Handspikes ——	3	
Tube Boxes with Straps ——	2	
Priming Wires ——	3	
Powder Horns ——	4	
Sponges and Rammers 18 Pr. —	1	
Elevating Screws of Sorts ——	3	
Saddle and Worm —— 18 Prs ——	1	
Sponge rope ——	2	
Shot Cases Grape of Sorts ——	19	Received from the Honorable Company's Ship Hope as part of the Madras Consignment per that Ship from Europe - October 1811 - —
Shot Spherical Case — 6 Pr. ——	175	
—— " —— " —— " —— 18 Pr.	45	

/Signed/ Thos. Robenson
Mily Storekeeper

/Signed/ W. Newnham
Sct. Mily Board. —

Memorandum

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Memorandum of the Value of Stores conveyed to China on the Ship David Scott and which on a Reference to Records of the Military Boards Office appear to have been originally Embarked at this Presidency for the use of the Factory at Canton. —

Description	Quantity	Rate	Amount
Ordnance Brass Howitzer 434 - 5½ Inch	1	111 " "	pCt. 541 " 50
Bed and Slide ——— each	1	95 " "	Each 95 " "
Boxes covered dammered and lashed ——	4	3 3 "	Each 33 3 "
—— " —— lashed and marked ——	4		
—— " —— " —— " —— " ——	1		
Iron Shod Hand Spikes ———	3	1 1 "	Each 3 3 "
Tube Boxes with Straps	2	3 3 70	do 7 3 40
Priming Wires ———	3	1 " "	do 3 " "
Powder Horns ———	14	6 2 "	do 26 " "
Spunges and Rammers 18 Pdrs ——	1	3 3 "	do 3 3 "
Elevating Screws of Sorts ———	3	15 " "	do 45 " "
Saddle and Worm — 18 Pdrs ———	1	3 3 26	do 3 3 26
Shot Cases Grape of Sorts ———	19	1 3 20	do 34 " 80
			Rs " 799 - 96

Errors Except

/Signed/ William Newnham
Sct. Mily Board

True Copies

/Signed/ J. Farish
Sct to Govt

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No. 72
Order thereon

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing Letter be furnished for the information and guidance of the Military Board.—

Read the following Letter from the Governor of Mauritius.—

No. 73.

To the Honorable
Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bt. & K.B
Governor in Council
Madras

From the Governor of Mauritius— requesting that a Set of Captain Cope's accounts while Paymaster at Bourbon may be forwarded to Mauritius.—

Honorable Sir,

I request you will be pleased to Require a Set of the Civil accounts of Captain Cope Paymaster of the 86th Regiment and late Civil and Military Paymaster at Bourbon, with Vouchers in Support of the Same;- and beg you will be pleased to Cause the Same to be transmitted to my Government as there is a break in the Chain of those accounts — during the time Captain Cope held that

Situation

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Situation.—

In the event of Captain Cope not having kept a duplicate of the Vouchers, a Copy of them Certified by him will be sufficient.—

Port Louis
18th November 1812

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.—

/Signed/ R. T. Farquhar

No. 74
Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Dispatch from the Governor of the Isles of Mauritius, Bourbon, and their Dependencies be transmitted to the Secretary at William, as it appears that the accounts and Vouchers therein applied for, can be furnished only from that Presidency.—

Read the following letter from the Officer Commanding at Cl're.—

To the Secretary to Government

Military Department

Fort St. George

No. 75

From the Officer Commanding at Vellore — with Proceedings

Sir,

Accompanying I have the honor

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Fort St. George 19th January 1813.

Proceedings of a Committee reporting the repairs required to the Quarters of the Fort adjutant and Deputy Commissary of Stores.—

Honor to transmit Proceedings of a Committee assembled for the purpose of reporting on the repairs required at the Quarters occupied by the Fort Adjutant and Deputy Commissary of Stores and with them an Estimate of the probable expence to be incurred for the execution of them. These Papers would have sooner been forwarded, but I wished to ascertain before their being dispatched, how far by the Regulations, a Committee was authorized to report, as it has done on a Building the repairs of which would cost more than half it's value; this I have not been able to find out in the Regulations; I therefore send the Papers as they are, trusting they will meet with the approbation of Government.—

I have the honor to be &c &c

Vellore
12th January 1813.

(Signed) Ross Laing
Colonel Comdg.

Proceedings

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Fort St. George 19th January 1813.

Proceedings of a Committee Ordered to assemble by Colonel Lang Commanding, to examine and report on the Repairs required to be made to Public Quarters Occupied by the Fort Adjutant and Deputy Commissary of Stores - Vellore 23rd. December 1812. -

President

Captain Kelly Madras Europ. Regt.

Lieutenant Fenwick M. E. Regt. & Members & Lieut. o
MacDowall 2d. Battalion 12th. Regiment N. I.

The Committee having inspected the Public Quarter Occupied by the Fort adjutant, find that the following Repairs are required, Viz. - The floor of the Rear Verandah to be Chunamed and the Floor of the Front Verandah and Rooms to be Repaired, new Bamboos and Tiles to be substituted for those decayed, part of the walls to be new plaistered, and the whole Quarter to be white washed; The

Godowns

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Godowns Require plaistering and white washing, and the Compound Wall to be pointed — The Committee on inspecting the Public Quarter Occupied by the Deputy Commissary of Stores, find it in general much decayed and the following Repairs wanted. ——

Vizt. The whole of the Roof to be removed and the decayed Rafters, bamboos and tiles to be replaced by new ones, the walls to be plaister-ed in those parts which are broken, the floor to be repaired where wanting and the whole of Quarter to be white washed, Two Godowns require Similar repairs. —

/ Signed / James Kelly
Captn. & President

/ Signed / Rofs Lang
Col. Comdg. " Wm. Finerick Lieutt.
Adjt. & Member.

" Law Macdowall Lieutt.
2/12th Regt. Offg. the

Further

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Fort St. George 19th January 1813.

Further Proceedings of a Committee Ordered to assemble by Colonel Lang Commanding to State the Repairs required for the Public quarters Occupied by the Fort adjutant and Deputy Commissary of Stores and reassembled by the Garrison Orders.—

Vellore 29th December 1812

President

Captain Kelly Madras European Regiment.—

Lieutenant Fenwick 1st: European Regiment

Members / Lieut. Macdowall 2d: Bn. 12th Regt. N.I.

The Committee having again examined the Public Quarter Occupied by the Deputy Commissary of Stores and having had the Estimate for its Repair laid

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laid before them, are of Opinion that the Amount of the Estimate exceeds half the Value of the Quarter, and that from the decayed state of the walls most of which are of mud such repairs would not be adviseable.—

/Signed/ James Kelly
Captain & President

" Wm. Fenwick adjt.
and Member

" Law Macdowall
Lt. 2d. Bn. 12th Regt.

/Signed/ Rose Lang
Colonel Commanding

Estimate

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Estimate of the Probable expence of Repairing the Public Quarter occupied by Fort Adjt. and Depy. Commissary of Stores. —

Measurements

Fort Adjutant's Quarter

						P	T	b	P	T	b
58½	33	"	19	30½	"	Repairing the Roof New Thick Bamboos Square tiles & Pan tiles					
									2	"	" Fdg. 38 27 36
90	14	"	12	60	"	Shifting the tiles Godowns & Cook Rooms					
70	14	"	9			Dº to Stables					
			22	140	"	Total Shifting Tiles			1	"	" Fdg. 1 28 25
36	10½	"	3	78	"	Flooring 2 Coats of Chunam					
120	4	"	4	80	"	Plastering the walls					
180	4	"	7	20	"	Dº to Godowns					
			12	"	"	Total Plasteringwith Chunam	"	22	40	Fdg.	6 " "
						Painting the Compound Walls	"	13	"	"	1 28 "
138	3	"	5	64	"	White washing the walls inside and out					
193	26	"	44	98	"	Dº Dº Dº					
106½	22	"	22	11	"	Dº to Varandah					
75¾	15	"	14	36¼	"	6 Pillars 8 ft. by 4 ft. each					
"	"	"	1	92	"	Walls of Balestrate					
88	10	"	8	80	"	Dº to Godowns Wall inside & out					
330	13	"	42	90	"	Total white washing	"	3	"	Fdg.	9 " 17.
			135	7¼	"						

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Measurement

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Deputy Commissary of Stores

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62	30	"	18	6	"	Repairing Roof Replacing purlines Bamboos Bamboo Matts & Tiles					
35½	11½	"	5	14¾	"	Varandah					
40	10	"	4	"	"	Ditto					
40	12	"	11	80	"	Cook Room					
57	28	"	15	96	"	Godown					
			48	50¾	"	Total Repair in the Roof		2	22	40	121 12 7½
75	4	"	3	"	"	Plastering the walls one Coat of Chunam	"	22	40	"	1 22 40
"	"	"	2	"	"	Flooring with 12 Inch Paving Bricks	2	"	"	7½	4 " "
440	11	"	48	40	"	White washing the walls					
227	8	"	18	16	"	D°. Godown Walls					
			66	56	"	Total white washing	"	3	"	7½	4 19 65
											131 9 21½

Sellore
23d. December 1812

Fort Adjutant Quarters 64 28 6

Total Pagodas 195 37 2½

[Signed] Wm. Wothers poon
Ensign Engineers
for Captain Cleghorn

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No 76
Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter be transmitted for the Consideration and Report of the Military Board.—

Ordered that the following letter be dispatched.—

To H. St. John Tucker Esqre
Secretary to the Government at
Fort William

No. 77.
To the Sect to Govern=ment at Fort William. —Mr Surgeon Babing=ton having proceed=ed to Bengal before the Medical Stores required for Amboyna could be supplied, they will not now be furnished.—

Sir,

Para 1 I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to acquaint you for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council that immediately on the receipt of Your letter under Date the 19th ultimo instructions were furnished to the Medical Board at this Presidency for issuing a supply of Medicines to the Surgeon attached to the Residency at Amboyna for the Service of the Moluccas Islands, but it has been ascertain=ed that previously to the dispatch of these instructions Mr Surgeon Babington had proceeded to Bengal.—

I am

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I am further directed to state that under these Circumstances it is not intended by the Governor in Council that the Medicines shall be supplied.

I have the honor to be

Sir Your

/Signed/ G. Strachey

Sec to Govt

Fort St. George

19th January 1813

" C.H. Barlow

" J. Stokes

" T. Oakes

" Ja. W. Hasmayer

Ex d Strange.

Office of Consult.
19. January 1813.
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	74	To the Commander in Chief --	19 Do Do
	75	To Do Do Do ----------	20 Do Do
	76	To the Military Board ---	19 Do Do
	77	To Do Do ----------	Do Do Do
	78	To Do Do ----------	Do Do Do
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3	From the Military Secretary to the Comm[r] in Chief	29[th] December 1812
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16 A	Order thereon	
16 B	To the Secretary to the Gov[t] of Fort William	22[d] do do

17	- - - -	From the President of the Black Town Esplanade Committee - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	18th Dec 80
18	- - - -	Remitte and order thereon	
19	- - - -	From the Secretary to the Government at Fort William -	24th Dec 1782
20	- - - -	Order thereon -	
21	- - - -	From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay - -	5th Jany 1783
22	- - - -	Order thereon.	
23	- - - -	From the Resident in Mysore	6th Do Do
24	- - - -	Order thereon: -	
25	- - - -	From the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Canara - - - -	16th Do Do
26	- - - -	Order thereon. -	

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Diary.

20th Received the following

Letters -

To the Honorable

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

Governor in Council

&c &c &c -

Hon'ble Sir,

No 1.
From the Military Board. Recommending Bills for Payment.

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

No 1 ... Bill of the Officer in charge of works at Seringapatam for whitewashing the European Barracks and Hospital at that Station, am.t authorized on the 10th September and 10th October last, amounting to Pago

= dad

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Pagodas 177-28-41½ a balance whereof is due of Pagodas 67-28-41½.—

№2.— Bill of Ditto for Construct-ing a wooden and leather bucket, and repairing a windlass and leather bucket used at the European Barracks, and for shifting the tiles of four new Guard Rooms by order of the Command-ing Officer, amounting to Pagodas 6.21.38.—

№3.— Bill of Ditto for Repairs executed to the new Native Hospital in the Fortress, amounting to Pagodas 36.39.78¾.—

№4.— Bill of the Officer in charge of works at Bangalore for repairs executed to the Arrack Godown in the Cantonment authorized 13th July 1812, amounting to Pagodas

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157. 15. 48½. —

№ 5. — Bill of Ditto for white
washing the Dragoon Barracks at
Bangalore by order of the officer com-
manding the Station, amounting to
Pagodas 55. 4. 19¾. —

№ 6. — Bill of Ditto for
making and fixing in the Artillery
Barracks at Bangalore Iron Rods for
lamps, and a Windlass over the well
in the Compound of the Dragoon
Hospital by Order of the officer com-
manding, amounting to Pagodas
5. 43. 45. —

№ 7. — Bill of the officer
Commanding the 5.th Regiment Na-
tive Cavalry for making up 46 Sets
of Brass appointments wanting to
complete

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complete the Regiment, amounting to
Pagodas 39-19-34.—

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7th January 1812.—

We have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Your

Signed Rob. Bell
" P. Bruce
" C. Blacker
" W. Morison

To The Chief Secretary to Government
at Fort St. George.—

Sir,

No. 2. A.

From the Secretary to the Marine Board. Recommending that the Madeira Wine and the Arms and accoutre-ments for Bombay; as also certain Military Stores for Cannanore be sent round by the Cape Packet.—

A Tender having been made to the Marine Board for Conveying freight to Bombay on the Ship Cape Packet at the Rate of 40 Rupees per Ton, I am directed to request that you will Submit for the Consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council the expediency of taking

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tatting this opportunity of convey=
=ing the Madeira Wine and the
Arms and Accoutrements which
are intended for that Presidency. —

2.ly From the build of the
Honorable Company's Cruizer Morn=
=ington, on which it was proposed
to ship the Arms and Accoutre=
=ments, the Board have Reason to
believe that there will not be Suf=
=ficient Space on board for those
articles, and they are of opinion
that an opportunity, equally as
convenient as the present one for
the Conveyance of the whole freight
soon
is not likely to occur —

The Board understand
that there are sundry Military Stores

at

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at the Arsenal for Cannanore, which might at the same rate of freight be forwarded by this opportunity —

Should Government deem it expedient to sanction the shipment of the above articles, the Board beg leave to Recommend that orders may be issued to the Military Department for lading the Arms and accoutrements first, and that the Stores for Cannanore, be held ready as early as possible to be shipped after the lading of the Madeira Wine

I am directed to state that the Cape Packet has been surveyed, and is considered in every respect fit for the above Service —

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I have the honor to be &c &c
Signed, J. Gwatkin
Secretary

To

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To The Marine Board.

Gentlemen,

N°2B

To the Marine Board. The tender for carrying the Madeira Wine, and the arms and accoutrements to Bombay and Military Stores to Cannanore, accepted.—

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Secretary's letter of this date, and to state that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is of opinion that the tender for conveying the Madeira wines and Arms and accoutrements to Bombay and Military Stores to Cannanore on the Ship Cape Packet at the rate of 40 Rupees per ton should be accepted, and that the necessary orders have been given in the Military Department for loading the arms and accoutrements and Military Stores.

I have the honor. &c. &c.

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Signed Wm. Thackeray
Chief Sec to Govt.

To

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To the President and Members of the
Military Board.

Gentlemen,

No. 2. C.
To the Military Board.
The arms and accoutre-
ments for Persia will
be sent by the Cape
Packet. The Military
Stores for Cannanore
may be sent by the
same opportunity —
arrangements for land-
ing the arms and
accoutrement to be
made with the Marine
Board. —

The Honorable the Governor
in Council has directed me to inform
you that the Arms and accoutrements
intended for the use of the King of
Persia will be sent to Bombay on
the Ship Cape Packet, and that the
Military Stores at the Arsenal for
Cannanore may be sent by the
same opportunity, and to request
that you will in communication
with the Marine Board make
the necessary arrangements for lading
the Arms and accoutrements first — the
stores for Cannanore may be shipped
after the lading of some Madeira

wine

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wine and will be held ready as
early as possible for that purpose. —

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20th January 1813. —

I have the honor to be
Sir Sir
Your
Obt. Servt.
Signed Wm. Thackeray
Chief Sec: to Govt.

Received and sent the
following Letters entered in Mr. B —
Nos. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81.
82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90. —

From the Military Auditor General. —

From Lieutenant Colonel
Bruce. Report on the additional Estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster at Masulipatam. —

From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay —

From Parish. The accounts of the Transport Ann will be adjusted on her arrival at Bombay. —

To the Commr in Chief —

To His Excellency Lieutenant
General Sir Samuel Auchmuty. With
Extract from the Proceedings in
Council

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Council on the letters from His Excellency's Military Secretary of the 13th and 14th Instant.—

To Ditto— The same to the Mil: Aud: Genl:

To Ditto— With Extract from the Proceedings in Council dated the 19th Instant.—

To the Military Board—

To the Military Board With Copies of two letters from Brigadier Gal and Bambury relative to a Supply of Canvas for the Commissariat and to the adjustment of the Value of certain Stores erroneously credited in the first instance to this Government; also Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding at Vellore respecting repairs at that Station.—

To the Military Board.—

To the Military Board— Payment of the Bills recommended in their letter of the 7th Instant has been

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been authorized. —

To the Military Board.

To Ditto. —

With Extract from the Proceedings in Council on their letter of the 7th Instant. —

To the Military Auditor General

To the Military Auditor General — Referring for Report Copy of a letter from the Commander in Chief's Military Secretary relative to claims preferred on behalf of certain Invalids of His Majesty's 69th Regiment. —

To Ditto. —

To Ditto — He will report the balance of allowances due to Captain Lovell of His Majesty's 4th Ceylon Regiment. —

To Ditto

To Ditto — Bills submitted by the Military Board, to be passed

To

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To the Military auditor Genl.

To the Military auditor Genl.—

Sums advanced at Fort Cornwallis on account of this Government to be adjusted.—

To the Commissary General.

To the Commissary General.—

With Copy of a letter to the Board of Revenue.—

To the Accountant General.

To the Accountant General.—

With Copy of the Military Auditor Genl.s Report on the General Estimate of Cash Required for the Payment of the Army in February.—

To Ditto.

To Ditto.— With Copy of the Military Auditor Generals Report on the additional estimate of Cash Required by the Paymaster at Ramisseram.—

To the Naval Commissioner.

To the Naval Commissioner.—

With Extract from the Proceedings in Council under date the 15th Instant.—

To

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To the Committee for conducting the examination of officers, Assistant Surgeons and Gentlemen Cadets in the Hindoostanee Language. —

To the Committee of the Corps

Morison to be examined in Hindoos=

=tanee. —

To the Secretary to the Govern=ment at Fort William. —

To Mr. Gardiner. — Forward=

=ing a letter from the Commis=sary General at Madras, to the Commis=

=sary General at Calcutta. —

To Ditto. —

To Ditto. — Forwarding a letter relative to certain accounts and Vouchers from the Governor of the Isles of Mauritius and its Dependen=

=cies. —

To the Secre=tary to the Government at Bombay.

To Mr. Farish. — Forward=

=ing the Original receipt granted by the Master of the Stem, for provisions to the Commissariat Of=

=ficer at Goa. —

From the Mi=litary Audr General. —

Received a letter from Lieutenant Colonel Bruce, entered in

M. B.

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M. B. No 91. Report on the Estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster in Mysore for the ensuing Month. —

At a Consultation

Present

The Honourable

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

Governor and President

His Excellency

Lieutenant General Sir S. Auchmuty

K.B. Commander in Chief

Friday the 22nd Jany 1813. —

Thomas Oakes
and
J. H. Casamajor
} Esquires

Minutes of last Consultation read and approved. —

Read the following —

Letter from the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief. —

To

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To George Strachey Esquire
Secretary to Government
&c &c &c

Sir,

No 3.
From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief — Submitting Proceedings of the Medical Board, and recommending that the new arrangement of the establishment of Native Dressers therein suggested may be generally adopted. —

I have been directed to request, that the accompanying Proceedings of the Medical Board, under date the 14th Instant, may be laid before the Honorable the Governor in Council. —

The Commander in Chief considers the New arrangement of the Establishment of Native Dressers, as suggested in these Proceedings, to be in every respect judicious, and calculated materially to improve that branch of the Service. His Excellency is aware, that the plan cannot immediately

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immediately be carried into full effect, but he has the honor to recommend, that it may generally receive the sanction of Government, and that authority be given for its gradual adoption, leaving to the Medical Board to suggest in what manner the disqualified Drapers are to be disposed of, with the submission of such further observations on the subject, as may bring the arrangement to a successful conclusion.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
Signed Hugh Scott.
Military Secretary

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

transmitted

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transmitted with the foregoing

letter.—

Resolution of the Board Medical Board

Governor in Council 14th December, 1812.

No 4

Proceedings of the Medical Board, Recommending a new arrangement of the establishment of Native Dressers.—

Dated 22nd Janry 1813.— Para. With a view

to render more com=

plete, the system

established by this

The Governor in Government Order

Council approves the dated 27th March

measure proposed by 1811, Relative to an

the Medical Board certain number of

for improving the Boys from the=

efficiency of the Madras Military

Subordinate Ranks Male Asylum, and

in the Medical De=Fort School, being

partment, Resolved educated in the

accordingly, as sug: Elementary parts

=gested of

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Suggested by the Com=
=mander in chief, that
it be carried gradually
into effect under such
further arrangements
as shall be submitted
by the Medical Board
through the channel
of His Excellency —
=nor in Council.

(Signd) G Strachey
Sec to Govt

of the Medical pro=
=fession, in order that
they may be fully
qualified to become,
in the first instance
Drapers to Native
Corps, and subsequent
=ly to be according)
to their merits, ap=
=pointed Sub-Assist=
=ant Surgeons, the
Medical Board were
induced to direct, a
circular letter, / of
which the accom=
=panying Proj. is a
copy / to be address=
to the Superintend.
=ing Surgeons of
Divisions

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Divisions, for the
purpose of ascertain
ing, how, far the
Army is at present
actually provided
with proper Servants
of the descriptions
to which that letter
relates. —

2. The accom=
=panying General
Return No 2 from=
the Reports, which
the Medical Board
have received in Re=
=ply to their Circu=
=lar Letter, will point
out to His Excellency
the

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the Commander in
Chief, the corps—
which, have Dispers
worthy of being con=
tinued, in their pre=
=sent situations.—

3. It also Speci=
=fies the Battalions,
which have Drafters,
who by being incom=
=petent, are not only
useless, but may be
regarded as preju=
=dicial at the same
time that, they stand
in the way of those
who, by being duly
qualified, and of
good Conduct, would
fill

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fill their Stations,
with considerable
benefit to the Pub=
=lic Service.—

4. In Revising this
branch of the Medi=
=cal Service, it has
occurred to the
Medical Board,
that by a Letter no=
=dification in the
existing Establish=
=ment of Native
Dressers and by
adding to the pre=
=sent number of
Medical Pupils, as
many Boys, as can
be obtained of a pro=
=per

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proper age, from the
Military Male Asylum
and Fort School, much
advantage would be
derived. —

5 Under this impression, the Military Board would recommend that instead of 2 First Dressers, as they are now denominated, each Battalion be provided with a First, and a Second Dresser. the former to receive, as at present, Pagodas 10 per mensem; and the latter Pagodas 7 by which distinction, there will be

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be an excitement to
industry, and to good
behaviour; as well
as a diminution of
expenditure, to the
amount of Pagodas
153 per Mensem.—

6. A considerable pro-
=portion of this sum
may indeed be re=
=quired to defray, for
the present, the ex=
=pense of the additio=
=nal number of Boys
which may be sent
out, from the Military
Male Asylum, and
Fort School, to Surge=
=ons of European Corps,
for

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for Medical instruc-
tion; but as soon as
the Establishment of
Dressers, shall be com-
=pleted from these Se-
=minaries, the whole
nearly, will be saved.

7. By thus extending
the Plan, which has
already been commenced
in so favorable a man-
=ner, the Medical Board
feel assured, that the
Establishment of Na-
tive Dressers, by Regu-
=lar appointments, as
well as that of Assi-
stant Surgeons, with
in a Reasonable time

be

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be wholly Composed of Persons, known to have been properly educated, and of good Conduct; and that their duties will accordingly be rendered essentially useful to the Army.—

Signed, Alex Watson M.D.

President Med. Board

" Henry Harris M.D.

2nd Member Med. Bd.

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No 1

Circular

To the Superintending Surgeons and

Staff Surgeon -

Sir,

Para 1. As 1st - Drivers of Native

Corps are by the newly established Sys=

=tem, required to possess qualifications

which were not formerly insisted

upon - and as it is in particular

necessary, that young men, should

be able to Read, and to write the

English Language, before they can be

Recommended to His Excellency the

Commander in Chief, for Such ap=

=pointments -

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appointments, I am directed to re=
=quest, that you will call upon
Such Medical Officers, in your Di=
=vision, as are in charge of Native
Corps, to report the Conduct, and qua=
lifications, of their Dressers.—

2. Also their Casts and by
whom Recommended for, and appointed
to, their present Situations.—

Fort St. George
Medical Board Office
5th June 1812.—

I have the honor to be
Sir Your
Signed, W Horsman
Sec. Med. Board

True Copy,
Signed, Wm Horsman Sec Med B.

No 2

A General Return of Native Drivers attached to Native Corps.—

Corps	Drivers	Qualified	Not Qualified	Remarks
Body Guard	1	1		
1 Regt Native Cavalry	1	1		
2d "	1	1		
3d "	1	1		
4th "	1	1		
5th "				
6th "	1	1		

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7th	"	"		/	/		
8th	"	"		/	/		
Regiment N Infantry							
2nd	1st Battalion	2				2	
	2nd	"					
3rd	1st	"		2	/	/	
	2nd	"		2	/	/	
4th	1st	"		2		2	
	2nd	"		2		2	
5th	1st	"	1 Present		1		
	2nd	"		2	2		

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Corps.	Troopers	Qualified	Not Qualified	Remarks
Regiment N. Infantry				
6th Co. 1st Battalion	2	2		
6th Co. 2nd "	2	2		
7th Co. 1st "	2	1	1	
7th Co. 2nd "	2	2		
8th Co. 1st "	2	2		
8th Co. 2nd "	2	2		
9th Co. 1st "	2	2		
9th Co. 2nd "	2	1	1	
10th Co. 1st "	2	2		
10th Co. 2nd "	2	2		
11th Co. 1st "	1 Present			

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11th 2nd 2

12th 2nd 1

13th 2nd 2

14th 2nd 2

15th 2nd 1 Present

16th 2nd 2

17th 2nd 1

Corps	Drafters	Qualified	Not Qualified	Remarks.—
Regt N. Infantry				
18- 1st Batt'n	2	2		
18- 2d "	2	1	1	
19- 1st "	2		2	
19- 2d "	2	2		
20- 1st "	2	1	1	
20- 2nd "	2	2		
21- 1st "	2	2		
21- 2nd "				
22- 1st "				
22- 2nd "	2	2		
1st "	1 Patient	1		

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24- 4 2nd		2			1	1
25- 2 1st						
2nd		2		2		
Madras V. Battr		2		2		
1st Bn Pioneers		2		2		
2d do do						
1st Bn Artt Lascars		2		2		
2d do do		2		1		1

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Medical Bd Office
14th December 1812

Signed Wm Horsman
Sec Med Board

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Read the following Letters

from the Military Board. —

To The Honorable

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

Governor in Council

Yea Yea Yea

Honorable Sir

No 5.

From the Military Board — Recommending discharge of an abstract of pay and allowances due to a Lascar who died on his return from Cannanore whither he had been detached with colours.

1. In the Month of April

last a Lascar of the Store Depart-

ment at the Presidency was detached

on Command to Cannanore with a

Colours for the 1st Battalion 5th

Regiment Native Infantry, which

having

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having delivered, he received his Pay in arrears for May, and on his Return died, but upon what day cannot be ascertained. The Widow of this Lascar has presented a Petition claiming such arrears of Pay and Batta as may be due to her deceased husband, and as it appears probable that the demise of the Petitioner's husband must have taken place some time in the Month of June, we have the honor to recommend that

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that authority may be given for the payment of one Months Pay, and the Batta to which the de= =ceased was entitled, but which un= =der the Regulations of the Service could not be drawn until the period of his Return to the Pre= =sidency. —

In conformity with this Recommendation, we beg leave to Submit an Abstract, amounting to Pagodas 1-12-4 which if sanc= tioned we recommend that the Pri= =tary

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Military Auditor General may be authorized to pass it for payment.—

Fort St. George
7th January 1813.—

We have the honor to be
Sir Your
Signed Rob: Bell
" P. Bruce
" V. Blacker
" W. Morrison

No 6.—
Resolution thereon

Resolved that authority be given for the discharge of the Pay and Batta due to the deceased Store Lascar mentioned in the foregoing Letter as recommended by the Military Board.—

To The Honble Sir G. H. Barlow Bt. K.B.
Governor in Council Fort St George

Honble Sir,

No 7
From the Military Board—Recommending Compensation on account of short issue of provisions to certain Lascars who served to the Eastward.

A petition from certain Store

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Store Lascars who were employed on Service against the Moluccas Islands in the year 1795 having been transferred by Order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief to our Office, we have the honor to Submit a Statement of Com=
=pensation on account of the Short Issue of Provisions to those per=
sons calculated on the princi=
=ple recommended by the Com
mittee of which Major Dal=
=rymple was President as de=
tailed in our Report of the 20th February 1812, and we have the honor to recommend that the Military Auditor General

May

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may receive authority to pass
such Abstracts as may be trans=
mitted to him from our Office,
on account of the Compensation
claimed by the Several persons
as noted opposite their respective
Names -

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7th January 1813. —

We have the honor to be
Honble Sir
Your most Obedient
humble Servants
Signed, Rob: Bell
" P. Bruce
V. Blacker
" W. Morison

Statement. —

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Statement of Compensation Money on Account of Lascars while they were employed at the Moluccas

Company's Numbers	Names	Rank	Countries	Periods of absence from the Coast. —		
1st	China Veraphah	Syrang	Maraticore	From 28th Sept. 95	till 26th Jany	1806
do	Connakken — —	2d Tindal	Tuticorin	do	do	do
do	Vencatachellum	Lascar	Wooteramullore	do	do	do
3rd	Beemen — — —	do	Pettahpooram	do	do	till 7 Jany 1806
do	Mootoakistnen	do	Poloore	do	do	26th do 1806
5	Chadyen — —	do	Arcot	do	do	1 Sept. 1803
6th	Letchoomanen	do	Wootermullore	do	do	do
11	Rammen — —	do	Madurah	do	do	29th July do

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Short issue of Provisions to the undermentioned Store Islands.—

Compensation money on acct. of Short issue of Provisions			Remarks.—
20	44	32	
20	44	32	
20	44	32	Deceased 30th November 1812 the Claimant is Iremalamah wife of the deceased Lascar.—
16	40	10	
20	40	32	
16	9	31	
16	9	31	
16	1	57½	Died on his Passage from Amboynah 29th July 1803 the Claimant is Chelly wife of the deceased Lascar.—

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Extract from Register

	Names	Rank	Countries	Period of absence from the Coast.
6th	Mootoo	Lascar	Arcot	From 28th April 1795 till 31st July 1803
"	Mootoo	do	Trichinopoly	do do 28th Aug. do
"	Mootoo	do	Arrayalore	do do 28th Aug. do
"	Kistnapah	Sepoy	do	do till March 1797
"	Mootoo	Lascar	Trichinopoly	do 16th Sept. 1796
2d	Mootoo	do	Vellore	From 19th July do 1st do 1803

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compensation money on account of short issue of Provision

Remarks—

16 1 57 Died on the Passage from Anjengo to
29.th July 1803 the claimant is Veerayee
wife of the deceased Lascar

16 9 31 Died at Madras 28.th August 1803 the
day he landed from on Anjengo, the
claimant is Cadyal Sister of the deceased
Lascar.—

2 40 41 Died at Pyacottah 30.th April 1804 &c &c
Tamanah wife of the deceased Syrang

1 39 34 Went on Command with 2.d Battalion 2.d
Regiment Native Infantry in 1798 and no
accounts of him received at this Office
the claimant is Canagee his wife.—

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Lascars

Names	Rank	Countries	Period of Absence from the Coast.
8th Chavanen	---	Lyrang	Convalescence	From 19th July 1795	till 1st Sept. 1803
12th Vencatachellum	Do.	--Vellore	Do.	Do.	till March 1797
9th Sunden	----	Lascar	Pennerutty	Do.	Do.	17th Jany 1804
3rd Rammen	---	Do.	Ongole	---	From 8	Do.	1st September 1803
" Mootoo	---	Tindal	Cuddalore	From 8	Do.	till Augt. 1799
4th Narroinen	--	Lascar	Seevaroom	Do.	29th Sept.	Do.	1st Sept. 1803
7th Mootoo	---	Do.	Madurah	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
" Ramanah	Lyrang	Goodapaukam	Do.	Do.	Do.	March 97
16th Paupadoo	---	Lascar	Pittahpooram	Do.	Do.	1st Sept. 1803
Do. Saumadoo	--	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.

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Compensation money on account of short issue of Provisions

Remarks.—

16 24 62

3 10 69 Stationed at Vellore the Claimant is Kistnen his Brother in law.—

17 10 38

16 24 62

8 8 44 Died on the passage from Anjengo to August 1799 the Claimant is Ponny wife of the deceased Tindal.—

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2 40 41 Now pensioned Syrang at the Arsenal of Fort St. George.—

16 9 31 Stationed at Vizagapatam the Claim- ant is Beemen his Son in law.—

16 9 31 Do. Do. Do. his Brother

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Company's

Names	Rank	Countries	Period of absence from the Coast
16th Peddenaickin	Lascar	Trichinopoly	From 29th Sept. 1795 till 1st Sept. 1803
" Syencotty ---	do	Cuddalore	do do till march 1797
" Arnachellum do	do	-------	do 4 July do do
" Parya Nursoi do		Ongole	do 19th do 1796
" Vencataramnen do		Vellore ---	do 4th do 1795
3rd Ramasawmy do		Tanjore	do 31st Aug. 1797 till 1st Sept. 1803
" Moorthy --- do		Postamullore	do do do do

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compensation money on account of short issue of Provisions

Remarks.-

Died 28th December 1810 while attached to the Gun Carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam- the Claimant is Maduruh mootoo Lascar Friend to the deceased.-

2 40 41 Discharged for theft 31st May 1799 the Claim=ant is Calundachy his Mother.-

3 10 69 Died 1st January 1812 the Claimant is Moottammah wife of the deceased Lascar

" " " The dates of their arrival cannot be as= cannot be certained, and the Family of the deceased Lascar admit that after they landed ascertained at Madras they did not report their

" " " Return at the proper Office.-

12 12 66

12 12 66 Naw Pensioned Lascar at the Arsenal of Fort St. George.-

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Company's

	Names	Rank	Countries	Period of absence from the Coast
3rd	Pennell	Lascar	Vellore	From 31st Augt 97 till 1st Sept 1813
"	Conary	Do	Tiruvanamellore	Do Do Do
"	Moottecullee	Do	Erroore	Do Do Do Do
4th	Moottee	Do	Trichinopoly	Do Do Do Do
"	Mattyen	Do	Trivannamally	Do Do Do Do
"	Narroien	Do	Vundavapy	Do Do Do Do
"	Ramasawmy	Do	Trichinopoly	Do Do Do Do
"	Nursoo	1st Tindal	Pottheridypolam	Do Do Do Do

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Compensation money on account of short issue of Provision

Remarks –

12 12 66 Nan Pensioned Lascar at the Arsenal of Fort Saint George –

12 12 66

12 12 66. Pensioned Lascar at the Arsenal of Fort Saint George – –

12 12 66

12 12 66 Died in the year 1804 the claimant is Cospachyamah Mother to the Deceased Lascar –

Forfeited Deserted 6th July 1804 Do Pennall Brother to the Lascar. –

12 12 66 Died in the year 1811 the claimant is Ponnumnall Mother to the Deceased – Lascar – –

12 12 66 Died 30th November 1804 Do is Ellial wife of the Deceased. –

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Company

	Names	Rank	Countries	Period of Absence from the Coast
"	Mannaroo	Lascar	Cuddalore	From 31.st Aug.t 97 till 19.th July 803
12.th	Kistnen - - -	Do.	Chenjee	Do. Do. 26.th Jany 1803
"	Ramsnen - -	Do.	Vellore	Do. Do. 1.st Sept.r 1803
"	Mastoo - - - -	Do.	Trevalcany	Do. 19.th July 96 25.th Oct.r 1803

Total Pagodas -

Military Board office
Fort S.t George
7.th January 1813. -

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Compensation Money on account of short issue of Provision			Remarks
11	42	35	Died on the passage from Amboyna the 19th July 1803 the claimant is Aurjimootoo Son of the Deceased Lascar.—
14	2	64	Stationed at Vellore the claimant is Patchy his Mother.—
12	12	66	Tent Lascar at Saulnah Do. Calendachy his Wife.—
10	26	3	Discharged 1st January 1812 in Consequence of the Recommendation of the General Invaliding Com. Committee and Since deceased the claimant is Tandayie wife of the Deceased.—
500	42	34	

Signd W. Ormsby

Sec: Military Board

Resolved

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No 8
Resolution & Order thereon

Resolved that authority be given for paying to the Store Lascars mentioned in the foregoing Letter the proposed Compensation on account of Provisions short issued to them, while Serving in the Molucca Islands.

Ordered that the Military Auditor General be desired to prepare for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors by the approaching dispatch a Statement of payments of this nature, in continuation of that transmitted to the Honorable Court by the last Dispatch.—

To—

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Fort S.t George 22.nd January 1813.-

To the Honorable

Sir G. H. Barlow Bart & K.B.-

&c &c &c

Honble Sir,

No 9.-
From the Military Board-
Suggestions relative to
the formation of a Depôt
of Timber.—

We have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department dated the 29.th and 31.st December and 5.th instant, and to Report that the necessary orders have been given in Consequence.-

2 We shall have the honor of reporting at an early moment on the Subject of the Site which it will in our judgement be advisable to fix for the depôt of Timber proposed to be formed under the Commissariat. We shall also endeavour to submit the

quantity

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quantity and description which it may in our opinion be adviseable to provide to answer the demands of the Service, at the same time, we conceive, that with the view of deriving all the advantages expected to arise from this measure, it may be adviseable that the Commissary General should be at liberty to pur= =chase such quantities of timber as he may be able to procure until an ample Stock shall have been provided. This alone will give the Commissary General that command of the Tim= =ber Market which we conceive he should possess. This Measure will also afford to the Ordnance and En= =gineer Departments a more ample

Selection

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Selection of choice timber which will certainly be of much advantage to the Public Service; and we are of opinion that Such timber as may be purchased in this manner which may not be fit for the purposes of the public departments, can be sold without loss and probably with a considerable profit. Refuse timber will at all events find its way into the Depot, as the Commissary General may sometimes find it adviseable to purchase a whole cargo - We had all these Considerations fully in our when we Submitted our Report of the 24.th December, and were therefore fully aware of the difficulty of assign=ing either the exact amount of

timber

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timber, or — the probable expence which it might become advisable to disburse, in the formation of a public Depot of Timber at the Presidency. —

3. The teak timber which may be required for the Mount, Palla=
=jahbad, Arcot, and Vellore will also be necessarily supplied from the Presidency; and it will be advisable that a Considerable Supply should at all times be kept in store. with Reference to what is stated on this Subject in our former Report in which it was proposed that Sales of Timber should be conducted at the discretion of the Commissary General, we are of Opinion that individuals who may be carrying on private buildings

may

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may frequently be deficient of pur=
=chasing from the Public Depôt the
timber they may require on account
of the Scarcity of that Article in
the Market; and we are not aware
of any objections to Individuals being
occasionally Supplied in this manner,
when it can be done without
inconvenience to the Public Service,
and the timber issued in such cases
would of Course be paid for at an
advanced Rate, as observed in such
occasions in other branches of the
Service.-

4. We shall also Submit a
Draft of Regulations for the future
Conduct of the Engineers Depart=
=ment and for the provision of
Supplies

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Supplies under the Resolution of your Honor in Council.—

Fort St. George
7th January 1813.—

We have the honor to be
Sir
Your

Signed Robt. Bell
" P. Bruce
" V. Blacker
" W. Morrison

Read Resolution and Order thereon.—

Resolved that in establish=
=ing the proposed Depot of Timber
at the Presidency the quantity to be
stored be left to the discretion of the
Commissary General and that he be
further authorized to dispose of the
Timber in such manner as in his
judgment shall be most advanta=
=geous to the Public Service.—

Ordered that the foregoing
Resolution

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Resolution be communicated to the Commissary General —

Read the following letter from the Military Auditor General —

To The Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart GCB

Governor in Council

&c &c &c

Hble Sir,

No 11
From the Military Auditor General, Extra Expences incurred on account of the Field Force under Lieutenant Colonel Dowse from June to December 1812.

In Obedience to your Orders Communicated to me by the Chief Secretary, I have the honor to lay before you the accompanying Memorandum Shewing the Extra Expenses incurred on account of the Field Force under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse from June to December 1812, amounting

ing

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amounting to Pagodas 1,40,422-29-14

2. These Expences have been ex=
=tracted from the Disbursements
of the Paymaster in the Ceded
Districts and the Paymaster to
the Force up to the Month of
October 1812 inclusive, the last Ac=
=counts received in this Office, and
Estimated for the Months of
November and December fol=
=lowing - the Expences under the
head "Commissariat" are taken

from

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from a Statement received from the
Commissary General with a letter
of this date, Copies of which I
Nos. 2 and 3— have the honor to inclose, up to
the Month of November and Es=
=timated for December 1812.—

Military Aud. Genl. Office
Fort St. George 15th Jany 1813.— I have the honor to be
with the greatest respect

Honble Sir,

Your most Obedient

humble Servant

Signed, P. Bruce

Mil. Aud. Genl.

Memorandum

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Memorandum

Shewing the Extra Expences incurred on account of the Field Force
-ments of the Paymaster in the Ceded Districts and Paymaster to the Force up to
for the Months of Nov.r & December following, the Extra Expenses under the
Recieved from the Commissary General up to November and Estimate

	Extra Batta and allowances to the Troops including His Majesty's 56th Regiment	Staff of the Force including the different Brigades &c	Engineers Department	Ordnance Department
June 1812	"	"	"	"
July "	"	"	"	"
August "	4854 9: 23:	398 6 72	"	"
September "	11,527: 8: 21:	398 6 72	25 15 60	285 26 "
October "	12,086: 27: 26:	678 23 20	32 33 20	397 21 68
November "	12,086: 27: 26:	1,357 1 40	88 39 12	397 21 68
December "	12,086: 27: 26	1,357 1 40	88 39 12	397 21 68

Add amount of advances to the
Field Force returns. N B.
in Specie or Grain it will
amount of the Extra Expens

N B. The Extra Expenses for November and December are Estimated according to
exception of the Sums included in the 2nd 3d & 4 Columns which have been encreased
more Complete in the Subsequent Months — the Extra Expenses in the Commis
according to the actual Expences in November.—

Military Auditor Generals Office
Fort St. George 15th June 1813.

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under the Command of Lieut.t Colonel Douse Extracted from the Disburse-
October 1812 the last accounts Received in the office of Audit and Estimates
head "Commissariat" are taken from a Statement of those Expenses
for December 1812.—

				Medical Department	Pay Department	Camp Equipage Department	Commissariat	Total.
"	"	"	"	"	"	3,800	37 60	3,200 37 60
"	"	"	"	"	"	703	13 18	703 13 18
"	"	"	"	"	"	14,626	12 33	19,879 13 48
"	"	"	"	"	"			
64	39	"	"	"	"	480	41 20	8,623 37 30 21,405 39 43
450	30	10	285	23	32	196	5 "	13,959 16 5½ 28,087 — 6½
450	30	10	285	23	32	392	10 "	11,371 40 16 26,430 13 44
450	30	10	285	23	32	392	10 "	11,371 40 16 26,430 13 44

Brinjaries which remains to be adjusted when the in the event of this sum being Recovered either then of Course be a deduction from the Total of that force ——— 14,285 32 10

the actual Expence in October with the Staff & Departments were Total Pagodas 1,40,432 29 14½

riat for Decembr are Estimated

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To the Military Auditor General

Fort St. George

Sir,

In compliance with the re=
=quest expressed in your letter of the
13th. Instant, I have the honor to enclose
a Statement of the extra expence in=
=curred by this department on account
of the troops ordered on Field Service
from Bellary &c. and of whom a
Considerable proportion still remain
on the field, under the Commands
of Lieutenant Colonel Dame. This
Statement is only up to the 30th of
November the accounts for the subsequent
Months, not having been received at
this office.-

I expect that the advances
made

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made to the Bryjarries, will be recovered by receiving grain from them at Bellary to be stored at that station by order of Government in which case the Pagoda force will be relieved from the amount of these advances which will then become a charge to the Grain depart= =ment in Garrison- This explanation will accordingly enable you to determine whether the Amount advanced to Bria= =jarries should be included in the State= =ment of expence, which you have been directed to prepare by the Honorable the Governor in Council.-

Commissary Genl. Office Fort St. George 15th Jany 1813.- I have the honor to be &c &c

Signed W. Thornton- Comy Genl.

/ A true Copy /

Signed P. Bruce- Mil. Asst. Genl.

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Statement Shewing the Extra Expence incurred by the Commissariat on account of the Field Force under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse up to the 30th November 1812, including the Expence incurred by the same Department on account of the Troops equipped at Bangalore, Seringapatam and Goa, the same Service on which the Field Detachment was employed

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Department	June	July	August	September	October	November	Total of each Department	
Cavalry Supplies					54 6 6	1626 19 76	1592 40 72	3273 21 74
Supply of Military Stores					240 19 20	434 27 57		675 1 77
Grain Department	2110		713 13 18	1312 31 12	27	27	27	4196 44 30
Provision Department				33 28 61	2126 28 60	2369 27 27½	2069 30 34	7600 18 14½
Hired Cattle Department				11362 10 22	5319 42 56	8288 25 3	4838 29 70	31809 17 71
Hired Booty Bearers				1864 4 59	910 42	1132 31 2	976 20	4864 7 61
Hired Bamboo Coolies				54 12 40	54 33 48	86 8 6	67 9	262 18 14
Contingent Charges						4 12 40		4 12 40

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No 2. A order thereon

Ordered, in Consequence

that the following letter be dispatched

to the Secretary at Fort William. —

To John Adam Esqr.

Secretary to the Government

at Fort William

Sir,

No 2 B
To the Secretary to the Government at Fort William, with Copy of the Military Auditor Genl's letter respecting the Extra expences incurred by the Field Force under Lieutenant Colonel Dowse.

The Honorable the Gover-

nor in Council Conceiving that the

Right Honorable the Governor General

in Council will be desirous of being

informed of the Extra Expence of the

field force employed in the Mahratta

territories under the command of

Lieutenant Colonel Dowse, I am directed

to transmit to you for the purpose

of being laid before His Lordship in

Council the enclosed Copy of a letter

dated

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dated the 15th Instant from the Mi=
=litary Auditor General at this Presi=
=dency with the enclosure to which
it refers.—

Fort St. George
22d. January 1813.—

I have the honor to be
Hon. Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.
(Signed) W. Thackeray
Chief Secy. to Govt.

Read the following Letter
from the Military Auditor General—

To The Honorable
Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bt and KB
Governor in Council

Hon. Sir

No 13.
From the Military Auditor General's report on the Claim of Shaick Ibraham Private in the 2d Regiment N.a. time Infantry for arrears of pay due to his Father.—

In obedience to that part
of the proceedings of your Honor in
Council under date the 29th Ultimo
Referring

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Referring for my investigation and Report a Claim preferred by Shaik Ibrahim, Private late Nague in the 2nd Battalion 2nd Regement Native Infantry, I have the honor to state as follows.—

2. The claim preferred by Shaik Ibrahim, is for arrears of Pay from 1st February 1783 to 15th August 1784, Amounting to Pagodas 73: 8: 16 After deducting the value of 686 Seers of Rice at the Rate of Pagodas 20 per Garce, which it is presumed the ever price of Grain at that time said to be due to his late Father, who, it appears, was formerly a Sirdar in the Honorable Company's Service.—

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3. The grounds upon which the claim is preferred are fully detailed in Major Stuarts Letter to the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, under date the 5th Ultimo, I have however to regret that the records of the Pay Department do not go further back than the year 1790, in consequence of which it is impracticable to ascertain the Correctness of the claim by reference to those records, but as Major Stuarts is in possession of the Original documents on which it is preferred and as the arrears of Pay for the period above mentioned are stated in those documents to be due to the late Serjeant, it is but reasonable to conclude that the claim is correct and that it has

not

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not hitherto been adjusted; if it had the Original documents would have been given up by the parties as they now must, in the event of the claim being sanctioned by Government, as Vouchers in support of the payment made on that Account.—

Under these circumstances the only material objection to the admission of the claim is on Account of the very considerable period which was permitted to pass over before it was brought forward, Viz.t from the year 1790 to 1806 a period of 16 Years— it is however proper to observe that according to Major Stuart's Account Shaik Ibrahim when leaving Madras, where he had been permitted to proceed to get

his

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his claim investigated / in the latter end of the Year 1808, received an assurance from the adjutant General that it would be settled. —

Mil: Auor Genl's Office
Fort St. George 18th Jany 1813. —

I have the honor to be
Sir &c.
Signed P. Bruce
Mil: Auor Genl

No 14
Resolution and order thereon +

Resolved that authority be given, as recommended by the Military Auditor General, for the payment of the Arrears due to the deceased father of Shaik Ibrahim Private Sepoy in the 2nd Battalion of the 2nd, Regiment of Native Infantry, and amounting to Pa-goda 73-8-16 on the production of the Original Vouchers in support of the claim. —

Ordered that His Excellency the

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the Commander in Chief be fur=
=nished with a Copy of the foregoing
Resolution.—

Read the following Letter
from the Commissary General.—
To George Strachey Esquire
Secretary of Government
in the Military Depart.

Sir

No 15

From the Commissary General — Remarks on the Naval Commissioner's proposed adjustment of the accounts of the Salt Provisions furnished on loan to the Company —

I have the honor to acknow=
=ledge the Receipt of a letter from the
Chief Secretary of Government under=
date the 29th ultimo, transmitting
for my information and guidance 4
Copies of letters from the Naval Com=
=missioner dated the 9th of December,
and the letter dispatched in Consequence
to the Secretary to the Government.

at

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at Fort William.—

2. These papers refer to an=
error which had been discovered in
the account current of Salt Provisions
supplied from the King's stores on=
loan to the Honorable Company, and
they are accompanied with an amend=
=ed copy of the account, to be substituted
in the Room of the one which was
forwarded to Government in Com=
=missioner Puget's letter of the 10th of
June last, and which was transmitted
for my Consideration and Report, by
Order of the Hon'ble the Governor in
Council.—

3 With respect to this ac=
=count I have few Observations to offer.
The quantities of Salt Provisions there

entered

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entered as received and Returned cor=
=respond with the Original Receipts
in this Office, and with the Copies=
of the Receipts from Bengal and Bom=
bay. The Calculations also have been
found on examination to be perfectly
correct, and it might appear Super=
=fluous for me to submit any comments
in addition to those contained in my
letter to your address of the 17th of
December 1811, on the Rate at which
the value of the Provisions has been
computed, as the Military Board at
Fort William, in their Report to the
Supreme Government dated the 24th
of March last, a Copy of which was
furnished for my information and
guedance with the Chief Secretary's

letter.

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Letter of the 12th of May 1812, have ex-
pressed "their opinion, that it is quite
immaterial what adjustment may be
made between the Commissary General
at Fort St. George and Commanders-
of His Majesty's Navy there, relative
to the Rate at which the Provisions
borrowed and repaid are to be charged
or less of the whole quantity expend
on the Service for the reduction of the
French Islands and Java will ultimately
be charged to those expeditions, whether
against the Crown or the Honble Com-
pany."

4 Adverting however to the
entries which appear on both Sides
of the account, of Interest, I take the
liberty of observing that I am not aw-

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of its being usual to make a charge
of this nature when Stores are Supp=
=plied to the brown by the Company;
in which case the demand on the
present occasion may perhaps be con=
=sidered objectionable.—

5. I must also beg leave to
notice the amount debited for one
Barrel of Rangoon Beef supplied to
His Majesty's Ship Chichester, but con=
=demned on Survey, and sold by auc=
=tion; the proceeds of the Sale being
on the other hand credited to the Com=
=pany. The documents on this Subject
forwarded by the Naval Commissioner
afford no information, as to when or
where this particular barrel was
received, and the records of this De=

partment

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department do not enable me to deter=
=mine the point. At all events I conceive
that if objectionable it should have
been rejected and returned at the period
of delivery and that the Company are
not answerable for the value of pro=
=visions after they have been transfer=
from the care and superintendence
of their Servants; while in the present
instance the Cask was condemned and
the disposal of it ordered without any
communication of the circumstance
having been made, until the Accoun=
action appears in the account against
the Company.—

6 Should the Honorable the
Governor in Council be of Opinion
that this item should be omitted

and

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and that interest should be excluded from both sides of the account, the ba= =lance due and to be paid to the Crown will amount only to Pagodas 990. 4. 69 instead of Pagodas 3980. 7. 46. as claimed by the account current Rendered by the Contractors for victualling His Ma= =jesty's Navy. =

Fort St. George
22nd January 1813.

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your
Most
Obedt
Humble Servt
Signed W. Morrison
Comptr Genl

No 16 A.
Order thereon

Ordered, in Consequence that the following letter be dispatched to the Secretary at Fort William. —

To C. W. Gardiner Esquire
Secretary to the Government at
Fort William

Sir,

No 16. B.
to Secretary to Government of Fort William. With copy

With reference to the letter
from

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copy of the Commissary General's letter respecting the adjustment of an account of Salt Provisions between the Crown and Company.—

From the Chief Secretary of this Govern-
=ment under date the 29th Octobr,
I am directed by the Honorable the
Governor in Council to re cit that
the enclosed copy of a letter from the
Commissary General at Fort Saint George
regarding the adjustment of the Account
of Salt Provisions between the Crown
and the Honorable Company may
be submitted to the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council.—

As it is possible that
the objections submitted by the Com-
missary General to certain charges
against the Honorable Company
in that Account may appear to His
Lordship in Council to be entitled to
consideration, it has been thought

Proper

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proper that a copy of Lieutenant Colonel Morrison's letter should be furnished to the Naval Commissioner in the first instance, in Order that his Reply to those Objections may also be laid be= =fore His Lordship with the least pos= =sible delay.

Fort St George
22nd January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your
Obedt Servt
Signd G. Strachey
Sec: to Govt

Read the following letter from the President of the Black Town Esplanade Committee.

To G. Strachey Esquire
Secretary to Government in the
Military Department

Sir,

I have the honor to forward

for

No 17
from the President
the Black Town
Esplanade Committee -
Estimate of the
expence

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expence of purchasing and clearing the ground proposed as the site of the new Cantonment.

for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council the Report of the Black Town Esplanade Committee on the Ground proposed for a new Cantonment, and have to mention that it has only obtained my Signature. The Collector being now absent from Madras and the Superintending Engineer not having been present at the former meetings of the Committee, but who has approved our former proceedings.—

Fort St. George
18th January 1813.

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your
Most obedient
Humble Servant
Signed C Boyland
President

Report of the Black Town Esplanade Committee accompanied with Valuation

Sir

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Nos. of the property on the site pro-
-posed for a new Cantonment.-

The Committee have the
honor to acknowledge the receipt of
Mr. Secretary Strachey's letter of the 8th
Ultimo, directing them to ascertain the
proprietors of the ground proposed
for a new Cantonment in the vicinity
of the Black Town Esplanade, and to
submit an Estimate of the Expence
which it may be necessary to incur
in rendering it available for that
purpose.-

The Committee having
proceeded to execute the duty entrusted
to them, have the honor to submit an
Estimate of the Valuation of the ground
and buildings on the proposed Site.-

a/s

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Site of the new Cantonment, amount
=ing to the sum of Star Pagodas
95733 resulting from the extent of
ground 30-3.300 at Star Pagodas 70
per ground Yielding Star Pagodas
50633, and 312 Houses Value Star Pago=
=das 45300.-

The Committee beg to re=
mark that this Valuation of the
property is founded upon an Esti=
=mation of the Original Cost of the
Materials, and the expence of Con=
struction; but are unprepared to offer
any Assurance to the Honorable the
President in Council as to the disposi=
=tion of the proprietors to dispose of
their Property on the terms of this
Statement.

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The committee have pur=

=ther the honor to submit an Estimate

of the expense of clearing the ground

in question with a view towards ren=

=dering it available as the Site of a Can=

tonment, amounting to Star Pa=

=godas 22937-14-65 which added to

the estimated value of the property

as above stated, forms a total of Star

Pagodas 118,670-14-65 from which

the committee beg leave to remark,

that the Value of the Materials of

the houses &c when demolished

will

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will fall to form a Sensible deduction.–

A detailed list of the Names

of the Proprietors of this property, is in

the hands of the Collector of Madras,

who is a Member of the Committee, and

is ready for Submission to the Honorable

the President in Council should it be

deemed Requisite.–

Fort St. George
18th January 1812.–

Signed C. Frapaud– President

Abstract

No 9111.

Abstract Statement of the Estimated value of the Ground, and Houses, occupying the Site of the proposed new Cantonment.—

Total Length from North to South 3,472 Feet and in Breadth from East to West 500 feet containing 1,736000 Square Feet or 30 Cawnies 3 Grounds and 800 Square feet at 70 Star Pagodas per Ground is ---------- 50,633-22-40

Fort St. George 29th August 1813

Particulars.		Canv. Gs. Fs.
Paddy Fields		6 14 800
Curreaur Tank		2 20,514
Wm Dobbin's Garden including Paddy Fields and Tank		3- 8,237
Vaniampettah		17- 7,149
Peramettas and Parcherry		
	Total of Ground	30 3 300
		45100 " "
312 Houses valued at		
	Total Valuation of Houses and Ground Pags	95733 2240

Fort St. George
16th January 1813.—

Fort St. George 25th January 1813

Probable Estimate of the Expence of Clearing and levelling the Ground near Peraimettoo intended for a new Cantonment.—

Measurement					Prices						
Length	Breadth	Depth	Cubical Feet		Rupees	Fanams	Cash				
				No 1.—							
				Demolishing Houses Removing							
				Roots and Trees North of the Land Custom							
				House, occupying the Space of 580 feet long							
				500 feet Broad — — — — — — — — — — — —	"	"	"	"	1856	"	"
580	500	4	4296300	Removing the Earth and Filling a Tank —	"	1	40	1/16	1632	4	40
									3288	4	40
				No 2.—							
				Demolishing Houses, Removing Roots and							
				Trees North of Do occupying the Space							

Fort St George 23rd January 1815

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670 feet long, 500 feet Broad ------ " " " " 1,193 " "

670 500 3 37,22 Removing the Earth and Filling a Tank " 1 40 ₱ Cy^c 1,240 33 " 2,623-32 "

N° 3.—

Demolishing Houses, Removing Huts and
Trees North of D^o, occupying the Space 770
feet long, 500 feet Broad ------- " " " " 636 " "

500 475 5 43,98 1/2 Raising the Ground of low Paddy Fields " 3 " ₱ Cy^c 2932 4 40 3,568 4 40

N° 4.—

450 500 10 83,33 3/4 Filling a Tank ------ " 3 60 D^o 6944 19 55

870 500 5 80,55 1/2 Filling a Tank and Paddy Ground --- " 3 60 D^o 6712 43 10 13657 1765

Pagodas ——— 22937 1465

Fort S^t George
16^th January 1813.—

Signed C Trapaud
C. C.

Comp^d 22^nd January 1813

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Fort St. George 22nd January 1813

No 18
Minute and
Order thereon.

The Governor in Council
considers it wholly inexpedient to in=
=cur the estimated expence of pur=
=chasing and clearing the ground
proposed by the Military Board, in
their Report of the 26th November last
as a Site for the intended Barracks
for the Native Corps at the Presidency
Ordered that the Military

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Board be apprized of the foregoing
Resolution, and that they may expect
to receive further instructions on the
Subject of these Barracks at an early
period.—

Read the following
letter from the Secretary to the Govern=
=ment at Fort William.—

To—

1121

Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

To G. Strachey Esquire

Secretary to Government

at Fort St. George

Sir,

No 19 — From the Secretary to the Government at Fort William. Transmitting for audit vouchers of Payments made at the French Islands. —

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to transmit to you for the purpose of undergoing Examination and audit in the Office of the Military Auditor General at Fort St. George, the accompanying original Statement of Payments made by Lieutenant Playfair, Paymaster at the French Islands, according to the Madras Rates of Allowances, to a portion of the Troops stationed at the Isles of France and Bourbon. —

2. The Statement is accom-

=panied

1122

Fort St. George 22nd. January 1813—

accompanied by corresponding Vouchers.

according to the following list.

Fort William
24th December 1812—

Sam
Yeo Yeo

Signed,

Secretary to Govt.

For December 1810 No. 1 to 32.—

" January - 1811 No. 1 to 46.—

" February - 1811 No. 1 to 68

" March - " No. 1 to 36.—

" April - - " No. 1 to 55

" May - - " No. 1 to 39

" June - - " - No. 1 to 8

" July - - " No. 1 to 17

" August - - " No. 1 to 11

" September " No. 1 to 4

" October " /None/

" November " No. 1 to 7

" December " No. 1 to 13.—

/A true Copy/

Signed, C. W. Gardiner - Sec. to Govt.

Statement

1123 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Statement of Payments made by Lieutenant Playfair - Paymaster at the Mauritius, to a part of the Troops stationed at the Isle of France and Bourbon According to the Madras Rates - of Allowances from December 1810 to December 1811 inclusive. -

(2) December 1810

				Sonat Rupees
1	78	Pay &c. Table Money, account of 7 Officers of His Majesty's 84th Regiment of Foot to Madras	Sonat Rupees 1,568 " "	1,638 10 3
2	67	Ditto - Account 2 Officers of the 1st Madras Artillery	" 448 " "	468 2 10
3	65	Ditto - Account 12 Do. proceeding to Madras	" 2,688 " "	2,809 1 3
4	64	Ditto - Account 8 Do. - Do.	Do. 1,120 " "	1,070 2 1
5	61	Ditto - Account 11 Do. of His Majesty's 84th Foot	Do. 2,466 " "	2,574 15 10
6	60	Ditto Account 3 Ditto Madras Pioneers	288 " "	300 15 7

Carried forward

Fort St George 22nd January 1813.—

Brought forward

58	Ditto	7	Do	of the 84th		
				34th Foot	1,568	1,638 10 1
57	Ditto	1	Do	Madras Artillery	224	213 15 7
54	Ditto	1	Conductor, Madras			
				Establishment	168	160 8 3
52	Ditto	2	Surgeons proceeding			
				to Madras	448	428 11
48	Ditto	9	Officers of the 14th			
				Foot Ditto A.R.	2,016	2,106 12 11
47	Ditto	6	Do	Do Do	1,344	1404 8 9
46	Ditto	13	Do	89th Foot Do	2912	3043 2 9
45	Ditto	10	Do	84th Foot A.R.	2,240	2,140 4
41	Ditto	9	Do	14th Foot	2,016	1,926 3 6
40	Ditto	13	Do	69th Foot A.R.	2912	2782 4 9
39	Ditto	17	Do	14th Foot	3,808	3,637 6 3
32	Ditto	Lieutenant Johnston acting				
				Engr proceeding to Madras N.	224	213 15 7

Carried forward—

Fort St. George 22nd. January 1813.

Brought forward —

31 Ditto — Ensign Proby of Engineers

Ditto — — — — — — — — — 224 " — 213 15 7

31 Ditto — Lieutenant Blackiston of

Do — — Do — — Do — — — — 224 " — 213 15 7

39 Ditto 15 officers of His Majes=

-tys 59th Foot — — — — — A/R. 336 " " 321 6 1

25 Ditto 2 Conductors of Ordnance A/R 336 " " 321 " 6

21 Ditto — 6 officers and 1 Quarter Master

His Majesty's 25th L.D. — — — 1,288 " — 1,230 10 3

14 Ditto — 8 — Do of H. M. 59th Foot — 1,792 " " 1,712 3 10

9 Ditto — 8 Do of Ditto — — — — — — 1,792 — — 1,712 3.

73 { Paid Captain Raith, Brigade Majr. to Major General Cockell, allowances from 25th Novem=ber to 24th December 10 — — — Pay 84 — 24:30

Ditto — Do from 25th December to 24th January 1811 — — — — 84 24 30 } 565 5 6

Carried forward —

Brought forward ---

56 Paid Serjt Williams of His Majts 65th Foot allowance as Provost Martial for December 1810 ---------- 145 " " 484 14 5

72 Paid Major Cockell Pay and Staff allowance from 25th Decr to 24th January 1811 --- 1097 22 5

Ditto - Ditto from 25th November to 24th December 1810 ---- 1074 " " } 7261 11 8

29 50 Paid Lieutenant Le Mesurier His Majestys 89th Foot, Passage Money to Europe ------ 1000 " " 955 6 11

20 Paid Quarter Master Cheater for Head Rapes Corps Dragoons Supplied a party of the 3rd Madras Cavalry ---------- 67 6 " 64 7 6

Carried forward

1127 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

33 Paid Surgeon Young of His
Majestys 65th for Medical
aid to 85 men of His
Majestys 22d Foot and
for Bazar Medicines Pay[d] 56 5 — 187 94

42 Paid for Farriery Head Papes
Vr Account His Majestys
25th L. D. ---------- 239 — 76 14

January 1811.—

109 Major General Warde—abstract
in Arrears for December— 937 21 — 3135 — 2

110 Ditto—Field allowance for Dr 187 21 — 626 145

75 Office Establishment of the
Deputy Adjt Genl for Ditto — 102 — — 340 17

84 Ditto account of 1 Tindal and
14 Lascars of his Establishment 15 83 — 56 57

91 Paid Capt.n Webster as Assistant
Adjt Genl in Mysore 7 days
in December 1810 ---------- 23 545 80 148

Carried forward.

1128 Fort St George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

94 Ditto - Batta for Do - Do - - - 22 22 50 73 11 5

92 Ditto his Regimental allowance
for Ditto - - - - - - - - - 93 53 30 314 15 5

72 Paid Captain Forbes 78th Foot Aid
de Camp Arrears for Do - - 54 31 40 182 14 8

74 Do - - Do from 1st to 11th January 17 27 61 58 14 2

71 Do - Regimental allowance for
December 1812 - - - - - - - 89 40 52 300 10 1

45 Paid Lieutenant Colonel Sir
Edward Butler his arrears
for December and advance
for January - - - - - - - 315 42 60

46 Ditto Brigaders allowance from
4th to 31st December - - - - - 84 " " } 1,337 7 9

63 Paid Captain Cooper, Major of Brigade
to Lieutenant Col. Butler, his
arrears for November - - - 13 5 8 43 13 7

Carried forward

1129 Fort St. George 22d. January 1813 -

Brought forward

61 Paid to Ditto Field allowance

for 6 Days in Ditto - - - - 5 1120 17 8 9

65 Ditto - Dr. Staff Pay and allow=

=ances for 28 days in De=

=cember - - - - - - - - - - 60 748 20 33

64 Ditto - Ditto his Regimental

allowance in arrears -

for December - - - - - - - 60 382 20 37 6

62 Ditto - Ditto Field allowances

for Dr - - - - - - - - - - - 29 250 97 27

55 - Ditto - Arrears as Captain for

December - - - - - - - - - 23 5330 81 27

54 Ditto allowance to a Matross

for Ditto - - - - - - - - - - 6 2457 22 " 5

82 Paid Lieutenant P. Poggenpohl, aid

de Camp to the Honble the Govr

his Regl allowances for Decr - - - 18 46 " 63 98

Carried forward -

Fort St. George 22d January 1813.

Brought forward

20 81 Ditto his Field Dr for Dr 19 15 60 64 11 0

21 106 Paid Ensign Moberly Regi=
=mental allowance for
December ---------- 13 59 5 45 11 8

22 107 Ditto --- Field Dr for Dr 14 22 25 48 7 5

23 57 Paid Lieutenant Erskine, Al=
lowance for arrears for Dec.r -- 27 63 0 94 15 9

56 Ditto Field Allowance
for Ditto ---------- 19 15 60 64 11 0

43 Paid Lieutenant Swanston,
Field Surveyor, arrears
for December ---- 54 24 40 182 6 3

44 Ditto his Field allowance
for Ditto ---------- 19 15 60 64 11 0

47 Paid Captn Waugh, Civil Paymaster
Regt allowance in arrears for Dr 96 60 30

48 Ditto his Field Allowce for Dr -- 29 2 50 } 422 11 2

Carried forward

1131 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

19A Paid Garrison Surgeon Evans,
28 abstract in Arrears for Ditto — 85 6030 28811 8
B Ditto Field abstract and allowce
as Garrison Surgeon
for December ------ 109 2 50 36411 3

8. Paid Captain Dawnes his
arrears December and
Advance January --- 96 6030 32581

20 Ditto as apsistant Dr. Mr. Genl. 142 29 15 477 6

21 Paid apsistant Adjt. Generals
Captain breagh his arrears
for December -------- 170 3930 57 6 10

15 Ditto Differrence of Batta to Las=
cars attached to the Aps=
sistant Dr. Mr. Genl's Dept -- 9 13 40 31 1 6

22 Paid Lieutenant Col. Fraser ab=
stract in arrears for Decr -- 110 62 6 372 7 5

Carried forward

1132 Fort. St. George 22nd January 1813

Brought forward

34 23 Paid Lieutenant Colonel

Drummond - Do - Do 123 14 52 412 6 9

25 Paid Lieutenant Breagh, Brigade

Major to Lieutenant Col.

Fraser his Abstract in

arrears for December — 103 63 — 349 2 1

36 26 Paid Lieutenant Taylor Do

to Lieut Col Drummond

for Ditto ---------- 103 63 " 349 2 1

37 27 Paid Lieut. Maclean, Town

Major for Do ------- 200 " " 668 13 3

38 6 { Paid Ensign Ellaway, his Ab=
=stract in Arrears for Do = 58 36 30 196 10 7
Do Field allow.ce for Do }

39 28 Do Commissary Grain and

Provisions for Do ---- 100 " — " 334 6 7

Carried forward

1133 Fort St. George 22.d January 1813.

Brought forward

29 Paid Captain Rochead, Barrack
Mr. for D.o and Established
allowance for Barrack
Masters Department —— 335 " " 1120 4 7

5 Table Money for Captain Fawcett
Assistant Quarter Master
Genl. to Madras - - - Sans. 224 " " 234 16

19 D.o 7 Officers of the Madras
Pioneers - - - - - - - - - AR. 1568 " " 1498 29

58 D.o " Officers of the Madras
Volunteer Battalion - - - - 2466 " " 2354 44

67 D.o 1 D.o - - - - - D.o - - - - - - 224 " " 213 15 7

16A Paid for Working Parties from the
16B 1.st Battalion 6.th N. I. - - - - - T. 14 18 " 48 2 6
23 22 40 78 9 5

16 Paid Assistant Surgeon Rae His
Majestys 86 Foot, his Peace and
Field Allowances for arrears Subs.e Table &c.a &c.a &c.a 57 63 - -
19 15 63 } 260 - - -

Carried forward -

1134 — Fort St. George 22 January 1813

Brought forward —

February 1811 —

240 Paid Major Edwards, a/c.t
Quarter Master Genl.
Difference of Batta
for January of the Lent
Lascars attached to the
Deputy Quarter Mr. Genl
Department ------- 16 8 7 40 63 7 9

248 Paid Captain Webster, his
Batta for January 1811 29 2 50 97 2 8

249 Ditto Pay and allowances
in Arrears for Janary 90 21 7 0 302 9 5

211 Paid Captain Forbes H. Mr. 78.
Foot arrears from 25th
December to 24th Jany — £ 116 12 2 / 22 - 3

210 Do — Do — Peace and Field al=
-stract from 31st Dec. to
31st Jany - - - - - £ 89 4 0 5 2 / 3 0 0 10 2

1135 Fort St George 22nd January 1813

Brought forward

296 Do Do abstract of Pay
from 25th January to
24th February - - - - for 116 12 2 122 3

236 Paid Lieutenant Col. C Butler
His Majesty's 87 Foot
abstract of Pay and
arrears from 25th Dec=
=ember to 24th Jany 1811 - Do 61 29 40 256 29

235 Do Do Peace and Field
abstracts for January 239 8 44 199 13 11

237 Do Do Lodging Money
as Commt at Port Louis
from 22d to 31st Dec. 1810 S.R. 7 6 8 30 14 5

238 Do Do Do for January S.E. 120 " " 250 13 "

230 Paid Captain Hooper, His
Majesty 87 Foot Pay in
arrears from 25th Dec. to
24th Jany - - - - - 36 20 " 121 13 11

Carried forward

1136 - Fort St George 22 January 1815

Brought forward

12 229 Do Do Peace and Field Allts

for January - - - - - 89 4052 300102

13 231 Ditto Ditto Staff allowance

as Brigade Major to Lt

Col Butler - - - - - Mr 64 21 - 215 93

14 226 Paid Captain J Lambert, his

arrears for January and

advance February - - - 20 2170 68 711

15 227 Ditto Ditto Field allowances

for January - - - - - 29 250 97 27

16 258 Ditto Pay in Advance for Febry

for Do Do - - - - - 4 12 20 14 44

17 273 Paid Lieut Coggingsbie, Field

allowances for January 1811 19 15 60 64 11 1

18 274 - Ditto - Arrears for January &

advance for February - 18 46 - 63 98

19 308 Paid Lieut Swanton, Arrears for Jany

& advance February - - - - 52 29 60 176 15

Carried forward -

1137 Fort St George 22.nd January 1813.

Brought forward

309 Ditto Field allowances for

January - - - - - - - 19 15 60 64 11 1

306 Paid Assistant Surgeon Scott

arrears for January and

advance February and

Field allowances for

January - - - - - - - 7 39 = 26 4 9

276 Paid Lieutenant Barris for

July and advance for

August - - - - - 54 63 " 185 4 1

277 Paid Lieutenant Barris his

Field Allowances for

July - - - - - - - - - 19 15 60 64 11 "

278 Ditto arrears for August

and advance for Sep=

=tember - - - - - - - 53 78 60 183 1 2

279 Ditto Field allowances for

August - - - - - 19 15 60 64 4 "

Carried forward

1138 Fort St George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

280 Ditto Arrears for September
and advance for Octr -- 53 6820 182 410

281 Ditto Field allowances for
September ------- 18 3140 62 85

282 Ditto Arrears October and ad=
=vance November ----- 53 7860 183 12

283 Ditto Field allowances for
October ------- 19 1560 64 11-

284 Ditto Arrears November and
advance December ----- 53 6820 182 410

285 Paid Lieutenant Haris Field
allowance for Novr -- 18 3140 62 85

286 Ditto Arrears December and
Advance Jany ----- 1463- 185 41

- Ditto Field allowance
for December ---- 19 1560 64 11-

Carried forward

1139 Fort St. George. 22nd January 1813 -

Brought forward

288 Ditto Arrears January and
advance February - - - - 52 67 60 178 14 6

289 Ditto Field allowances for Ja=
nuary - - - - - - - - - - 19 15 60 64 11 -

290 Ditto arrears February and
Advance March - - - - 52 36 60 176 9 8

291 Ditto Field allowance for Febry - 19 21 - 58 6 5

292 Ditto arrears for March and
Advance April - - - - - 53 78 60 183 1 2

293 Ditto Field allowances for
March - - - - - - - - - 19 15 60 64 11 -

294 Ditto arrears April and ad=
=vance March - - - - - - 53 68 20 182 4 10

295 Ditto Field allowances for April 18 31 40 62 8 5

232 Paid Captain Waugh Field
allowance for Janry - 29 2 50 97 2 7

233 Ditto his arrears for January &
advance February - - - - 93 28 70 313 2 1

Carried forward

1140 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

44 241 Paid Lieut. Erskine, Field al=
=lowance January - - - - 19 15 6 64 11 1

45 243 Ditto his Arrears for Jany
and advance for Feby - - 25 6 8 20 88 10 8

46 254 Paid Ensign Moberly, Field al=
lowance for January - - - - 14 2 2 25 48 7 5

47 255 Ditto his arrears January and
advance February - - - - 12 3 8 5 42 15 1

Surgeon

310 Paid Assistant Maclean H. Pr.
84th Foot Company's allow=
ances from 15th February
to 30th April 1811 - - - - - 119 20 35 39 9 7 3

311 Ditto King's Pay from 25th Feby
to 24th May 1811 - - - - - - 83 17 2 7 13 2-

61 Paid Mr. C. M. Campbell
Assistant Revenue Sur=
veyor for Jany - - - - - - - 27 20 9 0 4 10

carried forward

1141 Fort St. George 22d January 1813

Brought forward

84 Paid Garrison Surgeon Evans
abstract of Pay and
allowances for Jany — 84 4 7 20
Do Field allowance for Ditto 28 5 20
Do as Garrison Surgeon for
January and for Medical
attendence — — — — — — — 87 26 — } 671 5 11

88 Paid Assistant Surgeon A Rae
Arrears for January &
advance February — — — 56 7 — } 257 7 11
Field allowance for January 19 15 60

89 Paid Lieutenant Colonel Fraser
Commanding a Brigade
from 17th to 31st Jany — — 58 7 2 6 199 5 4

90 Paid Lieutenant Col. Drum
=mond Ditto for
January — — — — — 123 4 5 2 4 12 6 7

Carried forward—

Fort St George 22nd January 1813

Brought forward—

54 93 Paid Captain Creagh Assistant
Adjutant General for
January ——— 170 3 30 57 1 6 10

55 94 Ditto as Major of Brigade to
Lieutenant Colonel Fraser — 103 6 3 — 34 9 1 11

56 95 Paid Lieutenant Sir Taylor as
Ditto S W. District ——— 103 6 3 — 34 9 1 11

57 54 Paid Captain Dawnes Asst
Contract of Pay and allowances
in arrears for January 93 2 8 7 0 31 3 — 2 3 —

58 98 Ditto allowances as Assistant
Quarter Master Genl for
January ——— 142 3 0 15 47 7 1 9

59 55 Ditto difference of Batta
to Lascars attached
to the Quarter Master
Genl Department —— 9 4 0 4 3 3 1 7

Carried forward

1143 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

57 Paid Ensign Poole 2d. Battalion
18th Native Infantry ar=
=rears and Field allow=
=ance for December --- 57 8 30 196 11 1

58 Ditto -- Do. for January - 56 6 30 191 12 2

60 100 Ditto Staff allowance as af=
=sistant Comy for Decr — 100 " " 334 6 8

61 101 Ditto Office Establishment for Do 95 " " 317 11 1

62 102 Ditto Staff allowance as Afsd
Commissary for Jany — 100 " " 334 6 8
Ditto Office Establishment for Do 95 " " 317 11 1

63 59 Paid Ensign Ellaway Arrears
and Field allowance
for January ------- 56 6 30 191 12 2

64 Ditto as Afsd Commissy Do — 100 " " 334 6 8

65 314 Paid Table Money Account
of two Officers of H.M. 69th
for 21 Days @ 4 Fr. day - -- 168 " " 1759 1

Carried forward

1144 Fort St George 22nd January 1813–

Brought forward

120. Paid Captn Rochead for Men
of the 1st Bn 6th Native
Infantry employed at
St Denis – – – – – – – " 550 " 40 15–

March 1811–

112 Paid Lieutenant Poole H. Majesty's
22d Foot proceeding to
Europe for his health, –
Kings Pay in advance
from 25th March to 24th
September 1811–184 days @
5/6 per day – – – – – – 130 15 10 45 5 8 –

287 Paid assistant Surgeon Jones
of Pioneers, Pay and allow-
-ances for March by Order 77. 4 10 – 25 7 13 3

288 Do– Passage Money to Europe & Pay for
May, June, July Aug.t & Sept.r – – – – 38 17 10 12 7 4 10 4

Carried forward

Fort St George 22d January 1813 —

Brought forward

4 238 Paid Major Edwards, Difference
Batta to Fort Lascars
attached to his Depart=
=ment — — — — — — — 16 14 — 54 89

5 266 Ditto Peace and Field abstracts
for January — — — — — 89 40 52 300 104

6 218 Paid Lieutenant Dowby, His
Majesty's 59th Foot, King's
Pay from 25th January
to 24th February — — — — 21 40 20 73 35

7 217 Ditto Companys allowances
in arrears for January — 36 24 65 122 35

8 236 Paid Captain Lambert, Town
Major of Port Louis —
Peace and Field abstract
for his Arrears February
and Advance March — 46 21 40 154 5 11

Carried forward

Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.—

Brought forward

240 Ditto Peace and Field abstracts
arrears March and ad=
=vance April ——————— 57 4540 173 14 11

94 Paid Lieutenant Col. Keating
for Kings Pay from 1st
July to 31st March and
Peace and Field Abstracts
from 1st June to 28th
February 1811 ———— 2659 3 6 8 9 4 15 4

109 Paid Lieutenant Colonel Fraser
Commanding a Brigade — 113 4 3 7 2 3 8 1 4

110 Paid Lieutenant Colonel Drum
=mond ——— Do. ————— 113 4 3 7 2 3 8 1 4

111 Paid Lieutenant Colonel H.
Austen, Commanding N.C.
District from 28th Dec.
to 16th January 1811 —— 7 4 6 3 7 7 2 5 2 3 5

Carried forward —

1147 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

14 116 Paid Captain Creagh, Abstract of allowance as Asstant Adjt. Genl. 136 4 23

15 117 Ditto Ditto as Major of Brigade to Lieutenant Colonel Fraser — — 97 " " } 782 11 1

16 92 Paid Lieutenant F. Taylor, Peace and Field Abstract for arrears for February and Advance March — 32 5 7 60 111 4 9

118 Ditto as Major of Brigade to Lieutenant Colonel Drummond — — — — 97 " " 324 6 1

80 Paid Captn. Elliott amount of Peace and field abstracts for Arrears July & advance August — 124 5 2 48 418 9 3

Carried forward

Fort St. George 22d. January 1813.

Brought forward

30 203. Paid Captain Clapson, on
account of 4 Officers
Royal Artillery from
the Cape to the Mauri-
tius @ 2 Rs. per Diem 512 " " 535 1 "

31 204 Do. Do. 3 Do. Drs @ 6 Rs. 702 " " 733 9 11

32 208 Paid Captain Laurence, acting
Paymaster Acct. Table
Money for 28 Officers
of His Majesty's 72d.
Foot from Do. @ 2 Rs. 3,630 " " 3793 8 2

33 246 Paid Lieutenant Poole, His
Majesty's 22d. Foot Passage
Money to Europe Rs. 1,000 " " 955 7 8

34 Paid Paymaster Paterson, Table
Money for 26 Officers of H.
M. 22d. Foot Proceeding from
Isle of France to Bourbon 416 " " 397 7 8

Carried forward

1151 Fort St. George 22d. January 1813.-

Brought forward

35 273 Paid Lieutenant Colonel His
Majestys 69th. Foot, Table
Money from Bourbon
to the Cape of Good Hope 164 " " 136 12

36 275 Paid Lieutenant Colonel His
Majestys 87th. Foot Pay=
=sage Money to Europe
Proceeding in charge of
Invalids ---------- £ 110 " " 919 03

April 1811.-

315 Paid General Staff, Abstract
in arrears for January 9372 1 " 3135 " 3

313 Do. --- Do. Field Do. for Do. 1872 1 " 626 14 6

316 Paid General Ward Abstract in
arrears for February --- 312 21 " 104 14 10

Carried forward

1152 Fort St George 22d January 1813

Brought forward

317 Ditto — Ditto Field

allowances for Do —— 187 21 " 626 14 6

312 Ditto — Ditto Abstract in

arrears for March — 937 21 " 3135 " 3

311 Ditto — Ditto Field allow=

ance for Do —————— 187 21 " 626 — 14 6

342 Paid Major Lindsay, H. M.

22d Foot, Kings Pay

from 25th January

to 24th February ———— 54 24 5 182 5 10

343 Ditto — Peace and Field abstracts

for February ———— 134 30 70 450 6 5

339 Paid Captain Webster Peace

and Field abstracts

for February ——— 116 24 40 389 11 10

288 Paid Capt.n Forbes H. M. 78.th Kings Pay

from the 25th Feby to 24th March Sa.n 105 7 4 110 3 4

Carried forward

1153 Fort St. George 22d January 1813.

Brought forward

287 Ditto — Ditto Peace and Field

Abstract for January 83 " 1 27 9 "

327 Paid Colonel Picton, abstract

of Arrears for Dec.r — 171 33 2 5 4 4 "

329 D.o — D.o for January — 1 1 33 2 5 4 4 "

328 D.o — D.o for February 156 15 32 5 2 7 4 5

200 Paid Lieutenant Colonel

Butler, R. R. 87.th Foot

Arrears / omitted to

be drawn in January

Abstract / — — — — — 26 22 7 2 8 8 10 5

249 Ditto Abstract of Pay from

25.th January to 24.th

February — — — — — 61 30 10 26 3 7

250 Ditto Company's allowances

for February — — — — 220 22 4 7 3 7 5 6

Carried forward

1152 Fort St George 22d January 1813-

Brought forward

317 Ditto -- Ditto Field

allowances for Do ---- 187 21 " 626 46

312 Ditto - Ditto Abstract in

arrears for March — 937 21 " 3135 " 3

311 Ditto - Ditto Field allow=

ance for Do ------ 187 21 " 626 - 14 6

342 Paid Major Lindsay, H. M.

22d Foot, Kings Pay

from 25th January

to 24th February ---- 54 24 5 182 5 10

343 Ditto - Peace and Field abstracts

for February ---- 134 30 70 450 6 5

339 Paid Captain Webster Peace

and Field abstracts

for February --- 116 24 40 389 11 10

288 Paid Capt.n Forbes H. M. 78th Kings Pay

from the 25th Feby to 24th March Sa.y 105 7 4 110 3 4

Carried forward

1153 Fort St. George 22d. January 1813.

Brought forward

287 Ditto — Ditto Peace and Field
Abstract for January 83 " 1 2774 "

327 Paid Colonel Picton, abstract
of Arrears for Decr. — 171 33 2 5744 "

329 Do. — Do. for January — 1733 2 5744 "

328 Do. — Do. for February 156 75 32 52745

200 Paid Lieutenant Colonel
Butler, H. M. 87th Foot
Arrears / omitted to
be drawn in January
Abstract / — — — — — 26 22 72 88105

249 Ditto Abstract of Pay from
25th January to 24th
February — — — — — 61 30 10 20637

250 Ditto Company's allowances
for February — — — — 220 22 4 73756

Carried forward

1154 Fort St. George 22d. January 1813.

Brought forward

252 Ditto Arrears for February
as Commanding Lieu.
District ------ 157 3032 527 45

253 Ditto Raise Rent as Com-
mandant of Port Louis
for February ----- Dr. 120 " " 250 13 -

238 Paid Captn. Lambert, Qrs.
in advance for March
for One Matrass attached
to the Town Majors
Office ------- 4 3150 15 11 4

284 Paid Captn. Cullen His
Majestys 22d. Foot
Quarter and Field Al-
stracts in arrears for
January ------ 83 6 12 278 " 3-

Carried forward

1155 Fort St. George 22d. January 1813.

Brought forward

286 Ditto Kings Pay from
25th. February to 24th
March ------ 105. 74 110 34

260 Paid Captain Barnah
His Majesty's 56th.
Field allowances
for December---- 29 250 97 210

256 Ditto. Abstract in arrears
for December--- 97 1530 32583

257 Ditto. Ditto Field allow
ances for Jany--- 29 250 97 210

258 Ditto. Arrears for Jany
and advance Feby. 93 2870 31325

259 Ditto Field allowances
for February--- 26 040 87 116

261 Ditto. Arrears for February
and advance March. 9318. 31256

Carried forward

1156 Fort St. George. 22d January 1813.

Brought forward

291 Paid Captain Cooper H. M.

87th Foot, Peace and

Field Abstracts in ar=

=rear for February --- 83 6 12 278 . 3

254 Ditto Abstract of Kings Pay

from 25th January to

24th February ------ 36 2045 121 14 7

290 Ditto Ditto for February

as brigade Major Lieut.

District ---------- 64 21 . 215 95

322 Paid Lieutenant Darley, his

Arrears for February 33 50 60 1164 2 .

323 Paid Lieutenant Darley, King's

Pay in advance for

March ---------- 19 35 . 66 21

229 Paid Ensign Moberley 6th Madras N.I.

arrears for Febry & Advce March 12 2620 62 13

Carried forward

1157 Fort St. George 22d January 1813.

Brought forward

230 - Ditto - Field allowances for

February - - - - - - 13 5 20 43 13 9

231 Ditto - - - Ditto for -

March - - - - - - - 14 22 25 48 7 7

232 Ditto - Arrears for March

and Advance April - 13 38 5 46 4 10

319 Ditto - - - Ditto April

and advance May - 13 34 10 46 - 1

320 - Ditto Field allowance for

April - - - - - - - - 14 2 50 47 - 1

266 Paid Lieutenant Erskine 4th

Regiment Arrears for

February - - - - - - - 25 7 60 86 5 3

41 265 Ditto Field allowances for

February - - - - - - - 17 21 - 58 6 7

42 335 Paid Captn Waugh / Madras 6. Regt

His Arrears for Feby & 1st March 93 8 - 3/256

Carried forward

1158 Fort St. George 22d January 1813-

Brought forward

336 Ditto - Field Allowances for

February - - - - - - - 26 10 40 87 11 7

337 - Ditto arrears for March

and advance April -- 96 4 70 321 6 5

338 Ditto - Field allowance

for March - - - - - - 29 2 50 97 2 10

345 Paid Lieutenant Milner

6th Regiment Madras

Native Infantry His

Arrears for February

and advance March 30 3 60 103 - 9

346 Paid Lieutenant Miller,

Field Allowances for

February - - - - - - 17 2 1 = 58 6 7

206 Paid Table Money Account

of Lieutenant Mac:

donald H. M. 84th Foot 1st - 224 = = 234 1 6

Carried forward-

1159 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

207 Paid Table Money account
of Lieutenant Lovell His
Majestys 69th Foot ---- Aug. 160. -.- 152 4

241 Paid Table Money account
of Captain Wetherell His
Majestys 87th Foot ---- Sam. 3876. = 4050 9 6

355 Paid Table Money Account
of Lieutenant Canty of
His Majestys Baur=
=bay Rifle Regiment,
and Lieutenant Revey
Willmott of His Ma=
=jestys 22d Foot ----- 36 .-. 37 9 11

356 Paid Table Money Account
of Lieutenant Canty of
His Ma: Bourbon Rifle Regt 40 .-. 41 15 10

Carried forward

1160.

Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward -

357. Paid Table Money account
of 6 Officers of His Mt.
86th Foot ------ Sa. Pa. 240 " " 250 13 =

358. Paid Table Money account
of 4 Officers of His Ma=
=jesty's 86th Foot ------ 176 " " 183 14 10

354 Paid Mr. Reid for Victualling
a Detachment of His
Majesty's 22d Regiment
proceeding to Madagascar 173 35 = 581 2 1

May 1811 -

				Pr.	Fs.	As.	Ps.
359	Captain Barry Close and	96	60	30	325	8	2
360	Field abstracts for May —	29	2	50	97	2	8
— 361/2	Ditto -- Ditto - for June	94	36	60	317	1	1
		28	5	20	94	—	4
-- 363/4	Ditto -- Ditto for July 1810	96	60	30	325	8	2
		29	2	50	97	2	8
+ 365/6	Ditto -- Ditto for August	119	107	6	405	14	7
		52	40	55	176	14	7

Carried forward

Fort St. George 22nd January 1813

Brought forward

367/8	Ditto -- Ditto for September —	137	34	10	460	10	9
		70	13	10	235	1	"
369/70	Ditto -- Ditto for October ------	140	59	5	472	9	"
		72	27	45	242	13	1
371/2	Ditto -- Ditto for November —	137	34	10	460	10	9
		70	13	10	235	1	"
373/4	Ditto -- Ditto for December -----	140	59	5	472	9	"
		72	27	45	242	13	1
375/6	Ditto -- Ditto for January ---	140	59	5	472	9	
		72	27	45	242	13	1
377/8	Ditto -- Ditto for February ——	130	26	20	436	10	11
		65	26	20	219	5	1
379/80	Ditto -- Ditto for March ------	140	59	5	472	9	"
		72	27	45	242	13	1
381/2	Ditto -- Ditto for April ------	137	34	10	460	10	9
		70	13	10	235	1	"
263 to 270	Lieutenant Spinks, Assistant Barrack Master General, Arrears from 8th January to 31st March and difference of Batta from Do. to Do.	75	36	5	253	7	10
		95	48	50	321	4	10
		97	43	30	327	9	6
286/7	Lieutenant Colonel Butler, Staff Allowance and House Rent for March	Rs. 1000	"	"	1045	"	9
		Rs. 120	"	"	250	13	"
501	Lt. Col. Keating arrears for March & April	Rs. 593	17	"	1984	5	6

carried forward.

1162 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813 —

Brought over —

180 Lieutenant Colonel Fraser Com=
=manding a Brigade from
1st to 29th March ---- 114 61 16 386 1 9

182 Captain Downes Aft. Dr. Mr. Genl.
allowance for March --- 142 30 15 47½ 1 9

190 to 193 Ensign Cole, Assistant Commissary 100 " "
of Grain and Provisions 100 " "
Salary and Establishment 108 25 "
for February & March 1811 — 110 ½ " } 1400 3 9

346 Table Money paid Dr. Anderson for
his Passage to Ceylon ---- £R 240 " " 229 4 11

223 Do. for the Passage of 12 Officers 86th Foot
from Bourbon to the Isle of France 150 38 44 504 8 8

567 Do. for 2 Officers of Do. from
Rodrigues to Bour=
=bon. — ---------- 136 " — 129 " "

Carried forward

1163 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.-

Brought forward

June 1811.-

263 Lieutenant Col. Butler 87th Foot

allowances as Commandant

of Port Louis for April --- 1000 " - 1045 " 9

261 Ditto House Rent as D. for Do. --- 120 " " 250 13 "

203 W Gunn, Provost Martial of Port

Louis, Staff allowance for Do 60 " " 133 12 3

202 Captain Clapson, Royal Artillery, Brys

House Rent for April --- 42 " " 140 7 2

279 Captain Bayley 12th Foot, Office Es =

tablishment as Brigade Major

Windr District, from Decr

1810 to March 811 and for

a Clerk for Do ------ Do 120 " " 250 13 "

304 Captain Darby, Town Major, Cloathing

for the Garrison Sergeant

Major ---------- 69 " " 144 3 6

Carried forward

1164 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.

Brought forward

289 Lieutenant Rome 86th Foot, Table
Money from Bourbon to
Isle of France - - - - - Pr. 14 38 44 49 10 9

275 Lieutenant Kemble (Cavalry) Dr.
from Bourbon to Port Louis - 64 - - 61 2 4

July 1811.

38 Assistant Surgeon Malcolm 3
Bills for Medical allow-
-ance on account of a
Detachment of His Ma-
-jesty's 22d Foot at Madagascar 131 8 - 438 10 8

246 Lieutenant Col. Butler, his allow-
-ance as Commandant of
Port Louis for May - Sa. Rs 1000 - - 1,045 - 9

247 Ditto. House Rent as Dr. for Do - 120 - - 250 13 -

Carried forward

1165 Fort St George 22nd January 1813—

Brought forward

144 Lieutenant Col Dalrymple, Com=
=manding a Brigade, for
June ——————————— 119 5 4 32

146 Lieutenant Colonel Kelly, Command
=ing a Brigade for Do ——— 119 5 4 32 401 15 11

312 Captain Clapson, Amount Paid
to a Detachment of Royal
Artillery employed in Descm=
=barking Stores ——————— £ 1771 1/2 600 11 9

244 Ditto Mess House Rent for the
Month of May ——————— 42 — — 140 7 2

306 Assistant Surgeon O'Rora H M. 17th
Foot Act. Table Money. £ 188 — — 196 7 6

307 Lieut. Colonel Drummond H M
86th Foot — Do ——— Ct 14 38 44 49 10 9

160 Captain Eaton of the Transport Hope for
5 Officers to Madras — — Arc. 160 — — 1605 3 2

Carried forward—

1168 Fort St George 22nd January 1813.—

Brot forward....

140. Mr H. Hoopers Bill on account of
Table Money for three Officers from
do to do ..... 1008. " " 963 1. 10.

141. Mr Bernadi's Bill on account of Table
Money for one Officer from do to do 336. " " 321. " "

142. Mr Meadjen's Bill on account of Table
Money for two Officers from do to
do ..... 672. " " 642 1. 1.

143. Captain Munro's Bill on account of
Table Money for Six Officers from
Port Louis to Bourbon .... Do 72. " " 150. 7. 10.

September 1811.

8/10 { Lieutenant Col Butlers allow- 1000 " "
ance and House Rent as 120 " "
Commandant of Port Louis Jan 1000 " "
for July and Augt ... Sept 120 " "
} 1295 13 9
} 1295 13 9

Carried forward

1169 Fort St George 22nd January 1813 -

	Brought forward		
108. 109.	Captain Bayley H: M: 12 Foot, Brigade Major to Col: Picton, Office Rent	Pd. 30.	250. 13 "
	Clerks for June July August and September 1811	90.	

October 1811.

None

November 1811.

102. Lieutenant C. Dixon of the Royal Engr. the Amount of his Bill for Table Money from the Cape of Good Hope to the Mauritius . . . . . Sa Rs. 188. " " 196. 7. 6.

103. Captain Graves, H: M: 72 Foot, Amount of his Bill for Table Money from the Mauritius to England in Charge of Invalids . . . . . £. 110. " " 919. 10. 3.

Lieut: W. Paterson, Amount of his Bill for Table Money proceeding to Madras A Rs. 200 " " 190. " 2.

Carried forward.

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Brought Forward..

4. 107. Lieutenant Schouler, Amount of his Bill
for Table Money proceeding to Madras..... 200. " " 190. " 2.

109. Lieut.t M. Kemble Amount of his Bill
for Table Money proceeding to
Madras..... 200. " " 190. " 2.

142. Field Surgeon Baird Bill of Allowance
for the Sick of His Majestys 22nd
Foot for July 1811..... Pag.s 17: 19. 70. 58. 5— "

145. Ditto..... Ditto for August.... 13. 38. 70. 46. 5. 7.

December 1811.

180. Lieut.t Col.o Butler, Bill for Staff
Allowance as Commandant of Port
Louis for September 1811... D.o 1000 " " 1045. 0. 9.

181. Ditto. Bill for House
Rent as Commandant
of Port Louis... D.o 120. " " 250. 13— "

Carried forward—

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Brought forward

183. do. Bill as Commandant of Fort Louis
for September 1811 ..... Sa. Rs. 1000 " " 1045. 0. 9.

184. do. Bill for House Rent ..... Do. 120 " " 250. 13— "

186. do. Bill as Commandt. of Fort Louis for
November 1811 ..... Sa. Rs. 1000 " " 1045. 0. 9.

187. Ditto Bill for House Rent ..... Do. 120 " " 250. 13— "

420. Lieut. Boggenpohls Bill for Table Money
from Isle of France to Madras ... Do. 224 " " 234. 1. 0.

421. Surgeon D. Scotts Bill for Table allowance
from do. to do. ..... 224 " " 234. 1. 6.

12. Major N. Eustace, Bill for Compensation in
lieu of Provisions to H. M. 12th Regiment ... 412. 15. 60. 1378. 15. 2.

13. J. C. Sowrin, Pay master H. M. 1 Battalion
72 Regiment his Bill for
Compensation in lieu of Provision
for the Men of that Batta.
lion ..... £ 279. 12. 10. 2337. 14. 5.

Carried forward

1172 Fort St. George 22nd January 1813-

Brought forward

74. Lieut.t Col.o Cuttins Bill for Table
Allowance for the late Lieutenant
Col.o Campbell of H.M. 33 Regt. . . . . aR.s 552 " " 527. 6. 2.

76. Lieut.t Col.o Dalrymples Bill for
Compensation in lieu of Provisions
for a Detachment of H.M. 22nd
Regiment . . . . . S.a R.s 448. 4. 3. . 468. 7. 3.

Assistant Surgeon Lamb for Medicine
Allowance Account of Madras Pioneers } 25. 24. " 81. 13. 3.

Mil.y Aud.r Gen.ls
Office 23.d December 1812 } Signed H. Blackburne
Mil. Aud.r Gen.l

Ordered

Fort St George 22nd January 1813

No 20
order therein

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be furnished to the Secretary Auditor General, with instructions to proceed to the Audit of the Accounts therein mentioned.—

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Government at Bombay.—

To George Strachey Esquire
Secretary to Government at
Fort Saint George.—

Sir,

No 21.
From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay, expressive of the acknowledgements of the Bombay Government for the accommodation afforded to the Lord Duncan by relieving her of part of her Charter party passengers.

I am directed to request you will express the acknowledgement of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort St George, for the accommodation afforded by your communication of the

23rd

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23rd ultimo to the Lord Duncan, by re=
=ceiving here of a proportion of the char=
=ter party Passengers mentioned in my
letter of the 31st ultimo, and to inform
you, that the directions suggested in
the concluding Para of your letter have
been given to her Commander.

Bombay Castle 5th January 1813. I have the honor to be
Hon'ble Sir
Your most
obedient Servant
Signed T. Jarvis
Sec. to Govt.

No. 22
Order thereon

Ordered that a copy of the
foregoing letter be furnished for the in=
=formation of the Marine Board.

Read the following letter
from the Resident in Mysoor.

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To William Thackeray Esquire

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.—

Sir,

No 23
From the Resident in Mysore. The Plan for the Police of the Bangalore Bazars, has been laid before the Rajah & his sentiments on it will shortly be communicated. Explanation regarding the Poly of the Police Establishment.—

Para 1. I have to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch of 15th December 1812.—

2. I have communicated its contents to the Rajah who will shortly communicate to me in full his sentiments. I fancy however that he will be happy to coincide in the plan adopted by Government for the future arrangement of the Police at Bangalore. in every instance but the following one, regarding which there appears to be some misunderstanding.—

3. The Commissary General considers that the Mysoor Government are to defray the whole expense of the

Police

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Police Establishment under the new arrangement, whereas the Rajah has only agreed to furnish from the Mysore Peon Establishment the number of Peons required (sixty or seventy I believe) whom He will of course pay, but in the event of the Services of these Peons being deemed inadequate and a new discription of people being introduced from the Carnatic, - Shamier procured the Rajah's Consent that the Allowances of the Mysore people now acting in the Police Department should upon their discharge be Contributed towards the part payment of the new Establishment of Peons who would as a matter of Course require at least double the pay of those of the Rajah,

the

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the latter receiving only about two Rupees per each.—

4. It is my intention to proceed to Bangalore for a few days to confer with Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage, and to make some arrangements which appear to be necessary towards the support of the present annildar there, and on my return I shall have the honor to communicate more fully with you upon the Subject of this Dispatch.—

Mysore 6th January 1812.— I have the honor to be Sir Your most obedient humble Servant (Signed) A Wellesley British Resident

No 24.— Order thereon Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Letter be furnished for the information of the Commissary General.—

Read

1178. Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.—

Read the following letter from the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Canara.—

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

No. 25.
From the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Canara—Forwarding a letter from the Officer Commanding at Mangalore, recommending that a quantity of Rice may be stored for the use of the Troops there.—

I have the honor to transmit herewith a Communication which has been made to me by the Officer in Command of the detachment at Mangalore, which I request may be immediately Submitted to the consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

Cannanore
10th January 1813.—

I have the honor to be
Your
Obt
Servt
Signed Wm Lockhart.
C.C.

To.—

1179

Fort St. George 22nd January 1813.-

To Colonel Wm. Lockhart

Commanding the Provinces of

Malabar and Canara.-

Sir,

I have the honor to lay before
your immediate notice the present Mo=
=nopoly of Grain by the principles Merchants
at this place, owing to the great demand
for the export of Rice to the Northward,
which if not put a stop to, may cause
a very serious Scarcity= it has lately in=
=creased to such an extent, as to prevent
the Troops being Regularly Supplied from
the Bazars, and the small quantity
procured, is of a bad quality and risen to a
very high price.- I have Communicated
with the the Magistrate and Collector of
this District upon the Subject, and they
have

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have informed me that it is entirely out

of their power to interfere in obliging the

Merchants to keep a certain portion of

Rice for the Consumption of this place,

having before received strict orders from

Government to that effect.— Therefore

as no dependance can be had upon the

Supplies, I beg leave to suggest the

propriety of measures being speedily

taken

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taken to lay in Store a certain quantity of Rice

/

to ensure the Troops being Supplied in the

ensuing Season as from what I have been able

to learn from the principal Inhabitants here

there is every reason to Suppose / if the un=

=limited export of grain continues /

a great Scarcity will Shortly

prevail -

I have the honor to be

&c. &c.

/ Signed / J. Wilson Lieut.t
2d Batn. 15th Reg.t N.I.
Ordered.

Mangalore

14th January 1813

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No 26
Order thereon

Ordered that a copy of the fore-
going letter be furnished to the Commissary Genl.
with directions that measures be taken for
storing at Mangalore any rice that may be
necessary for the Troops at that Station.

" G. A. Barlow

" J. Stuart

" J. Oakes

" Jn. W. Casamajor

Ed. Strange

No 7

List of Papers, Resolutions and Orders recorded in the following Diary and Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department — Dated 26th January 1813 —

Consult: No.	Miscellany Book No.	Diary	Dates
1		Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Judicial Department	22d Jan.y 1813
	92	From the Adjutant General of the Army	20th Do — Do —
	93	From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay	6th Do — Do —
	94	From the British Envoy at Goa	10th Do — Do —
	95	To the Commander in Chief	22d Do — Do —
	96	To Ditto Ditto	23d Do — Do —
	97	To the Military Board	22d — Do — Do
	98	To the Marine Board	23d Do — Do —
	99	To the Military Auditor General	22d — Do — Do
	100	To Ditto Ditto	22d — Do — Do
	101	To the Commissary General	22d — Do — Do
	102	To Ditto Ditto	22d Do — Do
	103	To the Accountant General	25th Do — Do
	104	To the Black Town Esplanade Committee	22d Do — Do — Do

Consult.ⁿ Nº.	Miscellany Book Nº.		Dates
	105	From the Accountant General	25th Dº. — Dº.
		Consultation	
2		President's Minute	26th Jan.y 1813
3		Order thereon	
4		General Order By Government	26th Dº. — Dº.
5		President's Minute	26th Dº. — Dº.
6		Resolution thereon	
7		From the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief	25th Dº. — Dº.
8		Proceedings of the Medical Board	20th Dº. — Dº.
9		Resolution thereon	
10		From the Adjutant General of the Army	18th Dº. — Dº.
11		Order thereon	
12		From the Adjutant General of the Army	20th Dº. — Dº.
13		Resolution thereon	
14		From the Adjutant General of the Army	20th Dº. — Dº.
15		Order thereon	

From

Committee Book No.	Miscellany Book No.		Dates.
	16	From the Adjutant General of the Army	25th Jan.y 1813
	17	Resolution thereon	
	18	From the Military Auditor General	25th Do.— Do.—
	19	Order thereon	
	20	To the Commander in Chief	26th Do.— Do.—
	21	From the Commissary General	20th Do.— Do.—
	22	Minute thereon	
	23	From the Commissary General	20th — Do.— Do.
	24	Minute thereon	
	25	From the Commissary General	20th — Do.— Do.
	26	Resolution and Order thereon	
	27	From the President of the Committee appointed to Superintend the clearance of the Black Town Esplanade	19th — Do.— Do.—
	28	Order thereon	
	29	To the Military Auditor General	28th — Do.— Do.—
	30	From the Senior Chaplain	23d — Do.— Do.—
	31	Resolution thereon	

To

Consult. No.	Miscellany Book No.		Dates
32		To the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency	26th Jan.y 1813
33		To the Resident at Hydrabad	26th do. do.
34		General Order By Government	26th do. do.
35		From the Secretary to the Government of Bombay	30th do. do.
36		From the Navy Commissioner	19th do. do.
37		Order thereon	
38		To the Military Board	26th do. do.
39		From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay	7th do. do.
40		Order thereon	
41		From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay	6th do. do.
42		From the Same	7th do. do.
43		Order thereon	
44		From the British Envoy at Goa	12th do. do.
45		Order thereon	
46		General Order By Government	26th do. do.

Diary

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Diary

23d The following Copy of paper received from the Judicial Department is ordered to be recorded in this Department.—

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation &c.

Dated 22nd January 1813.—

No. 1

Extract from the Minutes of Council in the Judicial Department.— Lieutenant Brown to quit Malabar, and Mr. Douglas to reside at Cannanore.—

"The Commander in Chief is requested to direct Lieutenant Brown of His Majesty's 80th Regiment to quit the province of Malabar, and Mr. Douglas, the Military Paymaster in Malabar and Canara will be required to reside in future at Cannanore, the Head Quarters of those provinces.—

/A true Extract/

/Signed/ D. Hill

Secretary to Government,

Received and Sent the following letters entered in M. B. Nos. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99. 100. 101. 102. 103. 104.—

From

Fort St. George 2 January 1813

From the Adjutant General of the Army.—

From Lieutenant Colonel Conway.—With the Copy of a letter from Major General Conran reporting that he has given up his Command to Colonel Rumley and specifying his route to Madras.——

From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay.—

From Mr. Farish.—With Statement of payments made on Account of the Madras Presidency in December last.—

From the British Envoy at Goa.—

From Captain Schuyler.—Acknowledging Receipt of the two letters of the 29th Ultimo.—

To the Commander in Chief.—

To His Excellency Lieutenat General Sir Samuel Auchmuty.—With Extract from the Proceedings in Council on the letter from His Excellency's Military Secretary of the 29th Ultimo.—

To the Commander in Chief.——

To His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Samuel Auchmuty.—With Extract from the Proceedings in Council of the 22d Instant.—

To the Military Boards.——

To the Military Board.—With Extract from the Proceedings in Council on their letters of the 7th Instant.—

To

Fort St. George 8 January 1813.

To the Marine Board— With Copy of a letter from Bombay of the 5th Instant.—

To the Marine Board—

To the Military Auditor General— Accounts received from Fort William to be audited.—

To the Military auditor General.—

To Ditto— With Extract from the Proceedings in Council on his letter of the 18th Instant.—

To Ditto

To the Commissary General. With Copy of a letter from the Resident in Mysoor & relative to the Police Establishment in the Military Bazars at Bangalore.—

To the Commissary General.—

To Ditto— Rice to be stored for the Troops at Mangalore.—

To Ditto.—

To the Accountant General— With copy of the Military Auditor Generals' Report on the estimate of Cash required by the Paymaster in Mysoor.—

To the accountant General.—

To the Black Town Esplanade Committee— With Extract from the Proceedings in Council

To the Black Town Esplanade Committee

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Council on their letter of the 18th Instant.—

For the Accountant General.—

Received a letter from Mr. George Garrow—entered in M. B. No. 105. Pay, when issuable to the Troops.—

At a Consultation

Present

The Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. & K.B.

Governor and President

His Excellency

Lieutenant General Sir S. Auchmuty K.a

Commander in Chief

Tuesday the 26th January 1813

Thomas Oakes and J. H. Casamayor } Esqrs.

Minutes of last Consultation

Read and approved.—

The President records the following Minute—

No. 2

President's Minute, Proposing rewards to the detachment of Cavalry lately employed in Persia—

Fort St. George 26th January 1813.

The President proposes that the following

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following rewards may be bestowed upon the Detachment of the Body Guard lately employed in Persia.—

Seid Hussain
Subidar.

That he be presented with a Palanqueen and the usual allowance for the support of that Equipage, and that his nearest Heir may after his decease, be allowed a Pension equal to the full Pay of a Subadar of Cavalry.

Mahomed Hussain
Trooper.

To be pensioned on the full Pay of a Naick of Cavalry.—

The family of Mahomed Isoff. Trooper, deceased.

To be allowed a Pension of Three Star Pagodas per Month.—

The family of Mahomed Khosein deceased.

To be allowed a Pension of One and a half Pagoda per Month.—

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Abdul Khader Hauldar.	To be promoted to Jemadar and Pensioned on full Pay of that Rank.
Seid Mohdeen Hauldar.	To be promoted to Jemadar.—
Meer Ghoolam Hussain. Private.	To be Pensioned on half Pay.—
Gull Mahomed Naik.	To be promoted to Hauldar.—
Mohaddeen Khan Naik.	To be promoted to Hauldar.—
Shaik Ally.	To be promoted to Hauldar.—
Shaik Ramgunny. Private.	To be promoted to Naik.—
Shaik Meerah, Private.	To be promoted to Naik.—
Abdul Khader. Private.	To be promoted to Naik.—
Khan Mahomed Private	To be promoted to Naik.—

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Seid Fazeed, Private, To be promoted to Naik.—

And the whole of the Detail to receive a gratuity of three Months pay and Batta, according to the Rank each may hold after the above promotions are made.—

The President also proposes, that the Troops of the 1st Regiment Cavalry which was employed at the same period with the Detachment of the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard in Persia, may receive the following Rewards.—

Jemadar Mohedeen Cawn.— To be promoted to Subadar.—

The families of Mahomed Tippo, and Mahomed Hussnaun, deceased. To be allowed a Pension of Three Pagodas per Month each.—

Jemadar Madar Cawn. To be promoted to Subadar

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Subidar and Pensioned on the half Pay of that Rank, in consequence of a weakness in his Eyes contracted in Persia.—

And that the whole of the Troops who were in Persia may receive a gratuity of three Months pay and Batta according to the Rank each may hold after the above promotions are made.—

/Signed/ G. H. Barlow

No. 3
Order thereon

Ordered, in consequence, that the following General Order be published.—

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No. 4
G. O. By Government Rewards Conferred on the detachment of Cavalry lately employed in Persia.—

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having received Most Satisfactory Representations of the Meritorious Conduct of the Native Officers and Troopers belonging to the

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the Detachments of the Body Guard and of the 1st. Regiment of Native Cavalry lately employed in Persia, is pleased to mark His approbation of their Services by publicly Conferring on them or on their families the undermentioned distinctions and rewards.

Detachment from the Body Guard.—

Syed Hussain Subidar.— That he be presented with a Palanqueen and the Usual Allowance for the Support of that Equipage, and that his Nearest Heir May after his decease, be allowed a pension, equal to the full Pay of a Subidar of Cavalry—

Mahomed Hussain Trooper.— To be pensioned on the full pay of a Naik of Cavalry.—

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The family of Mahomed Issoff Trooper deceased.—	To be allowed a pension of three Star Pagodas per Month.—
The family of Mahomed Khoseen, deceased.—	To be allowed a pension of One and a half Pagoda per Month.—
Abdul Khader, Havildar.	To be promoted to Jemadar and pensioned on full pay of that rank.
Syed Mahdeen Havildar	To be promoted to Jemadar.—
Meer Ghoolam Hussain Private.—	To be pensioned on half pay.—
Gull Mahomed Naik.	To be promoted to Havildar.—
Mahaddeen Khan Naik.—	To be promoted to Havildar.—
Shaik Alby Do.—	To be promoted to Havildar.—
Shaik Ramgarry Private.—	To be promoted to Naik.—

Shaik

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Shaik Meerah Private	To be promoted to Naik
Abdul Khader Private	To be promoted to Naik
Khan Mahomed Private	To be promoted to Naik
Syed Fareed Private	To be promoted to Naik

Detachment from the 1st. Regiment of Native Cavalry.

Jemadar Mohodeen Khan	To be promoted to Subedar
The families of Mahomed Tippoo and Mahomed Hussain deceased	To be allowed a pension of three Pagodas per Month each
Jemadar Madar Cawn	To be promoted to Subedar and pensioned on the half Pay of that Rank, in Consequence of a Weakness in his Eyes contracted.

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Contracted in Persia.-

The Governor in Council fur-
ther directs that the Native Officers and Troop-
ers of the two Detachments shall receive a
gratuity of Three Months Pay and Batta of their
Rank, the Individuals promoted by this Order
having the benefit of that promotion.-

A similar gratuity will be
drawn for the deceased Troopers in favour of
their respective Families.-

By Order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council.-

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Government

The President Records also the
following Minute.-

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The President proposes that
the following Appointment by Lieutenant Co-
lonel

No. 5.
President's Minute.
Lieutenant Colonel
Dighton's Appointment to Command
the Southern Division
confirmed. Lieutenant
Page of the 8th. N. I. to act
as Major of Brigade
till Captain Jackson's
return.-

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Colonel Dighton Commanding the Southern Division, be Confirmed from the 8th. Instant—

Lieutenant Page of the 1st. Battalion 8th. Regiment to act as Major of Brigade to the Southern Division in the room of Captain Jackson, who has Obtained leave of Absence, until the Arrival of Lieutenant Johnston.—

(Signed) G. H. Barlow

Mr. Council

No. 6
Resolution thereon.

Resolved, and Ordered Accordingly.—

Read the following letter from the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.—

To George Strachey Esqr.

Secretary to Government

&c.— &c.— &c.—

Sir,

No. 7.
From the Military Secr. to the Commander in Chief submitting Proceedings of the Medical Board recommending that Mr. Assistant Surgeon D. Hosdeven be permitted to go to

I am forwarding for the Consideration of Government, the Accompanying Proceedings

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to England on sick Certificate.—

Proceedings of the Medical Board, dated 20th Instt. which, I have been directed to express the recommendation of the Commander in Chief that Mr. Assistant Surgeon David Henderson be permitted to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.—

Comm.r in Chief's Office,
Fort St. George,
25th January 1813.

I have the honor to be &c.a &c.a
(Signed) Hugh Scott,
Milit.y Secret.y

Read also the following Proceedings of the Medical Board transmitted with the foregoing letter.—

No. 8.
Proceedings of the Medical Board Recommending that Mr. Assistant Surgeon D. Henderson be permitted to go to England on Sick Certificate.—

Medical Board
20th January 1813.

Parol. Read a Letter from Mr. Assistant Surgeon David Henderson of the 2d Battalion 20th Regiment Native Infantry enclosing an attested Copy of Certificate on Oath of

two

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two Medical Officers stating &
that it is absolutely necessary
for him to leave this Country,
and to proceed to Europe for
the recovery of his health.-

2 The Medical Board
have accordingly the honor of
forwarding this Attested Copy
(the Original having been by
Mistake, Returned to Samalcot-
tah) and to Recommend to His
Excellency and to Government
that Mr. Henderson, under his
present pressure of bad health,
be permitted to take the earliest
opportunity of embarking for
England.-

(Signed) Alexr. Watson M. D.
President Medical Board

" Henry Harris M. D.
2d. Member Medical Board.

This

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This is to certify that Mr. A. Assistant Surgeon D. Henderson of the 2nd. Battalion 20th. Regiment has at Various times during the preceding eighteen Months been afflicted with Fever and dissentery, the repeated attacks of which Appear to depend on total disease of the Abdominal Viscera, more especially the Liver; that he at present lingers & under the influence of a Febrile complaint, which the remedies employed but partially relieve, and that his Constitution is evidently yielding to the Effects of General disease and debility. With these impressions, we the undersigned Consider a Voyage to his Native Country as indispensable towards Obtaining the permanent Restoration of His Health, and upon mature deliberation, we hereby make declaration on Oath, that it is Absolutely Necessary he should proceed to Europe without delay.—

/Signed/

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Rajahmundry
22d. December 1813
Sworn before me at
Rajahmundry this 22d. Dect. 1812
/Signed/ P. R. Cazalet
one of H. M. Justices of the Peace
/A true Copy/
/Signed/ W. Marshall
Asistant 2d. Battalion
20th. Regiment.

/Signed/ James Cuddy
Asistant Surgeon
"
Arthur Bedford Pepper
Asistant Surgeon.

No. 9
Resolution thereon.-

Resolved that Mr. Asistant Surgeon David Henderson be permitted to proceed to England on Sick Certificate.-

Read the following letters &
from the Adjutant General of the Army.-

To The Chief Secretary
to Government.
Fort St. George

No. 10.
From the Adjutant Genl. of the Army - With a Certificate of the permission granted to Captain Fraser of the 10th Regt. N. I. to Return to his duty in India:—

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a Certificate of permission granted by the Honorable Court,

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Court of Directors to Captain Fraser of the 10th. Native Regiment to return to his duty in India which His Excellency the Commander in Chief requests may be submitted to the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

Fort St. George
Adjutant Genl.s Office
18th. January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir.— Sir.—
/Signed/ T. H. S. Conway
Adjutant Genl. of the Army

No. 11
Order thereon

Ordered that Captain Fraser of the 10th. Regiment of Native Infantry be directed to resume the duties of his rank.—

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

Sir,

No. 12
From the same. Lieut.t Waters requests an extension of his leave. Ensign Laurie requests permission to proceed to sea; and Ensigns Sinclair, Captain Lieut.t Smith and Captain Pepper to England on Certificate Sick Certificate of Lt. E. Jackson appointing him a Cadet of Cavalry enclosed. His Excellency recommends that he may be promoted to the rank of Cornet & allowed to

I am desired by the Commander in Chief to request you will submit to the Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Applications from Military Officers with His Excellency's recommendation that they

may

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to remain in Bengal for 6 months for the purpose of studying the Native Languages.—

may be Complied with.—

1st. From Lieutenant R. Waters of the 1st. Battalion 8th. Native Regiment for an extension of two Months to the leave of of Absence Already granted to him to proceed to Bengal from 24th. January 1813.-

2. From Ensign Laurie 2d. Battalion 9th. Native Regiment to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health, with the prescribed Medical Certificate

3d. From Ensign Shedden of the 2d. Battalion 8th. Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to England on Sick Certificate, which Certificate is enclosed.—

4th. From Captain Lieutenant Smith 6th. Regiment Native Cavalry to proceed to England for the recovery of his health, enclosing the requisite Certificate.—

5th. From Captain G. S. Pepper of the 2d. Battalion 2d. Native Regiment with a Medical Certificate Stating the necessity of his proceeding to

Europe.

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Europe for the Recovery of his health.-

I also have the honor to enclose a Certificate granted by the Honorable the Court of Directors to Mr. Edward Jackson appointing him a Cadet of Cavalry on this Establishment, and to add the Commander in Chiefs. Recommendation that Mr. Jackson may be admitted accordingly- promoted to the Rank of Cornet of Cavalry, and that leave of absence may be granted to him to remain in Bengal for the space of Six Months to enable him to prosecute his Study in the Native Languages of the Country.-

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

Signed/ F.W.S. Conway

Adjutt. Genl. of the Army

Adjutt. Genls. Office
Fort St. George
20th. January 1812.

To The Honorable the Governor in Council

&c. &c. &c.

Fort St. George

Honorable Sir,

The tedious passage My Father experienced

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experienced (having arrived here only the day before yesterday) leaves me but a few days to spend with him, conformably with the G: O: of under date 24th. July, 1812, and as I have not seen him before since My Arrival in India, am induced to solicit your Excellency's indulgence of an extension of leave of absence of 2 Months from the expiration of that now granted me.-

I have the honor to be

Calcutta
December 24th.
1812.

8va. 8va.

(Signed) R. Waters Lieut.
5th. Batt. 8th. Regt.
N: Native Infantry

To The Honorable the Governor in Council
8va. 8va. 8va.
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit a Surgeons Certificate of the necessity of my proceeding to Sea for the benefit of my health.

and,

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and to request permission to that effect.—

I have the honor to be

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/Signed/ John Laurie Ensign

2d. Batt.n 9th. Regiment N. I.

Cannanore
January 7th.
1813.

I do hereby certify, that Ensign Laurie, of the 2d. Battalion 9th. Regiment Native Infantry, has been affected with a swelling in his Knee, for nearly Six Months, which has caused considerable debility of his general health, for the recovery of which, I am of opinion, it is absolutely necessary, he should take a Trip to Sea, and I would recommend his embarking for Bombay, by the earliest opportunity.—

/Signed/ Aaron Toser

Surgeon 3d. Regiment,

Cannanore
6th. January 1813.

/Signed/ Geo. Baillie

Sup. Surgeon

In Med.l Charge of the
2d. Batt.n 9th. Regiment,

To,

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To The Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. & K.B.

Governor in Council

&c.— &c.— &c.—

Fort St. George

Honorable Sir,

I have the honor of laying be-
fore your Honor in Council a Certificate of the ne-
cessity of my proceeding to England for the re-
covery of my health, and humbly Solicit your
Sanction of the same.—

I have the honor to be

&c.— &c.—

Madras
18th. January
1813.

/Signed/ R. Shedden Ensign
2d. Battn. 8th. Regt. N.I.

We John Douglas White. Esq.
Surgeon and John Underwood. Assistant Sur-
geon, do hereby declare upon oath, that we are
of opinion Ensign R. Shedden. of the 2d. Bat-
talion 8th. Regiment Native Infantry should
quit.

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quit this Country and proceed to England for the recovery of his health.—

Fort St. George
January 16th. 1813

/Signed/ J. D. White
Garrison Surgeon
" John Underwood
Garrn. Asstt. Surgeon

Sworn before me.

/Signed/ Henry Gahagan
Justice of the Peace, Madras.

To The Honorable
The Governor in Council of
Fort St. George.
&c. — &c. — &c. —

Honorable Sir,

Having been advised by the medical Gentleman who attends me to return to England for the recovery of my health. I have the honor to enclose the usual certificate to that effect, and to request your permission to proceed by the Fleet now under dispatch.—

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19th. January 1813.

I have the honor to be &c. — &c. —
/Signed/ John Smith. Capt. Lieut.
6th. Regt. Cavalry.

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We John Douglas White. Surgeon. and John Underwood Asistant Surgeon. do hereby declare upon oath, that we are of opinion Captain Lieutenant John Smith, of the 6th. Regiment of Cavalry should quit this Country and proceed to England for the recovery of his health.—

Fort St. George
January 16th. 1813.

/Signed/ J. D. White
Garrison Surgeon
" John Underwood
Garrison Asst. Surgeon

Sworn before me

/Signed/ Henry Gahagan
Justice of the Peace, Madras

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

Honorable Sir,

I have the honor to solicit &
your permission to avail myself of the enclosed Surgeon's certificate by the ensuing &
opportunities

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opportunities for Europe.—

Madras
7th. January 1813.

I have the honor to be

&c.— &c.—

(Signed) G.J. Pepper Captain

2nd. Batt.n 2d. Regt. N. I.

We the undersigned do hereby declare on Oath that we are of opinion it is absolutely necessary that Captain Pepper of the 2d. Regiment Native Infantry should leave this country and go to Europe for the recovery of his health.—

Madras
5th. January 1813.

(Signed) Willm. Ord
Surgeon.

Sworn before me
this 5th. of Janr. 1813

" A.K. Davies
Surgeon.

(Signed) Henry Gahagan
Justice of the Peace, Madras

No. 13
Resolution thereon.

Resolved that the Furlough
granted in General Orders of the 24th. July 1812,
to Lieutenant Waters of the 8th. Regiment of Native
Infantry

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Infantry be extended to a further period of two Months; that Ensign Laurie of the 9th. Regiment of Native Infantry be permitted to go to sea for the Recovery of his health; and that Ensign Sheddon of the 2d. Battalion 8th. Regiment of Native Infantry. Captain Lieutenant Smith of the 6th. Regiment Native Cavalry; and Captain G. I. Pepper of the 2d. Battalion 2d. Regiment of Native Infantry be allowed to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.—

Resolved also that Mr. Edward Jackson be admitted a Cadet of Cavalry on the establishment, in conformity with his appointment, by the Honorable the Court of Directors; that he be promoted to the rank of Cornet; & Date of Commission to be determined hereafter; and that he be permitted to remain in Bengal for a period of Six Months, for the purpose of studying the Native Language.—

To The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of the

Comm.r

No. 14
From the Adjutant Genl. of the Army—Reporting Casualties and Retirements Promotions.—

Fort St. George 26th. January. 1813.—

Commander in Chief to acquaint you, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the following Casualties have occurred.——

Lieutenant Charles Edye of the 1st. Battalion 21st Native Regiment, died at Jaulnah on the 26th. December 1812.—

Lieutenant William Shepherd of the 1st Battalion 3d. Native Regiment died at Oscottah, on the 16th. January 1813.—

In consequence of which, I have received His Excellency's directions, to recommend that the following promotions may be ordered.——

21st Regiment N. I.—

Ensign Ewan Macpherson to be Lieutenant; date of Commission 27th. December 1812.

3rd Regiment N. I.

Ensign Wm. Ropes to be Lieutenant, date of Commission 17th. January 1813.—

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Adjutant Generals Office
Fort St. George
26th January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
/Signed/ J.H.S. Conway
Adjut. Genl. of the Army

No. 15
Order thereon.

Ordered that the promotions recommended in the foregoing letter be directed to take place.—

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

No. 16.
From the Adjutant General of the Army—Lieut. Waddell of the 25th Native Infantry having lost the Certificate of being permitted to return to his duty on this Establishment, an affidavit to that effect is enclosed.—

Sir,

Lieutenant Waddell 25st Regiment Native Infantry having mislaid the Certificate of the Honorable the Court of Directors, permitting him to return to his Duty—, I have the honor, by desire of His Excellency the Commander in Chief to transmit an affidavit of that Officer's having actually received the requisite permission, and to request that he may be readmitted on the Establishment from this date.—

I have,

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Adjutant Generals Office,
Fort St. George
21st January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir, — Sir, —
/Signed/ H.S. Conway.
Adjt. Genl. of the Army

I Charles Waddell Lieutenant in the 21st. Regiment Native Infantry do hereby make oath and declare, that on or about the 27th. day of April 1812, I made the regular Oath at the India House and received the permission of the Honora-ble the Court of Directors to return to my duty on the Madras Establishment.—

/Signed/ C. Waddell

Sworn to at the Public Office in Madras this 20th. day of January 1813

Before Me

/Signed/ L. H. Sterling
Justice of the Peace.

No. 17
Resolution thereon.—

Resolved that Lieutenant Wad-dell of the 21st. Regiment of Native Infantry be directed

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directed to resume the duties of his Rank.—

Read the following Letter from

the Military Auditor General.-

To The Honorable

Sir George Hilaro Barlow Bart. & K. B.

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

Honorable Sir,

No. 18.

From the Military Auditor General— Report on claims preferred on behalf of Invalids from His Majesty's 69th Regiment.—

1 I have the honor to Acknowledge the receipt of a letter from Mr. Secretary Strachey under date the 19th Instant referring for my early consideration and Report Copy of a letter from the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief with the Original papers therein Mentioned relative to claims preferred on behalf of certain Invalids from His Majesty's 69th Regiment which documents I have attentively perused and have the honor to report as follows.—

2. It appears that some of these Invalids were left at the Mauritius on the Embarkation of the 69th Regiment for the Coast and the

Rest

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rest were left at Java on the Embarkation of the Regiment for Goa, but it does not appear from any of the documents before me whether these men were left behind on duty or on account of sickness, but it is more probable it may have proceeded from the latter cause from the small number of men.-

3 The Court of enquiry which sat at Cabo on the 8th. October and at Dudon on the 29th. December last have only ascertained, as noticed in the letter from the Fort Adjutant and Paymaster of details at Poonamallee, dated the 9th. Instant, the Total amount of Pay due to the Invalids in question without pointing out the deductions to be made therefrom on Accounts of money advanced, Rations, and Medical Stoppages, which, no doubt must have been better known to the Officers Commanding the Companies to which the men belonged, and the Paymaster of the Regiment / from the information

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they professed regarding their absence / than the Paymaster of details at Poonamallee who had no money transactions with the men until they reached that Station.—

4. Under these circumstances it appears that a further reference to the Regiment is necessary, but in the event of there not being sufficient time to obtain any further information from that quarter, previous to the embarkation of the Invalids for Europe, it may be considered expedient to adjust the claims of these men according to the mode proposed by the Paymaster of details at Poonamallee in his letter to the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief of the 9th. Instant, with this difference that the stoppages for Rations should be made for the whole up to the date of their Arrival on the Coast instead of that on which they Sailed from Java as proposed by Lieutenant Agnew, and if any information can be obtained relative to

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to stoppages which ought to have been made from the men when in the Hospital, a point regarding which no information appears to have been obtained and for which deductions should be made from the respective balances.

5. Amongst the papers under reference is an Extract of Retrenchments from the Disbursements of the Paymaster at the Mauritius on account of Hospital Stoppages for men of His Majesty's 69th. Regiment, but as their Nos. names are not mentioned, and as the Vouchers have been returned to Bengal, it is impracticable, at present, to ascertain whether these stoppages are applicable to the men in question.—

6. I have thus to the best of my judgement given an opinion on the Contents of the papers referred for Report; it will however be evident to your Honor in Council that the subject is more immediately connected,

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connected; with the adjustment of Regiment-
al Accounts, the management of the interior
details of which must of course be better &
known to Captains or Officers Commanding
companies in His Majesty's Regiments, &
and to the Paymasters, than to the depart-
ment of Audit; altho' His Majesty's Regu-
lations regarding stoppages for Provisions
supplies to the poor Commissioned and Pri-
vates ought to be known to every man in the
Army. The Original papers are herewith
returned.—

Military Auditor Generals
Office, Fort St. George
21st. January 1813.

I have the honor to be
&c.— &c.—
(Signed) P. Bruce
Milit'y Aud'r. Gen'l.

N. 19
Order thereon.

Ordered, in consequence, that
the following letter be dispatched to the
Commander in Chief.—

To.

Fort St. George 26th. January 1813.

To His Excellency
Lieutenant General
Sir Samuel Auchmuty K. B.
Commander in Chief

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to your Excellency the enclosed Copy of a Report from the Military Auditor General on the Claims of the Invalids of His Majesty's 69th. Regiment mentioned in a Letter from your Military Secretary of the 14th. Instant.—

I have the honor to return the Original Papers submitted with that letter, and am directed to request that your Excellency will communicate to the Governor in Council your final recommendation on the Subject.

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

Fort St. George
26th. January 1813.

Read,

No. 20.
To the Commander in Chief— Copy of the Military Auditor General's Report on the claims of Invalids of His Majesty's 69th. Regt., enclosed. The original papers connected therewith, returned. His Excellency's final recommendation on the claims, requested.—

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Read the following Letters

from the Commissary General.-

To George Strachey Esqr.

Secretary of Government in the

Military Department

Sir,

No. 21.
From the Commissary General—Arrangements made for supplying Rice to the troops in Malabar and Canara.—

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th. Instant, transmitting for my information and guidance Copies of letters from and to the Board of Revenue dated respectively the 14th. and 15th. Instant, and to report for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council that I have in consequence given instructions to Major Grant the Deputy Commissary General in Malabar and Canara, to Store a Supply of Rice at Mangalore equal to the consumption of the Troops at that Station for Six months.—

As the Strength of the Detachment

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Detachment of Native Infantry at Onore, the only other Military Station in the Provence of Canara, does not amount to more than ninety men, it will not I persume, be considered necessary to incur the expense of a Depôt of Grain and of an establishment of Servants, at that place; particularly as under the existing regulations of the Service, the troops will be entitled to compensation in money whenever the market rate of Rice shall exceed Seventy Pagodas per Garce. If however it should be the desire of the Honorable the Governor in Council that Grain should be provided and kept for this small detail, there will of course be no difficulty in carrying that measure into effect.—

I have the honor to be
&c.— &c.—

/Signed/ W. Morison
Commissary General,

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20th. January 1813.

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No. 22
Minute thereon.—

The Governor in Council ap-
proves the arrangements made by the Com-
missary General for Storing grain for the
use of the Troops in Canara, and concurs
in that Officer's opinion that it will not be
necessary to establish a granary at Onore.—

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

No. 23.
From the Commissary General — Captain Whyte being employed in Ganjam, Lieutenant Campbell has been directed to proceed to the Coast with the horses provided for the public Service in Java, and to superintending their embarkation.—

Sir,

As Captain Whyte the Assist-
ant Commissary General in the Northern
Division of the Army, is at present employ-
ed in the Ganjam District, in providing
for the subsistence of the 4th Regiment of
Native Cavalry, and as the execution of this
duty will in all probability prevent his
return to Masulipatam before the 10th of
February next, by which Date the horses pur-
chased for the Public service at Java, may
be

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be expected to arrive there, I have deemed it necessary to direct, that with the concurrence of the Officer Commanding at Secunderabad Lieutenant Campbell should proceed with these horses to the Coast, and to remain in Charge of them untill they shall have been embarked; an arrangement which I Request you will do me the favor to report for the information and approval of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
/Signed/ W. Morison
Commissary General

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No. 24
Minute thereon.-

The Governor in Council approves the Arrangement made by the Commissary General for superintending the embarkation of the horses about to be dispatched to Java.—

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To George Strachey Esqre.

Secretary of Government in the

Military Department.

Sir,

N. 25

From the Commissary General— Recommending that certain Stations are Depôt of Arrack be established, and that the Arrack now in Store at Negapatam, Tanjore, Madura, and Dindigal may be disposed of by the Revenue or Commercial Officers, Suggestions respecting the disposal of the Arrack at certain inferior Stations not specified in a List enclosed— The Stations at which it is necessary immediately to establish Depôts of Arrack at present.—

1 I have the honor to submit for the consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the quantities of Arrack which may remain in Store on the 1st. of February at the Stations expressed in the accompanying list, may be disposed of, and that no further supplies may be sent to them in future, as much loss without any corresponding advantage will be sustained by maintaining depôts where the consumption, if any, is so exceedingly inconsiderable.—

2 In the event of this suggestion being approved of, it would be an object of great convenience to the Commissariat, if the Revenue or Commercial department were directed to Receive and dispose of the Arrack at the Stations

Noted.

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Negapatam-
Tanjore-
Madura.
Dindigul.-

noted in the Margin; without obliging the Assist-
ant Commissary General to proceed to execute this
duty, at a moment when his absence from Trich-
inopoly would be extremely inconvenient. The
Casks and utensils should also be disposed of
to the best advantage, by the same authority,
who may have the disposal of the Arrack, for
which I should hope it will be practicable, to
obtain a price which will secure the Government
from loss.——

3. The enclosed list exhibits the &
quantities of arrack understood to be at the Sta-
tions therein mentioned, as well as the amount
incurred for the servants in charge, who will
of course be discharged when the arrack has &
been disposed of. It will be perceived that a &
charge amounting to Pagodas 55. 15. . per mensem
is at present incurred on account of the Arrack
Department at Gooty; but as the European troops
have been removed from that Station, I shall pro-
ceed

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proceed, if there be no objection to the measure of which I am not aware, to take Steps for the removal of the Arrack to Bellary, and for the discontinuance of the establishment attached.—

4. The arrack at Chittledroog should also be removed to Bellary; but from the time it has been in Store, I apprehend that many of the Casks will not be in a state fit to be moved with safety. It may therefore be expedient to dispose of a part of it on the spot to the best advantage, a measure which may be adopted by the Officer of this department, in communication with the Resident, in order that the sale may not interfere with any arrangements of the Mysore Government.—

5. In the event of European troops being sent to any new station, it will of course be my duty to make adequate arrange-

-ment,

arrangement for supplying them with Arrack, on the same general principles as would be followed for supplying them with barrack articles or any other <u>regulated</u> supplies; but according to the present distribution of the forces on this Establishment, it will only be necessary that arrack should be kept in Store at the undermentioned Stations Viz.t

Fort St. George,

St. Thomas's Mount,

Poonamallee,

Wallajahbad,

Arcot,

Vellore,

Trichinopoly,

Masulipatam,

Vizagapatam,

Ganjam,

Bangalore,

Seringapatam,

Cannanore,

Durbar,

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Dulow,

Goa,

Bellary,

Secunderabad,

Saulnah,

Fort St. George,
20th. January 1813.

I have the honor to be
&c.— &c.—
(Signed) W. Morison
Commissary General

List

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List of Stations from which it is proposed to sell or remove the Arrack in Store; shewing also the quantities understood to be in Store at present, and the amount incurred for Establishments at these Stations respectively.—

Stations	Quantity of Arrack in Store.	Amount of Establishments			Remarks
	Gallons	Pags.	Fs.	Bs.	
Negapatam	4978	14	7	20	The Arrack proposed to be delivered over to the Revenue or Commercial Departments to be disposed of on the Public account to the best advantage as well as the Casks and utensils.—
Tanjore	682	15	24	40	
Dindigul	623	11	35	20	
Madura	1860	17	12	"	

Ellore	54	6	22	40	The arrack to be disposed of by the Officers of the Commissariat.—
Mangalore	111	16	15	"	
Caliecut	299	12	"	"	
Chettledroog	1509	17	15	"	The arrack to be removed to Bellary if the Casks are fit for that purpose.—
Gooty	11190	55	15	"	The arrack to be removed to Bellary.—
Trevandrum	233	9	"	"	No depôt should be kept up here, but while the artillery now now at Trevandrum shall remain, occasional small supplies should be sent from the Depôt at Quilon.—
Total	21539	175	11	40	

E. E. Fx.

(Signed) W. Morison
Commissary General

Commissary General's Office
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N. B. The amount of the Establishment per Month is			
per Annum	Pagodas	175.	11. 40.
The wastage allowed at 10 per Cent per Annum on 21539 Gallons	"	2103.	3. "
at the Contract rates of the above mentioned Stations respectively	"	1248.	13. 24.
Total present Expense of these Depôts per Annum, exclusive of the first Cost of the Liquor	"	3351.	16. 24.

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N. 26
Resolution and order thereon.—

Resolved that Depôts of Arrack be maintained in future only at the Stations of European Troops specified in the Letter from the Commissary, and that Authority be given for the disposal of the quantity in Store at other Stations in the manner which he has suggested.—

Ordered that an Extract from the Commissary Generals' Letter regarding the disposal of the Arrack, and of the Casks & and other utensils at Negapatam, Tanjore, Madura and Dendigul be furnished to the Revenue Department.—

Ordered also that the Resident in Mysore be desired to adopt such measures as he may deem expedient for the advantageous disposal of the Arrack at Chittledroog; with reference to the observations submitted by the Commissary General on that Subject.—

Read

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Read the following letter from the President of the Committee Appointed to Superintend the Clearance of the Black Town Esplanade.—

To George Strachey Esqre.

Secretary to Government.

Military Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council the proceedings of the Black Town Esplanade Committee held at Fort St. George on the 15th. Instant.—

I have the honor to be

Sir.— Sir.—

/Signed/ E. Trapaud Pt.

Proceedings of a Committee appointed to Superintend the Clearance of the Black Town Esplanade, held at Fort St. George 15th. January 1813.—

The Committee have the honor to

N°. 27.
From the President of the Committee appointed to Superintend the Clearance of Black Town Esplanade. made With Proceedings of the Black Town Esplanade Committee.—

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to Acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Secretary Strachey's Letter of the 27th. October and in prosecution of the Objects of their Appointment have the honor to Report, that the Chief Engineer having received Orders to employ, during the late Scarcity, a Number of indigent people thought it most Advantageous to the Public Service, to employ them in Clearing part of the ground intended to be appropriated to the formation of the Black Town Esplanade. It became Necessary in Consequence to pay Compensation to individuals Occupying Huts and Houses on this ground to enable them to remove their dwellings. The Estimate of the Amount Necessary for this purpose Star Pagodas 643. has been prepared in the Cutcherry of

the

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the Collector of Madras, who is a Member of the Committee, According to the rate formerly paid on the amount entered in Similar Occasions, the Abstract herein inclosed, and One half of it has been paid by the Collector to the people, who would Otherwise have sustained great inconvenience from their Sudden Removal.—

We have the honor to request Sanction for the payment of this Amount, with instructions in what Manner this Money, and Such Sums as may hereafter be payable on this Account are to be disbursed.—

/Signed/ E. Trapaud

President,

Abstract.—

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Abstract Account of Compensation to be allowed for removing the Huts from part of the Black Town Esplanade west face.-

		Os.	Fs.	Bs.
195	Huts belonging to the Chucklers at different rates as per detailed Account	153	38	45
116	Do. of Palanquin Bearers and Sarapers @ Do. as per Do.	96	"	"
20	Houses of Sheep Butchers at Do. as per Do.	228	"	"
240	Huts belonging to Pariars, Sepoys			
571	Do. @ Do. as per Do.	165	6	35
	Pagodas	643	"	"

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No. 28
Order thereon.-

/Signed/ E. Trapaud
President

Ordered, in Consequence, that the following letter be dispatched to the Military Auditor General.—

To,

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To The Military Auditor General

Sir,

N. 29.
To the Military Auditor General.— Advises that the disbursement proposed by the Black Town Esplanade Committee sanctioned. He will state what is the best mode of adjusting this Charge in the General Books.—

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you the enclosed Copy of a Letter from the President of the Black Town Esplanade Committee, and to Acquaint you that the disbursement therein mentioned Amounting to Pagodas 643. has been Authorized.—

The Governor in Council desires that you will State the Manner in which it will be most Convenient to Adjust this Charge in the Military Books and other charges which may hereafter be incurred on the same Account.—

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26th. January 1813.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
/Signed/ George Strachey
Secretary to Government

Read the following letter from the

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The Senior Chaplain at the Presidency

To George Strachey Esqr.

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

Sir,

No. 30

From the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency. suggesting arrangements for the performance of the clerical duties at certain military stations.—

Your Official Letter of the 29th. Instant with its enclosures, I yesterday had the Honor to receive, and Conformably with the instructions therein Contained, I take the earliest Opportunity to reply to the respective points Submitted to my Consideration, I am of Opinion that the Clerical duties required at any station of importance ought to be performed by persons duly qualified to conduct them, The Revd. Mr. Ringletaube is I think a fit person to be employed as an Officiating Minister in Travancore, I am personally known to him, and I am pleased that an Opportunity is afforded me of bearing testimony, to his exemplary Conduct as

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Minister of the Gospel.—

Should the Health of the Revd. Mr. Dunstonville enable him to resume the Duties of his profession, his Services might be acceptable at Cannanore during the absence of the Revd. Mr. Sampson, if the Honorable the Governor in Council thought proper to place him at that Station.—

It does not appear that any Missionary can at present be found who is disengaged from the Duties attached to his Situation; the Cantonment of Arcot will I fear feel the want of a regular Clergyman on the return of the Revd. Mr. Thompson to Madras, the Revd. Mr. Mously will cheerfully undertake such duties as may be required at Arcot, Vellore, and other places in the Center Division which at proper inter-vals might require his services, should it meet the approbation of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

I have

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January 23d. 1813.

I have the honor to be

Sir, &c. &c.

/Signed/ Edward Vaughan

Senior Chaplain

No. 31

Resolution thereon.

Resolved, in Consequence, that,

the following letters be dispatched and that

the following General Order be published.—

To The Reverend Edward Vaughan.

Senior Chaplain at

The Residency.

No. 32

To the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency Ringletaube to officiate at Dindigul. The Senior Chaplain will ascertain whether the State of Mr. Dunsterville's health will admit of his proceeding to Cannanore during the absence of the regular Chaplain.—

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the

Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt

of your Letter of the 23d. Instant.—

The Reverend Mr. Ringletaube

has been appointed to officiate for the present

as Military Chaplain at Dindigul according to

your recommendation, and I am directed to de-

sire that you will suggest the compensation,

which in your opinion it will be proper to allow

to

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to Mr. Ringletarbe for the performance of that duty.—

The Governor in Council desires that you will ascertain and report whether the health of the Reverend Mr. Dunster will admit of his proceeding to Carnaprore to Officiate at that Station during the absence of the regular Chaplain.—

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I have the honor to be
&c.— &c.—

(Signed) George Strachey
Secretary to Government.

To Henry Russel Esqr.
Resident at Hydrabad.

Sir,

N. 33
To the Resident at Hyderabad. He will report whether there be any missionary whom he can recommend to act as Chaplain at Secunderabad.—

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you the enclosed copies of two General Orders lately published at Fort St. George respecting the performance of the ceremonies of Baptism—

and

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and Marriage at the Military Stations Subject to this Presidency.—

The Governor in Council being desirous that these solemnities may be performed by Clergymen in all practicable cases, I am directed to request that you will State for his information, whether any Protestant Missionary is resident within the territories of His Highness the Soubahdar of the Deccan, whom you can recommend as duly qualified to officiate as a Chaplain with the European Troops at Secunderabad, until the Ecclesiastical Establishment of Fort St. George shall admit of a more regular provision for that duty.—

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

(Signed) George Strachey
Sec. to Govt.

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G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council

No. 34
G. O. By Government—
G. O. of the 23d. October
respecting Marriage
Baptism Suspended &c.
Pongal

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Ringletaube to officiate as Chaplain at Quilon.—

Council is pleased to suspend the Operation of the General Order of the 23d. of October last respecting the Marriage of Non Commissioned officers and of Private Soldiers and the Baptism of their Children until it shall be found practicable to provide for the performance of those duties at every Station of European Troops by Military Chaplains or by Other Clergymen regularly appointed for the purpose.—

The Governor in Council is pleased to Appoint the Reverend Mr. Ringletaube, Protestant Missionary in Travancore to officiate as Military Chaplain to the European Force at Quilon Until further Orders.—

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

/Signed/ George Strachey

Secretary to Government.

Read the following letter from the Secretary at Bombay and from the Resident

Commissioner

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Commissioner.—

To George Strachey Esqre

Secretary to Government at

Fort St. George.

Sir,

No. 35.

From the Secretary to the Government of Bombay—
The Manufacture of Gun powder at Bombay having been suspended, it is requested that a supply may be sent round by the Mornington which will shortly sail for Madras.—

In consequence of there being but a very small supply of Gun Powder in the Magazines at this Presidency, and intimation having been received from the Honorable the Court of Directors that Gun Powder manufactured in India has been proved to be of very inferior quality to that manufactured in England, this Government have determined to discontinue for the present, its manufacture at this Presidency, until the arrival of Captain Fraser, who will be sent out by the Court of Directors to effect improvements in that Department; and I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to desire you will submit to the Honorable the Governor in Council of Fort St. George his request for such quantity of Gun Powder as may without inconvenience be

spared

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spared, and the, Mornington, which will in a short time sail for Madras, may be able to effect her coming round.—

Bombay Castle
30th. December 1812

I have the honor to be
Sir,— Sir,—

(Signed) T. Farish
Secretary to Government

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
, Madras.

Sir,

No. 36.

From the Navy Commissioner—The Manufacture of Gunpowder at Bombay having ceased, an additional supply will be required at this Presidency.—

Herewith I beg to transmit for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council the Copy of a letter I have received from Vice, Admiral Sir Samuel Hood the Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels in the East Indies under date the 6th. Instant, together with the Copy of the Enclosure which accompanied it, being a communication from the Secretary to the Government of Bombay addressed to the Secretary

to

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to the Commander in Chief under date the 30th. Ult.
imo. wherein it is stated, that the manufacture
of Gun Powder will be discontinued at that Presi-
dency for the reasons therein expressed, and there-
fore our demands for that Article will be consi-
derably increased from the Magazines at Madras.

I have therefore to request you
will do me the honor to solicit the Honorable
the Governor in Council, that he will be pleased
to give the necessary directions in order that no
disappointment may occur in meeting the requi-
sition for Supplies of Gun Powder - from the Ma-
gazines at this Presidency for the use of the King's
Squadron employed in these Seas.—

I have the honor to be

Naval Commissioner's Office
Madras January 19th. 1813.

Sir. ——— Sir.

/Signed/ Peter Puget.
Commissioner

Peter Puget Esqre.

Resident Commissioner of the Navy
Madras

Sir,

I beg leave to forward you a Copy
of

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of a Letter received from the Secretary of Government on the Subject as therein stated, in consequence of which I have issued an Order to the Squadron agreeably to its tenor.—

You will therefore observe our demands for Gun Powder will be consequently more heavy on the Madras Presidency, and you will be pleased to Communicate with the Governor in Council of Fort St. George in such manner as you may deem necessary on the occasion.—

His Majesty's Ship Illustrious Bombay Harbour January 6th. 1813.

I have the honor to be Sir, &c.— &c.—

/Signed/ Samuel Hood
Vice Admiral
Commander in Chief

/True Copies/
/Signed/ Peter Puget
Commissioner

S.

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J. George Esqre.

Secretary to His Excellency

Sir Samuel Hood &c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to communicate for the information of His Excellency Sir Samuel Hood, that in consequence of an intimation from the Honorable the Court of Directors, that the result of trials has proved the Gun Powder manufactured at this Presidency to be of a Quality very inferior to that manufactured in England, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has determined to discontinue making it at this Presidency until persons arrive from England acquainted with improvements in the Manufacture, he therefore requests His Excellency will have the goodness to refrain from making any demands on this Arsenal for the supply of the Ships on this station except in such cases of emergency, as in addition to the

proceeding

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preceding reasons, there is but a small supply in the Magazine of this Presidency.—

Bombay Castle
30th. of December
1812.

I have the honor to be
Sir, &c.— &c.—
/Signed/ T. Farish
Secretary to Government.

/True Copies/
/Signed/ Peter Puget
Commissioner

Copy
/Signed/ Samuel Hood
Vice Admiral Commander in Chief

P. 37
Order thereon.—

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

To The President and Members of
The Military Board.

Gentlemen,

P. 38.
To the Military Board - Copies of letters from Bombay and from the Resident Commissioner enclosed. Preparation to be made for complying with all Indents for Gun powder for the use of H. M. Squadron and for the Public Service at Bombay.—

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you the enclosed Copies of Letters from the Secretary at Bombay

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Bombay and from the Resident Commissioner, dated respectively the 30th. Ultimo and 19th. Inst. ant, and to desire that due preparations may be made for complying with all Indents for Gun Powder which may be required from the Magazine at Fort St. George both for the use of His Majesty's Squadron and for the Public Service at Bombay.—

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26th. January 1813.

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

(Signed) Geo. Strachey
Secretary to Government

Read the following letters from the Secretary to the Government at Bombay.—

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

Sir,

No. 39.

From the Secretary to the Govt. at Bombay— The medicines required for the use of the Troops at Goa, and in Malabar and Canara, have been ordered to be sent round by

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, to acknowledge the

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by an early opportunity.—

the receipt of your letter of the 22nd. Ultimo, and to acquaint you, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort St. George, that the Indents accompanying it, for Medicines &c. required for the use of the Troops serving at Goa, and in the Provinces of Malabar and Canara have been sent to the Medical Board, with directions to forward the Medical Supplies by an early opportunity to the Ports of Goa, and Canara respectively.—

I have the honor to be

Sir, &c. — &c.—

(Signed) F. Farish,

Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle

7th. January 1813.

No. 40

Order thereon.—

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be transmitted to the Commander in Chief for the information and guidance of the Medical Board.—

To,

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To George Strachey Esqre.

Secretary to Government at,

Fort St. George,

Sir,

I am directed, by the Right Ho-norable the Governor in Council to acquaint you, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort St. George, that the Paymaster General at this Presidency has been instructed to make an advance of two Months Pay and Allowances to Major I. P. Keasbury, of the Madras Establishment, to enable him to proceed to Java, and to debit the amount to the Madras Government.—

No. 41.
From the Secretary to the Government at Bombay.- Two Months pay and allowances will be advanced to Major Keasbury of the Madras Establishment to enable him to proceed to Java.—

Bombay Castle,
6th. January 1813.

I have the honor to be &c. &c.
/Signed/ J. Farish, Sec.y to Government

To George Strachey Esqre.

Secretary to Government at

Fort St. George

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the

No. 42
From the same.- Medical Certificate of Major of the Madras Horse Artillery will receive his pay and allowances for December at Bombay a passage has been taken for him in the Morning tow to Madras.—

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the Governor in Council, to acquaint you, for the informa-
tion of the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort St.
George, that the Paymaster General at this Presidency has
been instructed to pay to Abdul Guffor Naique of the Horse
Artillery on the Madras Establishment his Pay and allow-
ances in arrears for the Month of December last, and
to debit the amount to the Madras Government.—

2. I am also directed to inform you, that
the Commander of the Mornington Cruizer has been ins-
tructed to accommodate Abdul Guffor with a passage to
Madras on board of that Vessel.—

I have the honor to be &c.— &c.—

Bombay Castle
7th January 1813.

(Signed) F. Farish. Secy. to Govt.

N°43.

Ordered that Copies of the foregoing
Order thereon. letters be transmitted for the information and Guidance
of the Military Auditor General.—

Read the following letters from the
British Envoy at Goa.—

To George Strachey Esqre. &c.— &c.— &c.
Fort St. George.

N°44. Sir,
From the British Envoy at Goa's Statement of the Strength of the Garrison at Vengorlah.—

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of

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of your Dispatch of the 29th. Ultimo with its enclosures, and have the Honor to State for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the present Garrison at Vengorla consists of- 1 Capt. 2 Subs. 3 Sergts. 6 Drums 2 Corpls. 1 Drum & 150 Rank & File and at Newly " " 1 " 1 " " " 26 Bombay Troops.—

When I directed the Sub Assistant Commissary General at Goa to afford Assistance to the Artillery, Men, and Supplies for the Troops belonging to the Auxiliary Force which Garrisoned Vengorla, and Newly, I was entirely ignorant to which Government the Ceded Forts would be attached, and was merely intended by Me as the best temporary Arrangement I could Make pending the final Adjustment of Affairs Connected with those posts. I beg to Add that the Only expence incurred, proceeded from the Supplies for the

European

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European Artillery and a small Quantity of Oil for the Guards. and which expence ceased on the Detachment of Madras Troops from the Goa Auxiliary Force on being Withdrawn from Vengorla and Neuty.—

I have the honor to be

Sir, &c.— &c.—

(Signed) Court. Schuyler

Envoy

Goa
12th. January
1813.

No. 45

Order thereon.

Ordered that a Copy the foregoing letter be transmitted for the information and guidance of the Commissary General.—

Ordered that the following General Order be published.—

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No. 46.

G. O. By Government. The Paymaster to the Troops in Malabar and Canara, to reside at Tellicherry.—

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Paymaster to the Troops in Malabar and Canara shall

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shall in future reside at Cananore, the Head
Quarters of the two provinces.

By Order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council -

(Signed) G. Strachey
Sec. to Govt.

" G. A. Barlow
" J. Oakes
" Ed. Saunders
" J. W. Casamajor