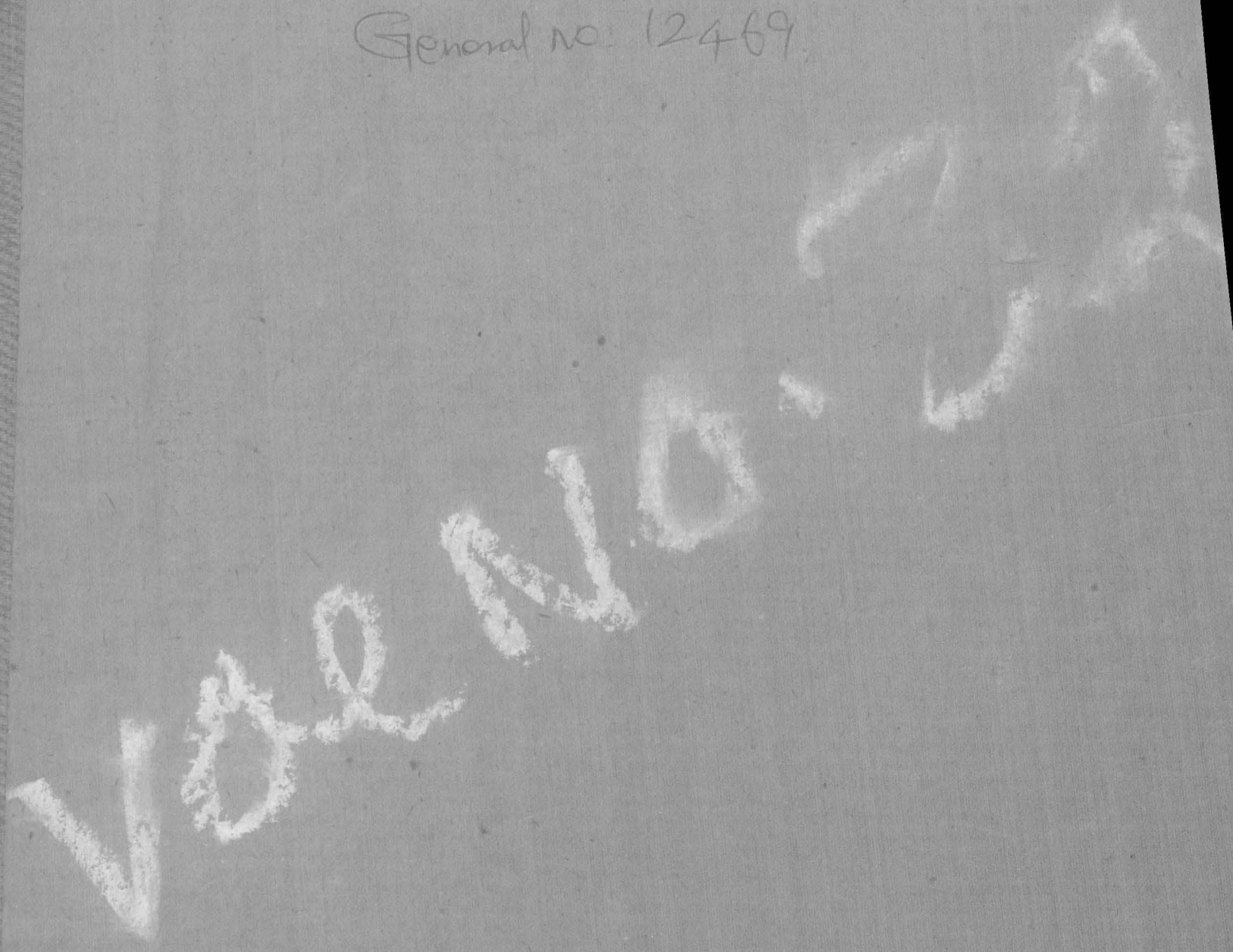
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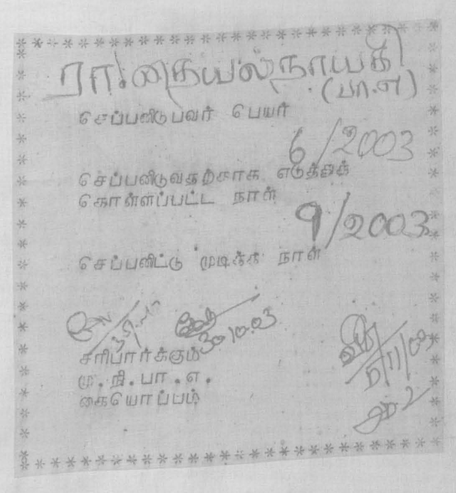


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1846. Letters to Government

1	3d.	January	Arrival of Supl. Surgeon J. Wylie, from England, reported
2	6th.	"	Promotion of Ap. Surgeon J. Gill to be Surgeon, recommended
3	6th.	"	Memorial of 18 Medl. Officers regarding the Regulations of Pay &c. previous to 1842, may be restored
4	6th.	"	Examination of Rama Row for further effective service - Sends Prs. of a medl. committee on the,
5	8th.	"	Examination by the Board of M. Veeraswamy Moodelly, for further effective service, reported
6	8th.	"	Lunatic Asylum - quarterly visit by the Board, reported
7	12th.	"	Lunatic Asylum - the admission of Narrainsawmy & his transfer to the Moregar Choultry, reported
8	12th.	"	Arrival of Messrs. J. Brett and J. M'Gregor as Ap. Surgeons, reported
9	12th.	"	Books rec'd. from Govt. during the year 1845, sends a Return of,
10	12th.	"	Idiots, two in the Lunatic Asylum may be transferred to the Moregar Choultry
11	15th.	"	General duties of the Army - Ap. Surgeon Forster is eligible for the,
12	20th.	"	Morbid preparations in the Medical School at Madras - Sends a Catalogue of,
13	21st.	"	B. Venkataroyer, at Cuddalore, may be ordered to appear before the Bd. for final examination
14	21st.	"	Surgeon of the Hebenheath - Dr. Lacerenza is fully qualified for the charge of Troops proceeding to England & that the Agents agree to send Mr. Ross as an Apothy. in consequence of his imperfect knowledge of English
15	29th.	"	Surgeon of the True Briton is qualified for the charge of Invalids proceeding to England
16	29th.	"	Hospitages, hospital, respecting the high rates of, made from certain classes of public & private servants
17	29th.	"	Lunatic Asylum - the building may be examined & put into a state of thorough repair
18	2d.	February	Indisposition of G. Bird Esqr., Civil & Sessions Judge of Coimbatore, reported
19	3d.	"	Arrival of Surgeon Bruce from England, reported.
20	3d.	"	Arrival of Mr. J. C. Currie as an Ap. Surgeon, reported
21	4th.	"	Lunatic Asylum - transfer of 3 Europeans from the General Hospital to the, reported
22			
23	5th.	February	Apothecaries the names of six servants sent up for increased rates of pay &c. granted by the G. of Govt
24	5th.	"	Members of the Medical Board have taken their seats according to appointment
25	6th.	"	Lunatics 3 require to be sent to England
26	7th.	"	Seamen of H. M. Navy treated in the General Hospital during 1845 - a statement of, sent
27	7th.	"	Promotion of Ap. Surgeon R. Plumbe to be Surgeon, recommended
28	10th.	"	Superintending Surgeon may be substituted for Surgeon in the appointment of Dr. Wylie to the Presidency Division 3
29	17th.	"	Memorial of 6 medl. officers regarding pay &c. previous to 1842, sent
30	19th.	"	Examination by the Bds. of B. Venkataroyer, for further effective service, reported
31	19th.	"	Medical School - respecting the suggestion for giving instructions to the native pupils in the vernacular languages 3
32	19th.	"	Claim to Majors Pay &c. from the date of arrival at the Presy. by Supl. Surgeon Wylie, submitted
33	19th.	"	Soda Water &c. for the use of the sick of H. M. 57th. - the Bds. report on the supply of,
34	24th.	"	Promotion of Ap. Surgeon Maillardet to be Surgeon, recommended
35	26th.	"	Hospitages Hospital - sends draft of a G. O. in revision of the rates of,
36	26th.	"	Allowance forfeited by Surgeon Bird during the time he was absent from his Regt. to attend medl. jurisprudence
			Memorial of Ross & family at Courtallum may be reimbursed to him
37	28th.	"	Surgeon of the Ship Lady Flora is qualified for the charge of 3 Insane patients to England
38	28th.	"	Lunatics proceeding to England - sends the statements of their cases
39	5th.	March	Examination by the Board of M. Soobaramiah for further effective service
40	10th.	"	Indent. annual, on the Court of Directors for European & Veterinary Medl. & Medical Stores
41	12th.	"	Lunatic Asylum - transfer of Private Mahomed Caseem from the General Hospital to the,
42	12	"	Lunatic Asylum - sends Annual Return of patients in the, with a statement of expenses

43 12th March Allowance of 100 Rs hitherto sanctioned for the Chintadrapettah Dispensary may be continued to Surgn Gordon
44 13th " Mr Thos Fonseca, conditional pensioner may be ordered to appear before the Bd for final examination
45 14th " Sickness prevalent in the 41st Regt N.I. at Vizagapatam. sends extract from Apothy Surg. Ferrier's report
46 16th " Statement, half yearly, of unadjusted balances against Medl storekeepers, sent
47 16th " Eye Infirmary. annual report, with a statement of expenses, sent
48 19th " Examination by the Board of Mr T. Fonseca, a conditional pensioner, reported
49 20th " Emigrants to the West Indies. many medl subordinates formerly in the service are available as assistants
50 21st " House Rent. the full amount of, deducted from the Pay &c of 2d Apothecary Flynn & Apothy Sutherland Cumming on acct of being provided with public quarters at Poonamallee, represented
51 26th " Special duty. that Probationary Apothy Surg. Clementson is qualified for the,
52 30th " Triplicane Dispensary. that a 2d Dresser may be sanctioned for the,
53 30th " Estate of the late Apothecary J. Jones. that the deceased has left a daughter,
54 2d April Explanation submitted respecting Apothy Surgeon Clementson's for the general duties of the public service
55 2d " Comparative Statement of the disbursements of Medicines from the Govt Dispensary to which is added the expenditure on the requisition of Dr Johnstone
56 2d " Medicines issued from the Govt Dispensary on the requisition of Dr Johnstone. sends a Comparative Statement of
57 2d " Lunatic Asylum. quarterly visit of inspection by the Board, reported
" H.M. 57th Regt, a detachment proceeding to England on the "Westmoreland". Apothy Surgeon Bysel of the Corps was furnished with medicines &c on payment for the use of,
58 3d " Arrival of Surgeon Finnerty from England, reported
59 4th " Lunatic Asylum. return of a military patient considered to be an incurable lunatic, sent
60 6th " Surgical Instruments remaining in the Stores at the Presidency. sends the Report on, for the Court of Dirs
61 7th " Resign his situation of Surgeon to the Collectorate of Bellary on acct of ill health. Apothy Surgeon Chimmo requests
62 9th " Death of Lekarazah Kanpanah, a conditional pensioner, reported
63 11th " Medicines furnished for a Dett H.M. 57th proceeding to England on the "Mary Ann" on payment. reported
64 15th " A.G. Estimate, prospective, of medl Stores expected to be received from Europe during 1846/47. sent
65 15th " Medicines supplied on payment for a Dett of H.M. 57th Regt proceeding to England on the "Hindostan"
66 20th " Examination of Mr J. Cunnyam, a conditioned pensioner at Cannanore. report of the Committee, sent
67 23d " Stationery on payment. Trustees of the Apothecaries Fund soliciting for an increased quantity of,
68 30th " Estate of the late Apothy Apothecary E. Charles. the Step-Mother is the only relative left
69 30th " Medical School. some additions required to be made to the building on acct of the appointment of a Professor of Chemistry. 3
70 2d May Arrival of Dr R.J. Fitzgerald as an Apothy Surgeon reported
71 5th " Medical Stores found unserviceable &c by Committees of Survey at the Presidency & Out stations, that the Medl & Deputy Medl Storekeepers may be relieved from all responsibility
72 7th " Apothy Surgeon Fitzgerald may be appointed to do duty at the Mount instead of at the General Hospital
73 7th " Medical Stores received from England by the Boyne. sends Proceedings of a Committee on
74 7th " Examination by the Board of P. Syen Morth, C. Dunmaryan Morth, & T. Perriatombeckhoo for further effective Service
75 7th " Medical School. sends an Indent on the Commissary Genl and list of articles required by the Professor of Chemistry, to be purchased from Mr Lowe.
76 7th " Examination by the Board of Mr C. Monckton, a writer in the Govt Office, as requested

77 7th May Superannuation and Native Fund Pensions for 1845/46. sends two Statements of
78 7th " Table required for the use of the Apothecary at the Medical Stores. sends for sanction an Indent for a,
79 21st " Triplicane Dispensary. sends a tabulary form to accompany the application for a 2d Dresser for the Dresser 2d being required for the Triplicane Dispensary, the addition to the Apothy Apothecary
80 21st " Lunatic Asylum. 4 patients have been transferred from the Genl Hospital to the, reported
81 21st " Mortality in the Jail Hospital at Madura during 1845. observations on Apothy Surg. Anderson's letter on the Madura, observations on the great mortality in the Jail at, during 1845,
82 21st " Medical charge of the Collectorate of Bellary up to 30th April. Apothy Surgeon Chimmo may be put in orders as Apothy Surgeon Chimmo may be put in orders as having had charge of the Coll: of Bellary up to 30th April,
83 21st " Chemical Apparatus &c tendered for sale by the Resident of Hyderabad. that a list in detail may be procured. 3
" Sale of Chemical Apparatus &c " " " " " " "
84 22d " Arrival of Dr W. Aitken as an Apothy Surgeon reported
85 23d " Lunatic Asylum. admission of 2 Hindoo Prisoners, reported
86 28th " Medicines for Captain Gill's party at Adoniattah. Supt Surg. Hyd. L.F. has been ordered to furnish
87 30th " Apothy Surgeon Van Someran, recently admitted, recommended to do duty at the General Hospital
88 1st June Examination of Moormanchee Kantacroostamah for further duty. a report of the, sent
89 4th " Nurse in European hospitals. their pay to be increased to 5 Rupees recommended
90 4th " Toty employed in the Detail Hospl at Singapore. Indent for, submitted for sanction
91 5th " Lunatics. 2 Gunners recommended to be sent to England
92 6th " Opium, an Indent for 200 lb. from Calcutta, sent
93 10th " Death of Supt Surgeon Conran, at the Cape reported
" Promotion of Apothy Surgeon A. Mackintosh to be Surgeon, recommended
94 16th " Vaccination, annual return of, with a statement of Rice, sent
95 18th " Bills for the shipment of Medl Stores at Singapore. sent for sanction
96 18th " Examination of Ll. Veerasawmy Moodly, a conditional pensioner, by the Board, reported
97 18th " Medical School. code of rules in reference to the duties of the different Professors, sent up
98 18th " Apprentices to the Senior grade be in future made as vacancies occur. recommending that
99 22d " Lunatic Asylum. the admission of 2 Europeans, reported
100 24th " Bill for the shipment of Medl Stores at Singapore. sent for sanction
101 ——
102 26th " Estate of the late 2d Apothecary J. Clarke. sends a Cash Receipt for Rs 105, received from Supt Surg. Morton
103 29th " Arrival of Mr J. Crawford as an Apothy Surgeon, reported
104 30th " Medical Stores recd from England by the Ship Hathemy. sends Proceedings of the Committee on the
105 1st July Batta, full, solicited by Apothy Surg. Withers from the date of arrival at Madras of the 41st N.I.
106 ——
107 2d " Lunatic Asylum. quarterly visit of inspection by the Board, reported
108 6th " Lunatics. 2 Gunners recommended to be sent to England
109 9th " Apothecary Paterson. that the circumstance alluded to, does not constitute any bar to his advancement
110 15th " Medical Stores reported unserviceable &c by Committees of Survey. to be written off the books &c.
111 14th " A.G. Medical Stores expected to be recd from England in 1846/47. sends Estimate of,
112 15th " Dresser 2d Shaik Muctoom. recommending that he may draw the difference of pay between 1st & 2d Dresser
113 16th " Surgeon of the Ship Mary Ann is qualified for the charge of invalids proceeding to England,
114 16th " Penitentiary buildings at Madras. respecting the alteration in the site of the Hospital of the new,

115 16th July Medical School. sends for sanction an Indent for articles required by the Professor of Chemistry
116 17th " Medical School. the annual report for 1845. sent
117 17th " Dispensaries Cant. the annual report for 1845, sent
118 23d " Lunatic Asylum. the buildings require repairs & that it is in an unsound state
119 23d " Medical School. the revised draft of the code of rules sent
120 28th " Estate of the late 2d Apothecary J. Clarke. Lieut. Surg. Allerton that the amount may be returned to him
121 29th " Arrival of Mr. J. Wilson as an Asst. Surgeon, reported
122 29th " Arrival of Asst. Surg. J. Reynolds from England, reported
123 30th " Certificate granted at the Cape to H.C. Oswell Esqr. of the Civil Service. returned countersigned by a Member
124 30th " Memorial. copy of a. of Surgeon Manle sent. the original of which was forwarded in 1843
125 30th " Invalids & Insane patients who proceeded to England on the ship John Line. respecting the sickness & mortality of
" " Sickness & Mortality amongst the Invalids & Insane patients who proceeded to England on the ship John Line
126 30th " Prospectus of a treatise on Percussion by Asst. Surg. Smith. to subscribe for 50 copies
" " Percussion. to subscribe for 50 copies of the work on,
127 31st " Cholera, the appearance of, at Caumbum & suggesting the inspection of vessels
" " Caumbum. the appearance of Cholera at, & do. " " "
128 31st " Lunatic Asylum. the admission of Ramdoo, reported
129 1st August Arrival of Mr. J.B. Fleming as an Asst. Surgeon, reported
130 1st " Arrival of Asst. Surgeon Forbes from England, reported
131 4th " Rank of Assistant Surgeons. a list of dates of, sent for publication
132 6th " Superintending Surgeons. regarding the eligibility of certain medical officers for the appointment of
133 7th " Lunatic Asylum. the admission of 4 patients, reported
134 7th " General duties of the Army. Asst. Surgeon Brett is eligible for the,
135 7th " Unadjusted balances as they stood on the 30th April. sends half yearly abstract statement of,
136 10th " General duties of the Army. Asst. Surgeon Mac Gregor is eligible for the,
137 13th " Lunatics. 3 patients require to be sent to England
138 13th " Lunatic Asylum. admission of a Hindoo female, reported
139 13th " Tailor in the Lunatic Asylum may be transferred to the Moneegar Choultry
140 13th " Medical School. respecting the formation of a new class & the admission of Private Students may be published
141 17th " Cadets. the transfer of two from the Lunatic Asylum to the Moneegar Choultry, recommended
142 17th " Promotion of Asst. Surgeon Crighton to Surgeon, recommended
143 17th " Surgeon of the Tartar, qualified for the charge of the Insane patients proceeding to England
144 18th " Cases of 7 Insane patients proceeding to England, sent
145 20th " Examination of T. Varasawmy, a conditional pensioner, by the Bd., reported
146 20th " Memorial of Apothecary Bazely, to the Court of Dr., forwarded
147 20th " Code of medical regulations. requesting the purchase of 10 copies of the,
148 21st " Arrival of Mr. D. Mackenzie as an Asst. Surgeon reported
149 26th " Medical School. pointing out certain errors in the regulations recently published & requests that they may be corrected
150 26th " Medical Stores received from England by the "City of Bombay" sends Extracts from a Proceeding of a Committee on,
157 31st " Code of medical regulations. sends two copies as directed & states that the Asylum Press cannot furnish more than 100 per
152 1st Septem. Ranks of Assistant Surgeons. a list of dates of, sent for publication
153 3d " Medical School. recommending a set of elevated platforms sittings in the dissecting Rooms, may be sanctioned
154 3d " Medical School. sends for sanction an Indent for certain articles required for the

155 5th September General duties of the Army. Asst. Surgeon A.C. Carre. eligible for the. reported
156 10th " Lascar Varasawmy may be transferred to the Pension List
157 10th " Medical School. sends an Indent for articles required by the Professor of Chemistry
158 10th " Arrival of Asst. Surgeon Foulis from England, reported
159 14th " Members of the Med. Board. the acting Surgeon General & acting Inspector General have taken their seats
160 16th " Examination of Sonnaree Varasawmy, a conditional pensioner at Secunderabad. sends the report of the Committee
161 17th " Examination of P. Ditchanahmoorty, a conditional pensioner, by the Board, reported
162 17th " Memorial of Apothecary S. Mason, to the Court of Directors, sent
163 19th " Examination of Soobroosahiah, a conditional pensioner, may take place at Potacamund
164 19th " Death of Surgeon General J. Macleod at the Mauritius, reported
" " Promotion of Asst. Surgeon T.H. Cannan to Surgeon, recommended
165 19th " Arrival of Mr. G. Baillie as an Asst. Surgeon, reported
166 24th " Medical School. recommending that 300 copies of a Manual of Chemistry may be printed
167 24th " Medical Stores received from England by the Minerva. sends the Proceedings of a Committee on
168 25th " Arrival of Mr. A. Jowett as an Asst. Surgeon, reported
169 29th " Arrival of Apothecary P.H. West as an Asst. Surgeon, reported
170 1st October Examination of Soobroosahiah, a conditional pensioner, at Trichinopoly, ordered
171 1st " Forty, extra, for the hospl. 21st N.I. Havr. of Singapore, sanction for the employment of, requested
172 1st " Medical School. forwards a report respecting the subordinates educated at the,
173 1st " Quinine. the consumption of in Captain Macpherson's detachment
174 1st " Furniture, office, required by the Deputy Med. Storekeeper at Trichinopoly. sends an Indent for
175 1st " Lunatic Asylum. the Boards quarterly visit of inspection, reported
176 2d " Arrival of Mr. E. Dixon, as an Asst. Surgeon, reported
177 5th " Alterations of rank & promotion recommended on the retirement of Surgeon Brooking
" " Promotion of Asst. Surgeon E. Smith to Surgeon, recommended
178 5th " Arrival of Mr. D. Mac Donald as an Asst. Surgeon, reported
179 10th " Return of Sick of the Army for 1845, sent
180 13th " Servants, hospital, required for the hospital at Tanguebar, may be sanctioned
181 15th " Comparative half yearly statement of expenditure of medicines in the Govt. Dispensary. may be discontinued
182 15th " Sweeper for the hospital of the det. 2d N.I. at Chenga. sends 18 Indents for sanction
183 15th " Medical School. sends Indents for certain articles required & for 100 lbs. of Mercury
184 15th " Form of inspections of Superintending Surgeons, recommended
185 15th " Cooles required for pulling the Punkahs in the hospital of the Artillery at the Mount. send an Indent
" " Punkahs in the hospital of the Artillery at the Mount. no information has been rec. respecting their erection
186 20th " Death of Soobroosahiah, a conditional pensioner, at Coimbatore, reported
187 22d " Barracks of the Native Infantry at Perambore, the railing being repaired instead of a wall
188 26th " Medicines issued without payment to H.M. Naval Service. sends Lists of,
189 26th " Medicines &c. supplied on acct. of the Presidency of Bengal & Prince of Wales Island. sends Invoices of,
190 26th " Lunatic Asylum. admission of a Portuguese & two Hindoos, reported
191 29th " Lunatic Asylum. respecting the dampness of the floors in certain cells of the,
192 29th " Storm. the influence likely to be produced on the Sanitary condition of this Presidency by the late
193 3d November Lunatic Asylum. admission of Gunnee C. Kelly, reported
194 3d " Examination by the Board. Mr. P. Waller, a conditional pensioner may be ordered to appear for

195 4th November Certificate of the necessity of the Revd Mr Taylor quitting his station before obtaining leave
196 4th " Certificate " " Revd Mr Griffiths
197 5th " Acct of Medical Stores sold and expended with 1845/46 sends a "Statement of"
198 5th " Mr J. Bond the Bds report on his Services in reference to his Memorial to the Court of Directors
199 5th " Nurse for the hospital of the dett of Artillery at Penang the Bds opinion respecting a,
200 5th " Memorial of Asst Surg Andrews respecting his staff Salary ban retrenched in consequence of his not having passed the required examinations in Hindoostanee
201 5th " Medical School sends an Indent for articles required for the,
202 5th " Medical School the Bds report on the Petition of Mr Waller praying that his son may be ordered to attend
" Lectures on Chemistry and Materia Medica, as a Private Student at the,
203 5th " Neilgherry Hills sends the annual returns & reports for 1845,
204 10th " Return of Sick of the Dett Sappers & Miners & Gun Lascars for 1845 sends Supplementary,
205 11th " Acct of Journal & Ledger for the official year 1845/46, sends the
206 12th " Toty recommending the temporary employment of a, in the hospital of the Public Cattle Depot
207 12th " Medical School sends an Indent for Towels &c respecting such requisitions being sent for the sanction of Govt
208 12th " Pay & Allowances to which the Inspector General of Hospitals (Mr Boyd) is entitled
" Inspector General of Hospitals (Mr Boyd) respecting the pay & allowances to which he is entitled
209 14th " Moodumby Ramasawmy, a conditional pensioner, may be ordered to proceed to Masulipatam for examination
210 16th " Indisposition of J. H. Davidson Esqr acting Civil & Sessions Judge at Coimbatore &c &c
211 18th " Return of sick of the Civil Deptt for 1845 sent
212 19th " Servant, female, for attendance on an Insane Woman sent to Madras from Moulmein Indent sent for sanction. 3
213 19th " Nurse, European, for the 4th Battn Artillery sanction of Govt for the admission of the charge, requested
214 19th " Superintending Surgeon Northern Divn Surgeon Smyth requests the confirmation of his
" appointment to enable him to draw the full salary &c from the date of decease of Mr Vernon
215 19th " Medical School an additional supply of 5lbs Mercury required by the Professor of Chemistry
216 19th " Pay and Allowances of an acting Supt Surgeon & a Supt Surgeon may be disbursed to Mr Sherman
217 26th " Memorial of Surgeon R. Wight on the Subject of his being superseded in his promotion to
" the rank of Superintending Surgeon
218 27th " Examination at Masulipatam of Mahomed Jaffer, a conditional pensioner sends the report of the Committee
219 30th " Medical School Indent for articles required to be constructed & repaired by Mr Lowe, sent for Sanction
220 3d December Examination by the Board of Mr A. D. Graça, a conditional pensioner, reported
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222 3d " Troughs hollowed stone square, for the use of H.M. 41st Regt at Kamptee, the Indent for, may be sanctioned
" Pigs hollowed stone square troughs for keeping swine, Indent may be sanctioned
223 4th " Lunatic Asylum Chelly requires to be sent to England
224 9th " Almirah required for the use of the Govt Dispensary Indent sent for sanction
225 10th " Travelling expenses by dawk from Coimbatore to Madras to give evidence in the Supreme Court Assist
" Surgeon Portions claim for, submitted
226 10th " Medicines for the Civil Depart Tenasserim Provinces can be supplied from the depot of stores
at Moulmein

227 14th December Medical Stores recently arrived from Calcutta now lying at the Custom House the Commr
General may be instructed to clear the two packages of,
228 17th " Examination by the Board of conditional pensioner Mr P. Waller, reported
229 17th " Castor Oil relative to the supply of, which the Medl Storekeeper was lately directed to receive
for issue from the Commissariat Depart
230 19th " Examination at Masulipatam of conditional pensioner Moodumby Ramasawmy, report of, sent
231 22d " Coolies 3, employed for conveying hospital utensils to the Govt Hills at Penang for the use of General
Waugh sanction of Govt requested for the admission into the Commissariat accounts the hire of
232 23d " Members of the Medical Board having taken their seats agreeably to their appointments
233 24th " Volumes 4, of the Medical Board's Proceedings for 1845, forwarded
234 24th " Examination by the Board of Durmarry Mordelly, a conditional pensioner, reported
235 24th " Medicines required for the use of the Cotton Planters on the Shevaroy Hills can be supplied
from the Dispensary at Salem
" Coffee Planters on the Shevaroy Hills can be supplied with Medicines from Salem
236 24th " Case of the late Mr Limond, Interdenate Judge of Madura being judiciously & attentively
treated in his last illness by the medical officers the Bds report thereon, submitted
237 26th " Landing charges of two Cases of Chemical Apparatus recently arrived from Calcutta,
the Commissary General may be authorized to defray the,
" Chemical Apparatus recently arrived from Calcutta the landing charges to be defrayed by Comm Gt
238 28th " Promotion of Asst Surgeon W. Middlemas to be Surgeon, recommended
239 28th " Arrival of Mr J. E. Palmer, as an Asst Surgeon, reported
240 30th " Arrival of Asst Surgeon C. M. Duff from England, reported
241 30th " Castor Oil received into Stores for the last 10 years sends a tabular statement containing the
additional information required by Govt
242 31st " Lunatic Asylum the admission of two patients sanctioned by Govt

To Government, No. 1, 3d. January.— Reporting, in a Proceeding to the Commander in Chief and Govern-
ment, the arrival of Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie, M. D. of-
this Establishment, by the Steamer Precursor; and forwarding
the Certificate of the permission of the Honorable the Court
of Directors, to that Officer, to return to his duty without
prejudice to his rank.—

From Government, 3d. January.— Extract from Minutes of Consultation of Government, Milit-
tary Department, communicating a letter from the Com-
mander of Her Majesty's Steamer "Spiteful," and direct-
ing that the necessary arrangements be made for the em-
barkation to Calcutta of the Detachment Her Majesty's
24th Foot.—

To Government, No. 2 6th. January.— Recommending, in a Proceeding to the Commander in
Chief and Government, the promotion of Senior Assist.
Surgeon J. Gill to the rank of Surgeon, vice Fleming
retired.—

To Government, No. 3. 6th. January.— Forwarding, in a Proceeding, for the favorable consideration of the
Commander in Chief and Government, and ultimate trans-
mission to the Honble. the Court of Directors 10 Memorials from
Medical Officers of this Presidency, praying that the regulations
regarding pay and allowances, leave and furlough, which obtained
previous to the Honorable Courts order of 1st. May, 1843, may be
restored to them.—

To Government, No. 4, 6th. January.— Transmitting, with reference to the Extract from Minutes of
Consultation, Public Department, No. 235, dated 19th. Novembr.
1845, the Proceedings of a Medical Committee assembled at
Cuddapah, reporting that Rama Row is permanently dis-
qualified for further effective Service.—

To Government, No. 5, 8th. January.— Reporting, with reference to Extract from Minutes of Consultation, Public
Department, No. 325, dated 8th. April 1845, that Mr. Veeranarry
Moodelly, a Conditional Pensioner on the Establishment of the
Military Auditor General, is permanently disqualified for
further effective Service, from a Cataract of the left Eye,
and imperfect sight of the right Eye.—

To Government, No. 6, 8th January.— Reporting that the Medical Board made their customary Quarterly visit of inspection to the Lunatic Asylum; and expressing satisfaction with the manner in which the duties of that institution, have been conducted by the Surgeon in charge.— Answered by the Secretary to Government, Military Department, that the above report will be communicated to the Honorable the Court of Directors.—

From Government, 13th January.—

To Government, No. 7, 12th January.— Reporting the admission into the Lunatic Asylum of a Hindoo Prisoner named Narrainsawmy; and recommending that his detention in that institution may be sanctioned from the 6th instant to the date of his transfer to the Moneger Choultry.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Judicial Department, communicating the sanction of Government.—

From Government, 20th January.—

To Government, No. 8, 12th January.— Reporting, in a Proceeding to the Commander in Chief and Surgeons for this Presidency; forwarding the certificates of their appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors; and recommending that they may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment, and appointed to do duty under the Surgeons of the 2d Battalion Artillery at St. Thos. Mount, and the General Hospital respectively.—

To Government, No. 9, 12th January.— Transmitting a return of Books which have been received from Government; and purchased at the public expence during the past Year, for the use of the Medical Department.—

To Government, No. 10, 12th January.— Reporting, that there are two harmless Idiots now in the Lunatic Asylum, and recommending their transfer to the Moneger Choultry.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Deptt:, sanctioning their transfer.—

From Government, 13th January.—

From Government 19th December 45. Chief Secy: to Govt: Public Department, communicating a letter from the Govt: of Bengal, and forwarding 2 Copies of the General Report on Public Instruction in the Lower Provinces of the Bengal Presidency, for the Year 1844/45.—

To Government, No. 11, 15th January.— Reporting, in a Pro: to the Commander in Chief and Govt:, that

that Assistant Surgeon J. Forster, is eligible to enter on the general duties of the Army.—

From Government, 2d January.— Extract from Minutes of Consultation, Public Department, authorizing the employment of Two temporary extra Vaccinators for the Collectorate of Tinnevelly, subject to the confirmation of Government of India.—

From Government, 20th Decr. 1845. Chief Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Deptt, communicating a letter from the Govt: of India, authorizing the continuance of the Lying in Hospital, and directing that a Report be annually submitted.—

From Government, 6th Decr. 1845. Secretary to Govt:, Mily: Deptt, communicating a letter and enclosure from the Govt: of India, respecting Morbid preparations and requesting to be furnished with the Catalogue therein referred to.— Acknowledged by the Medical Board, forwarding for transmission to the Govt: of India, a Catalogue of the morbid preparations, Vols in the Medical School at this Presidency.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Deptt:, that the above will be communicated to the Government of India.—

To Government, No. 12, 20th January.—

From Government, 24th January.—

To Government, No. 13, 21st January.— Suggesting to Government, that as there is only one Medl. Officer at Cuddalore, the most convenient mode of proceeding, and the least expensive to the state, in the case of B. Venkatayalow, is to direct him to appear before the Medical Board for final Examination.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Deptt:, approving of the Board's suggestions.—

From Government, 29th January.—

From Government, 20th January. Extract from Minutes of Govt:, Mily: Deptt:, requesting that the Medical Officer proposed for the "Hebonheath" be examined by the Board and an early report of his qualifications sent to Govt:, with instructions.— Acknowledged by the Medical Board, reporting on the qualifications of Dr. Lacranza for the Medl. charge of the Troops to England on the above Vessel, with observations.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Deptt:, conveying acceptance of the tender of the Hebonheath.—

To Government, No. 14, 21st January.—

From Government, 22d January.—

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From Government, 19th January.- Secretary to Govt:, Judicial Department, communicating a letter and enclosures from the Court of Proprietors Nº6, first directing that the necessary instructions be issued to the Superintendent Bay Infirmary for the admission of the Convict therein referred to into that institution.-

From Government, 24th January. Secry: to Govt:, Mily: Deptt:, communicating a letter from the Marine Board, directing acceptance of the Tender of the "Jane Briton" for conveyance to England of the Honorable Company's Service.- Acknowledged by the

To Government, Nº15, 29th January.- Medical Board, reporting that Mr L. Stock Surgeon of the Ship "Jane Briton", is qualified for Medical charge

From Government, 31st January.- of the Invalids, to England on the above Vessel.- Answered, by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Deptt:, stating that the above report will be communicated to the Honorable the Court of Directors.-

To Government, Nº16, 29th January.- Submitting to Govt: copy of a letter from the Surgeon General Hospital, relative to the Rate of Hospital Stoppages made from certain classes of Invalid Subordinate

From Government, 24th February. and Private Persons, while Inmates of the institution, with the Board's suggestions on the subject.- Answered in an Extract from Minutes of Consultation of Govt: Mily: Deptt; communicating instructions to prepare a Draft of a G.O

To Government, Nº17, 29th January.- in revision of the rate of Hospital stoppages contained in Section 17 of the Code of Pay and Audit Regulations, and from Paid Candidates and Civil Patients.-

From Government, 23d January.- Transmitting to Govt:, extract from the Superintendent's Quarterly report of the Lunatic Asylum by the I.S. Percy; and recommending that measures may be adopted for having the building examined and put into a state of thorough repair.

Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Deptt:, communicating a letter from the Govt: of India, declining to sanction the proposed Convalescent Depot at Amherst for the Convalescent Troops at Moulmein.-

Narrative for 1846.

To Government, Nº18, 2d February.- Transmitting to Govt:, copy of a letter from Assistt Surgeon Portens, reporting the indisposition of Lt. Baird Esqr, Civil and Sessions Judge of Coimbatore.-

To Government, Nº19. 3d February.- Reporting in a Proceeding to the Commr in Chief and Govt:, the arrival of Surgeon H. S. Brice, of this Establishment, by the Steamer Berenice; and forwarding the Certificate of the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, to that Officer, to return to his duty without prejudice to his rank.-

To Government, Nº20, 3d February.- Reporting in a Proc: to the Commr in Chief and Govt:, the arrival of Mr A. C. Lawrie, M.D., by the Steamer Berenice, as Assistant Surgeon for this Presidency; forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors; and recommending that he may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment, and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at the Presidency.-

To Government, Nº21, 4th February.- Reporting to Government, the transfer of three insane patients, from the General Hospital to the Lunatic Asylum, and recommending that their admission may be sanctioned.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:

From Government, 6th February. Mily: Deptt:, Sanctioning the admission.-

To Government, Nº23, 5th February.- Submitting to Govt: the names of Six Senior Apothecaries in reference to the Gr. O. Gr. Nº19, of 1846, and bringing to the notice of Govt: the claims of Apothecary

From Government, 10th February. Bazely for the increased rate of pay.- Answered by the Secretary to Govt:, Mily: Deptt:, directing that the names of the Senior Apothecary for increase of pay be submitted through the Commander in Chief accompanied with a Detailed Statement of the case of each individual's Services.-

To Government, Nº24, 5th February.- Reporting in a Proc: to the Commander in Chief and Govrnt, that the Physician General, Surgeon General, and Inspector General of Hospitals, appointed in Gr. O. Gr. Nº29, of 3d instant, have accordingly taken their seats at the Medical Board.-

From Government, 26th January.- Extract from Minutes of Consn:, Mily: Deptt, directing the movements of Troops at Saugor and Bundlekhund.-

From Government, 30th January.- Extract from Minutes of Consn:, Mily: Deptt, countermanding the order for the embarkation of Detachment Her Majesty's 96th Regt: to Moulmein, and directing that a passage be provided for the party to Calcutta.-

To Government No. 25, 6th February.— Reporting that three Europeans afflicted with mental derangement, and now in the Lunatic Asylum, require to be sent to Europe by an early opportunity; and recommending that the first ship engaged to convey Invalids to England, may be engaged to take them.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept, desiring the Marine Board to provide passage to England for the 3 insane persons.—

From Government, 10th February.—

To Government No. 26, 7th February.— Forwarding, for ultimate transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, Blank Statements of Seamen of the Majesty's Navy, who have been treated in the General Hospitals of Fort St. George during the year 1846.—

To Government, No. 27, 7th February.— Recommending in a Proceeding to the Commander in Chief and Government, the promotion of Senior Assistant Surgeon R. Plumbe to the rank of Surgeon, vice Adams retired.—

To Government, No. 28, 10th February.— Transmitting in a Pro: to the Commander in Chief and Government, copy of a letter from Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie, with reference to the G. O. of No. 33, of 1846, appointing him to the Presidency Division Superintending Surgeon — praying that in the G. O. of No. 33, of 1846, appointing him to the Presidency Division "Superintending Surgeon" may be substituted for the word "Surgeon".—

To Government No. 29, 17th February.— Forwarding, in a Pro: for the information of the Commander in Chief and Government, a Memorial from Assistant Surgeon J. Wylie, Medical Storekeeper, and Superintending Surgeon of the Presidency Division, praying that his allowances may be fixed at the same rate as those of Surgeons of the Army, and that he may be granted the Rank of Major.—

To Government No. 30, 19th February.— Reporting, with reference to Extract from Minutes of Consultation, Public Department, No. 325, dated 5th April, 1845, that Dr. Venkataswamy, a Native Physician in the Establishment of the Collector of South Arcot, is unfit for further effective Service, from an infirm constitution and premature old age.—

From Comdr in Chief, 5th January.— Forwarding copy & Extract Minutes of Consn: dated 28th December 1845, and requesting the Board will favor him with the report therein called for, for transmission to Government.— Acknowledged by the Board — transmitting copy of a letter from the Supt: Govt: School, containing suggestions for giving instructions to the Native Pupils in that institution in the common Native language, not requiring from them any knowledge of English, with observations.— Answered by the Adjt: Genl: of the Army, conveying the decision of Government thereon.—

To Comdr in Chief No. 31, — 19th Jany:—

From Comdr in Chief, 19th March.—

To Government No. 32, 19th February.— Forwarding in a Pro: for the information of the Commander in Chief and Government, copies of Extracts from Supts. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of the Invalid Depots at Ootacamund and Wynaad, and of Instr. from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Bangalore and Trichinopoly, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Vellore and Arcot, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Cuddapah and Bellary, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Palamcottah and Tanjore, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Trichinopoly and Madura, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Madura and Palamcottah, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Palamcottah and Cannanore, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Cannanore and Calicut, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Calicut and Mangalore, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Mangalore and Cannanore, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Cannanore and Bangalore, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Bangalore and Vellore, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Vellore and Arcot, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Arcot and Cuddapah, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Cuddapah and Bellary, and from Supt. Instr. to Surgeons in charge of Depots at Bellary and Trichinopoly

Moodaliapoor Ramasawmy Naidoo, and Balakrishnah Moodaly be brought before a Medical Committee for examination and report at the expiration of 12 Months - with the view of their permanent unfitness for further Service being exported.

From Government, 20th February.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Secry: Marine Board, directing the acceptance of the tender of the Ship Lady Flora for the conveyance to England of three Insane Privates.

To Government No: 37, 28th February.- Acknowledged by the Medical Board, reporting that Dr. J. Appleton, Surgeon of the above Ship, is qualified for the Medical Charge of the 3 Insane Privates, proposed to be embarked for England.

From Government, 2d March.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Department, stating that the above report will be communicated to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

To Government, No: 38, 28th February.- Forwarding to Govt: for ultimate transmission to the Court of Directors, the prescribed Statements in Triplicate of the cases of Insane Privates W. Mellon - J. Mulgrony and J. Dunkin, proceeding to England on the Ship Lady Flora.

From Government, 2d March.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the above Statements will be forwarded to the Court of Directors.

To Governt: No: 39. 5th March.- Reporting to Govt:, that M. Seshamiah, a conditional Pensioner on the Establishment of the Accountant General, is unfit for further effective Service from advanced age and defect of Vision.

From Government, 26th February.- Secretary to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Marine Board, reporting that the Lady Flora will be prepared to receive the 3 Insane Privates on the 2d Proximo.

To Government: No: 40. 10th March.- Forwarding, for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, the Annual Indents for Medical and Veterinary Stores No: 44, dated 1st January, 1846, for the use of the Madras Presidency, with the Medical Board's observations.

From Government, 13th March.- Answered, by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that a copy of the above letter, with the Indents therein mentioned, will be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

To Governt: No: 41, 12th March.- Reporting the Case of J. Rivett, Pensioned

of the 5th Regt: N. I., from the General Hospital to the Lunatic Asylum; and recommending that his admission may be sanctioned.

From Government, 13th March.- Answered, by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating the sanction of Government of his admission.

To Governt: No: 42, 12th March.- Forwarding for eventual transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, the annual Returns of Patients in the Lunatic Asylums for 1845, with the annual Statement of expences, of the Institution, and expressing satisfaction with the manner in which the duties of that Institution have been conducted by the Surgeon in Charge, during the Year.

From Government, 17th March.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the Returns of Patients will be forwarded to the Court of Directors.

To Governt: No: 43, 12th March.- Submitting for favorable consideration of Govt:, copy of a letter from Surgeon Davidson, of the Black Town District, soliciting the continuance of the Monthly Medical Charge of the Chintadrepettah Dispensary. - Answered by Secy: to Govt: in an Extract Minutes of Consultation, authorizing the disbursement of the above allowance for the charge of the Chintadrepettah Dispensary.

From Government, 14th April.- Extract from Mins: of Hon: Mily: Dept:, communicating Extract Mins: of Con: Financial Dept: and Enclosures from the Supreme Govmt: respecting percentage charged at the Bengal Presidency upon the Invoice value of Stores from Europe on their transmission from one Dept:t to another, with instructions.

From Government, 10th March.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter and enclosures from the Supreme Government on the subject of granting Commissions to Members of the Medical Board and to Superintending Surgeons.

From Government, 9th February.- Extract Mins: of Con:, Pub: Dept:, forwarding a supplemental statement from the Civil Auditor and directing that Mr. J. Fonseca of the Govt: Office, a Conditional Pensioner be required to appear before the Board for final examination. - Acknowledged by the Medical Board, requesting to direct Mr. J. Fonseca, to appear

before

before the Medical Board for examination.-

From Government, 13th March. — Secretary to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, requesting to be furnished with a Memorandum shewing the nature & extent of the sickness at present prevalent in the 41st Regiment.- Acknowledged by the Medical Board, forwarding extract of a report from Assist Surgeon Ferrier of the 41st Regt. N.I. relative to the nature and extent of the sickness prevalent in that Corps.-

To Govrnt: No 45. 14th March. — Transmitting, the Half Yearly Abstract Statement of Unadjusted balances, as they stood on the 31st October last, in the public accounts of this Department, against Medical Storekeepers deceased, or gone out of Office.- Answered by Govt: in an Extract Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, authorizing that the undermentioned balances against Surgeon W. R. Smyth, Depy: Med: Store-keeper Masulipatam be relieved from responsibility on that account.-

From Government, 20th March.-

To Government: No 47. 16th March.- — Submitting, for transmission to the Court of Directors copy of the Annual Report of the Asylum at Bhowanipore together with the Returns of Sick treated, and the Annual Statement of the expenses of the Institution for the year 1825, with observations.- Answered by Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept:, stating that a copy of the above letter and report, &c: will be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.-

From Government, 20th March.

To Govrnt: 16th March.- — Submitting for sanction of Govt: a Contingent Bill of extra expenses incurred on account of the Medical School, amounting to Rs. 177-10-11.- Answered by Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the disbursement of the above amount.-

From Government, 20th March. — To Govrnt: No 48, 19th March. — Reporting to Govt: that Mr. J. Greaves, who received a Commission Pension on the Establishment of the Secy: to Govt: Revenue and Judicial Department, is unfit for further effective service from Cataract in both Eyes.-

From Government, 6th March.- — Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Protector of Emigrants, and requesting the Board's opinion relative to the suggestions therein contained regarding an Apothecary or Native Doctor being allowed as Assistants to the Surgeons employed in Emigration Service to the Mauritius.- Answered by the Medical Board reporting that the Medical Subordinate [illegible]

To Government: No 49. 19th March. — Transmitting, for the information of Govt: a Return of Vessels hired for Emigration Service to the West Indies.- Answered by the Medical Board reporting that the Medical Subordinate [illegible]

in the Public Service, and who were found available for charge of Emigrants to the Mauritius in 1843, would also be now available as Assistants for the Medical charge of Emigrants to the West Indies.-

To Govrnt: No 50. 21st March.- — Transmitting in a Proceeding, for the favorable consideration of the Commander in Chief and Govt:, copies of two Letters from Assist Surgeon Sopper, acting Depôt Surgeon Bonamaller, respecting the deductions from the pay of 2d Apothecary Flynn and Assist Apothy: Crummy in lieu of House rent, on account of being provided with Public Quarters and soliciting that a fixed rent equal to the real value of the quarters occupied &c: either their means may be substituted for the allowance now forfeited.- Answered by the Adjt: Genl: of the Army, communicating Extract Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, stating that no exemption can be authorized in favor of 2d Apothy: Flynn and Assist Apothy: Crummy from the regulations of the Service under which they are required to forfeit the heutage or House rent of their rank.-

From Commr: in Chief, 1st May.-

From Government, 24th March. — Extract from Minute of Con:, Ecc: Dept:, requesting to examine & report upon the future of applications from Clergymen Chaplains & others on the duties of the Public Service, the Lord Bishop of Madras, Acting Metropolitan, having applied for the service Particularly of an Officer on his visitation to the Straits.- Acknowledged by the Secy: Med: Board, reporting that Assistant Surgeon Clementson is qualified for the duty adverted to, with observations.- Answered in an Extract Min: of Con: Ecc: Dept:, appointing Assist Surgn: Clementson to attend the Right Reverend the Acting Metropolitan, on his approaching visitation to the Straits, and requesting that that Officer be instructed to prepare for embarkation by the next Steamer for Calcutta, with observations-

To Govrnt: No 51, 26th March.- — From Government, 30th March. — To Govrnt: No 51, 26th March.- — From Government, 30th March. —

From Government, 29th May. — Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept: communicating a letter from the D. A. G. Genl: of the Army, transmitting Nominal & Medical Returns of the C. and F. Companies 5th Battalion Artillery

artillery, under orders of Embarkation to the Straits and from thence to the Coast.-

From Government, 21st March.- Extract from Minutes of Gov.; Mily: Dept, authorizing the acceptance of the Tenders of the Ships "Hindostan." "Mary Anne" and "Westmoreland" for the conveyance to England of H.M. 57th Regiment.-

From Government, 26th March.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept, requesting that the Extract Minn: of Gov. dated 25th instant - No 432, having been cancelled, may be returned.-

To Govt:- No 52, 30th March.- Submitting to Govt:, extract from a communication from Surgeon Cole, charge of Tavoy Dispensary representing the considerable increase both in the number of In-aid-Out-Patients, during the past two years, and that in consequence the services of a 2d Dresser are required, with the Board's recommendation that a Medical Sub-ordinate of that grade may be appointed to the Dispensary.-

From Government, 7th April.- Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept directing reference to the Supreme Government.- Chief Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept: intimating further reference communicating a letter from the Supreme Govt:, directing that the expenditure on account of the appointment of an additional 2d Dresser to the Tavoy Dispensary, may be submitted in the prescribed Tabular Form.-

From Government, 12th May. Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, forwards for report a letter from Mrs J. Jones, claiming Provision of the Child of the late Apothy: J. Jones for aid on behalf of his Infant Daughter.- Acknowledged by Medical Board, forwarding Copy of a letter from the late Apothy: J. Jones, stating that the latter has left an Infant Child under 5 years of age.- Answered by Secy: Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the Child will be sent to the Orphan Asylum at Moulmein.

From Government, 30th March.- Secy: Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the Child has been sent to the Orphan Asylum at Moulmein.

account of the Estate of the late Apothy: Jones, with its directions.-

To Government: No 54, 2d April.- Medical Submitting, to Government, the Board's explanation called for in Extt from Minutes of Consultation Ecclt Dept:, No 31, dated 30th March 1846, respecting Assistt Surgn Fellowes's fitness for the General duties of the Public Service.-

To Government: No 55, 2d April.- Submitting in compliance with the instructions of Govt:, in Extt of Minn: of Gov:, Pub: Dept, dated respectively 8th September and 25th October, 1845, a comparative Statement of the disbursements of Medicines from the Govt: Dispensary for the Half Years ending 15th September, 1845, and 15th March 1846, to which is added a separate Column of Expenditure on the acquisition of Dr Johnstone.-

To Govmt: No 56, 2d April.- Reporting that the Med: Board, made their customary Quarterly visit of Inspection to the Lunatic Asylums, and expressing satisfaction with the manner in which the duties of that Institution, have been conducted by the Surgeon in charge.-

From Government, 7th April.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the above report will be communicated to the Honorable the Court of Directors.-

From Government, 30th March.- Extract from Minn: of Gov:, Mily: Dept:, appointing the Assistt Surgeons of Her Majestys 57th Regt:, proceeding with the Corps to England to the Medical charge of the Troops on board their respective Vessels.-

To Govmt: No 57, 2d April.- Reporting to Govt, that a supply of Medicines, Surgical Instruments, &c., has been furnished to Assistt Surgeon Birrell, M.D., of H.M. 57th Regt: for the use of the Troops proceeding to England on the "Westmoreland."-

From Government, 7th April.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept:, stating that the above letter will be forwarded to the Court of Directors.-

From Government, 30th March.- Extract from Minn: of Gov:, Mily: Dept:, directing that arrangement be made for the embarkation on board the H.C. Steamer "Tenasserim" of part of the 20th Regt: and of part of the 27th Regiment from the Straits to Madras, and that Tenders be invited for Ships to carry the remaining portion of the Troops.-

From Government, 1st April.- Chief Secy: to Govt:, Ecclt Dept:, comts: a letter from the Secy: Marine Board, intimating that a passage to Calcutta has been engaged for Assistt Surgn: Clementson on the Steamer "Precursor" expected at Madras on the 2d Instant.-

To Govern^t: N^o 58. 3^d April.— Reporting, in a Par: to the Comm^r in Chief and Gov^t, the arrival of Surgeon Finnerty, M. D. of this Establishment, by the Steamer "Precursor"; and forwarding the Certificate of the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, to that Officer, to return to his duty without prejudice to his rank.—

To Govern^t: N^o 59. 4^th April.— Transmitting a Return of a Military Patient in the Lunatic Asylum, who is considered to be incurable Lunatic.—Answered

From Government, 7^th April.— by the Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept^t, directing that the above letter and Return be communicated to the Commander in Chief, with a view to that individual being Pensioned or discharged the Service.—

To Govern^t: N^o 60; 6^th April.— Forwarding the prescribed report on Surgical Instruments for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors.—Answered

From Government, 7^th April.— by the Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept^t, stating that the Report on Surgical Instruments received with the above letter, will be forwarded to the Court of Directors.—

To Govern^t: N^o 61, 7^th April.— Transmitting to Gov^t: a Letter from Assist^t Surgeon Chimmo attached to the Collector's Establishment at Bellary, soliciting that he may be permitted, on account of ill health to resign his appointment and his services placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief for Regimental duty.—

To Govern^t: N^o 62, 9^th April.— Reporting to Gov^t:, with reference to Minute of Gov^r, Pub^c Dept^t:, dated 20^th June, 1845, the death of Bhenzah Banpanah, a additional Pensioner on the Establishment of the Sub Assist^t Comm^y General North Division.

From Government, 31^st March.— Extract from Min^t: of Gov^r, Mily Dept^t, directing certain arrangements to be made for the Staff of the Tenasserim Provinces.—

From Government, 6^th April.— Extract from Min^t: of Gov^r, Mily Dept^t, authorizing acceptance of the Tenders of the Owners of the "Duke of Argyle" and "Elanore" for the conveyance of the 21^st Regt N. I. from Moulmein to Madras, and of the latter of the 27^th Regt N. I. from Tenasserim to the Straits, and the Steamer "Indian Queen" for conveyance of the Golundauze from Vizagapatam to the Straits and the Company's Troops to Madras.—

To Govern^t: N^o 63, 11^th April.— Reporting to Gov^t: with reference to Govt: Min^t: of 31^st March a supply of Medicines, Surgical Instruments, &c^a has been furnished to Assist^t Surgeon J. Jackson, of H. M. 57^th Regt for the use of

From Government, 17^th April.— the Troops proceeding to England on the "Mary Ann".—Answered by the Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept^t:, stating that the above letter will be forwarded to the Court of Directors.—

From Government, 7^th April.— Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept^t:, communicating a letter from the officiating Secretary to the Gov^t: of India, Mily: Dept^t:, declining to sanction the erection of Lunatic Wards for European Regimental Hospitals under the Madras Presidency.—

From Acct^t General, 23^d March.— Requesting to be furnished with a Perspective Estimate of Medical Stores expected to be received from Europe, during the ensuing official Year 1846/47.—Answered

To Acct^t Gen^l: N^o 64, 15^th April.— by the Medical Board, transmitting the required Estimate.—

To Govern^t: N^o 65, 15^th April.— Reporting to Gov^t, with reference to Govt: Min^t: of Gov^r, Mily: Dept^t:, dated 30^th ultimo, that a supply of Medicines, Surgical Instruments, &c^a: has been furnished to Assist^t Surgeon F. W. Tapper, of H. M. 57^th Regt:, for the use of the Troops proceeding to England on the "Hindostan".—

From Government, 17^th April.— Answered by the Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept^t:, stating that the above letter will be forwarded to the Court of Directors.—

From Government, 8^th April.— Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept^t:, communicating a letter and enclosure from the Marine Board, and directs acceptance of the tender of the "Sir William Wallace," for the conveyance of Troops to the Straits.—

From Government, 31^st March.— Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept^t, communicating a letter and enclosure from the Govt: of Bombay, on the subject of the Barracks occupied by Her Majesty's 94^th Regiment at Aden.—

To Govern^t: N^o 66, 20^th April.— Transmitting, in reference to the Extract from Min^t: of Gov^r, of Govt: Pub^c: Dept^t:, N^o 64, dated 20^th June 1845, the Proceedings of a Med^l Committee assembled at Cannanore, reporting that M^r J. Bunyan is permanently disqualified for further effective Service.—

To Govern^t: N^o 67.— 23^d April.— Submitting in a Par: for the favorable consideration of the Commander in Chief and Gov^t:, copy of a letter from the Trustees of the Apothecaries Fund, soliciting that the supplies with an increased quantity of Stationary on payment to that authorized in June, 1834.—Answered

From Comm^r in Chief 19^th May.— by the Deputy Assist^t Adjt^t Gen^l: of the army, authorizing the

the increased quantity of Stationary to be supplied on pay: ment.-

From Government, 9th april.- Extract from Mins: of Govt:, Mily: Dept:, appointing Surgn Key, Professor of Chemistry at the Medical School, with instructions and observations.-

From Comr: in Chief, 18th april.- Adjt. Genl of the army, communicating an Extract from Mins: of Govt:, Mily: Dept:, relative to Surgeon Bostocking's arrangements with His Highness the Rajah of Tanjore after his retirement from the Honorable Company's Service.-

From Government, Chief Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, communicating a 2d april.- letter from the Govt: of Bengal, and forwarding 6 Copies of Printed Half Yearly Reports of the Govt: Charitable Dispensaries in the Bengal and North Western Provinces.-

From Government, Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, forwarding a letter from the Staff 18th april.- Officer Poonamallee, and requesting to ascertain whether the late Apoth: Stratton has left any other

To Govmt: No 68, 30th april.- Relatives there, and report Mother.- Acknowledged by the Medical Board, transmitting copy of a letter from the Trustees to the Apothecaries Fund, stating that Mrs L. D'Carlos step Mother of the late Apoth: D'Carlos is the only relative he has left.-

To Govmt: No 69. 30th april.- Transmitting for favorable consideration of Govt:, copy of a letter from the Supt: Medl School, respecting certain additions required to be made to the Building, and stating the same are consequent on the appointment of a Professor of Chemistry and indispensibly necessary.-

From Government, 5th September.- Answered by Govt: in an Extract from Mins: of Govt: Mily Dept:, observing that the late extension in the Plan of Education in the Medl School at the Madras Presidency has met with the sanction of the Supreme Government, but no measures for the enlargement of the Building can be made without the previous orders of the Honble Court.-

From Government, 20th April. Extract from Mins: of Govt:, Mily Dept, granting an Authority for the removal of the 27 Bullocks from the establishment of the Medl Dept at Manbazar to Purulia being made available therefore without reduction.-

From Government, 28th april.- Extract from Mins: of Govt:, Mily: Dept:, directing the discharge from the service of a Assistant Apothy: Fisher, and expressing approbation of the praiseworthy conduct of 2d Lieut Dennes Rungasawmy 26th Regt N.I.-

To Government: No 70, 2d May.- Reporting, in a Pro: to the Commr in Chief and Govt:, the arrival of Dr P. G. Fitz Gerald, by the Steamer "Bentinck," as an Assistt Surgn for this Presidency; forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and recommending that he may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment, and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at the Presidency.-

To Govt: No 71, 5th May.- Submitting a Statement of the value of Medl Stores, reported unserviceable, deficient and surplus at the Presidency, and Outstations for the Year 1845/46 according to the finding of the Annual Committees of Survey; and recommending the relief of the Medical and Deputy Medical Storekeepers from responsibility for the losses and deficiencies.- Answered by Govt: in an

From Government, 19th May.- Extract from Mins: of Govt:, Mily: Dept:, directing that the stores reported to be damaged and deficient be written off the Books, and that the Medical and Depty: Medl: Storekeepers be relieved from responsibility on account of the losses and deficiencies, and the value of the Surplus Medl: Stores be placed to the Public Credit.-

To Government, No 72. 7th May.- Recommending in a Pro: to the Commr in Chief and Govt:, that Assistt Surgn P. G. Fitzgerald M. D. may be appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the 2d Battn Artly: at St Thomas's Mount, instead of under the Surgeon of the General Hospital.-

To Govmt: No 73, 7th May.- Transmitting to Government, an extract from the Proceedings of a Committee on Medical Stores received by the Ship "Boyne" with a statement of articles found deficient from Wastage, Sea, - and the Packing account, in which the Gross Weight of Packages is inserted.- Answered by the

From Government, 12th May.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the documents received with the above letter, will be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.-

To Governmt: No. 74, 7th May.- Reporting to Govt: that P. Iyen Moodelly, C. Dummingoo Moodelly and T. Perriatumbee Moodelly, on the Establishment of the Secy to the Board of Revenue, are unfit for further effective Service from advanced age and defect of Vision.-

To Governmt: No. 75, 7th May.- Submitting for sanction of Govt: an Indent on the Commy: Genl: and a list of articles required by the Professor of Chemistry for the use of the class rooms and for laboratory purposes.-

From Government 29th May.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Milv: Dept: sanctioning the Indent.-

From Government, 5th May.- Secy: to Govt: Revenue Dept: requesting that Mr. C. Monckton a Writer in that Department, may be examined and reported upon as to his fitness for further duty.- Acknowledged by the Medl Board, reporting that Mr. Monckton is unfit for further duty from general debility; partial paralysis of the right leg and being of a severe and Constitution, with rheumatism.-

To Governmt: No. 77, 7th May.- Forwarding two Statements of Superannuation and Retire Pensions for 1845/46 - as required by an order of Govt, published in the Fort St. George Gazette of the 1st May 1846.-

To Governt: No. 78, 7th May.- Transmitting to Govt for sanction an Indent on the Commy: Genl: for a table, required for the use of the Apothecary at tached to the Medl Stores at the Retreat.-

From Government, 12th May.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Milv: Dept: sanctioning the Indent.-

From Government, 11th May.- Secy: to Govt: Milv: Dept: communicating a letter and enclosure from the Dy. Asst. Genl of the army, respecting the climate of Ramanathalley, and the best means of testing the same previous to the Establishment of Sanatoriums on the Hills, and directing the Comdr in Chief to appoint a Medl Committee for that purpose.-

To Govt: No. 79.- 21st May.- Submitting, for transmission to the Govt of India, the prescribed Tabular forms, accompanying the application for a 2d Dresser for the Hospitals and Dispensary at Triplicane.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Milv: Dept: communicating a sanction for the appointment.

From Government, 15th Sept.- Canr Hospitals and Dispensary.- Reporting the transfer of a Lascar Patient from the General Hospital to the Lunatic Asylum; a Document that their admission may be sanctioned.- Answered by the Secy to Govt: Milv: Dept: communicating the sanction for their admission.-

No. 80, 21st May.- From Government 28th May.-

From Government, 7th May.- Extt: Mem: of Con:; Insult: Dept:; communicating a letter and enclosure from the Court of Foujdaree Adalut, regarding the great extent of mortality in the Jail at Madura, and requesting the Medl Board's opinion on a part: Surgeon Anderson's letter on the subject.- Acknowledged by the Medl Board, forwarding their observations on the letter from Apstt Surgn: Anderson to the Subordinate Judge at Madura.-

To the Register to the Court of Foujdaree Adalut, 21st May.-

To Govt: No. 82, 21st May.- Submitting to Govt: copy of letter and its enclosures from Apstt Surgn: Shivens, soliciting that his name may be put on the roll as having held Medl charge of the Collectorate of Bellary, up to 30th April, the day on which he was relieved by Apstt Surgn: Jopp M.D.-

From Government, 19th May.- Secy: to Govt: Milv: Dept: communicating for the Board's opinion, a letter from the Resident at Hydrabad recommending that the Surgeon's anatomical figure, and Chemical apparatus with reagents, be disposed of on account of the abolition of the Bolarum Medl School, may be applied to the Medl School at Madras.- Acknowledged by the Medl Board, suggesting that a list in detail of the Chemical Apparatus &c be procured for their information.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: directing that the Resident at Hyderabad be requested to forward the required List.- Secy: to Govt: on further communication, forwards a letter from the Resident at Hyderabad with list of the Chemical Apparatus.-

To Govemt: No. 83. 21st May.- From Government, 28th May.- From Government, 16th June.- From Government, 11th July.-

Secy: to Govt: Milv: Dept: communicating a letter from the Resident at Hyderabad, withdrawing his letters regarding the disposal of the Chemical Apparatus belonging to the Bolarum Medl School, for reasons stated.-

From Government, 12th May.- Secy: to Govt:, Milv: Dept, communicating a letter from the Offg: Secy: to the Govt of India, and forwarding copy of the "Practical Manual on the History and Treatment of the diseases of the Bullock, by Apstt Surgn: Gilchrist of this Establishment.-

To Govemt: No. 84. 22d May.- Reporting as a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief and Govt:, the arrival of W. Aitken M.D., as an Apstt Surgeon for this Presidency; forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, and recommending that he

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may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital.-

To Govermt: No: 85, 23d May.- Reporting the admission into the Lunatic Asylum of two Hindoo Prisoners; and recommending that their admission may be sanctioned.- Answered by the Secy: Govt: Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the Admission.-

From Government, 29th May.- Mily: Dept:, cautioning the Dominion.-

From Government, 29th May.- Extracts from Minr: of Com:, Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the disbursement of the Rs: 1/2 from Medl: Store: Invoice No: 1 of certain Chemical articles for the Medl: School.-

From Government, Chief Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, communicating the 23d April.- and enclosing from Lieutn: Gill, 44th Regt: N: I: and requesting that the necessary instructions be issued for forwarding a larger supply of Medicines to that Station.-

To Govermt: No: 86, 28th May.- Reporting the appointment and Grand at Adjutantab:- acknowledged.-

From Government, 19th May.- Medical Board, reporting that the Sadr: Surgeon: Hyd: Sub: Force has been instructed to supply a third Assistant for the use of Captain Elliot's Detachment, and Guard, at Adjutantab:- Govt: Mint: Hyd: Bank reports for Medl: Subordinates, to be forwarded to the Commissioner in Mysore for his Information.- Pensions, and that the Medl: Board be informed in this communication with these instructions for the future.-

To Govermt: No: 87; 30th May.- Recommending in a Pro: to the Commander in Chief and Govt:, that a Asstt: Surgn: M. J. Vanlomman M: D:, may be appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at Bangalore.-

From Government, 29th May.- Transmitting, in ref: to the Extract from Minr: of Com: in the Pub: Dept:, No: 335, dated 19th November 1845, the Proceedings of a Medl: Committee assembled at Masulipatam, reporting that Hanumanmukhee Kantaceroota, is pernicious in its effects.-

From Government, 29th May.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, confirming Extract from Minr: of Com: Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the Division Orders of the Madras Division, transferring Asstt: Surgeon Foster with Regt: N: I: to Bangalore as early as possible to join the field force.-

To Govt: No: 89; 2d June.- Narrapatam.- Forwarding to Govt: copies of letter from Superintending Surgeon

Surgeon Nag: Sub: Force and Asstt: Surgeon Arthur, M. D., representing the low rate of pay allowed to the Body Woman performing the duty of Nurse in the Female Ward of the Hospital Br: Troop Horse artillery, suggesting that the Pay may be increased to Five [5] Rupees, and the Pay may be increased to Five [5] Rupees, and the observations.- Answered in an Extract from Minr: of Com:

From Government, 9th June.- Mily: Dept:, authorizing that the Pay of the Hospital Nurse Br: Troop Horse Artillery be increased to Rs: 5 per mensem and that in European Regimental Hospitals one new and that in European Regimental Hospitals where only one female attendant is allowed as Nurse be in future entertained on Rs: 5 per mensem.-

To Govermt: No: 90, 4th June.- Submitting for sanction of Govt: copy of a letter from Asstt: Surgeon Fishing with the Indent therein mentioned respecting the employment of a Coty in the Detail Hospital at Singapore.- Answered

From Government, 11th June.- by Govt: in an Extr: Minr: of Com:, Mily: Dept:, directing that the charge for a Coty employed to attend on the Sick wives of the 4th N: I: at Singapore be admitted in the accounts of the Commissariat Department.-

To Govermt: No: 91, 5th June.- Reporting to Govt: that 2 Europeans afflicted with Insanity require to be sent to England.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:

From Government, 9th June.- directing that the above letter be communicated to the Marine Board, with instructions to engage passage to England for the 2 Insane European Patients.-

To Govermt: No: 92, 6th June.- Transmitting an Indent on the Medl: Storekeeper at Fort William for 200 lbs of Patna Opium, for the use of the Medl: Dept: of this Presidency, for the year 1846/47, and recommending that it may be forwarded to Calcutta.-

From Government, 8th June.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter and enclosures from the Resident at Hyderabad relative to the great prevalence of Cholera at Maniabad.-

To Govermt: No: 93, 16th June.- Reporting in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt: the death of Surgn: Surgn: J. J. Louron at the Cape of Good Hope, and recommending that Senior Asstt: Surgn: A. Mackintosh M. D. may be promoted to the rank of Surgeon.-

To Govermt: No: 94, 16th June.- Forwarding for ultimate transmission to the Honble the Court of Directors the General Annual Return of Vaccination in the Civil Department, for the year 1845- together with the usual Statement of Expenditure of Price at the Vaccine Depot at the Residency, with observations.-

may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital.-

To Govt: No: 85, 23d May.- Reporting the admission into the Lunatic Asylum of two Native Prisoners, and recommending that their admission may be sanctioned.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the Admission.-

From Government, 29th May.- Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the Admission.-

From Government, 29th May.- Extract from Minr: of Cons: Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the distributement of the Vote from Mysore Sums &c. for certain Chemical Articles for the Medl: School.-

From Government, 23d April.- Chief Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, communicating a letter and enclosure from Captain Gill, 44th Regt N. I. and requesting that the necessary instructions be issued for furnishing a larger supply of Medicines to that Officer's Detachment.-

To Govt: No: 86, 28th May.- Medical Board, reporting that the Indy: Surgeon: Hyl: Sub: Force has been instructed to supply a third Dose and Quarter, at Arcotah, with Chowtry.-

From Government, 19th May.- Extt: Mins: of Cons: Govt:, Mily: Dept:, directing that the blank reports for Medl: Subordinates, be forwarded to the Commissioners in Mysore and the Ceded Districts; and that the Medl: Board be placed in direct communication with these authorities for the future.-

To Govt: No: 87, 30th May.- Recommending in a Pro: to the Commander in Chief and Govt:, that Assist: Surgn: W. J. Vanderman M. D., may be appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at Bangalore.-

To Govt: No: 88, 1st June.- Transmitting, in reference to the Extract from Minr: of Cons: in the Pub: Dept:, No: 235, dated 19th November, 1845, the Proceedings of a Medl: Committee assembled at Mainbooree Pattacarra, reporting that Havoonmuthee Pattacarra, a Sepoy of the 2nd Regt: Local Horse, is permanently disqualified for further effective Service.-

From Government, 29th May.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, confirming Extract from Minutes of the Northern Division, directing Assist: Surgeon Forster 41st Regt: N. I. to proceed to Dharwar as early as possible to join the field force at Nuzeapatam.-

To Govt: No: 89, 4th June.- Forwarding to Govt:, copies of letters from Superintending Surgeon

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To Govt: No: 91, 5th June.- Reporting to Govt: that 2 Europeans afflicted with Mental derangement, and now in the Lunatic Asylum, require to be sent to England.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept:,

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To Govt: No: 94, 16th June.- Forwarding for alternate transmission to the Honble the Court of Directors the General Annual Return of Vaccination in the Civil Department, for the year 1845- together with the usual Statement of Expenditure of Rs: at the Vaccine Depot at the Residency, with observations.-

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From Government, 11th June.- Extract from Minutes of Govr. Milty: Deptt., containing observations and instructions relative to Office Furniture and forwarding a Form of Indent.-

To Govt. No. 95. 18th June.- Submitting for sanction, three Bills received from the Asst. Milty: Deptt, Fort St. George, for £1-14-5, for freight of

From Government, 23d June.- Medl. Stores.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt., Milty: Deptt, sanctioning the above Bills.-

To Govemt: No. 96. 18th June.- Reporting to Govt, that Mr. Treasurer Brodelly, a Conditional Pensioner on the establishment of the Secy: Revenue Board is unfit for further service from age and infirm vision.-

To Govt: No. 97. 18th June- Submitting for approval of Govt., draft of a Code of Rules for the Medl. School, drawn up in common, with the Chief Medl. and Medl. Officers, and made applicable to the extended course of instruction proposed to be given in future at that Institution; and recommending that Mr. Harding may be appointed Professor of Medicine" and Mr. Short "Professor of Surgery.- Answered by Govt in an Extract, Milty: Genl., Milty: Deptt, sanctioning the above observations relative to the Office Furniture proposed appointments of a Surgn. & Apothy: Hyam as Teacher of Anatomy to the Medl. School.-

From Government, 14th July.-

To Govemt: No. 98, 18th June.- Representing in a Pas: to the Commr. in Chief a Govt: with reference to a revised set of Rules for conducting the course of Study at the Medical School previously forwarded to Govt.; in which half Yearly Examinations of the Students are dispensed with and Annual Examinations substituted; and recommending that the promotion of Medl. Officers may in future be made as vacancies occur, instead of after the examinations and that the number of Senior Apprentices be fixed at ⅓ of the Class ovjt: 24.-

From Government, 10th June.- Extract from Mem: Flor., Ord: Deptt, directing that Chalkpahath Encampment - Excavations, Pensions &c. appear before Medl. Committees at the expiration of 12 months for final examination.-

From Government, 12th June.- Secy: to Govt: Pub: Deptt., communicating a letter from the Secy: to the Govt: of India, authorizing the employment of 2 Extra Vaccinators as a temporary measure by the Collector of Tinnevelly on a Salary of Rs: 10-8-0 each per Mensem.-

To Govemt: No. 99, 22d June.- Reporting the transfer of two Insane Patients, from the General Hospital to the Lunatic asylum, and recommending that their admission may be sanctioned.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Genl: Deptt., sanctioning the admission.-

From Government, 23d June.-

To Govemt: No. 100. 24th June- Submitting to Govt: extract of a Bill received from the accountt. Milty: Deptt., for freight of a Package of Medl. Stores, shipped on the Brig "Joy," for Singapore.- and recommending that it may receive the sanction of Government.- Answered by Govt. in an Extract

From Government, 30th June- Minute of Consn., Milty: Deptt., sanctioning the same.-

From Government, 16th June.- Extract from Minutes of Consn., Milty: Deptt., containing a Despatch from the Honble Court of Directors, Milty: Deptt., containing instructions relative to the requisition for removal of Apoth: Surgeon Molle from the Medl. Charge of the Zillah of Madura on account of his intemperate habits.-

To Govemt: No. 102. 26th June.- Stating to Govt: the transfer of a letter from the Supg: Surgn: Nag: Sub: Force, together with a Cash receipt for Rupees 105, duly endorsed.-

From Government, 4th June.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Milty: Deptt, acknowledging the receipt of the above letter relative to the Estate of the late 2d Apothy: J. Clarke, 2d European L. I.-

To Govemt: No. 103. 29th June.- Reporting in a Pas: to the Commr. in Chief & Govt:, the arrival of Mr. J. Crawford, as an Apoth: Surgeon for this Presy:, by the Steamer "Precursor" and forwarding the certificate of his appointment by the Court of Directors, and requesting that he may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the 2d Batn. Artillery.-

To Govemt: No. 104, 30th June.- Transmitting to Govt: an Extract from the Proceedings of a Committee on Medical Stores, received by the Ship "Hackney" together with the packing account.- Answered From Government- 7th July.- by the Secy: to Govt., Milty: Dept:, stating that the above Extract from

To Govert: No. 105, 1st July.- Rec: the communication of Medl. Stores with be forwarded to the Honble the Court of Directors with the letter from the Medl. Board.-

From Commr in Chief 10th August.- Forwarding in a Pro: for Family consideration a letter and its enclosures from Apoth Surgeon W. Wilson soliciting that full Batta may be granted Him from the date of his arrival at Madras.- Answered by the Dep. Adjt Genl of the Army, communicating the sanction of Govt for full Batta being disbursed to Apoth Surgeon Wilson from the date of arrival of the 54th Regt. N.I. at Madras with observations.-

No. 106

To Govt: No. 107.- 22 July.- Reporting the Medl. Board's Quarterly visit of Inspection to the Lunatic Asylums, and expressing satisfaction the manner in which the duties of this Institution have been conducted by the Surgeon in charge.

From Government; 7th July.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept, stating that a copy of the above report was forwarded to the Honble the Court of Directors.-

To Govert: No. 108; 6th July.- Reporting that a Company, effected with mental derangement, and now in the Lunatic Asylum, require to be sent to England.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt, Mily: Dept, stating that the above letter will be communicated to the Marine Board.-

From Government; 2d July.- Extt from Min: of Con:- Mily: Dept, directing that the bona confered by the Court of Directors, be issued to Apoth Paterson, Lees, Kellow and White, with observations.- Answered by the Medical Board reporting that Mr Apothy Paterson, having for the last Eight Years fully maintained the highly respectable character he bore previous to the unfortunate occurrence which forced the subject of Min: of Con, Pub. Dept dated 23d May, 1837, the circumstances with that Minute has not come in the opinion of the Board constitute any bar to his advancement.

To Government No. 110. 13th July.- Transmitting Govt with reference to the order para: 9 of Board's letter No. 71, Statement of the value of the Medl. Stores exported, received, issued, sold, destroyed, returned unserviceable, deficient, surplus in the Medical Depot at Singapore for the Year 1845/46, with observations.-

From Government, 16th July.- Answered by Govt in an Extract Min: of Govt

Mily: Dept:, granting authority; for the value of the above Medl Stores, in the Depot at Singapore being written off the Books, &c:-

From the Actg Genl 6th July.- Requesting to be furnished with an Estimate of the value of Medl Stores expected to be issued from Bengal, during the ensuing official Year 1846/47.- Acknowledged by the Medl Board, transmitting the required Estimate.-

To Actg Genl No. 111. 14th July.-

From Commr in Chief, 30th June.- Dep: Adjt Genl of the Army, communicating an Extract from Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, in ref: to No. 122, of 1845, forwarding Extt from the Honble the Court's letter dated 22d April last No. 27, declining to sanction Apoth Surgn Plumbe's Memorial to be relieved from the loss of his consolidated Salary.-

From Commr in Chief, 30th June.- Dep: Adjt Genl of the Army, communicating an Extract Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, in ref: to No. 146, of 1845, forwarding Extts from the Honble Court's Letter dated 22d April 1846, No. 27, stating that the Memorial of Apoth Surgn Boyce should be replied to in their correspondence with the Govts of India.-

To Govert: No. 112, 15th July.- Submitting in a Pro: to the Commr in Chief and Govt: a brief Statement of Service of 2d Dresser Shaik Mucktoom No. 42, who has been passed over in promotion and recommending in consequence of his excellent character that he may be granted a compensation equivalent to the difference of pay between a 1st and 2d Dresser Extt: Rs. 10-8-- per mensem.- Answered by the Depty: Adjt Genl of the Army, communicating Extt Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, sanctioning as a special case the disbursement of Rs 10-8-- per mensem to 2d Dresser Shaik Mucktoom in addition to his present pay.-

From Commr in Chief, 10th Augt.-

From Government, 8th July.- Extract from Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the acceptance of the Tender of the "Mary Ann" for the Conveyance of Invalids of the Bombay Company's Service to England.- Acknowledged by the Medical Board, reporting that Mr J. McKenzie, Surgeon of the ship "Mary Ann" is qualified for the Medl charge of Invalids proposed to be embarked for England on that Vessel.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept stating that the above letter will be forwarded to the Honble the Court of Directors.-

To Govert: No. 113, 16th July.-

From Government, 21st July.-

From Government, 4th July.- Extract from Mins: of Cons; Judl. Dept, forwarding correspondence for the Board's opinion on the proposed alteration of the site of the new Hospital of the Penitentiary on the bank of the Coovum River.-

To Govert: No. 114, 16th July.- Acknowledged by the Med. Board, stating their opinion on the proposed alteration in the site of the Hospital of the New Penitentiary buildings with observations.-

To Govert: No. 115, 16th July.- Submitting for the sanction of Govt: an Indent on the Convey: Genl: for articles required by the Professor of Chemistry for the use of the Medical School.- Answered in the Judl: Dept; directing that the articles mentioned in the above Indent be supplied.-

From Government, 21st July.- Govt: Mily: Dept; directing that the Deputy: Adjt: Genl. of the Army be furnished with a copy of the Govt: Order No. 2?, containing observations on the Returns of Europeans and Native Chiefs of the Army for 1846, and Report upon the health of Troops in the Presidency and Conjeeveram.-

From Comdr in Chief, 31st June.- Communicating Extract from a Letter from the Court of Directors dated 22? April last No. 27, in ref: to Nos 157, 245, Extract from a Letter Submitting, for transmission to the Honble the Court of Directors, the Annual report of the Med. School, for the Year 1845, together with extracts from reports on the Conduct and attainments of Assist. Apothecaries and Second Dressers, who have passed thro' the School & expressing satisfaction at the manner in which the duties of the Institution have been conducted by the Supt. and his Assist. during the Year; with observations.- Answered in an Extract from Mins: of Cons: Mily: Dept, directing that the above letter and its enclosures be brought to the notice of the Honble the Court of Directors, with observations.-

To Govert: No. 116, 17th July.- Transmitting to Govt: the General annual Report for 1845, upon the Civil Dispensaries Establishment throughout the Madras Presidency, with Statement of the expenses of those Institutions during the Year.-

From Government, 13th August.-

To Govert: No. 117, 17th July.-

To Govert: No. 118, 23d July.- Submitting a communication from Surgeon Lawder, requesting that the repairs which the Lunatic Asylum has undergone have been performed in a very superficial manner, and that the building is in an unsound state, with observations.- Answered in an Extract from Mins: of Cons: Mily: Dept; directing that the above report with the correspondence connected with it, be forwarded to the Court of Directors, and that their authority be solicited for the construction of a Lunatic Asylum at Madras at a cost not exceeding three Lacs and a half of Rupees.-

From Government, 23d September.-

To Govert: No. 119, 23d July.- Re-transmitting to Govt: the draft of the Regulations for the Med. School, revised in conformity with the views of Govt: with observations.- Answered in an Extract from Mins: of Cons: Mily: Dept; approving of the Draft of Regulations for the Med. School with certain alterations.-

From Government, 11th August.-

From Comdr in Chief, 16th July.- Deputy: Adjt Genl of the army, forwards Extract Mins: of Cons: with its accompaniments, and requesting that Medical Boards report upon the claims of Apothy: J. Hogg, praying that he may be elected as one of the five to whom the increase of pay &c. be accorded, in consideration of his Senior.- Acknowledged by the Med. Board

To the Adjt Genl of the Army No. 866, 23? July.- Submitting their explanations on the Memorial of Apothy: J. Hogg.- Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the army,

From Comdr in Chief, 18th August.- communicating Extract from Mins: of Cons: Mily: Dept: containing observations on the claims of Apothy: Hogg to the boon conferred by the Court of Directors on the 5 Senior Apothecaries of the Presidency.-

To Govert: No. 120, 28th July.- Transmitting to Govt:, a further communication from the Deputy: Surgn: Navy: Sub: Force, respecting the pleadge of the Estate of the late 2d Apothecary J. Clarke.-

To Govert: No. 121, 29th July.- Reporting in a Pro: to the Comdr in chief and Govt: the arrival of J. Wilson, M.D., as an Assist. Surgn for this Presidency, by the Ship "City of Poonah"; forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Honble the Court of Directors, and recommending his being admitted on the Establishment, and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon 2d Batt. Artly: at St. Thomas's Mount.-

To Govert: No. 122, 29th July.- Reporting in a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief and Govt: the arrival of Assist. Surgn J. B. Reynolds of this Establishment by the "City of Poonah"; and forwarding the Certificate of the permission of the Honble the Court of

of Directors, to that Officer, to return to his duty without prejudice to his rank.-

From Government, 24th July.- Secy: to Govt., Revenue Dept., communicating a letter and enclosure from the Revenue Board, requesting the Medl: Board will countersign the Certificate therewith submitted, if satisfied as to the validity for the leave required by Assll: Surgn: Oswell of the Bengal Service.- Acknowledged by the Medl: Board, returning the Certificate granted at the Cape of Good Hope by Mr. Assistt: Surgn: Duly countersigned by the Physician General.-

To Govermt: No. 123, 30th July.-

To Govermt: No. 124, 30th July.- Forwarding in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt., for eventual transmission to the Court of Directors, copy of Surgeon Maule's Memorial, on the subject of loss of Medl: Staff Salary & emolument on his removal from the 13th to the 14th Regt: N.I. the original of which accompanied the Board's Proceedings No. 974 of 1843.- with copy of his explanatory letter for submitting a second appeal.- And from Commr: in Chief, 4th August. by the Depy: Adjt: Genl: of the Army, forwarding letter from Assistt: Surgn: Maule, declaring his claim for Medl: Staff Salary & emolument on his removal from the 13th to the 14th Regt: N.I. the original of which accompanied the Board's Proceedings No. 974 of 1843.- with copy of his explanatory letter for submitting a second appeal.- And by the Depy: Adjt: Genl: of the Army, forwarding letter from Assistt: Surgn: Maule, declaring his claim preferred by Surgeon Maule.-

From Government, 11th July. Extract from Mins: P. Cons: 11th: Dept., communicating a letter from the Court of Directors, containing instructions relative to the future embarkation of Invalids and Invasn: Patients to England and requesting the Medl: Board to report thereon.- Acknowledged by the Medl: Board, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief & Govt:; forwarding the required report.-

To Govermt: No. 125, 30th July.- Submitted to Govt: in an Extract from Mins: of Medl: Depts: directing enquiries to the Medl: Board regarding the adoption of despatch dated 13th May last: No. 7: the adoption of certain regulations for the embarkation of Invalids & Invasn: Patients & Comfort- & Victls: Service and Invasn: Patients in Steamers.-

From Government, 24th Octr.- By the Medl: Board, in reply, submitting a Prospectus of Assistt: Surgeon Gratiaen Permanion to be published by Assistt: Surgeons of this Establishment; with the object of a Medl: School.- and soliciting permission to subscribe for 50 Copies of the work.-

To Govt: No. 126, 30th July.-

From Government, 6th August.- Forwarding Copy of a Letter from the Medl: Board to Govt: Medl: Depts: enclosing Certificates

the Medl: Board to subscribe for 50 Copies of the above work.-

From Government, 27th July.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Supreme Govt:, relative to the transfer of the Wing of H.M. 94th Regt: at Aden to Bengal, and the relief of the 47th Regt: N.I. from Aden.-

To Govermt: No. 127, 31st July.- Reporting to Govt: the appearance of Cholera at Paumben amongst the Pilgrims and inhabitants, and suggesting that the inspection of Vessels passing through the Channel to Ceylon, may be authorized.-

From Government, 6th Augt.- Answered by the Depy: Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, forwarding copy of a letter addressed to the Government of Ceylon, suggesting the provision of Quarantine Regulations, with a view to prevent the introduction of Cholera into that Island.-

To Govermt: No. 128. 31st July.- Reporting, to Govt: the admission into the Lunatic Asylum of a Hindoo Prisoner, and recommending that this Native may be sanctioned.-

From Government, 4th August.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Judl: Dept:, sanctioning the admission.-

To Govermt: No. 129, 1st August.- Reporting, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, the arrival of Mr. J. B. Fleming, as an Assistant Surgeon for this Presidency, by the Ship "Samarang" and forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Court of Directors, and recommending that he may accordingly be admitted on the Establishment, and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at the Presidency.-

To Government No. 130, 1st August.- Reporting in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Government, the arrival of Assistt: Surgeon J. Forbes, of this Establishment, by the Ship "Samarang"; and forwarding the Certificate of the permission of the Honble: the Court of Directors, to that Officer, to return to his duty without prejudice to his rank.-

To Govermt: No. 131. 4th August.- Submitting, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, a list of dates of ranks of Assistt: Surgeons, for publication in General Orders, in continuation of that which appeared in G. O. Gy. No. 155, of the 12th August 1845.-

To Govermt: No. 132, 6th August.- Forwarding, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Government, forwarding copy of a letter and enclosures from the Dept: Surgeon at Cuddalore with reference to G. O. G. No. 206, of

From Comm^r in Chief, 29th August.-

of 1835, requesting to be informed whether his situation is considered in the Military branch of the Profession, with observations.- Answered by the Secy: Mily^y Dept^t, enclosing Army, communicating decision of Govt, referring this subject matter of the Dep^t Surgeon ab Cuddalore, to the Govt of India.- Answered by the Secy: Mily^y Dept^t, requiring

From Comm^r in Chief, 27th October.-

Army, in further communication, forwarding copy of Extract Minute of Con: of Govt, Mily: Dep^t, commun-icating a letter from the Govt of India, concurring in the Army; opinion with the Medl Board of that Presidency, re-garding the eligibility of certain Medical Officers for the appointment of Superintending Surgeon.-

From Government, 31st July.-

To Govern^t: No 133, 1st August.-

Secy: to Govt: Political Dep^t, forwarding copy of correspondence respecting the Lazaretto at Pallipoot near Cochin, and requests that the necessary instructions be issued for the guidance of the Officer in charge of that institution.-

From Government, 11th August.-

To Govern^t: No 135, 7th August.-

Reporting the transfer of 3 Insane Patients from the General Hospital to the Lunatic Asylum.- Requesting, with a view to their admission.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dep^t, conveying the sanction that Assist^t Surgeon J. Pratt, M.D., is eligible for the general duties of the Army.-

To Govern^t: No 136 10th August.-

Transmitting Half Yearly Abstract Statement (Blank) of Pay-muster Accounts of the Madr Dep^t, against Medical Storekeepers deceased, or gone out of Office.-

To Govern^t: No 137, 13th August.-

Reporting, in a Rec: to the Comm^r in Chief and Govern^t, that Assist^t Surgeon J. McGregor M.D., is eligible for the general duties of the Army.-

To Govern^t: No 138, 13th August.-

Reporting, that 3 European Officers with mental derangement, and none in the Straits Settlements, require to be sent to England.-

From Government, 15th August.-

To Govern^t: No 139, 13th August.-

From Government, 17th August.-

Reporting the Admission into the Straits Settlements of a Hindoo Female Pauper named Chandayee, and recommending that her Admission may be sanctioned by Govt as an Exception from Rule 11 of Con: Mily: Dep^t, sanctioning the Admission.- Reporting, that there is a harmless Idiot in the Lunatic Asylum, and requesting the sanction of his transfer to the Moorgan Country.- Answered by the Deputy

Secretary to Govt: Pub: Dept, sanctioning his transfer.-

To Govern^t: No 140, 13th August.-

Submitting for publication in the Fort St George Gazette, a Notification, respecting the formation of a new Class at the Medl School, to commence the course of Study early in October next.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept, sanctioning the publication of the above Notifica-tion in the Fort St George Gazette.-

From Government, 19th augt.-

To Govern^t: No 141, 17th August.-

Reporting, that there are two harmless Idiots at the Lunatic Asylum, and requesting the sanction of Govt for their transfer to the Moorgan Country.- Answered by the Deputy Secy: to Govt: Pub: Dept, sanctioning their transfer.-

From Government, 18th August.-

To Govern^t: No 142, 17th August.-

Recommending, in a Rec: to the Comm^r in Chief and Govt:, the promotion of Assist^t Surgeon W. Gilchrist to the Establishment deceased.-

From Government, 14th August.-

Ext^t Minute of Con:, Mily: Dept, authorizing the acceptance of the tender of the Ships "Tartar", for the conveyance of 4 Insane Patients to England.-

To Govern^t: No 143, 17th August.-

Reporting, that, Mr R. H. Pierce, Surgeon of the Tartar, is qualified for the Medl charge of the above Insane Patients proposed to proceed to England.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept, stating that the above report will be communicated to the Court of Directors.-

From Government, 18th August.

To Govern^t: No 144, 18th August.-

Forwarding to Govt for eventual transmission to the Court of Directors, the Prescribed Statements of 7 Insane Patients, about to embark for England, on the Ship Tartar.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept, stating that the Statements will be forwarded to the Court of Directors.-

From Government, 18th August.-

From Government, 17th August.

Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept, communicating a letter from the Marine Board, reporting that the Ship Tartar will be prepared to receive the Seven Insane Patients proceeding on her to England on the Evening of the 18th Instant.-

From Government, 15th August.-

Extract from Mins: of Con: Mily: Dept, authorizing acceptance of the tender of the "Tartar" for the Convey-ance to England of 3 Insane Patients.-

To Government No 145, 20th August.-

Reporting to Govt, that T. Varasawmy, a Condition^d Peon on

on the Establishment of the Revenue Board is useful for further effective Service; from defect of vision, and Chronic Rheumatism.-

To Govert: No. 146, 20th August.- Forwarding in a Pro: to the Comm: in Chief and Govr: a Memorial letter addrest to the Court of Directors from Apothecary Bagley of the Med: Board Office, praying that he may either be admitted as one of the Five Apothecaries entitled to the Room authorized by the Honble Court, or that he may be granted an equivalent by being placed on the same footing with the Apothecary of the Med: Board Office in Bengal, with observations.-

To Govert: No. 147, 20th August.- Requesting the sanction of Govt: for the purchase of Copies of the Code of Med: Regulations, from the Asylum Press, at Rupees 5/4 for each; for the use of the Med: Depart:- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept:, directing the purchase of the above number of Copies of the Code of Regulations and 2 Copies extra for the use of the Govt: Office.-

To Govt: No. 148 20th August.- Reporting as a Pro: to the Comm: in Chief and Govr: the arrival of Mr. D. Mackenzie, as an Assist: Surgn: for this Presidency, & this Officer's Robert Small's and forwarding the certificate of his appointment & the Honble the Court of Directors, and recommending that he may be admitted on the Establishment and appointed to do duty under the Surgn: of the 2d Batn: Artly: at St. Thomas's Mount.-

From Comdr: in Chief 21st July.- Forwards Extract from a Report by Brigr: Genl: Andrews upon the Medical Establishment of Kelat Genl: of the Army. Fraser Arrangements for the Treatment of Wounded Soldiers in the Field.- Acknowledged as a Report by Brigr: Genl: Andrews upon the performance of Duty by the Med: Board, reporting the results of an enquiry by the Med: Board, respecting the diseases in the Sylhet Wing 74th Madras Infantry.- Answered by the Adjt: Genl: of the Army, & the Dy: Adjt: Genl: of the Army; Copy: Extract from Mily: Dept: containing instructions of Govt: in the Revenue Dept: respecting the prevalence of Fever in the Sylhet Wing 74th Madras Infantry.-

To Adjt: Genl: of the Army: No. 197.- 20th augt.-

From Comdr: in Chief 29th Decr.-

From Government, 3d August.- Secretary to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Secy: to the Govt: of India, Mily: Dept:, containing instructions regarding the disposal of the Wings of Her Majesty's 9th Regt: at Bengal and Aden.-

From Government, 10th August.- Extract Mins: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, communicating Extract from a General letter from the Court of Directors, No. 9, of 1846, containing observations on the Returns of Sick in the Civil Department for 1843, in reference to No. 41, of 1845.-

From Government, 4th August.- Extract from Mins: of Con:, Pub: Dept:, communicating Extract of a letter from the Court of Directors dated 20th May, No. 12, of 1846, containing observations on the Vaccination and Civil Returns for the Year 1843.-

From Government, 18th August.- Depy: Adjt: Genl: of the Army, communicating Extract Mins: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, containing observations relative to the false statements made in the Petition of Pensioned Apothecary R. Hughes, against Surgeon W. R. Smyth.-

To Govert: No. 149, 26th August.- Requesting certain corrections to be made in the Draft of the Regulations established for the Medical School, and published in G.O.G. No. 188 of 1846, under the head of Kurrah.-

To Govert: No. 150, 26th August.- Transmitting, an Extract from the Proceedings of a Med: Committee appointed to examine and deliver over to the Medical Storekeeper, the consignment of Med: Stores for the use of this Presidency, received by the Ship "City of Ponah," with a statement of articles found deficient from breakage and other causes, as per the Packing account, in duplicate, in which the gross weight of Packages is inserted.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the documents received with the above letter, will be forwarded to the Honble the Court of Directors.-

From Government, 29th August.- Extract from Mins: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, communicating Extract from a letter from the Court of Directors dated 17th June last, No. 36, containing observations on the Annual Return of Sick treated in the Neilgherries during the Year 1844.-

From Government, 18th August.- Depy: Secy: to Govt:, Revenue Dept:, communicating a letter from the Marine Board, and containing the Indent submitted to the Med: Board for certain Medicines required for the use of the Brig "Nauhsa."-

From Government, 24th August.- Transmitting two Copies of the "Code of Regulations," with a copy of a Memo: from the Supt: of the Female Asylum

To Govert: No. 151, 31st August.-

Asylum Press, stating his inability to supply more than 96 Copies of the work.-

To Govt:- No. 152, 1st September.- Submitting, in a Res: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, a list of dates of rank of Assist. Surgeons, for publication in General Orders, in continuation of that which appeared in G.O. Gy. No. 184, of the 7th August last.-

From Government, 31st August.- Depy: Adjtt Genl of the Army, in reference to No. 184, of 1845, forwards decision of the Court of Directors, stating that the subject of Assist. Surgeon Rogers' Memorial regarding Furlough to Europe will be noticed in their correspondence with the Govt of India.

To Govt:- No. 153, 3d September, Submitting, ~~Recommending for practice to~~ for sanction, ~~the Recommendations of~~ have a set of elevated platform settings made for rendering the accommodation in the Dissecting Room of the Med: School more convenient.-

From Government, 8th September.- Answered by the Sec: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the above letter will be communicated to the Mily: Board, with instructions to cause the required additions to the Dissecting Room of the Medical School to be made as proposed.-

To Govt:- No. 154, 3d September, Forwarding for sanction of Govt: an Indent on the Commissary General for articles required for the use of the Medical School.- Answered by the,

From Government, 8th Sept:- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the Commissary General will be instructed to supply the articles agreeably to the Indent submitted, for the use of the Med: School.-

From Government, 26th August.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept, communicating a letter from the Secy: to the Govt: of India, intimating the arrival at Calcutta of Assist. Surgeon J. Dodd, & this Establishment and of his having assumed charge of the Office of Deputy Secy Master of the Mint at that Presidency.-

From Government, 18th August.- Extract from Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept, sanctioning Estimates for making certain improvements, &c:, to the Hospital at Palamcottah, and for providing Glass for the Doors and Windows, with the Chunam.-

To Govt:- No. 155, 8th September.- Reporting, in a Res: to the Commr in Chief and Govt: that Assistant Surgeons A. C. Cunnie, M. D., is eligible for the general duties of the Army.-

To Govt:- No. 156, 10th September.- Forwarding to Govt: the Res: of a Medl Committee, which assembled at the Presidency, on Medical Store Lascar Tuscanny, and recommending that he may be transferred to the Bengal Establishment.-

From Government, 22d September.- Answered in an Extract from Min: of Consultation, of Govt: directing the Depy: Dept, sanction the Transfer of Medical Store Lascar Tuscanny, to the Bengal Establishment.-

To Govt:- No. 157, 10th September.- Forwarding, for sanction an Indent from the Inspt Medl School for articles required by the Professor of Chemistry for the Instruction of the Medical Pupils.- Answered by the

From Government, 15th September.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept, resolving that the Govt of India be requested to comply with the Indent for articles required by the Professor of Chemistry.-

To Govt:- No. 158, 10th September.- Reporting, in a Res: to the Commr in Chief and Government, the arrival of Assistant Surgeon D. D. Wallis, M. D., of this Establishment, by the Ship Wellesley, & returning the Honorable the Certificate of the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, for that Officer, to return to this duty without prejudice to his rank.-

From Government, 29th August.- Extract from Min: of Con:, Pub: Dept:, directing that Entrance Examinations in Canarese Language - Tamul Language - Telugu Language - and Hindoostanee Language - may be brought before a Medical Committee, for examination at the expiration of 12 months, with the view of their permanent nomination for further service being reported on.-

To Govt:- No. 159, 14th September.- Reporting, in a Res: to the Commander in Chief and Government, that the Acting Surgeon General and Acting Inspector General of Hospitals, appointed in G.O.C. No. 204, dated 1st instant, have taken their Seat at the Board accordingly.- Answered by the Depy: Adjtt Genl of

From Commr in Chief, 25th September.- the Army, forwarding division of Govt:, directing that the Mily: Auditor General, be informed that Inspector General of Hospitals C. Cunnie and Deputy Surgeon D. Boyd, took their Seats at the Medl Board as Acting Surgeon General and Acting Inspector General of Hospitals, respectively.-

To Govt:- No. 160, 16th September.- Transmitting, with ref: to the Extract from Minutes of Con: Pub: Dept:, No. 235, dated 19th November, 1845.-

Proceedings

Narrative for 1846.

Proceedings of a Medical Committee assembled at Secunderabad, reporting that Ponnaree Veerasawmy is permanently unfit for further Service.-

To Govern.t: No.161, 17th September.- Reporting, with reference to the Extt: Min: of Govr: Pub: Dept: No.353, dated 17th February, 1846, that P. Detchanamoorty Modelly, a Conditional Pensioner on the Establishment of the Collector of Chingleput, is unfit for further effective Service from general constitutional debility and defect of vision.-

To Govern.t: No.162, 17th September.- Submitting, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Government a Memorial from Apothy: S. Mason to the address of the Honble Court of Directors, claiming to be admitted to the boon granted to the Four Senior Apothecaries of the Madras Establishment, with observations.-

From Government, 9th September.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter to the Secy: to Govt: of India, and Enclosure from the Offg: Secy: to the Govt: of India, intimating that two cases, each containing a Chest of Opium for the Medl: Board have been delivered by the Commissariat Department at Bombay to Bradshaw.-

From Commr: in Chief, 10th October.- Adjt: Genl: of the Army, forwarding for information and guidance of the Medl: Board, copy of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 6th Instant, No.3987, together with Annual forms of Medical Returns.-

To Govern.t: No.163, 19th September.- Suggesting, that, as there is only one Medl: Officer at Coimbatore, that a Conditional Pensioner Looboo Saheb, may be ordered to proceed to Cotacamund, for the purpose of being finally examined, and reported on.- Answered in an Extract from Minutes of Consultation, Pub: Dept:, requesting to be informed whether a Medl: Committee might not be assembled at Parlghaut or Tritchinopoly, for the examination of the above Conditional Pensioner.-

From Government, 28th September.-

To Govern.t: No.164, 19th September.- Forwarding, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Government, copy of a letter from Staff Surgeon Sievwright to the Honble Colonel Stanley C.B. reporting the death of Surgeon General Mallard on the 19th August, 1846, at Port Louis, Mauritius, and recommending the promotion of Senior Apothy: Surgeon J. H. Cannon.-

To Govern.t: No.165, 19th September.- Reporting, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief & Govt:, the arrival of Mr. G. Baillie M.D, as an Apothy: Surgeon

by the Ship "Mary Ann" Surgeon for this Presidency, and forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Honble Court of Directors, and recommending that he may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital.-

To Govern.t: No.166, 24th September.- Submitting a correspondence from the Supdt: Madl: School, respecting a "Manual of Chemistry" required for the use of the Chemical Class under preparation by Surgeon Key, and recommending that authority may be given for the printing of 300 Copies of the work at a Cost of about 2½ Rupees per Copy.- Answered in an Extt: Min: of Govr: Mily: Dept:, authorizing 306 Copies of the work being printed, and directs that a Proference be given to the Male Asylum Press if the work can be done there at as low a rate as at any other place.-

To Govern.t: No.167, 24th September.- Transmitting, an Extract from the Proceedings of a Medl: Committee, appointed to examine and deliver over to the Store-keeper, the Medl: Stores received by the Ship "Minerva" with a Statement of articles found deficient from breakage as far as is known, and the Packing accounts, in which the gross weight of Packages is inserted.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the documents received with the above letter, will be forwarded to the Honble the Court of Directors.-

From Government, 6th October.-

From Government, 15th September.- Extract from Min: of Govr:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Court of Directors dated 15th July last, No.38, stating that they will comply with the Requisite for General Medl: and Dotary Stores, submitted with

From Government, 12th September.- No.40, of 10th March, 1846.- Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, communicating Extract from Min: of Govr: Marine Depart: containing Rules and Scale of charges for passage and Freight on the Honble Company's Steamer "Hugh Lindsay."-

To Govern.t: No.168, 25th September.- Reporting, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Government, the arrival of Mr. A. Jowett, as an Apothy: Surgeon for this Presidency, by the Ship "Barham" - and forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Honble the Court of Directors, and recommending that he may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the 2d Battalion artillery at St. Thomas' Mount

From Government, 22d September.- Secy: to Govt:, Revenue Dept, transmitting 19 Copies of Nos 56 to 64, of "Icones Plantarum Indiæ Orientalis" or "Figures of Indian Plants", by Surgeon R. Wight.-

From Government, 24th September.- Extract from Minutes of Con: Milty: Dept, directing that the Med Board will arrange for a proper supply of Medicines for the party proceeding with Capt: Halpin, Asst Surveyor General at Berhampore on the approaching Survey.-

To Govert: No 169, 29th September.- Reporting, in a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief and Government, the arrival of Mr Apothy: West, of this Establishment by the Steamer Precursor, who is appointed by the Honble the Court of Directors as an Asst Surgeon for this Presidency, and forwarding the Certificate of his appointment, and recommending that he may be accordingly transferred from the grade of Apothecary to the rank of Asst Surgeon; and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the 2d Batt Artillery at St Thomas' Mount.-

To Govert: No 170, 1st October.- Stating, in reply to Extt: from Mem: of Con: Pub: Dept: No 1168, dated 28th ultimo, that a Committee can be ordered to assemble at Trichinopoly for the examination of the Candidates for Provincial, Subordinate, and Med Establishment vacancies which may occur in the said Presidency; and that the Committee recommended was received in the first instance by the Med Board, as being the nearest station.- Answered by the Depy: Secy: to Govt; Pub: Dept; sanctioning the assembling of the Med Committee as recommended in the above letter.-

From Government, 5th October.-

To Govert: No 171, 1st October.- Submitting for the information of Govt: copy of a letter from Asst Surgeon Neile respecting the necessity for a Second Sloop on the Hospital 21st Regt N. I. and Garrison of Singapore; with the Med Board's recommendation.- Answered in an Extract from Mem: of Con: Milty: Dept; sanctioning as a temporary measure the employment of an Extra Person of the above description.-

From Government, 6th October.-

From Comdr in Chief, 10th September.- Depy: Adjt Genl of the Army, forwarding copy of an Extract from Mem: of Con: Milty: Dept dated 8th Sept 1846, No 3986, and requesting a Return may be furnished To Adjt Genl of the Army No 172 - 1st Oct.- agreeably to the instruction contained in the Mem: of Con:.- Acknowledged by the Med Board forwarding a report containing the information required

required respecting the Subordinates educated at the Med School at Madras.-

From Government, 24th September.- Extract from Mem: of Con: Rev: Dept:, communicating correspondence from Capt: Macpherson, and directing that the full quantity of Medicines applied for by the Med Subordinate attached to the agent in the Hill Tracts of Orissa be supplied, with the instructions.- Acknowledged by the Med Board submitting their observations respecting the consumption of "Quinine" in Captain Mc Pherson's Detachment.- Answered in an Extt: from Mem: of Con: Rev: Dept:, containing observations of Govt: on the Indents for Medicine by the Medical Subordinate, attached to the Detachment of Captain Mc Pherson.-

To Govert: No 173, 1st October.-

From Government, 28th Octr.

To Govert: No 174, 1st October.- Transmitting for sanction an Indent on the Depty: Commy: General at Singapore, for Office Furniture required for the Med Stores at that Station.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Milty: Dept: sanctioning the above Indent for articles of Office Furniture.-

From Government, 6th October:-

To Govert: No 175, 1st October.- Reporting the Med Board's Quarterly visit of Inspection to the Lunatic Asylum; and expressing satisfaction with the manner in which the duties of that institution have been conducted by the Surgeon in charge.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Milty: Dept, stating that a copy of the above report will be forwarded to the Honble the Court of Directors.-

From Government, 6th October.-

From Comdr in Chief, 29th September.- Depy: Adjt Genl of the Army, forwarding for inf: of Govt: No 213 and 224, of 4th and 23d Decr last, decision of the Court of Directors, stating that the Memorials of Surgeon Morton and other Med Officers, regarding the regulations of pay and allowances, &c. will be replied to in their correspondence with the Govt of India.-

To Govert: No 176, 2d Octr.- Reporting, in a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief and Govt, the arrival of Mr E. Dixon, as an Asst Surgeon for this Presidency, by the Ship "Asiatic", and forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Honble the Court of Directors, and recommending that he may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at the Presidency.-

To Govert: No 177, 5th October.. — Recommending, in a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief and Govt:, certain alterations of rank and promotion, occasioned by the sanction of the retirement from the Service of Surgeon S. Brooking of this Establishment

To Govert: No 178, 5th October, — Reporting, in a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief & Govt:, the arrival of J. MacDonald M.D. as an Apothy Surgeon for this Presidency, by the Ship Brahmin, and forwarding the Certificate of his appointment by the Honble the Court of Directors; and recommending that he may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment, and appointed to do duty under the Surgeon General Hospital, Presidency.—

From Government, 2d October.. — Depy: Adjt Genl: of the Army, forwarding Extt: Mins: of Govr: Mily: Dept:, permitting the retirement of Surgeon Brooking, from the Honble Company's Service, upon the Pension of his Rank, and that the same be communicated to the Political Dept: with the view of ascertaining whether the Service will soon be required as Residency Surgeon at Tavoye.—

To Govert: No 179, 10th October.. — Transmitting, in a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief and Govt:, the General Annual Returns of Sick of the European and Native Troops belonging to this Presidency for the year 1845, with observations.—

From Government, 6th October.. — Extract from Mins: of Govr: Mily: Dept:, containing observations regarding Surgeon R. Wight M.D. being considered ineligible for appointment as Superintending Surgeon.—

To Govert: No 180, 13th October.. — Submitting for the sanction of Govt: an Indent on the Commissariat Department at Prichinopoly, for the temporary employment of certain Servants required for the use of the Hospital at Trangambar.—Answd by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the Indent.—

From Government, 16th October.. — Extract from Mins: of Govr: Political Dept:, consg Extract of a letter from the Court of Directors dated 22d July No 5, of 1846, sanctioning the issue of Medicines from the Public Stores, for the Hospitals of the Rajah of Mysore on payment.—

To Govert: No 181, 15th Octr — Reporting, with reference to Minutes of Consultation, Pub: Dept:, Nos 807, and 982, of 1845, that there has been a considerable

considerable decrease of expenditure of late in several Medicines at the Govt: Dispensary, consequent on the vigilant superintendence of Dr Scrimer and the Comparative half yearly Statement called for by the Secy: of India, is not forwarded.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, stating that Govt: do not consider the comparative Returns of disbursements of Medicines necessary but that any undue expenditure that may result from the measure sanctioned by Govt: of India on the 15th August 1845, may be brought to notice.—

From Government, 23d October.. — To Govert: No 182, 15th October.. — Submitting, for the information of Govt: in Council, copies of communication with the Indents from Apothy Surgn: Ashley, regarding the employment of a Sweeper for cleaning the Hospital and compound of the Detach: 27th Regt: N.I. while stationed at Penang, and requesting, under the circumstance stated in the sanction of Govt:.— Answered in an Extract from Mins: of Govr: Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the employment of the above Sweeper.—

From Government, 27th October.. — To Govert: No 183, 15th October.. — Submitting for sanction three Indents on the Medl: Store Keeper for articles required for the use of the Native School and for the repair of certain Apparatus belonging to that Institution, and requesting that the Conservy: Gond: be authorized to furnish 100 lbs: of Mercury for the use of the Medical School and stating that there is only 15 lbs: in the Medical Stores Presidency remaining.— Answered in an Extt: from Mins: of Govr: Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the above Indents, and also that 100 lbs: of Mercury be furnished to the Medical School.—

From Government, 27th October.. — To Govert: No 184, 15th October.. — Recommending, in a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief, that the Superintending Medical Officers of the several Divisions may be permitted to proceed to their Annual Tours of Inspection between 1st November next, and the 31st March, 1847, and that the report for the Presidency Division will be made as usual in February.—

From Government, 30th October.. — To Govert: No 185, 15th October.. — Submitting, for the sanction of Govt:, an Indent for Coolies required for pulling the Punkahs in the European Hospital 2d Batt: Artly: and Cantonment Pr Thomas Mount, and stating that two Official information has been received respecting the erection of them.— Answered by Govt: in an Extt: Mins: of Govr: Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the above Indent for Coolies, and forwarding Extract from Mins: of Govr: No 2879, dated 23 July, 1846, allowing the introduction

introduction of Punkahs.-

From Comm^r in Chief, 7th October.- Dep^y: Adj^t Gen^l: of the army, forwards m/ ref: to N^os 205, and 206, of 1845, decision of the Court of Directors stating that the Memorials of Surgeon Manle and others respecting Furlough to Europe, will be noticed in their correspondence with the Gov^t: of India.-

From Government, 13th October.- Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Commy: Gen^l: and directing that the Stores Medicines mentioned in the two Indents to accompanying be supplied from the Medical Stores at the Presidency.-

To Govern^t: N^o 186, 20th October.- Forwarding, for the information of Gov^t: m/ Council, copy of a letter from the Principal Collector of Jumbatoor, reporting the death of Soobroosaheb a Deccan Pensioner on his Establishment on the 13th June last.-

From Government, 13th October.- Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept:, forwarding for report a letter and its enclosures from the Mily: Board, enclosing the

To Govern^t: N^o 187, 22^d October.- for enclosing an estimate for the repair of a portion of the Hospital of the Native Infantry at Perambore.- Acknowledged by the Med^l: Board, submitting their opinion that the existing Native Infantry Hospitals at Perambore, should be ~~entirely done away with~~ put into thorough repair, instead of a Wall of the proposed description being erected.- Answered by Gov^t: m/ an Extract from Min^s: of Con^s, Mily: Dept:, concurring in the views expressed by the Med^l Board in the above letter.-

From Government, 3^d November.-

To Govern^t: N^o 188, 26th October.- Submitting, for eventual transmission to the Honble the Court of Directors lists in Triplicate of Medicines issued without payment from the Honble Company's Med^l Stores of this Presidency, to Her Majesty's Naval Service for the year 1845/46, together with the receipts vouchers.- Answered by the Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the

From Government, 3^d November.-

To Accts Genl: N^o 189, 26th October.- above letter and its accompaniments will be forwarded to the Hon^ble Court of Directors.-

To Govern^t: N^o 190, 26th October.- Transmitting, Statement of Med^l Stores supplied, during the first and second Half Year of 1845/46, on account of the Presidency of Bengal and Gov^t: of Prince of Wales Island.-

From Government, 3^d November.- Reporting the admission into the Lunatic asylum of a Portuguese and two Hindoo Prisoners, named Antony Rosario, Sonah, and Gunnoor, and recommending that their admission may be sanctioned.- Answered by the Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept:, sanctioning their admission.-

To Govern^t: N^o 191, 29th October.- Transmitting for the information of Gov^t:, extracts from a letter from the Surgeon of the Lunatic Asylum, and recommending that temporary measures as may be considered necessary be adopted for the remedying the damp state of the floors in certain Cells at that Institution, as reported by the Surgeon.- Answered by the Secy: to Gov^t:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the above letter will be communicated to the Mily: Board with instructions to cause the necessary measures regarding the Lunatic Asylum to be carried into effect without delay.-

From Government, 3^d November.-

To Govern^t: N^o 192, 29th October.- Submitting for publication in the Official Gazette a Proclamation respecting the late hurricane - and transmitting copies of letters from Surgeon Cole and Lieu^t: Surgeon Pendergast containing observations on the effects of the late Storm and its influence likely to be produced on the sanitary condition of the Presidency.- Answered by Gov^t: m/ an extract from Min^s: of Con^s, Mily: Dept:, directing that the Proclamation be published in the Fort St George Gazette.-

From Government, 6th November.-

To Govern^t: N^o 193, 3^d November.- Reporting the transfer of Insane Patient George Hill, from the General Hospital to the Lunatic asylum, and recommending that the measure may be sanctioned.- Answered by the Secy: to Gov^t: Mily: Dept:, sanctioning his admission.-

From Government, 4th November.-

To Gov^t: N^o 194, 3^d November.- Requesting, with ref: to Lett^r from Min^s: of Com^s: Pub: Dep^t: dated 17th February 1846- N^o 353, that Mr P. Waller, a confirmed Pensioner, be directed to attend the Med^l Board Office on the

From Government, 6th November.- 5th Instant, for the purpose of being examined.- Answered by the Dep^y: Secy: to Gov^t:, Political Dept:, stating that Mr Waller will be directed on his return to Madras to attend at the Med^l Board Office for instructions.-

From Government, 14th October.- Lett^r from Min^s: of Com^s: Ecc^l Dept:, directing that the Remonl Med^l Board be requested to ascertain from the Remonl Mr Taylor's Medical Adviser at Masulipatam whether the state of that Gentleman's health indued his quitting his station before obtaining permission of Gov^t:, necessary; and in that case that they will obtain and submit to Gov^t: a Med^l certificate in the prescribed form.- Acknowledged by

To Gov^t: N^o 195, 4th November.- the Med^l Board, forwarding the required certificate from Surgeon Smyth A.B. for the Revd: G. Taylor.-

From Government, 13th October.- Lett^r from Min^s: of Com^s: Ecc^l Dept:, directing the Med^l Board will ascertain from the Med^l adviser of the Revd: J.

J. Griffiths Chaplain of Mangalore, whether the state of that Gentleman's health rendered his quitting his station before obtaining permission of Govt: necessary and calling for a Med[l] Certificate in the prescribed form. - Answd by the Med[l] Board, forwarding the required certificate from Surgeon Lawrence, for the Revd. J. Griffiths.-

To Govert: N[o] 196, 4th Novem[r]

From Acct[t] General, 17th August.-

Accounts Gen[l], requesting to furnish as early as possible a Statement of the Stores sold and expended during the past Official Year.- Acknowledged by the Med[l] Board, transmitting the Statement of Med[l] Stores sold and expended within the last official Year 1845/46.-

To Acct[t] Gen[l] N[o] 197, 5th Novembe.-

From Comm[r] in Chief, 26th October.-

Dpty: Adjt[t] Genl: of the Army, forwarding for the Med[l] Board's report Extract Mem: of Gov[r]; Mil[y]: Dpty commu: stating copy of a Memorial addressed to the Court of Directors from Mr J. Bond, late an Apoth[y] Apothy: praying to be either restored to the Service, granted a Pension or employed as a Writer in one of the Govt: Offices.- Acknowledged by the Med[l] Board, submitting the Med[l] Board's report on the Services of Mr J. Bond late an Apoth[y] Apothy: of this Establishment, in reference to the above Memorial to the Court of Directors.-

To Govt: N[o] 198 5th Novembe.-

From Government, 30th October.-

Extt from Mem: of Gov[r]; Mil[y] Dept: referring for the Med[l] Board's report a communication from the Mil[y]: Board, respecting the employment of a Native in the Dist[t] Bullock Hospital at Penang.- Acknowledged by the Med[l] Board, submitting their opinion on the above subject.- ~~extract Letter from the Superintendent Penang~~ - Answered by Govt: in an Extract from Mem: of Gov[r]; Mil[y] Dept; declining to comply with the ~~Govt~~ requisition.-

To Govert: N[o] 199, 5th Novembe.-

From Government 13th Novembe.-

To Govert: N[o] 200, 5th Novembe.-

Forwarding in a Pac: to the Comm[r] in Chief and Govt; for favorable consideration, a Memorial addressed to the Hon[ble] the Court of Directors, from Assistant Surgeon P. A. Anderson 3[d] Regt P. L. I. praying that the amount of his Med[l] Staff Salary which has been retrenched may be reimbursed him.-

To Govt: N[o] 201 5th Novembe.-

Forwarding for sanction an Indent on the Comm[t] Gen[l], for articles required for the use of the Med[l] School, together with copy of a letter from the Superintendent

From Government, 10th November.-

Superintendent of that Institution.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt, Mil[y]: Dept, sanctioning the Indent.-

From Government, 3d November.-

Extt: from Mem: of Gov[r]; Mil[y]: Dept, forwarding for the Medical Board's report a Petition from Mr J. S. Waller, praying that his Son may be admitted as a Private Student of the Medical School, simply for the study of Chemistry and Materia Medica, &c.- Acknowledged by the Med[l] Board, submitting the required report.- Answered in an Extt from Mem: of Gov[r]; Mil[y]: Dept; containing Instructions regarding the attendance of Private Students and Med[l] Warrant Officers at the Public Lectures delivered at the Med[l] School.-

To Govert: N[o] 202, 5th Novembe.-

From Government, 27th November.-

Transmitting the Annual Returns of disease treated in the Native Hospitals in the Year 1845, with a statement distinguishing those who resorted to the Hills on account of ill health, from the other visitors and permanent residents; and a copy of the Annual Reports of the two ~~Govt~~ Med[l] Officers, with a Nominal and Roll of Officers, Civil and Military treated during the Year, with observations.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt, Mil[y]: Dept; stating that the documents received with the above letter, will be forwarded to the Court of Directors.-

To Govert: N[o] 203, 5th Novembe.-

From Government, 13th November.-

From Government, 24th October.-

Extract from Mem: of Gov[r]; Pub: Dept; forwarding an Extract from the Secy: to the Govt of India, with copies of the Despatch therein referred to and requesting to be furnished with the Statistical information called for.-

From Government, 3d Novembe.-

Extract from Mem: of Gov[r]; Mil[y]: Dept, granting authority for Her Majesty's 54th Regt: being supplied at the public expense with one copy each of certain Regulation Books.-

To Govert: N[o] 204, 10th Novembe.-

Forwarding, in a Pac: to the Comm[r] in Chief and Govt; Return of Sick of the Detachment of Sappers and Miners and Lascars serving in China.-

From Auditor General 4th April.-

Accountant Mil[y]: Dept, requesting in future transfer receipts to be obtained and entered in the Accounts of the Med[l] Store Dep[t], with reference to the Journal of the above Department for 1844/45; and that a list of Medicines supplied by the Convoy Genl: may accompany it.- Answered by the Med[l] Board, transmitting the accounts of the Med[l] Store Dep[t] for 1845/46, together with a List of Medicines, Stores, supplied by the Commissariat.-

To Acct[t] Genl: N[o] 205, 11th Novembe.-

To Govert: N[o] 206, 12th Novembe.-

Submitting, extract of a Letter from Surgeon Gilchrist, regarding the temporary employment of a Sotoy in the Hospital of the Public Cattle Depot at Honoor

From Govt: 19th November. — Forwarding for sanction an Indent for Towels required for the use of the Medl: School with the Medl: Board's explanation.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Milly: Dept:, sanctioning the Indent.—

To Govt: No. 207, 12th November. — Forwarding, for favorable consideration, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, copy of a letters and its enclosures from the Inspector General of Hospitals respecting the Pay and allowances which he is entitled by the Regulations of the Service, on his appointment to a seat at the Medical Board.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army, communicating Extract Mins: of Govt: Milly: Dept:, directing that the above letter be referred to the Govt: for Judicl:—

From Govt: 12th November. — Submitting, for sanction an Indent for Towels required for the use of the Medl: School with the Medl: Board's explanation.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Milly: Dept:, sanctioning the Indent.—

From Commr: in Chief, 3d December. — Forwarding, for favorable consideration, in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, copy of a letters and its enclosures from the Inspector General of Hospitals respecting the Pay and allowances which he is entitled by the Regulations of the Service, on his appointment to a seat at the Medical Board.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the army, communicating Extract Mins: of Govt: Milly: Dept:, directing that the above letter be referred to the Govt: for Judicl:—

To Govt: No. 209, 14th November. — Suggesting, that conditional Pensioner Moodenby Ramasawmy of the Establishment of the Collectorate of Guntoor may be directed to proceed to Masulipatam for the purpose of being examined and reported on, by a Medical Committee.— Answered by the Deputy Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, approving of the above suggestion and directing its adoption.—

From Government, 19th November. — Transmitting copy of a letter from Apoth: Surgeon H. W. Pretons, reporting the illness of T. A. Davidson Esqr:, acting Civil and Session Judge of Coimbatore.—

To Govt: No. 210, 16th November. — Submitting copy of a letter from the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army: Genl: together with an Indent for a female Servant employed for an Insane Woman of the 2d Batt: Artly: and requesting the sanction of Government.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Milly: Dept:, sanctioning the Indent.—

To Govt: No. 211, 18th November. — Forwarding for transmission to the Honble the Court of Directors, the Returns of sick for the Civil Department, for the Year 1845, with the Medl: Board's Observations.—

To Govt: No. 212, 19th November. — Forwarding copy of a communication from the Commissary General and requesting the sanction of Govt: for the admission of the charge for the employment of a European Nurse in the Hospital of the 4th Batt: Artly:, with the Medical Board's explanation.— Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Milly: Dept:, granting authority for the charge incurred on account of the employment of a European Nurse for the Hospital of the 4th Batt: Artly: at the Mount.—

From Government, 27th November. — Forwarding for favorable consideration in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, copy of a letter from Garrison Surgeon W. R. Smyth A. D. soliciting the confirmation of his appointment required by G. O. Govt. No. 142, of 1846, to enable him to draw the Staff Salary of Superintending Surgeon from the date of decease of the late Mr. Conrad.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army, communicating Extract Mins: Govt: Milly: Dept:, stating that Garrison Surgeon Smyth's request for confirmation of his appointment as Supt: Surgeon from the date of decease of Supt: Surgeon Conrad to the date on which he was relieved by Supt: Surgeon Stevenson, cannot be complied with.—

To Govt: No. 213, 19th November. — Forwarding for favorable consideration in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, an Extract of a letter from the A. S. North: Divn: together with original abstract, soliciting that the difference between the pay and allowances of an Actg: Supt: Surgeon and a Supt: Surgeon may be disbursed to him.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army, communicating decision of Govt: sanctioning the payment of full allowances to Supt: Surgeon Sherman from the 22d August, 1846.—

From Commr: in Chief, 17th December. — Submitting for sanction of Govt: an Indent on the Commy: Genl: for an additional supply of 50 lbs: of Mercury, required for the use of the Professor of Chemistry at the Medl: School.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army, forwarding, in reference to No. 3, of 6th January last decision of the Honorable Court of Directors, stating that the Memorials therewith sent will be replied to in their correspondence with the Supreme Government.—

To Govt: No. 214, 19th November. — Forwarding for favorable consideration in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, copy of a letter from Garrison Surgeon W. R. Smyth A. D. soliciting the confirmation of his appointment required by G. O. Govt. No. 142, of 1846, to enable him to draw the Staff Salary of Superintending Surgeon from the date of decease of the late Mr. Conrad.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army, communicating Extract Mins: Govt: Milly: Dept:, stating that Garrison Surgeon Smyth's request for confirmation of his appointment as Supt: Surgeon from the date of decease of Supt: Surgeon Conrad to the date on which he was relieved by Supt: Surgeon Stevenson, cannot be complied with.—

To Govt: No. 215, 19th November. — Submitting for sanction of Govt: an Indent on the Commy: Genl: for an additional supply of 50 lbs: of Mercury, required for the use of the Professor of Chemistry at the Medl: School.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army, conveying the sanction of Govt: for the above Indent.—

From Government, 24th November. — Forwarding in a Pro: for favorable consideration in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, an Extract of a letter from the A. S. North: Divn: together with original abstract, soliciting that the difference between the pay and allowances of an Actg: Supt: Surgeon and a Supt: Surgeon may be disbursed to him.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army, communicating decision of Govt: sanctioning the payment of full allowances to Supt: Surgeon Sherman from the 22d August, 1846.—

From Commr: in Chief, 17th November. — Forwarding in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, a Memorial from Surgeon R. Wright Assn. D. addressed to the Honble the Court of Directors, on the subject of his being superseded in his promotion to the rank of Supt: Surgeon, under the provision of G. O. G. 9th June, 1835.—

To Govt: No. 216, 19th November. — Forwarding in a Pro: for favorable consideration in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, an Extract of a letter from the A. S. North: Divn: together with original abstract, soliciting that the difference between the pay and allowances of an Actg: Supt: Surgeon and a Supt: Surgeon may be disbursed to him.— Answered by the Deputy Adjt: Genl: of the Army, communicating decision of Govt: sanctioning the payment of full allowances to Supt: Surgeon Sherman from the 22d August, 1846.—

From Commr: in Chief, 26th December. — Forwarding in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, a Memorial from Surgeon R. Wright Assn. D. addressed to the Honble the Court of Directors, on the subject of his being superseded in his promotion to the rank of Supt: Surgeon, under the provision of G. O. G. 9th June, 1835.—

To Govt: No. 217, 26th November. — Forwarding in a Pro: to the Commr: in Chief and Govt:, a Memorial from Surgeon R. Wright Assn. D. addressed to the Honble the Court of Directors, on the subject of his being superseded in his promotion to the rank of Supt: Surgeon, under the provision of G. O. G. 9th June, 1835.—

From Government, 17th November. — Extract Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept, forwarding Extract from a letter from the Court of Directors No 51, of 1846, directing that Pars: 3 and 4, with the documents therein mentioned regarding Cornet Arbuthnot and Major H. Mackenzie being permitted to return to duty be communicated to the Med: Board.-

To Govert: No 218, 27th Nov. — Transmitting, with ref: to Batt: Min: of Con:, Pub: Dept, No 353, dated 17th February, 1846, Proceedings of a Med: Committee which assembled at Mandlipatam, reporting Mahomed Jaffer, permanently disqualified for further Service.-

To Govert: No 219, 30th November. — Submitting copy of a letter from the Supt: Med: School with its enclosures, and recommending for sanction an Indent on the Commy: Genl: for articles required to be constructed and prepared by Mr Low.- Answered by Govt: in an Extt: Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, sanctioning the measure and requesting that an Estimate of the work may be submitted by Mr Low for the approval of the Med: Board.-

From Government, 4th November. — Extract from Min: of Con:, Pub: Dept:, directing in reference to the Resolution of the Govt: of India, dated 24th July, 1840, that all Heads of Offices subordinate to the Govt: of Fort St George may grant leave of absence under the Rules to the Ministerial Officers of their Establishments without reference to higher authority.-

To Govert: No 220, 3d December. — Reporting to Govt: that Conditional Pensions &c. granted on the Establishment of the late Treasurer is unfit for further effective service, from advanced age, defect of vision, and partial paralysis of the hands.-

No 221 Not Received

To Govert: No 222, 3d December.- — Submitting, for the information of Govt: copy of a letter from the Supg: Surgn: Nagpore Sub: Force, soliciting sanction for an Indent for "hollow Stone appropriations" for the use of the Hospt: of Her Majesty's 4th Regt: with the Med: Board's recommendation.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, directing that the above letter be communicated to the Mily: Board with instructions to cause the Indent to be supplied.-

From Government, 10th December. — Extract from Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, forwarding Extract from a letter from the Court of Directors and directing that a copy of the same be sent to Dr

From Government, 17th November. — Extract from a letter from the Court of Directors

Dr Scrimzeour and that he be requested to state the expenses incurred by him in the preparation of his Report on Cholera with his opinion as to the amount of remuneration that should be bestowed on a distinguished officer.- Despatch.-

To Govert: No 223, 4th December.- — Reporting, that Gunner D. Kelly, 6th Batt: Artly: who is afflicted with mental derangement, and now in the Lunatic Asylum, requires to be sent to Europe.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, stating that the Marine Board has been instructed to provide passage to England for Gunner D. Kelly, 6th Batt: Artly:-

From Government, 5th December.- — Submitting for sanction an Indent from the Supdt Govt: Dispensary, for an Almirah required for the use of the Institution.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, directing the Commissary General to supply the Indent.-

To Govert: No 224, 9th Decr, — Forwarding for consideration of Govt: copy of a letter from Assy Surgn Pattoun with its enclosures, soliciting a revision of the Order of Madras, dated 4th Augt 1841, directing him to proceed from Coimbatore to Madras, and requesting that the Supreme Govt: be moved to give orders that the Expences of the Journey may be allowed him to draw his travelling expences to Calicut.- Answered by the Offg: Secy: to Govt:, Genl: Dept:, instructing the Civil Auditor to pass the actual charge incurred by Assy Surgn Pattoun in travelling back to Madras after receiving above referred.-

From Government, 14th December. — Reporting, that Conditional Pensions &c. granted on the Establishment of the late Treasurer is unfit for further effective service, from advanced age, defect of vision, and partial paralysis of the hands.-

From Government, 18th December. — Submitting, for the information of Govt: copy of a letter from the Supg: Surgn: Nagpore Sub: Force, soliciting sanction for an Indent for "hollow Stone appropriations" for the use of the Hospt: of Her Majesty's 4th Regt: with the Med: Board's recommendations.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, directing that the above letter be communicated to the Mily: Board with instructions to cause the Indent to be supplied.-

From Government, 8th December. — Submitting, for the information of Govt: copy of a letter from the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, referring for Boards report a letter from the Govt: of India, with its enclosures regarding the suggestion for the supply of Medicines for the Civil Dept: Pensioners Proceeding from the Dept: established by the Madras Govt at Mookerwah

To Govt: No 226, 10th Decr — Acknowledged by the Med: Board, reporting that the Civil Hospitals in the Gen: Pension can be supplied with Medicines from the Medl: Dept at Monlmein without inconvenience.-

From Government, 15th December. — Answered by Govt: in an Extt: Min: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, granting authority for the above supply of Medicines from the Med: Dept at Monlmein.-

From Commr in Chief, 17th November.- — Depy: Adjt: Genl: of the Army, forwarding Extract Memo

Minutes of Govt: Mily: Dept:, with Extract from a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding an illustrative Map connected with the History of Cholera and requesting that a copy of the Paras: be forwarded to Dr. Lorimer, for reasons stated.-

From Government, 4th December.- Extract Mem: of Govt: Pub: Dept:, directing that A. Venkataroylor a Conditional Pensioner be directed to appear before a Medl Committee for examination as to his fitness for further Service at the expiration of 12 Months from the 12th October last.

From Government 8th December.- Secretary to Govt: Mily: Dept:, forwarding 48 Copies of Report of the Committee upon Guzmanic experiments recently assembled at Calcutta.-

From Government, 8th December.- Offg: Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, communicating a letter and enclosure from the Actg: Supt. of Police, and requesting that Surgeon Wyllie, M.D. and Assistt Surgn Sanderson be relieved from their duties in the Police for the purpose of inspecting the damaged Rice reported

From Government, 8th December.- Dpty: Secy: to Govt:, Pub: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Secy: to the Govt: of India, and forwarding 5 Copies of the Printed Half Yearly Reports of the Govt: Charitable Dispensaries Established in the Bengal and North Western Provinces from 1st February to 31st July, 1846.-

To Govt: No. 227, 4th December. Transmitting for the information of Govt: copy of a letter and its enclosure from the Chief Storekeeper, and requesting sanction for the Commissary General to clear the two packages Medl Stores recently arrived from Calcutta and now lying at the Custom House.-

From Government 15th December.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept:, directing that the above letter and enclosures be communicated to the Commy: Genl with instructions to cause the 2 Packages of Medl Stores, to be cleared from the Custom House.-

From Government, 15th December.- Extract Mem: of Govt: Mily: Dept, directing that Rs. 485 be paid to Assistt Surgn Lorimer M.D. on account of the expenses incurred by him in the preparation of his Report on Cholera, and Rs. 240 be remunerated

remunerated to Assistt Apothy: W. Peppin for the assistance rendered by him.-

To Govt: No. 228, 17th December.- Reporting, that Conditional Pensioner Mr. P. Waller, on the establishment of the Chief Secy: to Govt: Political Dept: is permanently disqualified for further effective service from being subject to Epileptic fits and advanced age.-

From Government, 14th December.- Extract from Mem: of Govt: Mily: Dept:, communicating a letter from the Medl Storekeeper regarding Castor Oil, for Board's report.- Acknowledged by the Medl Board, submitting the required report on Castor Oil which the Medl Storekeeper was directed to receive for issue from the Commissariat Department.-

To Govt: No. 229, 17th December.-

To Govt: 22d December.- Answered by Govt: in an Extract from Mem: of Govt: Mily: Dept:, resolving, that, before Govt: pass orders on the subject of the above report the Medl Board be requested to afford further information shewing the date on which Castor Oil was first obtained for the Medl Stores from Calcutta and their prices for the last 10 years with their observations.-

To Govt: No. 230, 19th December. Transmitting, with reference to the Extract from Minutes of Govt: in the Public Dept:, No. 353, dated 17th February, 1846, the Proceedings of a Medl Committee, assembled at Masulipatam, reporting that Moodumby Ramasawmy is permanently disqualified for further Service.-

From Government, 17th December, Extract from Mem: of Govt: Mily: Dept:, containing instructions regarding the issue of Commissions to Members of the Medl Board.-

To Govt: No. 231, 22d December.- Forwarding, to Govt: copy of a letter from the Commy: General with its enclosure, and requesting sanction for the admission into the accounts of the Commissariat Dept: the charge of hire of 8 Coolies employed for conveying Hospital Utensils to the Govt: Hills at Penang, for the space of one Month.- Answered by the Secy: to Govt:

From Government, 30th December. Mily: Dept:, granting the required authority for the above charge being admitted into the accounts of this Commissariat Department.-

To Govt: No. 232, 23d December, Reporting, in a Pro: to the Comdr in Chief and Govt:, that the Physician General, Surgeon General, and Inspector General of Hospitals, have taken their seat at the Medl Board, agreeably to G.O.G. No. 283, of 18th Instant.-

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To Govt: No. 233, 24th December.

Forwarding four Volumes, comprising a copy of the Medical Board's Proceedings from 1st January to 31st December, 1845, for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors.—

From Government, 8th January. 1847.

Answered by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept:, stating that the four Volumes of the Proceedings will be forwarded to the Honorable Court of Directors.—

To Govt: No. 234, 24th December,

Reporting, that conditional Pensioner Surmsary Morelly, on the Establishment of the Arcotk Govt. is permanently disqualified for further Service.—

From Government, 18th December,

Extracts from Mem: of Con:, Pub: Dept:, forwarding for a report a letter and enclosure from the Collector of Salem stating that the Zillah Surgeon may be authorised to supply Medicines to Penamed 2d Apothy: D'Santos from the Dispensary at that Station for the use of the Coffee Planters residing on the Shevaroy Hills.— Acknowledged by the Medl. Board, reporting that the Medicines can be supplied from the Civil Dispensary under charge of the Zillah Surgeon of Salem without inconvenience, and at a very trifling expense to the state.—

To Govt: No. 235, 24th Decembr.—

Answered by Govt: in an Extt. from Mem: of Con: Pub: Dept:, complying with the Petition of the Coffee Planters on the Shevaroy Hills.—

From Government, 23d December.

Extract from Mem: of Con: Judicial Dept: requesting to be informed whether the Medl. Board have been furnished with any report on the case of the late Mr. Simond, Sub Judge of Madura and whether they have reason to consider he had been judiciously and attentively treated in his last illness by the Medl. Officers of the Station.— Acknowledged by the Medl. Board, stating that 2 reports of the case of the late Mr. Simond Subordinate Judge of Madura have been received at the Medl. Board Office, from the Medl. Officers at that station, with observations.—

To Govt: No. 236, 24th December,

From Government, 18th December,

Extract from Mem: of Con: Mily. Dept, containing the appointment of Dept: Surgn. Wylie M.D. as Inspector General of Hospitals, and the promotions of Surgeon General Annie and Inspector General Boyd.—

From Government, 22d Dect.

Extract from Mem: of Con: Mily. Dept, communicating a letter from the Town Major Fort William, reporting that a Assist. Surgn. E. Young of the Establishment, who arrived at Saugor in a state of mental derangement was placed in the Lunatic Asylum near Calcutta.—

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From Government, 23d December.

Extract from Mem: of Con:, Mily: Dept, containing the appointments of Superintending Surgeons Young and Sherman to the Presidency and Centre Division respectively.—

To Govemt: No. 237 24th December,

Transmitting for the information of Government, copy of a letter & its enclosure from the Medl. Storekeeper, and requesting authority for the Commy: Genl: to defray the landing charges of two cases of Chemical Apparatus recently arrived from Calcutta.— Answd: by Govt: in an Extt. from Mem: of Con: directing that the Commy: Genl. be authorized to defray the expences for the landing of the above 2 Boxes of Chemical Apparatus arrived by the ship "Berwick" from Calcutta.—

From Government 31st December.

To Govemt: No. 238 28th December,

Recommending in a Proceeding to the Commr. in Chief and Govt: the promotion of Senior Assistt. Surgn: W. Middlemass vice R. Sladen Esqr. to complete the Establishment.—

To Govemt: No. 239, 28th December,

Reporting, in a Pro: to the Commr. in Chief and Govt: the arrival of Mr. J. B. Palmer, as an Assistt. Surgeon for this Presidency, by the Ship "Vernon", and forwarding the certificate of his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and recommending that he may be accordingly admitted to do duty under the Surgeon of the Genl. Hospital at the Presidency.—

To Govemt: No. 240 31st December.

Reporting, in a Pro: to the Commr. in Chief and Govt: the arrival from England of Assistt. Surgeon C. M. Duff, M. D. of this Establishment by the Ship "Vernon", and forwarding for the information of Govt: a copy of a letter from that Officer, explaining the circumstances under which he omitted to bring the usual Certificate of the Honble Courts permission to return to his duty.—

To Govemt: No. 241, 30th December.

Forwarding, with ref: to Extt: from Mem: of Con:, Mily: Dept:, dated 22d Instant, a Tabular Statement containing information required by Govt: respecting the price, &c:, of the Castor Oil received into Stores for the last 10 Years, with observations, relative to Paras: 12 and 18 of Surgeon Saunders letter.— Answd by the Secy: to Govt: Mily: Dept:, observing, that, there appears some mistake in the Tabular Statement received with the above letter, and requesting to be furnished with a supplemental Statement.—

From Government, 5th January 1847.

To Govemt: No. 242 31st December.

Reporting, the transfer of two Insane Patients from

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From Government, 5th January, 1847.

from the General Hospitals & the Lunatic Asylums; and recommending that his admission may be sanctioned. — Answered by the Secy: to Govt:, Mily: Dept, sanctioning his admission. —

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Correspondence with Government the Most Noble the Commander in Chief and the Accountant General.

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No. 1.

Medical Board.

3d January 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to report to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Govern-ment, the arrival, this day, of Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie, M.D. of this Establishment, by the Steamer "Precursor" and to forward the Certificate of the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors to this Officer to return to his duty, without prejudice to his rank.

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearce, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 2.

Her Majesty's Steam Vessel "Spiteful"
Madras, January 3d 1846.

Lieutenant Colonel Browne,
Secretary to Government.

Sir, I have the honor to acknowledge your letter of yesterday's date.

Under present circumstances I feel justified in undertaking the conveyance of the Troops therein mention-ed to Calcutta.

I shall be ready to proceed on Tuesday morn-ing if convenient, I would wish the baggage embarked on Monday afternoon, and the Troops on Tuesday after daylight to prevent mistakes, I beg to state that the Troops will be victualled according to the scale laid down in the Naval instructions.

I have to request that all bedding, mess utensils, &c.

Fort St. George, 3rd January 1846.

Fus may be placed in the charge of the Military Officers I have &c &c

(Signed) W. Maitland,
Commander.

No. 21.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, 3rd January 1846.

Read the following letter,

From W. Maitland Esqre Commander of Her Majesty's Steamer "Spiteful." Here enter 3rd January 1846.

Ordered that the necessary arrangements be made by the departments concerned for the embarkation at Calcutta of the Detachment Her Majesty's 21st Fusiliers on board Her Majesty's Steamer "Spiteful" at the time proposed by Commander Maitland.

2. The Troops will be victualled on board and it will not be necessary therefore for Provisions to be shipped by the Commissariat.

3. All articles of bedding &c shipped for the use of the Troops are to be taken charge of by the Officer commanding the Detachment whose receipts are to be taken and who will be furnished with instructions by the Commissary General as to the manner in which they are to be disposed of on arrival at Calcutta.

4. Table money will be paid for the Officers, as in the case of Her Majesty's 8th Regiment, at the rate of 8 Rupees per diem of which two Rupees per diem will be recoverable by the Pay Department from the Officers.

5. Ordered that the following letters be despatched

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To the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. Here enter 3rd January 1846 No. 36.

To W. Maitland Esqre Commanding Her Majesty's Steamer "Spiteful." Here enter 3rd January 1846, No. 22.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Dy. Mr. Genl. with letter No. 23 (to be returned.) Dy Adjt. Genl. 2. I. do (do.) Marine Board do (do.) Commy. Genl. do (do.) Clothing Board do (do.) Mily. Board do (do.) Mily. Audr. Genl. do (do.) Accomt. Genl do (do.) Dy Dr. Mr. Genl. 2. I. do (do.)

No. 2.

Medical Board.

6th January 1846.

Adverting to the G. O. G. No. 2, dated 2nd instant, sanctioning the retirement from Service of Surgeon H. S. Fleming M.D. of this Establishment from the 5th instant, the Medical Board have the honor to recommend to the Commander in Chief, and Government, that Senior Assistant Surgeon John Gill may be promoted to the rank of Surgeon from that date, vice Fleming, to complete the establishment.

By order,
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

No. 3.

Nos. 3, and 4.

Fort St. George, 6th January 1846.

No. 3.

Medical Board.

6th January 1846.

With reference to the Proceeding No. 206, the Medical Board have the honor to forward, for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and Government, Memorials [Dated 27th November 1845.] [In Triplicate.] from the undermentioned Medical Officers of this Establishment addressed to the Honorable the Court of Directors, praying that the regulations regarding Pay and Allowances, Leave and Furlough, which obtained previous to the Honorable Court's order of 4th May 1842, may be restored to the Medical Department.

Surgeon D. Falconer,
——do—— H. Graham,
——do—— A. Goodall,
Assistant Surgeon L. P. Lyell,
——do—— J. Anderson, M.D.,
——do—— J. Arthur, M.D.
——do—— G. G. Ford,
——do—— W. Loyd, M.D.
——do—— G. D. H. Eastall,
——do—— W. Williamson

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 4.

Transmitted, for their information & Government with reference to the Extract from Minutes of Consultation

Fort St. George, 6th January 1846.

in the Public Department No. 235, dated 19th November 1845.

By order,
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

Fort St. George,
Medl. Board Office,
6th January, 1846.

Proceedings of a Medical Committee assembled at Cuddapah on the 24th December 1845, by order of Brigadier General Anderson Commanding Ceded Districts, at the request of the Medical Board, for the examination of Rama Row, Pensioned Sheristadar of Cuddapah with reference to his efficiency for further Service.

President.
Assistant Surgeon G. D. Gordon, M.D. 33d Regiment N.I.
Member.
Assistant Surgeon J. J. Donne, M.D. Zillah Surgeon Cuddapah.

The Committee having assembled and minutely examined Rama Row, Pensioned Sheristadar, beg to report that he labours under Cataract of the right eye which has completely obscured vision. The sight of the left eye is also greatly impaired apparently from an amaurotic state of the retina.

From the circumstances of the retina of the left eye being affected, the Committee are of opinion that the retina of the right eye is also involved, and consequently an operation would prove unavailing— They are therefore of opinion that he is permanently disqualified for further effective Service from loss of sight and that no temporary remedial measures will be of use.

The Committee do not consider that the infirmity has been caused by intemperance or other irregular habits.

Nos. 5, and 6.

Fort St. George, 8th January 1846.

habits.

Cuddapah,
24th December, 1845.

(Signed) G. D. Gordon, M.D. President
(Signed) J. J. Doune, M.D. Member

No. 5.

Fort St. George, 8th January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from Minutes of
Dated 5th April 1845. consultation in the Public Department
No. 325, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to
report for the information of Government
Moodelly, who
ment of the Military Auditor General, was this day carefully
examined by the Board, who find him permanently disquali-
fied for further effective Service from a Cataract in the left
eye, and imperfect sight of the right eye.

I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George,
8th January, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 6.

Fort St. George, 8th January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that the Medical

Board made their customary Quarterly visit of Inspection to
the Lunatic Asylum this day; and that they have every rea-
son to be satisfied with the manner in which the duties of
that Institution have been conducted by the Surgeon in
charge.

I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George,
8th January, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

No. 204.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be
forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Fort St. George,
13th January, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To the Medical Board.

No. 7.

Fort St. George, 12th January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical
Board to report, for the information of the Most Noble the
Governor in Council, that on a requisition from the Super-
intendent of Police, addressed to the Surgeon of the Lunatic
Asylum, a Hindoo Prisoner named Narraindawmy, sent
to the Presidency by the Principal Sudr Ameen at
Vizagapatam, was admitted into that Institution on the
8th instant.

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№ 8.

Fort St. George, 12th January 1846.

2.

The Board being satisfied from personal examination that Narrainsawmy is not a fit subject for the Asylum, have ordered him to be transferred to the Mongeer Khoultry, but they request that Government may be pleased to sanction his detention from the 6th to the date of his transfer.

I have &c.

Fort St. George,
12th January, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To E. P. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

№ 47.

Judicial Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council grants sanction for the detention of the Prisoner Narrainsawmy in the Lunatic Asylum from the 6th instant to the date of his transfer to the Mongeer Khoultry.

Fort St. George,
20th January, 1846.

(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

№ 8.

Medical Board.
12th January 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to report to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Governor the arrival, on the 8th instant, of Messrs. John Brett, M.D. and John McGregor, M.D., by the Ship Earl of Hardwicke, as Assistant Surgeons for this Presidency; to forward the Certificates of their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors; and to recommend that they may be accordingly admitted on the Establishment; and appointed, with reference

to the G.O. G. dated the 5th June 1821, to do duty, the former under the Surgeon of the 2nd Battalion Artillery at St. Thomas's Mount, and the latter under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at the Presidency.

By order,

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

№ 9.

Fort St. George, 12th January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To E. P. Thompson Esqre.
Secretary to Government,
Public Department.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to transmit herewith a Return of Books, which have been received from Government during the year 1845, for the use of the Medical Department, as required by an order of Government published in the Fort St. George Gazette of the 12th November 1839.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
12th January, 1846.

To E. P. Thompson Esqre
Secretary to Government,
Public Department.

Return

No. 9.

Fort St. George, 12th January 1846.

Return of Books furnished by Government and purchased at the Public expense for the use of the Medical Board Office.

Books, &c.	No. of copies received during the district year 1845	No. of copies sold	No. of copies on hand.	Remarks.
Books published in India.				
Topographical Report of the Northern Hyderabad and Mysore Divisions, the Tenasserim Provinces and the eastern Settlements—	300	227	73	
Stewarts Report on Small Pox and Vaccination—	40	39	1	
O'Shaughnessy's Bengal Pharmacopœia—	20	17	3	
Half Yearly Reports of the Government Charitable Dispensaries in the Bengal and North Western Provinces—	5	4	1	
Sutherland's observations on the route from the North Western Provinces to Upper Scinde—	1	.	1	
Articles of War for the Native Troops of the Army of India—	1	.	1	† Through the kindness of the Army
Transactions of the Medical and Physical Society of Bombay— 1844 No. VII.	9	9	.	
Monats Hindustani version of the London Pharmacopœia 2d. 1836 and 1841—	3	.	3	‡ Through the kindness of Education Committee
Spilsbury's Hindustani version of the London Pharmacopœia, in Negree character—	3	.	3	do do

Books

Books, &c.	No. of copies received during the district year 1845	No. of copies sold	No. of copies on hand.	Remarks.
Books published in England.				
Regulations for the management of Army Hospitals, at home and abroad	1	.	1	
Tracts published in India.				
Wights Figures of Indian Plants Nos. 50 to 55.	19	16	3	

Fort St. George,
Medical Board Office,
12th January, 1846.

(Signed) Jas: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 10.

Fort St. George, 12th January 1846.

From Surgeon Jas: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to my letter No. 205, and the order of Government thereon, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to report that there are at present two harmless Dated 25th October 1838.

† Buttaloo Venkatasawmy.
Narrainsawmy

† Idiots in the Lunatic Asylum, considered fit subjects for transfer to the Moneegar Choultry, and to request that the sanction of Government may be obtained for their removal to the latter Institution.

I have &c.

Fort St. George,
12th January, 1846.

(Signed) Jas: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 197.

No. 3 from Govt.

Fort St. George 12th January 1846.

No. 197.

Military Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council sanctions the transfer from the Lunatic Asylum to the Moneygar Choultry of the two harmless Idiots alluded to, in the foregoing letter.

Fort St. George,
13th January 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Mily: Asst. Genl.

Public Dept.
No. 193. From The Under Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras.

Sir,

Dated Fort William, the 6th December 1845.

Education. I am directed by the Honorable the Deputy Governor of Bengal to transmit to you, for submission to the Government of Madras, ten copies of the General Report on Public Instruction in the Lower Provinces of the Bengal Presidency for the year 1844/45.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) A. Turnbull,
Under Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 1187.

Public Department.

Ordered that the copies of the Report, received with the foregoing letter be distributed as follows.

To the Madras University. Council of Education. Medical Board. Record Officer.

Fort St. George,
19th December 1845.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

To The Medical Board with 2 Books.

No. 11, Ext. No. 3 from Govt.

Fort St. George, 15th January 1846. 41

No. 11.

Medical Board.

15th January 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to report for the information of His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government, that they have reason to consider Assistant Surgeon John Forster eligible for the general duties of the Army.

By order,

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Public Department.

No. 7.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

Dated 2nd January 1846.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly.

Forwarding copy of a letter of the Secretary to the Medical Board of 4th December, and that of the correspondence therein alluded to and requesting sanction for the entertainment of two, Extra Vaccinators.

Here enter 23rd December 1845.

Resolved that, under the circumstances stated in the foregoing letter, authority be granted to the Collector of Tinnevelly to employ two temporary Extra Vaccinators for his district, subject to the confirmation of the Government of India, to whom an application will be submitted in the prescribed form, which the Collector of Tinnevelly will transmit to this Office at his earliest convenience.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

To The Medical Board. Acct. Genl. Civil Auditor. No. 941.
Copy to the Collector of Tinnevelly.

From Govt.

Fort St. George, 15th January 1846.

No. 941. From G. A. Bushby Esqre.
Secretary to the Government of India.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to the Government of
Fort St. George.

Dated the 20th December 1845.

Sir,

Home Dept. I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 53, dated the 22nd ultimo forwarding documents shewing to what extent patients have availed themselves of the Lying-in Hospital sanctioned experimentally for one year at Fort St. George.

2. In reply I am desired to state that as the benefits of the Institution have been taken advantage of by a comparatively large number of persons and its usefulness is progressive the Honorable the President in Council has been pleased to authorize its continuance and to request that you will submit Annually a Report similar to the one forwarded with your letter under acknowledgment.

I have &c. &c.

Fort William,
The 20th December, 1845.
No. 35.

(Signed) G. A. Bushby,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Public Department.

Resolved that the above letter be communicated to the proper Departments.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas
Chief Secretary.

Copy to the committee Lying-in Hospl. Medical Board. Commy Genl. Accts. Genl. Civil Auditor. } To the

Fort St. George, 20th January 1846.

Read the following letter,

No. 770. From The Under Secretary Government of Bengal.

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

Dated Fort William, 15th November 1845.

Sir,

Education. I am directed by the Honorable the Deputy Governor to transmit to you, for the purpose of being laid before the Most Noble the Governor of Fort St. George in Council, the accompanying copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Council of Education No. 579, dated the 25th ultimo forwarding with the view therein mentioned, a copy of Mr. Webb's "Pathologia Indica", or descriptive Catalogue of the Museum of the Calcutta Medical College.

I have &c.

(Signed) A. Turnbull,
Under Secty. Govt. of Bengal.

No. 579. From
Secretary to the
Council of Education.
To F. J. Halliday Esqre.
Secretary Government of Bengal.
Dated 25th October 1845.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence with the Madras Government relative to the supply of Morbid preparations to the Calcutta Museum, communicated in letter No. 713 dated 17th October 1845, from the Under Secretary Government of Bengal, I have the honor by direction of the Council of Education to forward for transmission to the Medical Board of Madras, the accompanying copy of Mr. Webb's Pathologia Indica or descriptive catalogue

№ 12.

Fort St. George, 20th January 1846.

Catalogue of the Medical College Museum - a work which has received the highest commendation from eminent authorities in England, as a very valuable contribution to the Medical Literature of this Country.

The Calcutta Museum is already rich in some departments of Morbid Anatomy, and as it is not deemed necessary or advisable to collect multiplied examples of diseases, which are well and fully illustrated the Council will be happy to transfer to the Madras School such Specimens and Cases of interest, as may enable it to become a School of Pathology with respect to tropical diseases. For this purpose they will feel obliged by being furnished with a Catalogue of the Morbid preparations already collected there, in order that such may not be sent as are not required.

Although from local circumstances the Museum in Calcutta can never be so directly useful to the Medical Departments of the three Presidencies, as that of Fort Pitt is to the Medical Officers of the Royal Army - its benefits are capable of being extended to the whole profession both at home and abroad - and it is the earnest wish of the Council by the continued publication of Mr. Webb's and similar researches, to throw the greatest possible light upon the Pathology and treatment of tropical diseases, and render the Museum itself a complete School of Medicine, in all its practical bearings, worthy of the Capital of British India.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. R. Mouat
Secretary

Council of Education
October 25th, 1845.

True Copy.
(Signed) A. Swinhoe
Under Secry to the Govt. of Bengal.

№ 5519

Military Department.

№ 5519.

Ordered to be communicated to the Medical Board with instructions to forward for transmission to the Government of India the Catalogue referred to.

Fort St. George,
1st December, 1845.

(Signed) C. A. Bronce, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board with Book.

№ 12.

Fort St. George, 20th January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reference to the order of Government Military Department № 5519, Dated 1st ultimo, in the Military Department, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to forward for transmission to the Government of India a "Catalogue of the Morbid preparations &c" in the Medical School at Madras.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George
20th January, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

№ 383.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter, together with its enclosure be forwarded to the Government of Bengal, and that the following letter be dispatched

To the Under Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Fort St. George
24th January 1846.

Here enter 24th Jany 1846 № 384.
(Signed) C. A. Bronce, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.
№ 12.

To The Medical Board.

№ 13.

Fort St. George, 21st January 1846.

№ 13.

Fort St. George, 21st January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from Minutes of consultation of Government in the Public Department № 326, Dated 5th April 1845, I have the honor to state, that as there is only one Medical Officer at Cuddalore, the most convenient mode of proceeding will be to direct P. Teacle Royaloo, a conditional Sentioner on the Establishment of the Collector of South Arcot, to appear before the Medical Board for the purpose of a final report being made on his case.

I have &c.

Fort St. George,
21st January, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Public Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council approves of the suggestion contained in the foregoing letter and directs its adoption.

Fort St. George,
28th January, 1846.

(Signed) R. G. Clarke,
Depy. Secretary to Government.

Copy to the Collr. of South Arcot. To the Medical Board.

Military Department.

№ 301.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

20th January 1846.

Read the following letters.

From the Quarter Master General of the Army.

Here enter 10th Janry. 1846, № 20.

From the Quarter Master General of the Army.

Here enter 13th Janry. 1846, № 26.

From the Acting Secretary to the Marine Board

Here enter 17th Janry. 1846, № 81.

From the Acting Secretary to the Marine Board.

Here enter 20th Janry. 1846, № 86.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council observes that the "Stebonheath" appears to be in all respects much better adapted for the conveyance of Invalids than any of the other Ships tendered - and both for the comfort of the Soldiers and for the convenience of the Service in respect to the greater number of Officers who would otherwise be required, it appears to His Lordship in Council to be very desirable that the "Stebonheath" instead of being limited to 45 as proposed by the Marine Board should be taken up for the whole number, estimated at about 250 - more particularly as the "Worcester," though tendered at a lower rate, is stated to be so deep in the water as that her Scuttles will probably not be available for ventilation.

2. Resolved therefore that the Medical Board be instructed to examine the Medical Officer proposed for the "Stebonheath," and to submit an early report upon his qualifications.

3. Resolved further that in the event of the Surgeon being

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being reported by the Medical Board to be in every respect perfectly qualified for the charge, the "Stebonheath" be taken up for the whole of the Troops, provided that with reference to the Tender of the "Worcester", the Agents or Owners are willing to accept a medium rate of £18-10-0. per head.

4. The Marine Board will in anticipation of the report upon the Surgeon, communicate the foregoing resolution to the Agents of the "Stebonheath", and forward an early report of the result.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. With Testimonials of Dr. Lacerenza (8 in number. To be returned.)

№ 14.

Fort St. George, 21st January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. P. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reference to the Extract from the Minutes Dated 20th instant. of Consultations in the Military Department № 30, I have the honor to report for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that the Medical Board have this day examined Dr. Lacerenza, and from the questions they have put to him, and also from the testimonials* herewith returned, his professional opinion he is a regularly educated Medical Gentleman, and fully qualified for the Medical charge of the Troops proceeding on the "Stebonheath" to England.

2. The Board beg to state that Dr. Lacerenza's knowledge

knowledge of English is imperfect, but that the Agents of the Ship (Messrs. Bambridge & Co.) agree to provide him with an assistant (Mr. Ross) a discharged Assistant Apothecary of this establishment, who on a former occasion was examined by the Board and found competent for the charge of Emigrants, and who subsequently appears to have proceeded to England in charge of a passenger Ship, and gave satisfaction in the performance of his duty; which arrangement in their opinion obviates any objections arising out of Dr. Lacerenza's imperfect knowledge of English.

3. With reference to Paragraph 3rd, of the above Minute, the Board observe that Dr. Lacerenza is not in respect perfectly qualified for the charge, as he does not possess a Diploma from one of the British Colleges, stated in the annexed Extract from a letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors to be requisite.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Extract from a letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors in the Military Department № 30 dated 15th April 1835.

"That in no case shall an individual be appointed who has not obtained a Diploma from the College of Surgeons of London, Edinburgh, Dublin, or Glasgow, and who moreover has not been on a voyage to the East or West Indies or who has not served in His Majesty's or in the East India Company's Service for at least six months, or in some other situation of equal responsibility for the like period.

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(A true Extract.)
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medl Board.

Fort St. George, 21st January 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government
Military Department.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

22nd January 1846.

The following papers are ordered to be recorded.

From the Acting Secretary to the Marine Board.

Here enter 21st January 1846, № 14

From the Secretary to the Medical Board.

Here enter 21st January 1846, № 9

The Most Noble the Governor in Council accepts the tender of the "Sebourheath" for the conveyance of the whole of the Invalids at the rate of £ 18-10 S. per head.

The tenders of the other Ships are consequently declined.

Ordered that the Testimonials of Dr. Lacerenza be returned to the Marine Board.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. & Sub
Secretary to Government.

To The Marine Board with Testimonials. Dr. Mr. Genl. Commy. Genl. Medical Board. Dy. Adjt. Genl. L.S. Dy. Jr. Mr. Genl. L.S. Mily. Board. Mily. Asst. Genl. Asst. Genl.

Read.

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Read the following letter,

№ 3.

Madras, 10th January 1846.

From H. D. Phillips Esqre
Register to the Court of
Zoujdaree Adalut.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Zoujdaree Adalut to submit to be laid before Government, the annexed copy of a letter dated the 31st ultimo, from the Assistant Surgeon in Medical charge of the Civil Establishments at Chingleput relative to a Convict named Ramasawmy now in the Jail Hospital at that Station - and reported to be unfit for hard labour, in consequence of Cataract.

2. The Session Judge of Chingleput, on sending up this letter, requests authority to forward the said Prisoner in charge of a Peon to the Eye Infirmary at Madras, observing that the Peon could remain in charge of him until such time as he may be discharged from the Infirmary.

3. The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Session Judge be accordingly authorized to forward the Prisoner in question to the Eye Infirmary - and that the Medical Officer in charge of that Institution be furnished with a copy of the letter of the Assistant Surgeon, with whom the suggestion originated.

I have &c.
(Signed) H. D. Phillips,
Register.

Zoujdaree Adalut,
Register's Office,
10th January, 1846.

From H. D. Phillips Esqre
Register to the Court of
Zoujdaree Adalut.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

From

Fort St. George, 22nd January 1847.

Chingleput 31st December 1845.

From Assistant Surgeon H. Harper,
Acting Zillah Surgeon of
Chingleput.

To W. Morehead Esqre
Civil and Session Judge
Chingleput.

Sir,

I beg to state that the Prisoner Ramasawmy in Hospital, sentenced 14 years imprisonment, is unfit for hard labour in consequence of Cataract. I have the honor to request that you will obtain the sanction requisite for his being sent to the Eye Infirmary Madras. I have &c.

Chingleput,
31st December, 1845.

(Signed) H. Harper
Assist. Surgeon

(True Copy)
(Signed) H. D. Phillips,
Register.

No. 40.

Judicial Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council authorises the Session Judge of Chingleput to forward the boy Ramasawmy to the Eye Infirmary at Madras, under the arrangement specified in Para 2.

Ordered that the foregoing letter and this order be communicated to the Medical Board, who will be pleased to issue the necessary instructions to the Medical Officer in charge of the Eye Infirmary.

Fort St. George,
17th January, 1846.

(Signed) C. P. Thompson,
Secretary to Government.

To the Pongaree Adalut, and Medical Board.

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Madras.
Marine Board Office,
24th January 1846.

No. 122.

From C. P. Wortham Esqre
Acting Secretary Marine Board.

To I. L. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

1. With reference to the order of Government No. 336 dated 22nd January 1846 on Major's letter of 14th idem. as per margin, I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to forward herewith copies of tenders of the Nos. 1 to 3. Ships "True Briton" "Northumberland" and "Worcester" for the conveyance to England of Honorable Company's Invalids No. 4. upon the terms specified in the accompanying Memorandum.

2. The Board request me to observe that the tenders of the "True Briton" and "Northumberland" are so nearly at the same rates, that they beg to leave it for Government to decide which of them shall be employed for the Service, both being equally eligible vessels. &c. &c.

I have &c.

Madras,
Marine Board Office,
24th January, 1846.

(Signed) C. P. Wortham,
Acting Secretary.

To I. L. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary.

Memorandum.

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Fort St. George, 29th January 1846.

Memorandum showing the names of vessels tendered for conveying Invalids of the Honorable Company's Service to England and the terms of such tenders.

Name of Vessels.	Rate for each Invalid	Number of Invalids to be accommodated.	When sails.
	£. S. D.		
Worcester	20 . .	121.	29th January 1846.
Northumberland	18 9 6	88	31st ——do—— This tender is made on the condition that the Invalids must be embarked on the morning of the 30th instant.
True Briton	18 5 .	79	1st February 1846

Madras.
Marine Board Office,
24th January, 1846.
To
The Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that the Medical Board

(Signed) G. P. Worthams
Acting Secretary.

Military Department.

Resolved that the tender of the "True Briton" be accepted for the conveyance to England of the Company's Invalids at the rate of £18. 5.— each.

Fort St. George,
24th January, 1846.
To
The Marine Board. Thos. Major. Commy. Genl. Mily. Board. Medical Board. Clothing Board. Mily. Auditor Genl. Acct. Genl.

(Signed) G. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

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Fort St. George, 29th January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.
To
F. I. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that the Medical Board have this day examined Mr. Edward Stock, Surgeon of the Ship "True Briton", and that they consider him duly qualified for the Medical charge of Invalids proposed to be embarked for England on that vessel.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
29th January, 1846.
To
F. I. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

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Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Fort St. George,
31st January, 1846.
To
The Medical Board.

(Signed) G. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

No. 16.

Fort St. George, 29th January 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.
To
F. I. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to submit, for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council copy of a letter from Surgeon Harding, representing that the rate of Stoppages made from Paid Candidates when patients in the General Hospital, viz. 3 Annas per diem or Rupees 5-10-0 per mensem, is quite disproportioned to the rate of Pay received by this class of Medical

No. 14 dated 26th instant to the Superintending Surgeon Presidency

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To
F. I. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Medical Subordinates, more particularly when compared with the Senior and Junior Medical Apprentices, from whom the same amount is deducted, the Pay of those belonging to the last mentioned grades, being respectively, 25 Rupees, and 17-8-0 per mensem.

2. Surgeon Harding also states, that the established deduction of 8 Annas per diem, made indiscriminately from private individuals, and persons employed in Public Offices, is so high as to prevent many from availing themselves of the benefits of the Institution, from their being unable to maintain their families, when they themselves are in Hospital, and subject to a deduction of 15 Rupees per mensem.

3. The Board therefore suggest for the consideration of His Lordship in Council, that the regulation as per margin, on this head, may be revised, and that the amount of stoppages to be made in future from Paid candidates be fixed at Annas 1-6 per diem, instead of 3 Annas; and that the stoppages from bid patients, belonging to the Public Offices of Government, whose Salaries may be under 20 Rupees per mensem, be reduced from 8 to 3 Annas per diem.

Sect. 17th Pages 398 and 399 Medical Department headed "Hospital Stoppages" Paragraph

I have &c.

(Signed) Ges: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 14. To The Superintending Surgeon,
Presidency.

Sir,

Referring to the rules stated at Page 398 of the Pay code, by which certain rates of stoppages are required to be made from all European or Indo Britons, on account

account of diet supplied to them while in Hospital, I beg leave to bring to notice the instances of the Junior grades of the Subordinate Medical Establishment, noted in the margin, who are not specified in the detail of the several ranks liable to stoppage at the respective rates stated in the G.O.G. No. 142 dated 28th June 1836 and G.O.G. No. 12th January 1841, but, from each of which grades, it has hitherto been customary, as required by the Pay department, to make an uniform stoppage at the rate of 3 Annas per day or of Rupees 5, Annas 10, for a month of 30 days.

Designation	Rate of Pay		
Senior Medical Apprentice	25	0	0
Junior do do	17	8	0
Paid candidate	7	0	0

This rate of deduction appears to be quite disproportioned with the rate of Pay received by the Paid candidates especially; and more particularly so when compared with Europeans Privates, or others of similar rank, receiving a rate of pay varying from 10 to 12 Rupees per month, irrespective of the established ration allowance; and from whom a deduction of 2 Annas only per diem is made. I beg respectfully therefore, to submit the case for the consideration of higher authority, and to propose that the amount of stoppage in the instances referred to should be more proportionate to the respective rates of Pay of such individuals.

For the convenience of reference the respective rates of Pay and amount of monthly stoppages, now required from each rank and grade of the Subordinate Medical Department are herewith stated, as follow.

Rate

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	Apothecary	Second Apothecary	Assistant Apothecary	Senior Medical Apprentice	Junior Medical Apprentice	Paid Candidate
Rate of Pay in Garrison	Rs. A. P. 115. 7. ..	Rs. A. P. 95. 14. ..	Rs. A. P. 55.	Rs. A. P. 25.	Rs. A. P. 17. 8. ..	Rs. A. P. 7. .. ..
Amount of deduction for diet, for a month of 30 days	15.	15.	15.	5. 10. ..	5. 10. ..	5. 10. ..
Residue after deduction	100. 7. ..	80. 14. ..	40.	19. 6. ..	11. 14. ..	1. 6. ..

While engaging the attention of Superior authority on this subject, I would beg leave, also, to bring to notice certain disadvantages, which experience has confirmed, in the working of the G.O. of 28th June 1836 by the established deduction, on the same account, of 8 Annas per day, required indiscriminately from private individuals and from those engaged in the Public Offices of Government, without respect to the amount of Salary or Pay receiving by them; and against which numerous instances have occurred of individuals declaiming on the score of inability to maintain their families, while themselves under treatment, in Hospital.

Should it be deemed expedient, therefore, to make any modification in the existing rules as respects the Subordinate Medical branches of the Service, I would beg to advise some corresponding alteration being made in that part of the rule, applicable to the Civil classes, by a division of the rate of stoppage into two grades, proportioned to the Salary or means of the individual, and that it should be required to be stated, for the guidance of the Commissariat Department, upon the letter from the head of the Office, giving the usual guarantee for the stoppage to be made, what the amount of Salary may be of each individual making application for admission into

into Hospital.
Madras,
General Hospital,
26th January, 1846.

I have &c. &c.
(Signed) Geo: Harding,
Surgeon Genl: Hospital.
(Signed) Edwd Barrie,
Sup.g Surgeon.
(A true Copy.)
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med.l Board.

Fort St. George, 29th January 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

№ 916.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

24th February 1846.

Read again the letter noted in the margin, recorded in Diary to Consultation 3rd February 1846.

From the Secretary Medical Board dated 29th January 1846. № 16.

Read the following letters,

From the Commissary General, Here enter 10th February 1846 № 37.

From the Military Auditor General, Here enter 17th February 1846. B.

Ordered to be communicated to the Medical Board, with reference to their № 16 of 29th January last, with instructions to prepare a draft of a G.O. in revision of the rates of Hospital Stoppages contained under that head of Section 17, Code of Pay and Audit Regulations, with such or any modification as they may deem suitable, of the existing rates for the classes noticed in the concluding Para

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Para of the Military Auditor General's report.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board, with letters № 723 and 862, (to be returned,) Comm.y Genl. Mily. Aud.r Genl.
№ 37.

Commissary General's Office,
Madras, 10th February, 1846.

From Lieutenant Colonel A. Pulloch, C. B.
Commissary General.

To F. S. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the order of Government on a letter from the Secretary to the Medical Board, recommending a scale of daily stoppages to be made in future from Civil Patients and from said Medical Candidates referred for my report, I beg to say that I concur in the rates proposed by the Medical Board, and that the same may be adopted as being proportionate to the Salaries received by these Persons.

№ 525 dated 2nd February 1846.

Dated 29th January 1846.

I have &c. &c.

Comm.y Genl's Office,
Madras, 10th February 1846.

(Signed) A. Pulloch, Lieut. Col.
Commissary General.

To F. S. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

B.

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Military Auditor General's Office,
Fort St. George, 17th February, 1846.

From Lieutenant Colonel S. W. Steel, C. B.
To His Excellency Lieutenant General
The Most Noble George,
Marquis of Tweeddale K. T. and G. B.
Governor in Council.

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord Marquis,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of copy of a communication from the Medical Board to Government, with accompaniment from the Medical Officer in charge of the General Hospital, representing the proportionate rates at which stoppages from Medical Subordinates when Patients therein, as exhibited in the margin, compared with the amount of their Monthly Pay, and suggesting revision thereof as regards Paid Candidates, and Civil Patients, whose Salaries may be under 20 Rupees a month.

	Rate of present Pay per Mensem	Proposed rate of stoppage per Mensem	Present rate of stoppage per Hospital Mensem	Proposed rate of stoppage per Hospital Mensem
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Senior Medical Apprentice	25 . .	. 3 .	. 3 .	
Junior do do	17 8 .	. 3 .	. 3 .	
Paid Candidates	7 . .	. 3 .	. 1 .	
Civil Patients whose Salaries may be under	20 . .	. 8 .	. 3 .	

2. I beg to express my entire concurrence in the view of the subject taken by the Medical Board, for the reasons explained, and I take the liberty to suggest that the Board be requested to submit the draft of a General Order for publication, if approved of, for carrying the same into effect prospectively.

3. A new and reduced rate of stoppage is proposed to be established for Civil Patients whose Salaries may

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may be under 20 Rupees per mensem, namely 3 Annas per diem, but no modification is proposed for those whose salaries may be above that sum. I conclude therefore that the latter description of persons will continue liable to existing stoppages.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. W. Steel, Lieut. Col.
Mily. Auditor General.

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From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board, to transmit for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the annexed Extract from the Dated 23d instant. "Annual Medical Inspection Report of the Lunatic Asylum", by the Superintending Surgeon Presidency, and respectfully to recommend that measures may be adopted for having the building examined and put into a state of thorough repair.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Extract.

I am now informed by Mr. Lawder that the building is in a highly dangerous state, leaking in almost every quarter, during the Monsoon, which, of course necessarily weakens the Walls, and rots the ends of the beams fixed in them. On careful examination, I observe several marks where

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where the rain had injured the premises, and in one cell there appeared to me a bulging of the masonry, no doubt from the same cause. As I am no judge of the stability of the building, perhaps the Board will consider it necessary to request Government to order the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency to examine, and report as to the present condition of the buildings, which Mr. Lawder thinks is attended with risk to the Inmates. The cells are clean, and in all other respects, there was no cause of complaint."

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George, 29th January 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

No 18.

Read the following letter,

To The Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Mily. Deptt. I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 4921 of the 31st October last, with its enclosures, relative to the formation of a Convalescent Depot at Amherst for the European Troops at Moulmein, and in reply to acquaint you, for the information of the Government of Fort St. George, that, with reference to the contemplated early reduction in the strength of the Force in the Tenasserim Provinces, the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, deems it inexpedient to sanction the incurrence of so heavy an expense at the

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Buildings and establishment for the proposed Depot would entail on the State.

2.

The original enclosures of your letter are herewith returned as requested. I have &c. &c.

(Signed) W. M. N. Hunt, Major,
Offg Secry to the Govt. of India,
Mily. Dept.

Fort William,
2nd January, 1846.
№ 345.

Military Department.

Ordered to be communicated to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, with reference to the Minutes of Consultation of the 31st October 1845 № 4921.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George,
23rd January, 1846.

To The Adjt. Genl.

Genl.

№ 18.

Fort St. George, 2nd February, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To S. T. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to the order of Government Dated 16th July 1839. in the Judicial Department № 581, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to transmit for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the annexed copy of a letter Dated 24th ultimo. from Assistant Surgeon Porteous, reporting the indisposition of Lt. Bird Esqre, Civil and Sessions Judge of Coimbatore.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Coimbatore,
24th January, 1846.

To Lt. Knox Esqre.
Superintending Surgeon,
Southern Division.

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the information of the Medical Board, that Lt. Bird Esqre. Civil and Sessions Judge of Coimbatore, was placed on the sick Report on the 19th instant, having received a blow from a Racket Ball on his right Eye, which has dislocated the Lens, and as it will be necessary to confine him to his house, for some days longer, I have deemed it advisable, to bring the case to your notice, although he is at present going on most favorably- being able (on trial) to read with that Eye. I still consider it doubtful, as to the ultimate issue of the case, vision was wholly gone, and the anterior chamber filled with blood, which is now quite absorbed, the Pupil remains dilated, and immoveable. The Eye is free from any uneasiness. I have furnished Mr. Bird with a Certificate of the nature of his illness for direct transmission to the Sudr Adalut.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) W. W. Porteous,
Assist. Surgeon.

Coimbatore,
24th January, 1846.

To Lt. Knox Esqre.
Superintending Surgeon,
Southern Division.

(Signed) Lt. Knox.
Offg Surgeon, S. D.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To S. T. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary
to Government.

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Nos. 19 and 20.
Fort St. George, 3d February 1846.

No. 19.
Medical Board.
3d February 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to re-
-port to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and
Government, the arrival on the 31st ultimo, of Surgeon H. S.
Brice, of this Establishment, by the Steamer "Bentinck";
and to forward the certificate of the permission of the
Honorable the Court of Directors to this Officer to return
to his duty, without prejudice to his rank.

By order,
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

No. 20.
Medical Board.
3d February, 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to re-
-port to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Govern-
-ment, the arrival, on the 31st ultimo, of Mr. Augustus
Octavius Carrie, M.D., by the Steamer "Bentinck" as an
Assistant Surgeon for this Presidency; to forward the Cer-
-tificate of his appointment by the Honorable the Court of
Directors; and to recommend that he may be according-
-ly admitted on the Establishment, and appointed, with
reference to the G.O.G. dated the 5th June 1821, to do duty
under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at the Presidency.

By order,
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

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No. 21.

Fort St. George, 4th February 1846.

From Surgeon Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to report, for the information of Government, that the Insane Patients, named in the margin, who have, for some time, been under Medical treatment in the General Hospital, were transferred to the Lunatic Asylum the two former on the 29th ultimo, and the latter on the 1st instant.

Private Wm. Milton, Rl. H. 63d Regt.
— do — John Mulqueny — do — 63d — do —
— do — Saml. Dunkin — do — 84th — do —

The Board being satisfied, from personal examination by one of their Members, that they are fit subjects for that Institution, beg leave to recommend that their admission may be sanctioned.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

Fort St. George,
4th February, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

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The Most Noble the Governor in Council sanctions the admission into the Lunatic Asylum of the three European Insane Patients named in the margin of the foregoing letter.

(Signed) Jno. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.
Milry. Auditor Genl.

Fort St. George,
6th February, 1846.

To The Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, 5th February 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board
To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In conformity with the General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India, in Council, republished in G.O.G. № 19 of 1846. I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to submit for the consideration of the Most Noble the Governor in Council the names of six Senior Apothecaries, and to offer the following observations and explanation for the information of His Lordship in Council, on the eligibility of these persons, for the grant of the superior rate of Pay and Allowances authorized for the five Senior and most meritorious Apothecaries.

* Apothecary John Paterson
——— do ——— William Long,
——— do ——— William Collins,
——— do ——— Nicholas Bazely,
——— do ——— John White,
——— do ——— Thomas Shillingsworth.

2.

The three Senior Apothecaries of this Establishment, viz:

John Paterson,
William Long, and
William Collins,

are considered by the Board to be in every respect highly deserving of the superior rate of Pay and Allowances, as well from the Military Services they have performed, both in the Field and in Garrison, as also from their unexceptionable character as

as Public Servants.

3.

The fourth Apothecary on the list, Nicholas Bazely, was selected in the year 1843, on account of his particular qualifications for the situation of Clerk in the Medical Board Office, his duty being the preparation of the Military, and other Returns, of Sick- and in consequence of his efficient Services, and general acquaintance with the business of the Department, he was appointed Manager of the Office in 1840, which situation he now holds. As Apothecary Bazely has not been employed in the duties of Military Hospitals, the Board consider themselves precluded by the terms of the Order, from recommending him for the Boon, though his Services have been most efficient and meritorious in his particular duties, and are as deserving of consideration as those of any other person of his grade and on which account he was particularly recommended by the Board for an increase of Salary in their letter to Government № 77 dated 19th May 1842.

4.

The Board beg leave further to state with reference to the provisions of the Order, which are declared not to be, "intended to embrace the cases of individuals in the possession of appointments of a Civil nature, to which superior allowances and advantages are attached; that although several Apothecaries in Bengal are employed in Civil situations, and it is understood, are in the enjoyment of Salaried of from 200 to 300 Rupees per mensem, the only Apothecary of this Establishment excluded on account of situation, is Apothecary Bazely, who only receives a Staff Salary of 35 Rupees from the Office Allowance of the Medical Board's in addition to the Pay of Apothecary, Rupees 115 7- 0- making

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making a Total of Rupees 150-15-0 per mensem.

5. The 5th and 6th Apothecaries on the list, John White and Thomas Chillingsworth, are both considered to be fully entitled from Services and character, to the increased Pay - though the Military Service of the latter has been confined chiefly to Garrison duty and marching.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

Fort St. George,
5th February, 1846.

To F. J. Thomas, Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Military Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council observes that the recommendations of the Medical Board should be submitted to Government through the Commander in Chief, in order to their being accompanied by His Excellency's observations - each case also being accompanied by a detailed statement of the individual's Services.

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10th February, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne Lieut. &c.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Adjt. Genl.

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Medical Board.
5th February 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to report to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government that the Physician General, Surgeon General and Inspector General of Hospitals, appointed in G.O.G. № 29, dated 3rd instant,

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instant, have taken their seats at the Board accordingly.

By order,
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

Military Department.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
26th January 1846.
Read the following letters,

From the Quarter Master General. Here enter 23rd January 1846. № 61.

From the Quarter Master General Here enter 25th January 1846. № 58.

Ordered that copies of the foregoing communications be forwarded to the Government of India and to the Political Agent in Bundlekhand and that the movements proposed by the Commander in Chief be notified in General Orders.

2. The necessary communications will be made as suggested by His Excellency, to the Commissioner in Mysore, and to the Residents at Hyderabad and Nagpore.

3. The Troops serving at Saugor and in Bundlekhand, will be entitled to the Lance allowances in all respects as at Kamptee.

Ordered that the following letters be dispatched

To The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department with the Governor General. Here enter 26th January 1846. № 394.

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To the Officiating Secretary to
Government of India, Calcutta.

Here enter 26th Jany. 1846 No. 396.

To the Political Agent Bundlekhand.

Here enter 26th Jany. 1846 No. 396.

To the Resident Nagpore.

Here enter 26th Jany. 1846 No. 397.

To the Resident Hyderabad.

Here enter 26th Jany. 1846, No. 398.

To the Commissioner Mysore.

Here enter 26th Jany. 1846, No. 399.

(Signed) G. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Dy. Mr. Genl. Adjt. Genl. Mily. Asst. Genl
Asstt. Genl. Commy. Genl. Medical Board. Mily. Board.
with letter No. 383 from Secty to Govt. of India with Govr. Genl
No. 479.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation,
30th January 1846.

Read the following letter

From the Secretary to the Govern-
-ment of India Military Department
with the Governor General.

Here enter 12th Jany. 1846 No. 383

Ordered that the foregoing despatch be com-
-municated to the Commander in Chief, with a request
that His Excellency will cause the Government to be in-
-formed as soon as possible of the arrangements which may
now be considered most advisable.

2.

Ordered further that the embarkation of
the Detachment of H.M. 94th Regiment under orders
for Moulmein be countermanded, and that passage be
provided

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provided for the party to Calcutta.

(Signed) G. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Dy. Mr. Genl. with letter No. 507 to be returned.
Adjt. Genl with do do. Marine Board. Commg Genl.
Mily. Board. Deputy Adjt. Genl. E. I. with letter No. 507 to
be returned. Town Major. Mily. Asst. Genl. Medical
Board.

No. 25.

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From Surgeon Geo. Searle, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas, Esqre.
Secretary to Government.

Sir,

Under instructions from the Honble
the Court of Directors, and with reference to the 3rd Para.
Dated 3rd June 1845. of the Extract from Minutes of Con-
-sultation in the Military Department No. 2482, I have
the honor to report, for the information of Government, that
the undermentioned persons afflicted with mental de-
-rangement, and now in the Lunatic Asylum, require
to be sent to England.

Private William Melton, H.M. 63rd Regiment,
—do— John Malqueeny, —do— 63rd —do—
—do— Samuel Dunkin, —do— 84th —do—

2. The Board consider it very desirable that
the above Patients should be sent home by an early oppor-
-tunity, and beg leave to recommend to Government, as
on former occasions, that the first Ship engaged to
convey Invalids to England may be required to take
them.

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Fort St. George,
6th February, 1846.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Military Department.

Ordered to be communicated to the Marine Board with instructions to engage passage

2.

The Board observe that the Ships engaged for the Invalids sailed a few days before the date of this report.

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(Signed) C: A: Browne, Lieut.
Secretary to Government.
To The Marine Board. Medical Board.

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From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to enclose, for submission to Government, and for ultimate transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, a Blank † Statement of Seamen of Her Majesty's Navy, who have been treated in the General Hospital of Fort St. George, during the year 1845.

† In triplicate.

This Statement is made out according to a Form received from the Honorable Court, in M. Acting Secretary

Casamajor's

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Casamajor's letter, dated the 12th August 1825.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
7th February, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

An account of the names and number of Sick and Wounded Seamen and Marines who have been received into and victualled in the General Hospital at Fort St. George between 1st January and 31st December 1845.

Names.	Remarks.
None	

Rupees . . .

Rupees . . .

Fort St. George,
1st January, 1846.

I do hereby certify that the above is a true and just account of the Sick and Wounded Seamen received and victualled in the General Hospital at Fort St. George between the 1st January and 31st December 1845, and that the amount of effects sold or cash left by the deceased men and abated from the total amount of claim, is correctly stated as above.

(Signed) G: Harding,
Surgn. Genl. Hospitals.

(Signed) Claud Currie,
Supg. Surgeon.

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Fort St. George, 7th and 10th February 1846.

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Medical Board.

7th February 1846.

Adverting to the G.O.G. № 23 dated 27th ultimo, sanctioning the retirement from Service of G: Adams Esqr Physician general of this Establishment, from the 31st ultimo, the Medical Board have the honor to recommend to the Commander in Chief and Government, that Senior Assistant Surgeon Robert Plumke may be promoted to the rank of Surgeon, from that date, vice Adams, to complete the Establishment.

By order,
Signed/ Geo: Pearse, M.D
Secretary Med: Board.

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Medical Board.

10th February 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to transmit for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government, the annexed Dated 9th instant. copy of a letter. № 49 from Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie M.D. requesting, for the reasons therein stated that, in the G.O.G. № 33 of 1846, appointing him to the Presidency Division, "Superintending Surgeon" may be substituted for the word "Surgeon."

By order,
Signed/ Geo: Pearse, M.D
Secretary Med: Board.

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Madras, 9th February 1846.

From Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie M.D.
To Surgeon G: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

Sir,

I have the honor to solicit that the Medical Board will have the goodness to submit to the Most Noble the Commander in Chief and Governor the following:

1st The designation and rank of Superintending Surgeon were conferred on me from the 1st February 1838 by a Commission from the Right Honorable the Governor in Council of Fort St. George, and by one from His Excellency the Commander in Chief of India by virtue of the power and authority vested in him by Her Majesty.

2nd The Most Noble the Governor in Council in the G.O. of the 6th December 1842, permitting me to return to Europe on Medical Certificate, designated me Superintending Surgeon.

3rd The Honorable Court of Directors not only recognised me as Superintending Surgeon in name, but granted me the superior pay of such during my Furlough.

4th The Honorable Court allowed me to return as Superintending Surgeon to my duty without prejudice to my Rank Vide G.O.G № 175 of 1845, and № 5, of 1846.

I therefore beg respectfully to request that in the G.O.G. № 33, of 1846, appointing me to the Presidency Division "Superintending Surgeon" may be substituted for "Surgeon"; and in bringing this subject to notice I take the liberty

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liberty of stating that a similar request was complied with in the case of Superintending Surgeon MacLeod, vide Brita
G. O. G. No. 14 of 1844.

I have &c. &c.
(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Supg. Surgeon.

Supg. Surgeon's Office,
Madras, 9th February, 1846.

To Surgeon G. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

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Medical Board.
17th February 1846.

With reference to the Medical Board's Proceedings
Dated 27th November 1845. -ceding No. 206, they have the honor
to forward, for the favorable consideration of His Excellency
in triplicate. the Commander in Chief, and Government, Memo
-rials from the undermentioned Medical Officers of this Estab
-lishment, addressed to the Honorable the Court of Direc
-tors, praying that the Regulations regarding Pay and Allow
-ances, Leave and Furlough, which obtained previous to the
Honorable Court's Order of 4th May 1842, may be restored
to the Medical Department.

Staff Surgeon J. G. Coleman M.D.,
Surgeon A. S. Magrath,
— do — J. Lawrance,
— do — J. Lovell,
Assistant Surgeon J. W. Maillardett

Assistant

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Assistant Surgeon J. W. Cannan,

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

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From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. P. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from Minutes
Dated 6th April 1845. of Consultations, in the Public Departe
-ment, No. 325, I have the honor by order of Government that
Board to report for the information of Government that
B. Venkataroyaloo, who receives a conditional Pension
on the Establishment of the Collector of South Arcot, was
this day carefully examined by the Board, who found him
unfit for further effective Service, from an impaired con
-stitution, and premature old age. I have &c. &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
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To J. P. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 100. From Lieutenant Colonel R. Alexander,
Adjutant General of the Army.

To The Members of the
Medical Board.

Gentlemen,

I have the honor by order of His Excellency the

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№ 5902. communicating a despatch from the Government of India dated 5th December 1845. № 11 relative to an augmentation of the number of Paid Native Pupils in the Madras Medical School.

the Commander in Chief to forward for your information copy of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 26th December 1845, and to request that your Board will be good enough to favor His Lordship with the report therein called for, for transmission to Government.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) R. Alexander Lieut.
Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

Adjt. Genl's Office,
Fort St. George,
5th January, 1846.
№ 5902.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
26th December 1845.

Read the following letter,

To The Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Mily. Deptt.

With reference to your despatch № 1293 of the 20th March last, conveying the recommendation of the Government of Fort St. George that authority be given for an augmentation to the number of Paid Native Pupils in the Medical School at Madras, I am directed by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, to transmit, for the information of that Government, the annexed copy of a letter № 116 dated the 2d ultimo, from Secretary Lieutenant Colonel Stuart, containing the sentiments and observations of the Right Honorable the Governor General on the subject, and sanctioning an increase of twenty to the number of Pupils

in the Institution.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) W. M. N. Stuart, Major.
Offg Secy to the Govt of India
Mily. Deptt.

Fort William,
5th December, 1845.
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Military Department.

To The Officiating Secretary to the
Government of India,
Military Department,
Calcutta.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter № 21 of the 3d ultimo, transmitting correspondence relative to the Native Medical School at Madras and containing suggestions for rendering the state of Medical Education at that Presidency more efficient.

2. The Right Honorable the Governor General after a careful review of the subject and comparison with the system which obtains in Bengal, observes that great discrepancy exists between the two Schools not only as to the medium through which instruction is conveyed, but also in the term of probation that the Students are required to undergo, as well as in the Salary the Pupils receive whilst completing their course of Education. In Madras the Candidates during their two years attendance in Hospital, receive no allowances, but on admission to the Medical School they receive according to their grade ("Senior and Junior") Ten and Seven Rupees per mensem respectively, while the instruction in their course of Education is given in English.

3. In Calcutta, the Medical College consists of two Departments, the higher or English class and the lower

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lower or Secondary School. In the former, the Native Sub-Assistant Surgeons are taught for a term of 5 Years receiving each 8 Rupees per mensem in the latter the Native Doctors are trained for a period of 4 years, the instruction being conveyed in the Native language. The maximum number of Pupils is one hundred, who receive each 6 Rupees per mensem.

4. The efficiency of the Madras system of-pears to be considerably impaired from the fact, that in consequence of the urgent demand for Dressers, the Native candidates remain only 1½ months in the Hospital before being admitted into the Medical School, and not quite 2 years in the School, before they are enrolled on the effective Establishment a period totally inadequate to admit of their acquiring that knowledge of their profession, which is indispensable and which cannot be gained under 4 years. It is also stated, that great difficulty exists in obtaining Native candidates, who possess a competent knowledge of English.

5. To remove as far as possible the causes which give rise to the want of efficiency complained of by the Madras Government, the Governor General is pleased to authorize an increase in the number of Paid Pupils on a scale, corresponding with the yearly demands of the Service in Madras and Bengal respectively. In Bengal the aver-age demand per annum is twenty five and 4 years being allowed for their Education, the number of Pupils has been fixed at one hundred; at 5 Rupees per mensem. In Madras the Annual demand for these pupils is stated to be seventeen which at the above computation would require their number to be 68, instead of the 90 asked for by that Government.

6. With this view of the subject, the Governor General

General is pleased to increase the number of Pupils, in the Native Medical School at Madras by Twenty giving a Total of Seventy- The Establishment will then consist of

16 Pupils at 10 Rupees.
34 Pupils at 7 Rupees.
20 Pupils at 5 Rupees.

By this addition the extra demand for Dressers will soon be supplied, and the Pupils instead of as now, being removed in so short a time after admission will have leisure to complete the prescribed course of Education- As regards the alleged difficulty of obtaining candidates possessing a competent knowledge of English, the Governor General from a personal knowledge of the system as practised in the Medical College at Calcutta, considers that it would be better to send the candidates at once to the School and to teach those intended for Dressers in the Native Lan-guage not requiring from them any knowledge of the English Language as is now the rule.

7. By the adoption of these measures the Gover-nor General feels satisfied that the system of Education would be more complete and satisfactory in every way, and that there would in future be no lack of candidates for admission to the School.

8. The enclosures which accompanied your letter under acknowledgment, are herewith returned and I am to request that the Honorable the President in Council may be moved to make known the sentiments

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of the Governor General to the Madras Government.

Camp Burki Chokee
21st November, 1845.

(Signed) J. Stuart, Lieut. Col.
Secry to the Govt. of India
Mily. Deptt.

with the Governor General's

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) W. M. N. Sturt, Major.
Offg Secry to the Govt. of India,
Mily. Deptt.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council directs that the foregoing despatch be communicated to the Commander in Chief with a request that His Excellency will call upon the Medical Board for a Report upon the subject and also favor the Government with his own sentiments upon the suggestions of the Government of India.

2. The draft of a G.O. is at the same time to be forwarded, providing for the addition of 20 Paid candidates with reference to the Adjutant General's letter of the 20th August 1841. N°. 756.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

(True Copy)
(Signed) R. Alexander, Lieut. Col.
Adjutant General
of the Army.

To The Members of the
Medical Board.

For their information.

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From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.
To Lieutenant Colonel R. Alexander,
Adjutant General of the Army.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to submit for the information of the Most Noble the Commander in Chief, and transmission to Government, the report called for in the Extract from Minutes of Consultation Military Department, Dated 26th December 1845. N°. 5982, in reference to the 6th and 7th Paras of the Government of India, Military Department, Dated 21st October 1846. letter from the Secretary to the Government, suggesting that the candidates intended for the Class of Native Dressers belonging to this establishment, should be sent down to the Medical School, and be taught in the Native Language, not requiring from them any knowledge of English by which it is conceived the system of Education would be rendered more complete and satisfactory, and that the lack of candidates complained of would be supplied.

2. The Superintendent of the Medical School having been called on by the Board to state his sentiments regarding the proposed measure, a communication from that Officer, copy of which is herewith forwarded, was received in reply, in which it is shown by Mr. Harding that objections both of a local and general character exist, to carrying out such a plan of Education here, and these objections, or difficulties are so fully detailed in Mr. Harding's letter, that it appears to the Board unnecessary to

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to take up the time of Government by entering into further detail on the subject, and it will be sufficient therefore, to state that they are as follows:

I. To carry out the proposed measure it would be necessary to communicate instructions in the three different Languages, commonly spoken throughout the Provinces, viz Hindoostanee - Telloogoo - and Tamil, in neither of which are competent teachers nor works on Medical subjects available.

II. Pupils instructed through the medium of the English Language are capable of attaining to a much higher proficiency in Medical Science, than those confined to a knowledge of the vernacular tongues only, and they are moreover looked upon by all classes of the community, as persons in whose professional knowledge greater confidence can be placed.

III. A considerable increase of expence of Establishment it is obvious would be requisite to carry out the system of instruction in Native Languages admitting that in other respects it was possible to do so.

IV. The difficulty experienced in procuring a sufficient number of candidates for Native Pupils qualified in a knowledge of English, arises, not from any want of applicants, but that the means of subsistence not being within the reach of the candidates whilst in that grade, for a period usually extending from one to two Years there is no inducement to well educated youths to come forward.

3. In conclusion the Board desire me to state that from the foregoing circumstances it is not possible to

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to give effect to the views of the Supreme Government and that they are of opinion the proposed system of Medical instruction in the Native Languages, is unsuited to the Medical Establishment of this Presidency.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

№ 10. To The Superintending Surgeon,
Presidency.

Sir, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Secretary to the Medical Board's letter, № 19, of the 8th ultimo, together with a copy of the several communications which accompanied it, conveying a suggestion from the Supreme Government that the instruction of the Native Pupils, at the Medical School, be conducted in the vernacular languages: and to submit the following observations on this subject.

2. To judge of the several objections, which offer themselves in the proposed measure, of dispensing with the now required qualifications in the English tongue from the class of persons referred to, it is necessary first, to state the extent of these qualifications, both in English and in the Vernacular languages, together with the several other conditions for the admission of the Native Pupils into the service; as exhibited in the following Extract from G.O.G. dated 28th October 1843.

(a) "Physical fitness for Military service."
(b) "English reading and orthography, with the meaning of words."
(c) "English writing to dictation."
(d) "Reading and writing in one at least of the following Native

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Native languages, viz: "Hindustanee" "Tamil" or "Telooguo".

(c) The elementary rules of Arithmetic, either according to the European or Native method of calculation".

3. The Candidates, for admission into the Service, thus comprise three different orders or castes of persons, viz:

(1.) Gentoos, speaking the Telooguo language.

(2.) Malabars, or (Pamoolians) speaking the Tamil language together with

(3.) Mussulmans, Rajpoots, &c.

the two first being nearly in equal proportions, and embracing together about nine-tenths ($\frac{9}{10}$ths) of the whole number, as determined by an examination of the Caste of about 220 Native Students who have entered the School since 1835. A few Indo-Portuguese are included in this number, but the admission of this class of persons, into the Native Subordinate Medical Service, has since been proscribed.

4. From the prevailing proportions of the Students of the Gentoo and Tamil castes, as well as from the importance which is attached, by the authorities, to the admission into the Service of Mussulmans also, for the duties of the mounted corps especially, it would be necessary that instruction be imparted in three different languages, requiring separate teachers in each tongue; together with separate class books, to be compiled for the purpose, with all the disadvantages of mere "literal" substitutes of the vernacular for the English characters to represent the abounding and unavoidable technicalities of Medical Science: while the duty of instruction must be necessarily delegated to Native Assistants, upon whose efficiency or success, no dependance could be placed even had they received their own Medical Education

Education from direct European sources.

5. The Students would be further debarred from access to all European works, whether for study or illustration; instead of being supplied as at present, indiscriminately with the Indo-British Students, with elementary works in the English tongue; so that every facility is afforded for the simultaneous instruction of the whole, both Indo-Britons and Natives, without any further sub-division of the class; and the consequent increase of expense, which would be incurred by the required extension of the Establishment of the School, beyond what is now deemed adequate to the purpose.

6. The proposed measure, therefore, of imparting instruction through a Vernacular medium, while it professes from local circumstances particularly, with deference objections of its own. Nor would these objections be limited to the period of the proposed instructions of the Pupils while at the Medical School. In the practical exercise of their future duties as 1st and 2nd Dressers, in Regimental and other Hospitals, resort must be, further, had to the system of mere, vernacular, semblances of names to represent the several medicines, and with obvious inconvenience and disadvantage, as compared with the present means of acquaintance with them by their European characters alone: while, in more detached Civil Stations, the Native Subordinates would be entirely incapacitated for the preparation of the usual Returns or other essential means, now enjoined from them, as a check against improvidence or neglect.

7. That similar disadvantages were really felt in the established system of instruction of the Military class of

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of Students in Calcutta, it is only necessary to refer to Page LXXXVI of the Appendix of the Bengal Report of Education for 1844/45, wherein encouragement is distinctly held out, and a class of instruction established, for such Students to make themselves acquainted with the English language, and to such an extent as will enable them to "read prescriptions and the instructions given by Medical Officers" during the absence of the latter; and, with this recognized necessity for the Native Students of Bengal, it is obvious that the efficiency of those at Madras, must be seriously impaired by the proposed system of vernacular instruction, or "by not requiring from them any knowledge of the English Language" as suggested by the Bengal authorities.

8. In conclusion I submit most respectfully, that the proposal, which has been thus made for the guidance of the Madras School, is based upon an erroneous assumption of the capabilities and necessities of the Institution. The greater facilities afforded to the Natives of the Carnatic, as compared with those of Bengal, for acquiring a competent knowledge of the English language, especially in the Southern Provinces of Madras; and the more general conversance, with the English language, of those connected with the public institutions of this Presidency, are sufficient to show that, it is not the want of mere numbers, as applicants for admission into the Service, but that, from the facility of otherwise obtaining employment, those possessing adequate attainments in the English Language require greater inducements than are now offered, to enter the Subordinate Medical Service: and hence the grounds of the recommendation given in my letter of September 1844, that some remuneration as the means of maintenance, merely, should

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should be at once, afforded to a limited number of such candidates for admission as Native Medical Pupils, when ever their selection or approval had been duly determined by examination.

I have &c.

(Signed) G. Harding,
Supt. Medical School.

Madras.
19th February, 1846.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Supt. Surgeon.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) Geo: Seaton, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

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To Lieutenant Colonel R. Alexander,
Adjutant General of the Army.

No. 2037. From Lieutenant Colonel R. Alexander,
Adjutant General of the Army.

To The Members of the
Medical Board.

Gentlemen,

In acknowledging the receipt of your Secretary's letter of the 19th ultimo No. 31, I am instructed to annex in the margin the decision of Government under date the 13th March 1846 on the subject of the communication now under acknowledgment.

I have &c.

(Signed) R. Alexander, Lieut. Colo.
Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

Concurs with the Commander in Chief and Medical Board in opinion that the substitution of the Vernacular for the English Language in the instruction of the Native Medical Pupils of this Presidency would be neither practicable nor desirable.

Adjt. Genl's Office,
Fort St. George
19th March, 1846.

To The Members of the
Medical Board.

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Medical Board.

19th February, 1846.

In forwarding the accompanying letter № 61, Dated 18th instant and its enclosures, from Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie M.D. and F.R.C.S., relative to his claim to Major's Pay &c. from the date of his arrival at the Presidency, the Medical Board have the honor to state, for the information of His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government, that Dr. Wylie has never ceased to be a Superintending Surgeon, nor was he reverted to the Rank of Surgeon; that he continued to draw, uninterruptedly, the Furlough Pay as such; that he returned to his duty in India without prejudice to his † Rank, and that he was posted to his Division, with that rank by Government.

† Vide G.O.G. № 5 dated 6th January and № 23 dated 6th February 1846.

2.

Under these circumstances the Board are of opinion Dr. Wylie's case differs materially from that of a newly appointed Superintending Surgeon from the Rank of Surgeon; and they therefore beg leave respectfully to recommend his appeal to the favorable consideration of His Lordship and Government.

By order,

(Signed) Geo: Seare, M.D.

Secretary Med: Board.

Madras, 18th February 1846.

№ 61.

From Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie, M.D.

To Surgeon G. Seare, M.D.

Secretary Medical Board.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward the papers specified in the margin for submission

Pay Abstract dated 2nd instant with Cost Pay certificate from India House

House attached.

"My letter dated 2nd instant to the Paymaster Presidency:

"The Paymaster's letter, dated the 5th instant with copy of a letter, to his address from the Military Auditor General:

submission to the Medical Board, and beg to request that they will be good enough to transmit them, with their recommendation, for the favorable consideration of the Most Noble the Commander in Chief and Governor in Council.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.

Sup.g Surgeon.

Sup.g Surgeon's Office,

Madras,

18th February, 1846.

To Surgeon G. Seare, M.D.

Secretary Medical Board.

Medical Department.

The Honorable Company

To Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie.

	Pay and Indian Allowances	Regimental Head Money Rent.	Allowances	Postage	Extra Charges	Total Abstract. Rs. A. P.
For amount of my Pay and allowances from 2nd to 31st January 1846 as Major of Infantry less House Allowance	384 6 4	74 13 5		112 4 1		571 7 10
Deduct Europe rate of Pay from 2nd January to 1st February 1846 already drawn in Europe at £1 per day						295 2 7
						273 5 3
						43 . .
						230 5 3

Dpedy Ct Medical Fund

To the Paymaster Presidency

Madras,

Pay Certificate attached.

Madras,

2nd February, 1846.

(Signed) Bland Burrie,

Sup.g Surgeon.

Balance Company's Rupees 230 5 3

Received the amount viz. Company's Rupees Two hundred and thirty, And Five and Three Pie.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.

Sup.g Surgeon.

№ 32.

Fort St. George, 19th February 1846.

I hereby certify that Superintending Surgeon John Wylie of the Madras Establishment has received his Pay on Furlough, according to the Regulations, from the 2d February 1843 to the 1st February 1846 both inclusive at £1 .. .. per day.

East India House,
23d September, 1845.

(Signed) Edward Joslyn.

To The Paymaster,
Presidency.

Sir,

In forwarding the accompanying Abstract and adverting to a reference to the Audit Office by which I was informed I could only draw Captain's Pay and allowances grounded on an Extract of a Minutes of Consultation dated 21st June 1845 as pe-
-gin- I beg to remark that it appears to me the case quoted is not a parallel one to mine- in as much as Surgeon Morton had only been newly appointed, and was not entitled to Superior Pay &c. until he entered on the duties of Superintending Surgeon- on the other hand I was in the receipt of Superintending Surgeon's Salary for five years before embarking for Europe- received during my absence there the superior Pay of Superintending Surgeon (vide Pay certificate from India House attached to Abstract) and have now re-
-turned as such by permission of the Honorable Court of Directors- I therefore conceive that from the date of arrival at Madras, until assuming charge of Office I ought to draw the Pay &c. of Major, in place of that of Captain, and have made out my abstract accordingly, which I have the honor to request may be submitted for the consideration and decision of the

"But the Major's Pay being plainly a portion of the Superintending Surgeon's allowances- it follows that it was not payable to Surgeon Morton until he entered upon the duties of the appoint-
-ment."

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the Military Auditor General, and Government, if in the opinion of the Military Auditor General the latter should be necessary.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Supg Surgeon.

Madras,
2nd February, 1846.

Pay Office, Fort St. George,
6th February 1846.

№ 1528.

J. Wylie, M.D.

To Superintending Surgeon J. Wylie, M.D.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant, which was duly submitted for the consideration of the Military Auditor General, I have the honor to enclose for your information the decision of that authority.

I have &c.

(Signed) R. Hall, Captain,
Acting Paymaster,
Presidency.

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Military Auditor General's Office,
Fort St. George, 5th February, 1846.

From Captain J. J. Lock,
Assistant Military Auditor General.

To Captain R. Hall,
Acting Paymaster,
Presidency.

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of the Military Auditor General, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant № 1521, forwarding copy of a communication from Superintending Surgeon Wylie, and in reply to acquaint you that under the decision of Government Minutes of Consultation 21st June 1845 alluded to by Doctor Wylie

Superintending

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Superintending Surgeons until they enter upon the duties appertaining to their appointment, are restricted to the Pay and Allowances of Captain of Infantry; and this Department is not vested with discretionary power to make any special exception, although there is a difference between the case of Superintending Surgeon Wylie and that upon which the decision was passed.

Adverting to the concluding part of Doctor Wylie's letter, you are requested to inform him should he still desire a reference to Government, that it should be made through Army Head Quarters this Department being the channel of communication with Government, in cases only of appeal against Retrenchment.

(Signed) J. J. Losh,
Asst. Mily. Aud. Genl.

Abstract herewith returned.

To Captain R. Hall,
Acting Paymaster,
Presidency.

(True Copy.)
(Signed) R. Hall, Captain,
Actg. Paymr. Presidency.

(True Copies.)
(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Supg. Surgeon.

№. 1262.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Military Department.
14th March 1846.

The following Papers are ordered to be recorded.

recorded.

From the Secretary to the Medical Board through the Adjutant General of the Army.

Here enter 25th February 1846 №. 103.

With Military Auditor General's report dated 6th March 1846. B.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council observes that there is no Regulation under which a Superintending Surgeon is entitled to the Pay and Allowances of a Major except only as part of the consolidated Salary attached to the Staff appointment.

2. Superintending Surgeon Wylie did not become entitled to any part of his Staff Salary on his return from Europe until he actually resumed the duties of his appointment and until he became entitled to Staff Salary he had no claim to Major's Pay.

3. The Most Noble the Governor in Council cannot consequently admit the claim.

(Signed) C. A. Browne Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) R. Alexander, Lieut. Col.
Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

To The Secretary to the Medical Board.

For information with reference to the Proceedings dated 19th February 1846 №. 32.

№. 16.

Head Quarters Fort St. George,
13th February 1846.

Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St. George.

1. Sir, Under instructions from the Most Noble the

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Fort St. George, 10th February 1846.

the Commander in Chief, I have the honor to forward for submission to the Right Noble the Governor in Council - an Extract from the Canteen Accounts of the Left Wing of H.M. 57th Regiment for the month of December last, showing a charge of a certain sum for Soda Water given to the Patients of that Corps in Hospital when labouring under Cholera - a 10th February 1846. letter, from the Acting Deputy Inspector General of H.M. Hospitals to whom the case was referred, is also appended.

2. The Soda Water would appear to have been furnished on the recommendation of the Regimental Medical Officers - and the Superintending Surgeon had approved of it as a charge against the Public, but that the Medical Board have objected to it.

3. The case is brought before the Government to elicit decision whether under the circumstances the charge should fall upon the Government instead of falling upon the Soldiers themselves which it now does by appearing in the Canteen Accounts, when it can scarcely be admitted as a legitimate charge.

I have &c.

(Signed) P. L. Pratt, Lieut. Col.
Dep. Adjt. Genl. H.M. Forces.

Extract.

Canteen Fund Left Wing of H.M. 57th Regiment of Foot.

Date.	Expenditure.	Rs. As.
December 1845.	Miscellaneous Expenses.	
	To 10½ Dozen of Soda Water, 6 Bottles of Brandy and 2 Bottles of Arrack used in the Hospital for the Cholera Patients in the month of June 1845	67 [illegible]

* The

* The Soda Water was supplied to the Cholera Patients at the recommendation of the Medical men during the Epidemic. The Bill was approved of by the Superintending Surgeons, but disallowed by the Medical Board.

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) P. L. Pratt, Lieut. Col.
Dep. Adjt. Genl. H.M. Forces.
Dep. Inspt. Genl. H.M. Hospitals.
Office of Dep. Inspt. Genl. H.M. Hospitals,
Madras, 10th February, 1846.

To Lieutenant Colonel Pratt, C.B.
Deputy Adjutant General
Queen's Troops,
Madras.

Sir, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorandum No. 16 of the 9th instant, forwarding Extract from the Canteen Accounts of the Left Wing of Her Majesty's 57th Regiment, wherein Soda Water, Brandy and Arrack are charged to that Fund, the former though prescribed by the Medical Officer and sanctioned by the Superintending Surgeon being disallowed by the Medical Board and requesting to know whether it would be an objectionable charge in the Hospital Accounts in Her Majesty's Services

2. The Arrack and Brandy are furnished to the Cholera Patients, I may almost say without limit or check, (but it is always by Indent on the Commissariat) and therefore the Medical Officer had no occasion to have got them from the Canteen, and his doing so is irregular, but their having been procured for the use of the sick, and constantly prescribed in this disease should be a charge made

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made against the Public.

3.

I am not aware whether a charge for Soda Water would be admitted in the accounts in Her Majesty's Service, but of its refreshing effects especially as it was used at Arcot cooled by Ice procured from Madras, there can be no doubt - all remedies and all treatment have failed with the Cholera, but I should say that it is a charge which should be defrayed by the Public, since there is nothing so likely as iced Soda water to be grateful refreshing and even beneficial to a Cholera Patient and to the relief of the agonizing thirst which accompanies that disease.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. Mouat, M.D.

Act. Dep. Insp. Gen. H.M. Hospitals.

N°. 828.

Military Department.

Ordered to be referred to the Medical Board for report.

Fort St. George, 17th February 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.

Secretary to Government.

To the Medical Board. with 2 Enclosures (to be returned.)

N°. 33.

Fort St. George, 19th February 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.

Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. P. Thomas Esqre.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence respecting Soda Water supplied to the Sick of H.M. 57th Regiment when suffering from Epidemic Cholera, in June 1845, forwarded

forwarded to the Medical Board for report, I have the honor by order of the Board, to state for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that Indents for various unauthorized Hospital supplies, such as Champagne, Claret, Soda Water and Whiskey, have from time to time been forwarded for their sanction, and that whenever, in special cases, they have been passed, it has always been with an intimation, that the Board were not prepared to sanction further supplies of such articles; and a communication to that effect having been made to the superintending Surgeon Centre Division in June 1844, copy of which is annexed, the Indent for Soda Water from the Medical Officer of H.M. 57th Regiment, was consequently returned, not sanctioned.

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he discovered in the Regulations for the management of Regimental Hospitals of H.M. Service, that Soda Water would be admitted as an article of Hospital supply, though a discretionary power may rest with the higher Medical authorities in passing Hospital extras, in particular instances, but it may be observed, that H.M. Regulations regarding the use of Wines and Spirits are particularly strict, (Clause 58th) and that they are allowed to be administered only when "indispensably necessary"; and "under the vigilant superintendence of the Medical Officers."

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.

Secretary Med. Board.

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Fort St. George, 6th June 1844.

From Surgeon Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To Superintending Surgeon D: S: Young,
Centre Division.

Sir,

In returning duly sanctioned, in the present instance, the Indents of Assistant Surgeon Kennedy for Champaigne, Soda Water, and Whiskey for the use of Cholera Patients in the Hospital of the Left Wing 1st Madras Fusileers, I am directed by the Medical Board to state, that they are not prepared to sanction further supplies of these articles.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To Superintending Surgeon D: S: Young,
Centre Division.

Fort St. George,
6th June, 1844.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med: Board.

Fort St. George, 19th February 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

No. 1148.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
6th March 1846.

From the Deputy Adjutant General Queen's Proof dated 18th February 1846. No. 16.

Read again the letter noted in the margin, recorded in Consultation 17th February 1846.

From the Secretary to the Medical Board,

Read the following letter,

Here enter 19th February 1846.

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Under

Under the circumstances of the case, it appears to the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that the supply of Soda Water, Brandy and Arrack, to the Hospital of H.M. 57th Regiment during the prevalence of Cholera should be admitted as a public charge - and it is accordingly sanctioned.

(Signed) G: A: Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Dep.y Adj.t Genl. D.S. Medical Board.
Comm.y Genl. Mil.y Asst. Genl. Acct. Genl.

No. 523.

To The Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 5489 of the 5th ultimo, I am directed to transmit to you the accompanying Invoice of 100 lbs of Tincture Myrocoxylon, required for the use of the Madras Presidency.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) W. M. N. Hart, Major.
Off.g Secry to the Govt. of India.
Mil.y Dept.

Fort William,
23rd January, 1846.
No. 670.

Military Department.

Ordered that the Invoice received with the foregoing letter be communicated to the Accountant General for the information of his Department, and for transmission to the Medical Board.

(Signed) G: A: Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George,
10th February, 1846.

To the Account.t Genl. with one enclosure.

To the Medical Board.

No. 106.

No 27 from Govt.

Fort St. George, 19th February 1846.

No 106.

Public Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

28th January 1846.

Read the following letter,

From Lieutenant Colonel J. W. Steel C. B.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General

The Most Noble George,

Marquis of Tweeddale K. T. and G. B.

Governor in Council.

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My Lord Marquis.

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from Minutes of Council in the Public Department, dated 5th December 1845, No 1143, with a copy of the letter from the Advocate General dated 26th April 1826, and, in obedience to the instructions contained in the 1st Paragraph of the former to submit, herewith, for the consideration of your Lordship in Council, a revised form of Monthly Abstract for Military Offices at the Presidency which has been prepared, after a correspondence with the Civil Auditor, as nearly as possible in conformity with the forms of Bills or Abstracts used in the Civil Department.

2. It appears that the Bills or Abstracts of the Public Offices and Officers in the Civil Department at the Presidency are required to be endorsed by the Civil Auditor which is considered as authorizing their payment.

3. I have the honor in conclusion, to observe that, from the purport of the Extract from Minutes of Council under acknowledgement, in connexion with Extract from Minutes of Council in the Public Department dated 18th July 1845, No 638, on which I submitted a report dated the 25th idem (A) I am led to believe that the orders of Government have

have reference only to the abstracts of the Establishments of Public Offices at the Presidency - I have therefore considered it unnecessary to forward any revised form of Abstracts except the single one enclosed.

I have fca fca

Signed J. W. Steel, Lieut.-Col.

Military Auditor General.

Milty. Audr. Genls Office,
Fort St. George,
21st January, 1846.

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The Honorable Company

Abstract of Pay due to the Establishment of the

for the month of 184.

Names.	Designation	Amount of Sanction-ed Pay.	Deduction of Stoppages Fines &c.	Residue of Pay.
A. B.	Head Clerk	100 " "		78 " "
C. D.	Clerk	60 " "		55 " "
E. F.	do	150 " "		133 " "
	Total Rupees			

Place,
Name of the Office,
January, 1846.

Company's Rupees Four hundred and thirty three.

(Signature)

To The Paymaster,

at

Received on the — day of — from the — Honorable Company through the Military Paymaster at the Presidency the above mentioned sum of Company's Rupees Four hundred and thirty three.

(Signature)

Company's Rupees 433 — — —

Resolved.

Fort St. George, 19th February 1846.

No. 106.

Public Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

28th January 1846.

Read the following letter,

From Lieutenant Colonel S. W. Steel C. B.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General

The Most Noble George,

Marquis of Tweeddale K. T. and G. C. B.

Governor in Council.

&c. &c. &c.

My Lord Marquis.

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have reference only to the abstracts of the Establishments of Public Offices at the Presidency. I have therefore considered it unnecessary to forward any revised form of Abstracts except the single one enclosed.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) S. W. Steel, Lieut.-Col.

Military Auditor General.

Milty. Audt. Genls Office,
Fort St. George,
21st January, 1846.

The Honorable Company ____ &c.

Abstract of Pay due to the Establishment of the ____

for the month of ____ 184 .

Names.	Designation	Amount of Sanction-ed Pay.	Deduction of Stop-pages Exists	Residue of Pay.
A. B.	Head Clerk	300 " "		78 " "
C. D.	Clerk	80 " "		55 " "
E. F.	do	100 " "		100 " "
	Total Rupees			433 " "

Company's Rupees Four hundred and thirty three.

Place,
Name of the Office,
January, 1846.

(Signature)

To The Paymaster,

at

Received on the ___ day of ___ from the ___ Honorable Company through the Military Paymaster at the Presidency the above mentioned sum of Company's Rupees Four hundred and thirty-three.

(Signature)

Company's Rupees 433 - " "

Resolved.

Fort St. George, 19th February 1846.

No. 106.

Public Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

28th January 1846.

Read the following letter,

From Lieutenant Colonel S. W. Steel C. B.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General

The Most Noble George,

Marquis of Tweeddale K. T. and G. B.

Governor in Council.

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Military Auditor General's Office,
Fort St. George,
21st January, 1846.

I have fca. fca.
(Signed) S. W. Steel, Lieut.-Col.
Military Auditor General.

fca.

The Honorable Company _____

Abstract of Pay due to the Establishment of the _____

_____ for the month of _____ 184 .

Names.	Designation	Amount of Establishment.	Deduction of Stoppages and Sundries.	Rupees	Annas	Pie	Residue of Pay. Rupees	Annas	Pie
A. B.	Head Clerk						300	"	"
C. D.	Clerk						78	"	"
E. F.	do						55	"	"
	Total Rupees						433	"	"

Place,
Name of the Office,
January, 1846.

Company's Rupees Four hundred and thirty three.

(Signature)

To The Paymaster,
at

Received on the _____ day of _____ from the _____ Honorable Company through the Military Paymaster at the Presidency the above mentioned sum of Company's Rupees Four hundred and thirty three.

(Signature)

Company's Rupees 433-" "

Resolved.

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Fort St. George, 24th February 1846.

Resolved that the revised forms of Abstracts referred to in the above letter be observed by the several Military Offices at the Presidency.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

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Military Department.

Resolved that the foregoing Extracts be communicated to all Departments concerned.

Fort St. George,
30th January, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut 46th
Secretary to Government.

To The Adjt. Genl. 2d. Mr. Genl. Dep. Adjt. Genl. 2 I. Dep. 2d. Mr. Genl. 2 I. Mily. Board. Medical Board. Clothing Board. Commr. Genl. Comr. Major Accomt. Genl. Supt. of Family Payments & Pensions. Judge Advocate Genl.

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Medical Board.
24th February 1846.

The death of Surgeon David Richardson which occurred at Moulmein on the 31st ultimo, having caused a vacancy in the list of Surgeons of this Establishment, the Medical Board have the honor to recommend to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Governor that Senior Assistant Surgeon John William Maillardet may be promoted to the rank of Surgeon, from that date vice Richardson, to complete the Establishment.

By order,
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

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From Surgeon Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In compliance with the Order of Government in the Military Department № 916, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board, to transmit to you for submission to the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the accompanying Draft of a G. O. in revision of the Rates of "Hospital Stoppages" contained under that head of Section 17, Code of Pay and Audit Regulations, and to observe that the Revised Order differs from the previous Regulation in the addition only, of the two Clauses marked × in red ink.

Dated 24th instant.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
26th February, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Draft of a G. O.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for general information the following revised Scale of Hospital Stoppages, to be substituted for that published at Pages 398 and 399 of the Audit Regulations, to have effect from this date.

Hospital Stoppages.

1. Patients in the General Hospitals or Lunatic Asylum at Madras, or in the General Military Hospitals, (Garrison and Regimental) under this Presidency, supplied with Diet by the Commissariat, are

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are subject to stoppages at the following rates. Rs. A. P.

Commissioned Officers and superior grades of Warrant Officers ... 1. 0. 0.

Conductors, Overseers, Troop Quarter Masters, Riding Masters, Sub Conductors, Sub Overseers, Apothecaries, Second Apothecaries, and Senior and Junior Assistant Apothecaries ... 0. 8. 0.

Wives of Warrant Officers ... 0. 5. 0.

Non Commissioned Officers, Corporals, Bombardiers, Trumpeters, Drummers, and Fifers, Carnatic Ordnance Artificers &c. ... 0. 3. 0.

Privates and Farriers ... 0. 2. 0.

†Paid Candidates ... 0. 1. 0.

European and Country born Women, Wives of Soldiers. Seamen of the Royal Navy, and of Merchant Vessels. ... 0. 5. 0.

Persons having the means of supporting themselves or having relatives or friends able to support them, may be received into the General Hospital, provided they furnish, if on the Public Service, a requisition for admission from the Head of the Office to which they belong - otherwise a written engagement from some respectable Individual at Madras, to pay the monthly regulated charge for the period they may be detained in Hospital; these documents to be attached to the Diet Rolls ... 0. 8. 0.

Civil Patients belonging to the Public Offices of Government whose Salaries may be under 20 Rupees per mensem ... 0. 3. 0.

Paupers ... 0. 0. 0.

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Medical Board.

26th February 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to forward, for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and Government, a Memorial from Surgeon H. S. Brice, addressed to the Most Noble the Governor in Council, soliciting that the difference between the sum drawn by Assistant Surgeon Supple and that forfeited by him, when †From 4th to 11th August. absent from his Regiment in 1842, to afford Medical aid to the family of Major Ross of the 15th Regiment N.I. at Courtallum, may be reimbursed to him.

By order,

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.

Secretary Med. Board.

To Lieutenant General the Most Noble George Marquis of Tweeddale K.T. and G.B. &c. &c. &c.

Governor in Council of Fort St. George.

The Memorial of H. S. Brice, Surgeon in the Madras Army.

Humbly Showeth,

That your Memorialist, when Surgeon of the 15th Regiment N.I. suffered a loss of Allowances amounting to Rupees 50. 6. 11. by proceeding to Courtallum to afford Medical aid to the Family of Major Ross, Commanding the Corps who was attacked with sickness of an alarming nature.

The Most Noble the Commander in Chief intimated his inability to recommend your Memorialist's claim

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claim to a re-embursement of this amount, as Assistant Surgeon Supple, who held charge of the Regiment during your Memorialists absence, claimed and received on that account the sum of Rupees 25. 15. 8.

The claim of your Memorialist to the Balance though supported by His Excellency's recommendation, was disallowed by Government on the ground that its admission would establish a very inconvenient precedent. This decision was not communicated to your Memorialist previous to his departure for Europe, and the revival of his claim has thus been postponed until his return.

In re-submitting it your Memorialist begs earnestly that his case may be favorably reconsidered by Government. Your Memorialist is unable to reply to these objections being ignorant of the inconvenience referred to the absence was short. the corps had the attendance of a Medical Officer in compliance with this claim will involve no extra expence. moreover it is believed that the practice of the Service as well as the feelings of friendship require a Medical Officer to quit his corps to afford his professional assistance to the sick family of a Brother Officer, provided the distance be moderate and no inconveniences likely to be experienced by the corps, acting under this sense of duty; your Memorialist has sustained a loss of Allowances which would otherwise have without objection been disbursed to him.

Taking into consideration the above circumstances, especially that no additional expense will be incurred your Memorialist trusts that the Government will be pleased to grant him the difference between the sum drawn by Assistant Surgeon Supple and the amount of his loss while in

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attendance on the family of Major Ross.

And your Memorialist as in duty bound will ever pray.

(Signed) H. S. Brice,
Surgeon.

Fort St. George,
25th February, 1846.

No. 2212. From Lieutenant Colonel R. Alexander,
Adjutant General of the Army
To The Members of the
Medical Board.

Gentlemen,

In acknowledging the receipt of your Proceeding of the 26th February 1846 No. 36, I am instructed to annex in the margin the decision of Government under date the 20th March 1846 on the subject of the communication now under acknowledgment.

I have &c.
(Signed) R. Alexander, Lieut Col.
Adjt Genl of the Army.

Observes that the application of Surgeon Brice could not be complied with, without a departure from the Regulations of the Service but as that Officer is clearly entitled to be considered as having been employed on Public duty on the occasion referred to, payment to him of Compensation for the loss of Staff Salary during the period in question is sanctioned.

Adjt Genls Office,
Fort St. George.
26th March 1846.

To The Members of the Medical Board.

Public Department.

Separate. No. 353.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

Dated 17th February 1846.

Read the following letter

From the Civil Auditor.

Have the honor to enclose for the information of Government a letter from Assistant Surgeon Supple, claiming to be allowed the difference between the sum drawn by him as Assistant Surgeon and the amount of his loss while in charge of the Regiment during the absence of Surgeon Brice on leave.

Para 1. Resolved, with reference to the foregoing communication, that the individuals named in the margin

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Establishment of.	Names of Individuals.	When pensioned.
Civil and Session Judge of Masulipatam	Mohammud Jaffer	1st November 1845
Chief Secretary to Government in the Political & Department	W. P. Waller	1st do
Collector of Chingleput	P. Dotchanamoorty Moodely	15th September
Principal Collector of Coimbatore	Srothoosathiah	18th do
Collector of Guntoor	Moodumby Ramasawmy	13th November
Sub Treasurer	W. A. D'Ignacio	1st December
Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police	Modooraipoo Ramasawmy Naidoo	16th January 1846
Commissariat Department at Dharwar	Balakistnah Moodely	19th do

whether they are from old age, protracted ill health, loss of sight, or other bodily or mental infirmity, permanently disqualified for Service.

2. The Heads of the several Offices to which the parties are attached will place themselves in communication with the Medical Board, at the proper time, and return the Conditional Pension Certificates to this Office, pending that Boards enquiry.

(Signed) R. G. Clarke,
Dep.y Secretary to Government.

Copy to the Civil & Session Judge of Masulipatam
Acty Coll.r of Chingleput. Principal Coll.r of Coimbatore
Coll.r of Guntoor. To The Political Dept.t Acty Sub Treasurer. Chief Magistrate and Supt.t of Police. Comd.g Genl. Medical Board.

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Madras Marine Board Office.
17th February 1846.

No. 233.

From J. J. Franklin Esq.re
Secretary to the Marine Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esq.re
Chief Secretary to Government.
Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to the order of Government noted in the margin, I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to forward herewith a tender of the Ship "Lady Flora" for the conveyance to England of 3 Insane Privates, at the rate of 600 Rupees for each, the Commander providing them with suitable accommodations, Provisions, Medical aid and Comfort.

No. 694, on a letter from the Secretary Medical Board dated 6th February 1846.

2. It will be seen from the annexed Memo that the rate now offered by the Agents of the "Lady Flora" is beyond the average rate of Passage money paid on similar occasions, and although somewhat high, the Board do not consider it an exorbitant demand. They therefore beg to recommend that the tender be accepted.

3. The Agents of the only other Vessel in the roads bound to England the "Thomas Arbuthnot" have been applied to on the subject, and have stated that she cannot accommodate them.

I have &c. &c.
(Signed) J. J. Franklin,
Secretary.

Madras,
Marine Board Office,
17th February, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esq.re
Chief Secretary.

Memorandum

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Memorandum showing the rate of Batta Money paid on former occasions for Insane Privates.

1841. January Lady Flora ——— Rupees 500 for each
1842. April Sesostris ——— do 500 do
1843. —do— Minerva ——— do 500 do
1844. February Lady Flora ——— do 500 do
1845. September John Line — 70 Lor — do 714.14.3. do

Madras,
Marine Board Office,
17th February, 1846.
No. 888.

(Signed) J. J. Franklin
Secretary.

Military Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council authorizes the acceptance of the tender of the Ship "Lady Flora" submitted with the foregoing letter, for the conveyance to England of three Insane Privates at the rate of 600 Rupees for each, the Commander providing them with suitable accommodation, Provisions, Medical aid and comfort.

Fort St. George,
20th February, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Bruce Lieut Col
Secretary to Government.

To The Marine Board. Medical Board. Bonary Genl. Town Major. Mily. Aud. Genl. Acct. Genl.

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From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that the Medical Board have this day examined Dr. J. Appleton, Surgeon of the Ship "Lady Flora", and that they consider him duly qualified

qualified for the Medical charge of the three Insane Patients proposed to be embarked for England on that vessel.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

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To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

No. 1082.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Fort St. George,
2nd March, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Bruce, Lieut Col
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

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From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Bruce,
Secretary to Government in the
Military Department.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to forward herewith, for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, the prescribed [1]State-ments of the cases of the undermentioned Insane Patients about to embark for England on the Ship "Lady Flora"

Private William Milton, H.M. 63rd Regiment.
—do— John Mulqueny — " — 63rd — do —
Private

[1] In triplicate.

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Private Samuel Dunkin H.M. 84th Regiment.

I have

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28th February 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Browne,
Secretary to Government in the
Military Department.

Medical History of Case No. 1 of Insane Patient.

Numbers.	Name.	Date of Admission into Hospital.	Age.	Country.	Corps.	Time of Service and Rank at Admission.	Date of Report to the Major Genl. Commanding the Madras Army.	Remarks.
1	William Milton	29th January 1846.	35	England.	Sheffield.	Private H.M. 84th Regt.	Do.	In the case furnished by the Surgeon of H.M. 84th Regiment the Patient is stated to have been born at Sheffield and to have been bred to the trade of a Sheffield cutler.

This man appears to have served in India 11 years, during which period he is reported to have led a dissipated life, indulging very freely in the use of ardent Spirits. That for a period previously to his being forwarded to the Presidency in October last, a gradual diminution of his mental power seems to have manifested itself, for which he was frequently kept in Hospital under observation, and subsequently his conduct is stated to have become more inconsistent attended with incoherency of ideas, preferring solitude to the society of his comrades, but that he was at all times quiet and inoffensive. In the General Hospital, where he was received on the 28th November last, he continued much in the same condition, first soiling himself with filth &c. He now appears idiotic, and

and is perfectly harmless, and I coincide in opinion with the Surgeon of his Regiment, that "there does not appear any chance of his becoming an effective Soldier in this Country." He occasionally requires a purgative to regulate his bowels.

Lunatic Asylum,
Madras,
28th February, 1846.

(Signed) J. Lavoder,
Surgeon.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Sup.g Surgeon.

Medical History of Case No. 2 of Insane Patient.

Numbers.	Name.	Date of Admission into Hospital.	Age.	Country.	Corps.	Time of Service and Rank at Admission.	Date of Report to the Major Genl. Commanding the Madras Army.	Remarks.
2	John Mulqueny	29th January 1846.	19½	Ireland.	Recruit.	Private H.M. 63rd Regt.	Do.	In the case furnished by the Surgeon of H.M. 63rd Regiment the Patient is stated to have been born at Cahir Dromroad, Cahir in the County of Tipperary by trade formerly a Butcher.

It appears that this man joined the Regiment in March last, and on the voyage out manifested a sulky and dissatisfied disposition, and was also frequently brought up for insubordination. After joining the Regiment, displayed great violence of temper when reproved at Drill, and in May was brought to the Regimental Hospital by the Serjeant, apprehending from his conduct that he would do some injury, and after a months Medical treatment, his conduct being orderly, he was permitted to return to his duty. In July, without any provocation he inflicted two wounds with a Bayonet on the person of his comrade, his manner was then wild, and he afterwards become

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became very violent and noisy, destroying every thing within his reach, he was in consequence placed under restraint and kept apart with two men to watch over him, and having become very much emaciated from refusing to take any food he was relieved from restraint. He latterly however became more tranquil, but having derived no permanent benefit after nearly 9 months treatment in Hospital, he was forwarded to the Presidency and received into the General Hospital on the 28th November last, where he continued in a silly and imbecile state. He is now much in the same condition and perfectly manageable. He now merely requires a purgative occasionally.

Lunatic Asylum,
Madras.
28th February, 1846.

(Signed) J. Lawder,
Surgeon.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Supg Surgeon.

Medical History of case № 3, of Insane Patient.

№ Numbers	Name	Rank	Rank or Profession	Date of admission into the Asylum	Age	Country	Country of birth	Cause of Insanity	Duration of Disease	Habits	Bodily Complaints	Remarks
3	Samuel Dunkin	2nd	Private H.M. 84th Regt.	1st February 1845	22	Scotland	England	Unknown	18 months	Not Known	Not Known	His brother Corporal Wm. Dunkin now at Madras in the 84th Regiment states that the Patient's mother since Dunkin resided with in the Parish of Surgeon Hers a Sister named Elizabeth Dunkin now living with her mother.

Was received into the Regimental Hospital on the 22nd November last, it having been reported then that for some months previously he had become secluded and unsociable in his habits, and latterly wandering about the Barracks and talking incoherently, refusing to perform his Military duties and manifesting other peculiarities in his conduct indicative of an unsound state of mind. Sometime after being detained in Hospital, he was placed in charge of his Brother a Corporal in the Regiment, but at the expiration of a week he was taken back to Hospital on account of his having become violent. Since his last admission until his transfer to the General Hospital on the 28th January, he appeared to have continued in a state of fatuity, and he is now much in the same condition, but perfectly harmless. Bowels require to be relieved once in two or three days by purgative medicine.

Lunatic Asylum,
Madras,
28th February 1846.

(Signed) J. Lawder,
Surgeon.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Supg Surgeon.

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Military Department.

Ordered that the Statements submitted with the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

(Signed) C. A. Bruce, Lieut-Col.
Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George,
2nd March, 1846.

To The Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, 5th March 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from Minutes of

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Dated 20th June 1845. of consultation, in the Public Department
№ 64. I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to sub
for the information of Government, that M. Sorabaramiah, on
receives a conditional pension on the establishment of the Ac
-countant General, was this day carefully examined by the
Board, who find him unfit for further effective service, from
advanced age, and defect of vision. I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George,
5th March, 1846.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, Med. Board
Secretary Med. Board

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

№ 250. Madras Marine Board Office
24th February 1846.

From J. F. Franklin Esqre.
Secretary Marine Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to report for the information of Government that the Ship "Lady Flora" will be prepared to receive the three Invalid Privates proceeding on her to England, on the morning of Monday the 2nd proximo, and that she will sail on the evening of that day.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) J. F. Franklin
Secretary.

Madras,
Marine Board Office,
24th February, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary

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Military Department.

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Ordered that the foregoing letter be commu-
-nicated to the Departments concerned.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

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26th February 1846.

To The Medical Board. Dy Adjt Genl. 2. I.
Dy 2d Mr Genl. 2. I. Mily Aud. Genl.

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From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to forward for the approval of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the Annual Indent on the Honorable the Court of Directors for General, Medical and Veterinary Stores, required for the use of this Presidency.

*In triplicate.
№ 11 dated 8th January 1846.

2. Two articles only are included in the body of the Indent, which do not appear in that of the preceding years viz. Magnesia ponderosa, and Gum myrrh. The former of these medicines, a valuable aperient lately introduced into Medical practice, is represented to be found highly beneficial in cases of irritability of the stomach, when other medicines cannot be retained - and also in Chronic visceral affections, attended with habitual constipation, from which European residents in India suffer so frequently - 10 lbs of it, have therefore been indented for, for trial - Gum myrrh has

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has been indented for at the suggestion of the Commissary General, owing to the great difficulty experienced by the Department, in procuring it of good quality in this Country although the Bombay and Bengal markets have both been resorted to.

3.

A communication, copy of which is entered in the margin, has been received from the Superintendent of the Medical School, for

* See Appendix to the Annual Indent lists marked Nos 1, 2, and 3.

- warding † "Glass Jars consisting of

"Stock Books for the Medical School" and "Books" for issue to the Students on payment" which the Board respectfully beg to recommend may be supplied for the use of that Institution. And I am further desired to solicit that the Chemical

* List No 4. * Apparatus indicated in the Appendix, may also be supplied for the use of the Medical School, great difficulty being experienced, in conducting Chemical experiments, particularly in cases of suspected poisoning from want of proper apparatus. By their being supplied for the Medical School, they will be available for the use of the Medical Officers at the Presidency generally, when called on

No 7. To The Superintending Surgeon, Presidency.

Sir, I have the honor, to request application may be made, for the supply, from Europe, of sundry articles of Glass ware and Books, comprised in the three annexed lists, and required for the Medical School.

List No 1, consists of an assortment of Glass Jars, for the preservation of Anatomical and Morbid Specimens in the Museum of the School, and is calculated to meet the expected expenditure for about two years, the last supply having been received in 1844. List No 2 includes a few Stock Books for reference in the Library of the School, with others, required for conducting practical exercises in Anatomy.

In List No 3 are enbodied 3 sets of Manuals for issue to the Students on payment, under the usual provisions for this purpose, and calculated for the present, and succeeding classes during the ensuing two years.

I have &c &c

Madras, 30th Jany 1846. (Signed) G. Harding, Supt Med. School
(Signed) David Burrie, Supt Surgeon.

on to apply tests to suspected bodies. The articles though numerous are for the most part, but of trifling value for which Indian substitutes are not procurable.

4.

With reference to the Balance remaining due for Books supplied to the Medical Subordinates, in †1844, the amount I am desired

† Vide Para 6th of Medical Board's letter to Government No 57, dated 20th March 1845.

viz Company's Rupees 32. 9. 5. to date has since been collected, and brought to the credit of the State, in the accounts of this Department. And in the margin a Statement is given of the value of Books since received for issue to the Students, from which it will be seen the greater part has been

Memo	Rs A P.
90 Copies Gregory's Practice of Medicine	640. . .
110 Copies Druitt's Vade Mecum	611. 1. 9.
150 do Wilson's do	833. 5. 4.
Company's Rupees	2084. 7. 1.
Amount recovered from Medical Subordinates on account of Medical Books sold up to this date.	1255. . 2.
Balance Company's Rupees	829. 6. 11.

realized and brought to account. The Balance, Company's Rupees 829. 6. 11, is partly the value of Books not yet issued and partly sums not yet recovered.

5.

In conclusion the Board respectfully request that Government may be pleased to forward a copy of this Indent to the Honorable the Court of Directors, by the Overland Mail of the 13th instant. &c &c

I have
(Signed) Geo: Peare, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
10th March, 1846.

To J. L. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

No. 1229.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
13th March 1846.
Read the following letter from

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Fort St. George, 12th March, 1846.

From the Secretary Medical Board.

Here enter 10th March 1846 № 41.

Ordered that the Annual Indents for Medical and Veterinary Stores dated 1st January 1846 № 11, be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors, together with a copy of the foregoing letter.

(Signed) G. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, 12th March, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to report, for the information of Government, that Private Mahomed Kassim of the 5th Regiment N.I., who has for some time, been under Medical treatment in the General Hospital, was transferred to the Lunatic Asylum on the 10th instant.

2. The Board being satisfied from personal examination by one of their Members, that he is a fit subject for that Institution, beg leave to recommend that his admission may be sanctioned. I have &c.

Fort St. George,
12th March, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Military Department.

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The Most Noble the Governor in Council sanctions the admission into the Lunatic Asylum of Private Mahomed Kassim of the 5th Regiment N.I. mentioned in the foregoing letter.

Fort St. George,
13th March, 1846.

(Signed) G. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Mly. Aud. Genl.

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Fort St. George, 12th March 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to forward, for the information of Government, and eventual transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, in triplicate, the Annual Return of patients in the Lunatic Asylum for 1845, agreeably to the order of Government bearing date the 8th March 1802, with the Annual Statement of expences of the Institution, for the past year; and to state that the Board have reason to be satisfied with the manner in which the duties of the Institution have been conducted by the Surgeon in charge.

2. The general health of the Inmates has been good; eight casualties having occurred, viz: one from Obesity, one from Dysentery, one from Delerium Tremens, and

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and five from Atrophy.

I have &c.

Fort St. George,
12th March 1846.

(Signed) Jas. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. S. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Return of Patients in Hospital for Lunatics, received discharged and died, from 1st January to 31st December 1845.

Number	Names.	Class.	Caste.	When Admitted	When Discharged	When Deceased	Remarks.
1	Joseph Gaudoins	1st	French descent	19th July 1809			
	Mary Lane	"	European	23d Augt. 1821			
	Isabella Bacon	"	Indo Briton	3d Jany 1829			
	John Hunt Mead	"	European	25th April 1843			
5	Joshua Mahldorff	"	Danish descent	6th March 1845			
	Mr. Nareis	"	Armenian	11th Oct.	"		
	Nicholas Mark	"	"	9th Oct.	"		
	Mary Grimes	"	Portuguese descent	5th Sept. 1828			
	Jane Mylarchy	"	do	17th March 1831			
10	Leonard Draper	"	Indo Briton	16th Jany 1833			
	Charlotte Larieve	"	do	1st Sept.	"		
	John Mackenzie	"	do	23d Jany 1837			
	James Whitely	"	do	23d do 1838			
	W. W. Reiley	"	do	20th June 1839			
15	Dorinda Beare	"	Portuguese descent	3d Oct.	"		
	Ann Magdalene Frantz	"	Indo Briton	15th do	"		
	John Mallory	"	European	28th June 1844	4th Oct. 1845		Embarked for England on the John Line
	John Hayes	"	do	25th do	4th do		do do do
	Archibald McInnes	"	do	18th Sept.	"		
20	Peter Narey	"	do	15th do	"	18th April 1845	Of Obesity.
	Joseph Graham	"	do	15th Dec.	"	11th June 1845	Of Acute Dysentery
	Daniel Cliffey	"	do	15th do	4th do		Embarked for England on the John Line.
	Thos Swindles	"	do	15th do	4th do		do do do
	Wm. Agnew	"	do	22d Jany 1845	4th do		do do do
25	Chas James Rain	"	do	7th Feby	4th do		do do do
	Catherine Hazel	"	do	7th do	4th do		do do do
	Thomas Burns	"	do	7th do	4th do		do do do
	Anne Eustace	"	do	1st June	4th do		do do do
	Lydia Cook	"	do	27th do	4th do		do do do
30	Wm. Crowhurst	"	Indo Briton	27th do	"		
		"	European	5th Dec.	"	18th Dec. 1845	Of Inflammation on the Peritoneum Excised. Emaun

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Number	Names.	Class.	Caste.	When Admitted	When Discharged	When Deceased	Remarks.
	Emaum Khan	3d	Mahomedan	15th Dec. 1824	15th April 1845		Transferred to the Moneygode Chowltry.
	John Bull	"	Native Christian	14th July 1829		9th Augt. 1845	Of Atrophy. Complicated with Chronic Peritonitis.
	Lal Khan	"	Mahomedan	9th Sept. 1830	15th April 1845		Transferred to the Moneygode Chowltry.
	Ramasawmy	"	Hindoo	14th Augt. 1832			
35	Munnaroo Naick	"	do	14th do			
	Mahomed Yacoob	"	Mahomedan	14th Dec. 1835			
	Marian	"	Native Christian	21st Sept. 1836			
	Mailaporratha Lazarooty	"	Mapilla	12th Dec.			
	Rengien	"	Hindoo	14th March 1837			
40	Shaik Emaum	"	Mahomedan	23d Jany 1838			
	Fakeerdeen	"	do	23d do			
	Sobroo Chetty	"	Hindoo	14th Feby			
	Corcoroom	"	Mahomedan	20th Nov.			
	Ameer Khan	"	do	18th March 1840			
45	Sashapian	"	Brahmin	24th do			
	Bhaskariah	"	do	30th April			
	Monegyen	"	Hindoo	20th June			
	Shaik Hamed	"	Mahomedan	30th Augt.		17th Augt. 1845	Of Atrophy.
50	Yerra Rungadoo	"	Hindoo	29th March 1841			
	Nurseyandoo	"	do	15th Sept.	"	13th Dec. 1845	Of Atrophy.
	Boydoo	"	do	1st Oct.	"		Transferred to the Moneygode Chowltry.
	Wuldar Kummee	"	do	4th Augt. 1842	15th April 1845		
	Edundypien	"	do	12th May 1843			
	Patomahe	"	Mapilla	5th July	"	22d Nov. 1845	Of Atrophy. Being imprisoned on suspicion of Murder and his family having removed to the Interior
55	Abdool Nubber	"	Mahomedan	4th Feby 1844	20th June 1845		Cured.
	Shaik Booden	"	do	4th do	28th do		
	Shannondy	"	Hindoo	8th do			
	Maury	"	do	9th March		4th March 1845	Of Atrophy
	Ramasawmy	"	do	28th do			
60	Comardaranz Khan	"	Mahomedan	4th July			Transferred to the Moneygode Chowltry.
	Gordehannah	"	do	5th do	12th July 1845		do do do
	Shaik Dawood	"	do	9th Augt.	15th April		
	Rajahgopaul	"	Hindoo	5th Oct.	"		Transferred to the Moneygode Chowltry
	Mullan Dawood Sait	"	Mahomedan	15th March 1845	6th April		
65	Pedroo	"	Native Christian	25th do			
	Hampagundoo	"	Hindoo	6th May	"		Transferred to the Moneygode Chowltry.
	Tolorcanum	"	do	2d June	29th June		Being at odd Lambos Keeping it not safe to keep as a Lunatic Asylum
	Shaik Ebram	"	Mahomedan	6th do	29th Oct.	"	
69	Buttalor Venkatasawmy	"	Hindoo	26th Nov.	"		Remaining 40.
			Total	69	21	8	

Madras,
1st January, 1846.

(Signed) Claud Currie,
Asst. Surgeon.

(Signed) J. Sanders,
Surgeon.
Superintendent.

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Statement of the Expences of the Lunatic Asylum for the year 1845, taken from the Statements furnished by the Surgeon of the Institution and the Commissary General.

Months.	For victuals, clothing, Servants &c. in each month.			Fixed expences for the year 1845.			Total.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
January	559	5	9						
February	569	15	3						
March	1808	2	7						
April	603	5	9						
May	853	14	9						
June	837	10	11						
July	1183	13	8						
August	610	12	5						
September	597	8	8						
October	504	2	10						
November	548	4	5						
December	501	12	1				9178	13	1
Surgeon's Regimental Pay and Allowances				×	"	"			
*Surgeon's Salary as Superintendent				6,300	"	"			
Rent of the Building				3,000	"	"			
Pay of two Native Medical Servants				2045	4	"			
Pay of three Lascars				228	"	"	11573	4	"
Total Company's Rupees							20752	1	1

* 8 months drawn by Dr. Stevenson
Sick Certificate to hope.
4 months drawn by Surgeon Lawder
in Medical charge.

× The Medical Storekeeper being Medical Officer of the Asylum, the personal Pay and Allowances of his rank are not included in this Statement.

Fort St. George,
Med. Board Office,
12th March, 1846.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

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Military Department.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter with

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Fort St. George, 12th March 1846.

with the documents which accompanied it be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Fort St. George,
17th March, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, 12th March, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to submit, for the favorable consideration of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, copy of Dated 6th instant. a letter from Surgeon W. G. Davidson, of the Black Town District, soliciting, for the reasons therein set forth, the continuance of the monthly allowance of Rupees 100, hitherto allowed for the Medical charge of the Chintadrepettah Dispensary.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

From Surgeon W. G. Davidson,
In charge Black Town District.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Presidency.

Madras, 6th March, 1846.

Sir,

I have the honor to state, that from the date of my appointment to the charge of the Black Town District (10th ultimo), the Civil Auditor has declined to pass my

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Fort St. George, 12th March 1846.

my Abstract for the usual allowance of 100 Rupees per mensem, always hitherto paid for the Medical charge of the Chintadrepettah Dispensary, on the supposition that by the order of the Supreme Government dated 21st October 1835 noted in the margin, it is virtually discontinued.

Fort William 21st October 1835.

xxx "The Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to resolve that as vacancies occur, the District Surgeons at Madras like the Presidency Surgeon of Bengal shall receive a consolidated allowance of 400 Rupees per mensem with 96 Rupees as House rent."

I most respectfully submit however, that such is not the case. The regulated Allowance for all the Dispensaries throughout this Presidency, at Outstations as well as at Madras, is not included in the consolidated salary assigned to Civil Surgeons in the Provinces and District Surgeons at Madras. The regulated Allowance in all these cases is drawn as exclusive of the consolidated salary and therefore cannot be disallowed, on the alleged ground of the order in question. The Dispensaries in the Provinces and the one in the South East District were all established many years subsequently to the date of that order, and therefore the order cannot possibly be considered as having reference to these establishments, and there is nothing peculiar in the Chintadrepettah Dispensary, that should render it an exception.

Besides, I have already charge of another Dispensary on the North side of Black Town, where nearly 10,000 patients are Annually treated, for which I receive no allowance - and also of the Leper Hospital, - in which the daily number of patients is about 50 - which I also attend without any remuneration; and which is unconnected with the Native Infirmary.

* Public Notification dated 28th May 1845. "Its interior economy will be wholly unconnected with the Native Infirmary."

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The Civil Dispensaries have all been regarded by Government, as imposing extra duties on Surgeons, and they have therefore remuneration assigned to each, in every case in addition to the consolidated allowance, recognised by the order of the 21st October 1835; which names no Dispensary, and merely allots to each of the three Districts of Madras an allowance of 400 Rupees. The Chintadrepettah Dispensary, being precisely similar in every respect, will not, I trust, be made an exception. I hope you will therefore have the goodness to forward this appeal, with your support, for favorable consideration.

I have &c.

(Signed) W. G. Davidson, Surgeon,
In charge Black Town District.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Presidency.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.
Fort St. George 12th March 1846.

To J. S. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Public Department.

No. 372.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
Dated 14th April, 1846.

The Government are of opinion that Surgeon Davidson is entitled to the same allowance for the charge of the Chintadrepettah Dispensary, as the Surgeon in charge of the Hospital in Triplicane; and authorize the disbursement viz. Rupees One hundred

(100)

Fort St. George, 12th March 1846.

(100) to Surgeon Davidson accordingly.

(A true Extract)
(Signed) J. S. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

To The Medical Board.

With reference to their Secretary's letter of the 12th March 1846
No. 1111.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
6th March 1846.

Read the following Papers.

Extract from the Minutes of consultation in the Financial Department. Here enter 27th Feby 1846 No. 142.

Ordered that the foregoing Extract be communicated to the Military and Medical Boards, with reference to the Minutes of Consultation of the 30th September 1845 No. 2265.

2. In future, Stores transferred from the Medical Department will be charged as in Bengal, at 5 per Cent upon the Invoice cost and charges.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Mily. Board - with Extract No. 1057 / to be returned / Medical Board - with do — do — Mily. Audr. Genl - with — do — do — Acctt. Genl - with — do — do —

No. 142.

Financial Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
Dated 27th February 1846.

Read the following letters.

No. 53. To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government of
Fort St. George.

Sir,

With advertence to your letter No. 101, dated the

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the 26th November last, I am directed by the Honorable the Deputy Governor of Bengal to transmit to you for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council of Fort St. George the accompanying copy of a letter and its enclosures from the Officiating Accountant General No. 2262 dated the 5th instant reporting the practice at this Presidency in respect to the per centage charged upon the Invoice value of Stores from Europe on their transfer from one department to another.

I have &c.
(Signed) J. A. Dorin,
Secty to the Govt. of India.

Fort William,
The 13th February, 1846.

No. 2262. From R. Walker Esqre
Officiating Accountant General.

To J. A. Dorin Esqre
Secretary to the Government of India.
Financial Department.

Sir,

Acctt. Genl's Office,
Genl. Deptt.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 27th December last, forwarding copy of a letter from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George with its enclosures in original requesting to be informed of the practice at this Presidency in respect to the per centage charged upon the Invoice value of Stores from Europe on their transfer from one Department to another.

In reply I have the honor to annex copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Medical Board dated 20th ultimo, and of the Secretary to the Military Board dated 22nd ultimo furnishing the information desired.

The original papers received with your letter

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letter are herewith returned, as requested.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) R. Walker,
Offg Acct. General.

Fort William,
The 5th February, 1846.

No. 821. From Surgeon John Forsyth,
Secretary Medical Board.
To C. Morley Esqre.
Accountant General.

Sir,

Fort William, The 26th January 1846.

By direction of the Medical Board, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from Mr. Cameron, Apothecary to the Honorable Company, which affords the explanation called for in your letter No. 2066 of the 10th instant, regarding the practice observed in respect to per centage on all Stores transferred from the Dispensary to other departments of the Public Service.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) J. Forsyth, Surgeon,
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 194. From Surgeon W. Cameron,
Apothecary to the Honble Company
To John Forsyth Esqre.
Secretary Medical Board.

Dated 21st January, 1846.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 797, dated the 19th instant, I have the honor to state for the information of the Medical Board, that the practice observed in this Office in respect to per centage is to add 5 per cent to the Invoice cost and charges of all Stores transferred from this Department to another in accordance with instructions received to

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to that effect with the Medical Board's letter No. 470, dated the 25th November 1836.

I have &c. &c.

C. J. C. Dispensary,
The 21st January, 1846.

(Signed) W. Cameron, Surgeon
& Apothecary to the H. C.

(Signed) J. Forsyth, Surgeon,
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 6496. To The Accountant General,
Military Department.

Sir,

Ordnance Dept. In reply to your letter No. 2065, of the 10th current, enquiring the practice which is observed in this Department in respect to the per centage charged on the Invoice value of Stores from Europe on their transfer from one Department to another, I have the honor by direction of the Military Board, to state that no per centage is charged in such cases in this Department, but that as in all similar instances of Articles issued from the Ordnance Stores, a rate is given which exhibits the full average value of the Stores so supplied without reference to the Original Invoice cost. The practice alluded to except in very particular instances could not be made applicable in a Department where the detail of Receipts and Issues is so extensive as that of the Ordnance at this Presidency.

I have &c. &c.

Fort William,
Mily. Board Office,
The 22nd January, 1846.

(Signed) G. F. Greene,
Secretary.

(True Copies)
(Signed) R. Walker,
Offg Acct. General.

(True Copies)
(Signed) J. A. Dorin,
Secry to the Govt. of India.

Ordered

P. 37 from Govt.

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Ordered to be communicated to the Military Department with reference to Extract from Minutes of Consultation in that Department dated 5th November 1845 No. 5010.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

Read the following letter,

No. 322. To The Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Mily. Dept. I am directed to transmit for the information of the Government of Fort St. George, the annexed copy of a letter No. 321 addressed by me this day to the Secretary to Government Military Department at Bombay in reply to a reference from that Government on the subject of granting Commissions to Members of the Medical Board and to Superintending Surgeons I have &c. &c.

(Signed) W. M. N. Sturt, Major,
Offg Secry to the Govt. of India
Mily. Dept.

Fort William,
13th February, 1846.

No. 321. To The Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Bombay.

Sir,

Mily. Dept. I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 567 of the 2nd instant, requesting, with reference to a Despatch from the Adjutant General of the Army, information as to whether Commissions are issued in Bengal to Superintending Surgeons or to Members of the Medical Board, and whether any and what fees are charged upon them.

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In reply I am desired to acquaint you, for the information of the Government of Bombay, that no such Commissions have heretofore been granted at this Presidency, and that the situation of Superintending Surgeon having, since the publication of the General Orders No. 69 of the 4th July 1842 been considered a Staff appointment none should, in the opinion of the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, be issued to that class of Medical Officers.

3.

It appearing however, from the General Orders above adverted to, clearly to have been intended that the Members of the Medical Board should be Commissioned as Physician General, Surgeon General, and Inspector General of Hospitals respectively; His Honor in Council has been pleased to resolve that Commissions shall henceforward be issued to the Members of the Bengal Medical Board, and that the charge for the Stamps thereon, shall be Rupees (15) Fifteen, as fixed for those of Officers of all grades in the General Order No. 283 under date the 18th October 1844 and I am to suggest that a similar practice be introduced at Bombay.

I have &c.

(Signed) W. M. N. Sturt, Major,
Offg Secry to Govt. of India.
Mily. Dept.

Fort William,
13th February, 1846.

(True Copy)
(Signed) W. M. N. Sturt, Major,
Offg Secry to the Govt. of India,
Mily. Dept.

No. 1184.

Military Department.

Ordered that the foregoing despatch be communicated to the Commander in Chief and to the Medical Board.

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Board.

2. In accordance with the decision of the Government of India, Commissions will be issued to the present and all future Members of the Medical Board.

Fort St. George,
10th March, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut.-Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Adjt. Genl. Medical Board. Acct. Genl. Mily. Audr. Genl.

Separate. № 343.

Public Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

Dated 9th February 1846.

Read the following letter from the Civil Auditor

Forwards a Supplemental Statement of conditional Pension granted in the quarter ending 30th April last.

Wore enter 2nd February 1846.

Resolved that Mr. Thomas Fonseca who receives a conditional Pension of Rupees 35 - - per mensem through the Secretary to Government in the Revenue Department be required to appear before the Medical Board, who will report whether in their opinion he is from old age protracted ill health, loss of sight or other bodily or mental infirmity, permanently disqualified for further Service. The Secretary to Government in the Revenue Department will be pleased in the mean time, to obtain and return the original Pension Certificate № 1111, granted to Mr. Thomas Fonseca.

(Signed) R. G. Clarke,
Dept. Secretary to Government.

To The Revenue Dept. Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, Civil Auditor's Office,
2nd February 1846.

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From J. C. Morris Esqre.
Civil Auditor.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit a Supplemental Statement exhibiting a conditional Pension granted in the quarter ending 30th April last, which was inadvertently omitted in the Statement forwarded for that quarter.

I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George,
Civil Audr. Office,
2nd February, 1846.

(Signed) J. C. Morris,
Civil Auditor.

From J. C. Morris Esqre.
Civil Auditor.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit a Supplemental Statement exhibiting a Pensioner to whom conditional Pension has been allowed subject to future confirmation in the quarter ending 30th April 1845 and who is required to be brought before a Medical Committee for examination as to his permanent disqualification.

| Pensioner. | | |

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From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To The Secretary to Government,
in the Revenue and
Judicial Departments.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government in the Public Department № 343, Dated 9th ultimo I have the honor to request that you will direct Mr. Thomas Fonceca, a conditional Pensioner on your Establishment, to appear before the Medical Board on Thursday next the 19th instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon for examination.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
13th March, 1846.

To The Secretary to Government
in the Revenue and
Judicial Departments.

Memorandum.

The Secretary to Government in the Military Department has the honor to request that the Secretary to the Medical Board will be good enough to furnish him with a Memorandum, as soon as practicable, showing the nature and extent of the Sickness at present prevailing in the 41st Regiment.

Fort St. George,
13th March, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Secretary to the Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, 14th March 1846.

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Memorandum.

The Secretary to the Medical Board has the honor to forward to the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, an extract of a report from Assistant Surgeon Ferrier of the 41st Regiment N.I., to the Superintending Surgeon Northern Division dated 20th ultimo, relative to the nature and extent of the Sickness at present prevalent in that Corps, as requested in a Memorandum of yesterday's date

Fort St. George,
Med. Board Office,
14th March, 1846.

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Extract.

"I have the honor to bring to your notice that Remittent Disease to a very great extent, has been discovered prevailing amongst the men of the 41st Regiment N.I. for some weeks past the admissions into Hospital have been on account of this Disease, this was brought to the notice of the Commanding Officer, who at the termination of the Review, ordered an Inspection of the Regiment, this took place on the 17th and 18th instants, when upwards of 130 men were found to be more or less affected with the disease and are now in Hospital under treatment, the most prevalent form of the disease is Syphilitic, there are some cases of an aggravated nature, arising most likely from the concealment of the disease existing, others again are of long standing and not of so severe a character, the active stage having passed away, some being of short standing it is hoped the further progress of the disease may be arrested by the active remedies now employed.

From the reluctance of the Natives to point out

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out the individuals, from whom they have got the disease, there exists very great difficulty of finding out the infected women, and in two instances the person pointed out, has been found on careful examination, not to have the least trace of any disease whatever; as yet only four persons have been discovered who are diseased, and these, with sanction of the Collector, have been taken to the Civil Dispensary for treatment.

"There are now one hundred and fifty one men in Hospital with Syphilis, Gonorrhea and Bubo, some of whom will never be fit for active duty again, and must be discharged the Service."

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

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Fort St. George, 16th March 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Bruce
Secretary to Government in the
Military Department.

Sir,

Under the instructions of Government conveyed in your letter dated the 5th July 1825, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board, to transmit the accompanying Half Yearly Abstract Statement of unadjusted balances as they stood on the 31st October last, in the Public accounts of this Department, against Medical Storekeepers, deceased or gone out of Office during the period embraced in the return.

2.

2. The Board are of opinion, that the trifling deficiencies found by a Committee of Examination and Transfer in the Medical Depot at Masulipatam are satisfactorily accounted for, and they beg respectfully to recommend that Surgeon W. R. Smyth may be relieved from responsibility on that account.

Fort St. George,
16th March, 1846.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Bruce,
Secretary to Government in the
Military Department.

Medical Department.

Half Yearly Abstract Statement of unadjusted balances, as they stood on the 31st October 1845, in the Public accounts of the Medical Department against Medical Storekeepers, deceased, or gone out of Office.

Officer's Name	Department.	Deceased or gone out of Office.	Amount of deficiency as reported by Committee. Rs. A. P.	Remarks.
W. R. Smyth	Deputy Medical Storekeeper Masulipatam	Gone out of Office 23rd August 1845	2 . 10	Deficiencies being "Wastage" on various articles are satisfactorily accounted for and recommended to be placed to their account.

Fort St. George,
Med. Board Office,
16th March, 1846.
No. 1346.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board, and
Secretary Med. Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
Military Department.
20th March 1846.
Read the following letter, from

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Fort St. George, 16th March 1846.

From the Secretary Medical Board.

Here enter 16th March 1846 №. 47.

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Medical Board, the Most Noble the Governor in Council grants authority for Surgeon W. R. Smyth Deputy Medical Storekeeper, Masulipatam, being relieved from responsibility on account of trifling deficiencies, being "Wastage" on various articles, found by a Committee of examination and transfer in the Medical Depôt at that Station, which have been satisfactorily accounted for, as exhibited in the Half Yearly Abstract Statement submitted with the foregoing letter.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To the Medical Board
letter № 1284 (to be returned.) Acct. Genl. with do (do)

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Fort St. George, 16th March, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to submit, for the information of Government, and ultimate transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, the Annual† Report on the Eye Infirmary by the Oculist; together with the† Returns of Sick treated, and the Annual Statement of the expences of the Institution for the year 1845.

† In triplicate.

2.

On a comparative Statement of the number of

of patients treated in the two last years, it will be seen that a considerable reduction has taken place in 1845, both in the In and Out door patients, viz.:

1844. In patients treated 614 - Out patients 88
1845 ____ do ____ do 415 ____ do ____ 48,

being on the whole, 239 less in 1845, or a reduction of rather more than one third. It appears, however, from the Annual Report by the Superintendent, that the Institution has not failed in its usefulness in the past year, the number of operations, which are said to be always liable to variation, having considerably increased; and the Superintending Surgeon Presidency bears testimony of the numbers of persons who have been relieved at the Institution, and whose vision has either been improved or restored - and also to the great attention and personal exertions of the present Oculist, Mr. Thompson, who is considered a valuable Superintendent.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
16th March, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Fort St. George, 16th March 1846.

1845.

Twenty sixth Annual Report of the Eye Infirmary.

Patients with total loss of sight.

Diseases.	Military												Civil											
	Remained 31st Dec.r 1844	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: Cured	By operation	By operation	By operation	Relieved	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec.r 1845	Remained 31st Dec.r 1844	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: By operation	By operation	By operation	Relieved	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec.r 1845
Europeans.																								
Obliteration of the Pupil	1		1								1													
Total	1		1								1													
Natives.																								
Amaurosis	1		1								1													
" with paralysis of the eye-lids	1		1								1													
Cataract	1		1								1													
Destruction of the Globe	3	5	8	4	3	1			8			12	42	54	19	7	17	48		1	
" of the Ball of the left eye	1		1								1													
Iritis	1		1								1													
" Chronic	1		1	1					1															
Leucoma												2	2	1				1		1	
Obliteration of the Pupil												3	3		2		1	3			
" " " of the right eye and cataract Incipient in the left	1		1					1			1	3	4	1	2		2	4			
Ophthalmia Chronic	1		1					1													
" " with sloughing of the Cornea												1	1		1			1			
" " with ulceration " "												1	1	1				1			
Sloughing of the Cornea	1		1					1													
Staphyloma												3	3	1	2			3			
Ulcer of the Cornea	1		1		1		1													1	1
Total	5	13	18	1	4	1	3	6	15	-	3	136	173	199	72	16	-	18			
General Total	5	14	19	1	4	1	3	7	16	-	3	136	173	199	72	16	-	18			

* Absent - No operation performed.

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Patients with Partial loss of sight.

Diseases.	Military												Civil											
	Remained 31st Dec.r 1844	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: Cured	By operation	By operation	By operation	Relieved	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec.r 1845	Remained 31st Dec.r 1844	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: By operation	By operation	By operation	Relieved	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec.r 1845
Europeans.																								
Amaurosis	1	2	3								3	1	3	4				1			
Ophthalmia Chronic with ulceration of the Cornea												1	1	2				1			
Total	1	2	3								3	1	4	6				1			
Natives.																								
Albugo												1	1		1			1			
Amaurosis	1	2	3	1					1		1	23	19	42	7	3	6	16	1	1	65	8
" with paralysis of the upper lid	1		1								1	1		1							
Amaurosis with Staphyloma												1	1	2				1			
Cataract Incipient	1	1	2								2	11	42	53	16	9	3	33	1	5	7	9
" " with ulceration of the Cornea												1	1	2				1			
Leucoma	1		1								1	1	1	2				1			
Nebula	1		1								1	11	1	12	5	3		13			
Ophthalmia Acute with ulceration of the Cornea												1		1				1			
Ophthalmia Chronic with ulceration of the Cornea												3	3	2				2		1	
Ulcer of the Cornea	1		1								1	5	6	4	2			1			
" " from injury												2	2	1		1		2			
Total	3	6	9	1					1		8	67	229	296	81	15	9	115	2	7	81	17
General Total	4	8	12	3					7		11	70	229	299	88	15	9	117	2	7	81	17

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Patients not included under the two Preceding heads.

Diseases.	Military: Remained 1st Jan. 1845	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: Cured	Invalided	By Medical Certificate	By Operation	By Desertion	By Court Martial	By Sentence	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec. 1845	Civil: Remained 1st Jan. 1845	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: Cured	Invalided	By Medical Certificate	By Operation	By Desertion	By Court Martial	By Sentence	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec. 1845
Europeans.																									
Conjunctivitis	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Fistula of the Lachrymal Sac	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Ophthalmia Acute	1	6	7	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	"	"	20	20	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	20	"	"
" Chronic	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
Total	2	8	10	10	"	"	"	"	"	10	"	"	"	21	21	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	20	1	"
Natives.																									
Abscess of the Lachrymal Sac	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Conjunctivitis	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Fistula of the Lachrymal Sac	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Lippitudo	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	2	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	2	"	"
Night Blindness	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	3
Ophthalmia Acute	"	8	8	8	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	"	"	12	72	84	81	"	"	"	"	"	"	81	6	4
" " with ulceration of the Cornea	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	7	8	6	"	1	"	"	"	"	7	1	"
Ophthalmia Chronic with Lippitudo	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Ulcer of the Lids	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	"	"
" " Cornea	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" " " from injury	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total	1	13	14	13	"	"	"	"	"	14	"	"	"	14	83	97	88	"	4	"	"	"	"	92	5	5
General Total	3	21	24	23	"	"	"	1	24	"	"	"	"	14	104	118	108	"	4	"	"	"	"	103	6	5

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General Abstract of the preceding heads.

	Military: Remained 1st Jan. 1845	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: Cured	Invalided	By Medical Certificate	By Operation	By Desertion	By Court Martial	By Sentence	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec. 1845	Civil: Remained 1st Jan. 1845	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: Cured	Invalided	By Medical Certificate	By Operation	By Desertion	By Court Martial	By Sentence	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec. 1845
Europeans.																									
Patients with Total loss of sight	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" " Partial " "	1	2	3	2	"	"	"	"	"	1	3	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
" " not included in the two preceding Returns	2	8	10	10	"	"	"	"	"	10	"	"	"	21	21	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	20	1	"
Total	3	11	14	12	"	"	"	2	14	"	"	"	1	21	22	21	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	21	1	"
Natives.																									
Patients with Total loss of sight	5	13	18	14	1	3	6	15	3	13	60	73	419	92	7	216	16	1	1	1	1	1	16	2	1
" " Partial " "	3	6	9	1	"	"	"	6	7	2	23	45	166	81	1	62	"	"	"	"	"	"	62	2	5
" " not included in the two preceding Returns	1	13	14	13	"	"	"	14	"	"	14	83	97	88	"	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	92	5	5
Total	9	32	41	15	4	1	3	13	36	"	5	50	288	335	173	20	66	"	7	1	1	1	1	36	8	11
General Total	12	43	55	27	4	1	3	15	50	"	5	51	309	360	194	20	66	"	7	2	1	1	1	37	8	11

1845.

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Twenty fifth Annual Report of Out Patients.

	Remained 1st Jan. 1845	Admitted during the year	Total	Discharged: Cured	Invalided	By Medical Certificate	By Operation	By Desertion	By Court Martial	By Sentence	Total	Died	Remaining 31st Dec. 1845
Patients with Total loss of sight.													
Cataract	1	3	4	"	4	"	"	"	"	"	4	"	"
Corneitis	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
Obliteration of the pupil	"	2	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1
Ophthalmia Chronic	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
Total	1	7	8	2	4	"	"	"	"	"	4	3	1
Patients with Partial loss of sight.													
Amaurosis	"	6	6	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	2	"
Cataract Incipient	1	2	3	"	"	3	"	"	"	"	3	"	"
Nebula	1	3	4	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	2	1	1
Ophthalmia Chronic	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
" " with ulceration of the Cornea	2	"	2	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	"	"
Ophthalmia Chronic with vascularity of the Cornea	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
Ulcer of the Cornea	"	2	2	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	"	"
Vascularity of the Cornea	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
Total	5	15	20	10	"	5	"	"	"	"	15	5	2
Patients not included under the two preceding heads.													
Ecchymoses of the Conjunctiva	"	3	3	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	"	"
Entropium	"	1	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"
Fistula of the Lachrymal Sac	"	2	2	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	2	"	"
Lippitudo	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
Night Blindness	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
Ophthalmia Acute	"	9	9	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	1
Tumour of the lower Lid	"	1	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"
Ulcer of the Lids	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
" " Sclerotic Coat	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"
Total	"	20	20	15	3	"	"	"	"	"	18	2	"
General Total	6	42	48	27	5	8	"	3	3	"	36	10	2

Madras, 1st January, 1846.

(Signed) W. B. Thompson, Supt. Eye Infirmary.

Observations

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Fort St. George, 16th March 1846.

Observations.

It gives me pleasure in forwarding the accompanying Annual Report, to notice that the Institution has not failed in its usefulness, during the past year, and in the Operative Department, there has been a considerable increase but it is always liable to variation.

Twenty-seven cases of cataract have been restored to sight, and ten relieved, which may eventually become cured. These are always the most interesting cases amongst them, some are more particularly so. I shall mention one or two for example, one is a Brahmin of the highest caste and rank, the Minister of a Native Prince, (the Rajah of Tanjore,) he is also a man of great learning, both in the Native and English languages, and although beset by Native Operators, with which this part of the country abounds, so great was his faith in European skill, and Medical treatment, that he preferred coming to Madras, at a great inconvenience, two or three times in the space of four years, until his eyes were in a fit state to undergo the operation, when he placed himself under my care, as presiding over this Department and in many instances, dispensed with the observances of caste, in the course of the necessary treatment, which proved that an enlightened mind can overcome even the prejudice of caste. I have had the satisfaction to send him back to his country with good sight to the "great joy of himself, his Prince, and his numerous relatives" as expressed by him in a letter to me, received since his return home.

Another was a European, who had been blind for three years, and who in consequence was obliged to resign the situation he had held; he has been restored to most

perfect sight, being able to read the smallest print, with the aid of his glasses.

I might enumerate many other cases equally satisfactory; but the above individuals were very well known, and great interest excited about them.

The disease called "Amaurosis" is very prevalent in this Country, amongst the natives particularly; but when taken in its early stage, it is generally tractable, being chiefly functional, and relieved by gentle Mercurials, and counter-irritants; but when resulting from injuries, it is often incurable.

The cases of "Night-blindness", are always numerous, they generally occur in Native children of all ages, and arise from the depraved state of the alimentary canal. It is a disease closely allied to functional Amaurosis, and speedily relieved by appropriate treatment.

The most common disease amongst Natives is Incipient Cataract, and unless when taken at the commencement, or that the opacity of the Lens is caused by a deposition of Lymph from the Iris, the result of inflammation of that membrane, I believe it in most cases, to be incurable, but it can be much relieved and retarded, which the Natives are desirous of, and they voluntarily apply for Blisters, Superient and Mercurials, knowing that from their use, the sight becomes clearer for sometime, and is benefited by their repetition, but the disease ultimately proceeds, and terminates in blindness. The lower orders seem most affected with it, probably from being more constantly exposed to the glare of the Sun, and the bad quality of the food, they often subsist on.

I must not omit to mention the number of

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of cases that presented themselves during the past year, with their eyes totally destroyed from rapid inflammation, caused by a mixture the Natives make, called Kalikum, composed of the juice of Garlic, Chillies, Cloves, different Kinds of Pepper and other hot substances.

They apply this fiery substance to the eyes of those people, who are attacked with dangerous diseases, such as Cholera, their idea being (I suppose) to produce a decided counter-irritation, which it does, but generally at the expence of the eyes; should the unfortunate sufferer escape death. Cholera being very prevalent last year, many unfortunate people, presented themselves with their eyes in a sloughing state, some of whom we admitted into Hospital to moderate the inflammation but without any hope of restoring them to sight.

Madras,
1st January, 1846.

(Signed) W. B. Thompson,
Supt. Eye Infirmary.

(Signed) Claud Currie,
Supt. Surgeon.

Statement of the expences of the Eye Infirmary for the year 1845, taken from the Statements furnished by the Superintendent, and the Commissary General.

Months.	Provisions, Clothing, &c. for 6 months, for 200 in each month. Rs.	a.	p.	Fixed expences for the year 1845. Rs.	a.	p.	Total. Rs.	a.	p.
January	206	12	11						
February	208	11	4						
March	204	15	2						
April	167	9	1						
May	164	2	2						
June	125	14	11						
July	123	9	0						
August	124	1	6						
September	178	4	7						
October	186	6	5						
November	197	12	10				2044	0	10
December	156	2	10				2044	0	10
	Carried forward 6 Cs. Rs.						2044	0	10

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	Fixed expences for the year 1845. Rs.	a.	p.	Total. Rs.	a.	p.
Brought forward 6 Cs. Rupees				2044	0	10
Surgeon's Regimental Pay and allowances	2349	0	0			
Bengal allowances as Dentist	6300	0	0			
Apothecary S. Pereira's Pay and allowances	1385	4	0			
Rent of the Building	3000	0	0	13034	4	0
Total Company's Rupees				15078	4	10

Fort St. George,
Med. Board Office,
16th March, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D
Secretary Med. Board.

№ 1357.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
20th March 1846.

Read the following letter
From the Secretary Medical Board.
Here enter 16th March 1846, № 47.

Ordered that a copy of the above letter together with its enclosures be forwarded to the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.

The Board observe, that the Annual Report on the Eye Infirmary for 1845, is satisfactory.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

A.

Contingent Bill of Sundry expenses incurred on account of the Medical School.

Date		Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
1845.							
10th Feby	+ Paid to a Native		4	0	4	0	0
3d April	Copper wire for Chemical purposes		5	0	5	0	0
July	24 Ox's bladders for Anatomical preparations		14	0	14	0	0
24th Sept.	+ Paid to a Native		4	0			
	Carried forward 6 Cs. Rs.		7	0	53	0	0

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Date 1845		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
	Brought forward Co's Rs				53	"	
28th Sept.	+ Paid to a Native	7	"	"			
30th —"—	To one piece of Gunny for the dissecting room	4	"	"			
		"	9	"	11	9	
2nd Oct.	+ Paid to a Native	7	"	"			
6th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
25th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"	21	"	
1st Nov.	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
		38	"				
"—"—	Paid to a Cutter	1	2	"			
4th —"—	+ Paid to a Native	3	8	"			
6th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
7th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
8th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
"—"—	Paid for an Iron Screw vice, for Anatomical injection	1	"	"			
12th —"—	+ Paid to a Native	7	"	"			
27th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
"—"—	+ —do— do	5	"	"	49	2	
3rd Dec.	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
"—"—	Paid to a Cutter	1	"	"			
13th —"—	+ Paid to a Native	7	"	"			
17th —"—	+ —do— do	3	8	"			
"—"—	+ —do— do	3	8	"	22	"	
1846.							
3rd Jany.	+ Paid to a Native	7	"	"			
4th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
9th —"—	+ —do— do	14	"	"			
"—"—	Paid to a Cutter	1	4	"			
20th —"—	+ Paid to a Native	7	"	"			
25th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"	43	4	
9th Feby.	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
16th —"—	+ —do— do	7	"	"			
"—"—	Paid to a Cutter	1	"	"	15	"	
6th March	+ Paid to a Native	9	"	"			
"—"—	Paid to a Cutter	1	8	"	10	8	
	Total Company's Rupees				177	10	

Madras,
10th March, 1846.

Received the amount Company's Rupees One hundred and Seventy seven and Annas Ten

(Signed) G. Harding,
Supt. Med. School.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Supg. Surgeon.

I do declare upon my honor that the charges contained in this Bill, are faithful, just and correct, and that the whole expense was incurred, exclusively, on account of the Public Service.

(Signed) G. Harding,
Supt. Med. School.

Recommended to be Sanctioned.

By order,

Fort St. George,
Med. Board Office,
16th March, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Searle,
Secretary to Med. Board.

Sanctioned Rupees 177-10-/ One hundred and seventy seven and Annas Ten.

By order,

Fort St. George,
20th March, 1846.

(Signed) J. Forbes, Major.
Dep. Secry. to Government.
Military Department.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

20th March 1846.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council sanctions the disbursement of the Bill from Surgeon G. Harding Superintendent of the Medical School submitted by the Medical Board, for sundry expences incurred on account of that School, amounting to Rupees 177-10-/ One hundred and seventy seven and Annas Ten.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.
Mily. & Sec. Dept.

To The Medical Board, with Bill. Mily. & Sec. Dept.

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Fort St. George, 19th March, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Searle, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir, With reference to the Extract from Minutes of

№ 48 and 49.

Fort St. George, 19th March 1846.

Dated 9th ultimo. — of Consultation in the Public Department

№ 343. I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to re-port for the information of Government, that Mr. Thos. Fonseca, who receives a conditional pension on the Establishment of the Secretary to Government Revenue and Judicial Depart-ments, was this day carefully examined by the Board, who consider him unfit for further effective Service from Cataract in both eyes, by which he is rendered almost totally blind.

I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George, 19th March, 1846.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Madras, 23d February, 1846.

From Captain C. Biden,
Protector of Emigrants.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Minutes of Consultation under date the 26th ultimo, together with the correspondence referred to in that Minute, and adverting to the practical suggestions offered by the Com-mander of the Emigration Ship "Success," which I am de-sired to take into consideration, I beg leave to submit the following observation thereon.

1.

I am of opinion that a Medical Assistant to the Surgeon of each Ship hired for Emigration Service to the West Indies, would be a great boon, and tend materially to the health and comfort of the Native Emigrants from India,

India, and I think if such an assistant, were selected from those persons who are classed as Apothecaries, he would be a most invaluable interpreter, as well as an able adviser upon all occasions when the health and welfare of the Natives might require special attention, the rules and regulations subsidiary to Act № 21 of 1844, and submitted to Govern-ment on the 7th October last, embrace the various suggestions contained in Captain McKerlie's letter relative to the Medi-cal charge of Emigrants and they should always be strictly adhered to.

2.

Those suggestions which bear upon the care and comfort of the Emigrants, the treatment of them during the voyage, and the conduct which Commanders should observe for in the rules laid down for the guidance of Commanders of Emigrant Ships in the Code referred to, and these rules should be rigidly observed.

3.

Captain McKerlie's remarks about the lia-bility of Sickness and disease through the unavoidable cus-tom, under the present system of the Emigrants lying down on decks, which with every precaution during bad weather must be damp and occasionally wet, are judicious, the Mumblies, or Blankets provided for the use of the Emigrants (and every person embarking from this Presidency has two of those articles) cannot effectually guard against such disa-greeable effects, because a series of wet, or bad weather or the con-tinuance of a heavy gale may preclude the possibility of preserving a dry deck for several successive days and nights, and the Emigrants with, in such a contingency, have only their

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their wet, and damp Bumblies or Blankets to lay down upon. The only remedy that can be provided against so great an evil, is either to supply the Emigrants with Hammocks, or to fit each Emigrant Ship with moveable platforms resting on bunts or Standards, 4 or 6 inches above the deck, a channel should be open against the Ship's side and the bunts can be so fitted and divided as to allow a free water course. these platforms, separated in the most convenient size, can be upset against the Ship's side when the Decks are cleaned and fumigated, and as common Mango-plank will serve the purpose, this plan would not be an expensive one, and would obviate the prejudice which all Native Emigrants show against the use of a Hammock, and would in my opinion be the cheapest. at all events I strongly recommend a small portion of the between Decks of an Emigrant Ship should be fitted with a platform, so that in case of necessity that space may be allotted as the Sick Bay, or a small supply of Hammocks may be provided for the use of the Sick.

4. I quite agree with the Commander of the "Success" in the remarks he has made about cooking the Emigrants' provisions, and an appointed time for their meals but the little experience I have already obtained through my visits of Inspection on board the Emigrant Ships depart-ed from this Port, convince me that a more rigid observance of regularity on those points should be enforced and especi-ally in the serving out a daily allowance of water, the Emi-grants are now provided each with a small tin pot which is easily upset, and by such an accident they may be main sufferers for hours together; to guard against so serious a privation as the want of water, and to ensure regularity when

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when the Emigrants take their meals, I am of opinion that they should be divided into messes without prejudice to caste (15 or 20 persons in each mess) and that one person of that number should receive the daily supply of provisions and water, and also attend to the cooking, and serving out the same, and that he should be supplied with the allowance of water at least twice a day, and to prevent waste, each mess should be furnished with a 2 or 3 gallon Keg, slung so that it may be suspended. and with these precautions the most trying causes of grievances which the Emigrants have complained of, in my presence, on board Ship, would be avoided and remedied. The Caboose or Cooking place and also the cooking utensils furnished here, are clumsy and not so well adapted for the purpose as the Stoves and Coppers provided for shipping in England, but it would be a difficult matter to obviate that deficiency in Indian however the Caboose should be fitted with Iron Bars on the outside, for the purpose of preventing accidents in rough weather, or a supply of well adapted Stoves and utensils might be sent from England.

5 With respect to Captain McKerlie's opinion as to the superabundant supply of Stores, or provisions, for the use of Emigrants during the voyage, I am of opinion that his Statement is correct on most points, and that there might be a considerable reduction without incurring the slightest risk of insufficiency, because a comparison between the accompanying Scale of provisions issued to Sepoys when serv-ing afloat, and that which is fixed upon for the daily use of Emigrant Labourers, will show that the quantity of rice, salt and salt-fish in the latter Scale may be one fourth reduced

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reduced and in the Stores the supply of Firewood which is bulky, and cannot all be stowed away to advantage may be lessened at least one third. Lime juice and Potatoes may be substituted in lieu of a portion of onions and salt-fish, I have ascertained that the daily supply of rice to Sepoys is beyond what they can consume, therefore a lesser quantity of that article to that extent I have specified and of fuel would give space, cause a less expense and in a great measure compensate for the charge of hiring an Apothecary, or Surgeon's Assistant. I do not recommend any reduction in the supply of condiments which, as a tonic are conducive to a healthy state; the daily allowance of Wine is less than that supplied to the Native Troops, but I think a larger issue would tend to induce Scurvy. I am however of opinion that the allowance of Water should be increased by Six Pints to one Gallon per day, as some portion is required for cooking, and to prevent the necessity of a full supply for the voyage being provided in India. I strongly recommend that all Emigrant Ships should be permitted to touch at St. Helena where their stock of Water and of Vegetables can be replenished with little delay and at a moderate expense; this indulgence is, under the present system prohibited, and I am afraid Sickness, and probably loss of life will ensue, in as much as adverse winds or calms may prolong the voyage beyond all ordinary calculation, as exemplified by the long passage of the Ship "Success" from Calcutta to Demerara, independent of such a risk, water casks may leak the Scurvy or a disease allied to that scourge termed by the Natives Beriberi may break out on board Ship, and without so salutary a deviation or delay on the voyage as would be occasioned by calling at St. Helena, disease and ab

fearful effects may occur, I may here observe that St. Helena is on the track of all Ships bound, viâ the Cape of Good Hope, to Europe, and America and consequently it is not without the track of vessels bound to the West Indies.

6. From every enquiry I have made respecting the clothing furnished for the use of Emigrants, I am inclined to believe the supply issued for Adult persons at this Presidency is ample, but I think Infants who are bereft of any thing should have a few articles of clothing including a Bumbee or Blanket.

7. As regards the season and limited terms for carrying into practical operation the Emigration Service at this Presidency, I am of opinion that the extension of the period from the 1st. of September is favorable to all the interests concerned; especially as October and November are doubtful months, when all communication between the and the Shipping may frequently be impeded and suspended.

8. The fittest Ships and vessels for the Emigration Service are such as are lofty between decks having good Scuttles, Stern ports, and large Hatchways, and I recommend the hire of vessels of 500 Tons burthen, and upwards for Emigration Service between the East and the West Indies.

I have &c.

Signed) G. Pidgeon,
Protector of Emigrants.

To J. P. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

P.S. With reference to the first Para of the foregoing letter, I beg to observe that a Native Dresser of the first class, may serve with efficiency as a Medical Assistant to the Surgeon, whereby a considerable expense would

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would be saved.

(Signed) C. Biden,
Protector of Emigrants.

Table of Rations for Native Troops &c. on board Ship agreeably to the G.O. dated 29th July 1842.

Articles.	For Native Troops &c. per man per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.	Articles.	For Native Troops &c. per man per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.
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Dholl	"	3	"	Firewood	2	"	"
Ghee	"	2	"	Salt fish	"	2	"
Salt	"	1	"	Water, Gallons	one		
Turmeric	"	"	1½	Chooruh or Atoil	1	"	"
Onions	"	"	4	Bhoot gram	"	5	5½
Tobacco	"	"	4	Sugar	"	2	4
Chillies	"	1	4				
	"	"	6				

Provisions to be supplied to Emigrants from Madras to the West Indies as directed by Government on the 27th January 1845.

Articles	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.	Articles	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.
Rice	1	12	"	Tamarind	"	2	"
Dholl	"	4	"	Firewood	4	"	"
Ghee	"	1	"	Salt fish	"	4	"
Salt	"	1½	"	Water, Gallons	Two gallons		
Turmeric	"	1	"	Chooruh or Atoil	2	"	"
Onions	"	1	"	Bhoot gram	"	8	"
Tobacco	"	1	"	Sugar	"	2	"
Chillies	"	"	8				

Excess of daily allowance served to Emigrants beyond that which is issued to Native Troops.

Articles	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.	Articles	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.
Rice	"	4	"	Salt	"	"	1½
Dholl	"	1	"	Turmeric			

Articles.	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.	Articles.	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.
Onions	"	"	12	Salt fish	"	2	"
Chillies	"	"	2	Chooruh or Atoil	1	"	"
Firewood	2	"	"	Bhoot gram	"	2	10½

Decrease of daily allowance served to Emigrants to that which is issued to Native Troops.

Articles	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.	Articles.	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.
Ghee	"	1	"	Water, Gallons	one gallon		
Tobacco	"	"	4	Sugar	"	"	8

Madras,
February 23rd, 1846.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council approves the suggestions contained in the foregoing letter, and resolves to submit them for the sanction of the Supreme Government.

(Signed) C. Biden,
Protector of Emigrants.
Public Department.

The Protector of Emigrants will be pleased to furnish a Supplementary Table embodying the modifications recommended by him.

The Medical Board will be pleased to report with reference to the 5th Para and the Postscript, whether Native Dressers or Apothecaries can be found available for the service in question.

(Signed) J. L. Thomas
Chief Secretary.

Fort St. George,
6th March, 1846.

To The Protector of Emigrants. Medical Board with enclosure.

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Fort St. George, 19th March 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reference to the order of Government Dated 6th instant. the Public Department No. 226, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to report for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that upon of 50 Medical Subordinates of various grades, who have been formerly in the Public Service, were found available for the charge of Emigrants proceeding to the Mauritius in 1843, who would doubtless be also available for the employment indicated in the above order of Government, if their services should be required.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
19th March, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 50.

Medical Board.
21st March 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to submit for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government, the enclosed Petitions* Both dated 17th instant. of two letters from Assistant Surgeon Supper, Acting Depot Surgeon at Poonamallee, respecting the Rent allowance of 2d Apothecary Flynn and Assistant Apothecary

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Apothecary Crummy, viz. Rupees 35 and 15 per mensem, respectively, being deducted from their Pay in lieu of House rent, (not authorized for Subordinates of their grades) on account of their being provided with Public Quarters; the accommodation for which, such heavy deductions are made, being represented to be of a very inferior description, and such as might be procured elsewhere for a sum of 3 Rupees monthly; and soliciting that as in the case of Apothecary Hughes, a fixed rent equal to the real value of the quarters occupied and within their means, may be substituted for the allowances now forfeited.

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

From Assistant Surgeon J. W. Supper,
Acting Depot Surgeon, Poonamallee.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Centre Division.

Sir,

I have the honor herewith to forward to you the Petition of Second Apothecary J. Flynn, addressed to me, and on the part of the Petitioner beg to submit to your notice, the peculiar hardship, under which he labours in consequence of a deduction of 35 Rupees a month being made from his Pay, for Government Quarters, (which he is obliged to occupy whenever there is any spare room available) for the purpose of the same being brought through the Medical Board to the knowledge of the Most Noble the Governor in Council.

I have myself inspected the Quarters for which the Petitioner is called upon to pay the monthly sum already mentioned, (though he receives no allowance as House Rent, the amount being deducted from his Pay) which

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which deduction in Petitioners case exceeds that exacted from the Pay of an Ensign by 10 Rupees a month) and am of opinion that the accommodation afforded him is very inferior and far less commodious than can generally be procured, out of the Hospital for a very trifling rent, and which Petitioner states can be had for 3 Rupees per mensem. Under these circumstances, and deeming it always advisable that the Medical Subordinates attached to the Depot, should live in the Fort or in its immediate vicinity- I have the honor on the part of the Petitioner to beg, that he may still be permitted to occupy the quarter allotted to him, but that a rent equal to its value only, and within the means of the Petitioner, be stopped from his Pay, and that as in the case of Apothecary + Hughes and others in a similar situation his appeal may meet with the favorable consideration.

+ Vide Minutes of Consultation 10th April 1838 № 1283.

I further beg to bring to your notice the fact that the Petitioner actually, in consequence of the large sum deducted from his Pay for quarters, receives less, by 5 Annas, than others of the inferior grade of the Department. I have &c.

(Signed) J. W. Sapper,
Actg Depôt Surgeon.

Poonamallee,
17th March, 1846.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Centre Division.

(Signed) D. S. Young,
Superintg Surgeon.

From Assistant Surgeon J. W. Sapper,
Acting Depôt Surgeon Poonamallee.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Centre Division.

Sir,

the Petition of Assistant Apothecary J. Crummy addressed to me and on the part of the Petitioner I beg to submit to your notice the peculiar hardship under which he labours in consequence of a deduction of 15 Rupees a month being made from his Pay for Government Quarters (which he is obliged to occupy whenever there is any spare room available) for the purpose of the same being brought through the Medical Board to the knowledge of the Most Noble the Governor in Council.

I have myself inspected the Quarters for which the Petitioner is called upon to pay the monthly Rent already mentioned (though he receives no allowance as House Rent) the amount being deducted from his Pentage) and am of opinion that the accommodation afforded him is very inferior and far less commodious than can generally be procured out of the Hospital for a very trifling rent, and which Petitioner states can be had for three Rupees per mensem. Under these circumstances, and deeming it always advisable that the Medical Subordinates attached to the Depot, should live in the Hospital or in its immediate vicinity, I have the honor on the part of the Petitioner to beg that he may still be permitted to occupy the quarter allotted to him but that a rent equal to its real value only and within the means of the Petitioner be stopped from his Pay and that as in the case of Apothecary + Hughes and others in a similar situation his appeal may meet with the same favorable consideration. I have &c.

(Signed) J. W. Sapper,
Acting Depôt Surgeon.

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Poonamallee,
17th March 1846.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Centre Division.

(Signed) D. S. Young,
Sup.t Surgeon.

(True Copies)
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secy. Med. Board. № 2003.

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would be saved.

(Signed) C. Pideu,
Protector of Emigrants.

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Turmeric	"	"	½	Choorah or Avil	1	"	"
Onions	"	"	4	Bhoot gram	"	5	5/8
Tobacco	"	1	4	Sugar	"	2	4
Chillies	"	"	6				

Provisions to be supplied to Emigrants from Madras to the West Indies as directed by Government on the 27th January 1843.

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Chillies	"	"	8				

Excess of daily allowance served to Emigrants beyond that which is issued to Native Troops.

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Dholl	"	1	"	Turmeric	"	"	12

Articles.	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.	Articles	Per Adult per day. lbs.	oz.	drs.
Onions	"	"	12	Salt fish	"	2	"
Chillies	"	"	2	Choorah or Avil	1	"	"
Firewood	2	"	"	Bhoot gram	"	2	10⅔

Decrease of daily allowance served to Emigrants to that which is issued to Native Troops.

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Tobacco	"	"	4	Sugar	"	"	8

Madras,
February 23rd, 1846.
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(Signed) C. Pideu,
Protector of Emigrants.

Public Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council approves the suggestions contained in the foregoing letter and resolves to submit them for the sanction of the Supreme Government.

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The Medical Board will be pleased to report with reference to the 5th Para and the Postscript, whether Native Dressers or Apothecaries can be found available for the Service in question.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas
Chief Secretary.

Fort St. George,
5th March, 1846.

To The Protector of Emigrants. Medical Board. with enclosure.

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Fort St. George, 19th March 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government.

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I have &c.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
19th March, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 50.

Medical Board.
21st March 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to transmit for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government, the annexed copies of two letters from Assistant Surgeon Supper, Acting Depot Surgeon at Poonamallee, respecting the Rent allowance of 2nd Apothecary Flynn and Assistant Apothecary

* Both dated 17th instant.

Apothecary Crummy, viz. Rupees 35 and 15 per mensem respectively, being deducted from their Pay in lieu of House rent, (not authorized for Subordinates of their grades) on account of their being provided with Public Quarters; the accommodation for which, such heavy deductions are made, being represented to be of a very inferior description, and such as might be procured elsewhere for a sum of 3 Rupees monthly; and soliciting that as in the case of Apothecary Hughes, a fixed rent equal to the real value of the quarters occupied and within their means, may be substituted for the allowances now forfeited.

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

From Assistant Surgeon J. W. Supper,
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To The Superintending Surgeon,
Centre Division.

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I have myself inspected the Quarters for which the Petitioner is called upon to pay the monthly sum already mentioned, (though he receives no allowance as House Rent) the amount being deducted from his Pay; and which

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which deduction in Petitioners case exceeds that exacted from the Pay of an Ensign by 10 Rupees a month) and am of opinion that the accommodation afforded him is very inferior and far less commodious than can generally be procured, out of the Hospital for a very trifling rent, and which Petitioner states can be had for 3 Rupees per mensem. Under these circumstances, and deeming it always advisable that the Medical Subordinates attached to the Depot, should live in the Hospital or in its immediate vicinity. I have the honor on the part of the Petitioner to beg, that he may still be permitted to occupy the quarter allotted to him, but that a rent equal to its value only, and within the means of the Petitioner, be stopped from his Pay; and that as in the case of Apothecary × Hughes and others in a similar situation his appeal may meet with the same favorable consideration.

× Vide Minutes of Consultation, 10th April 1838, No. 1283.

I further beg to bring to your notice the fact that the Petitioner actually, in consequence of the large sum deducted from his Pay for quarters, receives less, by 5 Annas, than when in the inferior grade of the Department. I have &c.

(Signed) F. W. Supper,
Acting Depôt Surgeon.

Poonamallee,
17th March, 1846.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Centre Division.

(Signed) D. S. Young,
Superint. Surgeon.

From Assistant Surgeon F. W. Supper,
Acting Depôt Surgeon Poonamallee.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Centre Division.

Sir, I have the honor herewith to forward to your address the Petition of Assistant Apothecary P. Brunning addressed to me and on the part of the Petitioner beg to submit to your notice the peculiar hardship under which he labours in consequence of a deduction of 15 Rupees a month being made from his Pay for Government Quarters (which he is obliged to occupy wherever there is any spare room available) for the purpose of the same being brought through the Medical Board to the knowledge of the Most Noble the Governor in Council.

I have myself inspected the Quarters for which the Petitioner is called upon to pay the monthly sum already mentioned (though he receives no allowance as Pensioner) the amount being deducted from his Pentage) and am of opinion that the accommodation afforded him is very inferior and far less commodious than can generally be procured out of the Hospital for a very trifling rent, and which Petitioner states can be had for three Rupees per mensem. Under these circumstances, and deeming it always advisable that the Medical Subordinates attached to the Depot, should live in the Hospital or in its immediate vicinity, I have the honor on the part of the Petitioner to beg that he may still be permitted to occupy the quarter allotted to him but that a rent equal to its real value only and within the means of the Petitioner be stopped from his Pay and that as in the case of Apothecary × Hughes and others in a similar situation his appeal may meet with the same favorable consideration. I have &c.

× Vide Minutes of Consultation 10th April 1838 No. 1283.

(Signed) F. W. Supper,
Acting Depot Surgeon.

Poonamallee,
17th March 1846.

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Centre Division.

(Signed) D. S. Young,
Supt Surgeon.

(True Copies)
(Signed) Geo Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

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Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

1st May 1846.

From the Secretary to the Medical Board through the Adjutant General of the Army dated 21st March 1846 № 50.

Read again the papers noted in the margin, recorded in Consultation 31st March 1846.

From the Military Board

Read the following letter.

Here enter 21st April 1846 № 183.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council observes that Apothecaries Flynn and Cumming having been duly provided with Public Quarters, no exemption can be authorized in their favor from the Regulations of the Service, under which they are required to [illegible] house rent of their rank.

2.

In the case of Apothecary Hughes, referred to in the correspondence, a special exemption was granted because the Apothecary had not in fact been provided with Public Quarter having only occupied a single Store room.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

(True Copy.)
(Signed) R. Alexander, Lieut. Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

To The Members of the Medical Board.

For information with reference to their Proceedings dated 31st March 1846 № 50.

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Ecclesiastical Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

Dated 24th March 1846.

The Lord Bishop of Madras, acting Metropolitan having

having applied for the Services of a Medical Officer to attend him on his visitation to the Straits, His Lordship in Council is desirous of nominating Mr. Assistant Surgeon Clementson to that duty; but, before he makes this appointment, he requests the Medical Board will examine that gentleman, and report upon his fitness to enter on the duties of the Public Service.

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

To The Medical Board.

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Fort St. George 26th March 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reference to the Extract from Minutes of Consultation in the Ecclesiastical Department dated 24th instant. № 79, I have the honor to report, for the information of Government, that the Medical Board have examined Assistant Surgeon Clementson, and beg to state that they consider him fully qualified for the special duty for which his services are required.

2.

Mr. Clementson, however, having represented that he is extremely anxious to complete the Probationary course prescribed for young Medical Officers, without interruption, the Board respectfully to submit whether, under these circumstances, it be expedient to remove him from the duty on which he is at present engaged at the

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General Hospital.
Fort St. George,
26th March, 1846.

I have &c. &c.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas, Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Ecclesiastical Department.

No. 81.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation,
Dated 30th March 1846.

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Medical Board.

Here enter 26th March 1846 No. 50

1.
Under the foregoing opinion of the Medical Board, the Most Noble the Governor in Council resolves to appoint Assistant Surgeon Clementson to attend the Reverend the Acting Metropolitan on his approaching visit to the Straits; and to instruct that Officer to prepare for embarkation by the next Steamer for Calcutta.

2.
His Lordship in Council observes that the Medical Board will examine and report upon his fitness to enter on the duties of the Public Service.*

*The Medical Board will recollect that the information called for by the Government - and it will be necessary that they now do so, and explain the omission in their present communication.

3.
The Marine Board will provide Assistant Surgeon Clementson with a Passage to Calcutta by the next Steamer.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas
Chief Secretary.

To The Medical Board. Marine Board. Adjt. Genl.
Depart. A copy to Assist. Surgeon J. L. Clementson.

Quarter Master Generals Office,
Fort St. George, 17th March 1846.

No. 174.

From Lieutenant Colonel Commandant W. Strahan
Quarter Master General of the Army
To Lieutenant Colonel H. A. Prome,
Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

Sir,
I have the honor by desire of His Excellency the Most Noble the Commander in Chief, to transmit the accompanying Numerical Returns of the Head Quarters and 5 Companies 5th Battalion Artillery, under orders of embarkation to the Straits (Penang, Malacca and Singapore) and from thence to the Coast.

I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George, 17th March, 1846.

(Signed) W. Strahan Lt. Col. Commdt.
Qr. Mr. General.

To Lieutenant Colonel Prome,
Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

Probable Return of the 6 Company of the 5th Battalion Artillery under orders of embarkation at Vizagapatam for Penang Malacca and Singapore, for whom Tonnage will be required.

Corps, &c.	Commissioned Officers	Warrant Officers	Sergeants	Corporals	Bombardiers	Gunners	Drivers	Total Tonnage	Private Followers	Total	Remarks
6 Company 5th Battalion Artillery	2	1	2	8	8	90	21	131	8	131	2 European Officers
Total	2	1	2	8	8	90	21	131	8	131	

Qr. Mr. Genls. Office,
Fort St. George,
17th March, 1846.

(Signed) W. Strahan Lt. Col. Commdt.
Qr. Mr. General.
Returns

Fort St. George, 26th March 1846.

Return of the 1 Company 5th Battalion Artillery for whom Tonnage from Penang, Malacca and Singapore the Coast will be required on its relief taken from the last Return received.

Stations from whence Tonnage is received	Corps &c.	Staff Serjeants	2nd do	Staff Serjeants Sergeants	Colour Serjeants	Sergeants	Buglers	Privates	Lance Corporals	Gunners	Drivers	Privates Followers	Syces to Officers Horses	Syces to Troop Horses	Grass Cutters	Total
At Penang	Detach. 1 Company 5th Battn Artly	1	-	1	-	2	-	22	6	1	1	1	-	-	4	41
At Malacca	do do	-	1	-	-	1	3	1	32	8	-	1	-	-	-	2	49
At Singapore	do do	1	-	-	-	1	3	1	23	3	-	1	-	-	-	4	37
	Total	2	1	1	-	4	6	2	77	12	1	3	1	-	4	127

Dr. Mr. Genls Office
Fort St. George,
17th March, 1846.
No. 1346.

Dr. Mr. General

Ordered that the foregoing letter be communicated to the proper departments.

Fort St. George,
19th March, 1846.

(Signed) H. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Marine Board. Commy. Genl. Medical Board. Mily. Board.
No. 1380.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
21st March 1846.

The following papers are ordered to be recorded

From the Dr. Mr. General of the Army
Here enter 20th March 1846, No. 180.

From the Secretary Marine Board.
Here enter 20th March 1846, No. 334.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council authorizes

Fort St. George, 30th March 1846.

authorizes the acceptance of the tenders of the following Ships for the conveyance of Her Majesty's 57th Regiment to England at the rates specified.

Ship "Hindostan" £22-10- for each man
—"— "Mary Ann" —"— 21-10- "— do do
—"— "Westmoreland" —"— 19- "— do do

2. The tender of the "Sisters" is declined.

(Signed) H. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Marine Board. Dr. Mr. Genl. Dy. Asst. Genl. 2. S. Dy Dr. Mr. Genl. 2. S. Commy. Genl. Mily. Board. Medical Board. Clothing Board. Mily. Asst. Genl. Asst. Genl.

Memorandum.

The Secretary to Government in the Military Department has the honor to request that the Minutes of Consultation dated the 25th instant may be cancelled.

(Signed) H. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

Regarding the engagement of H.C.S. Steamer "Spitefull" for the conveyance of a Detachment of the 25th N.I. to the Straits and that of the 27th N.I. thence to Madras.
No. 1432, may be returned, the same having been cancelled.

Fort St. George,
28th March, 1846.

To The Dr. Mr. Genl. Mily. Board. Medical Board.
Town Major. Supt. of Family Payments.

No. 52.

Fort St. George, 30th March 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board,

№ 52.

Fort St. George, 30th March 1846.

Board, to submit for the consideration of the Most Noble the
№ 2, dated 3d March 1846. Governor in Council, Extract from a com-
-munication received from Surgeon Cole, in Medical charg
of the Triplicane Dispensary, representing that a considerable
increase both in the number of In and Out Patients, has taken
place during the past year, and that in consequence the exten
-sive services of a 2nd Dresser are required at the Institution
the 1st Dresser attached to the South East District, who now
affords his assistance, being unequal to the efficient perform
-ance of the duties, both of the Dispensary and of the District
2.

From the extensive usefulness of the Dispen
-sary and the consequent increased duties devolving upon the
establishment, originally fixed at one Assistant Apothecary
(aided as before alluded to, by
opinion that the permanent services of a 2nd Dresser have
become requisite, and they therefore beg leave respectfully
to recommend, that a Medical Subordinate of that grade
may be sanctioned, as solicited by Surgeon Cole.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Extract from Surgeon Cole's letter № 2 dated
3d March 1846.

"During the two past years the total number
of admissions have been as follows.

	1844.	1845.
Out Patients	3091	3611
In do	68	136
Total	3159	3747
Average daily number of applicants	99 10/12	135 1/12

The

The extensive usefulness of the Institution, being
thus proved I take the liberty of suggesting that the establish
-ment should now be put on a footing commensurate with the
amount of duty performed, or at any rate that it may no longer
continue on a scale inferior to that of Institutions of a similar
nature at Madras and elsewhere. The number of patients
admitted into the Hospital, the greater number of which have
been Surgical cases, many of them of great severity imperat
-tively call for an increased number of Hospital Servants.
I also beg to suggest the propriety of nominating a Native
Dresser specially to the Institution, leaving me the District
Dresser for his own proper duties.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) Geo Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.
Fort St. George, 30th March 1846.

To F. I. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Public Department.

№ 339.

As the Triplicane Dispensary was authorized
by the Supreme Government and has received the sanction
of the Honorable Court, resolved that pending a reference to
the Government of India, a 2nd Dresser be attached to that
Institution as recommended by the Medical Board, under the
circumstances set forth.

Resolved that the following letter be despatched

To The Secretary to the Government of India.

Fort St. George,
7th April 1846.

Here enter 7th April 1846 № 22.
(Signed) F. I. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.
Asst. Genl. Orders dated
№ 256.

To The Medical Board. Asst. Genl. Orders dated
Mily. Deptt.

№ 53.

Fort St. George, 30th March 1846.

№ 256. From G: A: Bushby Esqre
Secretary to the Government of India.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Fort St. George.
Dated the 25th April 1846.

Sir,

Home Deptt. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter № 22, dated the 7th instant, with its enclosures in reply to request that the item of expenditure to which the sanction of the President in Council as therein required may be reported in the prescribed Tabular form.

I have &c.
(Signed) G: A: Bushby,
Secry to the Govt of India.

Fort William
The 25th April 1846.
№ 469.

Public Department.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be communicated to the Medical Board, with reference to the Resolution of Government of the 7th ultimo, № 339, who will submit for transmission to the Supreme Government the Tabular Form called for.

Fort St. George,
12th May 1846.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

To The Medical Board.

\+

Military Department.

To The Medical Board,
Fort St. George.

Gentlemen, I have the honor to forward for your consideration and report the accompanying† letter dated the 14th instant from

* № 214 of 1846.
The original to be returned.

from Mrs. S. Jones, claiming the proceeds of the Estate of the late Apothecary John Jones for and on behalf of his Infant daughter stated to be now under her protection. I have &c. &c.

(Signed) G: A: Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George,
20th March, 1846.

To The Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

Sir,

I beg you will do me the favor to obtain the necessary sanction of the Governor in Council to disburse to me the proceeds of the Estate of my late son Apothecary John Jones, who died in May 1845 at Chingleput, which was deposited in the General Treasury by the Officer commanding that Station on the 31st July last, as notified in the Fort St. George Gazette of the 5th September following at Page 753, viz. Rupees 85. 8. 3.

If there are any claims on the part of Government against his Estate, I beg it may be deducted from the above proceeds, and the balance made over to me.

I beg to state that my late son has left an only Daughter about 4 years old, who has been under my protection ever since the demise of her Mother in January 1845, which event occurred prior to that of her father. I beg &c. &c.

(Signed) S. Jones.
Widow of the late Ensign W. Jones,
of the late 6. N. I. B.

Vepery,
14th March, 1846.

6 Chapel Street Vepery.

№ 53.

Fort St. George, 30th March, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Sedise, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To Lieutenant Colonel G: A: Browne,
Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

Sir,

In reference to your letter dated 20th instant and its enclosure, I have the honor

Herewith returned

No. 53.

Fort St. George, 30th March, 1846.

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to transmit to you for the information of the Accountant General, the annexed copy of a letter No. 61, Dated 25th instant. from the Trustees of the Apothecaries Fund, in reply to a communication from this Office, from which it appears that the late Apothecary J. Jones has left a Daughter an only child, about under five years of age.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 61. To The Secretary Medical Board,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

In reply to your Memorandum of the 23d instant, we respectfully beg to state for the information of the Medical Board, that the late Apothecary John Jones has left a Daughter under five years old, his only child and who is of legitimate birth, receiving the benefits of the Institution.

We have &c.

(Signed) John Paterson,
" J. White,
" J. Mason,
" A. Bertie,
" P. Draught,
" H. von Deerlin,
" J. Devine,
" J. Munro,
" W. McLean.

Trustees to the Apothecaries Fund.

Madras, Apothecaries Fund Office, 25th March, 1846.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.
Fort St. George, 30th March, 1846.

To Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Browne,
Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

No. 54.

Fort St. George, 2nd April 1846.

Military Department.

To The Medical Board,
Fort St. George.

Gentlemen,

Adverting to your Secretary's letter dated the 30th instant, No. 53, and its accompaniments, I have the honor to state that the Accountant General has been authorized to cause payment to be made to that Officer, of the amount now in deposit, at the General Treasury on account of the Estate of the late Apothecary J. Jones of the Madras Medical Establishment, for the purpose of being disbursed to his mother, Mrs. J. Jones, for and on behalf of his daughter, after ascertaining that there are no public demands against the deceased.

I have &c.

(Signed) C. A. Browne Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George, 31st March, 1846.

No. 54.

Fort St. George, 2nd April 1846.

From Surgeon Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas, Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reply to the Extract from Minutes of Consultation, in the Ecclesiastical Department, Dated 30th ultimo. No. 81, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to state in explanation, for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that in their letter No. 51, Dated 26th ultimo. the Board informed Government that they had examined Assistant Surgeon Clementson, and considered him fully qualified for the special duty for which his services were required,

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required; but they felt themselves precluded by the existing regulations, from expressly recommending him fit to enter on the general duties of the public Service, as none of the conditions prescribed by Section IX of the Medical Regulations had been complied with. The Board are therefore, under this view of the case, of opinion that Assistant Surgeon Clementson is not fit to enter on the duties of the Public Service.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
2nd April, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 55.

Fort St. George, 2nd April 1846.

From Surgeon Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In compliance with the instructions conveyed to the Medical Board in the †Extracts from Minutes of Consultation, Public Department, as per margin, I have the honor by order of the Board, to submit for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, a comparative Statement of the disbursements of Medicines from the Government Dispensary, for the Half Years ending 15th September 1845, and 15th March 1846. showing the increase and decrease.

2.

A separate column is also added of expenditure

† Nos. 807 and 982 dated respectively 5th September and 25th October 1845.

expenditure at the Dispensary, on the requisition of Dr. Johnstone.

3.

With reference to the remarks contained in the Board's former communication to Government, quoted in the margin, and also to Dr. Johnstone's recent establishment in Medical practice at Madras, a return of this description cannot be expected to exhibit any striking results, and it may be observed; that a general control being exercised over the issue of Medical supplies, by the Superintending Surgeon Presidency being necessary to authorize any unusual requisitions made on the Dispensary, there are ample means of checking over-expenditure, and guarding against any abuse of the privilege extended to that Gentleman by Government.

‡ No. 181 dated 9th October 1845.
"The Public Servants of Government for whom alone Dr. Johnstone has been allowed to prescribe, having always been entitled to receive Medicines from the Government Dispensary, it can therefore make no difference in the expenditure, whether they are attended by Medical Officers of the Public Service, or by that Gentleman. And as the only alteration is in the Medical attendant, comparative Returns of expenditure cannot exhibit any perceptible difference in the consumption from one quarter to another, whatever may be the number of the prescriptions made up on his order."

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
2nd April, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Comparative

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Comparative Statement showing the Distribution of Medicines in the Government Dispensary Madras for the 1st and 2nd Half Years of 1845/46, and also Medicines supplied on the requisition of Dr. Johnstone.

Medicines	1845/46. 1st Half Year.	1845/46. 2nd Half Year.	Increase of Expenditure.	Decrease of Expenditure.	Issued at the requisition of Dr. Johnstone from 15th Sept. 1845 to 15th March 1846.
	lbs. ℥ ʒ	lbs. ℥ ʒ	lbs. ℥ ʒ	lbs. ℥ ʒ	lbs. ℥ ʒ
Abietis Resina	5 1 6	9 6 1	4 4 3	" " "	" 1 4
Acacia Gummi	32 8 1	32 " "	" " "	" 8 1	1 6 "
Acetum Mylabris bichoreæ	" 11 "	" 6 "	" " "	" 5 "	
Acidum aceticum	" 2 "	" 26 "	" 6 "	" " "	
" " dilutum	52 12 "	53 9 2	" 132	" " "	" " 4
" " citricum	" 7 6	" 3 7	" " "	" 3 7	
" " Hydrochloricum	" 11 3	" 11 5	" 2	" " "	" " ½
" " Hydrocyanicum	" 1 24	" 4 25	" 3 50	" " "	" " 2⅔
" " Nitricum	" 12	" 24	" 12	" " "	
" " Sulphuricum	16 5	14 3	" " "	" 2 2	
" " Tartaricum contrit	21 2 "	18 5 "	" " "	" 12 3	
Æther Sulphuricus	27 6	26 7	" " "	" " 7	" " 1
Alcohol	" 15 "	" 15 2	" 2 "	" " "	
" " C. M.	64 13 "	62 13 "	" " "	2 " 5	" " 1
Aloës Spicata Extract	2 " 2	2 " 2	" " "	" " "	" " ½
Alumen	2 36	3 " "	" 12 2	" " "	" 3 "
Ammonia Hydrochloras	" 56	" 31	" " "	" 25	
" " Sesquicarbonas	3 10 "	3 6 6	" " "	" 32	" " ½
Ammoniacum Gum	" 44	" 57	" 13	" " "	
Antimon Oxysulphuret	" 45	" 4 "	" " "	" " 5	
" " Potassio Tartras	" 3 6½	" 5 ⅓	" 1 10	" " "	" " 2
Argenti Nitras	" 9 5	" 8 6	" " "	" " 1½	
Assafatida	" 7 4	" 4 2	" " "	" " 32	
Balsamum Peruvianum	23 7	14 4	" " "	" 15 3	
" " Solutanum	" " "	" " 3	" 3 "	" " "	
Bismuthi Subnitras	" 11	" 7	" " "	" " 2	
Calamina Præparata	" " "	" 1 "	" 1 "	" " "	
Calumbæ rad contrit	" 71	" 66	" " "	" 3 "	" 2⅔
Calcii Chloridum	" 34	" 4	" " "	" 3 "	
Calx Chlorinata	" 83	1 73	" 15	" " "	

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Medicines	1845/46. 1st Half Year.	1845/46. 2nd Half Year.	Increase of Expenditure.	Decrease of Expenditure.	Issued at the requisition of Dr. Johnstone from 15th Sept. 1845 to 15th March 1846.
	lbs. ℥ ʒ	lbs. ℥ ʒ	lbs. ℥ ʒ	lbs. ℥ ʒ	lbs. ℥ ʒ
Cambogia	" " 6	" " 6	" " "	" " "	" " "
Camphora	22 1 7	19 3 6	" " "	2 4 1	" " ½
Cantharidis Pulvis	" 7 3	" 5 5	" " "	" 1 6	
Cardamomi Semina	" 2 4	" 5 6	" 3 2	" " "	
Carui Semina	" " "	" 2 2	" 2 2	" " "	
Caryophylli	1 1 4	" 10 4	" " "	" 7 "	" " 3¾
Cascarilla Cortex	" 4 2	2 15 5	2 11 3	" " "	
Castoreum	" " 2	" " 2	" " "	" " "	
Catechu Extractum	" " "	" " 2	" " 2	" " "	
Cinchona Cordif. Contrit	13 5 1	13 3 2	" 8 1	" " "	" 13 4
" " Cortex Bras	5 " 6	4 8 1	" " "	" 1 5	
" " Lancifol Contrit	7 " "	4 " "	" " "	" 3 "	" " 6
" " Cortex Bras	" 2 "	" 2 "	" " "	" " "	
Cinnamomi Cortex	" 73	7 7 1	6 5 6	" " "	
Confectio Aromat	" 87	1 7 2	" 4 3	" " "	
" " Rosæ	" 15 1	" 10 7	" " "	" 4 2	
" " Senna	" 6 "	" 5 "	" " "	" 1 "	" " ⅓
Copaiba	3 3 6	6 1 6	2 4 "	" " "	
Coriander Semina	2 12	2 4 2	" 3 "	" " "	" 1 "
Creasotum	" 41	" 10 3	" " "	" 3 6	
Creta Præparata	" 12½	" 1 5	" " "	" 1 "	" " 1½
Croci Stigmata	4 9 3	7 15 "	3 5 5	" " "	" " 1¾
Cubeba	" 2 5	" 5 3	" 2 6	" " "	
Cupri Sulphas	2 3 "	3 11 "	1 8 "	" " "	
Digitalis Fol. Pulvis	1 2 6	1 13 1	" 10 3	" " "	
Emplastrum ammon C. Hydrargyri	" " 5½	" 1 7 4	" " 11	" " "	" " ¾
" " Cantharidis	" 14 3	" 5 5	" " "	" " 8	
" " Galbani	3 4 2	" 13 "	" " "	" 3 12	
" " Hydrargyri	3 12 4	" " "	" " "	" 3 12 4	" " 2
" " Mylabris bichoreæ	" 10 3	" 5 3	" " "	" 4 6	
" " Picis	3 4 3	1 14 3	" " "	" 1 6	" " 4
	1 15 "	2 3 4	" 8 4	" " "	" " 2

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Medicines.	1845/46. 1st Half Year.	1845/46. 2nd Half Year.	Increase of Expenditure.	Decrease of Expenditure.	Issued at the requisition of Dr. Johnstone from 15th Sept. 1845 to 15th March 1846.
	℔ ʒ ʒ	℔ ʒ ʒ	℔ ʒ ʒ	℔ ʒ ʒ	℔ ʒ ʒ
Emplastrum Plumbi	2 6 6	1 9 "	" " "	1 3 6	" " 2
" Resinæ	25 2 1	21 2 7	" " "	4 9 2	
" Saponis	2 2 3	" 10 6	" " "	1 7 5	
Ergota	" 3 6	" 4 6	" 1 "	" " "	" " 1
Extractum Aconiti	" " "	" " "	⅓ "	⅓ " "	
" Belladonnæ	" 12 3	" 12 3	" " "	" " "	" " 1
" Colchici bormii	" 1 "	" 2 ⅔	" 1 ¾	" " "	
" Colocynth comp.	3 9 1	3 1 2 4	" 33 "	" " "	" 2 3
" Conii	" 6 3	" 7 4	" 11 "	" " "	" " ¾
" Gentianæ	" 7 5	1 " "	" 8 3	" " "	" " ½
" Glycyrrhiza	3 8 6	4 2 3	" 9 5	" " "	
" Hyoscyami	1 8 1	1 1 6	" " "	" 1 3	" 1 2
" Jalapæ	" 1 5	" " 6	" " "	" " "	" " 7
" Sarzæ	1 5 5	1 1 4	" 7 7	" " "	
" Sarsaparil	" 4 1	1 1 5 7	1 1 6	" " "	
Ferri Sesqui Oxydum	1 " 2	" 7 2	" " "	" 9 "	" " 1
" Sulphas	" 3 7	" 6 3	" 2 4	" " "	" " 3½
" Sodidum	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " 4½
Galla	" 2 2	" 7 4	" 5 2	" " "	" 3 5
Gentianæ Radix	5 " 6	7 4 3	" " "	" 2 3	" " ½
Guaiaci Lignum Ras.	44 4 6	37 1 5	" " "	" 7 3 1	" " 1
" Resina	" 9 "	" 7 7	" " "	" 1 1	
Hydrargyrum	" 3 1	" " "	" " "	" " 3 1	
" Cum Creta	1 " 3	1 5 7	" 5 4	" " "	" " 5½
Hydrargyri Ammonio Chloridum	" 3 "	" 1 6	" " "	" 1 2	
" Bichloridum	" 1 2	" 2 3	" 1 ¼	" " "	
" Chloridum	5 3 2	2 1 4 ½	" " "	" 2 4 ½	" " ¼
" Nitrico-Oxydum	" 1 3	" " 6	" " "	" " 5	
Iodinium	" 3 1	" 4 ½	" 1 2 ½	" " "	" " 2½
Ipecacuanha rad. contrit.	1 1 4	1 5 7	" 4 3	" " "	" " ½
Jalapa " "	5 1	" 4 3 5	" " "	" 1 3	" " ⅓
Justicia Paniculata	2 3 4	2 3 3	" " "	" " 1	
Linimentum Opii	5 5 2	" 5 0 4	" " "	" 4 7 4	" 1 5 4
" Saponis	3 0 4 4	1 9 5 4	" " "	" 1 0 "	" 9 "
Liquor Ammoniæ	9 1 4	1 0 6	7 "	" 8 3	" " "
" Opii Sedativus	" " 3	" 1 0 3	" 1 3	" 1 "	" " "

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Medicines	1845/46. 1st Half Year.	1845/46. 2nd Half Year.	Increase of Expenditure.	Decrease of Expenditure.	Issued at the requisition of Dr. Johnstone from 15th Sept. 1845 to 15th March 1846.
	℔ ʒ ʒ	℔ ʒ ʒ	℔ ʒ ʒ	℔ ʒ ʒ	℔ ʒ ʒ
Liquor Plumbi Diacet.	1 4 5	1 4 "	" " "	" 1 0 5	
" Potassæ	2 4 6	3 4 5	" 5 7	" " "	
" Arsenitis	" 1 4	" 3 2	" 1 6	" " "	
" Sodæ Chlorinatæ	2 6 6	1 0 6	" " "	" 1 1	
Magnesia	2 6 2	1 4 2	" " "	" 1 2	" " 2
" Carbonas	15 8 6	14 6 2	" " "	" 1 2 4	" 2 3½
" Sulphas	8 6 4	1 7 5 0 5	" " "	" 1 0 9 4	" 9 3½
Manna	45 1 2	1 2 3 2 4	" " "	" 2 2 9 5	
Mastiche	" 5 4	" 5 4	" " "	" " "	
Mezerii Radix	12 5 7	11 " 4	" " "	" 1 5 3	" " ⅓
Morphiæ Acetas	" 2 4	" 2 3⅓	" " "	" " ⅓	" " ⅔
" Hydrochloras	" " 5⅓	" " 4 5 5	" " "	" " ⅔	
Myrrha	1 " 3	2 " 4 1	" 1 "	" " "	
Oleum Anisi	" 4 "	" 5 ½	" 1 ½	" " "	" " ½
" Cinnamomi	" 4 2	" 5 3¼	" 1 ¼	" " "	
" Lavandulæ	" 1 1	" 1 2½	" ¼	" " "	
" Limonis	" 6 "	" 2 "	" " "	" " 4	
" Menthæ pip.	1 4 6	1 " 7½	" " "	" 3 6¾	" " ¾
" Olivæ	3 4 " 2	4 3 9 7	9 9 5	" " "	" 1 1 4½
" Ricini	15 3 " "	4 0 8 "	" " "	" 4 8 "	" 1 2 6
" Rosmarinæ	" " "	" " ½	" " ½	" " "	
" Terebinth. Rectif.	9 3 1	8 1 3	" " "	" 1 1 6	" 1 0 4
" Zingiberis	" " 3	" 1 ½	" " 6½	" " "	" " 5
Opium	" 1 3 7	" 1 0 5⅓	" " "	" 2 1¼	" " 2½
Pilula Aloës comp.	" 6 7	" 6 3	" " "	" " 4	
" " c. Myrrha	1 6 1	1 1 6	" " "	" " 4 3	
" Galbani comp.	" " 7	" " 7	" " "	" " "	" " ½
" Hydrargyri	4 2 3	4 5 4	" 3¼	" " "	" " ½
Plumbi Acetas	1 9 4	1 2 7½	" " "	" 6 4½	" " ⅓
Potassio Acetas	" " 5	" 7 3	" 6 6	" " "	
" Bitartras contrit.	13 5 4	10 6 4	" " "	" 3 2	" " ⅓
" Carbonas	1 0 "	1 2 "	" 1 "	" " "	
" Hydras	" " "	" 2½	" 2½	" " "	
" Nitras	2 9 5	1 3 2	" " "	" 1 6 3	
" Sulphas contrit.	" 6 "	" 12	" 6 6	" " "	" 1 "

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Fort St. George, 2nd April 1846.

Medicines	1845/46. 1st Half Year.	1845/46. 2nd Half Year.	Increase of Expenditure.	Decrease of Expenditure.	Issued at the requisition of Dr Johnstone from 15th Sept. 1845 to 1st March 1846.
	lbs 3 ʒ	lbs 3 ʒ	lbs 3 ʒ	lbs 3 ʒ	lbs 3 ʒ
Potassa Tartras	" 3 5	" 2 3	" " "	" 1 2	
Potassii Iodidum	3 9 7	2 15 2/3	" " "	" 10 13	" 1 1/2
Pulvis Antimonii comp	" 3 "	" 2 7/3	" " "	" 9 11	" " 1
" Ipecac "	" 15 4	1 1/2	" 2 3/2	" " "	
" Jacobi Bottles	5 1/3	4	"	" 1 3	
Quassiæ Lignum	" 1 "	" 7 "	" 6 "	" " "	" " 1/2
Quinæ Disulphas	3 2 4	2 15/4	" " "	" 1 " 6/4	" " 3/4
Resina Flava	" 3 2	" 6 2	" 3 "	" " "	
Rhei Rad contrit	9 9 7	7 9 5	" " "	" 2 " 2	" 2 1/2
Sapo durus	" 15 7	1 3 1	" 32	" " "	
Sassafras Rad concis	46 3 6	38 3 6	" " "	" 8 "	" " 1
Scammonii Gum Resina	" 6 5	" 5 "	" " "	" 1 5	" " 1
Scillæ Rad contrit	" 1 2	" 2 "	" " 6	" " "	" " 1/2
Sennæ Folia	86 13 5	73 7 3	" " "	" 13 6 2	" 2 4/4
Simarubæ Cortex	" " 6	" 32	" 24	" " "	
Sodæ Biboras	" 152	127	" 35	" " "	" 3 1/3
" Carbonas Exsiccata	13 "	" " "	" " "	" 13 "	
" Potass. Tart contrit	16 4 7	8 5 2	" " "	" 7 15 5	
" Sesquicarbonas	8 15 6	7 12 1	" " "	" 1 3 5	" 6 1
" Sulphas	2 10 4	1 4 6	" " "	" " 11 6	
Species pro Confect. Aromat	" " 2	" " 3	" " 1	" " "	
Spiritus Ætheris Nitrici	3 10 2	10 2 "	6 7 6	" " "	" 1 " 6/2
" Ammoniæ Aromat	20 2 5	19 3 1/2	" " "	" " 15 3/2	" 1 2
" Cinnamomi	" 14 "	2 " "	" 4 "	" " "	
Strychnina	" " "	" " 1/2	" " 1/3	" " "	
Sulphur Sublimatum	6 12 2	7 13 "	51 " "	" " "	
Terebinthina Chia	" 21 "	" " 4	" " "	" 1 5	
Tinctura Aloes comp	" 14 "	14 "	" " "	" " "	
" Assafœtidæ	" 44 "	41 "	" " "	" " 3	
" Benzoini comp	33 " 3	85 " 55	" " "	" " 6	
" Calumbæ	12 " 41	" 25 "	" " "	" " 12	
" Camphoræ comp	17 6 4	20 9 1	3 2 5	" " "	" 2 6
" Cantharidis	19 " 143	" 53 "	" " "	" 1 4	
" Cardamomi	57 1 "	51 5 "	" " "	" 6 5 "	
" Cascarillæ	17 " 2	12 4	18 4 "	" " "	" " 2
" Castorei	" 3 "	" " "	" " "	" 3 "	

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	lbs 3 ʒ	lbs 3 ʒ	lbs 3 ʒ	lbs 3 ʒ	lbs 3 ʒ
Tinctura Catechu	" 12 "	3 14	2 5 4	" " "	" 4 4
" Cinchonæ comp	6 " "	3 7 "	" " "	" 2 9 "	" 4 "
" Cinnamomi	1 2 4	" 6 4	" " "	" " 12 "	
" Digitalis	" 14 "	9 3	" " "	" 2 1	" " 1
" Ferri Sesquic	2 12 "	1 13 "	" " "	" 1 5 "	" 7 7
" Gentianæ comp	11 6 "	12 4 "	4 4 "	" " "	
" Guaiaci "	" 4 6	" 3 7 "	9 1 "	" " "	
" Hyoscyami	3 15 1	6 4 3	2 5 2	" " "	" " 3/2
" Iodinii comp	" 5 6	" 3 1 "	7 3 "	" " "	" 1 3
" Jalapæ	3 4 6	3 4 6	" " "	" " "	
" Kino	12 4 "	1 13 "	" 16 4	" " "	
" Lavandulæ comp	13 9 2	13 2 "	" " "	" 7 2	" 1 2/3
" Myrrhæ	8 14 "	13 11 "	4 13 "	" " "	" 7 "
" Opii	23 6 "	18 2 2	" " "	" 4 9 6	" 1 6/3 6
" Rhei comp	6 7 3	6 " 2	" " "	" " 7 1	" "
" Scillæ	1 4 7	1 " 7	" " "	" " 4 "	
" Sennæ comp	13 3 2	17 7 "	4 3 6	" " "	" " 2/4
" Valerianæ comp	2 " 1	" 13 2	" " "	" 1 2 7	
" Zingiberis	17 13 4	17 3 4	" " "	" 1 10 "	" " 1
Unguent. Hydrarg Fort	5 7 4	3 11 7	" " "	" 1 11 5	" 5 6
" " Nitrat	1 13 5	2 2 7	" 5 2	" " "	
Valerianæ Radix	" 10 "	" " "	" " "	" " 10 "	
Veratria	" " 1/3	" " 1/3	" " "	" " 1/3	" " 1/25
Vinum Colchici	" 11 4	11 4 2	12 6	" " "	" " 1/3
" Ipecacuanhæ	6 8 "	8 4 6	11 2 6	" " "	" " 3/4
Zinci Sulphas	" 10 2	" 12 2	2 "	" " "	" " 1/2
Zingiberis Radix	7 6 5	6 9 5	" " "	" 1 3 "	" " 3
" " contrit	2 4 4	2 2 5	" " "	" " 17	" " 3
Flannel Yards	3/4	1 1/2	3/4 "		
Lint fine lbs	10 15 6	11 6 6	" " "	" " 5 9 "	
Sponge "	" " 8 7	" 6 3	" " "	" " 2 4	" 1 7/2
Gallipots oz 7 to oz 4 No	107	29	"	" " 7 5	
" oz 3 to oz 1 "	277	383	66	"	
Phials corked oz 12 to oz 8 Spruce	" 12	1 " 10	1 8 "	" " "	
" " oz 6 to oz 4 "	111	181	" " "	" " 2 2	

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Medicines, &c.	1845/46. 1st Half Year.	1845/46. 2nd Half Year.	Increase of Expenditure.	Decrease of Expenditure.	Issued at the requisition of Surgeon Stilestone from 15th Sept. 1845 to 14th March 1846.
	lbs. 3 3	lbs. 3 3	lbs. 3 3	lbs. 3 3	lbs. 3 3
Phials Corked 3 to 3½ Grove	499	486	... ...	13	
Almonds	38 14	43 13 6	5 12	... ...	
Barley	" 6	" ...	... ...	" 6	
Barrel Pitch	" 5	" 8 2	3 2	... ...	
Benzoin	" 10	" 9 4	... ...	" 4	
Honey Clarified	27 15 7	44 11 6	16 11 7	... ...	4 4
Linseed	2 2	" 11	... ...	17	
Musk	" " ½	" 1¾	" 1¼	... ...	
Nutmeg	" 4	" 5½	" 1½	... ...	
Oil Almonds	2 12	2 14 6	" 13 4	... ...	
—" — Cloves	" 1	" ...	" 3	... ...	" 6	" ¾
—" — Kyapootie	4 5	" 5 7	3 12 3	... ...	
—" — Nutmeg	" 22	" 41	" 17	... ...	
Pepper Black	" 11	" 1	" ...	... ...	" 1
—" — Long	" 12	" 26	" 14	... ...	
Squills Dried	" 15	" 14	" ...	... ...	" 1
Sarsaparilla root	559 15	" 438 4	" ...	... 121	" 11
Sugar Candy	12 9 4	14 9	" 1 5 4	... ...	" 1 1
—" — White	89 15	" 106 10	" 16 11	"	
Vinegar	6 1	" 32	" ...	... 21 5	"
Wax White	6 10 1	4 6 7	... ...	2 3 2	
—" — Yellow	1 15	" 3 4 5	1 5 5	... ...	" 5½

Fort St. George,
Med. Board Office,
2nd April, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

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No. 56.

Fort St. George, 2nd April 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary to Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that the Medical Board made their customary Quarterly visit of Inspection to the Lunatic Asylum this day; and that they have every reason to be satisfied with the manner in which the duties of that Institution have been conducted by the Surgeon in charge.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
2nd April, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

No. 1683.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Fort St. George,
7th April, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Boone, Lieut.-Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

Military Department.

No. 1517.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
30th March 1846.
Read the following letter.

From the Dy. Adjt. Genl. Queen's Troops.
Fort dated 28th March 1846. No. 36.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council observes

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observes that under the terms of Para 1st of the Regulations established by the Honorable the Court of Directors for "providing well qualified Surgeons for the charge of Troops on the voyage to and from India", the power of appointment to the Medical charge is in all cases reserved to the Government.

2. Resolved therefore that the Assistant Surgeon of the 57th Regiment proceeding with the Corps to England, be appointed to the Medical charge of the Troops on board their respective Ships.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. 46th
Secretary to Government.

To the Dep. Adjt. Genl. L. I. Mily. Asst. Genl. Marine Board. Acct. Genl. Dy. M. Genl. Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, 2nd April 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reference to the Extract from Minutes of Consultation, in the Military Department, № 1517, Dated 30th ultimo. I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to report for the information of Government, that a supply of Medicines, Surgical Instruments &c., has been furnished to Assistant Surgeon Bisset M.D. of H.M. 57th Regiment on payment, in the usual manner, for the use of the Troops proceeding to England on the "Westmoreland" to which ship that Officer reported to this Office his having been allotted for duty.

I have &c.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
2nd April, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Military Department.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Fort St. George,
7th April, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. 46th
Secretary to Government.

To the Medical Board.

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Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
30th March 1846.

From the Quarter Master General dated 12th March 1846, № 182.

Read again the letter noted in the margin recorded in Diary to Consultation 17th March 1846.

Read the following letter

From the Secretary to the Govt. of India. Here enter 20th March, 1846, № 286.

Ordered that arrangement be made for the embarkation on board the Honorable Company's Steamer "Tenasserim" of part of the 25th Regiment for the Straits, and of part of the 27th Regiment from the Straits to Madras and that Tenders be invited for Ships to convey the remaining portion of the Troops.

2. Ordered that the following letter be dispatched.

To A. P. Watt Esqre. Commdg. H.C.S. Steamer "Tenasserim" Here enter 30th March, 1846. № 1506.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. 46th
Secretary to Government.

To the Dy. M. Genl. Town Major. Marine Board. Commy Genl. Adjt. Genl. Mily. Board. Medical Board. Clothing Board. Supt. of Family Payments & Pensions. Mily. Asst. Genl. № 384.
Acct. Genl.

Fort St. George, 2nd April 1846.

No. 384.

Madras Marine Board Office
31st March 1846.

From J. J. Franklin Esqre
Secretary Marine Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to the 3rd Para: of the † Order of Government noted in the margin, I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to inform you that passage to Calcutta for Assistant Surgeon Clementson has been engaged in the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Vessel "Precursor" expected here on or about the 1st prox. at Rupees 310.

† No. 81, Extract Minutes of Consultation 30th March 1846.

This sum will entitle him to carry three tons of Baggage with him; all in excess being chargeable at the rate of 60 Rupees per Ton of 40 Cubical feet, and if any Native Servant accompanies him, an extra charge of 50 Rupees will be incurred, exclusive of provisions.

I have &c.
(Signed) J. J. Franklin
Secretary.

Madras,
Marine Board Office,
31st March 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

No. 84.

Ecclesiastical Department.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be communicated to Assistant Surgeon Clementson with reference to the Resolution of Government dated 30th March 1846 No. 58.

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Fort St. George,
1st April, 1846.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

To The Medical Board. Marine Board. Copy to Asst. Surgn. J. L. Clementson.

No. 58.

Medical Board.
3rd April 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to report to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government, the arrival, yesterday, of Surgeon E. Finnerty M.D., of this Establishment, by the Steamer "Precursor" and to forward the Certificate of the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors to this Officer to return to duty, without prejudice to his rank.

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 59.

Fort St. George, 4th April 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to the 2nd Paragraph of the Dated 14th March 1838. letter from Government in the Military Department, No. 1016, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to transmit a Return of a Military Patient in the

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Fort St. George, 4th April 1846.

the Lunatic Asylum, who is considered to be an incurable Lunatic.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board

Fort St. George,
4th April, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Return of a Military Patient in the Lunatic Asylum who is considered to be an incurable Lunatic.

Rank and Name.	Age.	Corps.	Date of admission into the Lunatic Asylum	Brief description of case, stating distinctly whether in the opinion of the Medical Officer the Patient is curable or incurable.
Private Mahomed Hussain.	30.	5th Regiment N.I.	10th March, 1846.	He first manifested symptoms of Insanity in September last, having for a long period previously been addicted to the free use of all kinds of intoxicating liquors, and to debauchery to which the People with whom he associated have been accustomed, and having been admitted into the Regimental Hospital on the 2d of that month, at Bellary, and from thence forwarded to Madras and received into the General Hospital on the 20th December, and no improvement having taken place in his mental condition, he was transferred to the Lunatic Asylum. He has continued quite inactive and mischievous since his reception into that Institution, and it is evident that intemperance has been the cause of his present disease; there appears no hope that he will ever be fit for Military duty.

Lunatic Asylum,
Madras,
3rd April, 1846.

(Signed) J. Lawder
Surgeon.

(Signed) J. Wylie, M.D.
Supt. Surgeon.

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Military Department.

Ordered that the foregoing letter and Return be communicated to His Excellency the Com-

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in Chief, with a view to the removal of Private Mahomed Hussain of the 5th Regiment N.I. from the effective ranks of the Army by discharge, if not entitled to Pension.

Fort St. George,
7th April, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To the Adjt. Genl., with Return to be returned by Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, 6th April, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board, to forward for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, the Prescribed Report on Surgical Instruments remaining in the Medical Stores at the Presidency, at the Annual Committee of Survey, dated 20th ultimo. in triplicate.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
6th April, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Report on the Surgical Instruments in Store, for the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Instruments.	Number in Store	Serviceable	Requiring repair	Wanted	Remarks.
Amputating Instruments — Cases	3	*3	"	"	*Europe repaired.
" — Portable — "	41	*41			*Europe repaired

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Instruments.		Number in Store	Serviceable	Requiring repair	Worn out	Remarks
Ball Extractor, Patent	No.	1	1	"	"	
Bistories, crooked, sharp pointed	"	56	56	"	"	
" " Probe	"	182	182	"	"	
" Phymosis	"	31	31	"	"	
" Straight	"	101	101	"	"	
Bronchotomy Instrument	"	1	1	"	"	
Bullet Forceps, common	Pairs	26	26	"	"	
Cataract Instruments	Cases	2	2	"	"	
Cupping	"	4	4	"	"	
Forceps, Artery	Pairs	62	62	"	"	
" Dressing	"	70	70	"	"	
" Polypus	"	35	36	"	"	
Hare lip Pins	No.	9	9	"	"	
Hydrocele Apparatus	Cases	25	25	"	"	
Instruments, Capital	"	9	9	"	"	
Lachry matis Fistula, Instruments	"	2	2	"	"	
Lankets, Abscess	No.	96	96	"	"	
" Bleeding	"	674	674	"	"	
" Gum	"	48	48	"	"	
Lithotomy Instruments	Cases	3	3	"	"	
Medicigery	"	3	3	"	"	
Needles, common	Setts	2	2	"	"	
" Crooked	Papers	42	15	42	15	"
" Long with Canula	Cases	13	13	"	"	
" Setons	No.	45	45	"	"	
Nippers, Bone	"	31	31	"	"	
Phymosis, Instruments, Bell's	Pairs	3	3	"	"	
Shearing otomy	Cases	2	2	"	"	
Socket Instruments, Surgeons	"	45	45	"	"	
" " " Silver mounted	"	4	4	"	"	
Probes, Silver, Long and Short	No.	236	236	"	"	
Saws, Chain	Cases	2	2	"	"	
Scalpels	No.	47	47	"	"	

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Instruments.		Number in Store	Serviceable	Requiring repair	Worn out	Remarks
Scissars, crooked	Pairs	130	130	"	"	
" Straight	"	84	84	"	"	
" Tonsil	"	4	4	"	"	
Spatulas, Dressing	No.	78	78	"	"	
Tenaculums	"	403	403	"	"	
Tourniquets, Brass	"	84	84	"	"	
" Field	"	166	166	"	"	
Tooth cleaning Instruments	Cases	2	2	"	"	
" Instruments	Sets	35	35	"	"	
Trepan	Cases	31	31	"	"	
Trocars, Bell's	"	32	32	"	"	
" Potts (Flat)	No.	24	24	"	"	
" for puncturing the bladder	"	1	1	"	"	

Fort St. George,
Medl. Board Office,
6th April, 1846.

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(Signed) Geo: Scarse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

Military Department.

Ordered that the Report received with the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George,
7th April, 1846.

To The Medical Board.

No. 61.

Transmitted for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council.

By Order,
(Signed) Geo Scarse, M.D.
Secretary Medl. Board.

Fort St. George,
Medl. Board Office,
7th April, 1846.

From

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Fort St. George, 7th April 1846.

From Assistant Surgeon B. S. Chimmo,
In Medical charge Collectors Establishment
Bellary

To The Superintending Surgeon,
Ceded Districts.

Sir,

I have the honor to request you may be pleased to tender my resignation of the appointment, I hold at present, to the Government, and at the same time to request that my services may be placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief for Regimental duty.

I beg to state, that, my reasons for wishing to resign my present appointment, arise in consequence of my health being much broken from several attacks of Fever, the last one of which was so severe as obliged me to call Godfrey the Garrison Surgeon of Bellary to attend me; since then I have been more or less ailing, and feel that a change of air is necessary. To obtain this it was my intention to apply for leave of absence to the Sea Coast but my circumstances will not allow of my so doing.

I have
the
honor
to be
Sir,
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) B. S. Chimmo
Assist. Surgeon

Bellary,
1st April, 1846.

(Signed) A. Mellor,
Collector & Magistrate
of Bellary.

Supg Surgeon's Office, Ced. Dist.
Bellary, 2nd April 1846.
(Signed) G. B. Macdonell,
Supg Surgeon, Ced. Dist.

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Fort St. George, 9th April 1846.

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Fort St. George, 9th April 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary to Medical Board.

To J. S. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reference to the Minutes of Consultation, in the Public Department, № 64, Dated 20th June 1845. I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to transmit for the information of Government, the annexed copy of a letter from the Sub Assistant Commissary General Northern Division, reporting that Sekarazah Paupiah, a conditional Pensioner on his establishment, who was required to appear before a Medical Committee of examination at Masulipatam, died on the 20th September last.

I have
the
honor
to be
Sir,
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Commissariat Office, Nor. Div.
Masulipatam, 5th April, 1846.

From Captain J. S. Philpot,
Sub Assistant Commissary General
To Surgeon G. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Dated 2nd April 1846. With reference to your letter, I have the honor to inform you that the Pensioner therein named died on the 20th September last, and that a report of the same was made by me to the Commissary General on the

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Fort St. George, 9th April 1846.

the 22nd of the same month.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. F. Philpot, Capt
Sub Asst. Commy Genl

Commt. Office A. D.
Masulipatam, 6th April, 1846.

To Surgeon G. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board,
Fort St. George.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.
Fort St. George, 9th April 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 1570.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

31st March 1846.

From Adjutant General of 9th February 1846, No. 112.
From Adjutant General of 6th March 1846. No. 215.

} Consultation 24th February 1846.
} Consultation 10th March 1846.

Read again the papers noted in the margin

Read the following paper

From the Offg Secry to the Govt. of India.

1.

Here enter 6th March, 1846. No. 1

Ordered that the following arrangements be made for the Staff of the Tenasserim Provinces.

The Staff Surgeoncy to be abolished from date of Surgeon Coleman's departure from Moulmein

The Deputy Judge Advocate to be transferred to the Provinces of Malabar and Canara.

The appointment of Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, and Deputy Assistant Quarter Master

to be abolished from the 30th April next from which date a Station Staff Officer will be appointed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, upon the same footing and with the same allowance as granted to the Staff Officer at Singapore

The Deputy Commissary of Ordnance to continue as at present.

The Deputy Assistant Commissary General to remain until the completion of the reductions recently ordered in the Commissariat Department when the Commissary General will report to Government on the subject of his being replaced by a Warrant Officer.

2.

Ordered that the foregoing arrangements be notified in General Orders and that the Commander in Chief be requested to state what reductions should be made in the subordinate ranks of the Commissariat Department at Moulmein.

(Signed) H. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Adjt Genl. Dr. Mr. Genl. Mily. Board. Commy Genl. Mily. Asst Genl. Accts Genl. Medical Board.

No. 1648.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

7th April 1846.

The following papers are ordered to be recorded

From the Dr. Mr. Genl. of the Army.

Here enter 3d April, 1846. No. 232.

From the Secretary Marine Board.

Here enter 4th April, 1846. No. 405.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council authorizes the acceptance of the Tenders of the Duke of Argyll

№ 62 from Govt.

Fort St. George, 9th April 1846.

Argyll" and "Clarissa" for the conveyance of the 21st Regiment N.I. to the Straits and the 27th Regiment N.I. thence to Madras, and of the tender of the "Indian Queen" for the conveyance of the Golundauze from Vizagapatam to the Straits and the company now there thence to Madras, the vessels being wholly placed at the disposal of Government.

The "Duke of Argyll" for the sum of Rupees (16000) Sixteen thousand.

The "Clarissa" for Rupees (9000) Nine thousand.

The "Indian Queen" for Rupees (4950) Four thousand nine hundred and fifty.

2.

His Lordship in Council also sanctions the engagement of the "Sir William Wallace" for conveying from Madras to the Straits and back again, provided a saving deduction is made from the sum required by the Agents of that Vessel for the conveyance of Troops from Vizagapatam to the Straits and back to Madras.

3.

The 25 men of the 5th Battalion Artillery proceeding transport to Vizagapatam and the Stores destined for that Port will be sent to Vizagapatam on the "Indian Queen" no additional expence being incurred to Government.

4.

The tenders of the "Boyne" and the "Sarah Crisp" are declined. It is observed that the tender of the "Lord Hungerford" has been already recalled.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut.
Secretary to Government

To The Dr. Mr. Genl. Adjt. Genl. Marine Bd.
Commy. Genl. Mily. Board. Medical Board. Pilot
Board. Town Major. Capt. of Family Payments
Mily. Audt. Genl. Accts. Genl.

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Fort St. George, 11th April, 1846. 175.

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Fort St. George 11th April, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Searle, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government
Sir,

In reference to the Extract from Minutes of Consultation, in the Military Department, Dated 30th ultimo. № 1517, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to report for the information of Government, that a supply of Medicines, Surgical Instruments, &c., has been furnished to Assistant Surgeon J. Jackson of H.M. 57th Regiment, on payment in the usual manner, for the use of the Troops proceeding to England on the "Mary" to which Ship that Officer is attached for his having been allotted.

I have
(Signed) Geo. Searle, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
11th April, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

№ 1847.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. &c.
Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George,
17th April, 1846.

To The Medical Board.

Read the following letter,

№ 275. From the Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St. George.

Mily. Dept. Sir, I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of

No. 69 from Govt.

Fort St. George, 14th April 1846.

of your letter No. 524, of the 31st January last, with its enclo-
-sures relative to a proposition for the addition to nine Euro-
-pean Regimental Hospitals under the Presidency of Fort St.
George, of separate Wards for the accommodation of Lunatics and
others labouring under similar diseases at an estimated ex-
-pense of Rupees (6,348) Six thousand, three hundred and forty
eight for each Corps, and to acquaint you, in reply, for the in-
-formation of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that the
Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council
is not prepared to sanction so very considerable an outlay on
buildings of the nature adverted to.

2. His Honor in Council has desired me to add
that the Wards of the Military Hospitals in Bengal are
arranged as to afford separate accommodation for the few
cases of mental derangement admitted; and that no incon-
-venience has been experienced here from the absence of sepa-
-rate buildings, such as those proposed at Madras, as patients
of the description alluded to are always sent to the Presidency
for treatment in the Lunatic Asylum by the earliest fitting
opportunity.

3. The original enclosures of your letter are here-
-with returned.

I have &c.

(Signed) W. M. N. Sturt, Majr.
Offg. Secry to the Govt. of India
Milty Dept.

Fort William,
13th March, 1846.
No. 1657.

Military Department.

Ordered to be communicated to His
Excellency the Commander in Chief, with reference to the
Quarter Master General's letter of the 6th January last.

2. Under the decision of the Governor

Fort St. George, 15th April 1846.

India, the addition of Lunatic Wards to the European Hos-
-tals cannot be authorized.

Fort St. George,
7th April, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut.
Secretary to Government

To The Dy. Mr. Genl. Mily. Board. Medical
Board.

Fort St. George,
Financial Dept.
No. 946.
Accountant General's Office
23d March 1846.

From P. P. Stonhouse Esqre
Accountant General.

To The President and Members of the
Medical Board.

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to request that you will
have the goodness to furnish me, on or before the 15th prox.
with a Prospective Estimate, as usual, of Medical Stores ex-
-pected to be received from Europe during the ensuing Offi-
-cial year 1846/47.

I have &c.

(Signed) P. P. Stonhouse
Accountant General.

No. 64.

Fort St. George, 15th April, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To P. P. Stonhouse Esqre
Accountant General.

Sir,

Agreeably to the request expressed in
Dated 23d ultimo. your letter No. 946, I have the honor by
order of the Medical Board to transmit to you the accom-
-panying Prospective Estimate of Medical Stores expected to

№ 65.

Fort St. George, 15th April 1846.

to be received from Europe during the ensuing Official year 1846/47.

2. The Estimate includes all the Stores indented for by the Board, (the value being computed according to the average price list in use in this Office) with the exception of certain Chemical Apparatus required for the use of the Medical School, the value of which cannot be ascertained until the receipt of the Invoice from the Honorable the Court of Directors.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med.l Board

To J. F. Stonhouse Esqre
Accountant General.

Prospective Estimate of Medical Stores expected to be received from England during the ensuing Official year 1846/47.

	Rs	A.	P.
Amount value of European Medical Stores expected to be received from England for the use of the Civil and Military establishments under the Presidency of Fort St. George	46,284	3	11
——do——do—— for the use of the Veterinary establishment	1270	15	8
Total Company's Rupees	47,555	3	7

Fort St. George,
Med.l Board Office,
15th April 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med.l Board and
Accountt. Med.l Deptt.

№ 65.

Fort St. George, 15th April 1846.

From Surgeon Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In reference to the Extract from Minutes of

Dated 30th ultimo. of Consultations in the Military Department № 1517, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to report for the information of Government, that a supply of Medicines, Surgical Instruments, &c. has been furnished to Assistant Surgeon J. W. Tupper of H.M. 57th Regiment, on payment, in the usual manner, for the use of the Troops proceeding to England on the "Hindoostan", to which Ship that Officer reported, to this Office, his having been Attached.

I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George,
15th April, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med.l Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Fort St. George,
17th April, 1846.

(Signed) R. A. Browne, Lieut.t Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

№ 427.

Madras Marine Board Office,
8th April 1846.

From J. F. Franklin Esqre
Secretary Marine Board.
To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to the second Para of the Extract Minutes of Consultations per margin, I have the honor to forward herewith an amended tender of the

N° 64 from Govt.

Fort St. George, 16th April 1846.

of the Brig "Sir William Wallace" submitted by Messrs. Morison and Co. and as sufficient accommodation on board the "Duke of Argyle" and "Clarissa" can be found for the †Troops returning to this Presidency, to recommend that it should be accepted.

†27th Regiment N.I.

2. The "Sir William Wallace" is ready to take on board any Stores or Provisions.

Madras, Marine Board Office, 8th April, 1846.

I have &c. &c.
(Signed) J. J. Franklin
Secretary.

To J. J. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary.

To The Secretary to the
Marine Board.

Sir,

We beg to place the "Sir William Wallace" at the disposal of Government, for the conveyance of Troops to the Straits, but not back, for the sum of Two thousand, five hundred Rupees.

Madras, 8th April, 1846.

We are &c. &c.
(Signed) Morison & Co.

(True Copy)
(Signed) J. J. Franklin,
Secretary Marine Board.

N° 1713.

Military Department.

In reference to the circumstance stated in the foregoing letter, the Most Noble the Governor in Council authorizes the acceptance of the tender of the "Sir William Wallace" for the conveyance of Troops to the Straits for the sum of Two thousand five hundred Rupees.

Fort St. George, 8th April, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. &c.
Secretary to Government &c.

N° 65 from Govt.

Fort St. George, 16th April 1846.

To The Marine Board. Commy. Genl. Dy. Mr. Genl. Adjt. Genl. Mily. Board. Medical Board. Clothing Board. Supt. of Family Payments & Pensions. Town Major. Mily. Asst. Genl. Accot. Genl.

Read the following letter.

N° 1221 of 1846.

Military Department.

Bombay Castle, 11th March 1846.

To The Secretary to Government,
Madras.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 6th December last, (N° 3526) and in reply to communicate for the information of the Government of Madras, the accompanying copies of a letter from the Military Board at this Presidency, N° 718, dated 18th ultimo and its enclosures.

I have &c. &c.
(Signed) P. M. Melvill, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.
Military Department.

N° 718 of 1846.

To Colonel the Honorable Sir G. Arthur K.C.B.
Governor and President in Council.

Honorable Sir,

With reference to Secretary Lieutenant Colonel Melville's letter N° 5349, dated 17th December last, and accompaniments, on the subject of the Barracks occupied by Her Majesty's 94th Regiment at Aden, We have the honor to submit, herewith, a report from the Executive Engineer at that Station N° 20 dated 28th ultimo, suggesting the removal of the Mats and Leaves from the roofs, and the substitution of Battle and Dab of earth, with a coating of coarse Chunam, the

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Fort St. George, 16th April 1846.

the expense of which alteration to all the Barracks occupied by European Troops amounts to Rupees One thousand, five hundred and thirty-eight, Annas ten and Pies six, according to the accompanying abstract Estimates.

2. We beg to observe that although this is only a partial remedy, yet it is probable the only measure consistent with the present uncertainty as to the permanent locality of the Cantonment that can be adopted and We would therefore beg to recommend its adoption.

3. As it would appear that ceiling cloths would add materially to the comfort of the men, though Captain Kilner states that he cannot recommend them on account of the expense, We, by the last Mail directed him to state what the expense of this addition would amount to.

We have &c.

(Signed) D: Barr, Major Genl.
Mily: Auditor Genl.

(Signed) Gr. Jervis, Lieut.-Col.
Commd.g Chief Engineer.

(Signed) J. P. Lester, Lieut.-Col.
Members Mily: Board.

Bombay,
Mily: Board Office,
18th February, 1846.

No. 20 of 1846.

To The Officiating Secretary Military Board,
Bombay.

Sir,

I do myself the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 5253 of the 29th ultimo enclosing for me to report whether any measures consistent with the present uncertainty as to the permanent locality of the Cantonment can be adopted to lessen the evil complained of in the accompaniment thereto: permit me to remark, that discomfort,

discomfort, and unpleasantness are alike experienced by the men of the Artillery, and by nearly every Officer of this Force, whose habitations are also constructed of a rude Frame work, similarly covered which does not cannot exclude the dust which is swept down from the surrounding heights, these buildings might be doubly or trebly covered with like materials, yet would the same objections exist, and the only partial remedy, I can suggest is the removal of the Mats and Cowlies (leaves of the Talm tree) from the walls and the substitution of Wattle and daub of earth with a coating of coarse chunam; yet this will as I have above hinted, only partially remedy the evil, for from the roofs does and will fall a very large proportion of very fine dust, nearly allied to an impalpable powder, to exclude which, ceiling cloths, would be requisite but this would entail an expence, I do not feel justified in recommending the renewal of the walls may possibly be attended with other advantages, namely the exclusion of much heat, and the reduction of Annual repairs to this particular portion of the Buildings, I would therefore press the measure on the Board's notice.

The expence of the alteration or substitution of Wattle and daub for Cowlies and mats to all the Barracks occupied by the European Troops, at this Station, I have the honor to intimate will be Company's Rupees 1538-10-6 Rupees One thousand five hundred and thirty-eight, Annas ten and Pies six as per accompanying Abstract Estimate.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. Kilner, Captain,
Executive Engineer, Adeen.

Abstract

Military Dept.
Executive Engr. Office,
Adeen, 28th January, 1846.

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Fort St. George, 20th April, 1846.

Abstract Estimate of the probable expense of renewing the walls of the European Barracks at this station with "Wattle and daub."

Aden, 28th January, 1846.

25,057 Superficial feet of walls to be renewed, "Wattle and daub" at 6. 2. 3 per 100 Square feet contingencies included	1538. 10. 6.
Total Company's Rupees One thousand five hundred and thirty eight, Annas ten, and Pice six	1538. 10. 6.

Errors Excepted,
(Signed) J. Kilner, Captain,
Executive Engineer, Aden.

(True Copies)
(Signed) M. Melvill, Lieut.-Col.
Secretary to Government.

Order thereon. № 1576. Military Department.

Ordered to be communicated to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, with reference to the Deputy Adjutant General's letter of the 20th October 1845, № 109, and also to other Departments concerned.

Fort St. George,
31st March, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut.-Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Dy. Adjt. Genl. Q. M. Adjt. Genl. Dy. Mr. Genl. Mily. Board. Medical Board.

№ 66.

Transmitted for the information of Government with reference to the Extract from Minutes of Consultation

of Consultation in the Public Department № 64, dated the 20th June 1845.

Fort St. George,
Med. Board Office,
20th April, 1846.

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary to Med. Board.

Proceedings of a Medical Board held at Cannanore on the 11th of April 1846, by order of the Officer Commanding the Provinces of Malabar and Canara, for the purpose of reporting whether Mr. John Bunyan of the Deputy Paymaster's Establishment at this Station, is from old age, protracted ill health, loss of sight, or other bodily or mental infirmity, disqualified for further service.

Superintending Surgeon B. Williams, President.
Surgeon Maillardet, Actg. Garrison Surgeon. Members.

The Board having assembled and Mr. Bunyan being present, find that he is in appearance an elderly man, having served in the Pay Department according to his own account 26 years, and being 54 years of age. His eye sight is defective, and his memory impaired, he has Hæmorrhoids, and complains of having had Rheumatic pains in the right upper extremity for the last four years.

Mr. Bunyan's ailments appear to the Board to be those usually attendant on natives of his age, but they are such as in our opinion render him permanently disqualified for further effective service.

(Signed) B. Williams, Supg. Surgn.
President.

(Signed) J. W. Maillardet, Surgn.
Actg. Garrison Surgeon.

№ 67.

No 67.

Fort St. George, 23d April, 1846.

No 67.

Medical Board.

23d April 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to submit for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government the annexed copy of a letter No 81, from the Trustees of the Apothecaries Fund soliciting to be supplied with an increased quantity of Stationery, on payment, to that authorized by Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department dated 3d June 1834.

Dated 16th April.

By order,

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.

Secretary Med. Board.

No 81.

To The Secretary

Medical Board,

Fort St. George.

Sir,

Government having been pleased agreeably to Minutes of Consultation cited in the x margin, to authorize an Annual supply of Stationery on Indent from the Stationery Depôt on payment at the regulated price for the use of the Apothecaries Fund Office, We now beg respectfully, to state for the information of the Board, that the quantity of Stationery then authorized and hitherto supplied, has for many years been found totally inadequate.

Since the date of the authority of Government above referred to, a period of 12 years, the duties of the Apothecaries Fund Office have been considerably increased in all their details as well as by the institution of a Childrens branch,

† Dated 3d June 1834. Extract from which was received with a Memo from the Medical Board Office under date the 19th idem.

branch, and the purchase of Stationery from the Market, beyond the quantity authorized to be supplied from the Depôt, has been found to be extremely inconvenient, We therefore beg you will be pleased to move the Board to submit for the indulgent consideration of Government our respectful application for an increased quantity of Stationery, for which purpose We have annexed a List showing the quantity authorized to be furnished from the Depôt in 1834 then on the influx state of the Apothecaries Fund and subsequently, and that which is now the probable Annual expenditure; and We beg at the same time to assure the Medical Board that our expenditure of Stationery has been regulated with economy and the interest of the Institution.

We have

(Signed) J. Paterson,

") J. White,

") J. Mason,

") J. Draugh,

") H. van Reenen,

") J. Devine,

") W. McLean,

") J. Munro.

Trustees Apothecaries Fund.

Madras, Apothecaries Fund Office, 16th April, 1846.

List of Stationery.

Articles.		Quantity authorized per Minutes of Consultation 3d June 1834.	The probable increased quantity now required.	Remarks.
Imperial	Quires	2	2	
Medium	"	6	10	
Demy	"	10	10	
Foolscap	"	9	20	
" French	"	15	20	
Quarto post thin	"	1	1	
" post thick	"	4	10	
Printing	"	1	1	
Quills	M.	100	150	
Black Lead				

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Articles.		Quantity annually authorized as per Minutes of Consultation dated 3d June 1834.	The probable increased quantity now required.	Remarks.
Rubber	Piece	1	4	
Wafer boxes	№	2	"	
— " — press	"	1	"	
Penknife — (clasp) —	"	1	2	
Eraser	"	1	2	
Pewter Ink stand	"	1	2	
Pounce	lbs.	¼	"	
Ink powder black papers	"	4	10	
— " — red — " —	"	1	1	
Folder	№	1	1	
Leads, flat	"	2	3	
Cartridge paper	Quires	1	"	
Books bound of sizes	№			Occasionally required.
Kings Arms	Quires	"	12	
Round ruler large	№	"	1	
— " — small	"	"	1	

(True Copies)
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med.t Board.

№ 2341.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
19th May, 1846.

Read the following paper

From the Secretary Med.t Board through the Adjutant General of the Army. — Here enter, 25th April, 1846, № 185.

From the Military Board. — Here enter, 6th May, 1846, № 210.

Resolved that authority be granted for the Annual supply of Stationery on payment sanctioned for the use

№ 67.

Fort St. George, 23d April 1846. 189.

use of the Office of the "Apothecaries Fund" in extract from the Minutes of Consultation 3d June 1834, being increased to the extent specified in the application submitted with the foregoing Memorandum from the Adjutant General of the Army.

(Signed) G: A: Browne, Lieut.t Col.
Secretary to Government.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) J. Hayne, Capt.n
Dy Asst. Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

To The Members of the Medical Board.

For information - with reference to their Proceedings, dated 23d April, 1846, № 67.

№ 1720.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
9th April 1846.

Read the following paper

Minute by the Most Noble the President.

Here enter 9th April, 1846.

Resolved that Surgeon Key be appointed Professor of Chemistry - and that the Medical Board be instructed to cause such arrangements to be made in the Medical School as shall leave Surgeon Key entirely independent in his immediate duty as Lecturer on Chemistry - the Superintendent of the School fixing the times for Lectures, and providing the classes, and Surgeon Key making all the necessary Reports and Returns to him - but in regard to the actual conduct of his Lectures being left to his own judgment and discretion.

2 Resolved further that the Lectures of the Professor of Chemistry in the Medical School, be open to all Medical Officers

Officers and Medical Subordinates, under such rules as the Medical Board may consider necessary - and that the Professor be at liberty to give an Annual course of Lectures at the Medical School, open to the Public, at such times as may not in any way interfere with the duties of the School, and under such arrangements as may be found advisable by the Medical Board.

3. The Medical Board will also take into their consideration the propriety of now introducing a distinct classification of the several branches of instruction in the Medical School, with a view to the Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent, in common with the Professor of Chemistry, being each nominated to a distinct Professorship so as that all may be placed upon one uniform footing.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut Col
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Adjt Genl.

No 1872.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

18th April 1846

Read the following

No 171. Political Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

17th April 1846.

Read the following letter

No 5. From Lt. H. C. Montgomery, Bart.
conducting the duties of
Resident at Tanjore.
To J. S. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir, Adverting to the Minutes of Consultation of

No 147. of the 31st ultimo, I have the honor to report for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that an interview I had with His Highness the Rajah on the 4th instant, I asked His Highness whether he had any reason to be dissatisfied with the arrangements he had proposed for the Medical duties of His Hospital, and whether He desired to make any modification of them. I informed him that I asked this in consequence of my having received instructions of Government regarding Mr. Brooking, and that now was the time for His Highness to say whether or not he desired to retain that Gentleman's services. His Highness replied that he was well satisfied with the arrangement, and that he desired to adhere to it, but that the amount he had named must be the extent of his liability. I replied that Mr. Brooking was satisfied with the remuneration proposed, but that as his acceptance of His Highness offer was to be accompanied by his resignation of the Company's service, it was necessary it should be distinctly understood that the allowance was to be guaranteed to him. To this His Highness readily assented. Having therefore ascertained the extent of His Highness intentions, I thought it improper to ask His Highness any thing about his retaining Mr. Brooking in the appointment of Residency Surgeon without charge of any kind to this Government, Mr. Brooking adheres to his intention of retiring from the Medical Service on the Pension of his rank and on the Annuity from the Medical Fund to which he is entitled and of remaining at Tanjore in charge of His Highness' Hospital.

I have &c.
(Signed) H. C. Montgomery,
Conducting the duties of Resident.

Tanjore
4th April, 1846.

Ordered

Fort St. George, 25th April 1846.

Ordered to be communicated to the Military Department with reference to Extract from Minutes of Consultation in that Department No. 1119 dated 6th ultimo.

By order,
(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

Ordered to be communicated to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) R. Alexander, Lieut Col.
Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

To The Members of the Medical Board.

For information.

No. 799. From The Under Secretary to the Government of Bengal.
To The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Dated Fort William, 25th March 1846.

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Deputy Governor of Bengal to transmit to you, for presentation to the Government of Fort St. George, five copies of the Printed Half Yearly Reports of the Government Charitable Dispensaries, established in the Bengal and North Western Provinces, from 1st August 1844 to 31st January 1845.

I have &c.
(Signed) C. Beadon,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 397. Public Department.

Ordered that the five copies of the Half Yearly

Fort St. George, 30th April 1846. 30 193.

Yearly Reports, referred to in the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Medical Board, for distribution.

Fort St. George,
23d April, 1846.

(Signed) J. F. Thomas,
Chief Secretary.

To The Medical Board. with five Copies.

Military Department.

To The Medical Board.

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to transmit herewith No. 298 of 1846. To be returned. a letter dated the 15th instant from the Staff Officer Poonamallee, and to request you will have the goodness to ascertain and report whether the late Assistant Apothecary Dickson has left any other relatives than his mother.

Fort St. George,
18th April, 1846.

I have &c.
(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

No. 275. Staff Office Poonamallee,
15th April 1846.

From Captain A. W. MacKay,
Staff Officer Poonamallee,
To The Military Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a Bill for Rupees 87 2 8. on account of the Estate of the late Assistant Apothecary Edward Dickson, which amount was lodged in the General Treasury by the Lieut. Major Fort St. George on the 10th November last, and which is now claimed by the deceased's mother Laurencena Dickson who resides at Poonamallee and request the favor of your obtaining the

№ 68.

Fort St. George, 30th April, 1846.

the orders of Government for the repayment of the above Deposit to this individual, she being the legal representative.

I have &c. &c.

Staff Office Poonamallee, 15th April, 1846. (Signed) A. K. MacKay, Capt.n Staff Officer Poonamallee.

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

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Fort St. George, 30th April, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D. Secretary Medical Board.

To Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Browne, Secretary to Government, Military Department.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 15th instant, Herewith returned. and its enclosure, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to transmit to you the annexed copy Dated 28th instant. of a letter № 87, from the Trustees of the Apothecaries Fund, in reply to a communication from this Office, from which it appears that the Step Mother of the late Assistant Apothecary D'Carlos is the only relative he has left.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D. Secretary Med.l Board.

№ 87. To The Secretary Medical Board, Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to your Memorandum dated 25th instant and its accompaniment, We respectfully beg to state that according to the records of the Secretary's Office, the late Assistant Apothecary E. D'Carlos was not

not married; and which is confirmed from information received, on enquiries being instituted. The deceased had a Step Mother residing at Poonamallee, the individual mentioned by Captain MacKay, and who is believed to be the only legal relative now alive.

We have &c. &c.

Madras, Apothecaries' Fund Office, 28th April, 1846.

(Signed) J. Paterson, (") J. White, (") J. Mason, (") A. Bertie, (") J. Draugh, (") H. van Dearlin, (") J. Devine, (") W. McLean, (") J. Munro Trustees to the Apothecaries' Fund.

(A true Copy.) (Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D. Secretary Med.l Board.

Fort St. George, 30th April 1846.

To Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Browne, Secretary to Government, Military Department.

№ 69.

Fort St. George, 30th April, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D. Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I am transmitting for the favorable consideration of Government the annexed copy of

Dated 24th instant.

No. 69.

Fort St. George, 30th April, 1846.

of a letter No. 19, from the Superintendent of the Medical School, I have the honor to state that the Medical Board consider the addition required to the Medical School, consequent on the appointment of a Professor of Chemistry to be indispensably necessary.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

No. 19. To The Superintending Surgeon,
Presidency.

Sir, I have the honor to bring to notice, for communication to the Medical Board, the necessity which is now felt for some suitable addition to be made to the building of the Medical School, in order to the construction of a Laboratory and for other conveniences required by the Professor of Chemistry.

At present there is no room in the School which can be allotted for this purpose without encroaching on the convenience of the Institution in other respects; and I have to request, therefore, that application may be made for an Engineer to inspect the building, and determine, according to present requirements, what will be the most suitable means of making the necessary additions.

It is considered desirable that a room should be constructed of about 20 feet in breadth and 30 in length, in the rear of and attached to the present School house; and to be furnished with a distillatory Apparatus, furnace and some other fixtures, as well as to be fitted with a sky-light, to extend over as large a portion of the required room as possible, so as to afford more uniform light and ventilation. It is also necessary that the Laboratory be

be protected, as far as possible from the influence of the seasons, by having a suitable Verandah erected round it, and by the doors and windows being glazed. A terraced pandal is also required to two of the doors of the School house itself.

Having thus stated the particulars of the required additions to be made to the School, I beg leave to solicit the particular consideration of the Board, that they will be pleased to submit a recommendation to higher authority for the work in question to be executed with as much expedition as practicable. At present there is not sufficient space or room in the School, even as a matter of temporary convenience to admit of suitable arrangements to be entered upon in establishing the projected course of Chemical instruction; and it is requested, therefore, as a matter of special consideration, that the sanction of Government may be solicited for the immediate execution of the work, without waiting for the lengthened time, which must otherwise elapse, by a reference to the Honorable Court of Directors for this purpose.

On the previous occasion, in August 1843, of an application for an addition to be made to the building of the Medical School, nearly two years elapsed before the completion of the work, a period which, under present circumstances, will be attended with every manifest inconvenience and which, it is earnestly hoped, means may be taken to obviate.

I have &c.

(Signed) G. Harding,
Supt. Medical School.

Madras,
24th April, 1846.

(Signed) J. Wyse, M.D.
Supt. Surgeon.

A true Copy.
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary to Med. Board.
Fort St. George, 30th April, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas, Esqre.
Sec. to Government. No. 390.

Fort St. George, 30th April, 1846.

No. 3961.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

5th September 1846.

The following papers are ordered to be recorded

From the Secretary Medical Board.

Here enter, 30th April, 1846, No. 69.

From the Military Board.

Here enter, 25th August, 1846, No. 428.

The Governor in Council observes that the late extension in the Plan of Education in the Medical School at this Presidency having met with the sanction of the Supreme Government, but, that under the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors contained in Para 53d of their Military letter No. 80 of 1837, no measures for any further enlargement of the Buildings of that Institution can be taken without their previous authority; Resolved therefore that the foregoing letter from the Military Board with the papers connected be transmitted to the Honorable Court by the Mail of 13th instant, to which their earliest attention will be solicited.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Milty. Board.

No. 1885.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

20th April 1846.

Read the following paper

From the Adjutant Genl. of the Army.

Here enter 13th April 1846 No. 335.

Under the circumstances stated in the foregoing

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foregoing report, the Most Noble the Governor in Council grants authority for the removal of the 2nd Dresser from the establishment of the Medical Department at Moulmein, and for his services being made available elsewhere without reduction.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Adjt. Genl. Milty. Audr. Genl.

No. 1977.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

28th April, 1846.

Read the following letter

From the Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

Here enter 18th April 1846 No. 339.

In accordance with the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the Most Noble the Governor in Council directs that Assistant Apothecary Fisher be discharged from the Service.

2. His Lordship in Council noticed with approbation the praiseworthy conduct of 2nd Dresser Rungasawmy No. 92 of the 28th Regiment, N.I. on the occasion referred to in the foregoing correspondence.

3. Ordered that the following G.O. be published

G.O. by Government.

Here enter, 28th April, 1846. No. 105.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Adjt. Genl. Medical Board. Milty. Asst. Genl.

No. 70.

№s 70 and 71.

Fort St. George, 2nd and 5th May, 1846.

№ 70.

Medical Board.

2nd May, 1846.

The Medical Board have the honor to report to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Government, the arrival, yesterday of Patrick Gerald Fitz Gerald M.D. by the Steamer "Bentinck", as an Assistant Surgeon for this Presidency; to forward the Certificate of his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors; and to recommend that he may be accordingly admitted on the establishment, and appointed, with reference to the G.O.G. dated the 5th June, 1834, to do duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at the Presidency.

By order,

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.

Secretary Med. Board.

№ 71.

Fort St. George, 5th May, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.

Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board, herewith to transmit a Statement of the value of Medical Stores reported unserviceable, deficient, and surplus at the Presidency and Out Stations for the year 1845/46, according to the findings of the Annual Committee of Survey.

2. The value of articles condemned as damaged and unserviceable is Rupees 475. 11. 8, and that of the deficiencies

deficiencies Rupees 350. 0. 6, making a Total under these heads of Rupees 825. 12. 2, but the value of Surplus amounts to Rupees 114. 10. 2, leaving a Net loss on the whole Stores of Rupees 711. 2. 0, or Rupees 4 7/8 per 1000.

† With the exception mentioned in Para 4th of this letter.

3. From an attentive consideration, however, of the Proceedings of the several Committees, the Board are of opinion, that the deficiencies have been satisfactorily accounted for, and that the loss from decay was unavoidable, and they therefore beg leave as on former occasions, to recommend, that the Stores reported to be damaged, and deficient, may be written off the books; that the Surplus be brought to the public credit; and that the Medical and Deputy Medical Storekeepers may be relieved from responsibility for the losses and deficiencies.

4. The Proceedings of the Annual Committee of Survey on the Medical Depot at Singapore, having been returned for correction, a separate Statement of the value of unserviceable Medical Stores for that Station will be submitted as soon as the necessary documents are received at this Office.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.

Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
5th May, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Statement.

№ 71.

Fort St. George, 5th May, 1846.

Statement exhibiting the amount valuation of Medical Stores reported unserviceable, deficient, and surplus by the several Annual Committees of Survey at the Presidency and Out Stations for 1845/46.

Stations	Committee when assembled.	Amount value of unserviceable Stores per Con.			Amount value of deficiency of Stores, &c.			Total.			Amount value of the Surplus Stores, per Con.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Presidency	20th March 1846												
General Stores	"	75	4	9	189	9	2	264	13	11	66	15	5
Veterinary Stores	"	2	13	.	15	9	11	18	6	11	1	13	9
Trichinopoly	12th January 1846	68	11	1	47	6	2	116	1	3	"	"	"
Bangalore	30th October 1845	172	10	9	"	3	9	172	14	6	"	2	2
Coimanore	4th November "	31	8	8	3	7	10	35	.	6	"	"	"
Bellary	25th " "	27	12	9	16	10	7	44	7	4	6	12	2
Masulipatam	7th " "	8	6	2	"	15	11	9	6	1	"	"	"
Secunderabad	17th " "	59	4	4	10	3	6	69	7	10	"	"	3
Nagpore	4th " "	14	12	8	58	1	.	72	13	8	37	12	8
Mondmein	10th " "	14	7	6	7	12	8	22	4	2	1	1	9
		475	11	8	350	.	6	825	12	2	114	10	2

Deduct amount of Surplus 114 10 2

Net amount of loss by deficiency 711 2 .

Fort St. George,
Med. Board Office,
5th May, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board and
Accountt. Med. Dept.

№ 2285.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

19th May 1846.

Read the following letters.

From the Secretary Medical Board.

Here enter 5th May, 1846. № 71.

As the Medical Board are of opinion that the deficiency of Medical Stores exhibited in the Statement submitted with the foregoing letter have been satisfactorily

satisfactorily accounted for and that the loss from decay has been unavoidable, the Most Noble the Governor in Council directs that the Stores reported to be damaged and deficient be written off the Public Books and that the Medical and Deputy Medical Storekeepers be relieved from responsibility on account of those losses and deficiencies, and further that the value of the surplus Medical Stores be placed to the Public credit.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Mdy. Asst. Genl. with do (to do) letter № 2059 / to be returned / Acctt. Genl. with do (to do)

№ 72.

Medical Board.

7th May 1846.

Read the following Proceedings of the Medical Board, on the application of Assistant Surgeon P. G. Fitzgerald, M.D. dated 2nd instant.

In reference to Proceedings № 70, the Medical Board have the honor to recommend to the Commander in Chief and Government that, that Officer may be appointed to do duty under the Surgeon of the 2nd Battalion Artillery at St. Thomas's Mount, instead of under the Surgeons of the General Hospital.

By order,
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

№ 73.

Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. S. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board,

№ 73.

Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

*In triplicate. Board, to transmit an Extract from the Proceedings of a Committee appointed to examine and deliver over to the Medical Storekeeper, the consignment of Medical Stores, for the use of this Presidency, received by the Ship "Boyne", having prefixed to it a Statement of articles found deficient from Wastage &c., amounting to £. 18. 11½ or Company's Rupees 10. 1. 11.

2. The Packing account of Medical Stores is herewith forwarded, in the 4th Column of which, the Gross Weight of Packages is inserted. I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George
7th May, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D
Secretary Med. Board

To
J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Extract from the Proceedings of a Committee assembled on the 25th and 28th April 1846, at the Medical Storekeeper's Office, agreeably to Garrison Orders dated 24th April 1846, to examine, and report upon a supply of Medicines, and Medical Stores received from England by the Ship "Boyne".

The cases are opened in the presence of the Committee who find the quantities to correspond with the Invoice received, except in the instances noted in the following Statement.

Deficiencies.

Medicines	Quantity	
	lbs.	oz
Acidum Aceticum	2	14
Calx Chlorinate	22	7½
Iodinium	"	3/4
Mezerei cortex	"	8
Sapo durus	2	11¼
Sassafras rad. concis	2	8

Lost by breakage of 50 bottles.
Wasted in consequence of the Bungs being forced out.
Deficient from drygage
——— do ——— do ———
——— do ——— do ———
——— do ——— do ———

Return

Return of the quantities of European Medicines, and Medical Stores, received from England by the Ship "Boyne", as found on examination by the Committee appointed for the purpose, with a Column of Deficiencies, to show in what respect they differ from the Invoices received.

Medicines.	Per Ship "Boyne" as per Invoice.	Deficiencies as per Statement.	Net quantities received into Store.	Remarks
	lbs. oz.	lbs. oz.	lbs. oz.	
Abietis resina	30 "	" "	30 "	
Acidum aceticum	203 "	2 14	200 1½	Lost by breakage of 50 Bottles.
" benzoicum	1 "	" "	1 "	
" citricum	4 "	" "	4 "	
" hydrochloricum	111 "	" "	111 "	
" nitricum	1 "	" "	1 "	
" oxalici	80 "	" "	80 "	
" sulphuricum	4 "	" "	4 "	
" tartaricum contrit	45 "	" "	45 "	
Aether sulphuricus	56 "	" "	56 "	
Ammonia sesquicarbonas	87 "	" "	87 "	
Ammoniacum gum	62 "	" "	62 "	
Antimonii oxy sulphuretum	17 "	" "	17 "	
" potassio tartras	6 "	" "	6 "	
Argenti nitras	29 "	" "	29 "	
Balsamum peruvianum	15 "	" "	15 "	
Barytes Nitras	17 8	" "	17 8	
Bismuthi trisnitras	2 "	" "	2 "	
Calamina praparata	4 "	" "	4 "	
Calcis chloridum	14 "	" "	14 "	
Calx chlorinata	3 "	" "	3 "	
Canna sennæ	65 "	22 7½	42 8½	Wasted in consequence of the Bungs being forced out.
Cascarilla cortex	2 "	" "	2 "	
Cinchona cordifol. contrit	15 "	" "	15 "	
Digitalis fol. pulvis	16 "	" "	16 "	
Cinchona lancifol. contrit	1 "	" "	1 "	
Confectio rosæ	108 "	" "	108 "	
	22 "	" "	22 "	

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Medicines.	Ser. Ship's Bogue, as per Invoice. lbs.	oz.	Deficiencies as per Statement. lbs.	oz.	Net quantities received into Store. lbs.	oz.	Remarks.
Copaiba	225	"	"	"	225	"	
Creasotum	2	"	"	"	2	"	
Creta preparata	77	"	"	"	77	"	
Croci stigmata	5	"	"	"	5	"	
Colchici cormi exsiccat	24	"	"	"	24	"	
Emplastrum ammon c. hydrarg	2	"	"	"	2	"	
" galbani	34	"	"	"	34	"	
" hydrargyri	60	"	"	"	60	"	
" picis	63	"	"	"	63	"	
Ergota	6	"	"	"	6	"	
Extractum aconiti	"	4	"	"	"	4	
" belladonnae	4	"	"	"	4	"	
" colchici cormi	1	"	"	"	1	"	
" colocynthidis comp	34	"	"	"	34	"	Jar broken, & loss the contents.
" conii	3	"	"	"	3	"	
" gentianae	34	"	"	"	34	"	
" glycyrrhizae	33	"	"	"	33	"	
" Sarzae	11	"	"	"	11	"	
" uvae ursi	1	"	"	"	1	"	
Ferri per hydrogen	6	"	"	"	6	"	
" sesqui-oxydum	16	"	"	"	16	"	
Gentianae radix	222	"	"	"	222	"	
Guaiaci lignum rad	184	"	"	"	184	"	
" resina	12	"	"	"	12	"	
Hydrargyrum	28	"	"	"	28	"	
Hydrargyri bichloridum	2	"	"	"	2	"	
" chloridum	108	"	"	"	108	"	
Iodinium	4	"	"	3/4	3	15/4	Deficient from Dy[illegible]
Ipecacuanhae rad contrit	121	"	"	"	121	"	
" radix	25	"	"	"	25	"	
Jalapae rad contrit	312	"	"	"	312	"	
Kino	7	"	"	"	7	"	
Liquor ammoniae	87	"	"	"	87	"	
" opii sedativus	4	"	"	"	4	"	
" sodae chlorinatae	9	"	"	"	9	"	

Medicines	Ser. Ship's Bogue, as per Invoice. lbs.	oz.	Deficiencies as per Statement. lbs.	oz.	Net quantities received into Store. lbs.	oz.	Remarks.
Magnesia	15	"	"	"	15	"	
Magnesiae carbonas	168	"	"	"	168	"	
" sulphas	2000	"	"	"	2000	"	
Manna	150	"	"	"	150	"	
Mezerei cortex	5	"	"	8	4	8	Deficient from drygage
Morphiae acetas	3	"	"	"	3	"	
" hydrochloras	1	"	"	"	1	"	
Oleum anisi	7	8	"	"	7	8	
" carui	2	"	"	"	2	"	
" menthae piperitae	18	"	"	"	18	"	
" olivae	293	"	"	"	293	"	
" terebinth purificat	420	"	"	"	66	"	
Pilulae hydrargyri	125	"	"	"	125	"	
Plumbi acetas	697	"	"	"	697	"	
" oxydum	6	"	"	"	6	"	
Potassae acetas	600	"	"	"	600	"	
" bitartras contrit	2	"	"	"	2	"	
" hydras	84	"	"	"	84	"	
" sulphas	46	"	"	"	46	"	
Potassii iodidum	22	"	"	"	22	"	
Pulvis antimonii comp	18	"	"	"	18		
" jacobi 13 Bottles	100	"			100		
" " Packets	13	"	"	"	13	"	
Quassiae lignum	95	"	"	"	95	"	
Quinae disulphas	117	"	"	"	117	"	
Resina fluva	110	"	"	"	110	"	
Rhei radix contrit	5	"	"	"	5	"	
Sabinae folia contrit	23	"	3/2	14	20	14	Deficient from drygage
Sapo durus	25	"	2	8	25	8	do do do
Sassafras rad. conciss	8	"	"	"	8	"	
Sal ammoniae gemmae pastae	4	"	"	"	4	"	
Scillae rad contrit	10	"	"	"	10	"	
Sodae phosphas	56	"	"	"	56	"	
" potassio tart. contrit	26	"	"	"	26	"	
" subcarbonas	26	"					

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Medicines		Ex Chief Engineer as per Invoices		Deficiencies as per Statements		Expended since last Return	
		lbs.	oz.	lbs.	oz.	lbs.	oz.
Soda sulphas		1000	"	"	"	1000	"
Spiritus ætheris nitrici		145	"	"	"	145	"
" ammonia aromat		181	"	"	"	181	"
Styrax balsamum		3	"	"	"	3	"
Sulphur sublimatum		131	"	"	"	131	"
Terebinthina chia		10	"	"	"	10	"
Tinctura digitalis		18	"	"	"	18	"
" lavandulæ comp		93	"	"	"	93	"
" scillæ		48	"	"	"	48	"
Unguentum hydrargyri fort		90	"	"	"	90	"
" " nitrat		37	"	"	"	37	"
Valeriana radix		3	"	"	"	3	"
Zincæ sulphas		35	"	"	"	35	"
Flannel	Yards	486	"	"	"	486	
Lint, fine	lbs	400	"	"	"	400	"
Pins, common	Papers	54	"	"	"	54	
Sponge	lbs	30	"	"	"	30	"
Thread, ligature	"	3	"	"	"	3	"
Tow, fine	"	284	"	"	"	284	"
Sieves, hair	№	2		"		2	
Corks, phial	Gross	112	"	"	"	112	"
Leather skins	№	548		"		548	
Pill boxes	Papers	500		"		500	
Corks Bungs of sizes	Gross	3	"	"	"	3	"
Packing Tow	lbs	363	"	"	"	363	"
Book							
Dispensatory, London	Copy	1		"		1	

Remarks.

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

№ 2209.

№ 74.

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Military Department.

№ 2209.

Ordered that the documents received with the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Fort St. George,
12th May, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

№ 74.

Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from Minutes of Consultation, in the Public Department, Dated 20th June, 1845. № 64, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to report for the information of Government, that P. Iyen Moodelly, C. Durmarogen Moodelly and P. Veriatumbee Moodelly, who receive a conditional Pension on the establishment of the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, were this day carefully examined by the Board, who find these persons unfit for further effective service, from advanced age, and defect of vision.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearce, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

Fort St. George,
7th May, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

№ 75.

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Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

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Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. P. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to forward an †Indent on the Commissary General and a *List of Articles required by the Professor of Chemistry for the use of the Class rooms, and for Laboratory purposes, which the Board respectfully request may be sanctioned by Government.

† № 2.
* № 3.

2. The Indent on the Commissary General comprises several articles which will require to be made up at the Arsenal, not being procurable elsewhere; and the List marked № 3, contains some Apparatus &c. stated to be for sale at Mr. Lowe's shop, at the English prices. The amount Rupees 82, and Annas 12 being so inconsiderable, and the articles emergently required, will it is hoped induce Government to sanction their being purchased by the Board.

I have &c. &c.

Fort St. George
7th May, 1846.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. P. Thomas, Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

&c

№ 75.

Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

№ 2. To The Commissary General,
Fort St. George.

Sir, Please to order the delivery of the undermentioned Articles required for the use of the Medical School.

Articles.		№	Admitted and ordered to be supplied.
Brimstone	lbs	4	
Tube frames of sizes	№	4	
A series of blocks of woods of various thickness	"	18	
Pneumatic troughs lined with sheet lead	"	2	
A tell of seven shelves for Chemicals	"	2	
An iron rod fixed in square piece of wood, the latter to be loaded with lead	"	2	
A pan of copper plate for sand bath	"	2	
Shallow capsules of tin and copper varying in size	"	6	
Copper, Tin and Gold foil	"	2 Book 1 Each	
A portable still with worm and tub	"	1	
Tin trays of sizes	"	4	
Small plates (white)	"	6	
A funnel support	"	3	
Plain conical Champagne glasses	"	12	
" " Wine "	"	12	
Tin water pitcher with spout	"	1	
Iron, Steel, Copper and brass wire of various diameters	lbs	30	
Tongs large and small	№	9	
Files triangular	"	1	
cutting pliers	"	1	
Wire nippers	"	2	
Cork cutters	Set	1 Set	
" cutting knife	"	4	
Heel forceps of sizes	"	1	
A small hand vice	"	1	
" bench "	"	2	
Hammers of sizes	"		

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Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

Articles.	№	Admitted and ordered to be supplied.
Iron spoons of sizes	№ 3	
Musket bullets of sizes	" 12	
Pieces of wood of the same size and figure as the bullets	" 6	
Brass dishes with sliding wire hook and spoon	" 4	
Triangles of copper wire of various sizes	" 18	
Sheet iron plate 18 inches by 12	" 1	
An iron trellis work	" 1	
An iron tripod stand with sand bath	" 1	
A piece of brass plate with 3 holes of different sizes fitted with iron rods made of soft iron	" 1	
Pieces of iron plate, one ½ inch by 9 inches and the other 2 by 12 inches	" 2	
Plates of bright copper of the same dimensions as above	" 2	
Brass stop cocks of sizes	" 12	
A round brass plate 1 foot in diameter	" 1	
Small copper cups	" 2	
—"— iron —"—	" 2	
Large sized sauce pans of iron made deep and with lids	" 2	
Strong large shop scissors for cutting thin copper, lead or iron plates or wire	" 1	
Thin copper sheet	lbs 1	
Two squares of lead size 12 inch half an inch thick and concave on the upper surface	№ 2	
A water bath made of copper	" 1	
Bergalinss argand spirit lamp	" 2	
Retort holder with arm	" 2	
6 hauffers with wooden handles of sizes	" 2	
A blast furnace	" 1	
Russian —"— of brass	" 1	

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Articles	№	Admitted and ordered to be supplied.
Iron crucibles with tops one large one small	№ 2	

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Madras, 7th May 1846.

(Signed) G. Harding
Supt Med. School.

(Signed) J. Wyllie, M.D.
Supt Surgeon.

№ 3. List of Chemical Articles for Sale at Mr Lowe's Mount Road, with the prices.

	Rs. A. P.
4 Retorts	8 " "
1 Adapter	3 " "
7 Flasks (Glass)	4 " "
1 Woulfe's Apparatus 3 bottles	8 " "
2 Wedgewood ware tubes	1 " "
1 Spirit lamp	6 " "
1 Phial containing Strontia	1 " "
1 " " " Bichromate of Potass	" 12 "
1 " " " Oxide of Chromium	" 12 "
1 " " " Red oxide of copper	" 12 "
1 " " " Black " of "	" 12 "
1 " " " Oxide of Tungsten	1 " "
1 " " " Cadmium	" 12 "
1 " " " Oxide of Nickel	2 " "
1 " " " " Uranium	2 " "
1 " " " " Cobalt	" 12 "
1 " " " Prussiate of Mercury	" 12 "
1 " " " Chromate of Lead	3 12 "
1 " " " Succinate of Ammonia	" 12 "
1 " " " Chlorate of Potass	1 " "
1 " " " Carbonate of Strontia	" 12 "
1 " " " Oxalate of Ammonia	" 8 "
1 " " " Phosphate of Soda	" 12 "
1 Chemical balance with weights warranted to weigh accurately to the 10th of a grain	35 " "
Company's Rupees	82 12 "

(Signed) Thomas Key,
Professor of Chemistry.
№ 2184.

Madras, 7th May, 1846.

(Signed) J. Wyllie, M.D.
Supt Surgeon.

№ 76.

Fort St. George, 7th. May 1846.

№ 2184.

Military Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council sanctions the Indent on the Commissary General for certain articles required for the use of the Medical School.

His Lordship in Council authorizes the purchase from Mr. Lowe of the Chemical articles specified in the list which accompanied the foregoing letter amounting to Rupees (82) Eighty-two, and Annas (12) Twelve.

Fort St. George, 12th. May, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne, Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Commy. Genl. with Indent. Mily. Audr. Genl. Acctt. Genl.

№ 501.

Fort St. George, 5th. May, 1846.

From C. P. Thompson Esqre.
Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

To The Medical Board.

Gentlemen,

Rev. Deptt.

I am directed by the Most Noble the Governor in Council to request that you will be pleased to examine Mr. Charles Monckton, a Writer of this Department, who has been directed to appear before you) and report upon his fitness for further duty.

I have &c.

Fort St. George, 5th. May, 1846.

(Signed) C. P. Thompson,
Secretary to Government.

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Fort St. George, 7th. May, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Medical Board.

To C. P. Thompson Esqre.
Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

Sir,

Dated 5th. instant. In reference to your letter № 501, I have the honor to report for the information of Government, that the Medical Board, having this day carefully examined Mr. Charles Monckton a writer of the Revenue Department, are of opinion he is unfit for further duty from general debility, partial Paralysis of the right leg and being of a worn out constitution.

2. The Board in forming an opinion on this case have had no information respecting Mr. Monckton's previous history to guide them beyond his "viva voce" statement that he has been for some time past under the care of a Native Doctor on account of an attack of fever.

I have &c.

Fort St. George, 7th. May, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary to Med. Board.

To C. P. Thompson Esqre.
Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

№ 77.

Fort St. George, 7th. May 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board

No. 77.

Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

Board to transmit herewith two Statements of Superannuation and Native Fund Pensions for 1845/46, as required by order of Government, published in the Fort St. George Gazette of the 1st instant.

I have &c.

Fort St. George,
7th May, 1846.

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Statement showing the amount of Superannuation Pensions from the Public Treasury and Native Fund through the Medical Board, and paid through the Office of the Accountant General, in the Official Year 1845/46.

Names and Designations of the Pensioners	Amount of Pension drawn in each year	January 1845	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January 1846	February	March	April	Total
Mrs. Ann Bell, Widow of the late Assistant Surgeon Bell	240	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	360
Mrs. Mary

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Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to transmit, for the sanction of Government, the accompanying Indent on the Commissary General, for a Table required for the use of the Apothecary attached to the Medical Stores at the Presidency, which the Board beg to recommend may be complied with. I have &c.

Fort St. George,
7th May, 1846.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Med. Board.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Indent on the Commissariat for the following Article, required for the Public Service in the Medical Store Department.

Article.	Required.	Received on Indent.	Remarks.
Table 5 by 3 Feet ——— № 1			For the use of the Apothecary

Fort St. George,
Med. Store Keepers Office,
5th May, 1846.
№ 296.

(Signed) J. Lawder,
Medical Storekeeper.

Military Department.

The Most Noble the Governor in Council
Sanctions

№ 78.

Fort St. George, 7th May 1846.

Sanctions the Indent for a Table for the use of the Office of the Medical Storekeeper at the Presidency, submitted with the foregoing letter, and directs that the Form of Indent contained in the order of Government № 3750 of 26th August 1845, be communicated to all Departments concerned for their future guidance.

Fort St. George,
12th May, 1846.

(Signed) J. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. with Extract № 3750.
Mily. Board with — do. Clothing Board with — do. Adjt Genl. with — do. Dy. Mr. Genl. with — do. Dy Adjt Genl. D. P. with — do. Dy Dy. Mr. Genl. with — do. Town Major of Fort St. George, with — do. Chief Engineer, with — do. Capt. of Ordnance, with — do. Commy Genl. with — do. Family Payments & Pensions, with — do. Accts Genl. with — do. an Indent. Mily. Asst Genl. Accts Genl.
№ 3750.

Military Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

26th August 1845.

Read the following letter

From the Commissary General

Here enter, 18th August 1845. № 145.

Previous to passing orders on the Indent submitted by the Commissary General for certain furniture required for the use of the Commissariat Officer at Trichinopoly, the Most Noble the Governor in Council directs that the annexed Form of Indent be adopted on this and all future occasions for Office Furniture for the use of the Department.

(Signed) J. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Comm. Genl. Accts Genl. as per Rec. 18th Dec.

Fort St. George, 16th May 1846.

Dept. No. 576 of 1845. Milys. Asst. Genl. as per — do — do — Medical Board as per Res. 12th May No. 2196 of 1846. Milys. Board as per — do — do —. Clothing Board as per — do — do — Adjt. Genl. as per — do — do —. Dy. Mr. Genl. as per — do — do — Dy. Adjt. Genl. 2. S. as per — do — do —. Dy. Dr. Mr. Genl. 2. S. as per — do — do —. Town Major of Fort St. George as per — do — do — Chief Engineer as per — do — do —. Supt. of Family Payments & Pensions as per — do — do —.

Indent on the _____ at _____ for the following exchange and supply of Articles for the use of the _____ Office at _____.

Description and Sizes of Articles wanted	Number	Number in use	Original Cost	Cost	Sum Present Estimated Value	Remarks	Description and Sizes of Articles required	Number	Cost. R. A. P.	Cost.	Number of Articles remaining in possession for which Exchange is required	Articles and Quantities to be supplied
Exchange							Supply					

Station.
Date.

No. 310.

Quarter Master General's Office,
Fort St. George, 7th May, 1846.

From Lieut. Col. Commandant W. Strahan,
Quarter Master General of the Army,
To Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Browne,
Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

Sir,

With reference to the orders of Government No. 1656 dated the 7th ultimo, I have the honor by desire of

Fort St. George, 16th May 1846.

of His Excellency the Most Noble the Commander in Chief to forward the accompanying copy of a Report from the Officer Commanding the Ceded Districts, on the climate of Ramanmalla May, and the best means of testing the same previous to the establishment of a Sanatarium on the said Hills — and to convey His Lordship's recommendation that the Medical Officers therein mentioned should be authorized to visit the proposed location for the Sanatarium at intervals of one month for the period it may be considered necessary that the investigation should last — and that Surgeon Godfrey M. D. and Assistant Surgeon Balfour should perform this duty without prejudice to their appointments respectively, as their absence will not at any time exceed a week, and their duties at Bellary can easily in the mean time be performed by the next Senior Medical Officers available, without any additional expence to Government.

I have
Fort St. George,
7th May, 1846.

(Signed) W. Strahan Lieut. Col. Commt.
Quarter Master General.

To Lieutenant Colonel Browne,
Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

No. 144.

From The Officer Commanding,
Ceded Districts.
Head Quarters Ceded Districts
Ramanmalla May, 23d April, 1846.

To The Quarter Master General of the Army,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 973 of the 16th instant, with a copy of

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of an order of Government No. 1656, dated 7th idem, and Extract Minutes of Consultation No. 372, dated 2nd April 1846- the whole of which as desired, are herewith returned, and in obedience to the orders of His Excellency the Most Noble the Commander in Chief, that I should report on the best means of fully testing the climate of Ramanmallay, I beg to state that I am not aware that any more satisfactory measure could be adopted for the purpose of obtaining the fullest information, and the most conclusive testimony on the question at issue than that suggested in the 2nd clause of the 5th paragraph of my letter to your address No. 324 dated 15th October 1845-

+ That a Board of Medical Officers be appointed under such instructions for its guidance as the Commander in Chief may deem proper to investigate and report on every point connected with the proposed establishment of a Sanatarium on the Table land of Ramanmallay.

But the selection of Medical Officers for this duty being a point of great importance, I beg to recommend that those of the greatest experience and most approved judgment may be employed and would suggest that Superintending Surgeon MacDonell, Ceded Districts be appointed President- Francis Godfrey Esqre Garrison Surgeon of Bellary and Assistant Surgeon Balfour of the 5th Regiment N.I. Members of the Board.

2.

The Board of Medical Officers so constituted to assemble at Ramanmallay as often as may be deemed necessary, to collect all the information which it may be possible to obtain, calculated to throw light on the point at issue, and extending over the whole period the table land has been occupied by Europeans, down to the date on which it may be deemed expedient, the Board should give in their Report- stating also the advantages if

if any- which would be derived by establishing a Sanatarium on the table land as well as their approval of the site already selected for a Sanatarium, or of another which in the opinion of the Board would be more suitable.

3.

It may not be irrelevant to the question under consideration to state, that having resided on the table land of Ramanmallay upwards of five weeks and up to the present date in Tents my opinion of the salubrity of the climate and its invigorating influence is such that I cannot help earnestly soliciting that no time may be lost in deciding whether in the opinion of such judges as Government may consider competent to determine the question, the benefits contemplated in my report to you of the 15th October 1845 would be realized in the event of such an establishment as was then recommended being sanctioned.

4.

In conclusion I beg leave to add that my residence here since the 17th of last month, has enabled me to select a far more eligible site for a Sanatarium, than that at first contemplated, and that I believe that which I have now selected, is the very best that could be chosen for the purpose- a copy of my letter to the Collector of Bellary to which I have not yet received a reply is herewith transmitted- Mr. Mellor and the Rajah of Sondoor are now at Ramanmallay- and as soon as I receive the reply of the former it shall be transmitted to you.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. Anderson,
Brigadier General,
Commanding Ceded Districts.

Ramanmallay,
23rd April, 1846.

No. 143.

No. 88 from Govt.

Fort St. George, 16th May, 1846.

No. 143. To A. Mellor Esqre.

Collector of Bellary.

Sir,

Having this day received a communication from Army Head Quarters, consequent on your report No. 16 of the 19th February last to the Board of Revenue, relative to the establishment of a Sanatarium on Ramanmalay, I have the honor to inform you that a residence here of nearly five weeks has convinced me of the undesirableness of placing such buildings as would be required on the lower range of the Hill should my suggestions at any future period be carried out, I have therefore the honor to request that in communication with the Rajah of Soondoor, you will do me the favor to reserve the spot of ground between the allotments of Brigadier General Anderson and Mr. † Arbuthnot, and extending to the westward as far as the Moospeth Road for the above special purpose. I have &c.

† Now Dr. Powells.

(Signed) J. Anderson,
Brigadier General
Commanding Ceded Districts.

Head Qrs. Ceded Dists.
Ramanmalay,
22nd April, 1846.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) H. L. Harris, Capt.
Dy Asst. Qr. Mr. General
Ceded Districts.

(True Copies.)
(Signed) F. H. Scott, Lieut.
Dy Asst. Qr. Mr. Genl. of the Army
Military Department.

No. 2171.

Ordered that His Excellency the Commander in Chief be requested to appoint a Medical Committee

No. 79.

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Committee as proposed in the foregoing communication the several Officers being employed thereon without prejudice to their respective appointments.

Fort St. George,
11th May, 1846.

(Signed) H. A. Browne, Lieut Col.
Secretary to Government.

To The Dy. Mr. Genl. Adjt. Genl. Medical Board. Mily. Asst. Genl. Revenue Dept.

No. 79.

Fort St. George, 21st May, 1846.

From Surgeon Lyc. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.

To F. S. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

Agreeably to the instructions contained in the Order of Government in the Public Department No. 469, I have the honor by order of the Medical Board to submit, for transmission to the Government of India, the prescribed Tabular Form, to accompany the application for a 2nd Dresser for the Hospital and Dispensary at Triplicane.

Dated 12th instant.

I have &c.

(Signed) Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Md. Board.

Fort St. George,
21st May, 1846.

To F. S. Thomas Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Application

№ 79.

Fort St. George, 21st May 1846.

Application for a 2nd Dresser for the Hospital and Dispensary at Triplicane.

	Actual charges	Year	Extra Allowance	Establishment	Remarks
Actual charges Dispensary		1842/43	"		
do	do	1843/44	1800		
do	do	1844/45	1800		
Estimated charges Hospital establishment		1845/46	"		

* Includes the allowance of the Surgeon in charge and of an Assistant to the Hospital, but not the rent of Building and Superintendant's charges for visiting the Pensioners and Servants.

Proposition

	Servants	Rent	Ground or Building
Office to which the Proposition refers	Temporary or Extraordinary	Allowance or Establishment	Ground or Building
Medical Department, Secretary's Office	Establishment per annum	Establishment per annum	Ground for Hospital
Division — Triplicane Dispensary	Establishment per annum	Establishment per annum	Ground for Dispensary at Triplicane
	24 8 "	"	Ground for Dispensary at Triplicane

(Signed) Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary, Med.l Board.

Fort St. George,
Med.l Board Office,
21st May, 1846.

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Fort St. George, 21st May 1846.

№ 538. From G. A. Bushby Esqre
Secretary to the Government of India.
To R. G. Clarke Esqre
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.
Dated the 29th August, 1846.

Sir,

Home Deptt I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter № 36 dated the 23d May last with its enclosures and in reply to state for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council that for the reasons therein alleged the President in Council sanctions the appointment of a 2nd Dresser on a Salary of Rupees 24-8-. per mensem to be permanently attached to the Hospital and Dispensary at Triplicane.

I have &c.
(Signed) G. A. Bushby,
Secy to the Govt. of India.
Public Department.

Ordered to be communicated to the Medical Board, with reference to their Secretary's letter of the 21st May last № 79, and also to the Officer of Account and Audit.

Fort St. George,
1st September, 1846.

(Signed) R. G. Clarke,
Deputy Secy to Govt.
Acctt-Genl Civil Audit.

To The Medical Board.

№ 80.

Fort St. George, 21st May 1846.

From Surgeon Geo. Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To A. D. Hoole, Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir, By order of the Medical Board I have the honor

№ 81.

Fort St. George, 21st May, 1846.

Board to report for the information of Government, that the Insane Patients, named in the margins, who have, for sometime, been under Medical treatment in the General Hospital, were transferred to the Lunatic Asylum on the 19th instant.

Gunner C. Kenna 4th Bat. Artillery.
—"— J. Conroy, Artly. Veteran Comp.y
Miss C. Narcid, Civil Patient.
Mr. Narcis, ——do——

2. The Board being satisfied from personal examination by one of their Members, that they are fit subjects for that Institution, beg leave to recommend that their admission may be sanctioned.

I have &c.a &c.a
(Signed) Jas. Searle, M.D.
Secretary Med.l Board.

Fort St. George,
21st May, 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government.

№ 2374.

Military Department.

The Governor in Council sanctions the admission into the Lunatic Asylum of the Insane Patients named in the margin of the foregoing letter.

Fort St. George,
22nd May, 1846.

(Signed) C. A. Browne Lieut.t Col.o
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board. Mily. Aud.r Genl.

№ 267.

Judicial Department.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
Under date the 7th May, 1846.

№ 42.

Read the following letter.
Madras 29th April 1846.

From H. D. Phillips Esqre
Register to the Court of
Pondycherry Adalut.

To

To E. P. Thompson Esqre
Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department.

Sir,

Para 1. I am instructed by the Judges of the Pondycherry Adalut to forward for submission to the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the annexed copy of a letter noted marginally which has reached their Court consequent on a requisition addressed to the Acting Session Judge of Madura to explain under what circumstances so large a number of persons as 115, had died in the Jail at Madura during the year 1845.

From Assistant Surgeon Mr. J. Anderson dated 3d April 1846 to Subordinate Judge of Madura

2. Adverting to the unusual mortality in question, which Assistant Surgeon Anderson appears to attribute to a certain extent, to the imperfect ventilation of the Jail wards, the Judges of the Pondycherry Adalut are of opinion with reference to the generally acknowledged salubrity of Madura, that Mr. Anderson's letter may with propriety be laid before the Medical Board, in view to their favoring the Court with the opinion they may be able to form, on a perusal of the Gillah Surgeon's address, or of such portions of their official records as may bear upon that gentleman's views.

3. I am desired to state in conclusion that the Judges have ordered the early transfer to other Jails of such Convicts debilitated by frequent attacks of illness, as the Gillah Surgeon considers will be benefited by change of air and locality.

I have &c.a &c.a
(Signed) H. D. Phillips,
Register.

Pondycherry Adalut,
Register's Office,
29th April, 1846.

From

No. 81.

Fort St. George, 21st May, 1846.

Madura, 3d April, 1846.

From Assistant Surgeon M. I. Anderson,
Zillah of Madura.

To D. R. Limond Esqre
Subordinate Judge of
Madura.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of yesterday's date, and its enclosure, I have the honor to inform you that during last year, 120 cases of Cholera were admitted into the Jail Hospital, 55 were cured, and 65 died. Of Diarrhœa 65 cases have occurred, of which 15 have died. 73 cases of Dysentery, both acute and chronic, have occured during the year, 21 have died.

In the majority of the other cases, which terminated fatally - after the patient had been sometime in Hospital, Diarrhœa supervened and was evidently the cause of Death. I beg leave to state, that, (as mentioned in my Annual Report upon the Jail to the Medical Board) I can only attribute the unhealthy state of the Jail during last year, to what appears to have been always looked upon as the chief cause of disease, among the convicts - viz: the crowded state of the Sleeping apartments rendered more so, during the past year, by the increased number of Prisoners.

Owing to the several measures, lately adopted to improve its ventilation, and more especially to the removal of so many of the convicts, from the Sleeping apartments, during the night, I have every reason to think that, in a short time, the Jail will become more healthy although there are at present many of the Prisoners who have

have been so debilitated by frequent attacks of disease that I consider - they have no chance of completely regaining their health, as long as they remain in confinement.

I have &c.

(Signed) M. I. Anderson,
Assist. Surgeon.

Madura,
3d April, 1846.

From Assistant Surgeon M. I. Anderson,
Zillah of Madura.

To D. R. Limond Esqre
Subordinate Judge of Madura.

(True Copy.)
(Signed) D. R. Limond,
Subordinate Judge.

(True Copy)
(Signed) H. D. Phillips,
Register.

Resolved that the foregoing letter and its accompaniment be forwarded to the Medical Board with a request that they will be pleased to communicate their opinion upon the subject of Assistant Surgeon Anderson's letter to the Judges of the Tongdaree Adalut.

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) C. I. Thompson,
Secretary to Government.

To The Medical Board.

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Fort St. George, 21st May, 1846.

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Fort St. George, 21st May, 1846.

From Surgeon Geo: Pearse, M.D.
Secretary Medical Board.
To H. D. Phillips Esqre
Register to the Court of
Sonjdaree Adalut.

Sir,

The Medical Board having been instructed† to communicate their opinion to the Court of Sonjdaree Adalut, on Assistant Surgeon Anderson's letter to the Subordinate Judge at Madura, respecting the causes of the great mortality in the Jail at that place, during the Year 1845 – I have the honor by order of the Board, to submit the following observations for the information of the Judges, in reference thereto.

† Resolution of Government annexed to Minutes of Consultation Judicial Department № 267, dated 7th May 1846.

2.

The causes of the great mortality are stated by Mr. Anderson to be, the prevalence of Epidemic Cholera and Bowel complaints, and the crowded state of the Sleeping apartments, from an increased number of Convicts.

3.

† For 1845. † Report on the Jail, that Cholera prevailed amongst the Prisoners throughout nine months of the year, that 65 persons died from that disease, and that 36 deaths were occasioned by Bowel complaints, being 101 out of the total number of deaths, 115; leaving 14 for all Other complaints. And it may be remarked as serving in some measure to account for the number of deaths from Bowel complaints, that when Epidemic Cholera prevails,

Diarrhœa