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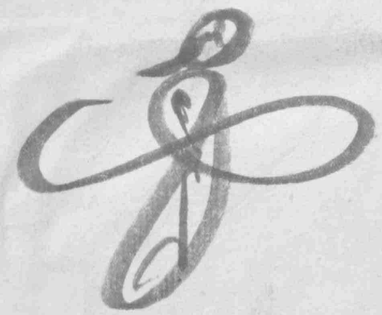

Fort St. George 8th February 1788

To James Anderson Esqr. M.D.
Physician General &
Director of the Hospitals
President &c. Members of the
Hosp.l Board

Gentlemen,

In a former letter I had the honor to communicate to you the lively Sentiments of Gratitude I was impressed with for the favor & support you had given me in maintaining me in my proper Rank and standing in the Service and which I wish ever most thankfully acknowledge.—

I have now to request that you may be pleased to forward the enclosed Letter to the Honorable Government as soon as possible which I am convinced after having perused you will see the immediate necessity of.—

I have the pleasure to acquaint you that 5 of the 6 men of the 2 Battn. of artillery whom I inoculated on the 18th Instant have taken the Small pox—and are entirely out of Danger.—

I have the honor to be with great Respect.—

Gentlemen

Your most faithful & Obdt. humble Servant

Agnd. & Nicol Maxwell
Head Surgeon

Sreehungerly
26th February 1788.—

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An Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the General Hospl. of Vellore &c.a &c.a for the Month of February 1788.—

| Disorders | | |

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Names | Disorders | Corps | Company's | Entered | Rank | D°

Thos Stevens | Inoculation | 2B. Artly | Capt. Mainds | 25th Jany | Artr | "
Thos Horrod | D° | D° | D° | 25th D° | " | 28
Edward Willis | D° | D° | D° | 25th D° | " | 21
Ralph Tasker | D° | D° | D° | 25th D° | " | "
Wm Green | Flux | D° | D° | 29th D° | " | 7
Joseph Burch | Vent | D° | D° | 18th November | " | 1
Wm Hogg | Pain in Side | D° | D° | 29th December | " | 1
George Hogg | Flux | D° | D° | 29th February | " | 18
Math Moore | D° | D° | D° | 25th D° | " | "
Wm Stevens | Fever | D° | D° | 25th D° | " | "
Joseph Burch | Pains | D° | D° | 21 D° | " | "
David Card | Flux | D° | D° | 25th D° | " | "
Dirk Degarth | Ulcer | 2 Battys | Capt Sanome | 8th December | " | "
Danl Williams | Flux | D° | D° | 26th D° | " | 4
John West | Inoculation | D° | D° | 25th Jany | " | 28
Thos Wiggs | D° | D° | D° | 25th D° | " | 28
Saml Lewis | Flux | D° | D° | 21 D° | " | 1
Joseph Thebeam | Obstruction | D° | D° | 6th February | " | "
Saml Lewis | Inoculation | D° | D° | 15th D° | " | "
Nichs Wilkin | Flux | D° | D° | 18th D° | " | "
Joseph Groomon | Obstruction | D° | D° | 29th D° | " | "
Jas Shannon | Vent | 2 Battys | Capt 1st Regt | 9 December | " | "
Andrew Morrison | Fever | D° | D° | 30th January | " | 7
John Oliver | Fever | D° | D° | 11th February | " | "
Andrew Morrison | Flux | D° | D° | 12th D° | " | "
Edward Pitt | D° | D° | D° | 21st D° | " | 25
Danl Mahoney | Do | D° | D° | 29th D° | " | "
William Spilt | Venereal | 1st B. 1st Ground | Capt Read | 24 Dec | " | 21
John Buchannon | Gravell | D° | B. | 2d Jany | " | "
Wm Baily | Fever | D° | D° | 24th D° | " | 7
Redrick Mackenzie | Vent | D° | D° | 3 February | " | 24
John Dyer | Fever | D° | D° | 12th D° | " | 22
Nichs Schooler | Flux | D° | D° | 16th D° | " | 21
Wm Dennes | Fever | D° | D° | 17th D° | " | "
Lewis Burn | Vent | D° | D° | 24th D° | " | "
Thos Wallis | Fever | D° | D° | 28th D° | " | "
Jacob Wilson | Punished | 1 B. 2d Ground | Capt Westrop | 4th January | " | 2
Thos Conyer | Fever | D° | D° | 7th D° | " | "
Danl Lewis | Punished | D° | D° | 9 11th D° | " | 7/2
Jacb Beasly | Flux | D° | D° | 11th D° | " | 20
Thos Mc Mullen | D° | D° | D° | 8th February | " | "
John Beamont | Colic | D° | D° | 17th D° | " | 25
Gerald Conner | Vent | D° | D° | 18th D° | " | "
John Cross | D° | D° | D° | 25th D° | " | "

Muster Roll of Sick in the Garrison of Saint Helena, Colonel and Captain Robert Brooke Commanding, Lieutenant and Captain Robert Brooke Commanding the Artillery, Lieutenant and Captain Henry Miller Commanding the Infantry, Lieutenant Benjamin Lingard Surgeon.

Names | Rank | Corps | Disease | Time of Admission | Remarks

Thomas Gilbert | Private | Artillery | Fever | 25th January | Admitted
Thomas Lee | D° | D° | Ague | 29th D° | D°
Alexander Cantin | D° | D° | Fever | 1st February | D°
Thomas Lee | D° | D° | Ague | 2d D° | D°

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Names	Disorders	Corps	Comp.y	Entered	Dis.d	D.o
Rich.d Rosevear	Obstruction	1st Batt.n	Capt.n Lumm	26th June		
Wm Wolen	Vin.l	D.o	D.o	16th July	F.b.y	17
Wm Jackson	Fever	D.o	D.o	6th November		
Benj.n Baxter	Ophthalgea	D.o	D.o	2d January	13	
William Curtis	Colic	D.o	D.o	5th D.o	6	
John Anderson	Liver	D.o	D.o	18th D.o	7	
Sam.l Bailey	Ophthalmia	D.o	D.o	20th Feb.y	17	
Joseph Congleton	Glanc.s Swellings	D.o	D.o	12th D.o		
Wm Curzon	Bilious	D.o	D.o	18th D.o		
Edm.d Brown	Obstruction	D.o	D.o	19th D.o	28	
Rob.t Mc Henley	Vin.l	D.o	D.o	22d D.o		
William Whitehouse	Flux	D.o	D.o	29th D.o		
William Dignam	Gnavell	1st Batt.n	6 Comp.s Artil	4th July		
John Smith	D.o	D.o	D.o	20th Aug.t	13	
Richard Rosen	Vin.l	D.o	D.o	23 D.o	11	
Wm Stephenson	Flux	D.o	D.o	24th November	13	
William Bensworth	Original Obst.	D.o	D.o	25th D.o	28	
Thos Berrod	Flux	D.o	D.o	26th December	4	
Wm Jones	Scorbutic	D.o	D.o	7th January	29	
Sgt Greenwood	Flux	D.o	D.o	13th D.o	15	
Tom Harper	D.o	D.o	D.o	5th Feb.y		
Wm Springham	Fever	D.o	D.o	6th D.o		
Gab.l Hart	Ulcer	1st Battn Artillery		20th D.o		
John Hutton	Dyse	D.o	D.o	25th Aug.t		
Dav.d Smingle	Liver	D.o	D.o	3d January	13	
Sampson Flud	Flux	D.o	D.o	4th D.o	20	
Art Bell	Vent	D.o	D.o	5th D.o		
Jno Jones	Demished	D.o	D.o	14th D.o		
Henry Burnard	Gutta Serena	D.o	D.o	15th D.o		
John Williams	Flux	D.o	D.o	17th D.o		
David Hinkley	D.o	D.o	D.o	17th D.o		
Andrew Hillgates	Asphixie	D.o	D.o	23d D.o		
George Bickford	Flux	D.o	D.o	27th D.o		
Sam.l Shout	Liver	D.o	D.o	1st February	14	
Tho.s Emery	Flux	D.o	D.o	4th D.o	3	
Sam.l Harvey	Asphixie	D.o	D.o	8th D.o	19	
John Button	Flux	D.o	D.o	8th D.o		
Thos Corfes	D.o	D.o	D.o	10th D.o		
David Smingle	D.o	D.o	D.o	26th D.o		
Peter Mc Henley				27 D.o		
William Emerson	Cough	1st Batt.n	6 Comp.s Artil	17th March		
Joseph Oswald	Ulcer	D.o	D.o	6th May		
John Hadson	Asphixie	D.o	D.o	6th December	2	
James Welch	Flux	D.o	D.o	17th D.o		
Richard Hefforn	Vent	D.o	D.o	23d D.o	7	
Neth.l Magrath	Fever	D.o	D.o	24th D.o		
Gun.r Hunneman	Flux	D.o	D.o	24th D.o	26	
Jos.h Montgomery	D.o	D.o	D.o	10th January	20	
Jno Jackson	Cough	D.o	D.o	1st February	13	
Peter Laylor	Obstruction	D.o	D.o	11th D.o		
William Hannman	Hemorrhoids	D.o	D.o	20th D.o		
	Flux	D.o	D.o	23d D.o		
				25th D.o		

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Names	Disorders	Corps	Comp.y	Entered	Dis.d	D.o
Law.e Carven	Gravel	1st Batt.n	6 Comp.s Artil	20th September	F.b.y	
James Jacobs	Hemorrhoids	D.o	D.o	22d D.o	13	
James Mc Loughlen	Flux	D.o	D.o	28th December	23	
Richard Cox	Hemorrhoids	D.o	D.o	1st January		
William Farrel	Vent	D.o	D.o	4th D.o	21	
James Mason	Hemorrhoids	D.o	D.o	6th D.o	19	
Anthony Bolls	Flux	D.o	D.o	9th D.o		
Wm Field	D.o	D.o	D.o	11th D.o	27	
William George	Liver	D.o	D.o	12th D.o	15	
Jos.h Wrightson	Flux	D.o	D.o	7th February	21	
John Furman	D.o	D.o	D.o	9th D.o		
John Bingley	Vent	D.o	D.o	12th D.o		
Tho.s Smith	Bilious	D.o	D.o	23d D.o		21
Alex.r Mc Kenzie	Cough	1st Batt.n	6 Comp.s Artil	25th October		
Edw.d Hands	Flux	D.o	D.o	16th December	19	
Stephen Humphries	Vent	D.o	D.o	21st D.o		
Chas Bishop	Flux	D.o	D.o	22d D.o		23
William Gidgeon	Vent	D.o	D.o	25th D.o		
John Bugler	Flux	D.o	D.o	1st D.o		
Jonathen Sanders	Eunicoid	D.o	D.o	19th D.o	17	
Joseph Burton	Flux	D.o	D.o	1st February		
James Bearon	Liver	D.o	D.o	4th D.o		
Sam.l Lippon	Flux	D.o	D.o	1st D.o	25	
William Small	D.o	D.o	D.o	14th D.o	19	
Rog.r Loya	Fever	D.o	D.o	24th D.o		
Neth.l Belcham	Cancrous Skull	Invalid	Benares	12th Oct.r 86		
Andr.w Reily	Paralytic	D.o	D.o	1st Aug.t		
Joseph Hughes	Cough	D.o	D.o	2d November	20	
Daniel Roserman	D.o	D.o	D.o	16th December		
John Cornish	Gravell	D.o	D.o	20th January	14	
Tho.s Coot	Flux	D.o	D.o	22d D.o	23	
Geo.e Adams	Gravell	D.o	D.o	2d February		
Charles Sanger	Vent	D.o	D.o	8th D.o		
W.m Hawkings	Ophthalgea	Revenue	Batt.n	7th February		
James Bennett	Gravell	2d Batt.n of Sepoys		12th February		
Sam.l Woodall	Vent	23d Batt.n of Sepoys		20th February		

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Corps	A.o	E.a	D.o	S.o	D.r
2d B.e Artillery	14	13	12	.	15
1st Regiment	52	28	44	3	47
Sepoy Sergeant	.	3	.	.	3
Invalid & Vet.e	6	2	3	.	5
Total	74	58	59	3	70

Abstract of Diseases

	Bilious	Colic	Ophthalmia	Cough	Ulcer	Fever	Glanc.s Swellings	Gravell	Hemorrhoids	Scorbutic	Flux	Obstruction	Asphixie	Cancrous Skull	Convulsions	Scrofula	Vomica	Ulcer	Abscess abstraction	Ophthalmia	Total
	2	2	2	5	1	12	7	7	1	1	47	10	5	1	2	3	4	1	2	0	132

A General Statement of the Sick to the Southward of the Coleroom. For February 1788

Returns	General Abstract: Remains	Admitted	Discharged	Died	Remains	Invalids	Deserted	Dismissed	Died	Remains	Abstract of Diseases: Remittent Fever	Intermittent Fever	Continued Fever	Typhus Fever	Dysentery	Diarrhoea	Hepatitis	Rheumatism	Scorbutic	Venereal	Ulcers	Wounds	Bruises	Fractures	Total
General Hospital	74	58	59	3	70	2	1	2	5	2	7	42	1	7	1	4	17	1	1	4	3	1	1	3	76
2d Battalion of Artillery	17	43	41	2	1	6	4	3			1	2	2	29				3	1	4	3	1	2	2	60
1st & 2d European Infantry	27	37	49	35	30	6	11			1	2	8	30			3	14	1	15	5	7	3	8		111
Garrison of Tanjore	5	3			8											3							2	3	8
Madura																									
Calamcottah	2	6	6		2	1										2	1						2		6
Residency of Negapatnam		4			4															3			1		4
General Total	125	149	155	47	4	120	11	16	1	2	5	3	1	4	17	103	1	7	1	7	39	4	123	3	11	1	9	1	113	52	384

N.B. No Return of the Sick has been received from the Garrison of Madura, this month

(Signed) Neil Mair
Head Surgeon

Trichinopoly 4th March 1788

A Monthly Report of the Average Sick of his Majestys 36th Regt who Absolutely require to be treated in Hospital

Coonamallee 1st March 1788

Return for the Month of Feb. 88

Days	No Sick
1st February 1788	49
8th Do.	55
15th Do.	62
22d Do.	52

(Signed) Hart. Home
Surgeon 36th Regiment

James Anderson Esqr
Physician General
and the Hospital Board

An Account of the Sick & Wound in the Hospital by Regt Return
Month of February 1788

	Remain	Admitted	Discharged	Died	Remain
1st	35	4	..	..	39
2d	39	5	13	..	31
3d	31	1	..	..	32
4th	32	1	..	..	33
5th	33	1	..	..	34
6th	34	..	..	..	34
7th	34	1	..	..	35
8th	35	2	..	..	36
9th	37	2	11	..	29
10th	27	3	..	1	30
11th	30	3	..	..	33
12th	33	3	..	..	36
13th	36	1	..	..	37
14th	37	4	..	..	41
15th	41	4	..	..	45
16th	45	2	17	..	30
17th	30	1	..	..	31
18th	31	..	..	..	31
19th	31	..	..	..	31
20th	31	3	..	..	34
21st	34	1	..	..	35
22d	35	2	..	..	37
23d	37	1	10	..	28
24th	28	1	..	..	29
25th	29	..	..	..	29
26th	29	7	..	..	36
27th	36	5	..	..	41
28th	41	..	..	..	41
29th	41	..	..	..	41

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(Signed) Neil Mair
Head Surgeon

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To Doctor James Anderson
Physician General &c.
Hospital Board Fort St. George

Gentlemen,

I have received your letter of the 25th of February informing me that my leave of absence can not be granted till I inform the Board who is to do the duty of my Station during my absence and for not having informed the Board of the number of Sick in Garrison or that have been Sick for these 6 Months past.

In reply to the first Objection I must beg leave to say, in my own vindication, that I have never been made acquainted with the necessity of troubling the Board with such information of course I did not reflect upon what now seems to be very necessary. Mr Bowie was to have done that duty. Should there have been any call for Medical assistance

In reply to the Second Objection originally made Mr Turing acquainted with the

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Return of Sick of the Sick in Hospital and Quarters of his Majesty's 52d Regt of Foot Infantry 1st March 1788

Companys	Sick in Hospital	Sick in Quarters
General Munro		
Colonel Shaw	10	1
Lieut. Shaw	5	4
Lieut & Colonel M.Gregor	8	9
Lieutenants	4	3
Ensigns & Lieutenants	4	1
Adjutants	5	5
Quartermasters	5	2
Captains	1	0
1st Companies	10	10
2d Companies	6	3
3d Companies	3	1
Total	60	15

Return of Sick of his Majesty's 52d Regiment of Foot Infantry 1st March 1788

11 Privates	
5 Drummers	
13 Corporals	
4 Captains	
1 Lieutenant	
1 Adjutants	
4 Lieut.	
6 Ensigns	
16 Serjeants	
15 Sick Women & Children	
4 Quarters Serjeants	
1 Quartermaster Sergeant	
1 Quartermaster	
1 Sentinels Sick Horse	
Total 80	

Return for March

Signed D. Drummond
Lieut. 52d Regt

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the number of Sick in this Garrison when there were any. Since the death of Lieut. Colonel Chesshyre — there has not been any, sick myself excepted. I have for these some Years past been so exceedingly afflicted with violent Headache as frequently to be confined for a length of time to my room and the smallest motion in a Palankeen almost always brings them on, for that reason I can not now benefit by leave of absence should the Board be pleased to grant it, intended to have gone to and returned from the Southward by sea, which on account of this Coast of the season is impracticable, I shall not therefore think of leaving my station this season

I have the honor to remain with respect

Gentlemen

Your most Obedt & Humble Servant

Signed William Boxburgh

Samuelcotah
5th March 1788

Fort St George 5th March 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esquire
Secy. to the Hospital Board

Sir

I did myself the honour of addressing the Medical Board on the 19th ultimo for leave to visit the Presidency, for a few days, as my private business required my attendance there, I have since understood that my letter ought to have set for the number of Sick &c. under my care, which I accordingly stated in a very circumstantial manner to the Board in my letter of the 1st Instant transmitted through the official canal of my Head Surgeon Thomas Davis Esquire, but as the roads are infested with robbers and several Sappies have lately miscarried, I shall now take the liberty of repeating to you (for the information of the Board) the purport of my letter. Viz.—
That there were no sick in the Garrison of Engelle or it dependancies, and that I proposed devolving the charge of my employ on my Sub assistant who is a sober, attentive man and well — Qualified

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Qualified to give General Satisfaction in my absence
It is almost superfluous to add my application had
the sanction of the Officer Commanding Engole

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient humble Servt
(Signed) George Anderson
Surgeon

Engole
31 March 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esquire
Secretary
Hospital Board

Sir

You will excuse the Liberty I take
of intruding upon you in the Department of your
new appointment, in which I beg leave at the same
time to congratulate you.

In the month of November
last Mr Duffin of Vellore sent a parcel of
Cuttings

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Dambros to your Board, intended for me, requesting
your predecessor would forward them to Vizagapatnam
The Physician General has since wrote me of his
intention of speaking to the Governor about a Conveyance
In the present season there will be frequent opportu-
nities, by shipping, for this place and I shall be
much obliged to you if you will endeavour to get them
conveyed to me as soon as you conveniently can

In a letter to the Board of the 2d
of August on the proposed publication of a Select
Collection of plants, I mentioned the expediency of
obtaining from the Medical Gentlemen, simply a
list of the names of such plants as they might have
it in their power to give us more particular inform-
ation concerning, at more leisure

I mentioned also my suspicion
that the Boards Circular letter of April, on that
subject had reached no further northward than to
Masulapatam This I have lately upon enquiry
found to be exactly the case, none of the Gentlemen
at Ellore, Ganjam &c. having ever had any official
information

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Information of the Invitation which was certainly by
The Board, intended to be general, for a more distinct
relation of this Matters, I must refer you to the above-
mentioned letter —

The favour I have to request at
Present is to be informed whether in consequence of
what was suggested in that letter any further steps have
since been taken If there have not, it is my intention
to wish again to the Board and in order to take off
as little of their time as possible from other business
to send a sketch of a second circular letter for their
correction inviting more explicitly a return of the
Sick of plants —

The Copy of the Circular letter of
April which the Board was so good as to send me
was lost in the storm of May last and I should be
glad to be favored at your Leisure with another Copy

I am
Sir
your most Obedient humble Servt
(Signed) Cadwick Kyllett

Vizagapatnam
19th March 1788

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To Edward Atkinson Esquire
Secretary &c. &c. &c. Hospital Board
Fort St George

Sir

Enclosed I have the honour to
transmit you a General Monthly Statement of the
Sick Lists of the Coloroon together with a Return
of the Sick in the General Hospital and an Invoice
of Europe Medicines delivered from the General
Stores for the 9 Month of February which you will
please to lay before the Hospital Board —

I have also to inform the Hospital
Board that I have received no Return of the Sick
in the Garrison of Madura for these last three
months I beg leave to refer them to the General
Orders of the 8th of July 1786 in the 9th Paragraph
of which it is ordered that Surgeons of Regiments
and Corps shall send to the Head Surgeon of the
District weekly Returns of their Sick but does
not

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not exceptionably specify that Surgeons to Garrisons observe the Rules which is the only reason I can for such omission

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Humble Servt
Signed Nicol Mein
Hospl Surgeon

Sir Edward Atkinson Esqr

Secretary
to
Government

Vellore
5th March 1788

Mr Ford Requests this Hospital Board will be pleased to procure them Leave from Government to Quit the Presidency on Some private Business had the Commanding Officers Sanction

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Humble Servt
Signed William Ford

Vellore
4th March 1788

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James Anderson Esqr. MD
Physician General and Director
of the Hospitals, President &c.a
Members of the
Hospital Board

Gentlemen,

Soon after the Removal of the Bill to the Presidency of Negapatam I did myself the honor of Suggesting to you the Necessity of appointing another Hospital Mate in his Room at the Stations and the great inconveniences we at present experience from want of Medical Assistants, obliges me again to request your Consideration on that head – the more especially as Mr Trotter has been the only Hospital Mate for some Months & has also much employment in his office of Storekeeper

In consequence of Mr Lands Removal to Tanjore I was under the necessity of directing Mr. Reid of the 1st Battn to take charge of the 2d Battn of Artillery at Wallajanagar together with the rest of the Troops at that Station consisting of 2 Battalions of Sepoys and one Regement of Cavalry that as the officers of the Latter are quartered at a Considerable distance from the Village they suffer much inconveniences

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inconvenience from the want of a Surgeons and as it is impossible for Mr Reid who is in a Bad state of Health to attend such attendance as is necessary I have to Request that you would be pleased to appoint an Assistant to the Cavalry in the Room of Mr Gifford

I beg leave also to Suggest to you Gentlemen the necessity of appointing one or two more Assistants to the Battalions of Sepoys now which being quartered on the Island of Seringham will be entirely cut off from any assistance by the falling of the Covery which may soon be expected thus Appointments I Submit myself you will deem absolutely necessary for the good of the Service, as in case a Detachment should be ordered to the field it would be almost impossible to Send an Assistant with it

The following are the only Surgeons doing duty here or nearer than Tanjore

Mr Munro & Mr Trotter General Hospital and 2 Batt. of Sepoys
Mr Reid 2 Batt. of Artillery 1 Batt. of Sepoys and 2 Regiment of Cavalry
Mr Edr. Stuart, & Mr Moore 1 Batt. of Europeans

I have the honor to be with great respect
Gentlemen
Your most Obt Servt
Signed S. Sierro
Wm Singuen
&c

Trichinopoly
12th March 1788

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Fort St. George 1st March 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esq
Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

I had the honor to receive your Letter of the 19th Instant yesterday Morning and agreeably to the orders from the Hospital Board I have this day written to Mr Ogilvie at Madeira & have transmitted to him the Extracts you forwarded for that purpose

I have now to Request that you will be pleased to acquaint the Physician General & the Members of the Hospital Board that Edward Witherston Sub Assistant died at the General Hospital here early on yesterday Morning, after a tedious & Lingering Illness of Several Months, during which he was incapable of doing any sort of Duty — and we found much inconvenience from the want of a proper Person to Make up the Daily prescriptions for the Sick in the General Hospital which upon an Average is seldom under 70 Patients and as the Hospital Board may judge it necessary to recommend to Government the Appointment of another Sub Assistant

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in his Room I beg leave to point out to them Samuel Carrington as a person well qualified for that Station & whose connexions in England may be some thing in his favor I also beg leave to acquaint them that he was Recommended to the Physician General by my predecessor Mr Whyte & by his Cousin German Mr Palk late Paymaster to this Garrison that he is Eldest Son to a most respectable Gentleman Mr James Carrington L. L. B. Chamister of the Diocese of Exeter, and that Lieut Hammond of the Artillery, with whom his family, He was Regularly educated as a Surgeon but a wildness and Extravagance of youth had induced him to quit his Relations and he enlisted in his Majestys 72d Regiments in which he has served since his arrival in India — He is now at Tanjore and has lately behaved himself so much to the Satisfaction of Colonel Stuart, that he has obtained a promise of having his Discharge, provided he can be employed in the line of his profession in the Service of the Honble Company which may ultimately be the means of restoring him to his friends, whose anxiety at his prolonged and unthinking conduct has been a Source of much Sorrow to them for many years past I am therefore induced to submit his case to the Consideration of the Hospital Board & shall esteem myself

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myself they will be pleased to join with me in their recommendation & forward this application & Letter to the Surgeon Gen.

I have the Honor to be
Sir
your Most Obedient Servant
(Signd) Nicol Mien
Head Surgeon

Trincomaloby
23d March 1788.

Return of Sick in Hospital & Quarters of His Majestys 72d Regiment Tanjore 1st April 1788

Companys		Hospital	Quarters	Total
General Murays Co		5	"	5
Colonel James Guards		2	4	6
Lieut Colonel George McKenzie		9	1	10
Captains	Saumdains	3	2	5
	Gruwalers	2	"	2
	Maitlands	6	1	7
	Glendonings	2	2	4
	Jas Campbells	9	"	9
	Jas Campbells	7	3	10
	Hugh Campbells	4	1	5
Total		49	14	63

Returning this 1st April
Monthly Return

Signed Wm Hood
Surgeon 72d Regiment

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To James Anderson Esqr
Physician Genl & Hospital Board

Gentlemen

Mr Lepper having labourd under Bilious Obstructions
for many Months and finding no Relief from the Means used here
I have Recommended him to Return to the Southward and his Situation
being such as in my opinion would render it dangerous for him
to Remain here until a regular leave could be obtained begges
on Board the Abel this day for Madras

I have the Honor to be
Gentlemen
Your Most Obedient Humble
Signed Henry Miller
Assist Surgeon

Manelipatam
March 2d 1788

Return of Sick &c. Hospital Staff &c. Royal Artillery & 52d Regiment
Admitted 1st April 1788

11	Fevers	
19	Dysenteries	
2	Rheumatisms	
3	Obstructions	
3	Asthmatics	
2	Asthmatics	
19	Catarrhs	
12	Venereals	
6	Eruptions	
10	Sore Legs & Leprosy	
2	Lues	
6	Debility	
1	Jaundice	
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Signed J. D. Ommanney
Surgeon 52d Regt
Signed J. & R. Thwaites Surgeons
Comp. 52d Regiment

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Return of Sick of the Hospital Staff &c. Royal Artillery & 52d Regiment
Admitted into Hospital from the 1st to the 29th of February 1788

	Diseases	Remaining 1st March 1788	Admitted	Cured	Discharged	Died	Remaining
1	Fevers	22	24	12	2	1	31
2	Dysenteries	24	21	13	1	1	30
3	Rheumatisms	2	1	1			2
4	Obstructions	3	1	1			3
5	Asthmatics	2					2
6	Asthmatics	1					1
7	Catarrhs	12	1	12			1
8	Venereals	1		1			
9	Eruptions	1	1	1			1
10	Sore Legs & Leprosy	3	1	3			1
11	Lues	4	1	4			1
12	Debility	3	3	3			3
13	Jaundice	4	1	4			1
14		22	24	22	2	1	21
15		24	21	13	1	1	30
16		2	1				3
17		3	1	1			3
18		2					2
19		1					1
20		12	1	12			1
21		1		1			
22		1	1	1			1
23		3	1	3			1
24		4	1	4			1
25		3	3	3			3
26		4	1	4			1
27		22	24	22	2	1	21
28		24	21	13	1	1	30
29		2	1				3
30		3	1	1			3
31		2					2
32		1					1
33		12	1	12			1
34		1		1			
35		1	1	1			1
36		3	1	3			1
37		4	1	4			1
38		3	3	3			3
39		4	1	4			1

Diseases

	Sick
52d Regiment	60
Artillery	59
Hospital Staff	62
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Signed Henry Miller
Assistant Surgeon 52d Regiment

Examined by
Signed J. Ommanney
Surgeon 52d Regt

To James Anderson Esqr
Physician General &c.
&c. &c.
Hospital Staff Board

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An Abstract of Disorders of the 3d Batt.n of Europe Infantry in the General Hospital of Vellore for the Month of March 1788

Corps Comp.d	Nations	Accidents	Belly Ache	Bilious Fever	Dysentery	Fever	Gunshot Wounds	Head Aches	Intermittent Fever	Inflammation	Remittent Fever	Rheumatism	Scald Heads	Sore Throat	Ulcers	Venereal Complaint	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Artillery																					
1st Gren.r	1	6	3	1		1			2								4	1	1		3
2d Gren.r		5	3					3	1	2	1		1			1	20	11	12		8
Capt. Burns	1	5	6	1			1		3	1						5	24	15	8		6
Lt Lewis		2	6	1			1	2			1	1	6			1	33	21	13		20
3d Comp.y		3	6	1		12	6	1	2	2	1						30	15	17		13
4 Comp.y		5	8		12	1	2		5							1	24	14	10		9
Capt. Pringle		2	5		15		11	6		2					1	1	31	13	22		9
Dr Aubrey		2	5			3	1	8		2		9					27	14	14		13
5th Reg.t Cavalry																	30	18	18		12
Invalids & Pioneers			1												5		1				1
Total	2	30	45	3	1	41	16	1	61	42	2	4	2	4	8	7	226	122	139		93

Abstract of Disorders of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry Cantoned near Arcot for the month of March 1788 from Mr James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon —

	Accidents	Bilious Fever	Dysentery	Fever	Head Aches	Intermittent Fever	Rheumatism	Sore Throat	Ulcers	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Native Officers														
Native Troopers	2	5	3	2	1	1	2	5	2	23	12	11		11

Abstract of Disorders of the 2d Regt of Native Cavalry Cantoned near Arcot for the month of March 1788 from Mr James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon —

	Accidents	Bilious Fever	Dysentery	Fever	Head Aches	Intermittent Fever	Rheumatism	Sore Throat	Ulcers	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Native Officers														
Native Troopers	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	6	6		6

Abstract of Disorders of the 3d Regt of Native Cavalry Cantoned near Arcot for the month of March 1788 from Mr John Inglis Assistant Surgeon —

	Accidents	Bilious Fever	Dysentery	Fever	Head Aches	Intermittent Fever	Rheumatism	Sore Throat	Ulcers	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Native Officers														
Native Troopers	4	6	5	4	3	3	4	29	6	64	38	26		26

Abstract of Disorders of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry Cantoned near Arcot for the month of March 1788 from Mr Peter Campbell Assistant Surgeon —

	Accidents	Bilious Fever	Dysentery	Fever	Head Aches	Intermittent Fever	Rheumatism	Sore Throat	Ulcers	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Native Officers														
Native Troopers	5	2	2	1	1	2	5	2		20	12	6		8

Abstract of Disorders of the 10th Battalion of Native Infantry at Amboor for the month of March 1788 from Mr Hugh Cameron Assistant Surgeon —

	Accidents	Bilious Fever	Dysentery	Fever	Head Aches	Intermittent Fever	Rheumatism	Sore Throat	Ulcers	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Native Officers														
Native Troopers	2	5	3	2	1	2	1	2	1	19	5	6		8

(Signed) Wm Duffin
Head Surgeon
A General

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A General Statement of the Sick Admitted into the Hospitals of the Southward for the Month of March 1788

Corps Comp.d	Remains Last Month	Admitted	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Died	Remains	Average Strength	Proportion of Sick
Artillery	3	4	1	1			3	43	1 in 14
2d Gren.r	8	20	11	12		5	8	96	1 in 12
Capt. Burns	6	24	15	8		1	6	96	1 in 16
Lt Lewis	20	33	21	13		1	20	96	1 in 5
3d Comp.y	11	30	15	17		9	11	96	1 in 9
4 Comp.y	9	24	14	10			9	96	1 in 11
Capt. Pringle	9	31	13	22		1	9	96	1 in 11
Dr Aubrey	13	27	14	14			13	96	1 in 8
5th Reg.t Cavalry	12	30	18	18		1	12	274	1 in 24
Invalids & Pioneers	1	1					1	96	1 in 96
Native Officers								3	
Native Troopers	1	3	2	2			1	25	1 in 25
Native Officers								3	
Native Troopers	1	2	2	1			1	25	1 in 25
Native Officers								3	
Native Troopers	1	3	2	2			1	25	1 in 25
Native Officers								3	
Native Troopers	1	2	2	1

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To James Anderson Esqr
Physician General
&c. Hospital Board

Gentlemen

In the absence of the Head Surgeon of Trincomalee I have taken the liberty of enclosing you a List of the Sick in the Garrison on the 1st Instt.

I have the honor to be

Gentlemen

Your most obedient
humble Servant

Signed/ Wm Roxburgh
Surgeon

Trincomalee
2d April 1788

To

Fort St. George 2d April 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr
Secretary to the Hospital Board
&c &c &c
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the pleasure to Acknowledge your respective letters of the 25th and 31st Ultimo and am Sorry that the Hospital Board cannot appoint an Hospital Mate on the Room of Mr Bell but hope they will do me the favor to remember my application as soon as the Establishment will admit of it with propriety. In the Mean time I beg you will assure this Respectable Board that no Exertion or Ability shall be wanting on my part to Leave the Duty properly and Duty executed

The Arrival of the Lord will probably save me much laborious Duty having for some time past been obliged to visit Several Patients at Wannow time a day

I am concerned to find that my Recommendation of Carrington has not met their approbation — the more especially as I had received a good Character of him from his Officers, which I was given to understand had been

Uniformly

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Uniformly Sober & decent for the last 12 Months

I shall have the pleasure to forward to you the Returns of Sick &c in a day or two Some of the Corps being not yet received from the out Garrisons. I beg also be glad you would inform me in what Manner the postage of Public letters is to be disposed as the Post Master here refuses to forward letters on Service without receiving postage

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt
(Signed) Neil Mcvir
Head Surgeon

Pondamalee
4th April 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr
Secretary Hospital Board &c

Sir

Soon the number of Sick in His Majesty's 52d Regiment a very great quantity of Madeira Wine has been used I have therefore to Request of the Members of the Hospital Board for a fresh Supply as the last Allowance was not

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not by any means adequate to the Hospital Expenditure
Their application I have to beg you will lay before the
Board as soon as possible as I am in the meantime
obliged to purchase myself

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) C. Drummond
Surgeon 52d Regiment

To Edward Atkinson Esqr
Secretary Hospital Board &c &c

Fort St. George

Sir

Enclosed I have the honor to transmit
you the General Monthly Returns South of Coleroon
for March together with an Invoice of Europe Medicines
delivered from the General Stores during the Month
which Request you will be pleased to lay before
the Hospital Board

I have also the honor to
enclose a copy of a Letter I wrote Mr Ogilvy on the
Subject of Returns together with his Answer received

hereof

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here on the 29th March which I submit to the perusal of the Hospital Board as being more Satisfactory than any Extracts I could make from it.

Mr Bell at Negapatam having been much indisposed at the time of sending off his Returns, has apologized to me for having omitted to forward any for the Month of March which appears satisfactory to me and will account to the Hospital Board for there being no Return of the Sick from that Presidency in the General Statement.

I have also the honor to enclose Lists of Country Medicines Remaining in Store on the 1st of March and 1st Instant by which it will appear to the Hospital Board that the last Supply of Madeira Wine for the General Hospital is nearly expended the daily consumption amounting to near 11 Bottles. I shall therefore soon be under the necessity of forwarding another Indent in due course.

I have further to request that you will be pleased to make my apologies to the Hospital Board, for my Delay in Sending off the Returns this Month, as the excessive heat of the

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& much exposured to the Sun by frequent calls of Duty to Morrow had given me a Slight Bilious fever and confined me to Bed for the last two Days, from which I am not yet perfectly Recovered.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient
& most humble Servant
(Signed) Nicol Maun
Head Surgeon

Fort St. George
8th April 1788

To George Ogilvie Esqr
Surgeon of Madeira

Sir

In the Month of December last I did myself the honor of addressing you requiring that you should transmit to me a Regular Monthly Return of the Sick in the Garrison of Madeira agreeably to the Rules of Government & have received from the Hospital Board, of which I sent you Extract But as you did not favor me with an Answer to that

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that letter or made any Return of the Sick from that Period, I had Reason to conjecture that you had misconceived the Gn. Os. of the 3d. of July 1786. which in the 9th Paragraph of the said orders directs that Surgeons of Regiments and Corps shall make a Weekly Returns of the Sick under their Charge to the Head Surgeons of the Districts, without exception, specifying that Surgeons to Garrisons were to observe the same which having been suggested to the Hospital Board as the most probable cause of no Returns of the Sick from the Garrison of Madura having been transmitted for the last three Months in the Several Abstract Returns of the Sick South of Coleroon I have therefore received further Instructions from the Hospital Board and am Directed to transmit you the enclosed an Extract from their Minutes, together with an Extract from General Orders dated 10 October 1786. The orders of the Hospital Board are communicated to me in the following terms viz.

"The Hospital Board therefore
"desire you to write to Mr. Ogilvie directing him to
"transmit his Weekly Returns regularly to you and Send
"him the Enclosed Extracts."

(Signed) Edward Whitson
Secretary

Fort St. George
19th March 1788

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Having thus signified to you the Instructions I received from the Hospital Board I have to Request that you will be pleased to Send me a Regular Return of the Sick under your Charge on the 1st Day of every Month as a Monthly Return will answer every purpose & will Save you the trouble & Inconvenience of Making it weekly agreeably to the accompanying Form.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Nicol Maire
Head Surgeon

Stricken off
23d March 1788
B. S.

For further Information on the Subject of Returns I beg am to refer you to the above Mentioned General Orders of the 3d. of July 1786 and 10th of Sept. 1786 - and also to the General Orders of the 12th December 1787.

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To Nicol Mein Esqr
Head Surgeon
Trichinopoly

Sir

I have received your letter of 20th Ultimo with Extracts from the General Orders in 1786 and the Proceedings of the Hospital Board in 1788

I am sorry that you have given the Hospital Board so much trouble and can only Account for your own uneasiness & anxiety about Returns of Sick from this Place by supposing you are unacquainted with my present situation and imagine that I have charge of an Hospital with a great number of Sick. I therefore beg leave to inform you that there is no Hospital at Madura

The European Officers and Surgeons belonging to the 22d Battalion Native Infantry one Lieut. of a Revenue Battr. a Conductor of Stores with eight or nine invalid Artillery constitute that part of the Garrison from which Sick Returns are made

your

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You will therefore be pleased to acquaint the Hospital Board with the above Circumstances and also inform them, that during the four Months that I have acted as Surgeon to this Garrison there has been no opportunity of sending weekly Returns the Europeans generally enjoying a good Health that little assistance from Medicine is Required It seldom happens that they are absent from duty more than two or three days for which reason you will receive the Returns as you Mention that Monthly Returns will answer every purpose they will of course be regularly forwarded

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obed. Servant
(Signed) George Gilroy
Surgeon

Madura
1st April 1788

Return of Sick in the Garrison of Madura for the Month of March 1788

Two European Officers

(Signed) George Gilroy
Surgeon

Madura
1st April 1788

To

Fort St. George 2d April 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr
Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

I have the honour of your favours of the 19th & 21st of March enclosing a Copy of the Circular Letter and return you thanks for the trouble you have taken. Some days ago I received the Bamboo from Capt. Eagle they were eight in Number; but as Mr. Duffin in his Letter advised me his having sent twenty, I shall be extremely obliged to you, if any more Remain at Masulipatam to have them sent when convenient the quantity I have is very hardly sufficient for the purposes intended. The undertaking for Mr. Duffin is on public business and I have taken the liberty of sending it to your care.

I observe the intentions of the Board when Mr. Binny shall arrive at Masulipatam and as they approve of my sending a Sketch of another Circular Letter I enclose what you will please to consider Merely as a Sketch subject to such Amendments or Alterations as the Board may judge fit. Itexpresses my Meaning but I am unacquainted with official forms. I only beg that it may be so Managed as to circulate of course to every Medical individual in the subordinate Settlements as well as at Head

I remain
Sir
Your most obedient humble Servt
Signed Pat. Russell

Vizagapatam
10th April 1788

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To Edward Atkinson Esqr
Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

Enclosed I have the Honor to transmit you an Indent for Country Medicines that are immediately wanted for the use of the General Hospital & Sick on this Garrison which I have to Request you will lay before the Hospital Board and hope they will be pleased to give orders that it be complied with as soon as convenient so that they may reach this Place before the Rains be fallen. The last Supply of Madeira being intirely expended I am under the Necessity of Administring Port to all Cases in the Hospital that require Wine.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
Signed Nicol Meire
Head Surgeon

Visakhapatnam
10th April 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr
Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

Enclosed I have the honor to transmit an Indent for Country Medicines wanted by Mr. Stewart Surgeon of the 1st Regt European Infantry which you will be pleased to lay before the Hospital Board for their approbation & to Request that they may be pleased to order the Articles to be sent with all convenient Expedition as the Regiment is daily expected to march on actual Service.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most obedient Servant
Signed Nicol Meire

Visakhapatnam
12th April 1788

Fort St. George 2d April 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr.
Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

Enclosed I have the honor to transmit you an Indent for Country Medicines Sent me this Morning by Mr. Reid doing duty with the 2d Battalion of Artillery together with a Letter on the Subject to the Medical Storekeeper which you will be pleased to lay before the Hospital Board for their Approbation

The Battalion having been on orders since yesterday to hold themselves in Readyness for encamping I have been under the Necessity of detaining the Senior Hospital Mate to provide him with such Articles as he is allowed to provide on Emergencies which I hope will meet the Approbation of the Hospital Board and in the meantime I hope they will be pleased to order the Indent to be Complied with as

Soon

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Soon as possible

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
Signed Nicol Maxwell
Hospt Surgeon

Transcript
13th April 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr.
Secretary to the Hospital Board

Sir

Having particular Business
which Requires my attendance at Cudalore
I have obtained the consent of Lieut Colonel Flem-
=ming for applying to the Hospital Board
for Twenty Days leave of absence from the
14th Instant and Request you will oblige me
in communicating their answer without loss
of time

Sam
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servant
Signed Jos. Addenbrooke
Surgeon 1st Batt Artillery

To

Commencement at the Mount
April 15th 1788

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To Edward Atkinson Esqr

Secretary Hospital Board

&c &c &c

Fort St. George

Sir

Mr John Campbell Assistant Surgeon to the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry having obtained Leave Commanding Officers permission, Requests leave of the Hospital Board to visit the Presidency for one Month

I am,
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) William Duffus
Head Surgeon
& Genl

Vellore
April 24th 1788

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A General abstract of Disorders of the Sick in the General Hospitals of Vellore &c &c &c for the Month of April 1788.

Corps	Companies	Disorders	Admitted	Remaining	Cured	Invalided	Died	Deserted	Remaining	Total	Entered	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Artillery		Invalids		2	1				3	5	1	2		2
1st Battalion Sepoys	1st Grenadier Company		2	3	1	1	1		5	21	14	7		14
	Captain Bowes		1	5	6	1			9	32	13	10		16
	Captain Towers		2	3	2	1	1	1	3	28	17	13		9
	Third Company		10	1	2	3			9	26	16	14		7
	Fourth Company		6	1	6	1	2		4	23	10	11		12
	Captain Brooks		3	3	4	6	1		6	24	12	10		14
	Captain Aubrey		4	2	4	2	1	2	6	16	11	3		13
	2d Grenadier Company		2	1	6	1	1		3	1	1			1
3d Regiment of Cavalry										2		1		1
Invalids & Pensioners									1					
Total			30	21	31	16	5	6	64	205	110	106	1	97

An Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcott for the month of April 1788

From Mr James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon

5th Regt Native Cavalry		4	2	1	1	2	2	1	20	4	4		16	

An Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 5th Regt of Native Cavalry near Arcott for the month of April 1788

From Mr James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon

5th Regt Native Cavalry		4	2	1	1	3	2	1	23	3	3		18	

An Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 5th Regt of Native Cavalry near Arcott for the month of April 1788

From Mr Wm Scrigles Assistant Surgeon

5th Regt Native Cavalry		2	3	1	2	4	12	2	2	2			10	

An Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 5th Regt of Cavalry near Arcott for the month of April 1788

From Mr John Campbell Assistant Surgeon

5th Regt Native Cavalry		2	2	4	2	2	4	20	5	5			12	

An Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 5th Regt of Native Cavalry at Arcott for the month of April 1788

From Mr James Cameron Assistant Surgeon

5th Regt Native Cavalry		2	1	2	0	8	4	21	0	0	0		13	

Signed W. Duffus
Head Surgeon

Monthly Return of the Sick in the District of Fort St. George 2d April 1788

Sick on the District of Fort St. George & Garrison

General Hospital

Officers

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Fort St. George 2d April 1788

Return of Sick, Wounded, Deserters, Prisoners, Absentees, Artificers, Drummers, Pioneers, Washermen, Women, Children, Servants, Guards, Artillery, Cavalry, Infantry, Total

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To Doctor James Anderson
Physician General &c Members of the
Hospital Board

Fort St. George

Gentlemen

I had the Honor to Receive your Secretary's letter of the 24th instant and shall agreeable to your desire immediately forward copies of that address to the Several Surgeons and Assistant Surgeons of the different Stations under this General Hospital. It will afford me particular pleasure to take the earliest opportunity of transmitting to you any Communications that may in Consequence be made to me on so right a subject and to forward the Plan you have been pleased to Recommend by every Means in my power.

I have the Honor to be most
Gentlemen
Your most Obedt
and very Humble Servt
[Signed] George Bevey
Head Surgeon

Masulipatam
30th April 1788

To

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Fort St. George 1st May 1788

To Doctor James Anderson
Physician General and Members of the
Hospital Board

Gentlemen,

The Sixth Battalion to which I belong being now detatched from the Southern Division being ordered to compose the Garrison of Arnee I shall be obliged to you to inform me to whom I am in future to Report the State of the Battalion, & who is to furnish me with Bazar Medicines &c.

I have the Honor to enclose for your Inspection a List of Medicines, which I delivered over to Mr. Muir Head Surgeon Previously which I had indented for on account of the Battn but they not having arrived until some time after we had been on a Detachment the Uncertainty of our Situation always prevented my sending for them, and Mr. Muir having written me that they were beginning to sell, and returning me to leave them with him, I agreed to his proposal.

I have

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A few Weeks ago I applied to Mr Dossor Vellore for a very few Articles which I stood much in Want of, except which to supply the Battalion and indeed the whole Detatchment I was then furnished with Bazar Medicines, Wine, Spirits &c. &c. even since the 1st Augt 1787. — I hope therefore the Inclosed Bill will not be deemed unreasonable. —

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your most Obedient Servt

Signed Peter B Lowrie

Assistant Surgeon 73rd

To Edward Atkinson Esqr

Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

Inclosed I have the Honor to transmit a General Statement of the Sick South of the Coleroon, together with a Return of the Sick in the General Hospital and on Service of Medicines delivered from the General Stores for the Month of April. — which I have to request you will be pleased to lay before the Hospl Board. —

Please to acquaint them that I have received the Bills relative to Dr Campbells Salary for publication

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publication of India Plants and agreeably to their Orders I have such Copies of the same to the Surgeons and Assistant Surgeons on this Detached

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obed. Servant

Signed Reed. Mein.

Head Surgeon

Trichinopoly

6th May 1788

Edward Atkinson Esqr

Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

Inclosed I have the honor to transmit Invoices from Mr Reid for certain Articles for Cowdy. Medicines for the Regimental Mate of the 1st Battalion of Native Infantry together with a letter to the Apothecary, which you will please to lay before the Hospital Board for their Approbation

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Obedient Servant

Signed Reed Mein

Head Surgeon

Trichinopoly

10th May 1788

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To Edward Atkinson Esqr

Secretary to the Hospital Board

Sir

I have the honor to enclose you Invoices for European and Country Medicines for the use of the Garrisons of Ongole, Nellore & Palmaud which I beg you will do me the favor of laying before the Hospital Board

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedt Servt

(Signed) George Anderson

Surgeon

Ongole 12th May 1788

To James Anderson Esqr M.D.

President of the Hospital Board &c. &c. &c. Members

Gentlemen

As the ill state of health I experienced at Masulipatam for the greater part of time I was there gives me cause to believe that my Return to Europe would bring on a Repetition of my former Complaints, I therefore request you will be pleased to dispense me to the General Hospital here I have the honor to be Gentlemen your most obedt Servant

Madras
26th May 1788

signed George Lesper
Hospl Mate

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To Edward Atkinson Esqr

Secretary Hospital Board

Fort St George.

Sir

Enclosed I send you a list of the Instruments with their Prime Cost for the information of the Hospital Board

I am
Sir
Your Most obedt Servant
(Signed) J Duncan
Asst Surgeon
to the Bata. N.I.

Wallajanabad
27th May 1788

List of Surgeons Instruments

One compleat set of Amputating Instruments } in two Cases
Do of Trepanning Do }

A Case containing
Two Bullet Forceps
Shot wound Probe
Two Probangs
Crooked Scissars Large
Two Trocars
Catheters two
Tooth Instruments
Double Pipe Syringe

Makers name Hegden

Prime Cost 12 Guineas

(Signed) J Duncan
Asst Surgeon

Fort St. George 5th May 1788

To Doctor James Anderson

Physician General &c &c Members of the

Hospital Board

Gentlemen

Mr. Bowie having requested I would apply to your Board for three Months leave of absence to settle his private affairs at Ingeram if it is not detrimental to the public service I beg leave to Recommend his application to your favorable attention, and have the honor to be with much Respect

Gentlemen

Your Most Obedient and very humble Servant

Signed George Binny

Masulipatam
30th May 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr

Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

I have this day had the honor to Receive your letter of the 27th Instant and in obedience to the orders of the Hospital Board shall take special

Fort St. George 5th May 1788

Came to countersign all Indents for Medicines that may be forwarded through me from any of the Surgeons or Assistant Surgeons on this District Enclosed I transmit Mr. Rees Indent with my Signature annexed — I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most obedient Servant

Signed Neil Mcvie

Head Surgeon

Trichinopoly
5th May 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr

Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

I have the honor to enclose you a letter addressed to the Hospital Board from Mr. Sub Assistant to the 4th Regiment of Cavalry

I am

Sir

Your Most obedient & Humble Servant

Signed J Gahagan

Vellore
the 4th June 1788

To

Fort St. George 1st May 1788.

To James Anderson Esqr.

Physician General &c.

Hospital Board

Gentlemen

Having some particular Business to transact at the Presidency I am granting me one Months leave will be returned a particular

Gentlemen

Your Most Obedient &
Humble Servant

Signed John Inglis
Assistant Surgeon
4th Regiment Cavalry

Arcot
3d June 1788

General

Fort St. George 1st May 1788

A General Abstract of Disorders of the Sick in the General Hospital at Vellore &c &c &c for the month of May 1788

Disorders	Intermit.	Accident	Fever	Dysentery	Cholera	Convulsion	Epilepsy	Hysteria	Hemorrhoides	Ulceration	Leprosis	Rheumatism	Sore Eyes	Sore Legs	Sore Feet	Burns	Dropsy	Venereal	Sore Throat	Worms	Fistula	Scurvy	Jaundice	Scalled Heads	Do Knee	Cough	Wounds	Total	Total	Cured	Discharged	Remains
Artillery				1												1					1							3	1	2		
1st Bn 6 Co		3	2				32						2	6	1	2	1			1		1	1	2	27	12	17		11
2d Bn Do		2	4		2	1	1							5		2		1		1				2	22	10	14		8
3 Bn 6 Co		1	2		1		21							8	1	2			1		2			2	32	13	18		14
1st Dn Bn		7	5		3	2	1		1		1			5			1								26	11	16		10
2d Dn Bn		7	2		1			2	1				2	5		1									22	6	12		14
4th Dn Bn		2	4		2	1							1	3											5	2	7		10
5th Dn Bn		2	3		2	1		3	2				1	6						1					24	12	11	2	10
6th Dn Bn		3	2		0		1	22			1		1	6		1				2					25	10	12		14
3 Regt Cavt													5												1				1
2d Bn N.I.			1				1																		1				1
Total		24	27	6	6	6	98	4	2	1	1	5	3	45	2	8	2	1	1	4	2	3	1	1	182	74	117	4	91

An abstract of Sick Soldiers in 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry at Arcot for the month of May 1788

From Mr Saml Ramsay Assistant Surgeon

	Intermit.	Accident	Fever	Dysentery	Cholera	Convulsion	Epilepsy	Hysteria	Hemorrhoides	Ulceration	Leprosis	Rheumatism	Sore Eyes	Sore Legs	Sore Feet	Burns	Dropsy	Venereal	Sore Throat	Worms	Fistula	Scurvy	Jaundice	Scalled Heads	Do Knee	Cough	Wounds	Total	Total	Cured	Discharged	Remains
Cavalry		1																							1			1			1
Artillery																															
Pioneers																															
Lascars																															
Bullocks																															
Total		1																							1			1			1

An abstract of Sick Soldiers in 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry at Arcot for the month of May 1788

From Mr Saml Ramsay Assistant Surgeon

	Intermit.	Accident	Fever	Dysentery	Cholera	Convulsion	Epilepsy	Hysteria	Hemorrhoides	Ulceration	Leprosis	Rheumatism	Sore Eyes	Sore Legs	Sore Feet	Burns	Dropsy	Venereal	Sore Throat	Worms	Fistula	Scurvy	Jaundice	Scalled Heads	Do Knee	Cough	Wounds	Total	Total	Cured	Discharged	Remains
Cavalry																															
Artillery																															
Pioneers																															
Lascars																															
Bullocks																															
Total																															

An abstract of Sick Soldiers in 1st Battalion of Native Infantry at Arcot for the month of May 1788

From Mr Saml Cameron Assist. Surgeon

	Intermit.	Accident	Fever	Dysentery	Cholera	Convulsion	Epilepsy	Hysteria	Hemorrhoides	Ulceration	Leprosis	Rheumatism	Sore Eyes	Sore Legs	Sore Feet	Burns	Dropsy	Venereal	Sore Throat	Worms	Fistula	Scurvy	Jaundice	Scalled Heads	Do Knee	Cough	Wounds	Total	Total	Cured	Discharged	Remains
Cavalry																															
Artillery																															
Pioneers																															
Lascars																															
Bullocks																															
Total																															

An abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 4th Regiment of Cavalry near Arcot for the month of May 1788

From Mr John Inglis Assistant Surgeon

	Intermit.	Accident	Fever	Dysentery	Cholera	Convulsion	Epilepsy	Hysteria	Hemorrhoides	Ulceration	Leprosis	Rheumatism	Sore Eyes	Sore Legs	Sore Feet	Burns	Dropsy	Venereal	Sore Throat	Worms	Fistula	Scurvy	Jaundice	Scalled Heads	Do Knee	Cough	Wounds	Total	Total	Cured	Discharged	Remains
Cavalry		1	2		1		2							1														7	4	2		1
Artillery																															
Pioneers																															
Lascars																															
Bullocks																															
Total		1	2		1		2							1														7	4	2		1

Signed J. Gahagan
Attend. Surgeon

Fort St. George 1st May 1780

Abstract

Remarks from 1st to 15th

Absentees & Sick Furloughs

Return of the Sick on the Establishment of Subsistence for 1780 and Casualties

Fort St. George 1st May 1780

Casts

Effective, Artillery
2d Battalion Coast Infantry
Artillery Corps Lascars
Infantry Do
Do Do
Do Do
Do Do
Do Do
Do Do
Invalids

Total

Absent with Leave
Sick in Hospital
Do in Quarters
Do in Camp
Do at Sea
Do at Outposts
Do at Detachments
Do at Garrisons
Do at Prisoners
Do at Furloughs
Do at Deserters
Do at Mutineers
Do at Runaways
Do at Absentees
Do at Sick
Do at Dead
Do at Discharged
Do at Invalids
Do at Casualties

Total

Artillery
Coast Infantry
Artillery Lascars
Invalids

Total

Fort St. George 1st May 1780

Remarks from 1st to 15th

Abstract

Absentees & Sick Furloughs

Effective, Artillery
2d Battalion Coast Infantry
Artillery Corps Lascars
Infantry Do
Do Do
Do Do
Do Do
Do Do
Do Do
Invalids

Total

Absent with Leave
Sick in Hospital
Do in Quarters
Do in Camp
Do at Sea
Do at Outposts
Do at Detachments
Do at Garrisons
Do at Prisoners
Do at Furloughs
Do at Deserters
Do at Mutineers
Do at Runaways
Do at Absentees
Do at Sick
Do at Dead
Do at Discharged
Do at Invalids
Do at Casualties

Total

Artillery
Coast Infantry
Artillery Lascars
Invalids

Total

Returned Statement of the Sick & the Casualties &c. May 1780

Sent to Quarter Master Genl. 1st May 1780

Returned Abroad

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To Edward Atkinson Esq.

Secretary &c &c &c Hospital Board

Fort St. George

Sir

Enclosed I have the Honor to trans-
-mit a General Statement of the Sick in this Dist-
-rict together with a Return of the Sick in the Several
Hospital and a Return of Europe Medicines delivered
from the General Stores for the Month of May which
you will be pleased to lay before the Hospital Board

I have also to Request that you will
do me the favor to acquaint me if any allowance be
made by Government for a writer to the Head Surgeons
of Districts and beg Leave to suggest to the Consideration
of the Hospital Board the propriety of such an —
allowance which I hope they may be pleased to concur
in, & Recommend to Government the more especially
as a great deal of writing in making Returns & —
forwarding letters to the Different Surgeons and —
Assistants is annexed to the Office, and further —
I beg their permission to suggest to their Consideration

the

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the propriety of leaving two or four of the Company's Lascars with the Head Surgeon to assist in pounding the Mortar, & in distributing Medicines to the Officers in Garrison & Contonment the Servants employed at the Dispensary being but Barely sufficient to perform the Necessary Duty of the General Hospital whereby no Extra Expence will be incurred by the Honble Company

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed. Servant
[Signed] Neil Mein
Head Surgeon

Choultry
6th June 1788

To

Sir

Mr Steele Surgeons Mate of the 36th Regiment has informed me that you intend to Recommend him for the post of Surgeons Assistant in the Company Service, but that it is previously necessary

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necessary that I should signify my Consent to his leaving the 36th Regiment

From Mr Steeles general Character and from his Skill and Diligence I would be very sorry to take any other Measure than such as would conduce to forward his Views in Life — but was he at present to leave the 36 Regiment either Horse would not alone be able to take proper Care of the Men — I therefore request in the event of his Appointment that you would be so good as to permit him to remain for three Months with the 36 — to give him time to provide himself with a Mate

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed. Servant
[Signed] John Knox

Egmaille
6th June 1788

To James Anderson Esqr
Physician General President & the Members
of the Medical Board

Gentlemen

As Surgeons Assistants are at present wanted for the Honble Company's Service I beg leave to make an offer of my Service

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I arrived in India nearly two years ago and was then received in to His Majestys 36 Regiment of Foot as Surgeons Mate in which Capacity I have acted ever since — The inclosed Letter from the Honble Colo Knox Commanding Officers of that Corps will show you that I quit it with his concurrence. I have had the Honor while under his command to have acquitted myself to the intire Approbation of the Officers and Surgeon — and if you are pleased to appoint me in the Honble Companys Service it will be my Study to prove a Zealous and attentive Servant My Education in my profession has been perfectly Regular I attend the Different Professors at Edinr for seven years and I am now Ready to undergo any examination you may think proper

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen
Your most Obedt & Faithful Servant
[Signed] James Steel

To

Board of Medical Examiners
Madras
16th June 1788

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To James Anderson Esqre
Physician General &c
Medical Board.

Gentlemen,

It is with heavy Concern that I am obliged to inform you of a Return in my Complaint for which I had the Operation performed on the Person of Mr Lucas & lament on that Account alone the painfull Situation I am in to Attend the Hospital your Abilities as a Physician & the knowledge of my Disorder joined with your Humanity will enable you to plead in my favor to obtain the Indulgence to Remain upon my Pay without the Fatigue of attending the Hospital as it will in the Issue prove my Death, I was flattered when the 10 Pagodas per Month was given to me and was purely for my long & Faithfull Services and I pray that the Gentlemen Composing the Medical Board will take it in the View. I have exposed myself assuring them I shall ever be Ready to acknowledge the Debt I owe to their charitable Determination

I am
Gentlemen
With the utmost Respect
Your Most Obedt Humble
Servant
[Signed] Dr Vansoolster Plaza

Madras
16th June 1788

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A General abstract of Disorders of the Sick in the General Hospl. &c. of Sellore &c. &c. for the month of June 1788

Disorders

Corps	Company	Accidents	Ague & Fever	Angle Fever	Asthma	Bloody Flux	Dropsy	Dysentery	Head Ache	Hepatitis	Hernia	Jaundice	Inflammation	Intermittent Fever	Liver Complaint	Obstruction	Rheumatism	Remittent Fever	Scurvy	Sore Eyes	Sore Throat	Stone & Gravel	Venereal	Wounds	Total	Entered	Discharged	Died	Remains
2d Battalion	1st Grenadrs	7	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	3	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	19	7	-	17
	2d Grenadrs	2	-	-	-	5	1	1	1	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	7	6	-	1
	1st B.C.	3	1	-	-	6	-	2	1	-	2	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	23	8	9	-	14
	B. 1st Pe	4	-	1	-	1	4	-	-	1	5	-	1	2	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	24	12	14	-	10
	3d Pe	5	-	1	-	1	-	4	-	3	-	3	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	7	11	-	9
	4th Pe	5	-	3	1	3	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	9	6	-	12
	5 Pe	2	-	-	-	4	1	-	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	9	7	-	12
	6 Pe	4	-	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	10	11	-	13
Artillary		-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
5th B. 1st B		-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
25th B. 1st		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
		8	1	12	2	224	7	14	2	22	9	14	5	4	1	2	5	4	2	2	2	1	2	-	172	75	74	-	123

Abstract of Disorders of Sick Soldiers in the Hospital of Arcot for the Months of June 1788 2d B.C. Infantry

From Mr. A. Thompson Surgeon

Battalion	Accidents	Ague & Fever	Angle Fever	Asthma	Bloody Flux	Dropsy	Dysentery	Head Ache	Hepatitis	Hernia	Jaundice	Inflammation	Intermittent Fever	Liver Complaint	Obstruction	Rheumatism	Remittent Fever	Scurvy	Sore Eyes	Sore Throat	Stone & Gravel	Venereal	Wounds	Total	Entered	Discharged	Died	Remains
2d	1	6	5	7	7	1	6	1	1	2	1	2	1	4	2	2	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	23	14	12	1	12

Abstract of Disorders of Sick on the 1st Regiment Cavalry at Arcot for the month of June 1788

From Mr. James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon

	2	2	11	-	1	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	5	6	-	16

Abstract of Sick Soldiers in 4th Regiment N. Cavalry at Arcot for the month of June 1788

From Mr. John Inglis Assistant Surgeon

1	1	1	5	1	3	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	4	5	-	12

Abstract of Sick on 5th Regiment 1st Cavalry at Arcot for the month of June 1788

From Mr. James Ramsay Assist. Surgeon

1	-	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	4	2	-	12

Abstract of Sick on 3d Regiment 1st Cavalry at Arcot for the month of June 1788

From Mr. James Ramsay Assist. Surgeon

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Abstract of Sick on 1st Battalion 1st N. S. Carnatic for the Month of June 1788

From Mr. James Cameron Assistant Surgeon

1	2	4	3	1	5	4	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	2	4	-	11

Signed J. Cheyne
Surgeon

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A General Statement of the Sick in the Coleroon Southward of the Coleroon Fort June 1788

Abstract of Diseases

Corps	Stations	Hospital	Accidents	Ague & Fever	Angle Fever	Asthma	Bloody Flux	Dropsy	Dysentery	Head Ache	Hepatitis	Hernia	Jaundice	Inflammation	Intermittent Fever	Liver Complaint	Obstruction	Rheumatism	Remittent Fever	Scurvy	Sore Eyes	Sore Throat	Stone & Gravel	Venereal	Wounds	Total	Entered	Discharged	Died	Remains
	Trichinopoly		1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
	Madura		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dindigul		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Palamcottah		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Tuticorin		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Caveripatam		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Ramnad		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Tanjore		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Negapatam		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Chilambi		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Fort St. David		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cuddalore		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Chillambrum		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Porto Novo		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sadras		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Chingleput		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Poonamallee		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Arnee		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Vellore		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Ambore		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Trinomalee		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Wandewash		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Carangoly		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Permacoil		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Arcot		8	1	12	2	224	7	14	2	22	9	14	5	4	1	2	5	4	2	2	2	1	2	-	172	75	74	-	123
	Chittoor		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Return of the Militia in the Several Divisions and Brigades of the County of Essex on the 9th June 1798

Regiments

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Return of Sick and Wounded Prisoners of War in the Custody of Major General Sir Alexander Leith Commanding the Forces in the Island of Antigua and its Dependencies from the 25th June to the 31st July 1782

By Lt. Robert Ross Deputy Commissary of Prisoners

Regiments	Sick in Hospital	Sick in Quarters	Total
1st Battalion Royal Regiment of Artillery	1	1	2
1st Battalion 4th or King's Own Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 5th or Northumberland Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 9th or East Norfolk Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 12th or East Suffolk Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 15th or East Yorkshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 17th or Leicestershire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 21st or Royal North British Fusileers	1	1	2
1st Battalion 22d or Cheshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 23d or Royal Welch Fusileers	1	1	2
1st Battalion 27th or Inniskilling Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 28th or North Gloucestershire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 29th or Worcestershire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 30th or Cambridgeshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 31st or Huntingdonshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 38th or 1st Staffordshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 40th or 2d Somersetshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 46th or South Devonshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 49th or Hertfordshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 52d or Oxfordshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 54th or West Norfolk Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 56th or West Essex Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 57th or West Middlesex Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 63d or West Suffolk Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 64th or 2d Staffordshire Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 70th or Surrey Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 82d or Prince Edward's Volunteers	1	1	2
1st Battalion 83d or County of Dublin Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 84th or York & Lancaster Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 85th or Bucks Volunteers	1	1	2
1st Battalion 87th or Prince of Wales's Own Irish Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 88th or Connaught Rangers	1	1	2
1st Battalion 89th or Princess Victoria's Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 90th or Perthshire Volunteers	1	1	2
1st Battalion 91st or Argyleshire Highlanders	1	1	2
1st Battalion 92d or Gordon Highlanders	1	1	2
1st Battalion 94th or Scots Brigade	1	1	2
1st Battalion 97th or Queen's Own Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 98th or Prince of Wales's Own Regiment	1	1	2
1st Battalion 99th or Duke of Edinburgh's Regiment	1	1	2
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Return of Sick of His Majesty's 52d Regiment for the month of June 1788 Inclusive

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Fevers																															28				28
Rheumatism Pains																															32				32
Venereals																															34				34
Sore Legs & Ulcers																															35				35
Sore Eyes																															14				14
Sore																															31				31
Debilitated																															22				22
Bruises Falls																															24				24
Convalescent																															31				31
																															33				33
Remains	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30					
Entered																																14	1	2	17
Cured																																10	4	2	16
Died																																		1	1
Remains																																4	1	5	10

Total 29

Signed J. Drummond
Surgeon 52d Regiment

Signed J. Stuart
Surgeon 52d Regiment

Countersigned
Lieut Colonel Commandg
52d Regiment

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Fort St George June 6th 1788

To James Anderson Esqr

Physician General President and Member of the

Medical Board

Gentlemen

Having been passed over in the late promotion of Surgeons to which Rank I think myself entitled from my early Appointment in the Honble Companys Service and the Rank since assigned me in it, I have taken the Liberty to state my claim in the form of a Memorial which I beg you will be pleased to lay before Government and shall have the greater confidence of success if it meets with your Approbation

I have the Honor to be
Gentlemen
with Respect
Your Most Obedt Humble Servant
Signed Charles Ogilvy

Chicacole
24th June 1788

To

Fort St. George 6th June 1788

To James Anderson Esqr. M.D.

Physician General and Director of the Hospitals
President &c. Members of the Hospital Board &c. &c.

Gentlemen

Fort St. George

In Answer to my Letter of the 15th December last you were pleased to acquaint me by Letter from your Secretary dated December 23d. That as soon as an Hospital Mate could be spared to succeed Mr. Bell that one should be ordered for that Duty at this Station and beg your permission Gentlemen again to suggest to you the immediate necessity of such an Appointment being made the more especially as Mr. Trotter my only Hospital Mate further I have ever found most diligent and attentive to the duties of his Station, has been confined these two days past with an Inflammation in his foot occasioned by a Guinea Worm that has appeared among the Natives at Bonds and is probably so much convalicted with their Tendons, that I fear his Confinement will be tedious & the Cure trouble

Mr. Reid Assistant to the 73d Battalion of Sepoys having been confined with a very bad State of health has not been able to do any duty for several Months past the Number of Sicks in the General Hospital encreased to near 90 Men during last Month require much Assistance and I have it not in my power from the Scarcity of Assist

Surgeons

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Surgeons to substitute am to take charge of Mr. Trotters Department or to afford me the least Help in discharging the daily duty of the General Hospital which with other indispensible Duties of the Garrison and Cantonment leaves me not a spare Moment

The following are the only Medical Gentlemen doing duty here Viz.t

Mr. Lord 2d. Batt.n of Artillery at Chingleput
Mr. Stuart 1st Regt. of Europeans and
Mr. Moore Assistant to Do. who is but

just recovered from a Disease in his Liver and whose health is seldom good

I beg leave also Gentlemen to suggest to your consideration the necessity of appointing an Assistant Surgeons to do duty on the Island of Triengham where the 23d Battalion of Sepoys and Several Officers belonging to the Cantonment are quartered the River Cavery being at this time so full that all Communication excepting by Boats is cut off

I am therefore inclined to hope Gentlemen that you may be pleased as speedily as possible to grant me such Relief as it may be in your Power to Comply with for the meantime all my Exertions

shall

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shall be used to execute this duty in the best Manner I possibly can

I have the Honor to be with the greatest Respect

Gentlemen

Your most faithfull & Most

Obedient Humble Servant

Trichinopoly 5th July 1788

[Signed] Nicol Maire

Head Surgeon

To Doctor James Anderson

Chairman Civil & Military Board

Gentlemen

Fort St George

I have the Honor to acknowledge the

Receipt of your Secretarys Letter of the 24th past and herein

with the General Returns for last Month the General and

Letter addressed to you at the Request of Doctor Charles Ogilby

Assistant Surgeon at Chicacole

I have the honor to be with great

Gentlemen

Your most Obedient and

very humble Servant

Masulipatam 3d July 1788

[Signed] George Bunny

Fort St. George 5th July 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqre

Secretary Hospital Board &c &c &c

Sir

Fort St George

Enclosed I have the Honor to transmit you a General Statement of the Sick in the Southern Districts a Return of the Sick in the General Hospital & a Return of Medicines and Necessaries issued from the General Stores for the Month of June which you will be pleased to lay before the Hospital Board

I have also the Receipt of your Letter of the 24th Ultimo acquainting me that the Hospital Board declined taking notice of my address of the 6th Ultimo which I would not have taken the liberty of troubling them with which I did not from the very great Inconvenience & Labour under in having no writer allowed to my Department and which I concluded only Required their Concurrence in Laying the same before Government to have been reminded

I have the Honor to be

Sir Your most obedt Servant

Trichinopoly 7th July 1788

[Signed] Nicol Maire

Head Surgeon

P P S Please to present the enclosed Copy of Doctor Bells opinion to the Physician General

&c

Fort St George 5th July 1788

To Edward Hutchinson Esqr
Secretary to the Hospital Board &c &c &c

Sir

Fort St George

I am exceedingly concerned that the Hospital Board do not approve of my attending the Artillery Sick, as nothing could be further from my Attention than swerving in the least from what I imagined was their desire — Mr Bannatyne whom I succeeded, Attended the Sick of that Corps, and as neither Mr Gifford or any other Europeans Surgeon were here, I thought it would meet with the entire approbation of the Hospital Board to do the duty otherwise, a number of Sick would be helpless and from which I drew only the disadvantage of much additional trouble and I may add reputation being alleged to have received the Bazar for what it could supply of Medicines to Answer the exigencies and this at my own expence if not being, otherwise possible to get any allowance for this Relief

The Indenty Stock the Liberty of troubling the Board with were intended solely for the Accomodation of whatever Gentleman might be dispounded to that Corps that he might be at no loss for Medicines on his Arrival and as Field Sick my Attention of the Sick of the Artillery form the Commission mentioned will meet with the Sanction of the Board, I shall continue it, until they Officer arrival — there being no other person to do that duty there) unless I shou further from you

I am with Respect
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
Signed Maurice Fitzgerald Mr

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A General Abstract of Disorders of the Sick in the General Hospital of Vellore for the Month of July 1788 —

Company	Fever Sim.	Fever Synocha	Fever Typhus	Fever Remittent	Fever Intermittent	Fever Simple	Fever Continued	Fever Nervous	Fever Remittent	Fever Typhus	Fever Synochus	Fever Intermittent	Fever Simple	Fever Continued	Fever Nervous	Remittent	Intermittent	Fever &c	Small Pox	Sore Eyes	Total Entered	Total Discharged	Total Deceased	Remains
Artillery																							1	
1st Co 6th		1	4	6	1	2	2	2	1		1				2		1				27	16	18	9
2d Do Do			2	2	5	3	4	2			1	1			2			1	1	1	24	4	10	14
1st Batt 6th		1	4	2	1	0	7	1		1		1	3	1	1	1					28	14	14	14
2d Do 6th			2	1	1	2					2		2	2							17	7	2	15
3d Do 6th			4	3	0	1	2	2			2	1	2	1					1		22	10	8	14
4th Do 6th			4	1	1	6	0	1			1				2				1	1	22	12	7	15
6th Do 6th			4	1	2	4	1		1		2							1	1		19	7	9	11
Invalids				1						1											2	2	1	1
5th Co 6th																		1		1	1			1
21st Batt				1																	1		1	
6th Co 6th	1	1	3	2	2	2	0	2		1	1	2		1		1			1		24	11	8	15
Total	1	2	28	23	17	32	26	11	2	1	16	6	2	15	4	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	2

	Fever Sim.	Fever Synocha	Fever Typhus	Fever Remittent	Fever Intermittent	Fever Simple	Fever Continued	Fever Nervous	Fever Remittent	Fever Typhus	Fever Synochus	Fever Intermittent	Fever Simple	Fever Continued	Fever Nervous	Remittent	Intermittent	Fever &c	Small Pox	Sore Eyes	Total Entered	Total Discharged	Total Deceased	Remains
Abstract of Disorders of Sick in the 1st Batt 6th Coys 1st Battn of Native Infantry in the Hospital at Arcot for the month of July 1788 from Mr M. Thompson Surgn																								
																					37	37	2	35
Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry or Arcot Sheet for the month of July 1788 from Mr James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon																								
																					11	4	2	13
Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot for the month of July 1788 from Mr James Ramsay Assist Surgeon																								
																					19	3	3	16
Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 4th Regt of Native Cavalry near Arcot for the month of July from Mr James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon																								
																					17	4	3	14
Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot for the month of July 1788 from Mr James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon																								
																					16	4	3	14
Abstract of Sick Soldiers in the 1st 5 Companies of Native Infantry at Arcot for the month of July 1788 from Mr Wm Commeren Assistant Surgeon																								
																					24	6	6	18

Signed J. Gatenby
Mead Surgeon

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Return of the Sick in the General Hospital at for the Month of July 1788

Corps	Admitted on Return	Remained	Joined	Transferred	Total	Recovered	Invalided	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
Effective Artillery	2	1	2	1						
2d Batt. Europe Infy	31	3	19	29	4	21	1	1	1	1
Artillery & Invalids	3		1				1			
Infantry Do Do	14		5	4		7		4		1
1st Batt. Topasses		1		1						
2d Batt. Do		2								
Infantry & Invalids	2		6	2	1		1			
11 Officers Sick										
Total	52	4	29	41	7	28	2	5	1	1
Effective Artillery	6	2	4	3		3				
2d Batt. Europe Infy	114	50	64	48	2	66				
Artillery & Invalids	5		5	2		3				
Infantry Do Do	41	22	17	22	2	11				
1st Batt. Topasses	2	2	1	1		1				
2d Batt. Do	2		2			2				
Infantry & Invalids	19	11	9	11		9				
Total	189	87	102	76	4	104				

Vizagapatam as per Return from Capt. Mc. Bargo Surgeon

Corps	Admitted on Return	Remained	Joined	Transferred	Total	Recovered	Invalided	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
1st Battalion Topasses	1									
Artillery Invalids		1			1			1		1
Invalids and Servants	1			1	2			2		2
36 Officers Sick										
Total	2	1		1	3			3		3

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Masulipatam & all Stations north of the Kistna its Dependencies

Corps	Admitted on Return	Remained	Joined	Transferred	Total	Recovered	Invalided	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
European Infantry	1	2	3	1	1	1				
Artillery			1	1	2	1	1	1	2	
Officers					1					
Additional Artillery			1							
18th Battalion Native Infantry							1	1	2	1
Town Sergeant at Vizagapatam				1					1	
Total	1	2	5	2	5	2	1	1	2	1
	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1		
	22	18	6	6		18				

Sicks as per Return from Mr Fleming Assistant Surgeon to the 22d Battalion native Infantry — Pensioners 1 Epilepsy

Officers Sick as per Return from Mr Bailey assistant Surgeon 23d Battalion Native Infantry

- 23d Battalion 1 Captain Lieutenant — Rheumatism
- Do 1 Lieutenant — Peritonitis
- Do 1 Ensign — Venereal
- Do 1 Ditto — Bilious Fever

Females Sick as per Return from Mr Roxborough Surgeon

- 1 Officer Liver Obstruction
- 1 Do Sick Absent

Montpollam and Jogeram as per Return from Mr Hunter assistant Surgeon

Honorable Company's Servants Natives

- 2 Liver Complt.
- 1 Liver complt
- 2 Suppuration of Testicle
- 2 Lues Venerea
- 17 Sores

Total 23

Rajamundry as per Return from Mr Maccreadie Assistant Surgeon 18th Battalion Native Infantry

- Accident 1
- Bilious fever 2
- Cold 1
- Dysentery 1
- Fever 1
- Rheumatism 1
- Venereal 8

Total 15

No Europeans attached to the 23d Batt. of native Infantry all on health as per Letter from Mr Boswell assist. Surgeon

(Signed) George Bisset Head Surgeon

Masulipatam 6th August 1788

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A General Statement of the Sick & the Casualtys of the Coloneas for July 1782.

General Abstract — Abstract of Diseases

Returns	Remained	Entered	Discharged	Died	Remains	Wounds	Accidents	Venereal	Gout	Consumption	Dysentery	Fluxes	Fevers	Intermittents	Remittents	Typhus	Liver	Obstructions	Ulcerations	Piles	Scurvy	Jaundice	Rheumatism	Asthma	Tumor	Hemorrhoids	Sore Legs & Arms	Scorbutic	Inflamed Eyes	Total
General Hospital	25	38	12	5	6	1		1		2	1	16	4			5	4	1	1	9	2		7	1	3	2			1	5	13	1	140
2d Battalion of Artillery	45	8	2	9	2		11	3	1	5			11	1	1	11					12		7		2		2		1	1	1	1	52
1st Do European Infantry	201	95	41	23	22		11	9		21			1		4	13	29	5	1	1	2		7	4	4	6		12		1	2		126
2d Regt of Native Cavalry																																
Garrison of Tanjore	5	0	3		7																											
Do Madura		3			1																											
Do Pallamcottah	6	1	2		5																											
Residency of Tanjore & Negapatam	1	1	1		1																											
General Total	282	145	53	37	46	1	22	13	1	28	1	16	20	1	5	44	41	6	2	10	16	4	3	1	9	4	2	1	7	2	2	352

N.B. Six European Officers and two Civilians sick at Negapatam this month.

Mr John Mainwaring Assistant Surgeon 2d Regiment Native Cavalry joined the 5th Inst.

Signed Jacob Mervo Head Surgeon.

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Report of Sicks of His Majestys 52d Regiment Marlyland for the month of July 1782

20 Remitted
5 Bilious
10 Scorbutic
3 Liver
4 Fevers
20 Dysentery
4 Venereals
1 Jaundice
2 Inflamed Eyes
26 Sore Legs & Arms
1 Haimorrhoids
1 Tumor
2 Asthmatic
5 Rheumatism

Total 105

Signed L. Drummond Surgeon 52d Regiment

Return of the Sick in Hospital and Quarters of his Majestys 72d Regiment for the month of July 1782

Companys

		Hospital	Quarters	Total
Generals		3	2	5
Col. Stuarts		6	"	6
Lieut. Col. Mackenzie		5	2	7
Captains	Lumsdains	8	"	8
	Grenadiers	12	"	12
	Maitlands	7	"	7
	Glenbarnings	4	"	4
	1st Campbells	1	1	2
	Kings Campbells	12	"	12
	3rd Campbells	5	"	5
Total		63	5	68

Signed William Wood Surgeon 72d Regt

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Monthly Report of the Sick and Mortality of the Detachment of the Bengal Establishment of the 1st Battalion of the 1st Regiment of Bengal Sepoys under the Command of Captain Dirwodie

Date	No. Sick
1st July	33
2d July	52
3d July	51
4th July	53

Signed this 5th July 1788
Signed this 5th July 1788
Signed this 5th July 1788

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To Dr. James Anderson President

and Members of the

Hospital Board

Gentlemen

I am just arrived in the Honorable Company's Ship Lord Macartney appointed one of the Assistant Surgeons on your Establishment. I have no Relations at Bengal that I wish very much to see. I shall always consider myself under the greatest obligations if you would give me leave of absence for six months

I am

Gentlemen

with Respect

Your most obedient Servant

John Cooper

Fort St. George

12th August 1788

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To Edward Atkinson Esqr.

Secretary Hospital Board

Sir

I have the honor to transmit the enclosed Indents for Country Medicines wanted by Mr. Stuart Surgeon of the 1st Battalion of European Infantry, which Requisitions you will be pleased to lay before the Hospital Board.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient

humble Servant

Signed Nicol Mein

Head Surgeon

Trichinopoly

21st August 1788

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Fort St. George 18th August 1787.

To Jaanez Andersan Esqr. M.D.

Physician General and Director of the Hospitals, President &c. Members of the Hospl. Board.

Fort St. George

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to acquaint you that Messrs. Thackeray, Henri Alexander, and Brady Assistant Surgeons lately appointed to this District, arrived on Cantonment some days ago. Such an addition of respectable Gentlemen, (under proper regulations) will render the medical duties at this Station perfectly easy to all parts. The Subject of this Letter is therefore to authorise to the wishes and determinations of your Board, to make arrangements for executing the several Duties of the Department, as they have to suggest may be most conducive to the public good.

The number of Medical Gentlemen now attached to Corps in this District, seems to demand that a clear and distinct line of Service should be drawn, and that they be informed by authority of Government, how far, they are to be under the Control and orders of the Head Surgeon, as it will be often expedient to employ those attached to the Native Battalions, on General, as well as Regimental duties

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It appears to me for the advantage of the Service, that they look up to one Commanding Officer capable of judging of the duty required of them to perform and to him only, they ought to be held responsible for their good conduct. Commanding Officers of Corps may entertain an opinion diametrically opposite to this, conceiving the Medical Gentlemen attached to their respective Battalions or Regiments, no longer subject to the authority of the Head Surgeon, unless their permission be first obtained and may dispute the propriety of his ordering in case of Detachment, the Surgeons or Regimental Surgeons or assistant to a Native Corps, but three Men as Commanding officers - this may not only greatly impede the public Service, but prevent the end proposed by Government in appointing Head Surgeons to superintend and direct the medical Department under their charge it being self evident that the Head Surgeon will suffer no duty to be in any instance neglected, as he is held responsible for due performance of all Orders Rules & Orders of the Court of Directors published by Government 8th July 1786 article 14th. But we think he cannot be answerable for the Execution of while any other authority, than that of the Commanding Officer of the District exists, separately from his own, as will be more clearly illustrated by the following simile example.

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In a Conversation with the General Horne it was lately proposed that the Assistant Surgeons appointed to the Native Battalions on this Cantonment should regularly take their turn of duty at the General Hospital and be relieved alternately every week, which I have the Satisfaction to say, met the Generals full, and entire approbation, as being equally essential for the General good of the Service, as for the Improvement of the respective Gentlemen in the treatment of India Disease. This I communicated to the Assistant Surgeon of the 2nd Regt of Cavalry, telling him as Senior Assistant with a Native Corps, that he would be the first for that Duty which he showed great Backwardness - But in order to give effect to my meant Intentions I directed the Senior Hospital Mate, to write him an official Letter, requiring his attendance - which I found in very first effort was impracticable from the Interposition of the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, as you will observe by the inclosed Letter, which I beg leave Gentlemen to submit to your Perusal.

In this place it may not be improper to observe that when the Sentence of a Court Martial is ordered to be put in Execution if no Surgeon or Assistant be attached to the Corps to which the Culprit belongs or

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or if the Surgeon or Assistant of such Corps be absent on Duty, on leave or confined by Sickness, General Horne invariably directs in Garrison orders, that the Head Surgeon will order a Surgeon or Assistant to attend the punishment of what ever can my orders be if the Regimental Commanding Officer can put a Negative upon them - the consequence must be, that the Hospital Mates will have the whole toil of the Duty, while the Regimental Mates are Gentlemen at Large.

Having thus for stated the difficulties as present occur, and with a view of giving you as little trouble as possible, I have further to entreat you will be pleased to inform me how I am to be considered as subject to move with the Southern Forces in the event of their taking the field, a point never yet settled I believe by Government, and on which I could wish to be satisfied that I may be always in perfect readiness to obey their Commands.

Permit me Gentlemen to assure you, that in laying before you these different points of duty I am actuated by no other view than the good of the Service and trust in the Wisdom of your respectable Board for a final Decision on such Subject of

Dispute,

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Dispute, which will greatly relieve my present uncertainty and in particular whether Commanding Officers of Native Corps can interfere, in refusing their Assistant Surgeons to comply with such general duty, as I may think expedient—

I have the honor to be with the greatest Respect

Gentlemen.

Your most Obedient and faithfull Servant

Signed Nicol. Maino

Head Surgeon

Presidency Hospital
22d August 1788

Dt General

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A General Abstract of Disorders of the Sick ... in the General Hospital of Fort St. George for the month of August 1788

Corps	...	Total
Artillery	1	2 3 2
2 Comps	1 1 1 1 3 1 1 4 1 1 1 1 1 1	2 2 1 2 10 11
1 Bn	1 3 1 1 1 1 6 1 4 3 1 1 1	1 4 3 3 9 11 12
2 Do	2 3 3 1 2 1 1 3 1 1 2	2 2 2 4 9 13 11
3 Do	1 3 1 4 2 3 1 1	1 4 2 2 1 5 9
4 Do	2 4 3 2 2 2 1 1 2	1 2 1 3 2 4 9 12
5 Do	5 1 2 1 1 1 1	2 2 1 6 6 8 3
6 Do	2 1 5 1 1 2 1 3 1 1 1	1 1 1 3 2 15 3
N. Cor	1 1 1	1 1
Ja Do	1 2 1	5 1 1
21 Do	1 1	2 2 2
19 Do	1 1 5 2 1 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	13 10 13 11
	1 1 3 2 1 3 2 4 1 6 2 2 5 1 3 4 6 7 17 1 1 1 5 5 10 1 1 1 1 7 1 4 2 1 2 1 2 1 1 1 2 2 4 16 [illegible] 97

An abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers 4th Batt. 1st Regt. Infantry in the Hospital of Vizagapatam for the Months of August 1788 from Mr. Maxwell Thompson Surgeon

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Return of the Sick in the General Hospital Dependencies for the month of August 1788

General Hospital Masulipatam

Corps	Remaining Sick last month	Admitted	Total	Remd. last Month	Admitted	Total	Discharged	Deserted	Died	Remains
Effective Artillery	4	1	5	3	2	5	3	-	-	2
2d Batt. Europn. Infantry	57	32	89	64	14	78	63	4	-	11
Artillery European Invalid	5	2	7	3	1	4	4	-	-	-
Infantry Do Do	18	11	29	17	9	26	19	3	-	4
Do Do Pensioned	6	1	7	4	1	5	3	-	-	2
12th Battalion Sepoys	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	-	-	-
24th Battalion Sepoys	1	2	3	2	1	3	3	-	-	-
one Officer Sick the month										
Total	92	50	142	94	29	123	97	7	-	19

Ellore as per Return from Mr. Jurgeon Surgeon

Corps	Remaining Sick last month	Admitted	Total	Remd. last Month	Admitted	Total	Discharged	Deserted	Died	Remains
Artillery Captain Tuttle Company	6	4	10	6	16	22	13	3	-	6
1st Carnatica Company	4	-	4	1	2	3	1	-	-	2
2d Do Do	4	1	5	2	2	4	1	-	-	3
3d Battalion Do Do	6	1	7	1	2	3	2	-	-	1
4th Do Do Do	4	2	6	1	4	5	4	-	-	1
5th Do Do Do	5	1	6	2	3	5	4	-	-	1
6th Do Do Do	4	1	5	1	2	3	2	-	-	1
Invalids	2	-	2	1	2	3	2	-	-	1
	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	36	10	46	15	33	48	29	3	-	16

Vizagapatam as per Return from Mr. Briggs Surgeon

Corps	Remaining Sick last month	Admitted	Total	Remd. last Month	Admitted	Total	Discharged	Deserted	Died	Remains
11th Battalion Sepoys	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-
Artillery Invalids	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-
Invalids & Pensioners	4	-	4	1	-	1	1	-	-	-
3 Officers Sick the month with Intermittent Fevers	3	1	4	2	2	4	3	-	-	1
	1	3	4	2	1	3	2	-	-	1
	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	-	-	-

Monthly Report of the Average Sick of his Majesty's 36th Regiment who absolutely require to be treated in the Hospital —

Days	N° Sick
1st August 1788	61
8th Do	57
15th Do	63
22d Do	51

Return for the Month of August 1788

Signed Alex.r Home
Surgeon 36th Regiment

Surn.d Anderson Esq.r
Physician General
& Inspector Hospital Board

Report of Sick of His Majesty's 52d Regt. Wallajaubad 1st Sept.r 1788.

6	Scorbutic
4	Fevers
27	Dysentery
6	Eruptions
18	Rheumatism & Venereal pains
11	Punished
2	Venereal
15	Sore Legs & Arms
5	Inflamation of the Eyes
1	Bilious
1	Ulcerated Urethra
1	Epilepsy
99	Total

Return for the Month of August 1788

Signed Peter Drum
Surgeon 52d Regt.

Sept.r 1st Camp Wallajaubad

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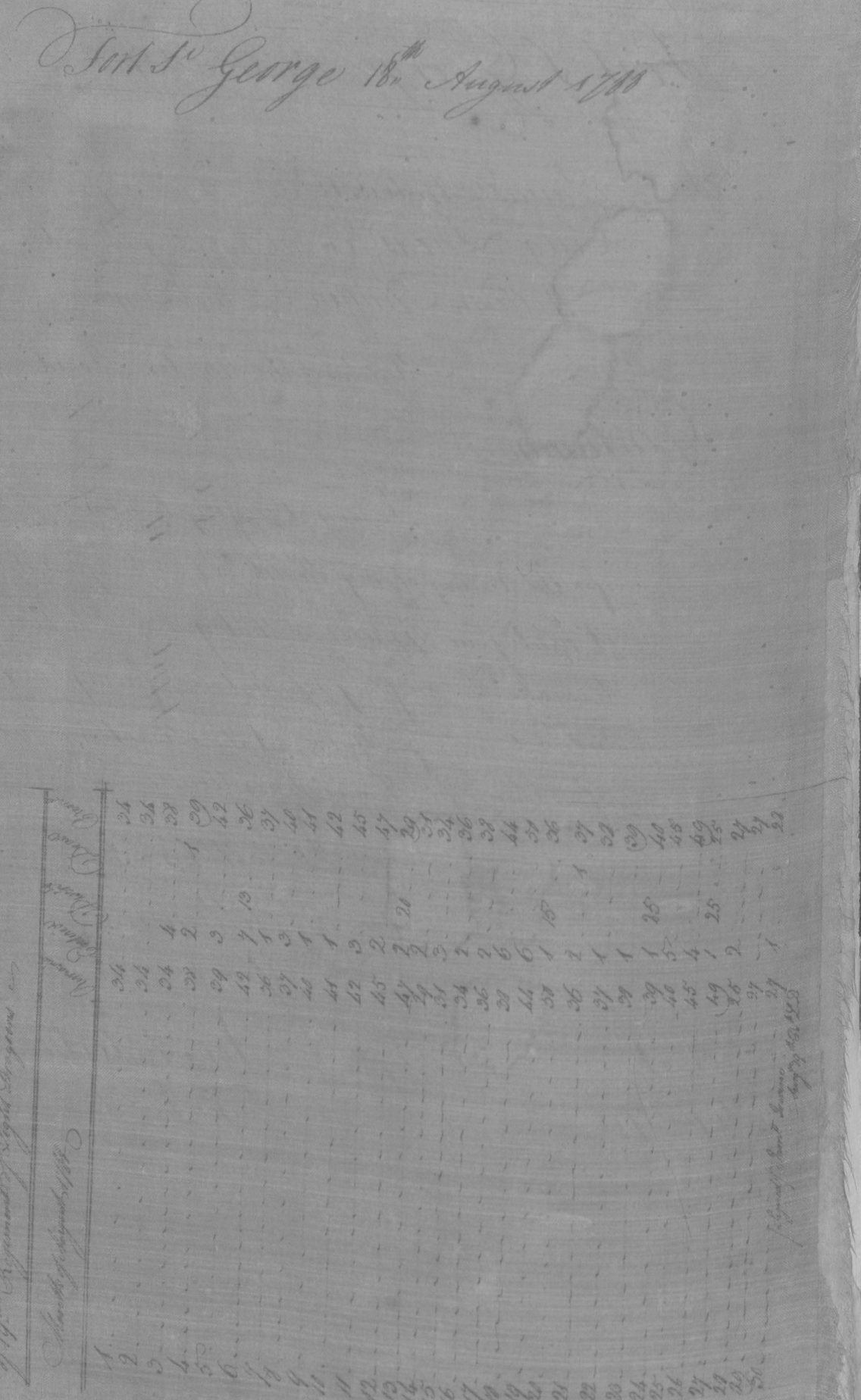

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To James Anderson Esqre Physician General
Colly Lucas Esqre Chief Surgeon, and
William Duffin Esqre Head Surgeon
Members of the Hospital Board

Gentlemen

Finding it necessary to Repair to Sea
for the Recovery of my Health I have to request, should
it meet your Approbation that you will be pleased
to make the necessary Representation for my being
relieved in my Station at the Mount, and for Leave
of Absence for Three or Four Months —

I have the Honor to be
Gentlemen
Your most Obedient & Humble Servt

Mount,
10th August 1788

(Signd) Jere Addenbrooke
Surgeon 1st Battn Artillery

To

Fort St. George 18th August 1788

To James Anderson Esqr Physician General
&c Members Hospital Board

Gentlemen

Mr Ramsay Assistant Surgn to the first Regiment of Cavalry being in an ill State of Health and having obtained Leave from his Commanding Officer to try a Change of Air I solicit you permission to proceed to Madras for that purpose

I have the honor to be
with great Respect
Gentlemen
Your most obedient Humble Servt

Vellore
14th August 1788

[Signed] J. Gahagan
Head Surgeon

N.B. Mr Ingles has undertaken to act for Mr Ramsay during his absence —

&c

Fort St. George 15th September 1788

To James Anderson Esqr M.D.
Physician General
and to the Members of the Hospital Board

Gentlemen

Having brought with me several small Instruments of the best make & construction, I hope you will kindly indulge me with an allowance for them, and as I conceive it will appear to you that the Honorable Company who are likely to be benefited by my services cannot reasonably object to this Request, I doubt not but you will honor me with your influence in obtaining the consent of the Honorable Governor in Council for my being reimbursed

The amount of the Value they cost me in London is 40 Pagodas —

I shall esteem your interference to get me paid, a Mark of favor which shall ever be acknowledged by Gentlemen

Your most Obedient and very humble Servt

Warrior
15th September 1788

[signed] Henry Morris
Assistant Surgeon
2.0th Battalion Native Infantry

Fort St. George 15th September 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr
Secretary Hospital Board
Fort St. George

Sir

The inclosed letter having been communicated to me with an official address from Mr. Morris Assistant Surgeon of the 2d Battalion native Infantry I have agreeably to his desire forwarded the Same which you will be pleased to lay before the Hospital Board — I beg leave also to Recommend Mr Morris to their Notice as a Diligent and Attentive young Gentleman having volunteered to me his Services at the General Hospital upon all occasions

Please to acquaint the Board that Mr Boardy Hospital Assistant has been confined these three weeks with a Severe Bilious fever from which he is now Recovering Slowly

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
[Signed] Neil Mein
Head Surgeon

Trichinopoly
16th September 1788

Fort St. George 15th September 1788

To James Anderson Esqr Physician General
President &c &c and Members of the Medical Board

Gentlemen,

I have the honour to transmit to you copies of two letters I Received on the subject of Indents for Europe and Country Medicines, one from Job Bulman Esqr Medical Storekeeper &c accompanied with a Supply of Country Medicines for the use of the Honble Companies 2d Battalion of Native Infantry, another from Robert Trotter Esqr Medical Storekeeper Trichinopoly

My reasons for giving you trouble are that in case an Accident should happen to any of the Honble Companies troops hire, I may not be thought defective in duty, and that I may be assisted with advice how to proceed — I have the honour to be

Gentlemen
Your Most obedient Humble Servt
[Signed] Ja: Johnston Assistant
Surgeon 2d Batt.n N.I.

Trichy
23d September 1788

Copy

Fort St. George 15th September 1788

Copy of a letter from Rob. Beelman Esqr. Medical Storekeeper &c to James Johnston Assistant Surgeon Tiagar

Sir

I herewith have the pleasure to send to you a Supply of Country Medicines &c. for the use of the Honble Companies 3d. Battalion of Native Infantry the quantities corresponding with the Approbation of the Hospital Board Vide the Accompanying Bill of Parcels —

It is the pleasure of the Hospital Board that you make your Application for Europe Medicines &c to the Medical Storekeeper Trichinopoly

On delivery of the Supply of Country Medicines &c herewith forwarded to you be pleased to send to me a Receipt by the returning Cutes

I am Sir
Yours &c
(Signed) Rob: Beelman
Apothecary & Med. Storekeeper

Dated **

Fort St. George 15th September 1788

Copy of a letter from Robert Trotter Esqr. Medical Storekeeper Trichinopoly to James Johnston Assistant Surgeon Tiagar

Sir

I am desired by Mr. Menzhead Surgeon to inform you in answer to your letter and Indent that he will allow no Medicines to be sent to Tiagar without an express order from the Hospital Board —

I Remain Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(Signed) Robert Trotter
Senior Hd. Mate in charge of Mds.

General

Fort St. George 15th September 1781

General Abstract of Diseases of the 3d Batt.n of E. Inf.y for the month of September 1781

Corps.	Companies	Accidents	Apthous	Bilious Fever	Bilious Remitting Fever	Dysentery	Elephantiasis	Gout	Hip.c Affec.	Hydrocephalus Internus	Jaundice	Leprosis	Lumbago	Obstructions	Palsies	Rheumatism	Ulcers	Worms	Wounds	Venereal	Various	Total	Cured	Died	Discharged	Remains
Artillery																										
1 Dr Company		5	1	3	2					1					2								21	1		11
2 Dr Do		1		41		5		15			2		3		2		1	1		1	2	25	14	7		17
Batt.n Lascars	Capt.n Burns	3		5	1	2	2		1	1		2		3		2		1	1		1	11	21	9	9	12
	Capt.n Towers	2		2		2	2		1	1		2		1				1			1	11	25	10	9	12
	Capt.n Halliburton	1		4		4	1									1		1		1		20	7	11	9	
	Capt.n Rogers	1		2		4	2			3						1						18	10	11	1	
	Capt.n Godfrey			5		1	3			4		1		2		3						26	8	15	11	
	Capt.n Embry	2		1		4																19	11	6	10	
	Invalids & Pensioners	1						1		3						2		4		2		13	10	2	10	
2d Batt.n Lascars				2																		18	4		8	
Total		16	4	35	8	10	10	2	1	23	1	6	8	3	8	22	2	1	4	2	4	22	2	6	1	4	2	182	62	7	2	111

Abstract of Deserters of the 4th Batt.n of E. Inf.y at Arcot for the month of September 1781

	Absent	P. Town	Apprehended	Deserted	Discharged	Enlisted	Killed	Total	Entered	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
From 4th Maxwell Thompson Surgeon	26	11	12	7	1	1	6	44	20	7	5	19	46

Abstract of Deceases of the 1st Regiment of Native cavalry Cantoned near Arcot

From Mr Inglis Assistant Surgeon —

	P. Town	Apprehended	Deserted	Discharged	Enlisted	Killed	Total	Entered	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
	2	3	3	2	4	14	14	8			11

Abstract of Deserter of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry Cantoned near Arcot

From Mr Inglis Assistant Surgeon

	P. Town	Apprehended	Deserted	Discharged	Enlisted	Killed	Total	Entered	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
	4	4	3	2	2	15	15	5			11

Abstract of Deceases of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry Cantoned near Arcot

From Mr Inglis Assistant Surgeon

	P. Town	Apprehended	Deserted	Discharged	Enlisted	Killed	Total	Entered	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
	4	2	2	2	1	11	3	4			7

Abstract of Deserters of the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry Cantoned near Arcot

From Mr Inglis Assistant Surgeon

	P. Town	Apprehended	Deserted	Discharged	Enlisted	Killed	Total	Entered	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
	6	4	2	4	4	16	6	6			11

N.B. no returns have been received from Amboor, Mr Cameron being sick

Jno.y H. Cathcart
Head Surgeon

Fort St. George 15th September 1781

A General Statement of the Sick of the Southern Division of the Coast of Coromandel for September 1781

Returns

	Remained Entered	Joined by Transfer	Total	Cured	Died	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Separate Hospital	76	446	522	367	13			142
2 Battalion of Artillery	12	61	73	40	5	16		12
1st Dr Europeans	172	49	221	149	26	5	3	39
2d Regiment of Native Infantry	42	15	57	36		19	1	1
1st Batt.n Native Infantry	21	5	26	9		12		5
1st Dr	14	42	56	41		12		3
2d Dr	21	11	32	25		6		1
3d Dr	25	37	62	35	1	22		4
Garrison of Seringam	2	5	7	2	3			2
Madura								
Pallamcottah	4	2	6	4		1		1
Sick Coming of Leave & Supernum.s	3	5	8	6		1	1	
General Total	391	685	1076	724	48	113	5	186

Jno.y H. Cathcart Head Surgeon of the Southern Division of the Coast of Coromandel

Geo.e Nicol Assistant Surgeon to the Battalion of Native Infantry

John Grant Assistant Surgeon to the Regiment of Native Cavalry

Jno.s Inglis Assistant Surgeon to the 1st and 2d Battalion of Native Infantry

Return of the Sick in the General Hospital at Masulipatam for the Month of September 1781

General Hospital Masulipatam

Corps	Victims	Remitted Fever	Dysentery	Inflammatory Fever	Intermittent	Remittent	Rheumatism	Obstructions	Hepatitis	Dropsy	Scorbutus	Cephalgia	Ulcers	Hernia Scrotalis	Wounds	Total Cured	Total	Remaining	Evacuated	Exchanged	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
Effective Corps Artillery																							
2d Batt.n European Infantry		1	5	1	2	1	1	1								12	6	6	7	1	4		
Artillery European Invalids		41	21	23		9		2	4	1	1	1				105	71	32	47	2	55		
Infantry Do Do		4	1	1		2										8	3	6	5		3		
Do Do Do Convalescd		24	8	15		9			1		1	2	3	1	1	64	34	31	41	3	29		
14th Battn Sepoys		6	9					1		1						18	14	4	6	2	10		
26th Battn Sepoys		2		1												3	2	1	3				
Recruits		2		2												4	3	1	2		2		
		1		2												7		1	7				
Two Officers sick Treasurer	Total	81	44	45	1	24	1	2	6	1	2	2	3	3	1	221	182	87	118	9	94		

Ellon as 1st Return from Mr Ferguson Surgeon

Corps		Victims	Remitted Fever	Dysentery	Inflammatory Fever	Intermittent	Remittent	Rheumatism	Obstructions	Hepatitis	Dropsy	Scorbutus	Cephalgia	Ulcers	Hernia Scrotalis	Wounds	Total	Remains	Evacuated	Exchanged	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
Artillery Captain Tutts Company																							
1st Battn 1st Coy Grenadier Company																							
1st Do Do								3		4		2		1	5		15	9	6		4		
2d Battalion Do																	7	16	10	2	6		13
4th Do Do								1		3		1		2			7	5	2	12			5
5th Do Do																2		1	2		6		
6th Do Do																6		2		3	4		6
Recruits								3		3	1						15	7	8	6			9
								1		2							19	10	9	9			10
												1	2	4		1	11	9	2	2			9
								1		7	1	1					10		10				10
	Total							11	1	27	5	5	4	2	5	34	96	59	27	35			63

Vizagapatam as 1st Return from Mr Briggs Surgeon

Corps	Victims	Remitted Fever	Dysentery	Inflammatory Fever	Intermittent	Remittent	Rheumatism	Obstructions	Hepatitis	Dropsy	Scorbutus	Cephalgia	Ulcers	Hernia Scrotalis	Wounds	Total	Remains	Evacuated	Exchanged	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
11th Battalion of Sepoys																						
Artillery Invalids								1			1					2	2					2
Invalids and Pensioners								4			1					5	5					5
Total	2	3	2	1	2	1	3	7	1	4	1	3	2	4	1	11	49	45	3	9	1		40
Two Officers Died this month																							
Three Sick Intermittent Fever																							

Masulipatam & all Stations North of the Kistna, & Dependencies

Garyam as 1st Return from Mr Richardson Surgeon

Corps	Victims	Remitted Fever	Rheumatism	Hernia	Accidental	Obstructions	Hepatitis	Dysentery	Fever	Scorbutus	Ulcers	Dropsy	Total	Remaining 1st month	Evacuated	Exchanged	Deceased	Remains
Invalids European Infantry		1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1				11	9	3	7		4
Do Artillery				1	1								2	1	1			2
Additional Artillery						1							1		1			1
18th Battalion Native Infantry									1				1		1			1
Store Serjeant Michaelsone												1	1		1			1
		1	2	2	4	3	1	1	3	1	1	1	19	10	7	9	3	9

Ishka as 1st Return from the 11th Battalion Native Infantry — Mr Hennessy as 2d Surgeon

one Officer — Hepatitis
one Serjeant — Scorbutus
one Officer — Bilious Obstruct.

Vizagapatam as per Return from Mr Kennedy assistant Surgeon to the 2d Battalion Native Infantry

Corps	No.	Rank	Diseases	Present	Absent
11th Batt.n	1	Ensign	Dysentery	Present	
	1	Serjeant	Intermittent Fever	Do	
	1	Lieutenant	Do		absent
	1	Do	Hepatitis	Do	
	1	Serjeant major	Ulcers	Do	
	2	Topas	Intermittent Fever	Do	
	Total 7				

Cossimcottah as 1st Return from Mr Macmahon assistant Surgeon to the 15th Battalion of Native Infantry

Dysentery	1
Eruptions	1
Fracture Cranium	1
Opthalmia	1
Intermittent Fever	1
Ulcerated Leg	1
Nominal Total	1
	7

Maddepollam and Ingeram as 1st Return from Mr Walker assistant surgeon

Company's Coast Towards Bengal Complaints 5

NB By letter from Mr Bennett assistant Surgeon to the 27th Battalion Native Infantry at Ellore the Europeans or most Battalion are all in health. —

NB Mackenzie assistant Surgeon to the 17th Battalion N. Infantry gone to his station at Rajamundry by letter from Mr Richardson that Newlie at Ganjam ... not Gillaway still sick at this place —

Signed George Berry
Head Surgeon

Masulipatam
2d October 1781

Report

Fort St. George 15th September 1708.

Days ... No. Sick
5th September 1708 ... 55
9th D. ... 44
13th D. ... 42
22nd D. ... 60

Signed Thomas Lee Adjutant
Lieut. 39th Regiment

Return of the Sick of His Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot Commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Edrington for the Month of September 1708

Diseases	
Sore Legs & Sores	20
Wounds	5
Remitts	9
Dysentery	24
Scorbute	5
Rotten gums	2
Fever	6
Fluxes	6
Jaundice	1
Rheumatism & Pain in the Loins	2
Lunatick	5
Syphilis	3
Palsie	1
Total	15

Camp at Guntoor 14th September 1708

James Gordon Surgeon

Geo. Hoyle Mate

Fort St. George 15th September 1708

A Monthly Return of the Sick belonging to the Detachment Commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Edrington during the month of September 1708 —

Different Corps	Effect	Discharged	Deceased	Remains	Fever	Fluxes	Rheumatism	Jaundice	Scorbute	Scurvy	Dysentery	Wounds	Ulcers	Sore Legs	Swellings	Apoplexy	Palsies	Distempers	Lunatick	Sore Eyes	Hernia
Hannoverian Regiment	92	46	1	35	56	20	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Europeans Artillery	17	12	-	3	4	6	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Lascars	9	4	-	3	-	-	1	3	2	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cavalry	12	6	-	6	-	-	1	-	4	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Europeans 4th Battalion	4	4	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Natives	31	19	-	12	9	7	2	1	1	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
8th Battalion	72	82	-	50	8	14	1	3	19	10	3	1	3	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-
12th Battalion	34	9	-	25	1	5	-	16	2	6	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14 Battalion	50	30	-	20	16	9	6	5	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	-	-	-	1	2	-
Total	331	162	1	155	96	61	13	34	34	25	5	5	10	6	3	1	2	8			

Signed William Gordon
Surgeon Major

Camp at Guntoor
14th September 1708

Return

Fort St. George 15th September 1780

Return of the Sick of His Majestys 76th Regt. Brigade Major Campbell

Admitted into Hospital	Names	Deceases	Ages
August	18 John Robinson	Ulcer of Leg	22 years
	18 Matthew Wardlaw	D°	17
	23 Matthew Pilgrim	D°	19
	30 John Skinner	Sore knee	29
	11 Richard Lane	D°	21
September	19 Edward Evans	Flux	19
	24 Robert Betters	D°	24
	19 Richard Shuttleby	Sore Leg	22
	24 Andrew Rockingham	D°	28
	25 Robert Hairs	D°	28
August	19 John Chamberlain	D°	24
	18 Thomas Cowpings	D°	31
	10 John Dering	Flux	21
September	4 Thomas Jones	D°	20
	6 John Turner	D°	46
	19 John Partridge	D°	17
	22 John Vertam	D°	19
	30 Andrew Teague	D°	29
	21 Christ. Boyarten	Wound in Side	23
	26 William Paddy	Flux	27
	18 John M.c Intyre	Fever	20
	22 Edward Davis	Flux	26
	12 M.c M.c Intyre	Sore Arm	30
	14 Robert Wood	Flux	22
August	30 John Dubb	D°	23
	4 James Swan	Ulcer of Leg	18
September	6 John Blake	Flux	20
	15 Will.m Mellows	D°	53
	24 James Barclay	D°	19
	26 Thos. Rose	D°	20
	12 Thomas Miles	Sore foot	26
	6 Thos. Causey	Pain of side	22

Fort St. George 15th September 1780

Admitted into Hospl.	Names	Deases	Ages
September 21	David Wilson	Carack	20
25	James Lyon	Flux	26
24	John Browning	D°	20
August 30	Henry Bridgewater	Venereal	25
10	William Cobb	Ulcer of Leg	26
19	Wetham Carter	D°	24
21	Benjamin Cindy	Flux	39
September 2	Joseph Kelly	Dysentery	40
August 18	Thomas Shiv	Sore Leg	20
19	John Fulton	Flux	36
Septem.r 3	James Field	D°	37
8	Joseph Sinclair	Venereal	32
12	William Hays	Flux	29
18	John Bullock	D°	36
17	Hugh Lands	D°	30
22	John Holdenway	D°	28
20	Benjamin Mansfield	D°	27
August 26	Corp.l Salmons	Sore leg	26
July 27	Corp.l Mitchell	Flux	21
August 15	John Lyons	D°	27
Septem.r 1	Thomas Flounders	D°	26
22	William Kirby	D°	23
16	John Delenny	Paralysis of Intestines	26
20	Thomas Lucas	Flux	27
21	John Briggs	D°	21
22	George M.c Leod	Grand Mortification	26
20	Samuel Stephens	Ulcer of leg	16
16	William Barron	Flux	19
16	Thomas Kelly	D°	22
July 19	William Cornish	D°	19
19	John Jones	D°	26
30	Edward Chandler	D°	23
September 18	George Gilbert	D°	22

Fort St. George 15th September 1787

Admitted on Hospital	Names	Diseases	Age
September			
	19 Thomas Blackwood	Ulcer	29
	22 Edward M.c Jennis	Do	28
	27 William Biggs	Do	25
	27 James Robinson	Rheumatism	30
	30 James Ellingham	Sore leg	37
	32 John Wellingtsby	Fever	27
	22 James Swift	Ulcer	19
	22 David Neal	Do	26
	2 John Townsend	Venereal	25

Total on Hospital 73

Signed Archibald Campbell
Surgeon & Mate 78th Regiment

Bonamaller
Oct.r 1787

Fort St. George 27th October 1787

Doctor James Anderson
Physician General &c.a Members of the
Hospital Board

Gentlemen,

Yesterday I received a Letter from M.r Ferguson Surgeon to the European Battn at Ellore, requesting I would make application to your Board for two months Leave of absence, to proceed to the Presidency, in some private affairs, which require his presence there — As the duties of M.r Fergusons Station may prevent his proceeding at any fixed period he requests his Leave may commence from the time of his leaving Ellore; and he desires me to inform you also, that he makes this application, with the consent of Colonel Braithwaite then Commanding at that Cantonment

M.r Roebuck Surgeon at Samulcottah, having been unable from the Extreme of the season to avail himself of the three months Leave of absence, you granted to him, to proceed to the Presidency on private business in March last, requests you will be pleased to renew his Leave for that period, as circumstances

Fort St. George 27th October 1788.

The present bad state of his health, independently of his private concerns, I understand renders particularly necessary

Mr. Briggs has therefore applied for two months leave of absence — Should your Board comply with this Gentlemen Request, I beg leave to observe, that the duties of the Garrison of Samulcottah, may be well enough attended to, during Mr. Roxburgh's absence, by the Assistant Surgeon at Rajamundry; — and during the absence of Mr. Ferguson, the Assistant attached to the Native Battalion at Ellore, may assist the Regimental Mate of the European Battalion. Indeed as the duties of Assistants to native Corps, except in the field, must be very trifling, I submit to you the expediency of detaching them at all times, to act also under the order of the Senior Surgeon at whatever place they may be stationed. A mode which would equalize the duty of Assistants, and take off a share of the laborious part at present allotted to Regimental Mates doing duty with European Corps.

I have the Honor to be with the greatest Respect

Gentlemen

Your most obedient &
very humble Servant
[signed] George Bunny

Masulipatam
27th October 1788

Fort St. George 27th October 1788

A Return of Sick of Mrs. Regiment of Foot Commanded by Lieut. Col. Alex. Stevens Agreeable to Garrison Order of the 24th Instant

Date	Present Sick	Absent Sick	Total
1st October	43	64	107
8th Do.	64	76	140
15th Do.	76	83	159
22d Do.	83	91	174

Return of Sick of Detachment of Mrs. Regiment Commanded by Lieut. Col. Alex. Stevens Agreeable to Garrison Order of the 24th Instant

Date	Present Sick	Absent Sick	Total
29th September	29	6	35
6th October	5	16	21
13th Do.	16	21	37
20th Do.	21	21	42
27th Do.	21	21	42

Return of Sick, Hurt, & Wounded Invalids Belonging to the Detachments of the 1st 2d 3d 4th & 5th Battalions of Sepoys & Pioneers on the Hospital of Fort St George 27th October 1788

Ranks	Present	Sick	Hurt	Wounded	Invalids	Total
Serjeants	42	6	2			8
Drummers	9	1				1
Sepoys	1	1				1
Lascars	1	1				1
Sergt Majors	15	3				3
Qrs Mr Serjeants	3	3				3
Serjeants	9	2				2
Drummers	5	3				3
Sepoys	63	24				24

Fort St George 27th October 1788

Surgeon's Mate

Fort St George 27th October 1788

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Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers in the General Hospital of Fort St George for October 1788

Returns.

	Absent Sick	Fever	Opthalmia	Cholera	Rheumatism	Pains	Vertigo	Wounds	Ulcers	Scurvy	Venereal	Dysentery	Hæmorrhoids	Diarrhœa	Convulsions	Worms	Total	Discharged	Deceased	Remds.
1st Battn Artillery					1	1										2	1			2.
1st Battn Grenadiers	1	1	3	1		1	2	1	1	4	1	3	1	1			22	5	11	10
2d Do	1	2	2		1	1	4			2	1		1		2	1	17	5	10	8
3d Battn	5	1			1	3	6	1	1	1		1	2			1	23	12	12	5 11
2nd Do	4	2	1	2	2	3					5		4			1	19	11	9	1 10
3d Do	3	2	1	3		3				1		1	1			1	16	9	9	7
4th Do	2	1	2	1	3	2	3						4		1	3	1	23	12	10 13
5th Do	2	5	2	2	2					1	2		2			1	22	11	9	13
6th Do	3	1	1	1	4	1	8		1		1	1	2	1	1		24	14	8	16
Invalids & Pioneers	1	1		1							1		4				8	1	3	5
15th Battn Sepoy Infantry																1	1	1		1
Total	23	3	4	7	4	6	15	2	3	2	1	2	1	7	5	7	22	8	2	2 97
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	" "

Abstract of Disorders of Sick Soldiers of the 1st Battalion Sepoys in the Hospital of Arnee

From Mr Thompson Surgeon

	Absent Sick	Fever	Opthalmia	Cholera	Rheumatism	Pains	Vertigo	Wounds	Ulcers	Scurvy	Venereal	Dysentery	Hæmorrhoids	Diarrhœa	Convulsions	Worms	Total	Discharged	Deceased	Remds.
	31	3	5	2	2	2	9	0	1	4	1	2	2	1	6	-	106	21	40	66

Abstract of Disorders of Sick Soldiers of the 3d Battalion Sepoys in the Hospital of Arnee

From Mr Thompson Surgeon

	Absent Sick	Fever	Opthalmia	Cholera	Rheumatism	Pains	Vertigo	Wounds	Ulcers	Scurvy	Venereal	Dysentery	Hæmorrhoids	Diarrhœa	Convulsions	Worms	Total	Discharged	Deceased	Remds.
	21	3	2	2	1	2											16	4	6	10

Abstract of Deserters of Sick Soldiers of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot

From Mr John Inglis Surgeon

	Absent Sick	Absent Wounded	Fever	Opthalmia	Cholera	Rheumatism	Pains	Vertigo	Wounds	Ulcers	Scurvy	Venereal	Dysentery	Hæmorrhoids	Diarrhœa	Convulsions	Worms	Total	Discharged	Deceased	Remds.
	4	4	3	2	1	4	2											21	6	12	

Abstract of Deserters of Sick Soldiers of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot

From Mr John Inglis Surgeon

	Absent Sick	Absent Wounded	Fever	Opthalmia	Cholera	Rheumatism	Pains	Vertigo	Wounds	Ulcers	Scurvy	Venereal	Dysentery	Hæmorrhoids	Diarrhœa	Convulsions	Worms	Total	Discharged	Deceased	Remds.
	3	2	2	1	2	2	1											14	4	6	

Abstract of Disorders of Sick Soldiers of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot

From Mr John Inglis Surgeon

	Absent Sick	Absent Wounded	Fever	Opthalmia	Cholera	Rheumatism	Pains	Vertigo	Wounds	Ulcers	Scurvy	Venereal	Dysentery	Hæmorrhoids	Diarrhœa	Convulsions	Worms	Total	Discharged	Deceased	Remds.
	2	1	2	2	2													15	6	6	

Abstract of Disorders of Sick Soldiers of the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot

From Mr J Inglis Surgeon

NB no return has been received from the 15th Battn at Amboor, Mr Cameron having died at Candalore the 27th ultimo

J. Gatacre
Dy Surgeon

Fort St. George 27th October 1788

Return of the Sick in the General Hospital at M

General Hospital Masulipatam

Corps	Artillery	Europeans Infantry	Invalids	Pensioners	Lascars	Bearers	Sepoys	Public Followers	Europeans Hospital	Natives do	Hospital Servants	Lascars	Total	Total	Remaining 1st Inst.	Entered	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
Effective	1	1	5	2	1														
2d Battalion Europeans		13	7	1	2	3	4	5	1	1	2	1	1	10	5	6	6	-	4
Superannuary																			
Artillery Europeans														92	55	32	14	6	30
Invalids	1	1	1	1	1								1						
Infantry 2d Do Do														5	3	2	3	-	2
Do Pensioners		1	5	1	4	1	3	1	1	1			2	11	-				
2d Battalion of Sepoys														35	21	15	19	4	12
11th Battalion of Sepoys														14	10	4	5	5	4
21st Battalion of Sepoys														6	2	2	3	-	1
2 Officers sick this month														1	-	1	-	-	1
														1	-	1	-	-	1
Total	1	22	15	8	4	5	4	6	4	2	3	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1
														114	94	70	35	16	60

Ellore as per Return from Mr

Sturgeon Surgeon

Corps	Artillery	Europeans Infantry	Invalids	Pensioners	Lascars	Bearers	Sepoys	Public Followers	Europeans Hospital	Natives do	Hospital Servants	Lascars	Total	Total	Remaining 1st Inst.	Entered	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
Captain Lords Company		1			5		1					3		10	3	7	5	-	5
1st Grenadier Company		3			8			2				7		25	13	8	7	1	10
2d Do Do		3		1	9		1					2		16	5	11	14	-	2
2 Battalion 3d Do Do														1	-	1	-	-	1
4th Do Do		22		8		1	4					6		23	6	17	11	-	12
5th Do Do		5			9	3						1		24	9	15	15	1	8
6th Do Do		42		7			1	5	1	0				28	10	18	9	1	18
26th Battalion Sepoys		7		28		2		2		6				26	9	16	16	-	9
Invalids					1									1	-	1	-	-	1
					1									1	-	1	-	-	1
Total	2	3	1	4	3	2	5	7	0	5	4	5	4	4	156	55	95	77	3	70

Vizagapatam as per Return from Mr Briggs Surgeon

Corps	Artillery	Europeans Infantry	Invalids	Pensioners	Lascars	Bearers	Sepoys	Public Followers	Europeans Hospital	Natives do	Hospital Servants	Lascars	Total	Total	Remaining 1st Inst.	Entered	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
11th Battalion Sepoys																			
Artillery Invalids														1	2	-	1	-	1
Invalids & Pensioners														1	1	-	-	-	1
1 Officer Dead this month last Sick 37	1	1	3	1	2	1	3	-	5	1	4	2	1	3	6	35	40	7	11	2	36
Total	1	1	3	1	2	1	3	1	6	1	4	3	1	3	7	38	41	7	14	2	38

Fort St. George 27th October 1788

Return &c of all Stations North of the Kistna with Sepoys for the Month of Oct. 1788

Garrisons as per Returns from Mr

Richardson Surgeon —

Corps	Artillery	Europeans Infantry	Invalids	Pensioners	Lascars	Bearers	Sepoys	Public Followers	Europeans Hospital	Natives do	Hospital Servants	Lascars	Total	Total	Remaining 1st Inst.	Entered	Discharged	Deceased	Remains
Invalid Europeans Infantry	1	1	1	1	1	1								6	5	1	1	-	5
Invalid Artillery			1	2		1	1	2						7	3	4		-	7
Additional Artillery				1										1	1			-	1
15th Battn Native Infantry														1	1			-	1
Invalid Coffrees			1	1	2									5	2	3	1	2	
Total	1	1	2	5	1	1	1	1	0	3	1	2	0	20	10	10	3	1	16

Sick at Nellore for the month ending 31st Oct as per Returns from

W. Fleming Assistant Surgeon to the 2d Battn Native Infantry

Lieutenant Harris

James Palmer

		Artillery	Dragoons	Total
Total		1	1	2

Return of the European commissioned Officers sick at the Cantonment of Chicacole for the month of October by return from Mr Kennedy Assistant Surgeon to the 2d Battalion

		Artillery	Dragoons	Total
11th Battalion	Drummer			
	Lieutenant		1	1
20th Battalion	Do		1	1
	the Sergt. Major		1	1
	Sergt		1	1
	Drummer		2	2
	7 Sepoys			
	Total	0	6	6

Return of the Sick at the Cantonment of Coimbatoor for the month of October as by return from Mr Macmahon apt Surgeon to the 11th Battalion Infantry —

		Artillery	Dragoons	Total
Total		1	1	2

Return of the Sick at Rajamundry for the month of October as by return from Mr Mackenzie Assistant Surgeon to the 1st Battalion Native Infantry

		Artillery	Dragoons	Total
17th Battalion	Sergeant		1	1
	Artillery Invalid	1		1
1 Officer sick this month	Total	1	1	2

Return of Sick at the Factory of Surgeon's Mate Wallace for the month of October as by Return from Mr Walker Apt Surgeon

		Artillery	Dragoons	Total
Company's Civil Servants		1	1	2
Children		1		1
Natives		6	3	9
	Total	8	4	12

N.B. No Returns for this month have been received from Mr Brabazon Surgeon at Samulcottah —

By Letter from Mr Maxwell Assistant Surgeon to the 2d Battalion 1st Native Infantry at Ellore the Europeans recd Healthy

Genl Hospl Masulipatam
6th November 1788

Signed George Harris
Headsurgeon

Fort St George 27th October 1788

General Abstract of Disorders of the Sick admitted into the Garrison Hospital of Fort St George from the 1st to the 31st October 1788

Returns	Fever	Do Ague	Dysentery	Rheumatism	Hepatitis	Pleurisy	Diarrhoea	Asthma	Tetanus	Ulcers	Hæmorrhoids	Gonorrhœa	Venereal	Scurvy	Contusions	Wounds	Total admitted	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Corps Companies																					
Invalid Artillery	1																2	1			1
1st Battn 1st Regt			1	1	1	1	3	2	2	1	1	1					16	5	9	1	1
2d Do	2				1	4	1			2		1	1	1	1		15	7	7		1
1st Battn 2d Regt	4	1		1		1	1	2		5			1	1	1	1	20	8	10		1
2d Do	2						2	2		2	3					2	14	2	6		1
3d Do	6					1	1	1		2	1	3	1	1	1		19	12	5		1
4th Do	2					4	1	1		3			2	1	2		17	4	9		1
5th Do	1				1	1	7	2		2		1	2			1	20	6	7		2
6th Do	4			1	2	1	1	2	4					1	1		23	7	11		1
Invalid Pensioners	1				2	1	2									1	6	1	2		1
15th Battn 1st Infantry							1										1				1
25th Do Do										1							1	1			
Total	20	2	1	2	1	3	2	1	5	2	1	9	3	4	3	6	4	4	1	2	3	1	2	1	1	2	8	155	55	84	1	16

Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers on the 4th Battalion of Coast Artillery from Mr. Jo Thompson Surgeon

Garrison	Battalion	Sick Soldiers	Admitted	Wounded	Fever	Dysentery	Diarrhœa	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
1	3	1	4	3	22			16	5	6		9

Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers in the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr. James Ramsay Surgeon assistant

Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers in that 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr. J. Ingles Surgeon assistant

Corps	Sick Soldiers	Fever	Rheumatism	Hepatitis	Dysentery	Diarrhœa	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
2	1	2	2	1	4	2	12	4	4		14

Abstract of Disorders in the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr. J. Ingles Surgeon

Brinjaries	Horse	Sick Soldiers	Admitted	Fever	Dysentery	Diarrhœa	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
5	1	2	1	12			12	3	4		2

Abstract of Soldiers in the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr. J. Ramsay Surgeons Assistant

Men	Accidental	Wounded	Sick Soldiers	Fever	Dysentery	Diarrhœa	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
2	2	2	1	4	5	11	13	4	4		10

Signed J. Gorhagan
Head Surgeon

Return

Fort St George 1st November 1788

General Abstract of Disorders of the Sick in the Gen.l Hospt. of Fort St George for Nov.r 1788

Returns	Fever	Do Ague	Dysentery	Rheumatism	Hepatitis	Pleurisy	Diarrhoea	Asthma	Tetanus	Ulcers	Hæmorrhoids	Gonorrhœa	Venereal	Scurvy	Contusions	Wounds	Total admitted	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
Corps Companies																					
Invalid Artillery	1	1	1														3	1	1		2
1st Battn 1st Regt				1	1	1	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	1			16	5	9	1	6
2d Do	3					1	4	1			2		1	1	1	1	15	7	7		1
1st Battn 2d Regt	4	1		1			1	1	2		5			1	1	1	20	8	10		1
2d Do	2						2	2		2						2	14	2	6		1
3d Do	6					1	1	1		2	1	3	1	1	1		19	12	5		1
4th Do	2					4	1	1		3			2	1	2		17	4	9		1
5th Do	1				1	1	7	2		2		1	2			1	20	6	7		2
6th Do	4			1	2	1	1	2	4					1	1		23	7	11		1
Invalid Pensioners	1				2	1	2									1	6	1	2		1
15th Battn 1st Infantry							1										1				1
25th Do Do										1							1	1			
Total	20	2	1	2	1	3	2	1	5	2	1	9	3	4	3	6	4	4	1	2	3	1	2	1	1	2	8	155	55	84	1	16

Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers on the 4th Battalion of Coast Artillery from Mr. Jo Thompson Surgeon

Garrison	Battalion	Sick Soldiers	Admitted	Wounded	Fever	Dysentery	Diarrhœa	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
1	3	1	4	3	22			16	5	6		9

Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers in the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr. James Ramsay Surgeon assistant

Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers in that 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr. J. Ingles Surgeon assistant

Corps	Sick Soldiers	Fever	Rheumatism	Hepatitis	Dysentery	Diarrhœa	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
2	1	2	2	1	4	2	12	4	4		14

Abstract of Disorders in the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr. J. Ingles Surgeon

Brinjaries	Horse	Sick Soldiers	Admitted	Fever	Dysentery	Diarrhœa	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
5	1	2	1	12			12	3	4		2

Abstract of Soldiers in the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr. J. Ramsay Surgeons Assistant

Men	Accidental	Wounded	Sick Soldiers	Fever	Dysentery	Diarrhœa	Total	Cured	Discharged	Deserted	Remains
2	2	2	1	4	5	11	13	4	4		10

Signed J. Gorhagan
Head Surgeon

Return

Fort St. George 7th November 1788.

Return of the Sick in the General Hospl. at Masulipatam 8 of which Ill.

General Hospital
at Masulipatam

Corps	Sick Absent	Remained	Rejoined	Invalided	Deserted	Dismissed	Died	Transferred	Total	Remained	Admitted	Total	Cured	Invalided	Died	Remained
Effective Artillery		1														
2 Battalion European Infantry	2	10	4	12	1	1	10	1	1	7	13	21	1	1	63	38
Artillery European Invalids	1	1													3	2
Infantry Do Do	5	2	1	1	3	7	1	1	5	1	1	2	30	12	13	14
Do Do Pensnrs		2			2								5	4	1	2
15th Battalion of Sepoys		1							1				1	1		
26 Battalion of Sepoys													1	1		
27th Battalion of Sepoys					1								1	1		
Total	8	17	5	13	6	5	30	2	1	9	1	3	2	7	1	2

Corps	Sick Absent	Remained	Rejoined	Invalided	Deserted	Dismissed	Died	Transferred	Total	Remained	Admitted	Total	Cured	Invalided	Died	Remained
Artillery Captain Fotts Company		1			2		1									
1st Grenadier Company									1							
1st Do Do		2		2	5											
1st Battalion Do Do		4			5			2		1						
2d Do Do																
5th Do Do					1											
6th Do Do																
26th Battalion of Sepoys					29			21	3	4						
Invalids		4			6	1	3			6						
Sick Officers Dooreys Gallantries				5	32		2		1	9						
NB. Captain Pratt died on the 12th				2	30		1	1	2	5						
Total					1											
					1											

Ellore as per Return from
Mr. Fergusson Surgeon

Corps	Sick Absent	Return from Furlo	Rejoined	Invalided	Deserted	Dismissed	Transferred	Remained	Total	Remaining	Cured	Invalided	Died	Remained
Artillery Captain Fotts Company		1			2									
1st Grenadier Company														
1st Do Do		2		2	5									
1st Battalion Do Do		4			5		2		1					
2d Do Do					1									
5th Do Do														
6th Do Do					29		21	3	4					
26th Battalion of Sepoys		4			6	1	3		6					
Invalids				5	32		2		1	9				
Sick Officers Dooreys Gallantries				2	30		1	1	2	5				
NB. Captain Pratt died on the 12th					1									
Total					1									

Ganjam as per Return from
Mr. Richardson Surgeon

Corps	Sick Absent	Return from Furlo	Rejoined	Invalided	Deserted	Dismissed	Transferred	Remained	Total	Remaining	Cured	Invalided	Died	Remained
Invalid European Infantry	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1					
Invalid Artillery			1											
Additional Artillery							3	2	1	1				
15th Battalion Sepoys		1												
Invalid Coffrees														
NB. Lieut Darby of the 15th Battn. C.														
for Hepatitis 1st instance					1									
Total					1		6			2	2		1	1

Sick at Ackwa as by Return from Mr. Heeney
Assistant Surgeon to the 15th Battalion Infantry

	Return from Furlo	Rejoined	Total
Lieutenant Harris		1	1
Do Gowell		1	1
Ensign		1	1

Fort St. George 21st November 1788

Coss North of the Kistna) its Dependencies for the month of November 1788

Return of Sick at the Factories of Jorgaum & Mundeapollam as by Return from Mr Walker Assistant Surgeon —

		Dysentery	Fevers	Remittent Fevers	Intermit. Fevers	Rheumatism	Total
Company Civil Servants	2						
Black	2						
Natives	20						
Total		1	1	5	1	20	28

Return of the Sick at Rajamundry as by Return from Mr Mackenzie Assistant Surgeon to the 17th B. N.I.

	Rheumatism	Dysentery	Rheumatism	Total
17th Battalion Native Infantry Serjeants	1			1
Invalid Artillery		1		1
Do Do			1	1
Pensioner each this month				
Total	1	1	1	3

Return of the European Commissioned Gunners Commissioned Officers Sick at the Cantonment of Cuddapah as per Return from Mr Kennedy Assistant Surgeon

	Rheumatism	Dysentery	Fever	Total
26th Battalion N. Infantry —				
Serjants	1			1
Do		1		1
Do			1	1
Drummers			2	2
Fifer			1	1
Total	1	1	3	6

Return of the Sick in the Cantonments Cuddapah as by return from Mr. Mc Allister Assistant Surgeon to the 6th B. N. Infantry

	Acute Rheumatism	Dysentery	Intermit. Fever	Remittent Fever	Rheumatism	Total
Total	1	1	1	1	1	6

Vizagapatam as per Return given Mr Briggs Surgeon

Corps	Acute Rheumatism	Chronic Rheumatism	Gangrene	Dropsy	Dysentery	Colic	Hepatitis	Intermittent	Fever	Remittent	Rheumatism	Total	Remaining	Cured	Invalided	Died	Deserted	Dismissed	Remains
1st Battalion Sepoys									1		1			2	2		1		1
Artillery Invalids									1			3		1		9	14	5	4	3		11
Invalids & Pensioners	3	4	2	1	2	1	4	1	9	1	5	4	3	4	6	30	40	10	7	1	42
Total	3	5	2	1	2	1	4	1	13	1	5	6	3	4	13	66	47	14	11	1	54

No Sick in the Garrison of Samulcotah as by Letter from Mr Roebuck, and the Europeans in the 27th Batt. Sepoys at Ellore by Letter from Mr Brewerton Assistant Surgeon all healthy

General Hospital
Masulipatam 7th December 1788

George Binny
Head Surgeon

Fort St. George 1st November 1788

General Statement of the Sick in the Hospitals and Quarters of Divisions

Corps	General Hospital	Regimental Hospital	Quarters of Divisions	Total
General Hospital	25 824	24 9		25 833
1st Battalion 1st Regt	10 324	6 11		10 341
1st Battalion 2d Regt	9 1234	5 12		9 1246
2d Battalion 1st Regt	9 1238	6		9 1244
1st Battalion 3d Regt	10 149	2 2		10 151
1st Battalion 4th Regt	2 1253	1 3		2 1256
1st Battalion 5th Regt	10 149	1 8		10 157
1st Battalion 6th Regt	24 1278	1 123		25 1401
Garrison of Bangalore	6 24	6		12 30
1st Battalion 1st Regt			2	2
1st Battalion 2d Regt	6 13	2		8 15
Artillery at Chingleput				
Artillery at Arcot				
Artillery at Vellore				
Artillery at Ambore				
Artillery at Trichinopoly				
Artillery at Madura				
Artillery at Dindigul				
Artillery at Palamcotta				
Artillery at Tanjore				
Artillery at Negapatam				
Artillery at Cuddalore				
Artillery at Fort St. David				
Artillery at Pondicherry				
Artillery at Karical				
Artillery at Madras				
Artillery at Poonamallee			

Fort St. George 7th November 1781

Return of Sick of His Majesty's 52d Regiment for the month preceding the 1st instant

Days	Sick
1st Nov. 1780	54
8th Do.	66
15th Do.	68
22d Do.	57

Fevers	20	Sick Absent	1
Remittent	1	Prisoners	5
Dysentery	20	In Hospital	5
Rheumatism	6		
Phthisis	1		
Scrofula	10		
Ca. Manus	3		
Ulceration	1		
Lues			
Scorbutic			
Hæmorrhoids			
Asthma			
Inflammat. Epa	1		
	51	Total	25

(Signed) Alexander Burns
Surgeon 52d Regiment

(Signed) Alexr. Dunmore
Lieut. Col. 52d Regt.

Fort St. George November 1780

Return of the Sick of his Majesty's 76th Regiment at Poonamallee December 1st 1780

	Names	Diseases	Age
Sept. 19	Chamberlain	Ulcer of leg	39 Years
1	Duff	Do	22 Do
25	Morgan	Do	20 Do
24	Young	Itch	25 Do
21	Montgomery	Punished	26 Do
15	Smith	Dysentery	19 Do
19	Cairns	Sore foot	20 Do
Oct. 26	Wyatt	Do	25 Do
Nov. 15	Jam. Fraser	Mania	27 Do
5	John Roberts	Ulcer of Leg	24 Do
20	Jacob Goldsmith	Do	27 Do
20	Mathew Wardlop	Do	19 Do
16	Pilgrim	Fever	23 Do
Oct. 15	Wm. Raine	Flux	31 Do
Nov. 15	James Frazer	Venereal	25 Do
23	Alex. M'Kenzie	Flux	26 Do
19	Markham	Do	28 Do
20	John M'Cauley	Do	25 Do
28	Golding	Ulcer of leg	18 Do
25	John Jackson	Flux	25 Do
29	John Loughton	Venereal	24 Do
July 18	John Royle	Flux	28 Do
Aug. 12	Clowsley	Do	27 Do
19	Joseph Kelley	Diseased Testicle	30 Do
Oct. 4	Thomas Mew	Ulcer of leg	40 Do
30	Wm. Carter	Do	26 Do
30	Henry Bridgewater	Venereal	25 Do
Nov. 13	Charles Hall	Flux	33 Do
28	Mayor	Punished	29 Do
23	John Field	Flux	30 Do
24	Marden	Fever	26 Do
26	John Bullock	Sore feet	27 Do

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Admitted on Hospital	Names	Diseases	Age
Novr 24	Blank	Diarrhoea	23
26	Richard Carter	Dysentery	22
Novr 1	John Lynn	Sore leg	28
Octo 28	Joseph Lucas	Hipatitis	29
Novr 10	Rock Rice	Ulcer	19
1	Thomas Solomons	Fever	26
25	William Jones	Ulcer of leg	25
25	Do Cato	Rumatism	23
July 19	James Leonard	Do	27
Octo 1	William Cornish	Do	22
13	John Jones	Ulcer of leg	29
19	Blacked	Do	30
28	Saml Neale	Ulcer	23
28	Saml Cooley	Do	23
28	James Harlock	Do	25
28	William Rachel	Do	27
28	Thomas Wilson	Do	24
		Do	28

Total 50

[Signed] Archd Campbell
Surgeon mate 78th Regt

Fort St George 1st November 1788

To James Anderson Esqr. MD
Physician General &c. Members of the
Hospital Board

Gentlemen,

I request you will be pleased obtain Governments permission for my leave of absence, to settle some private concerns at the Presidency; and where I have the honor to acquaint you they are very material to me, doubt not of your ready concurrence in granting me this indulgence —

Having the honor to be
Gentlemen
Your very obedient and
most humble Servant
[Signed] Thos Lord
Surgeon 2d Bn. Artillery

Warree
November 8th 1788

To James Anderson Esqr
Physician General &c. Members of the
Hospital Board

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to transmit two Indents to you, sent from Mssrs Ramsay and Ingles, which have not been fully complied with by me, and as those Gentlemen have intimated an apprehension of Complaints being made by their Commanding Officers, of their proportion of medicines fell short of the quantity supplied them last year, I beg leave

Fort St George 2nd December 1790.

Leave to send you Copies of our Correspondence on that Subject such Articles as are marked on the face of the Indents have been sent from Tellicherry, and Mr Thompsons is just come in, which I believe we shall be able to Comply with — I have the honor to be with great Respect

Gentlemen,

Your most Obedient
humble Servant
signed H Gahagan

Vellore
December the 2 1790

Copy of a Letter from Messrs Ramsay & Inglis to Mr Gahagan

Sir

I was honored with yours of yesterday informing us "That no supply of Europe Medicines could be spared from Vellore for this Cantonment — we hope the Hospital Board will take notice of your representation of the same — Should they not, we have Reason to believe a Complaint will be made by the Commanding Officer here, as our last years supply was so exceedingly small, that we have been in the greatest want — Therefore that no blame may fall on us, from either side, we take the liberty of giving you this timely information.

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It may not be understood that it has always been the practice in the Corps of Cavalry to treat the natives with Europe Medicines — We have the honor to be

Sir
Your most Obedient Servants
signed James Ramsay
John Inglis
Assistant Surgeons

Great
November 26th 1790

D. James Anderson
Physician General and President
&c. &c. Members of the
Hospital Board

Gentlemen

I have the honor to transmit with this the monthly return of this General Hospital and its dependencies for November, and to acknowledge the receipt of Mr Secretary Atkinsons Letter of the 15th, 18th and 19th Ultimo, which were without loss of time respectively attended to —

I have taken upon me to intimate it as your intention, that Gingilee Oil used in the Composition of ointments &c. was an article also intended to be furnished from this place, although it is omitted in the List, as the seeds from which it is prepared are cultivated in common are this part of the

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the Country, where it can consequently be procured
for less than from the Presidency. I believe I might
venture to say, almost every article of Country Medicine
is to be purchased in the Bazar here, and I may add
at almost every station of my department north of
the Kistna, of as good a quality, at as cheap a rate,
and some of them cheaper and fresher than at
Madras. Should your Board however think
proper to recommend any further alteration in
procuring Bazar Medicines on the spot, I beg leave
to suggest, that you may direct it at all times expedient,
to procure some articles at the Presidency, such as
Musk, Camphor, Opium &c. that are too apt, from
their value, to be sophisticated. I need not observe to
you, how very much our success in practice depends
upon the purity of these Medicines; and were a
Committee appointed occasionally by your Board,
with one of your Members to act as President to examine
& approve of such articles in particular, and indeed
of every thing sent from the Presidency to the Genal
Stations, it seems to me as expedient highly necessary
to be adopted; and will calculated to do credit to
practice, by securing the very important end of every
thing being of the purest kind, & of the best quality

Masulipatam
7th Decr. 1788

I have the Honor to be
Gentlemen Your most obedt Servt
(Signed) George Berry

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James Anderson Esqr.

Physician Genral &c. Members
Hospital Board

Gentlemen,

Andrew Devoir Sub Assistant
here, being at present totally unfit for Hospital or any
other Medical Service, from the loss of Eye sight, I
beg leave to recommend him to your consideration as a
proper object for the Pension List; with such an
allowance as your Wisdom may be equal to his
circumstances having a wife & two Children —
Permit me at the same time to
recommend Richard Briggs to your Humane notice;
being a person well known to Mr. Duffin, and has
served in this Hospital gratis for several years as a
dresser and shop assistant, with the hope of being
granted some allowance at a future period — and having
lately lost his Father on whom his entire support
depended, he is now left destitute, & has no Resource
left but his dependance on his Services in this
Hospital, which has been conducted with great
diligence and Sobriety; and I can with confidence
declare him to be a very useful person, deserving some
moderate

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Moderate allowance — I therefore entreat that you will be pleased to recommend him for five Pagodas pr. month, or less if you think proper

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen,
Your most Obedient
humble Servant
Signed J. Gerhagare
Head Surgeon

Vellore
December the 14th 1788

Fort St. George 26th December 1788

General abstract of Disorders in the General Hospl. of Vellore for Decr. 1788

Corps	Comps	Fever	Fever & Ague	Fever & Flux	Fever & Rheumatism	Fever & Pleurisy	Fever & Jaundice	Fever & Scurvy	Fever & Dysentery	Fever & Hepatitis	Fever & Wounds	Fever & Ulcers	Fever & Contusions	Fever & Abscesses	Fever & Venereal	Fever & Hydrocele	Fever & Lumbago	Fever & Sciatica	Fever & Gout	Fever & Worms	Fever & Cancer	Fever & Nausea	Fever & Delirium	Fever & Dropsy	Total	Cured	Invalided	Died	Remains
Artillery				1					5														1		2		1	1	
1st Battalion of Infantry	1st Pr	6			1	2		1		1	26	1	1	2			1							1	24	17	10		11
	2d Do	1					1	6		2	12			1	2	1						1			15	13	10		5
	1st Co	5	7		1		1	2		1	22		1									1		2	25	10	7		14
	2d Do	4					1	2	6		16			1	1	2	9							1	30	13	15		15
	3d Do	8					1	1	2	2	32	2	3	1	1	1							1	1	26	12	12		14
	5th Do	3					1	1	1		36	1		1	1		1							2	26	13	10		11
	5th Do	3					1	1	6	1	5	1	1	1		1	1					1		2	27	14	15		12
	6 Do	8	1				1	2			29	2		1			1					1		1	30	13	12		12
Recruits & Drafts							1	2	1																4		2		2
15th Battn of Infantry										1															1		1		
Total		37	1	1	1	2	3	4	10	26	5	1	22	20	9	5	4	7	7	5	1	1	2	1	3	1	10	1	226	112	107	1	96

Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers on the 1st Battn Europn Infantry on the Hospl Strength from Mr Thompson Surgeon

Corps	Comps	Fever	Fever & Ague	Fever & Flux	Fever & Rheumatism	Fever & Pleurisy	Fever & Jaundice	Fever & Scurvy	Fever & Dysentery	Fever & Hepatitis	Fever & Wounds	Fever & Ulcers	Fever & Contusions	Fever & Abscesses	Fever & Venereal	Fever & Hydrocele	Fever & Lumbago	Fever & Sciatica	Fever & Gout	Fever & Worms	Fever & Cancer	Fever & Nausea	Fever & Delirium	Fever & Dropsy	Total	Cured	Invalided	Died	Remains
1st Battalion of Infantry	1st Pr	6			1	2		1		1	26	1	1	2			1							1	24	17	10		11
	2d Do	1					1	6		2	12			1	2	1						1			15	13	10		5
	1st Co	5	7		1		1	2		1	22		1									1		2	25	10	7		14
	2d Do	4					1	2	6		16			1	1	2	9							1	30	13	15		15
	3d Do	8					1	1	2	2	32	2	3	1	1	1							1	1	26	12	12		14
	5th Do	3					1	1	1		36	1		1	1		1							2	26	13	10		11
	5th Do	3					1	1	6	1	5	1	1	1		1	1					1		2	27	14	15		12
	6 Do	8	1				1	2			29	2		1			1					1		1	30	13	12		12
Recruits & Drafts							1	2	1																4		2		2
15th Battn of Infantry										1															1		1		
Total		37	1	1	1	2	3	4	10	26	5	1	22	20	9	5	4	7	7	5	1	1	2	1	3	1	10	1	226	112	107	1	96

Abstract of Disorders of the Sick Soldiers on the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry near Arcot from Mr James Ramsay Assistant Surgeon —

Corps	Comps	Fever	Fever & Ague	Fever & Flux	Fever & Rheumatism	Fever & Pleurisy	Fever & Jaundice	Fever & Scurvy	Fever & Dysentery	Fever & Hepatitis	Fever & Wounds	Fever & Ulcers	Fever & Contusions	Fever & Abscesses	Fever & Venereal	Fever & Hydrocele	Fever & Lumbago	Fever & Sciatica	Fever & Gout	Fever & Worms	Fever & Cancer	Fever & Nausea	Fever & Delirium	Fever & Dropsy	Total	Cured	Invalided	Died	Remains
1st Regiment of Native Cavalry	Recruits																												

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General Abstract of the Sick in the Garrison for Decr 1788.

Returns	Admitted	Cured	Died	Invalided	Deserted	Remaining
Genl Hospital	1	1				
2nd Battalion Artillery	46	37	1			8
1st Battalion European Infantry	24	21				3
2nd Battalion Coast Infantry	26	24				2
22nd Regiment Native Infantry	14	10				4
13th do do	25	25				
24th do do	16	13				3
25th do do	4	4				
Seamen of Hayes	33	32				1
do Pallamcottah	12	12				
do Madura	28	26	2			
Recruits 1st Regt	6	5	1			
do 2nd do	3	3				
Artificers	2	2				
Total	240	215	4			21

State	
Fever	19
Flux	69
Leg Ulcers	43
Inflammation	66
Catarrh	72
Sore Inflammation	20
Wounds	104
Contusions	1
Ulcers	2
Rheumatism	41
Dislocations	4
Fractures	
Scurvy	
Dysentery	
Hæmorrhoids	
Hæmoptoe	
Asthma	
Epilepsy	
Cholera Morbus	
Jaundice	
Hernia	
Gonorrhœa	
Venereal	
Cancer	
Epilepsy	
Consumption	
Dropsy	
Colic	
Palsy	
Delirium	
Convulsions	
Insanity	
Remaining Sick last Year	4
Total	490

Signed J. Acord Stein
Head Surgeon

Sudlich 4th Jany 1789

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Monthly Return of the Sick of the different Corps in the Hospital Cantoned at Guntoor for the Month of December, under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Grant

Different Corps	Fever	Flux	Leg Ulcers	Inflammation	Catarrh	Sore Inflammation	Wounds	Contusions	Ulcers	Rheumatism	Dislocations	Fractures	Scurvy	Dysentery	Hæmorrhoids	Hæmoptoe	Asthma	Epilepsy	Cholera Morbus	Jaundice	Hernia	Gonorrhœa	Venereal	Cancer	Epilepsy	Consumption	Dropsy	Insanity	Sick	Entered	Discharged	Deceased	Remaining
16th Regiment Europeans	19	49	16	7	1	7	9	1	"	1	"	0	"	2	7	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	130	68	3	59
European artillery	"	6	1	"	2	2	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	10	7	"	6
Lascars	2	1	15	"	1	"	1	1	2	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	24	8	"	16
Cavalry	2	2	1	"	"	"	"	5	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	12	6	"	6
1st Battalion 1st Infantry	9	3	11	2	"	1	2	2	"	"	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	25	2	1	22
8th Battalion Lascars	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"
1st Infantry	30	4	32	2	4	"	"	2	1	1	6	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	93	40	1	54
12th Battalion 1st Infantry	20	"	10	"	1	"	"	1	4	1	"	"	1	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	43	10	"	33
12th Battalion 1st Infantry	22	8	12	14	3	"	"	"	3	2	"	1	1	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	17	82	43	1	39
Total	105	69	98	25	13	10	11	19	12	6	6	4	9	3	7	3	"	34	43	4	7	206											

Garrisoned at Guntoor
5th January 1789

Signed J. M. Gordon
Deputy Surgeon Major

Return

Fort St. George 26th December 1788

Return of the Sick &c. on the General Hospital at Masulipatam &c. &c.

General Hospital
Masulipatam

Corps

Corps	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
Effective Artillery	2	2	1	1									
2nd Battalion European Inft.	4	5	4	12	1	3	2	6	1	6	3		2
Artillery European Invalids	1	2	1		2								
Infantry Dr. Lt.	1		1	1		1							
Dr. Lt. Pensioners	2	1	1										
11th Battalion of Sepoys	1												
21st Battalion of Sepoys			1										
26 Battalion of Sepoys													
Artificers Sick													
Total	2	8	11	11	2	5	2	3	6	1	2	9	2

Above as per Return from Mr Copeland Assistant Surgeon

Corps

Corps	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
Artillery Captain Lieutenant													
1st Battalion Grenadier Company			2	1									
2d Do. Do.			3	1	3		6						
1st Battalion Do.			3				16	2	2	4	32	24	9
2d Do. Do.					1		1					2	2
3d Do. Do.							1					1	1
4th Do. Do.			4	2	4		4	1	2	6	2	25	10
5th Do. Do.					2	4	2	1		2	6	16	9
6th Do. Do.			2		3		6	2		2	7	24	18
Invalids			5		7	1	2	4				19	12
No Officer Sick this Month					1							1	1
Total			13	5	12	2	40	4	5	8	27	34	13

Vizagapatam as per return from Mr Briggs Surgeon

Corps

Corps	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
11th Battalion Sepoys													
Artillery Invalids		1			1			1				1	1
Invalids & Pensioners	1	3	1	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	7	6	6
No Officer sick this Month													
Total	1	4	1	1	3	2	4	1	1	1	8	7	7

Returns of Sick &c. on the Establishment as per Returns for the Month of December 1788

Ganjam as per Return from Mr Richardson Surgeon

Corps

Corps	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
Invalid European Infantry	1	2	1	3	1	1	9	6	3	4		5	
Lt. Artillery		1	1		2	1	5	4	1	1		4	
Additional Artillery			1				1	1				1	
18th Battalion Native Infantry				1		1	2		1			1	
Officers				1		1	2	1	1			1	
Total	1	3	3	5	1	5	19	12	6	6		12	

Sick Officers Lieutenants Le Darby & Tyrrel Total

Sick at Aska as per Return from Mr Fleming Assistant Surgeon to the 18th Battalion Native Infantry

	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
18th Battalion Native Infy Lt Warner		1					1	1					
Serjeant													
Total		1					1	1					

Sick at the cantonment of Chicacole as per Return from Mr Kennedy Assistant Surgeon to the 23d Battalion Native Infantry

	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
23d Battn Serjeants		1					1	1				1	
Drummers								1				1	
Sepoys								1				1	
Total		1	2				3	2				3	

Return of the Sick on the Garrison of Coconada as by Return from Mr Mc Millan Assistant Surgeon to the 2d Battalion Native Infantry

	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
Total	1	1	1		1		4						

Return of the Sick at the Factories of Ingeram & Tiruvas by return from Mr Walker Assistant Surgeon

	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
Total	1	25					26						

Return of the Sick at Rajamundry as by Return from Mr Mc Kenzie Assistant Surgeon to the 37th Battalion Native Infy

	Remains Sick	Admitted Sick	Recovered	Deaths	Invalided	Sent to Hospital	Total	Remained	Embarked	Discharged	Deserted	Remains	Remarks
Serjeants								1				1	
Invalid Serjeant								1				1	
No Officers Sick this Month													
Total	1	1					2						

NB Mr Ferguson, & Mr Roxburgh Mr Briggs leave of absence to the Presidency —

By Letter from Mr Boswell Assistant Surgeon the Europeans of the 2d Battalion Native Infantry at Ellore all healthy —

Signed George Bisset Head Surgeon

8th January 1789

Fort St. George 26th December 1799

Monthly Return of the Sick of His Majesty's 52nd Regiment
Commanded by Lieut. Colonel Sir Arthur Wellesley K.B.
from the 1st to the 31st December 1799

Dates	No. Sick
1st Decr.	51
8th Do.	51
15 Do.	43
22 Do.	44

Saml. Mac. Adams
Surgeon 52nd Regt.

James Anderson Esqr.
Deputy Inspector Genl. of Hospitals
Bombay

Inspector's Office

	No.
Abscesses	2
Asthmatic	1
Ague	9
Anasarca	4
Catarrhus	5
Dysentery	1
Fevers	6
Fevers Remittent	28
Fevers Intermittent	2
Hepatitis	12
Rheumatism	10
Total	80

Saml. Mac. Adams
Surgeon 52nd Regt.

Fort St. George 26th December 1799

Return of the Sick on Hospital Cot
Pensioners and Non Effectives of the 52nd Regiment Belonging to this Station

Companies	Total Sick on Hospital Cot
Major General Sam.l Hawker	7
Colonel James Stuart	4
Lieut.t Colonel George McGregor	2
Robt. Lumsdaine	13
Hugh Fenn	10
Thos.s Maitland	6
Edwards Shuldham	3
Adam Campbell	5
Sam.l Campbell	1
Hugh Campbell	5
Total	66

Saml. Mac. Adams
Surgeon 52nd Regt.

Average State of Sick Mens Cots

1st	66
8th	78
15th	71
22nd	76
29th	74
Average	65
Mens	66

Average State of Sick December 1799

1st	46
8th	53
15th	51
22	35
29	31

James Anderson Esqr.
Deputy Inspector General
of His Majesty's Hospitals

William Mackenzie
Surgeon 52nd Regiment

Fort St. George 1th January 1788

To Nicole Nein Esqr.
Senior Surgeon
Trichinopoly

Sir

I am directed to transmit the following Extract from a Letter received from Government

I am further directed to inform you that a Commission having been given to Mr. Gahagan specifying the Commencement of his Rank as full Surgeon to be from the 1st October 1777 the said Commission is to have full force and effect and is to enable him to the charge of an Hospital next after Mr. George Bairy

The Board also direct me to acquaint you that they have forwarded your letter to the Honble Board relative to the success of your Inoculating for the Small Pox and have also informed Government of your having been this beneficial practice Among the Natives by having inoculated 7 Sepoys of the 1st Battalion I shall transmit you a Copy of what the Hospital Board have said when the Proceedings are returned by Government they have not Acknowledged the Letter from Government as yet relative to Mr Gahagans Rank

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
(Signed) Andrew Berry
Secrt.

Fort St. George
7th January 1788

To

Fort St. George 7th January 1788.

To Mr. George Bell
Assistant Surgeon

Sir

Negapatam

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that the office of Storekeeper to the Hospital at Vellore will probably be vacant soon, they desire to know whether such an appointment would be agreeable to you.

I am
Sir
Your most obedient servant
(Signed) Anderson Berry
Secretary

Fort St. George
7th January 1788

To Nicol Mure Esqr.
Acting Head Surgeon

Sir

Tricheinopoly

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform that they have forwarded to the Govt. your letters with their inclosures to Government and to transmit to you a Copy of what they have said on the subject with the most other Extracts from their Proceedings Relating to you that had not been transmitted, your Indent is received and will be complied with without delay.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedt. servt.
(Signed) Anderson Berry
Secretary

Fort St. George
16th January 1788

Fort St. George 24th January 1788

To Domingo Vanderstein D'Roza
Sub Assistant

Sir

I am directed by the Physician General to acquaint you that you are to pay daily attendance at the General Hospital and act as Dr. Harris shall direct you in failure of which the Physician General will Struck you off the List of Subassistants.

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Anderson Berry
Secretary

Fort St. George
24th January 1788

To Finlay Ferguson Esqr.
Surgeon

Sir

Elore

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acquaint you in Answer to your letter of the 11th Instant that it is their Opinion you should circulate such Men as are willing without further loss of time provided you think them fit subjects

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as the preparation by Dick they must by this time have had and the Antiphlogistic Regimen they have been upon will produce a Milder Disease in the Natural way than can to be place at any future period as you however must be the best judge of the patients they only give it as their opinion the rest they leave to you

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
[Signed] Andrew Berry
Surgt

Fort St. George
24th January 1788

To Alexander Anderson Esqr
Surgeon

Sir

I am desired by the Hospital Board to acquaint you that in Consequence of an order from Government to this Board for you to Remain with the Committee of Cutwah they have Recommended Mr Lord to be appointed to the 2d Battalion of Artillery which having been approved your former appointment to that Corps is now of non effect —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your very Obedt Servant
[Signed] Andrew Berry
Surgt

Fort St. George
25th January 1788

To

Fort St. George 25th January 1788

To William Duffin Esqre
Head Surgeon
Vellore

Sir

Inclosed I have the honor to transmitting to you a letter to Mr Lord which I request you will forward to him — The Board desire me to acquaint you that they are sorry they cannot comply with Recommendation in favor of Mr Ramsay as Mr Laird his Senior has Applied for the Appointment of Storekeeper to your Hospital

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
[Signed] Andrew Berry
Surgt

Fort St. George
25th January 1788

To Thomas Lord Esqre
Surgeon

Sir

I have the pleasure to acquaint you that Government from the Recommendation of the Hospital Board have been pleased to promote you to the Rank of full Surgeon and Appoint you to the 2d Batt.n

of

Fort St. George 25th January 1788

of Artillery at Warriore you are however to remain in your present Station till your successor arrives to take Charge

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
signed Andrew Berry Secretary

Fort St. George
25th January 1788

To Nicol Mein Esqr
Acting Head Surgeon
Sir
Trichinopoly

I am directed by the Hospital Board to transmit to you the following answer to the Paragraph in the Proceedings of the 16th Instant relative to the propriety of your Pretensions to that of Mr Gahagan of which I had the honour to send you a Copy on the 16th Instant

"As the orders from the Court of Directors to which Mr Mein alludes in his letter are positive a Government order that they be acquiesced in, and that Mr Mein be allowed to remain in the Station to which the Hospital Board have recommended him, being next after Mr George Binny"

I also transmit you the following Extract from a letter from Government Dated 1st Nov 1783

With

Fort St. George 26th January 1788

With respect to the contested rank between Mr. Mein and Mr Gahagan Government have resolved that the Orders of the Court of Directors be obeyed and that Mr Mein do remain upon the List in the place you have [illegible] recommended for him being next below Mr George Binny"

Your Letters of the 6th 13th & 14th Instant have been received and the Contents therein specified complied with, the Indents have been forwarded to the Apothecary some time ago

Mr Lord by the General Orders of the 23d Instant is appointed to the 2d Battalion of Artillery Vice Mr Anderson

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your Very Obedient Servant
Signed Andrew Berry
Secretary

Fort St. George
26th January 1788

To Terence Gahagan Esqr
Surgeon
Vellore
Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to enclose you an Extract from the Proceedings of the 15th Instant and Copies of two Letters from Mr Mein also Extract of a Letter from Government

Fort St. George
16th January 1788

I am Sir
Your most obed Servant

Fort St. George 9th February 1788

To Edward Atkinson Esqr

Sir

Government having been pleased to appoint you Secretary to the Hospital Board, will you be so good as meet me at the quarters in the Fort on Monday at 10 o'Clock in the forenoon, or sooner if you chuse when I shall deliver over the Papers and other things belonging to the Office

I am
Sir
Your obedient Servant
(Signed) Andrew Berry Sect.

Fort St. George
9th February 1788

To George Anderson Esqr
Surgeon
Onjole

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to enclose an Extract of a Letter from Mr Chamier, & to desire you will transmit without delay the Names of the two Sub Assistants you were Authorised by the Government to appoint at Mellore, & in the Palnaus

Fort St. George 15th February 1788

& in what capacity they came to India whether they had the Company's Licence

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(Signed) Edwd Atkinson
Secretary

Fort St. George
15th February 1788

To Mr Henry Crawford
Sub Assistant

Sir

You are hereby ordered to hold yourself in readiness to proceed to Masulipatam by the first Opportunity

By order of the Hospital Board
I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson
Secretary

Fort St. George
15th February 1788

To James Wight Esqr

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to send you the enclosed extract of a letter from Mr Chamier on the Subject of your Application

I am Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson

Fort St. George
2d February 1788

Fort St. George 21st February 1788

To John Turing Esqre

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to send you the enclosed extract of a letter from Mr Charnier on the Subject of your Application

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
21st February 1788

To Mr William Roebrough

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to Acknowledge the Receipt of your letter dated 31st Ultimo requesting leave of absence for three Months & to inform you that as you have not Mentioned who is to supply your place during your absence or the number of men that are Sick or have been sick for the last six Months they are unable to comply with your Request till they hear from you again

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
21st February 1788

To

Fort St. George 4th March 1788

To Mr William Roebrough

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that you have their permission to visit the Residency

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
4th March 1788

To Mr George Anderson

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that you have their permission to visit the Residency

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
4th March 1788

To William Duffin Esqre

Sir

I have the pleasure to Acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 12th Instant & am desired by the Hospital Board to inform you that Mr Lord has their permission to Visit the Residency

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
19th March 1788

To

Fort St. George 16th March 1788

To Nicol Mein Esqr.

Sir

Having laid your Letter of the 5th Instant before the Hospital Board wherein you Mention that you have Received no Returns from Madura for the last three Months it was Accordingly Reported to Government in the Proceedings of the 10th Instant an Extract from which I have the honour to inclose

In Answer to which Mr Chamier informed me that if Government took any notice of it after the several General orders that had been issued to that effect particularly that of the 10th of October 1786 or in hast from which I likewise inclose that they would be obliged to put him in Arrest or dismiss him the Service The Hospl. Board therefore desire you to write to Mr Ogilvie desiring him to transmit his weekly Returns regularly to you & send him the enclosed extract

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedt humble Servt
signed Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

To

Fort St. George
14th March 1788

Fort St George 14th March 1788

To Patrick Russell Esqr.

Sir

I have the pleasure to Acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of the 11th Instant & am desired by the Hospital Board to inform you that as soon as Dr. Berry arrives at Masulipatam a Copy of the circular Letter addressed to the Head Surgeons in April last will be sent him with directions to send Copies of it to all Surgeons in his District

The Bamboo mentioned in your Letter to have been Received from Mr Duffin at Vellore will be sent you under the charge of Capt. Eagle & Mr Fleming who will embark for the Northward in a few days

I have Also to inform you that the Hospital Board have been unable to take any further steps Regarding the plan suggested in your Letter of the 24th August owing to Mr Davis one of the Members having been Confined to his room for some Months past & the time of the other Members in consequence much taken up with public Business The Board approve of your intention to send a sketch of another Circular Letter

I am Sir
Your very obedt Servant
signed Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St George
16th March 1788

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Fort St. George 25th March 1788

P.S.

Inclosed agreeable to your Request copy of the Circular letter of April last

To Neil Mein Esqre
Head Surgeon General Hospitals

Sir

Trichinopoly

I am directed by the Hospital Board to Acknowledge the Receipt of your letter dated the 13th Instant complaining of the want of Assistant Surgeons & to inform you that they Represented it to Government in their Proceedings of Yesterdays date as it is entirely out of their Power at present to Remedy being particularly prohibited by the Court of Directors from making any more Appointments of Assistant Surgeons without their express permission The Hospital Board make no doubt that you will do the duty executed in the best manner possible Mr Lord who has lately been Appointed to the 2d Battalion of Artillery is ordered to proceed to his Station immediately —

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
25th March 1788 —

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Fort St. George 8th April 1788

To Peter Drummond Esqre.
52d Regiment

Sir

Coromandel

I am directed by the Hospital Board to Acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 4th Instant Requesting an immediate supply of Madeira & to inform you that as you have not specified the quantity required we able to comply with your Request you will be pleased therefore to indent to the Apothecary for the Necessary quantity I am at the same time directed to observe that your expenditure of Madeira has been very extravagant —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt

Fort St. George
8th April 1788

To Jeremiah Adderton Esqre
Surgeon 1st Battalion
Artillery

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that you have their permission to proceed to Cuddalore —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt

Fort St. George
15th April 1788 —

Fort St. George 23d April 1788

To Patrick Russell Esqre

Sir

I have the pleasure to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 10th. Instant enclosing a Sketch of a Circular Letter & am directed to inform that a Copy of it will be sent to each of the Head Surgeons with directions to send a Copy of it all the Surgeons in their Districts —

I am directed the Circumstance to Dr. Anderson under whose care the Bamboos were that you had only Received eight & that Mr. Duffin in his letter advised you of having sent Seventy — The Doctor desires me to inform you that they were all he Received but if you want more he will write for some — I have forwarded the letter you enclosed for Mr. Duffin —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedt. Servant
Signed Edward Thomson
Secretary

Fort St. George
23d April 1788 —

Copy

Fort St. George 23d April 1788

Copy of a Letter addressed to each Head Surgeon General Hospital &c —

Dr. Russell being apprehensive that he has not been sufficiently explicite in his letter of Dec. 1786 addressed to the Hospital Board on the Subject of a proposed publication of a select Collection of useful Indian plants is desirous that they should in further explanation of their Circular Letter of April last year agree with the Gentlemen who have it in their power and may be disposed to lend Assistance in the proposed Work, that they would be so obliging as to furnish a List of such Subjects as they may be acquainted with and of which they may intend giving a more particular Account when more urgent affairs shall permit —

In the list now requested it will be sufficient to Mention merely the Common names when such happen to be known; But where the Country names only is known it will be necessary to send a Specimen of the plant Dried in paper together with the flowers, fruits or seed Vessels in order to ascertain the identity of the Subjects in question —

The Lists may be sent directly to the Hospital Board; and from the Southern districts the Specimens also; but from places to the northward of Masulipatam the Specimens of more convenient, may be sent immediately to Doctor Russell at Vizagapatam to whom will acquaint the Board with the Receipt of them —

Government

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Government having been pleased to inform
Dr. Russell that the Honble Court of Directors, according
to the last advice from England waited only for an estimate of
the expence of publication to enable them to come to an immediate
decission he is the more desirous to obtain speedily the solicited
information as it would in addition to communications already
made in consequence of the Boards former Circular Letter
put it more in his power to correct the Selection of subjects
intended for the first Fasciculus & consequently to proceed
more decisively in his part of the Task —

The Board cannot desire to give away to profitless
Assistance in the prosecution of this project, as well from their
own conviction of its utility as in compliance with the direction
of Government to that purpose they with pleasure concur with
Dr. Russells request in this second Application and are
willing to hope that an equal desire of cooperating in
the promotion of useful knowledge will induce you
to contribute all in your power to the completion of the plan
In the mean while the lists now wanted requiring little
time to be made out they flatter themselves they shall receive
them with all convenient speed; as you will readily perceive
how material such Returns must be for expediting the work
proposed —

You will be pleased therefore to send a
copy of this letter to all the Surgeons & Assistant Surgeons
in your District —

Fort St George
24th April 1788 —

I am Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Athinson
Secret

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Fort St George 30th April 1788

To William Gordon Esqr

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to return
you your letter of the 28th Instant as they have no
to the receipt of it Recommended Mr Paine to succeed the
late Mr Davis —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Athinson
Secret

Fort St George
30th April 1788

To Mr Bernard Macmahon

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your
letter of the 21st Instant requesting to know where you are
to be stationed & am directed by the Hospital Board to
inform you that you are to obey the orders of the Officer
Commanding the Battalion to which you are appointed —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(signed) Edward Athinson
Secret

Fort St George
30th April 1788

To

Fort St. George 1st May 1788

To Mr William Raine

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to send you the enclosed extract of a letter from Government & to desire you will inform the Board with as little loss of time as possible, whether you mean to accept of the Hospital at Vellore as ordered by Government to be tendered to you —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
[signed] Edward Atkinson
Secretary

Fort St. George
1st May 1788 —

To Williams Duffield Esqre

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you in that Mr Campbell has permission to visit the Presidency —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
[signed] Edward Atkinson
Secretary

Fort St. George
1st May 1788 —

Fort St. George 13th May 1788

To Mr John Barrantine
Assistant Surgeon
6th Battalion

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 1st Instant & to inform you that you are to make your Returns of the 6 1/2 Gahagan Head Surgeon of Vellore Hospital & return your Indent for Country Medicines by order of the Hospital Board — You will be pleased to indent to the Medical Storekeeper at Vellore when you are in want of Country Medicines —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
[signed] Edward Atkinson
Secretary

Fort St. George
13th May 1788 —

To Nicol Moire Esqre
Head Surgeon
Trichinopoly

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to desire you will in future countersign all Indents for Medicines for the use of the Troops in your District — & Return by order of the Board Mr Reid's Indents for your Signature —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
[Signed] Edward Atkinson
Secretary

Fort St. George
27th May 1788 —

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Fort St. George 24th June 1788

To Nicholas Heise Esqr
Head Surgeon
Trichinopoly

Sir

In answer to your letter of the 6th Instant requesting to be informed of any allowance is made to Head Surgeons of Districts for a writer & the propriety of fixing two or four Lascars at the Hospital I am directed by the Hospl Board to inform you that they decline taking any notice of it to Government as no such allowance has hither to been made —

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson Secy

Fort St. George
24th June 1788

To Terence Cahagan Esqr
Head Surgeon
Vellore

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that Mr Ingles has permission to visit the Presidency provided he has the Consent of his commanding Officer —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson
Secretary:

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24th June 1788

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To George Binny Esqr
Head Surgeon
Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th Ultimo & to inform you that they have no objection to Mr Bowes Remaining at Ingram for three Months to settle his private affairs provided he obtains the consent of the Officer commanding the 3d Regiment of Europeans to which he has been lately Appointed, I am likewise to inform you that all Indents for Medicines ought to be made out by the Medical Storekeeper at Masulipatam & countersigned by you —

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson Secrt

Fort St. George
24th June 1788

To Mr W. Thomson
Surgeon 4th Regiment Eu Infantry
Arcot

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to return you your Indent for European Medicines &c & to inform you that as soon the supply expected from Europe arriving you will receive your portion from the Medical Storekeeper at Vellore —

I am Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt

Fort St. George
24th June 1788

Fort St. George 6th. June 1788

To Mr. James Steele
Assistant Surgeon
4th. Battalion

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th Instant & to inform you that you have their permission to remain at Walgabad till the 4th. Battalion Return —

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson Secy

Fort St. George
12 June 1788

To George Bunny Esqr
Wood Surgeon
Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 4th Instant inclosing a Memorial from Mr Charles Gilwid which has been forwarded to Government agreeable to his Request you will be pleased to send him the inclosed Remarks of the Hospital Board on his claim for Rank in September last which was approved of by Government —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson Secy

Fort St. George
18th July 1788

Fort St. George 28th July 1788

To Mr. A. Thompson
Surgeon

Sir

In Answer to your letter of the 26th Instant I am directed by the Hospital Board to Return you your Indent for Medicines for the use of a Detachment of Artillery at Walajabad as you had an Indent complied with but a few days ago & know not by whose Authority you attend that Detachment as Mr. Gifford is appointed to it —

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson Secy

Fort St. George
28th July 1788

To Mr. Maurice Fitzgerald

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter & to inform you that they highly approve of your conduct in attending the sicks of the Artillery at Walajabad & to desire you will send your Indent to Mr. Bulman who will receive orders to comply with it — The Board were before unacquainted with Mr. Gifford's absence which agreeable to General Orders the Commanding Officer ought to have Reported to them —

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson
Secy

Fort St. George
28th July 1788

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To Jeremiah Addenbrooke Esqr
Surgeon 1st Battalion Artillery
Madras

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that you have their permission to proceed to Sea for the Recovery of your health agreeable to your request

Mr Alexander Anderson is ordered to do your duty at the Mount until your Return

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
[Signed] Edward Atkinson
Secrt

Fort St George
19th August 1788

To Hugh Cleghorn Esqr
Mate Surgeon
Sir
Trichinopoly

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of the 22d Instant & to inform you that they think you ought first to apply to the Commanding Officers of the Corps to which a Surgeon may be attached & if refused to make a Relief either you find any Occasion for Surgeons at the General Hospital They are likewise of opinion that what you mention of attending Punishments bears but little comparison with the duty of attending an Hospital — The officers commanding

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Regiment must be Regimented whether the Surgeon is present or absent —

I am
Sir
your very obedient Servant
[Signed] Edward Atkinson Secrt

Fort St George
25th August 1788

To Terence Gahagan Esqr
Head Surgeon
Sir
Vellore

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that Government have agreed to purchase Mr Pollards Instruments as mentioned in your letter of the 10th Instant —

You will receive the Amount on application to Mr Bulman —

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
[Signed] Edward Atkinson
Secrt

Fort St George
26th August 1788

Mr

Fort St. George 23d. September 1788

Mr. Anthony Sisseens
Cuddalore

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 15th Instant and to inform you, that they are unable to comply with your request, having already done every thing for you in their power by invaliding you on full pay — They dont expect any further Services from you unless you recover your Eye Sight

I am
Sir
Your obedient Servant
Edwd. Atkinson
Secy

Fort St. George
23d. September 1788

Mr. James Johnstone
Assistant Surgeon

Sir

I send you by order of the Hospital Board the enclosed Letter for Mr Mein for your perusal which you will be pleased to

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to forward with your Indent for Europe Medicines as soon as convenient —

I am
Sir
Your Most obedient Servant
[signed] Edwd. Atkinson
Secy

Fort St. George
24th. September 1788

Neil Mein Esqr.
Head Surgeon
Trichinopoly

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to desire you will comply with Mr. Johnstones Indent for Europe Medicines as far as the state of your Stores will admit —

I am
Sir
Your obedient Servant
[signed] Edwd. Atkinson
Secy

Fort St. George
24th. September 1788

Neil Mein Esqr.
Head Surgeon
Trichinopoly

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to Acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of the 6th

Instant

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Instant inclosing one from Mr Barber & to direct you his Indent for your compliance with as far as you may deem proper or the state of your Stores will admit —

I am desired by the Board to observe to you that whenever an Indent appears to you to be extravagant, they look upon you to be the proper person to curtail it —

I am
Sir
Your Obedt and Servt
(Signed) Edwd Atkinson
Secy

Fort St. George
11th October 1788

William Gordon Esqr
Surgeon to the northern Detachment

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to send you the inclosed extract of a letter from Government —

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Edwd Atkinson
Secy

Fort St. George
18th October 1788

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Fort St. George 15th November 1788

James Richardson Esqr
Surgeon Ganjam

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that Mr Ainslie has permission from the Resident agreeable to his Requests —

I am
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Edwd Atkinson
Secy

Fort St. George
15th November 1788

George Binny Esqr
Head Surgeon
Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of the 7th Instant & to inform you that all Assistant Surgeons with Native Battalions are to draw the pay of an Ensign of European Infantry & ten Pagodas p Month for Servants the Hospital Board has forwarded your above letter to Government & Recommended it to their Serious Consideration —

I am
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
(Signed) Edwd Atkinson
Secy

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15th November 1788

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Copy of a Letter to the different Head Surgeons

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that in future the undermentioned Country Medicines are to be Supplied by the Medical Storekeeper at Masulipatam agreeable to the orders of Government dated 1st July 1786 Viz.t Cloth, Castor Oil Cocoanut Oil Capsica Honey Toddy Coriander Seed Jaggery Country thread for Lint course paper soft sugar Squills Hogs lard Ginger Liquorice Root Sperical seeds Sugar Candy & twine,

You will please to inform the Surgeons & Assistant Surgeons in your District of the above

I am
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed Edwd. Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
13th November 1788

George Bevey Esqr.
Head Surgeon
Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that Mr.s Ferguson Burges & Roxburgh to visit the Presidency

I am
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed Edwd. Atkinson
Secrt.

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14th November 1788

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Fort St. George 21st November 1788

Nicol Mein Esqr.
Head Surgeon
Trichinopoly

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to inform you that Mr. Lind has permission to visit the Presidency

You are to point out to Genl. Horne the Assistant that can be best spared to act during his absence

I am
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed Edwd. Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
21st November 1788

William Gordon Esqr.
Surgeon to the Northern
Detachment

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to Return Mr. Webbe Indent & to desire you will supply him with what Medicine he may want from the Stores under your charge — the Hospital Board did not think proper to Comply with Mr. Webbes Indent from the Presidency as the Hanoverians are expected to be ordered back very Soon

I am
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed Edwd. Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
4th December 1788

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Fort St. George 19th December 1788

Terence Gahagan Esqr
Head Surgeon
Vellore

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of the 2d. Instant inclosing copy of your Correspondence with the Cavalry Assistants & to inform you that they approve of what you have done

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servant
(Signed) Edward Atkinson
Secrt.

N.B. I return you the Indents of Messrs. Ramsay & Inglis

George Binny Esqr
Head Surgeon
Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed by the Hospital Board to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 27th Instant and to inform you that the Gingelie Oil you are desirous of procuring, it is to be furnished by the Storekeeper at Masulipatam

Where any articles are so substituted the Hospital Board direct that the Medical Storekeeper may return them who is to have the to be charged of the Indents

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servant
Edwd. Atkinson
Secrt.

Fort St. George
19th December 1788