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To - desires that directions may be given to the Collector at Masulipatam for the payment of 2 Lacs of Rupees being the amount of Bills of Exchange drawn on that Treasury by the Governor of Bombay in favor of the Persian Ambassador, provided the Treasury at Masulipatam can provide for that amount and if otherwise the Collector be authorized to make an arrangement for postponing the payment if such delay shall not exceed 2 months from the period of the Bills falling due 152 - To - directs that Bonds in the 10<sup>th</sup> loan of 11<sup>th</sup> January amounting to Pagodas 19,000 may be held at the disposal of the Sub Director of the Government Bank 171 - To - with Copy of the Regulations of the Government Bank 583 - To - enclosing copy of a letter dispatched to the Sub Director of the Government Bank - a Bill of Exchange



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 Government Bank 633 - To - directing that Promissory  
 notes to the amount of 50,000 Pagodas may be made  
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 20,000 Pagodas in Treasury notes and the remainder  
 in Cash 687 - To - authority to be given for paying the  
 sum of Pagodas 2500 to Captain Cole of His Majesty's  
 Ship Bulldog 2598 - To - with Extracts of the minutes  
 of Council 2981 - To - directs him to prepare a  
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 for his guidance enclosed two letters from  
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 reply 3575 - From - Reporting that he has applied  
 to Lieutenant Colonel Manistott for a connected  
 statement of the Pension fund on account of the  
 families of Hyder Ally Khan and Tippoo Sultan  
 4069. -



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Advocate General

To - to state his opinion regarding the mode of proceeding which it will be advisable to adopt for establishing the guilt of the Head Native Servant in the Pay Office at Vellore - papers on the subject enclosed 1895 - From - in Answer 2116. -

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Amboina Vide "Molucca Islands"

Arcot

To the Principal Collector - Instructions for examining separately such of the mutineers as may have fallen into his hands, particularly the Native Officers - to transmit the deposition of each to the Presidency without delay 1402 - From Ditto - in Answer - and states that all the mutineers who have been apprehended in the districts under his charge have been sent to the Officer Commanding at Vellore 1453 Circular letter to the Judges and Magistrates in the Northern and Southern Divisions of Arcot - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious mendicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country - Certain persons who have been employed in the exhibition of inflammatory public shows, to be secured, if practicable 3347. -



Arnee

From the Magistrate - proposes that the Magistrates in the Centre of the Carnatic may be allowed to grant rewards to those who may bring any intelligence of consequence - a false report circulated that the noted Pagoda at Tennewelly had been thrown down and a Christian Church built in its place 3757 - To Ditto - in reply 3764. -

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To the Acting Astronomer - any plans which may be in his possession of the buildings for the accommodation of the Princes at Villore to be transmitted without delay 3454 From Ditto - forwarding the same Ibid. -

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# Bank Government

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Instant and copy of a letter which has been dispatched  
to the Sub Treasurer 147 - To Ditto - Transmits for his  
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of Council for his guidance, respecting the Native &  
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567 - To Ditto - Transmits a copy of the Regulations  
of the Bank 582 - To Ditto - with an extract from the  
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To Ditto - with an extract from the minutes of  
consultation of the 11<sup>th</sup> Instant 591 - From the Secretary -  
Transmits the Oaths of the Native Officers and Writers  
of the Bank 598 Order thereon 599 - To the Sub &  
Director - Informs him that part of the 29<sup>th</sup> Para of the  
Bank Regulations is to be omitted - That Bullion is  
to be purchased at the rate of 16 Dollars for 10  
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between Government and the Bank are to be adjusted  
upon this principle 600 - From the Secretary -  
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Council 2981.



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To the Judge and Magistrate at Salem - instructions for examining separately such of the Mutineers as may have fallen into his hands, particularly the Native Officers - to transmit the depositions of each to the Presidency without delay 1402 - From Ditto - transmits deposition of fourteen Sepoys who escaped from Vellore 2000 - Circular letter to Ditto - directs all those under the appearance of Religious Mendicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the religious usages of the Country 2349 - From the Collector at Salem - the Commanding Officer at Sankerrydooz suspicious of the affection of the Native Troops - suggests that all letters to and from Sepoys be opened at the Lappaul 3983 - To Ditto - in Reply 3985 -

Bellary and Ceded Countries -



# Bengal

*January* - From the Secretary - Transmits extract of a despatch from the Governor General to the Governor in Council at Bombay with copy of a memorandum referred to in that despatch relative to the War with Holkar and the views and disposition of Sindia. - States it to be the intention of the Governor General to furnish regularly such communications upon those points as may be connected with the public interests of this Government 18 - Order thereon 28 - To Ditto - Conveying thanks for the above intelligence 29 - To the Governor General - States having transmitted in a letter dated 13<sup>th</sup> Ult<sup>o</sup> Copy of a minute recorded by the Commander in Chief at this Presidency on the subject of providing for the defence of the territories of this establishment - Encloses copy of a further minute recorded by Sir J. Braddock on that subject, and copy of the resolutions connected with it. with copy of a separate minute recorded by Lord William Bentinck for his information and reference 67 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - Transmits for the information of the Vice President in Council, Duplicate letter which has been addressed by this Government to the Government General 71 - From the Secretary - transmits copy of the Abstract of a memorandum of Serunt Rao Holkar's movements 72 -  
From



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From the Governor General - states the resolution of the Supreme Government to effect every practicable reduction of expense, and to establish a System of rigid economy in every branch of civil and military expenditure in Bengal - Details the principles which induce the suggestion of adopting similar plans of Economy at the Presidency of Fort St George and that of Bombay - Points out such branches of military reduction as appear to admit of immediate accomplishment, and concludes with stating a solemn conviction that no efforts inferior to those described can give complete relief from the pressure of the extraordinary difficulties occasioned by the consequences of the late contests with the Mahratta Powers 100 - To Ditto - in reply 122 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - transmits for the information of the Vice President in Council, Duplicate Letter which has been addressed by this Government to the General General 125 - *February* - From the Vice President in Council - transmits copy of a dispatch from the Honorable the Governor General in answer to the application made by the Governor of Ceylon for a reinforcement of European troops 174 - From the Secretary - transmits copies of letters from the Governor General to



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to the Governor of Bombay and to the Vice Roy at  
 Goa respecting the measure of reinforcing the  
 Garrison of that place 178 - From the Governor &  
 General - states that a Treaty of Peace has been  
 concluded between Dowlut Rao Scindia and the  
 British Government and requests that Salutes  
 may be fired at Fort St George, and at the different  
 Stations of the Army 456 - Resolutions thereon 457  
 To Ditto - in reply 459 - To the Acting Chief Secretary -  
 with a Return of Shipping from 23 December 1815 to  
 9 February 1860 - To the Governor General - Transmits  
 the papers connected with a discussion respecting the  
 reduction of the military force of this Establish-  
 -ment, and submits the subject to the determina-  
 -tion of the Supreme Government 538 - From Ditto -  
 Transmits Copy of the Treaty with Dowlut Rao  
Scindia 545 - *March* From Ditto - Transmits  
 Copy of the Treaty with Deswunt Rao Holkar and  
 directs that Salutes may be fired from Fort St George  
 and all the Stations of the Army 568 Resolution  
 thereon 579 - To Ditto - in reply 580 - To the Acting  
 Chief Secretary - Transmits a copy of the Regulations  
of the Government Bank 581 - To Ditto - encloses  
 Copy of a letter from this Government to the Secret  
 Committee dispatched by the House Company's  
Ship Admiral Gardiner 584 - From - Concur in  
 the Recommendation of this Government that the

Subsidiary



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Subsidiary force be stationed, as formerly at the Capital  
 of Hyderabad 587 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - Trans-  
 mits Copy of a letter to the Secret Committee dated the  
 1<sup>st</sup> March and despatched by the Metcalfe 592 - To Ditto -  
 with Copy of a General Return of Shipping from 10<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>y</sup>  
 to 9<sup>th</sup> Instant Ibid - *April* - To Ditto - with Ditto  
 of Ditto from 10<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> March 603 - From the Secretary  
 forwards a Report of the movements of Holkar as  
 previously to the Peace 611 - To the Acting Chief  
 Secretary - Acquainting him with the arrival of His  
 Majesty's Ship Powerful at this place, and enclosing  
 Copy of a letter from Sir Edward Pelly - relative to  
 the destination of that Ship 629 - To Ditto - with  
 Copy of a General Return of Shipping from 31<sup>st</sup> March  
 to 20<sup>th</sup> April 630 - *May* - To Ditto - with Ditto of a  
 Ditto from 21<sup>st</sup> April to the 25<sup>th</sup> May 694 - From -  
 stating their Sentiments on the Establishment of the  
 Government Bank at Fort St George - express doubts as  
 to the principles of the institution, but will leave  
 experience to decide 695 - *June* - To - Transmit  
 Copy of a letter addressed to this Government by the  
 Governor of Ceylon with Copy of a Minute recorded  
 by Lord William Bentinck in consequence of the  
 application therein contained - Shall await their  
 instructions with regard to the detachments of any  
 Troops from this Establishment but shall direct His  
 Majesty's 59<sup>th</sup> Regiment to be held in readiness to  
 embark



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embark for Trincomalee at the shortest notice 784-  
 From - enclose under an open cover a dispatch to the  
 address of Rear Admiral Sir Edward Pellew, do not  
 entertain any apprehensions for the safety of the  
 Company's possessions in India from the operations of  
 the French Squadron, supposed to be destined for the  
 East Indies - deem it unnecessary to incur the charge  
 of adopting any extraordinary measures for provisional  
 defence are satisfied that if occasion should require this  
 Government will be prepared to reinforce the troops  
 on the Island of Ceylon - Confidentially rely on the  
 zeal and exertions of Sir E. Pellew and of the officers  
 and men of His Majesty's Fleet, for the defeat of the  
 Enemy's Force, should it be directed against the Com-  
 merce of the Company 793 - order thereon 796 - To  
 in reply 797 From the Secretary - With a dispatch  
 to His Excellency Rear Admiral Sir E. Pellew 798 -  
 To the Acting Chief Secretary - With copy of a General  
 Return of Shipping from 26<sup>th</sup> May to 29<sup>th</sup> June last  
 Ibid - ~~1814~~ - To Ditto - Reporting the circum-  
 stances attending the late Revolt at Vellore and  
 transmitting copies of the papers which have been  
 received on the subject - effectual measures have  
 been taken to provide against farther commotion -  
 Colonel Harcourt appointed to the Command  
 of Vellore 823 To Ditto - transmitting copy of a letter  
 from



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from Colonel Gillespie containing a further account of the operations which have taken place under his orders at Vellore together with a Return of the Killed and Wounded in the mutiny 843 - From - stating that the question referred to their decision regarding the requisition for a reinforcement of troops, for the service of Ceylon, had been fully noticed in their dispatch on the subject of the 24<sup>th</sup> Mthins 848 - order thereon 850 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - with copy of a letter from Colonel Harcourt - every practicable means will be taken to investigate the extent to which the Princes may have been concerned in the late mutiny at Vellore 860 - To Ditto - Transmitting copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding Vellore with copy of the reply dispatched to that officer 892 - To - Reporting that measures have been taken for tracing with accuracy the causes & which may have led to the late events at Vellore - Suspicion attached to one or more of the Princes - The objections to the Turband &c and the measures adopted in consequence stated - Several papers connected with the mutiny &c transmitted 941 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - Transmitting copies of letters from the Commander in Chief with enclosures relative to the enquiry which has been instituted at Vellore - Copy of a letter from the Commanding Officer of that Garrison also enclosed 994 - To Ditto - Enclosing copy of a letter from the Commander in Chief with copies of enclosures



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1037- To- Transmitting Copies of papers containing a continuation of the proceedings relative to the meeting at Vellore with observations - Copies of General orders and Minutes of the President and Commander in Chief enclosed 1179 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - forwarding Correspondence with the Deputy Adjutant General respecting the regulations for military dress - Copies of papers connected with the Enquiry into the grounds of objection to the use of the new Turbans enclosed 1184 - To- Transmitting Copies of a Minute and its enclosure from the Commander in Chief relative to the appearance of disaffection among the Troops at Wallajahbad - The measures adopted for restoring order reported - Major General Fuller appointed to command the Center Division of the Army of this Presidency - Recommends that the embarkation of the 19<sup>th</sup> Dragoons and 94<sup>th</sup> Regiment may be postponed in consequence of the present posture of affairs - The Commander in Chief has been requested to give immediate orders for the prosecution of the Military Trials at Vellore 1188 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - enclosing Copy of a Minute and of its inclosures recorded by the Commander in Chief relative to the recent occurrences among the troops at Wallajahbad - His Excellency has

proceeded



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proceeded to Wallajahbad for the purpose of investigating  
 the origin of the disturbance at that place - Copy of a  
 letter addressed to Sir John Bradock containing an ex-  
 planation of the measures proposed to be adopted  
 enclosed - a minute of Mr Petri on the subject of the  
 recent orders respecting the dress of the native troops  
 also enclosed 1236 - *August* To Ditto - Transmitting  
 papers relative to the late appearance of disaffection  
 among the troops at Wallajahbad 1234 - To - enclosing  
 copies of a minute and its enclosures from the  
 Commander in Chief relative to the discovery of a  
 dangerous confederacy connected with the late events  
 at Vellore - The intention to embark the Princes for  
 Bengal stated - the confidence in the Native Army  
 considerably diminished - the inadequate strength of  
 European force stated, request in consequence that a  
 reinforcement of one Regiment may be sent from  
 that Presidency 1380 - To the Acting Chief Secretary -  
 Reporting that since the date of the last dispatch no  
 event of material importance has occurred at this  
 Presidency - Copy of a minute &c by the Commander  
 in Chief relative to the enquiry instituted at  
 Wallajahbad enclosed together with an extract of a letter  
 from the Officer Commanding at Vellore containing  
 a satisfactory account of affairs at that place 1460 -  
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 together



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together with copy of instructions to that Officer relative to the removal of the Princes 1487 - To Ditto - Transmitting copy of a letter to the Honble the Secy Committee dispatched overland 1490 - From - acknowledging the communications from this Government relative to the unhappy events at Vellore - Express admiration of the conduct of Colonel Gillespie and the detachment under his orders - will suspend their judgment with respect to the origin of those disastrous events until they shall have received further information - Express their apprehension of the alarming consequences which the orders prohibiting the distinctive marks of casts, were calculated to produce - suggests the expediency of issuing an additional order which may cause the Native Troops to clearly understand that they are at liberty to resume their marks &c &c without the slightest controul - the guilt of Mr. Gordon appears evident - the measures adopted for tracing the origin of the mutiny appear judicious and the minute of the President of the 17<sup>th</sup> July entirely approved 1863 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - enclosing copy of a letter to this Government from the Secy Committee of the Court of Directors relative to a reinforcement of troops sent out to this Country by the way of Prince of Wales's Island - States the arrangements proposed to be adopted



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adopted for conveying the troops from Penang 1933 -  
To Ditto - with copy of a letter which has been dis-  
patched in cypher to the Secret Committee 1935 -  
To Ditto - enclosing copy of a letter from the Officer  
Commanding Vellore relative to the intended removal  
of the Princes 1965 - To Ditto - Transmitting a Summary  
of the proceedings of the Vellore Commission 1991 - To Ditto  
enclosing copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding  
Vellore reporting the departure of the Princes 2059 - From -  
enclosing copy of a Minute by the Governor General  
suggesting the adoption of measures in consequence  
of the late mutiny at Vellore, approve the intention  
of sending the Sons of Tipper and their principal  
adherents to Bengal, deem it inexpedient to send a  
Regiment of Europeans to this Presidency and  
suggests the propriety of preventing the arrival  
of any European troops from Ceylon 2087 - From -  
Replying to the dispatch of the 21<sup>st</sup> February last  
on the state of the military establishment of this  
Presidency - suggests various arrangements &c. &c. 2123 -  
To - enclosing a list of the Princes who will be  
embarked in His Majesty's ship Bullocken - Lieute-  
nant Colonel Marriott will proceed with the  
Princes to Bengal, has been directed to place him-  
self under the orders of the Governor General on his  
arrival



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arrival - request that he may be directed to return to Fort St. George, for the purpose of again proceeding to Fort William with the families of the Princes - Colonel Marriott intimately acquainted with the Characters of the Princes - a Statement of the allowances to the Princes during the residence at Vellore enclosed - the conduct of Lutty Hyder considered to be deserving of favorable indulgence - such allowances as may be necessary will be granted to the families of the Princes until their arrival in Bengal 2170 - To the Acting Chief Secretary - forwarding the detailed proceedings of the Vellore Commission 2175 - To Ditto - with copy of a letter addressed to the Government of Fort St. Cornwallis respecting the arrangements which it is intended to make for the conveyance of the Troops who are expected to arrive at that Presidency from England - forwards letters for transmission to the Government of Prince of Wales's Island 2203 From the Secretary - with a dispatch addressed to Sir Edward Pellew 2205 - *September* - To the Acting Chief Secretary - acknowledging a letter of the 7<sup>th</sup> ultimo enclosing one for transmission to Sir E. Pellew 2206 - From the Secretary - enclosing copy of a letter to the Resident at Hyderabad approving his conduct and that of Colonel Montresor on the late appearance

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of disaffection among the Native Troops at that  
 Presidency 2217 - From - acknowledging despatches  
 relative to the late events at Vellore - observations in  
 consequence - Request that the embarkation of the 19<sup>th</sup>  
 Dragoons and 94<sup>th</sup> Regiment may not be postponed -  
 deem it unnecessary to advert to the specific points  
 of discussion in the late proceedings of this Govern-  
 ment, but recommends the observance of the  
 general principles described in their despatches of the  
 1<sup>st</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> Instant 2338 - From the Secretary - desiring  
 that the Princes attendants may be limited to  
 such a number as may be absolutely necessary and  
 stating that the whole will be sent back and  
 their places supplied by the officer at Calcutta who  
 may be entrusted with the charge of the Princes  
 2377 - From Ditto - reporting that it has been  
 deemed expedient to engage the Sarah Christiana  
 for the purpose of conveying to England the latest  
 intelligence of the state of affairs on the Coast -  
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for this place and requesting she may not be detained beyond forty eight hours after her arrival  
 2384 - From the Secretary - stating the inexpediency of sending the families of the Princes to Bengal - that measure not to be adopted without the previous sanction of the Supreme Government - The arrangement for limiting the number of persons to be immediately sent to Bengal satisfactory - The Princes will be confined strictly within the Walls of the place allotted for their Residence and the utmost degree of vigilance will be observed in guarding them - Copy of the Governor General's Minute on this subject enclosed - a descriptive list of the persons composing the families of the Princes to be transmitted together with a statement of the advances hitherto granted to them and to the Princes 2455 - From Ditto - enclosing copy of instructions to the Resident at Hyderabad in reply to his dispatch of the 14<sup>th</sup> Ultimo 2515 - *October* From the Chief Secretary - Reporting the arrival of the Mysore Princes and that their attendants will be sent back to this Presidency 2581 - To Ditto - stating that the Sarah Christianah had been prevented from sailing first by the insufficiency of her crew, and afterwards by a communication relative to certain hostile movements of the Maratta powers -

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Detailing the motives under which Government detained the ship, and expressing a confidence that they will be approved by the Supreme Government. a copy of the despatch about to be forwarded to England will be sent to Bengal without delay 2583 - From - Respecting discontent at Hyderabad and recommending the removal of the Troops composing the Subsidiary Force at that place and at Travencore 2624 From - Signifying the arrival of the Princess at Bengal, and detailing further arrangements 2663 - From the Secretary - reporting the death of Meer Haider ally 2796 - Resolution thereon 2800 From Ditto - respecting the passage of Troops from Prince of Wales's Island expected at that Island from England 2838 - From Ditto - enclosing copy of a letter addressed to the Resident at Hyderabad and expressing the hope that the recommendation of the Resident respecting the Officers of the Subsidiary force sent prisoners to Fort St. George may have the concurrence of this Government 2840 - To Ditto - stating that the Sarah Christianah has been despatched and forwarding copy of a letter to the Secret Committee explaining the cause of her detention. A copy of the detailed despatch by that ship has not yet been got ready from the extreme pressure of public



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public business, but will be transmitted to Bengal as soon as possible 2849 - From respecting the allowances to be in future paid to the Mysore Princes and their families and requesting to be informed of the arrangements proposed here for that purpose - Recommends that the amount of the stipends hitherto paid at Vellore shall be made competent to every contingent expenditure on their account 2951 - To the Secretary - The Commanding Officer at Vellore has been directed to acquaint the relations of Meer Cauder ally with the circumstances of his death and funeral 2969 - To with a copy of the despatch transmitted to the Secret Committee by the Sarah Christianah - Particular attention requested to certain points - a copy is also transmitted of the despatch to the Secret Committee by the last Fleet 2970 - To the Chief Secretary - Transmitting copy of an overland letter to the Secret Committee 2982 - From requesting to be furnished with a statement shewing the actual state of the stipend payable to the Mysore Princes and their families - Recommending that this fund should now be transferred to Bengal with the reservation of such a proportion of it as may be necessary for the support of Hyder and Tippoo's Mahals &c 3039 - From the Secretary -

Relative



# Bengal continued

Relative to the movement of Corps to Hyderabad -  
 It is necessary that the President should be made  
 acquainted with all movements intended on the  
 subsidiary force and all other Intelligence of importance  
 Has received official intimation of the intended  
 relief subsequent to the above 3041 - From Ditto -  
 enclosing Extract from the instructions furnished to  
 Lieutenant Colonel Richardson in charge of the  
 Mysore Princes and copy of a letter from that  
 Officer reporting his proceedings in consequence -  
 requesting that on Lieutenant Colonel Marriotts  
 return to Fort St George he may be vested with the  
 necessary authority to select those individuals of  
 the Princes families that are to be permitted  
 to proceed to Bengal 3044 - To Ditto - The  
 Resident at Hyderabad has been made acquainted  
 with the arrangement for the relief of the  
 Native Corps stationed there, and will be fur-  
 nished with such information as it may be  
 considered material for him to possess 3058 -  
 November - To the Chief Secretary - Transmitting  
 copy of a letter dispatched to the Secret Committee  
 by the Honble Company's ship William Bt 3225  
 From - acknowledges the receipt of the dispatch  
 relative to the detention of the Arab Christians -  
 Concerned



# Bengal continued

Concerned to observe the sensation created by Colonel Montresor's letter as there is no probability of disturbance at present - The Statement in Colonel Montresor's letter that Holkar and Scindiah are near each other is erroneous from the expediency of transmitting to England the Intelligence in Colonel Montresor's letter - approve of the reasons for detaining the Sarah Christiana 3254 - From the Secretary - transmitting a dispatch from the Resident with Scindia 3388 - To - in reply to this letter of the 21<sup>st</sup> October 3393 - To - stating that an appearance of disaffection has evinced itself among the Native Troops at Nundydroog, and submitting the papers relative thereto - The extent of their plans not ascertained - much mischief seems to have resulted from the exhibitions of religious Mendicants - The origin of such artifices is not discovered - Copy of a report of Major General Macdonnell on the Subject is transmitted - The disaffection appears in some degree to have spread to Bangalore - The punishment has not yet been determined which it will be proper to inflict, but it is considered dangerous to suffer the offence to pass with impunity - The motives communicated under which intelligence of this commotion has been withheld from the Secret Committee - Copy of a Minute of the Commander in Chief is transmitted - Lord William Bentinck and Mr. Petrie will at a future period record their Sentiments



# Bengal continued

Sentiments 3405 - From the Secretary - transmits  
 copy of a letter from the Resident with Scindiah 3538 -  
 From Ditto - with Ditto 3542 - To Ditto - with ac-  
 knowledgments for Intelligence communicated by  
 the Supreme Government 3556 - To - expressing satis-  
 faction that the Princes are not to be returned  
 to Vellore, and transmitting copies of Minutes  
 recorded by the Commander in Chief and by Mr.  
 Pether on that subject, also copy of a statement of  
 the former relative to the mutiny at Vellore -  
 means have been taken for procuring plans of  
 the accommodations for the Princes at Vellore -  
 the most guilty of their adherents will be brought  
 to trial, and the others will be sent to Mysore -  
 the expenses of the families of the Princes at  
 Vellore have been reduced to the lowest scale -  
 It is not thought advisable to curtail the  
 allowances for the Mahals - a statement will  
 be forwarded of the whole expenditure at Vellore  
 3599 - To - with copy of a Minute of the Commander  
 in Chief containing his decided disapprobation  
 of the reduction of the strength of the Companies  
 of the Native Regiments, which receives the  
 concurrence of this Government - also with copy  
 of a Minute of Lord William Bentinck, suggesting  
 the concentration of one European force, and with  
 copies of Minutes of the Commander in Chief  
 and of Mr. Baker, disapproving of the plan 3659 -  
 From the Secretary - acknowledges the receipt of  
 copy of the despatch from this Government -  
 dated



# Bengal Continued

dated 14<sup>th</sup> October to the Honorable the Secret Committee - Explanations thereon 3706 - To the Chief Secretary - with plans of the buildings for the Princes at Villore - one connected plan will be forwarded as soon as it is prepared 3745 -

*December* - From the Secretary - Transmitting copies of a memorandum delivered by Lieutenant Colonel Marriott respecting the removal of the families of the Mysore Princes 3869 - Resolution thereon 3904 - To - explaining the circumstances of the recent agitation among the troops at Palamcottah - measures are taken to counteract the machinations of Religious mendicants and a Proclamation had been published to allay the present ferment 3940 - To the Chief Secretary - with copy of a letter to the Secret Committee 3961 - To - stating that the alarm was extended from Palamcottah to Travincor, and that the greater part of the Native Troops at that Station had been disarmed, and reporting the measures adopted in consequence Lieutenant Colonel Grant and Major Welsh will be brought to trial - a Detachment sent from Ceylon, will be embarked as soon as possible 3962 - To the Chief Secretary - stating that the Commanding Officer at Trinnevelly has acted with an overstrained degree of Caution, but that sanguine hope are entertained of the early reestablishment of confidence 3978 - From the Secretary - Transmitting accounts of Scindia and Holkar 3987 -

To Ditto



# Bengal continued

To Ditto - with acknowledgments for Intelligence communicated by the Supreme Government 4003 - From - approving the statements stated in the dispatch to the Honble the Secret Committee in reference to the late Commotion - confirms the measures generally adopted here and recommends the disbanding of the two Regiments concerned in the mutiny at Vellore and the Banishment of the remaining mutineers in confinement 4033 - Minutes thereon 4054 - From - in reply to a dispatch dated the 14<sup>th</sup> November conveying intelligence of the further appearance of disaffection at Mundydroog and Bangalore - the opinion of the Supreme Government is given as to the nature and probable extent of the mutiny and the utmost energy recommended together with the precaution to discontinue the levy of recruits who may have been formerly in the Service of the Sultans of Mysore 4056 - Resolutions thereon 4065 - From - conveying the intelligence that the Government at the Cape will dispatch to Fort St. George a Regiment of Infantry in place of the 47<sup>th</sup> intended to be landed here, and that the troops from Prince of Wales's Island will also be dispatched to Fort St. George, refers the propriety of immediately embarking for England 4066 - Minute thereon 4068 - To the Secretary - Lieutenant Colonel Marriott has proceeded to Vellore for the purpose of conveying the families of the Princes to Bengal - The Commander in



# Bengal continued

in Chief earnestly recommends that the Europeans as well as Native part of the escort, may be relieved at Gangjam 4123. To the Chief Secretary - with copy of Lieutenant Colonel Munro's Report relative to the supposed disaffection among the Native Troops at Wallajahbad - satisfactory to find it so favorable, the measures intended to be adopted in consequence 4138. To Ditto - with copies of papers relative to supposed disaffection among the Native Troops at Sankerrydoo - no immediate importance is attached to the intelligence 4140. To - Transmit sequel of the proceedings of the Committee at Bangalore - also all the papers connected with the office which has been given to the Mysore Government - Lieutenant Colonel Agg has been removed from his Command 4336. To the Chief Secretary - with recommendations for the relief of the battlers and doolies attending the families of the Princes - from Vellore - provisions will be had in readiness 4765. To Ditto - Transmitting General Returns of Shipping from 22<sup>d</sup> September to the 21<sup>st</sup> December 1806 - 4766.

# Bombay

From the Governor - Forwards a summary of the principal heads of intelligence received from Bussorah - From - transmits copy of a report from General Nicolls

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# Bombay Continued

in consequence of a requisition made by the Envoy at Goa for a reinforcement of British troops, and copy of a subsequent letter from Sir William Clarke urging his former request - Request the sentiments of this Government on the arrangement suggested by Sir William Clarke 126 - To - in reply 138 - From - states his having drawn Bills for Rupees 200,000 on the Collector at Masulipatam in favor of the Persian Ambassador, and the circumstances which induced him to this measure 148 - To - in reply 151 - To - reporting the circumstances attending the late mutiny at Vellore and transmitting papers relating to that event 23/10 -

Bussora vide "Bombay"

## Calcutta Papers of

To Mr. Hodgson - Instructions for his guidance in his mission to the Western Zemindars for the purpose of rendering more effectual the permanent Settlement concluded in 1802 - 2052 - From Ditto - his report in consequence 30/60 -

Calicut vide "Malabar Coast."



Canara vide "Malabar Coast"

Candia vide "Ceylon"

Cape of Good Hope

From Major General Sir D. Baird - communicates information respecting the capture of the French Frigate *La Volontaire* and the expected French Squadron 644. -

Ceded Countries by His Highness the Nizam

From the Officer Commanding the Ceded Districts to the Commander in Chief - Reporting that perfect tranquillity and good order prevail at Bellary and at other Stations under his command 1105. - From the Principal Collector - Reporting depredations committed by Hurry Naigue an expelled Poligar of the Doowat 1242 - To the Officer Commanding - Transmitting for his information the copy of the above mentioned letter - instructions in consequence 1247 - To the Principal Collector - Enclosing copy of instructions to the Commanding Officer of the Ceded Districts and to the Residents at Poona and Hyderabad relative to the seizure of Hurry Naigue 1253. - From the Officer Commanding - Recommends the suspension of measures for the seizure of Hurry Naigue until the Tumhaddra becomes fordable 1963 - Circular letter to the Judges and Magistrates in the Southern, Western and Eastern Divisions - directs all those under the appearance of Religious Mendicants to be watched with particular care tho' without infringing on the Religious usage of the Country 3349. - From the Judge and Magistrate in the Southern Division - in answer 3522. - From Ditto at Bellary - acknowledges receipt of a letter dated the 12<sup>th</sup> Instant and reports the arrest of several Takers by Lieutenant Colonel Martin at Bellary 3865. -



## Ceylon

From the Governor - stating the inadequate means of defence possessed by the Island of Ceylon should an Enemy attack it, and requesting a reinforcement of a Regiment of Europeans 774 To Ditto - in reply 780 - To the Chief Secretary - Enclosing copy of a letter from the Supreme Government relative to the subject of the letter from this Presidency of the 7<sup>th</sup> June 851 - To the Governor - reporting the events which have recently occurred at Vellore and the dangerous consequences which may be apprehended - Request a reinforcement of as many European Troops as can be spared the urgency of this request stated 1385 - To the Officer Commanding at Trincomallee - acquainting him that it has been deemed necessary to require an immediate reinforcement of European Troops from Ceylon and that His Majesty's Ship Rufel has in consequence been dispatched to Trincomallee for the purpose of taking on board the greatest number of men that can be spared from that Garrison 1394 - To the Chief Secretary at Colombo - with copy of the above mentioned letter 1396 - From the Governor of Ceylon - Reports the departure for this coast of a Detachment of His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment and states the grounds upon which he considers himself warranted in sending so large a portion of the European force in that Island 2476 - To Ditto - in reply 2491 -

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## Ceylon Continued

To the Chief Secretary at Colombo - Transmitting  
 Copy of a letter to the Officer Commanding the  
 Southern Division relative to the re-embarkation  
 of His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment for Colombo 2199 -  
 From the Officer Commanding at Trincomallee -  
 Reporting the embarkation of one hundred men  
 for this Presidency 2205 - To the Governor of Ceylon -  
 transmitting the proceedings of the Vellore Commission  
 with two letters from Colonel Gillespie regarding the  
 revolt at that Fort - Copies of two General Orders  
 to the Army also enclosed 2308 - To Ditto - with copies  
 of letters from the Officer Commanding the Southern  
 Division of the Army stating the difficulty which  
 would attend the embarkation of the 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment  
 for Colombo at this season - Reports the arrange-  
 -ments made in consequence by Sir E. Pellew for  
 conveying that Regiment to Ceylon 2328 - To the  
 Officer Commanding at Trincomallee - Reporting  
 that His Majesty's Ship Pilliquet will touch at  
 Negapatam for the purpose of taking on board the  
 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment for Trincomalee 2333 - From the Deputy  
 Secretary to the Government of Ceylon - Enclosing Copy  
 of a despatch to this Government dated 12<sup>th</sup> August  
 relative to the departure of Troops for the Coast  
 2336 - From the Governor of Ceylon - requests that  
 the 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment may be sent direct to Colombo  
 2468 - To Ditto - in reply 2469 - From Ditto -  
 Concurring



## Ceylon Continued

Concurring in the proposed manner of conveying the 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment back to Ceylon from the Coast 2848 - From Ditto - Acknowledging the receipt of a letter of Government dated 14<sup>th</sup> September with thanks for the communication 2853 - From Ditto - Concerning the Troops dispatched by him to the Coast 3905 - To Ditto - in reply 3919 - From Ditto - on the subject of the Detachment sent from Ceylon and urging its speedy return on account of the scarcity of Troops on the Island - Covers copies of instructions to the Commanding Officer of the Detachment 4125 - To Ditto - in reply 4135 -

## Cringeput

To the Collector - with an extract of a letter from Colonel Gillespie to take measures for providing the supplies required by that Officer 1285 - Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious mendicants to be watched with particular care, the without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country - Certain persons who have been employed in the exhibition of inflammatory public Shows to be secured, if practicable 3347 - From Ditto - in answer 3522 - To Ditto - Directing that means be taken for discovering and apprehending the authors of certain absurd and injurious reports 3533 -



## Chittoor

To the Judge and Magistrate - Instructions for examining separately such of the mutineers as may have fallen into his hands, particularly the Native officers - to transmit the deposition of each to the Presidency without delay 1402 - From Ditto - Reporting that the prisoners taken in that Jittah have been sent to Vellore 2020 - Circular letter to Ditto - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious Mendicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without impinging on the Religious usages of the Country - Certain persons who have been employed in the exhibition of inflammatory public shows, to be secured, if practicable 3347 - To Ditto - Directing him to use his endeavours for the apprehension of the author of an absurd rumour mentioned in a letter from Colonel Gillespie of which copy is inclosed 3495 - From the Special Commission - Report that some prisoners have been sent for trial from Vellore, and that so soon as all the Evidences appear their proceedings will commence 3554 - From the Magistrate - proposes arrangements for the detection of secret conspiracies 3750 - To Ditto - in reply 3762 - From the Commissioners - Announcing that they have completed their investigation on six of the prisoners whom they propose returning to Vellore 3938 - From Ditto - respecting a prisoner sent from Vellore 3999 - To Ditto - the prisoner should be brought to trial 4002 - From the Special Commission - transmits Copies and Translations of the six trials lately carried on at Chittoor 4342 - To Ditto - in reply 4343 -



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Hodgson Mr John

To - Instructions for his guidance in his mission  
 to the Western Zemindaries for the purpose of  
 rendering more effectual the permanent H  
 Settlement concluded in 1802 - 2052 - From -  
 His Report in consequence 3060. -

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Oakes. Mr Thomas

This Minute - stating his reasons for declining a discussion of the claims of the Commander in Chief to participate of the Bazar fund - Submits his opinion regarding the propriety of embarking the Princes at Sadras 1945 - This Minute - in reference to his opinion recently submitted regarding the embarkation of the Princes at Sadras 1974 This Minute - Recommends that the Commission be again ordered to assemble at the Presidency for the purpose of investigating the imputed neglect and want of vigilance on the part of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott 2062 This Minute - His sentiments on the late Revolt at Vellore and on the cause of that event 2255 - This Minute - His opinion regarding the disposal of the Vellore prisoners 2363 - This Minute - advising that the Pakehs be detained until further intelligence shall be received 2641 - This Minute - Dissents from the proposition of the President, for the concentration of the European troops on the ground that disaffection is not of such a degree as to warrant the want of confidence, which that measure would betray - adverts to the causes of the alienation of the Sepoy mind, and to the means of removing them 2646 - This Minute - stating



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Oakes Mr Thomas continued

stating it as his opinion that the disaffection at  
Mallajahbad is not so extensive as represented

3789. —

Petrie Mr William

This Minute — upon the subject of the proposed  
reductions, feels himself under the necessity of  
recording his dissent to the measure — Takes an  
extended view of the subject, and opposes it as a  
measure pregnant with danger 336 — This Minute  
affirms that he has not been guilty of those mis-  
statements which are imputed to him by His  
Lordship, and then proceeds to a farther explanation

445 — This Minute — states that he never meant to  
say that the Right Honble the President ever in-  
tended to offer any opinion of Censure, or approbation  
upon any preceding measure except those distinctly  
and specifically expressed in his Lordship's Minute

453 — This Minute — stating his opinion regarding  
the Suspension of such part of the General Orders —  
as relate to the dress of the Native Troops and so  
which appear to be greatly objectionable 931 —

This Minute — concurring in opinion with the  
President regarding the propriety of refraining from  
any observations on the late unhappy event at  
Vellore until the report of the Commission shall  
have been received 939 — This Minute — states  
his



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his opinion that the Superintendence of the Princes and their families at Vellore, should be vested in Colonel Harecourt or the officer commanding at that place and that all the details of interior arrangement should be left to Colonel Marriott 1001 - This Minute approving the proposition of the President relative to the offer of full pardon to such men of the 2<sup>d</sup> Patta - Lion 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment as may have had communication with the Princes or their adherents at Vellore 1007 - This Minute - Relative to the circular instructions to officer commanding Stations. &c. on the subject of the New Turband 1068 - This Minute - Stating that any delay on the military trials of the persons engaged in the late mutiny at Vellore may be productive of serious consequence 1128 - This Minute - in reference to the discussion which had occurred regarding the sanction of Government to the regulations adopted for military dress - disclaims all previous knowledge of those regulations which relate to certain alterations in the dress and distinguishing marks of the Sepoys 1226 - This Minute - Recommending that the fullest enquiry should be made into the complaints of the Sepoys in reference to the mistake which is stated to have occurred at Wallajahbad by the detention of the men within their Barracks till noon without food - Recommends also an investigation into the Complaint preferred by Colonel Gillespie against the civil power 1234 - This Minute -

observations



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observations on the report and proceedings of the Com-  
 mission lately held at Vellore - States the propriety of  
 instituting a farther investigation in the causes of the  
 late Revolt as they relate to the duties of the indivi-  
 duals entrusted with high and responsible situa-  
 tion 1969 This Minute - States his objection to the  
 proposition of Mr. Baker for embarking the Princes  
 at Ladras 1985 - This Minute - Stating his reasons  
 for objecting to the investigation of the conduct of  
 Lieutenant Colonel Marriott in the manner pro-  
 posed by the President 2063 - This Minute - rela-  
 tive to the investigation of Lieutenant Colonel  
 Marriott's conduct 2071 - This Minute - Submitting  
 his opinion regarding the publication of the proposed  
 General Order to the Army 2139 - This Minute -  
 Recording his opinion regarding the Amnesty re-  
 commended by the Supreme Government to the  
 persons concerned in the late Revolt at Vellore 2297 -  
 This Minute - in reference to the opinion of the  
 President and Commander in Chief regarding the  
 disposal of the prisoners at Vellore 2361 - This Minute  
 his opinion on the proposition of the President for  
 disposing of the Native Officers and Sepoys of the two  
 Battalions at Vellore against whom no positive  
 guilt has been established 2527 - This Minute -  
 Approving



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Letter Mr William continued

approving the temporary detention of the Packet  
but advising that she should now be dispatched  
without delay 2638 - This minute - shares with  
concern the opinion recorded by the Supreme  
Government on the measure of sending the Princes  
to Bengal - brings forward reasons in favor of the  
measure and respectfully appeals to the Court  
of Directors and other high authorities whether  
Government was not justified by existing circum-  
stances - Reasons for not stating these situa-  
tions sooner 2022 - This minute - gives as his  
opinion that the affairs at Mallajahbad, do not  
call for the immediate interference of a European  
force - Recommends that the Commander in  
Chief do immediately repair to that Station  
to enquire into the origin of the disaffection -  
Recommends that Major Hazlewoods proposition  
be adopted for the advance of a part of the  
Cavalry from Arct 3781 - This minute - treats  
of the late disturbances among the Native Troops -  
Recommends the arrest of Fakurs who are  
exciting them to revolt &c 4146 - This minute -  
regarding the report lately received from Lieutenant  
Colonel Forbes and Captain Corbett 4764. -



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Strange Mr James

This Minute - Supports the recommendation of the President for the reduction of the Army, and second the resolution of submitting the measure for the approbation of the Supreme Government 370 - Order thereon 453 - This Minute - Recording the reasons which induced him to concur in the expediency of establishing a Bank at this Presidency, and urgently recommending its continuation 768 - Order thereon 774 - This Minute - Concurring in opinion with the President and Mr. Petrie regarding the Circular instructions of the Commander in Chief to Officer Commanding Stations on the subject of the new Turband 1069 - This Minute - Concurring in opinion with the President and Mr. Petrie regarding the degree of responsibility attached to Government in the issue of the Regulations for Military dress 1255 -

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To - The special Commission, of which he was a member, being dissolved, he is directed to join his station 3223.

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Columbo vide "Ceylon"

Combaconum vide "Tanjore"



## Dindigul

Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate of the Zillah of Tharapooram - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious Mendicants to be watched with particular care tho without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country 3349. - From Ditto - in answer 3607. -

## Tharapooram vide Dindigul

## England

The letter to the Secret Committee of the Honble Court of Directors &c. Admiral Gardiner Read and approved 453. - The letter from Ditto dated 1. April last. Read 1930. - Resolutions thereon Hid. - The letter to Ditto by the Honble Company's Ship William Pitt, Read and approved 2801. -

## Fort Cornwallis vide "Prince of Wales's Island"

## Ganjam

Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious Mendicants to be watched with particular care tho without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country 3349. -



Goa vide "Malabar Coast"

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Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate.  
Directs all those under the appearance of Religious  
mendicants to be watched with care, tho' without  
impinging on the Religious usages of the country 3349.

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Hydrabad

From the Resident - states the receipt of despatches  
from Fort William for reducing the expenses of the  
several Departments attached to the Subsidiary Force  
and encloses copy of a letter addressed to Colonel Lang  
in consequence 154 - To Ditto - acknowledges the above  
letter - and informs him that the arguments in  
favor of stationing the Subsidiary force at Hydrabad  
in preference to the advanced frontier which it was  
proposed by the Supreme Government, it should in  
occupy, have been transmitted for the decision of the  
Governor General, and that the determination of the  
Supreme Government will be sent to him - Trans-  
mits extract from a Minute of the Commander  
in Chief on the subject of the establishment of  
Ordnance attached to the Subsidiary force 165 -  
To Ditto - with copies of the Reports which have  
been received from Colonel Gillespie together with  
several other papers relative to the insurrection at Vellore



## Hydrabad Continued

1238 - From Ditto - with copy of a letter to Bengal relative to the Revolt at Vellore 1239 - To Ditto - Relative to the seizure of Hurry Naigee to obtain the concurrence of His Highness the Nizam to the admission of the Detachment to be sent for that purpose into His Highness's Territories, to communicate with General Campbell on the subject.

1250 - From Ditto - Transmits copy of a dispatch to the Supreme Government and reports the restoration of tranquillity and confidence among the Native Troops at that Station 1257 - To Ditto - in reply

1280 - To the Officer Commanding the Subsidiary force - Directing him to ascertain whether the influence of the Prince at Vellore has created disaffection among the Native Troops attached to the Subsidiary force of Hydrabad and whether any correspondence of an improper tendency may have subsisted between any part of those troops and any other of the Native Corps of this Establishment - Rewards for the disclosure of intelligence authorized 1281 - To Ditto - approving the measures adopted by him in conjunction with the Resident for allaying the agitation which had been excited among the Native Corps attached to the Subsidiary force 1283 - To Ditto - Enclosing copy of a letter dispatched to the Officer Commanding the



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the Subsidiary force at Hydrabad 1284 - To Ditto -  
 Enclosing Copy of a letter dispatched to the Acting  
 Resident at Mysore 1394 - From Ditto - Reports the  
 Consent of the Nizam to the entrance of a British  
 Detachment into His Highness's Territories for the  
 purpose of seizing the person of Hurry Naigue 1959 -  
 From Ditto - States his sentiments regarding the  
 appearance of disaffection among the Troops at  
 Hydrabad and reports the result of his enquiries on  
 the subject and the measures adopted in consequence  
 by Colonel Montresor - States his confidence in the  
 fidelity of the Native Cavalry 2141 - To Ditto -  
 in reply 2166 - From the Officer Commanding the  
 Subsidiary force - Relative to the discontent -  
 among the Native troops at that Station - The  
 Native Officers have been principally concerned  
 in promoting disaffection 2220 - From Ditto -  
 Enclosing Copies of letters to Bengal relative to the  
 late discontent among the Native troops at that  
 Station 2386 - From the Resident - Reports the  
 names of the persons sent to the Presidency in  
 charge of Captain Wenfield and states that some  
 circumstances of a suspicious nature have  
 appeared against a person named Sittaram who  
 is in the service of Major Dowse at Madras 2472 -  
 From Ditto - Communicating information regarding  
 the Conspiracy discovered at that place with  
 observations



## Hydrabad continued

observations on the conduct of the Nizam -  
 Recommends that the three Subadars who have  
 been sent to Masulipatam be transported to  
 Prince of Wales's Island for life 2487 - From Ditto -  
 with copy of a dispatch to the Governor General 2536 -  
 To Ditto - communicating to him the sense which  
 Government entertains of his merits in frustrating  
 the attempts made to shake the British interests  
 in the Deccan, and informing him that they  
 have been represented to the Secret Committee -  
 His precaution approved in sending certain  
 persons to Port St George, as also the conduct of his  
 enquiry into the origin of the late commotions  
 2564 - From Ditto - Enclosing copy of his third  
 letter to Mr. Edmonstone concerning the probabi-  
 lity of a connection between the disaffected at  
 Hydrabad and the insurgents at Villore 2610 -  
 From Ditto - stating that he merely advised the  
 complete equipment of the force as a measure of  
 precaution that there is no foundation for an  
 alarm - Even in case of a rupture the forces of  
 Poona and Hydrabad jointly are competent to  
 repel any attack that might be made 2644 -  
 To Ditto - with memorandum of the Quarter  
 Master General containing the plan adopted  
 for the relief of the Native Corps at Hydrabad  
 3085 - To Ditto - with copy of a letter to the  
 Supreme



## Hydrabad continued

Supreme Government on the subject of the late agitation among the Native Troops in Mysore 3524 - To the officer commanding the Subsidiary force - Requires information respecting the guilt of a Native officer sent prisoner to Masulipatam and not specified in the correspondence with Government 3605. -

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## King's Troops

To Lieutenant Colonel Buchan commanding His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment at Negapatam - Stating that the Belliqueux will be despatched to Negapatam for the purpose of conveying from thence to Ceylon, His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment - Request that no delay may take place in their embarkation 2330 - From Ditto - Forwards a return of His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment at Negapatam 2450. -

## King's Squadron

From the Secretary to Rear Admiral Sir C. Pelly - States that orders have been issued agreeably to the wishes of Government for the conveyance of a detachment of the 80<sup>th</sup> Regiment from Cananore to Goa 97 - From the Commander of Grampus - Replies to a letter addressed to him on the 18<sup>th</sup> December



# King's Squadron continued

December last respecting an application made to carry troops to Goa from Bannanore, expresses his inability to comply therewith and states the causes which compel him to a refusal of it. From Rear Admiral Sir T. Troubridge - Conveys intelligence of a capture made by His Majesty's Ship Albatross under Birman Colours which was sent to Rangoon for sale - the consequences of this imprudent measure - and the steps taken to bring the Mission to a favorable issue 142 - To Ditto - in reply 144 - From Ditto - states the arrival at Macao of the Blenheim and Convoy, and if intelligence received from Rangoon which gives hopes that matters have been accommodated there - notices an intention of communicating the particulars as early as possible after the receipt of an official Report 153 From Rear Admiral Sir Edward Pellew Bart. - Acquainting of the arrival in these Roads of His Majesty's Ship Powerful of 74 Guns, detached off the Cape de Verde Islands by Vice Admiral Sir John Duckworth for the purpose of conveying intelligence of his having chased a French Squadron of six Sail of the line two Frigates and two Corvettes, which had escaped by superior sailing - This Squadron supposed to be destined either for the East or West Indies - States farther particulars connected with the



## King's Squadron continued

the preceding intelligence with information respecting the state of affairs at the Cape of Good Hope 624 - Resolution thereon 626 - To Ditto - in reply 628 - From Ditto - informing of the arrival of His Majesty's Gun Brig Protector from the Cape bringing dispatches from Sir H. Bopham, containing intelligence of the capture of La Volontie French Frigate of 46 Guns, being part of a French Squadron which escaped from Port, which it is conjectured are either united by or in part destined for this Country - States that Sir Home with his Squadron was preparing to take a covering station at <sup>the</sup> Cape in the event of a French Squadron appearing off that Port, States also that Rear Admiral Lewis with the Marquis and Belle Poule were expected to return to the Cape in the month of March - Intertains little doubt that the Squadron chased by Sir John Duckworth on Christmas day last as stated in his letter of the 18<sup>th</sup> April is the same of which La Volontie formed a part - Intends taking measures for concentrating the line of Battle Ships under his Flag - purposes to assume a covering position at Trincomalle with the Ships now under his Flag - Intelligence may be expected from the Blockading Squadron of the Isle of France - Hoped that the China Fleet will pass the Cape in safety - The Ships chased by Sir Home Bopham when he parted from the Belliqueux on the 14<sup>th</sup> of February, suspected to be Enemy's Ships proved to be Merchant men, It will not be practicable to spare the Belliqueux



## King's Squadron Continued

Belliqueux for the Convoy to Prince of Wales's Island.  
 Imagines they will make their Passage with perfect  
 safety 634 - To Ditto - in reply 641 - To the Secretary  
 of His Excellency the Naval Commander in Chief -  
 Enclosing copy of a letter from the British Envoy at  
 Goa, and requesting that measures may be taken  
 for stationing one of His Majesty's Ships in the  
 vicinity of Goa at the period suggested in the  
 Envoy's letter 692 - From Ditto - a Ship of War will  
 be stationed off Goa in September next 693 To the  
 Commander of His Majesty's Ship Belliqueux -  
 Enclosing copy of a letter to Lieutenant Colonel  
 Puchan regarding the embarkation on that  
 ship of His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment at  
 Negapatam 2334 - To the Commander of His  
 Majesty's Ship Bulldog - conveying to him the  
 acknowledgements of Government for his care and  
 promptitude in carrying the Mysore Princes to  
 Bengal, in consideration of which they have  
 resolved to present him with the sum of  
 Pagodas 2500, which will be paid to him at  
 the Public Treasury 2546 - From Ditto - Respectfully  
 acknowledges the consideration of Government  
 2617. -



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## Madura

Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate -  
 Directs all those under the appearance of  
 Religious mendicants to be watched with  
 particular care, tho' without infringing on the  
 religious usages of the country 3349 From Ditto -  
 in answer 3607 -

Manargoody Vide "Tanjore"

Mangalore Vide "Malabar Coast"

## Malabar Coast

From the Envoy at Goa - States his having delivered  
 a letter from the Governor General to the Governor  
 at Goa proposing the introduction of the detach-  
 -ment of the 80.<sup>th</sup> Regiment to replace those of  
 the 84.<sup>th</sup> employed as Marines in the Squadron  
 commanded by Sir T. Troubridge the agent of the  
 Governor of Goa to this measure - and the  
 steps pursued in consequence 134 - To Ditto -  
 in reply 136 - From Ditto - Announces the arrival  
 of a Detachment of the 80.<sup>th</sup> Regiment at Goa,  
 and states that the Governor of Goa has con-  
 -sented to the admission of a Battalion of  
 Native Troops into that place 169 - From Ditto -  
 States that he has written to the Officer  
 commanding the 2.<sup>d</sup> Battalion 19.<sup>th</sup> Regiment -  
 to



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Malabar Coast Continued

to pursue his march to Goa 1792 - From Ditto -  
Enclosing copy of a letter addressed by him to the  
Governor General in Council, and suggesting the  
propriety of requesting Sir Edward Pellew to dispatch  
one of His Majesty's ships to Goa about the month  
of September 689 - To Ditto - in reply 693 - Circular  
letter to the Judges and Magistrates in the  
Southern and Northern Divisions of Malabar -  
Directs all those under the appearance of  
Religious Mendicants to be watched with  
particular care, tho' without infringing on the  
Religious usages of the country 3349 - Circular  
letter to the Judges and Magistrates in the Northern  
and Southern Divisions of Canara - on the same  
subject 3349 - From the Judge and Magistrate  
in the Southern Division of Malabar - in  
answer to his abovementioned letter 3608 -  
From Ditto at Calicut - Reporting the  
measures he has taken to counteract the  
Agents of Sedition 3609 - From Ditto at  
Mangalore - Has secretly taken measures  
for ascertaining the Character of such Strangers  
as have lately come into his district - Suggests  
the propriety of his making known to the Emis-  
saries of Sedition that their machinations are not  
unobserved 3611 - From Ditto at Ditto - Respecting  
the Mental derangement of Lieutenant Colonel  
Baillie Commanding Mangalore 4551 -



## Marattas.

To the Resident - with Copies of the Reports which have been received from Colonel Gillespie together with several other papers relative to the insurrection at Vellore 1238 - To Ditto - To obtain the concurrence of the Pishwa to the admission into his Territories of the Detachment which is to be sent in pursuit of Hurry Naigue and to communicate the result of his application on this subject to Major General Campbell 1251 - From Ditto - acknowledges the receipt of a dispatch from Government of the 29<sup>th</sup> July 1936 - From Ditto - stating that the Pishwa has not any objection to our Troops entering his Territories in pursuit of the freebooter Hurry Naigue 2056. -

## Masulipatam

Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious mendicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country 3349. -

## Military Auditor General

To - Encloses for his guidance extract from a Memorandum recorded by the Commander in Chief in explanation of the additional expence which may probably be incurred by assembling different



*Military Auditor General Continued*  
 different detachments of troops in fixed positions  
 for the defence of their territories. The Commander  
 in Chief has been requested as President of the  
 Military Board to authorize such part of the  
 charges as he may deem necessary &c. - The  
 Commission, of which Major General Pater was  
 President, is dissolved 3523.

*Military Orders and Regulations*  
 G.O. by Government - Expressing regret that any  
 part of the Native Army should have suffered itself  
 to be deluded by an unfounded clamor in their  
 objection to the new Turband - a sacred regard  
 to the Religious principles of the Native Troops  
 will always be observed, but the present objection  
 to the use of the new Turband is proved to be  
 unconnected with the usages of the Mahomedan  
 and Hindoo Religions and any farther opposi-  
 tion will be subject to the severest penalties  
 of military discipline 806 - Extract from the  
 Code of Military Regulations - relative to the  
 dress of a Native Soldier 897 - G.O. -  
 Publishing the circumstances attending the  
 late insurrection and the measures taken for  
 its suppression - incision on Colonel  
 Gillespie - Confidence in the fidelity and  
 attachment



*Military Orders and Regulations Cont.*  
 attachment of the Native Troops undiminished -  
 a sacred regard for their Religious principles and  
 Customs will always be observed 1090. G. O. Publishing  
 an extract of a letter from Colonel Gillespie rela-  
 tive to the meritorious conduct of the troops -  
 under his orders at Vellore - one month's pay to  
 be presented to the Non Commissioned Officers and  
 Privates of the 19<sup>th</sup> Dragoons who were present at  
 Vellore - the conduct of the Native Cavalry highly  
 approved - Medals with suitable inscriptions to  
 be granted to them and provisions for their  
 families after their death - The Commander in-  
 Chief requested to give every publicity to this -  
 order 1096 - Ten thousand Pagodas despatched for  
 the payment of Native Troops at Wallajahbad  
 1185 - G. O. by Government - The circumstances  
 which precluded earlier attention to the intelli-  
 gence communicated by Mustapha Beg regarding  
 the insurrection at Vellore regretted - In consideration  
 of the fidelity of that Sepoy the sum of 2000 Pagodas  
 to be granted to him with a pension for life -  
 equal to that of a Subadar of Infantry and a Gold  
 medal in the Name of the Governor in Council  
 1447 - G. O. By Government - Government is  
 concerned at the conduct of Lieutenant Colonel  
 Grant



*Military Orders and Regulations Continued*  
 Grant in disarming almost the whole of the  
 Native Troops under his command, makes it  
 known to them that he did so without authority,  
 and they are satisfied without adequate cause -  
 The Resident at Travancore will cause these  
 sentiments to be explained to the troops 3841-

*Military Servants and Corps*  
*The Honorable Company's*

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*Adjutant General*

From the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army  
 to the Commander in Chief - This explanation  
 regarding the Regulations adopted for military  
 dress &c. 1175 - From Ditto - Enclosing copy of a  
 letter from the Officer Commanding Vellore  
 reporting the execution of the prisoners who  
 have been condemned by the Native General -  
 Court Martial 2534. -

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Craddock Lieutenant General Sir L. F.  
Commander in Chief

January - His Minute - Submits a detailed arrangement of the force of the Army of this Presidency - lays before the Board a calculation of the probable expence attending the proposed distribution of the troops - States his opinion upon these particulars and calls the attention of Government to the provisioning Fort St. George, the formation of an Arsenal at Seringapatam, and the early assemblage of the Army at their appointed Stations 30 - Resolutions thereon 64 - His Minute - Expresses solicitude that the Supreme Government would again take into consideration the measure proposed of placing the advanced position of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force on the Banks of the Godavery River before its final adoption and describes particularly the expence and inconvenience likely to attend that measure 119 -

February - His Minute - Expresses his regret at being obliged to oppose any measure that Lord William Bentinck is pleased to bring forward, but resists the proposal of further weakening the Military Establishment - Enters at large upon



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upon the subject and differs in opinion with his Lordship upon all the leading points of argument, does not conceive this Country to be in that secure and flourishing Condition that his Lordship represents it, is of opinion that in many parts the Embers of disaffection and revolt are still glowing, and therefore strongly deprecates the measure of reduction - Proposes the Establishment of a Commissariat - adverts to the existing Regulation for the Command of Fort St. George, and concludes by expressing a hope that he may not unwittingly have given offence in the course of this discussion 25th - This Minute - States that as he does not perceive any new ground of argument or farther information in the President's second statement, he declines all controversy, and rests the cause he espouses upon the arguments already set forth on both sides and which are to undergo the Judgement, and be decided upon by Superior Authority 28th - Reply of the Commander in Chief to the observations made by the Right Honble the President - States his unwillingness to give any Sentiments upon those Remarks that the Right Honble the President is pleased to make upon the Report of the



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 the Adjutant General with regard to the situation  
 of the officers of those Regiments which it is proposed  
 to reduce - states his opinion that the preferable mode  
 of reduction would be that of companies of Regiments,  
 the officers remaining attached to their corps until  
 vacancies occur to reinstate them in their proper  
 places 532 - March, April, May, June  
 To - transmitting copy of a letter from the Governor of  
 Ceylon, with copy of a minute recorded by Lord  
 William Bentinck in consequence of the application  
 therein contained - orders have been given for the 87<sup>th</sup>  
 Regiment to be in readiness to embark for Ceylon  
 at the shortest notice 783 - July - From - states the  
 great objection among the Native Troops to the use  
 of the new Turband, and requests the advice of  
 Government for his guidance 799 Resolution thereon  
 803 To - in reply 803 - G. O. - in consequence 806 -  
 From - states his approval of the proposed General  
 order recently transmitted to him, regarding the  
 new Turband of the Native Troops 826 - To -  
 stating the apparent causes to which the discon-  
 tent among the Native Troops may be ascribed -  
 request his sentiments regarding the immediate  
 publication



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Commander in Chief continued

publication of a G.O. for revoking the late <sup>in</sup> Regulations for military dress 865 - From - Reports his arrival at Vellore and states his <sup>and</sup> approbation of the arrangements made by Colonel Harcourt - suggests the most serious investigation of the late mutiny and submits a Proclamation in which he deems necessary - Colonel Gillespie's conduct highly approved - states the happy consequences resulting from that officer's gallantry and exertions 899 - To - with copy of a letter dispatched to the officer commanding Vellore 906 - From - approving a proposed order relative to the dress &c. of the Native troops which he requests may be published by Government - submits copy of a letter to the Adjutant General requiring that officer's explanation regarding the regulation by which the distinctive marks of the Native Troops were abolished - states that the utmost energy is required to investigate the late unfortunate events at Vellore 909 - From - transmits a Report of the Military Committee relative to the circumstances which led to the late insurrection with <sup>an</sup> observations.



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observations in consequence - has dispatched three troops  
 of the 22<sup>d</sup> Dragoons to Bangalore - the General Court or  
 martial will commence on the arrival of the 59<sup>th</sup>  
 Regiment - states the propriety of removing the Sincere  
 from Vellore 918 - From - Transmits proceedings of the  
 Court of enquiry - has assured the Native Commissioned  
 Cavalry officers of the high sense he entertains of their  
 late good conduct. states the distress of the families  
 of the deceased officers year 950 - From - Transmitting  
 copy of a letter to Major General Mac Dowall relative  
 to the restoration of tranquillity and confidence among  
 the Native Troops - Recommends the movement of  
 different Corps - and submits a list of officers and men  
 of the Native Cavalry who were engaged in the sup-  
 pression of the late mutiny and whom he considers  
 deserving of reward 970 Order thereon 982 - To - in reply  
 982 - To - Acknowledging the receipt of his letters of  
 the 15<sup>th</sup> Instant with their Enclosures - and ac-  
 quainting him that those papers have been  
 transmitted to the Supreme Government together  
 with a letter from His Lordship in Council, a  
 copy of which is enclosed - explanation regarding



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a note subjoined to one of His Excellency's letter of the 15<sup>th</sup> Instant relative to the distinctive marks and ornaments in use among the Native Troops.

trusts that he will concur in the omission of that note in the papers transmitted to Bengal. Copies of two minutes by Lord William Bentinck and Mr.

Petrie enclosed 1002 - From - Transmits further the proceedings of the Court of Enquiry - The 19<sup>th</sup> Dragoons

will return to Arest on the arrival of the 59<sup>th</sup> Regiment - States his intention to proceed to the Presidency so soon as the arrangements for the trial of the principal offenders shall be completed 1008 - From - Forwards further proceedings of the Court of Enquiry together with

copy of a letter from the Adjutant General in explanation of the late change in the dress of the

The Resident at Hyderabad reports the high state of order and discipline of the Subsidiary force - States that several of the

Insurgent Sepoy have been seen on the Road to Madras - Recommends that orders be given for the apprehension of such persons



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1023- Order thereon 1037- From - forwarding a  
 continuation of the proceedings of the Court of  
 Enquiry - Reports the good conduct of a company  
 of the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment which had been  
 detached to Chittoor and the tranquillity which  
 prevails at Seringapatam - a letter from General  
 Macdonnell enclosed together with copy of a letter  
 addressed to the Judge Advocate on the subject of  
 the ensuing General Court Martial - has authorized  
 the appointment of a Deputy Provost Martial -  
 states his sentiments regarding the publication of  
 a proposed G.O. and that he cannot consent to the  
 omission of his note annexed to Colonel Forbes's letter  
 1039- His Minute - Expressing his readiness to  
 concur in any alteration of the General Order  
 regarding the Durbands which may be deemed  
 necessary 1071- His Minute - approving the late  
 orders and arrangements for the security of that  
 Fort and other measures of precaution relative to  
 the Prince of Wales Requests that all his official  
 documents on the subject of the late transactions  
 at



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at Vellore may be transmitted to the Supreme  
 Government in their "primary shape" - States  
 the propriety of proceeding on the military  
 Trials without delay 1072 - This Minute -  
 approving the General Orders which have  
 placed under the sole authority of Colonel  
 Harcourt the Fortress and Pettah of Vellore -  
 approves also the order for continuing the  
 immediate charge of the Princes with the  
 Paymaster of Stipends - States the inactivity  
 and want of Vigilance of the Paymaster -  
 suggests the propriety of proceeding with  
 every dispatch in the enquiry into the late  
 transactions - Ridiculous artifices practised  
 to subvert the allegiance of the Sepoys - will  
 abstain from any G. O. to the Army until  
 he shall have received the Sentiments of  
 Government - His Confidence in the attach-  
 -ment of the Sepoys is undiminished 1075 -  
 From - forwards the conclusion of the  
 proceedings



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proceedings of the Court of Enquiry together with a  
Report regarding the conduct of Lieutenant and  
Adjutant Combs towards the men of the 23<sup>d</sup>  
Regiment - Reports the departure of the 69<sup>th</sup>  
Regiment for the Presidency and his intention  
to leave Vellore on the following day 1079 -  
His Minute - Has suspended the proceedings of  
the Native General Court Martial which was  
prepared to commence the trials of the  
persons chiefly involved in the late meeting  
at Vellore - States that the crimes of those  
persons cannot be too soon brought to punish-  
ment and trust that no unnecessary delay  
will occur 1114 - His Minute - Relying to the  
Minute of the President relative to the  
degree of authority which Government is  
supposed to have given to the Regulations  
adopted for the Army 1115 - His Minute -  
Submits copy of a letter addressed by him to  
the Deputy Adjutant General requiring that  
Officers



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Commander in Chief continued

Officer's explanation regarding the imputed  
impropriety of the late alterations in the  
dress of the depots 1125 - His Minute -  
Submitting copies of letters from Colonel  
Lang - Stating his apprehensions of an existing  
conspiracy among the troops at Wallajahbad -  
observations thereon - Recommending the

appointment of a General Officer to command  
in the Center Division 1140 - Minute of the

Board thereon 1152 - From - with a report  
respecting the late alarm at Wallajahbad -

Copy of a letter from Colonel Gillespie also  
submitted 1153 - From - enclosing a reply

from the Deputy Adjutant General regard-  
ing the late Military Regulations together

with copy of a second letter addressed to that  
Officer 1161 - From the Deputy Adjutant

General of the Army to the Commander  
in Chief - His explanation regarding the

Regulations adopted for Military dress &c.  
1175 - His Minute - Submitting a commu-  
nication from Colonel Gillespie respecting

the



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Commander in Chief Continued.

the insubordination of the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion of the 23<sup>d</sup>  
Regiment at Wallajahbad with remarks in conse=  
quence - states his intention to proceed immediately  
to Wallajahbad 1193 - order thereon 1222 - To - appro=  
ving the intention expressed in the above minutes  
1223 - August - From - Reporting his arrival  
at Wallajahbad - forwards copy of a general examina=  
tion relative to the late alarm at that place  
with observations thereon 1286 - His Minute -  
submitting information regarding supposed dis=  
affection among the Native Cavalry which he  
recommends to the most serious consideration  
of Government 1354 - His Minute - submits  
further proceedings regarding the late appearance  
of disaffection at Wallajahbad 1405 - His Minute -  
Recommending that the expence incurred by  
several Corps in the attestation of the Turband  
be reimbursed by Government 1442 - Resolution  
thereon 1443 - His Minute - Recommends to  
the immediate consideration of Government the  
general disposal of the numerous prisoners of  
the two Corps engaged in the late mutiny - Sug=  
gests the idea of banishment to such as may be  
found



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found guilty to prevent the possibility of their return to our Service - Recommends that a moderate supply of provision be laid in at

Vellore 1456 - His Minute - Recommending to the consideration of Government the removal to Mysore of the adherents of the family of Tippu at Vellore

and that such of them as were engaged in the late revolt may be brought to immediate punishment 1937 - His minute - in reference to Mr. Oake's minute regarding the embarkation of the Princes at Sadras - Under present arrangements does not deem that measure advisable

1950 - His Minute - Submitting observations on the circumstances which led to the late insurrection and on the consequence of that event

1975 - His Minute - Recommends that the Commission be again ordered to assemble at the Presidency for the purpose of investigating the imputed neglect and want of vigilance on the part of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott

2061 - His Minute - His objection to the investigation



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investigation of Colonel Marnett's conduct by  
the Commission that sat at Villare 2070 - This  
minute - submits the proceedings of a Court of  
enquiry assembled to investigate the causes of dis-  
content in the 2<sup>d</sup> Battalion 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment N.I.  
with observations 2077 - This Memorandum -  
with copy of the proposed G.O. of the 4<sup>th</sup> July, -  
which he requests may be annexed to his  
minute of the 29<sup>th</sup> June 2083 - This minute -  
approves the principle of the G.O. to the Army  
by the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Governor - Recommends  
the observance of moderation and discretion and  
submits in consequence some observations on the  
terms of that order 2106 - *September* - This  
minute - with letters from Colonel Harcourt  
and Major Munro recommending the trans-  
portation of the prisoners collected at Villare -  
concur in opinion with those Officers and re-  
commends the subject to the serious consi-  
deration of Government 2207 - This minute -  
states the importance of bringing to immediate  
punishment the principal leaders in the  
recent.



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recent mutiny at Vellore whose guilt has been  
already proved - Recommendation on that subject  
2212 - His memorandum - Relative to the arrange-  
ment proposed to be made regarding the 7<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Regiment 2215 - His minute - Submits further  
observations regarding the importance of bringing  
to immediate punishment the Vellore prisoners 2230  
His minute - Submits a report upon the state or  
degree of guilt that may appear to attach to the  
several persons confined in Vellore with observations  
in consequence 2232 - His minute - His reasons  
for opposing the suggestions of the President  
regarding the disposal of the prisoners at Vellore  
2358 His minute - Submitting an Abstract of  
the actual state of the Native details of the two  
Corps engaged in the revolt at Vellore - Requests  
instructions and despatches from the resolution  
which has been adopted regarding the disposal  
of these men 2365 - Letter from His Military  
Secretary - Submitting Copy of a letter from Colonel  
Montresor relative to the removal from the  
Subsidiary force certain Commissioned Native  
Officers



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Officers who have been sent to Masulipatam - Re-  
quests instructions regarding the disposal of those  
men 2370 His Minute - Submitting a communi-  
cation from Colonel Montresor containing evidence  
of the treacherous conduct of a Subadar of the 15<sup>th</sup>  
Regiment N. A. Recommendation in consequence  
2509 - Letter from His Military Secretary -  
Enclosing a list and description of prisoners  
sent from Hyderabad, and requesting instructions  
as to their disposal 2563 - *October* - Letter from  
Ditto - Enclosing extract of letter from Colonel Harcourt  
reporting favorably of the disposition of the inhabitants  
of Vellore 2567 - From Quarter Master General of the  
Army - forwarding a Memorandum relative to  
Sunder Khan Subdar in the 3<sup>d</sup> Regiment Native  
Cavalry 2569 - His Minute - Enclosing a letter from  
Colonel Montresor respecting intrigues discovered at  
Hyderabad, and recommending the equipment of the  
force at that place for eventual field service 2583  
His Minute - with two enclosures pointing out the  
difficulty of obtaining sufficient evidence against  
the prisoners at Vellore 2618 His Minute - This is  
reasons for making official the private letter of  
Colonel Montresor thinks it proper that the  
Vofel



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Vessel should sail but objects to communicating to the  
Honble the Secret Committee the intelligence received  
from Hyderabad 2629 - His Memorandum - Respecting  
the communication of the intelligence contained in  
Colonel Montresor's letter to the Honble the Secret  
Committee 2639 - His Minute - Recommending the  
detention of the Packet until the receipt of further  
intelligence from Hyderabad 2640 - From - Enclosing  
a statement from the Quarter Master General shewing  
the last movements of all the Corps of Native Cavalry  
and Infantry with the length of their residence in their  
present Stations 2652 - From - forwards several com-  
munications respecting disaffection at Nundydroog  
and Bangalore, at the former Station Colonel Clappage  
has been induced to call a party of the 22<sup>d</sup>. Dragoons  
to his aid 2803 - His Minute - is concerned to  
observe that in the papers transmitted to the  
Supreme Government respecting the mutiny at  
Vellore there are opinions of a nature very opposite  
to his own - Trusts that he shall not presume  
too much in expressing his doubts upon opinions  
even of the highest authority - for this reason he  
records a copy of a statement on the subject of the  
mutiny at Vellore sent to England - Rests his  
Judgment on the variety and extent of evidence he  
has



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Craddock Lieutenant General Sir J. F.

Commander in Chief continued

has seen as well as local information. The whole subject comprehended in two points - was the turband the original cause disturbance. was it just to remove the Mysore family to Bengal 2876 - This minute - Submits farther papers relative to the proceedings at Nundydroog and Bangalore - Has directed Major General Macdowall to proceed to the former place, and awaits his report with anxiety 2982 From - with further papers from Nundydroog - has not yet received Major General Macdowall's report 3022 - Memorandum of the Quarter Master General - stating the intended arrangements for the relief of the Corps at Hyderabad 3030 - , November - From His Military Secretary - with further communications respecting Nundydroog 3087 - This minute - Submits the Report of Lieutenant General Macdowall 3103 - From - with proceedings at Nundydroog and Bangalore, and with an address from Lieutenant General Macdowall 3226 - From - with further proceedings at Bangalore 3253 - From Colonel Davis - Submits his sentiments relative to the late occurrences in Mysore 3264 - From Lieutenant Colonel Ogg - with further proceedings at Bangalore 3270 - From Ditto - with further proceedings



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The Honorable Company's Continued  
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Commander in Chief continued  
proceedings at Bangalore 3321 - His minute -  
acquits Colonel Buppge of all blame in calling  
for aid to Mundydroog - is convinced that at that  
station disaffection had risen to a great height,  
and had spread to Bangalore - does not however  
ascribe it to a rooted aversion to our Service -  
approves the Report of Lieutenant General Mac  
Dowall - and offers suggestions with respect to the  
line of conduct fit to be pursued 3335 - From his  
Military Secretary - with further proceedings at  
Bangalore 3397 - From Ditto - with further proceedings  
at Bangalore - a Detachment of His Majesty's  
22<sup>d</sup> Dragoons has removed to the vicinity of #  
Bangalore 3456 - From Ditto - with extract of a  
letter from Lieutenant Colonel Ogg and further  
proceedings at Bangalore 3464 - From Ditto -  
with Ditto 3472 - From Ditto - with Ditto - The  
Commander in Chief has empowered Lieutenant  
General Macdowall to dissolve the Committee  
3482 - From Ditto - transmitting a letter from  
Colonel Gillespie relative to some reports spread  
at and in the vicinity of Arcot 3491 - From Ditto -  
transmitting correspondence relative to the  
two Regiments lately at Vellore 3497 -  
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 Cradock Lieutenant General Sir J.  
 Commander in Chief Continued

From Ditto - Transmitting a letter from Captain  
 Hughes relative to improper reports spread at  
 Wallajahbad 3528 - From Ditto - Encloses the further  
 proceedings of the Court of Enquiry assembled at Bangalore  
 with intimation that General Macdonall has in-  
 dicated the formation of a Committee at that place  
 for investigating the charges exhibited against  
 Madu Row, the Native Commandant - The Com-  
 mander in Chief approves the Officers selected for  
 that duty 3534 - From - Recommending that the  
 Political Correspondence of Major Wilks be com-  
 municated to Colonel Ogg 3558 - This minute -  
 Dissents from the proposition of the President  
 for the Concentration of the European force, on the  
 grounds of the degree of disaffection not yet calling  
 for so strong a measure, of the alarm which it  
 must unavoidably excite of the unprotected state  
 in which it would leave the extremities of our  
 Territories, and of the want of accommodation  
 for the Europeans in their new Stations - concurs  
 in the propriety of forming Grenadier Battalions -  
 Light Infantry might perhaps be better 3623  
 This minute - Considers the reduction of the  
 strength



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Craddock Lieutenant General Sir L. F.

Commander in Chief continued

Strength of the Companies on this Coast to be in-  
expedient from the difficulty of recruiting on an  
occasion of any emergency 3636 - This Minute -  
with papers received from Major General Campbell  
relative to certain new and pernicious Doctrines

attempted to be spread among the troops at  
Bellary 3661 - This Minute - The disaffection of the  
Corps at Wallajahbad rests on such imperfect  
grounds, that it would be improper to take  
any steps beyond that of separating the  
Battalion a step which appears desirable in  
many points of view 3688 - *December* -

This Minute - Enclosing Major Macleod's  
Statement of affairs at Wallajahbad 3767 -  
This Minute - Recommending that measures  
should be immediately adopted for the suppression  
of the present agitation of the Army 3779 -  
This Minute - Respecting the transactions at

Palamcottah, Colonel Grant's being superseded  
in the Command of Quilon by Lieutenant -  
Colonel Palmer 3831 - From this Military  
Secretary - Transmitting accounts of the appear-  
ances of disaffection in the Corps at Sankerrydroog 3904

Minutes



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 The Honorable Company's continued  
 Cradock Lieutenant General Sir J F  
 Commander in Chief continued

Minutes thereon 4031 - His Minute - proposing  
 to dismiss from the Service under the regulations  
 established by Sir Archibald Campbell in the year  
 1786 certain Native Officers who have shown an  
 inclination to disaffection during the late agita-  
 tions in the Army - Recommends that those  
 Regulations be explained to the several Corps  
 accompanied by an introductory order from His  
 Excellency 4109 - Minutes thereon 4116 - From  
 His Military Secretary - Conveys the request of  
 His Excellency that the Bengal Government may  
 be solicited to arrange for the relief of the  
 European as well as the Native part of the  
 Escort proceeding in charge of the Prince's families  
 to Bengal at Calcutta 4121 - His Minute - covers  
 a letter from Colonel Warcourt Commanding  
 Madras with the final report of Colonel Forbes  
 and Captain Coomb's respecting the insurrection  
 of the 10<sup>th</sup> July - requesting that the same  
 may be forwarded to the Governor General  
 and to the Honble the Court of Directors  
 4554 - Resolution thereon 4681 - His  
 Minute - stating for the information of  
 Council



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Craddock Lieutenant General Sir J. F.  
Commander in Chief continued

Council the particulars of reports received from  
Major Haylewood in command of the 2<sup>d</sup> Battalion  
7<sup>th</sup> Regiment on the march to Masulipatam -  
submits the expediency of discharging sundry  
disaffected men from that Battalion 4754 -  
Resolution thereon 4757 - From His military  
Secretary - Encloses a memorandum from the  
Quarter Master General relative to the move-  
ment of the families of the sons of Tippoo in  
Sultana from Vellore 4758. -

## Davis Colonel

From - submits his sentiments relative to the  
late occurrences in Mysore 3264. -

## Engineer Corps

To the Chief Engineer - Directs him to lay be-  
fore Government such plans of the buildings  
for the accommodation of the Princes at Vellore,  
as may be in his possession 2968 - From Ditto -  
in answer 3085. -



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Leith Major James

To Directs that on receipt of the dispatches relative to the late mutiny at Vellore, he is to proceed on board the Sarah Christianah, that he is to use the utmost expedition in conveying them to the Secret Committee; that he is to furnish such farther information as they may require, and that it be his particular care to provide for the safety of the Packets, and at the same time, to prevent their falling into the hands of the Enemy - An advance of his allowances has been authorized, and he will conform to such farther directions as he may receive from the Secret Committee or from the Court of Directors 2578. -



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The Honorable Company's Continued

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Ogg-Lieutenant Colonel

From - with further proceedings at Bangalore 3270 - From  
with further proceedings at Bangalore 3321. -

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Quarter Master General

His Memorandum - stating the intended arrange-  
ments for the relief of the Corps at Hyderabad 3030

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# Mysoor

To the Resident - with copies of the Reports which have been received from Colonel Gillespie together with several other papers relative to the insurrection at Vellore 1238 - To the Acting Resident - Acquainting him with the discovery of a dangerous confederacy connected with the late Revolt at Vellore and the consequent determination to remove the Princes from that place and to send them to Bengal - to ascertain whether the dangerous influence of the Princes may not have extended to the troops of His Highness the Rajah and to communicate with General Macdonnell on the best means of meeting any commotion which may occur 1391 - From Ditto - with copy of his dispatch to the Supreme Government stating the security and confidence which prevail among the troops of His Highness the Rajah of Mysoor 1465 - From Ditto - stating his confidence in the fidelity and attachment of the troops of His Highness the Rajah 1928 - To Ditto - Transmitting Copy of a Minute by the Commander in Chief with Copy of the instructions which have been dispatched in consequence to the Officer Commanding Vellore relative to the removal to Mysoor of all the adherents of the family of Tippoo who are at present residing in the pottah of that place, to state his opinion on the expediency of adopting that measure 1943 - From Ditto - suggesting arrangements regarding the disposal in the Mysoor Country of such



## Mysoor continued

such persons concerned in the late revolt at Vellore  
 2270 - To Ditto - in reply 2294 - From Ditto - relative to  
 the adherents of the family of Tippoo 2564 - From  
 Colonel Davis - submits his sentiments relative  
 to the late occurrences in Mysore 3264 - To the  
 Officer Commanding - Separate lists to be prepared  
 of the Native Officers and Sepoys implicated in the  
 late commotion at Mundydroog, according to the  
 degrees and including the evidence of their guilt -  
 those are not to be included, whose delinquency is  
 supposed to have been occasioned by the new Tur-  
 band - the evidence to be substantiated on oath,  
 and the prisoners afforded an opportunity of exculpation,  
 if the former Committee is prevented from assembling  
 a new one is to be formed - all fresh information  
 to be forwarded - the author's names, if required,  
 will be concealed 3343 - To the Acting Resident -  
 with copy of a circular letter to the Judges and  
 Magistrates, relative to Tacquies & measures to  
 be taken in concert with the Government of  
 Mysore for counteracting such persons in that  
 quarter 3351 - From Ditto - Acknowledging the  
 receipt of Extracts from the proceedings of a Committee  
 held at Mundydroog on the 22<sup>nd</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> October and  
 intimating the steps that have been taken in  
 consequence. 3394 - From Ditto - Requesting di-  
 rections on certain points of a letter received from  
 Colonel Harcourt whether it is intended to permit  
 those



# Mysore continued

those who are desirous of going to Seringapatam from Villore to do so - pointing out a probable mistake respecting some of those about to be sent to Mysore. The Dewan would be reluctant to admit any whose characters might diminish the credit of his Government 3505 - To Ditto - in reply 3516 - To the Officer Commanding - Transmits copy of a certain correspondence relative to persons about to be sent from Villore to Mysore, and directs that the necessary orders be given for the treatment which it is intended they should experience 3518 - From the Acting Resident - acknowledges receipt of a letter dated 19<sup>th</sup> Instant. Recapitulates a conference held with the Dewan of Mysore respecting the numerous Fakirs supported by that Government and their inclination to promote insubordination among the troops - announcing the measures consequently pursued by the Dewan 3549 - From the Officer Commanding the forces - Reports the steps he has taken, and will take for putting into execution the mode of proceeding which has received the sanction of Government, with respect to those implicated in the late disturbance in Mysore - and requests to know how he is to proceed with prisoners, being subjects of the Rajah 3707 - To Ditto - in reply 3710 - To the Acting Resident - with



## Mysore continued

with copies of papers relative to the removal of the families of the Princes from Vellore 4145 - From Ditto - on the subject of the charges lately produced against Maderow the Amildar of Bangalore and reporting the measures adopted by the Dewan of Mysore in consequence for the full prosecution of Enquiry into the conduct of Maderow 4167 - From Ditto - The arrangements concerted in conjunction with the Dewan for placing the Peons of the Mysore Government at the order of commanding officers should circumstances connected with the late affair at Nundydroog render their cooperation necessary - The Resident recapitulates the proceedings of the Officer Commanding at Bangalore with their effect upon the mind of the Dewan of His Highness the Rajah - Encloses Copy of a letter addressed to General Mac Dowall in consequence 4173 - From Ditto - Details the precipitate conduct of an officer of the Mysore Government in arresting two Commatties that had taken service with the Commanding Officer Colonel Pyg - The particular displeasure of the Dewan against this person and his removal from office noticed 4187 - From Ditto - Giving a particular account of the persons subjects of Mysore who have been implicated in the late proceedings at Nundydroog 4189 - From Ditto - Recapitulates the report of the Committee assembled



## Mysoor Continued

assembled at Bangalore - The Resident gives an  
 Extract detailing points of the Political conduct  
 of Colonel Close while in charge of the Mysore  
 Residency - Notices the complete disgust produced  
 in the mind of the Dewan by the continuation  
 of violent proceedings on the part of the Officer  
 Commanding at Bangalore 4197 - From Ditto -  
 Enclosing copies of correspondence with the Officer  
 Commanding the forces in Mysore 4318 - To the  
 Pooniah / Dewan / expresses extreme regret at the  
 recent interference with the subjects of Mysore  
 at Bangalore, and a desire to strengthen the  
 good understanding between the two Governments -  
 Requests that Madras Hon may be reinstated  
 in the office from which he was unjustly  
 suspended, and acquaints him that it has been  
 deemed proper to remove Lieutenant Colonel Ogg  
 from the command at Bangalore 4332 -  
 To the Acting Resident - Transmits the letter  
 together with a copy from the Governor in  
 Council to the Dewan 4340 - From the Officer  
 Commanding - Forwards the proceedings of the  
 Court of Enquiry assembled at Bangalore 4347 -  
 From Ditto - Enclosing the depositions of witnesses  
 upon oath regarding the late transactions at  
 Nundydroog 4682 - Resolutions thereon  
 4757 -



## Nagpore

From the Resident - Encloses abstract of Official letters addressed to Lord Cornwallis and Sir G. H. Barlow B3. -

## Negapatam

To Lieutenant Colonel Buchan - Commanding His Majesty's 19.<sup>th</sup> Regiment at Negapatam - Stating that the Belliques will be dispatched to Negapatam for the purpose of conveying from thence to Ceylon His Majesty's 19.<sup>th</sup> Regiment - Request that no delay may take place in their embarkation 2330. -  
From Ditto - Forwards a Return of His Majesty's 19.<sup>th</sup> Regiment at Negapatam 2450. -

## Nellore

Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious mendicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the Religious usages of the country - certain persons who have been employed in the exhibition of inflammatory public shows, to be secured, if practicable 3347. -



# Palamcottah

To the officer commanding - Instructions for examining separately such of the mutineers as may have fallen into his hands, particularly the Native officers - to transmit the deposition of each to the Presidency without delay 1402 - To Ditto - Government is much concerned at the extremity to which the officer commanding at Palamcottah has been induced to proceed throughout the recent agitations - Government have aimed at the restoration of harmony and confidence and the conduct of Major Welsh must be disapproved, if unsupported by the strongest necessity - the separation of the Hindoo and Mussulman troops seems particularly objectionable - Government will wait anxiously for further information 2581 - To the officer commanding a Detachment from Ceylon - it is hoped that the assistance of the troops under his command may not be required - He will be guided by the directions of the officer commanding the Southern Division of the Army - the Detachment will receive the usual field allowances 3922 - From the Magistrate - Relating the measures pursued by Major Welsh, speaking favorably of the behaviour of the Pons raised on the occasion 3996 - To Ditto - in reply 3998 - From the officer commanding a Detachment from Ceylon - Acknowledging the receipt of instructions for his return to Ceylon 4345 -



President and Governor The Right Honorable  
Lord William C. Bentinck

January - This minute - Expresses doubts as  
regarding the military arrangements recommended  
by the Commander in Chief; but states his intention  
of entering on the subject more fully at a future  
period 66 - This minute / as Governor and Director of  
the Government Bank / recommends that orders  
may be issued to the Sub Treasurer to hold 153,000  
Pagodas in Bonds of the Government Loan at  
present open at the disposal of the Sub Director  
of the Government Bank and states the man-  
ner in which this amount will be brought  
to account 92 - Resolution thereon 93 - This  
minute / as Ditto / proposes certain regulations  
for the Government Bank relative to the  
purchase of Bullion &c. The proceedings to be  
recorded in the Secret Department 93 - Resolu-  
tion thereon 95 - February - This minute  
/ as Ditto / recommends that the Sub Treasurer  
be directed to hold at the disposal of the Sub  
Director of the Bank, Bonds in the 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ % Loan  
to the amount of Pagodas 30,000 - 146 - This  
minute - Recommends that the necessary  
orders may be given on Mr. Duncan's letter  
148 - This minute / as Governor and Director  
of the Government Bank / recommends that  
Bonds



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Bonds in the 10% loan of 11<sup>th</sup> January to the  
amount of Pagodas 19,000 may be held at the  
disposal of the Sub Director of the Government  
Bank 167- Order thereon 162- This minute / as  
Ditto / recommends that accommodation loans  
and discounts be afforded to the public at the rate  
of 10% bent till the 1<sup>st</sup> March, and after that  
date at 9% bent till further notice 172- This  
minute - Recommends that three complete  
Regiments of Native Infantry be reduced. that  
one Regiment of Cavalry be eventually added  
to the force within the Territories of this  
Presidency and that to each Regiment Cavalry  
one hundred Troopers be added - Rects this  
propriety and expediency of those reductions  
upon the state of profound peace which is at  
present enjoyed in India, and the extreme  
improbability of any premeditated attack from  
our European Enemies - describes the increasing  
prosperity of this Country and concludes by  
proposing that all these propositions shall  
be forwarded to Bengal with the recommen-  
dation of the Board that they may be carried  
into effect 189. This minute - Replies to the  
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the objections which has been made by the Commander  
in Chief and Mr. Petrie to his proposition for the re-  
duction of the Infantry Establishment of this Presi-  
-dency, observes that if Mr. Petrie had considered it in-  
necessary to introduce a review of the General in-  
-Policy of India his Lordship wishes that a mis-  
-statement of his observations had not been made  
-the ground work of this alarming Fabrick 385-  
This minute / as Governor and Director of the  
Government Bank / lays before the Board the  
Regulations of the Government Bank 461-  
Resolution thereon 521- This remarks upon  
Colonel Agnew's report to the Commander in  
Chief - Respecting the disposal of the Supernumerary  
Officers - Contravenes the general reasoning of Colonel  
Agnew with respect to the illegality and injustice  
of the proposed reduction - Does not however object  
to the arrangement proposed by Colonel Agnew,  
but is doubtful whether the Court of Directors  
may be willing to incur the expence suggests  
another mode but concludes with giving the  
preference to the plan proposed by Colonel  
Agnew 523- *March* - This minute / as Governor  
and Director of the Government Bank - Submits  
a list of the Native Establishment of the Bank  
and recommends that the proposed expence may be  
sanctioned



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Sanctioned 563- Resolution thereon 565- This Minute  
 as Ditto / Directs that the Interest upon Loans exceed-  
 ing the Term of ninety days shall be 10 p cent or one  
 p cent above the usual Interest 566 This Minute  
 as Ditto / recommends the appointment of two  
 Bill Collectors at 4 Pagodas each per month 585  
 Resolution thereon 586 This Minute as Ditto /  
 recommends an alteration in Section 29 of the  
 Bank Regulations 593- This Minute- States his  
 intention of leaving the Presidency for a few days,  
 Constitutes Mr. Harris Director of the Bank du-  
 ring his absence and recommends that certain  
 Instructions be given to the Sub-Treasurer 594-  
 Resolution thereon 595- This Minute as Governor  
 and Director of the Government Bank / relates to  
 the rate of exchange and the encouragement to be  
 given for the importation of Bullion 595 Resolu-  
 tion thereon 598- This Minute as Ditto / recom-  
 mends that directions be given to the Accountant  
 General to make out Bengal Bills in favor of  
 Mess<sup>rs</sup> Tullow & Co to the amount of Pagodas 22,153.35-  
 to be debited to the Government Bank 600- April  
 This Minute- Recommends that the Bank be  
 left to its own discretion as to the rate of  
 exchange



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exchange at which Dollars should be purchased,  
and that the rate may be favorable to sellers -  
offers as Director of the Bank Treasury notes to  
the value of 50,000 Pagodas in exchange for  
Promissory notes of the Government bearing  
Interest at one fanam per Dium payable six  
months after date - Proposes that the Bank  
should make monthly sales of these Bills to a  
limited amount - Communicated to the Board  
the assent of the Supreme Government to a  
request made by them for permission to draw  
upon Bengal to the amount of 3 Lacs of  
Pagodas - Proposes that the Resident at  
Hydrabad be directed not to draw upon Bengal  
for any part of the funds necessary to the pay-  
ment of the Subsidiary force - Proposes also  
that the sale of the Bengal Bills should be  
negotiated by the Bank, and that the whole  
amount shall be at once given to the Bank  
at the usual Exchange - The Bank on its part  
giving the Government immediate credit for  
Eight lacs of Pagodas - Intends to propose monthly  
sales of these Bills to a limited amount  
604 - Resolution thereon 610 - His minute



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/as Governor and Director of the Government Bank / submits an additional Regulation for the Government Bank - states his intention to publish the Regulations 631 - Resolutions on thereon 1<sup>st</sup> May - His minute - submits a statement shewing the amount of Notes in circulation and disbursements and the Receipts and assets of the Government Bank, pointing out the benefits already derived from that Establishment, and the advantages which are likely to result from it 648 - order thereon 684 - His minute / as Governor and Director of the Government Bank / proposes that promissory notes to the amount of 50,000 Pagodas may be made out for the Bank in the usual manner - The Bank will repay the amount of 20,000 Pagodas in Treasury notes and the remainder in cash 686 - His minute - Recording his observations on the letter from the Supreme Government of the 28<sup>th</sup> April relative to the Establishment of a General Bank at Fort St George 717 - His minute - Recommends that the request contained in the letter of the Governor of Bombay be referred for



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for the determination of the Governor General in Council and that the 59.<sup>th</sup> Regiment be directed to hold itself in readiness to embark for Ceylon at a moments warning 776. Resolution thereon 779 - *June* - His Minute - States that it is desirable that the amount of the debt to be discharged by Government on account of the 10 per cent loan, which falls due in the months of May, June, and July, should be as much as possible reduced, proposes that 10 per cent paper shall be received from the Bank at the Market Price and the paper given in exchange to the Bank shall also be received at its value in the Bazar - Offers 10 per cent Bonds at a premium of 2 per cent to the amount of 34,300 Pagodas in exchange for the promissory notes at par which are to be received by the Bank from Government to the amount of 50,000 Pagodas the remainder will be paid in Treasury notes 786. order thereon 790 - *July* - His Minute - Explains the grounds of his former opinion respecting the Turbans as well as the reasons which have induced him entirely to change that opinion



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 opinion - Recommends that a General Order  
 suspending the late instructions respecting the  
 dress of the Sepoys be published either by the  
 Commander in Chief or direct by the Governor in  
 Council 893 - His Minute - States his intention  
 to refrain from giving any opinion on the late  
 transactions at Vellore until he shall have  
 received the Report of the Commission which is  
 composed of officers of experience and impartiality -  
 Recommends that the Court of Enquiry now  
 sitting at Vellore should terminate on the  
 arrival of the Commission - and states the  
 propriety of proceeding with delicacy in the  
 punishment of the remaining prisoners -  
 and that the appearance of anger and revenge  
 should be carefully avoided - Recommends also  
 that the Commander in Chief be requested to  
 repair to the Presidency after he shall have  
 made such arrangements as may be  
 necessary at Vellore 928 - His Minute -  
 Recommends that full pardon may be granted  
 to such of the men of the 2<sup>d</sup> Battalion 4<sup>th</sup>  
 Regiment recently arrived at the Presidency  
 from Vellore, who may have held communications  
 with



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 with the Princes tending to the injury of the  
 British Government upon confession to their  
 commanding officer 1006 - His Minute - Submitting  
 copy of a circular letter addressed by the Commander  
 in Chief to the officers commanding Divisions &c.  
 &c. containing an order for making up the  
 Turbans according to the old pattern - observa-  
 tions in consequence 1063 - His Minute - Sub-  
 mitting observations on a note of the Commander  
 in Chief regarding the sanction of Government  
 to the Regulations which were adopted for the  
 Army - Recommends that no alteration or  
 whatever in the dress of the Soldiers or in the  
 external marks and fashions of this Cast shall  
 take place without the previous sanction of  
 Government 1107 - His Minute - States the  
 inconvenience prevailing in Black Town in  
 consequence of the scarcity of fanams and that  
 he has authorized the Sub Treasurer to coin and  
 issue daily to the extent of Pagodas 1000 - has  
 authorized the Bank to supply to the Sub  
 Treasurer Dollars to the extent of Pagodas  
 35,000 @ 16  $\frac{1}{4}$  - 1134 - His Minute - Recom-  
 mending that in future annual Accounts  
 only



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 only of the Receipts disbursements and profits  
 of the Bank be laid before Council 1135 - *August*  
 His Minute - Concurring with the Commander  
 in Chief regarding the policy of preventing the  
 possibility of the return of any of the mutineers  
 into our Service - Recommendation regarding the  
 trials of the prisoners 11459 - Minutes of the  
 Board thereon 11461 - His Minute - Recommends  
 that the Vellore Commission may be dissolved  
 and that their Report be approved and  
 confirmed 11861 - Order thereon Ibid - His Minute -  
 stating his reasons for opposing Mr. Oakley's  
 suggestion regarding the embarkation of the  
 Princes at Sadras 11966 - His Minute - Sub-  
 mitting a Report of a Secret Committee ap-  
 pointed to collect information respecting the  
 transactions of the Western Zemindars - observa-  
 tions in consequence - Recommends that Mr.  
 Hodgson be deputed to carry into effect the  
 arrangements which he proposes 2021 - His  
 Minute - Recommends that the Commission  
 be again ordered to assemble at the Presidency  
 for the purpose of investigating the imputed  
 neglect and want of vigilance on the part of  
 Lieutenant



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 Lieutenant Colonel Marriott 2060 - His  
 Minute - Submits further observations respecting  
 the investigation of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott's  
 Conduct 2065 - His Minute - Recommends the  
 publication of a G. O. relative to the dress of  
 the Native Troops 2104 - *September* - His  
 Minute - Relative to the measures to be adopted  
 on the punishment of the Villave prisoners objects  
 to the proposal of executing the sentences upon  
 the prisoners in the different divisions of the  
 Army - Submits recommendations on the subject  
 2223 - His Minute - States his objection to erase  
 from the Army list the 1<sup>st</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Regiments  
 and Recommends that such of the Native  
 Officers belonging to those Corps whose innocence  
 may be proved be permitted to retain their  
 Commissions 2228 - His Minute - Regrets that there  
 should be any objection to the proposed G. O. to  
 the Army and states his intention to publish  
 it upon his own Authority, states also that it is  
 consonant with the wish of the Supreme  
 Government that the order in question should  
 express unconditional liberty to the Sepoys to  
 resume their distinctive marks and Orna-  
 ments &c. &c. with observations on the subject 2260  
 His



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 His Minute - states his opinion regarding the  
 impropriety of erasing from the Army List the  
 7<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Regiment 2305 - His Minute - suggesting  
 the adoption of measures for the disposal of the  
 Prisoners at Vellore with explanatory observations  
 on the Subject 2346 - His Minute - Stating the  
 propriety of sending the dispatches by the Sarah  
 Christiana in charge of an officer who may be  
 capable of reporting to the Honorable Court of  
 Directors the state of affairs on the Coast and  
 recommending Major Leith for that Service -  
 2452 - Resolution thereon 2454 - His Minute  
 Submitting his sentiments regarding the  
 punishment and disposal of the prisoners at  
 Vellore 2475 - His Minute - Submitting a modi-  
 fied draft of a G.O. regarding the dress of the  
 Native Troops 2484 - His Minute - Relative  
 to the Conspiracy recently discovered at Hyderabad -  
 Recommending that the three Subidars who  
 have been sent to Masulipatam be dismissed  
 the Service and transported for life - Submits  
 the draft of a G.O. on this Subject 2502 - His  
 Minute - Recommending that a Special  
 Commission may be ordered to assemble for  
 the



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 Lord William C. Bentinck Continued  
 for the purpose of trying the civil prisoners  
 engaged in the revolt of Vellore - Recommends  
 also that Mr. Kenworthy be appointed a  
 member of the Commission of which General  
 Paton is President 2523 - October - His Minute  
 Recommending thanks and reward to be given to  
 Captain Cole for his alacrity in the conveyance of  
 the Princes to Bengal 2595 - His Minute - Advising  
 the detention of the Sarah Christiana until  
 the receipt of further intelligence from Hyderabad  
 in order that such intelligence may be com-  
 -municated to the Secret Committee 2622 -  
 His Minute as Governor and Director of the  
 Bank / Recommending that the account of  
 Coinage between the Bank and the Mint  
 be settled - States various propositions regarding  
 the importation of Bullion, and the adjustment  
 of the charges of Coinage 2854 - Resolution on  
 thereon 2866 - His Minute as Ditto / the 43rd  
 Section of Bank Regulations specified - Recom-  
 -mends that it be expunged as unfavorable to  
 the Bank and not in policy advantageous for  
 Government - details the reasons for this  
 recommendation - The Mutiny at Vellore had no  
 bad effect on the value of public paper, nor  
 did



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did it increase the Demand on the bank for Specie  
in lieu of notes enclosing copy of an order to the Sub  
Treasurer regulating the advances made by the Bank  
and Treasury to each other requesting the Sanction of  
this principle to be sent to the Accountant General  
that the Balance on either side bear an Interest  
of 8 per cent. - Enclosing an order to the Sub Treasurer  
to reduce the Balance of notes in the Public &  
Treasury 2867 - November - His Minute - Proposes  
the Concentration of the European Troops, with a view  
to overawe the disaffected Sepoys and suggests the re-  
formation of Native Grenadier Battalions 3614 -  
His Minute - Proposes that the Remarks of the  
Commander in Chief against the reduction of the  
strength of the Companies on this Coast be imme-  
diately transmitted to Bengal - They meet with  
his entire concurrence 3643 - His Minute - Upon  
the subject of the apparent increasing disaffection  
among the Troops enforces the necessity of substituting  
Courts Martial for the prompt punishment of  
the guilty and recommending that that punish-  
ment shall be exemplary with the view at once to  
check the growing evil - Refers to the expediency  
of Establishing a Military Court for this purpose  
at



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 at Madras particularly, Such Court or Courts to be  
 composed of Officers both Native and European - pro-  
 poses that a reward be offered of Pagodas 500 each  
 for the apprehension of the Mutineers that have  
 lately escaped from Vellore 3695 - December  
 His Minute - Recommending that a Detachment  
 of European and Native Cavalry be dispatched  
 from Arcot to Wallajahbad 3798 - His Minute -  
 On the subject of the measures pursued by the  
 Commanding Officer at Bangalore with respect  
 to the Officers of the Mysore Government in  
 authority there - Recommends the fullest &  
 reparation as necessary to be made to the  
 Dewan of Mysore for the trespass on his  
 dignity in the above instance - Proposes the  
 removal of Lieutenant Colonel Ogg from  
 his Command 4322. -

## Prince of Wales' Island

To the Secretary of the Government of Prince of Wales'  
 Island - Transmitting Copy of a letter from Major  
 General Sir David Baird relative to the expected  
 arrival of a French Squadron at the Cape of Good  
 Hope, also Copy of a letter from Sir Edward Pellew  
 containing



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Containing further intelligence on the same Subject, with an explanation of the measures intended to be adopted by him for the purpose of resisting any efforts which may be made by the Enemy against India 685. From the Government at Fort Cornwallis - acknowledging the communication of Government relative to the expected arrival of a French Squadron at the Cape of Good Hope supposed to be destined to the East Indies 1137. To the Secretary at Ditto - Transmitting copy of a dispatch from the Secret Committee of the Honorable Court of Directors stating that measures have been taken for sending a reinforcement of Troops to India by the way of Prince of Wales' Island. The early arrival at this Presidency of the Indomenee from England will afford the means of relieving that Government from the inconvenience which would probably attend the protracted stay of the Troops at Prince of Wales' Island - the Wilhelmina has been dispatched for the purpose of conveying the intelligence stated in this letter 1930 - To the Secretary to the Government at Fort Cornwallis - Relative to the proposed arrangements for conveying from that Presidency the troops expected from England 2200 - To Ditto - with dispatches from the Court of Directors - the Envelopes were accidentally

opened



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opened 3867 - To Ditto - Acquainting him that  
 three Native Officers, detected in dangerous intrigues  
 have been put on board the Teignmouth Packet  
 for the purpose of being banished to Prince of  
 Wales Island for life - It is not wished that they  
 should be subjected to Manual labor 3949 From  
 the Acting Secretary at Fort Cornwallis - Acknow-  
 ledging the receipt of a letter dated 30<sup>th</sup> August -  
 respecting the troops expected to arrive at Prince  
 of Wales Island 4344. -

## Proclamation

Proclamation - Government is concerned at the  
 agitation which has recently existed itself among  
 many of the Native Troops, and at their behalf  
 that it is intended forcibly to convert them to  
 Christianity assures them of the contrary, desires  
 them to disregard such idle rumours, to think of  
 their obligations to Government and to observe  
 that conduct, which formerly distinguished them,  
 and without which they must incur the penalty  
 of their misbehaviour - This proclamation is to  
 be carefully explained both to the army, and  
 to the inhabitants of the Country 3944. -



# Q R Rammad

Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious Men = dicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country 3349 - To the Magistrate - He is directed to take means for ascertaining whether any Arms have been collected by the Zemindar of Shevagunga, but to do so without creating alarm 4346. -

# Rajahmundry

Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious Men = dicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country 3349 - From - in reply 3556 -

# Salem Vide "Paramahaul"

# Ships

To the Commander of the Sloop Teignmouth - He is to receive three Native Officers on board his Ship as Prisoners and to shew them every reasonable indulgence 3950. -



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# Tanjore

To the Resident - with copies of the reports which have been received from Colonel Gillespie together with several other papers relative to the insurrection at Vellore 1238 - From Ditto - Acknowledges the above orders, and communicates the fidelity and attachment of the Provincial Battalion of Tanjore 1488 - Circular letter to the Judges and Magistrates of the Zillahs of Manargoody and Combaconum - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious mendicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the religious usages of the Country 3349 -

# Tinnevely

From the Officer Commanding - Reporting a measure of precaution adopted by him relative to the discharge of a part of the drafts lately received into the 1st Battalion 3rd Regiment 1338 - Minute thereon 1350 - To Ditto - in reply 1352 - Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate - Directs all those under the appearance of Religious mendicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country 3349 - From the Officer Commanding - Reporting the measures adopted by him on his arrival at Palamcottah - Encloses Extract of suspected correspondence furnished by Major Welsh 3818 - From Ditto - Reporting the state of affairs at Palamcottah 3968 -  
From



## Trinnevelly Continued

From Ditto - stating that he had reincorporated the Musalmen troops into the corps from which they had been removed by Major Welch 4136. -

## Town Major

To - He is to put three Native officers on board the Trinquemouthe Packet with the necessary supplies for a voyage of two months 3951. -

## Travencore

To the Resident - With copies of the reports which have been received from Colonel Gillespie together with several other papers relative to the insurrection at Vellore 1238. From Ditto - Transmitting copies of documents respecting the disarming of the troops of the Subsidiary force 3795. From Ditto - Transmitting a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Colonel Grant, with his reply, requesting they may be laid before the Governor in Council 3809. From Ditto - Transmitting continuations of correspondence with the officer commanding the Subsidiary force 3814. To Ditto - in reply to the two foregoing letters 3843. From Ditto - with copies of correspondence with the officer commanding the Subsidiary Force 3952. -



# Tranquibar tide "Danes"

## Treasurer Sub

To- Directs he will hold at the disposal of the Sub Director of the Government Bank 1,53,000 Pagodas in Certificates of the present 10 per cent loan and desires to debit the Bank for principal and interest of the above sum, until it shall be paid.

98- To- Desires he will hold thirty thousand or Pagodas in Certificate of the present 10  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent loan at the disposal of Sub Director of the Government Bank, debiting the Bank for principal and interest of the above sum, until paid 146-

To- Desires him to send a daily report of the Notes and Specie in the Treasury to Mr. Harris Acting Director of the Government Bank during Lord William Bentinck's absence from the Presidency, and desires him to consider the requisition of the Acting Director sufficient for the exchange of Notes for specie to the whole amount of Specie in the Treasury

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# Trichinopoly

To the officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army - Instructions for examining separately such of the mutineers as may have fallen into his hands, particularly the Native Officers - to transmit the depositions of each to the Presidency without delay 1402 - From Ditto enclosing a letter from Mr. Kelso relative to the detention of twenty Women and some Children belonging to men who suffered on the night of the 10<sup>th</sup> at Vellore - Reports that he has in confinement upwards of 70 - Seventy of the mutineers 1449 - order thereon 1451 - To Ditto - in reply 1455 - From Ditto - Transmits the Evidence of Havildar Eapah Cawn of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Regiment regarding the late mutiny at Vellore 1896 - From Ditto - Forwards a continuation of Eapah Cawn's Evidence 1907 - From Ditto - Transmitting depositions regarding the late mutiny 1913 - To Ditto - in reply to the three foregoing letters 1921 - From Ditto - Transmitting further evidence from Havildar Eapah Cawn 1955 - From Ditto - Transmitting further depositions regarding the late mutiny 1993 - From Ditto - with copy of a letter from the Governor of Ceylon notifying the departure of His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment for Negapatam and the Presidency 2120 - From Ditto - Reports the arrival at Negapatam of a Detachment of His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment 2196 - To Ditto - in reply 2197 - From Ditto - Relative to the Returns -

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of His Majesty's 19.<sup>th</sup> Regiment to Ceylon 2313 - From  
Ditto - with copy of a letter from Lieutenant Colonel  
Buchan stating the inconvenience of landing the 19.<sup>th</sup>  
Regiment at Manar 2325 - To Ditto - enclosing  
copy of a letter to the Officer Commanding at Trincomalee  
relative to the return to that place of His Majesty's  
19.<sup>th</sup> Regiment 2332 - From Ditto - in reply 2562 - Circular  
letter to the Judge and Magistrate - Directs all those  
under the appearance of Religious mendicants to be  
watched with particular care, tho' without infringing  
on the Religious usages of the Country 2349 - From  
the Officer Commanding - giving intelligence of some  
Taqurs at Trichinopoly who have endeavoured to corrupt  
the Troops, tho' it is probable they have not been materially  
successful 3444 - To Ditto - in reply - with copy of the  
above mentioned circular letter 3449 - From Ditto - enclos-  
es copy of a letter received from Major Welch on the sub-  
ject of disturbances at Pallamcottah with information  
that a Detachment of the 3.<sup>d</sup> Regiment N. Cavalry has  
been dispatched to that Station 3577 - From Ditto -  
the apprehensions entertained for the fidelity of the  
Cavalry - laments that the whole of the detachment  
sent to Palamcottah was composed of Moormen which  
is the case throughout the 6.<sup>th</sup> Regiment Native Cavalry  
3579 - To Ditto - with copy of a letter to the Officer  
Commanding at Pallamcottah, containing the  
Sentiments of Government on the recent Commotion at that  
place



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place - The precautions already adopted are approved, -  
 and his discretion is to be exercised in the further  
 arrangements that may be deemed necessary 3585 -  
 From Ditto - mentions having sent a force of the 1<sup>st</sup>  
 Battalion 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment under Major Scot with a  
 Light Company of the 69<sup>th</sup> Regiment to Madurai -  
 unless called upon by Colonel Dyce or Major Welsh -  
 The rain having set in renders the assistance of  
 Guns impracticable 3712 - From Ditto - enclosing  
 copy of a letter which he deemed necessary to dispatch  
 to the Governor of Ceylon. From the private accounts  
 that have been received from Seringapatam - has  
 requested the Officer Commanding in Mysore to  
 communicate with him as the most exaggerated  
 reports are in circulation 3719 - From Ditto - That  
 the apprehensions which Captain Lindsay at one  
 time entertained of the fidelity of his troops is ill  
 founded 3725 - From Ditto - Enclosing a copy of a  
 letter just received from Lieutenant Colonel Dyce  
 3727 - To Ditto - in reply to the foregoing letter 3729 -  
 From Ditto - stating the propriety of removing without  
 delay travelling Fakirs lately arrived at Trichinopoly  
 3794 - From Ditto - with further information from  
 Palamcottah 3845 - From Ditto - with a letter  
 from



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from Lieutenant Colonel Dyce - requesting that  
 it may be communicated to the Commander  
 in Chief 3851 - From Ditto - with a Duplicate  
 of a letter addressed by him to Lieutenant  
 Colonel Dyce 3854 - From Ditto - Forwarding a letter  
 from Lieutenant Colonel Dyce requesting it may  
 be laid before the Governor in Council 3859 -  
 To Ditto - in reply to the above letters 3863 -  
 From Ditto - with copies of letters from Lieutenant  
 Colonel Dyce and Lieutenant Colonel Grant -  
 3924 - From Ditto - with Ditto from Lieutenant  
 Colonel Dyce and Captain Mercer commanding  
 the Detachment from Ceylon 3928 - To Ditto -  
 in reply to the two foregoing letters 3933 -  
 From Ditto - with copy of a letter from Lieutenant  
 Colonel Dyce 3975 - From Ditto - with copy of a  
 letter from Lieutenant Colonel Dyce 3981 -  
 From Ditto - Enclosing copy of a letter addressed  
 to Lieutenant Colonel Dyce with the instructions  
 of Government respecting the late proceedings  
 at Palamcottah 4070 -

Trincomallee vide "Ceylon."



## Vellore

*July* - From Colonel Harcourt of His Majesty's 12<sup>th</sup> Regiment - Enclosing copy of an Express which he had received from Colonel Huddleston containing a requisition for troops in consequence of the existence of serious disturbance in the Garrison of Vellore - States the force which he had detached in consequence 810.  
 From Lieutenant Colonel Marriott the Paymaster of the Stipends at Vellore - Communicating the dreadful circumstances attending an insurrection in the Fort of Vellore on the night of the 9<sup>th</sup> Instant 812.  
 From Colonel Gillispie of His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Dragoons - States that in consequence of a report of disturbances existing in the Fort of Vellore he proceeded thither with a Squadron of His Majesty's 19<sup>th</sup> Dragoons and a Troop of the 7<sup>th</sup> Regiment Native Cavalry - found on his arrival the Fort in the possession of the Native Troops who had hoisted a Red Flag - Reports the measures which he adopted for the recovery of the Fort and the suppression of the mutiny - States also the dreadful consequences which attended the insurrection and the supposed implication of the Princes 816 - To Colonel Harcourt of His Majesty's



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Majesty's 12<sup>th</sup> Regiment - approving the measures adopted by him on the receipt of information of the mutiny in Vellore - the successful efforts of Colonel Gillespie in recovering that Fort from the possession of the Insurgents applauded - appointed to the Command of Vellore and to guard against any plans which may have been formed by the Princes &c. - From Colonel Gillespie - Reports the restoration of tranquillity in the Fort of Vellore and submits a more detailed account of the transactions which occurred in that Garrison - notices the Gallantry of the remains of the 69<sup>th</sup> Regiment in defending the fort and the promptitude and activity of the Officers under his Command - states his precautions for securing under strong guards the persons of the Princes whom he considers to have been the instigators of the late mutiny - the conduct of Mouze Ud Deen particularly noticed - states that a Committee had been assembled for the purpose of enquiring into the cause of the late transactions - recommends the Gallant conduct of Sergeant Brady of the 69<sup>th</sup> Regiment to the favorable consideration of Government, and reports the death of Colonel Fancourt &c. &c.



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To Little - in reply 841. To Major General Pater, and  
 Lieutenant Colonel Dodsworth, N. Webb and J. H. D.  
 Ogilvie Esqrs and Major Dowse - appointed a Committee  
 for the purpose of ascertaining the cause of the late  
 unhappy event at Vellore - instructions 845 -  
 To Lieutenant Colonel Dodsworth, N. Webb and  
 J. H. D. Ogilvie Esqrs and Major Dowse - appointed  
 members of the Vellore Commission - they are to  
 proceed to that place without delay 847 - From  
 Colonel Harcourt - Enclosing a letter from Colonel  
 Gillespie and states that it appears sufficiently  
 proved that Mozu ud Deen was the instigator of  
 the late unfortunate events at Vellore - Reports  
 his intention to proceed to that place with the  
 59<sup>th</sup> Regiment only which with the Europeans  
 already there - he deems sufficient for the security  
 of the place the proceedings of the Committee  
 will be transmitted without loss of time 852 -  
 To the Officer Commanding - Approving his arrange-  
 ments at Arcot - the 59<sup>th</sup> Regiment has been  
 ordered to proceed immediately to Vellore with the  
 addition of this force he will be able to provide  
 for the security of that Garrison, should further  
 aid be required it will be supplied to place under  
 restraint



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restrain any person against whom particular grounds of Suspicion may exist 861 - From Colonel Gillespie - stating his alarm in consequence of various reports regarding the intentions of the insurgents and states his strong suspicion of the Prince Mozud deew - Several of the Inhabitants have availed themselves of his offer of protection - states that a report had been circulated by a Woman regarding the existence of a general insurrection - his proclamation in consequence - precautionary measures adopted - Reports several circumstances which have appeared in evidence before the Committee 870 - From the Officer Commanding - Reports his arrival at that place - states the conduct of Colonel Gillespie to have been singularly exemplary and transmits the proceedings of a Committee assembled by order of that Officer - Recommendation in consequence 875 - To Ditto - in reply 890 - To Ditto - To conform to any orders which he may receive from the Commander in Chief on the subject of the arrangements connected with his Command during the residence of His Excellency at



## Vellore Continued

at Vellore 905 - From Lieutenant Colonel Dodsworth -  
 Will proceed to Vellore agreeably to the orders of Govern-  
 -ment 908 - From W. A. Webb - on the same subject  
 908 - From Colonel Gillespie - acknowledges the letter  
 from Government conveying approbation of his con-  
 -duct and of the troops under his command on the  
 morning of the 10<sup>th</sup> July 940 - From the Officer Command-  
 -ing - Forwarding the continuation of the proceedings  
 of the Committee 983 - Resolution thereon 994 -  
 To the Paymaster of Stipends - The execution of the  
 arrangements connected with the establishment  
 of a new Police to be suspended - continued in  
 the immediate charge of the Princes - to conform  
 to all suggestions and requisitions of Colonel  
 Harcourt who has been appointed to the exclusive  
 command of the Fortress and Pettah of Vellore 996 -  
 To the Officer Commanding - with copy of a letter to  
 Colonel Marriott regarding the suspension of the  
 arrangement connected with a new Police - to  
 consider himself vested with the exclusive command  
 of Vellore and with the general control of all mea-  
 -sures connected with the safety of the Garrison  
 and the custody of the Princes - Colonel Marriott  
 to continue in the immediate Superintendence  
 of



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of the Princes subject to his suggestions and requisitions - the Pottah placed under his charge - the importance of watching the proceedings of all persons of suspicious character stated - authority for disbursing occasional sums of money 998 - From Major Leith / Secretary of the Commission at Vellore / - Requiring for the information of the Commissioners copies of all instructions to the Officer Commanding at Vellore and to Major Marriott regarding the Princes 1057 - From Ditto - stating that certain persons had tendered to the Commissioners important information regarding the late mutiny, provided they are first assured of the protection of Government, request in consequence 1058 - To Ditto - Enclosing papers containing all the material correspondence that has occurred respecting the Princes and their families at Vellore 1059 - To Ditto - Authorizing an indemnity for the communication of intelligence relative to the late events at Vellore, such persons who may give unreserved information will not be liable to the privation of their allowances 1060 - From the Officer Commanding - acknowledging



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Acknowledging orders of Government to which  
 he shall pay due attention - Has commenced  
 a system of Police which he trusts will enable  
 to fulfil the wishes of Government in guarding  
 against the recurrence of any intrigues - Some  
 additional Establishment required 1087 - From  
 Ditto - Reports the state of tranquillity in  
 that Garrison and the occurrence of an acci-  
 dental fire - States the arrival of one of Tippu's  
 Daughters from the Mysore Country - has  
 commenced his system of Police which he  
 trusts a short time will establish to the  
 satisfaction of Government 1129 - From Lieu-  
 tenant Colonel Forbes to Major Munro -  
 Communicating a letter from Captain  
 Seward in Command of a Detachment of  
 the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment at Chittoor  
 stating the good conduct of the men under  
 his orders 1131 - From the Officer Commanding  
 - States that every appearance of confidence  
 and security prevails in that Garrison -  
 Reports his progress in the establishment  
 of a Police 1178 - *August* - From the Secretary  
 to the Commission at Vellore - suggesting the  
 propriety



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propriety of offering a pecuniary reward for a full discovery of the cause or causes which originally led to the mutiny 1335. Minute thereon 1336. To the President and Members of the Commission at Vellore - Authorizing them to propose such rewards as may appear likely to lead to any useful discovery 1351. To the Officer Commanding - The discovery of a more general spirit of disaffection communicated and the determination in consequence to remove the Princes with their principal adherents and families from Vellore and to embark them on one of His Majesty's Ships for Bengal - instructions in consequence 1397. Extract of a letter from Ditto to the Commander in Chief Expresses his approbation of the conduct of the Native troops in that Garrison and the sensible impression which has been made in their minds by the effects of the late mutiny 1438. Order thereon 1440. Memorandum received from Colonel Gillespie to the Commander in Chief. Suggesting the propriety of allowing to the Native troops the option of receiving the proposed increase of pay instead



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instead of the pension which after their deaths  
will be granted to their families 1443. Resolutions  
thereon 1444- From the Commission at Vellore -  
suggests the propriety of granting an immediate  
reward of two thousand Pagodas to Mustapha  
Beg with the pension of a Subidar for life and  
that the same be notified in G. O. 1445- Reso-  
lutions thereon 1447- G. O. in consequence 1447-  
To Ditto - in reply - and enclosing the G. O.  
1454- From the Officer Commanding - Commu-  
nicating his deliberations with Colonel  
Marriott regarding the removal of the Princes  
and the information required by Government  
on the Subject 1469- To Ditto - in reply -  
and instructions on the Subject 1484 -  
Report of the Commission at Vellore -  
submits the result of their enquiries regarding  
the late events at Vellore with their observations  
in consequence 1491- To Ditto - Acquainting  
them that their report will be taken into  
consideration at an early period - the Com-  
mission to be dissolved - the persons to whom  
they may have promised pardon to be released  
1861- From the Officer Commanding - Trans-  
mitting information regarding the embezzlement  
of



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of the public money by a servant of the late. in  
 Paymaster W. Smith and forwards the evidence  
 of two Natives on the subject 1869 - From Ditto -  
 Transmitting the proceedings of the Enquiry into  
 the conduct of Rungapah Head Servant in the  
 pay office - will secure that person on his arrival  
 at Vellore - requests further instructions on that  
 subject 1887 - To Ditto - in reply to the two  
 foregoing letters 1894 - From Ditto - Enclosing  
 a note from Colonel Marriott relative to the  
 accommodation which it will be necessary  
 to provide on board ship for the Princes -  
 States his arrangements regarding their removal  
 from Vellore 1922 - To Ditto - To state the num-  
 ber of adherents of the family of Tippoo in the  
 pettah of Vellore whom it may be proper to  
 remove to Mysore in conformity to the sugges-  
 tion of the Commander in Chief - that  
 measure has been referred for the opinion of the  
 Acting Resident at Mysore - the persons con-  
 nected with the family of Tippoo who were en-  
 tirely engaged in the late mutiny to be sent  
 to Saint Thomas's Mount for the purpose of  
 being tried before a Special Commission 1944 -

From Ditto



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From Ditto - Stating that it will not be practicable to complete the arrangements for the removal of the Princes from Vellore before the 19<sup>th</sup> instant and that they will proceed from thence on the 20<sup>th</sup> Reports their number and that of their followers 1951 - order thereon 1953 - From the President of the Commission - Reporting the payment of 2000 Pagodas to Mustapha Beg agreeably to the authority of Government 1954 - From the Officer Commanding - Stating the particulars of the Princes departure for the Presidency 1986 - order thereon 1991 - To Lieutenant Colonel Marriott - Directing to proceed to the Presidency without delay 1992 - To the Commission - Directing them to reassemble at the Presidency for the purpose of investigating the conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott 2077 - From Colonel Gillespie - Reports the departure of Colonel Marriott for Madras and that he has in consequence appointed an officer acquainted with their language to attend the Princes 2086 - From the Officer Commanding

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Relative to the removal of the adherents of Tippu's family at Vellore, will transmit a list of those whose conduct on the 10.<sup>th</sup> July was such as to call for the investigation proposed by Government 2107 - From the Paymaster of Stipends - Reporting his arrival with the Princes at Arcot - requests instructions relative to the payment of allowances to the Princes Families at Vellore and encloses a Memorandum from each Prince on the subject 2112 - To the officer Commanding - to take measures for transferring to the Acting Magistrate of the Southern Division of Arcot - Rungiah the late Head Servant in the Pay Office for the purpose of being brought to trial 2119 - To Lieutenant Colonel Marriott - instructions for his guidance in charge of the Princes on their passage to Calcutta 2168 - September - From the Special Commission assembled at Fort St George - requests that the officer commanding at Vellore may be called upon to give such information as he may possess relative to the conduct of Lieutenant



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Lieutenant Colonel Marriott, Colonel Gillespie  
 and several officers of His Majesty's 69<sup>th</sup> Regiment,  
 have communicated to them the particulars  
 which they possess on the Subject 2266 - To Ditto -  
 in reply 2268 - To the Officer Commanding - Directing  
 him to communicate such information as he  
 may possess to the Special Commission assembled  
 at the Presidency for the purpose of investigating  
 the conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott 2269 -  
 From Ditto - Enclosing a list of the servants and  
 adherents to the family of the late Tippoo  
 Sultan residing in the Pettah of that place  
 together with an abstract shewing the Number  
 of Women &c residing in the Princes Hyders  
 and Tippoo's Mahals within that fort 2273 -  
 To Ditto - Enclosing Copy of a letter from the  
 Acting Resident at Mysore relative to the  
 removal to that Country of the adherents of  
 Tippoo's family at Vellore - instructions in  
 consequence - Copy of a letter to the Acting  
 Resident enclosed 2295 - To the Judges of the  
 Court of Appeal and Circuit in the Center  
 Division - Appointed a Commission for the  
 trial of certain persons connected with the  
 family



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family of the late Tippoo who are supposed to have taken an active part in the mutiny at Vellore - instructions 2524 - To Mr. John Kenworthy - appointed a member of the special Commission at the Presidency 2526 - To the President and members of the special Commission - Acquainting them that Mr. Kenworthy has been appointed a member of the Commission in the room of Mr. Ogilvie 2527 - October - To Major Luth - Directs that on receipt of the dispatches relative to the late mutiny at Vellore, he is to proceed on board the Sarah Christianah, that he is to use the utmost expedition in conveying them to the Secret Committee, that he is to furnish such further information as they may require, and that it lie his particular care to provide for the safety of the packets and, at the same time, to prevent their falling into the hands of the Enemy - an advance of his allowances has been authorized, and he will conform to such further directions as he may receive from the Secret Committee or from the Court of



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of Directors 2578 - From the Officer Commanding -  
 Enclosing a list of prisoners for trial 2598 - From  
 the Paymaster of Stipends - Respecting sums proposed  
 to be paid to the families of the Princes remain-  
 ing at Vellore 2604 - From the Assistant Paymaster  
 of Stipends - Concerning an extra charge for  
 Prisoners formerly dependants on the Palace -  
 2605 - From Ditto - Concerning the extra charge  
 for prisoners 2606 - To the Officer Commanding -  
 Such persons of the late Tippoo's family as may  
 have been active in the Mutiny to be sent  
 for trial to Chittoor and Licut Hussain to be  
 of the number - Measures for sending the  
 persons to Mysore to be taken in concert with  
 the Resident there - any property of the Princes -  
 may be disposed of - His opinion with respect to  
 the allowances for their families to be forwarded  
 2607 - From Ditto - Respecting the removal of  
 certain Mysore Inhabitants from Vellore to  
 Mysore - From the arrangements to be made, it  
 is most probable they will request to be permitted  
 to return to Mysore - If not there will be care taken  
 that they are sent thither with all necessary precautions  
 - Enclosing a list of prisoners proposed to be tried  
 before



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before the Commission at Vellore 2955 - To Ditto -  
 Directs him to state the allowance which in  
 his opinion it is indispensably necessary to grant  
 for the support of the Princes families at Vellore,  
 and to furnish an account of the whole ex-  
 penditure at present incurred on account of  
 those families, with a list of the families -  
 desires information respecting an advance  
 mentioned by the Auditor General - and  
 directs certain persons to be sent for trial  
 to Chittoor, with the necessary Evidence 2964  
 To Ditto - Directs him to inform the family of  
 Meer Cawder ally of his death, and to acquaint  
 them with the attentions he experienced du-  
 ring his illness, and the solemnity observed  
 at his funeral - Any plans of the buildings  
 for the accommodation of the Princes at  
 Vellore, which may be deposited there to be  
 forwarded to the Presidency, and particular  
 attention to be given to the instructions  
 of the Supreme Government regarding the  
 connections and dependents of the Princes  
 2966 - From Ditto - Calculation of the  
 allowances necessary for the support of the  
 families



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families at Vellore estimates at 6285 Rupees per mensem including Servants - Mus Khader ally not included - Statement of the numbers in each family and of the Servants - Statements of the assignments made by the Princes to their families before their departure. 3051 - To Ditto - in reply 3056 - *November* Report of the Commission assembled at the Presidency - They have not been able to procure evidence of any neglect of duty on the part of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott - Major Dowse deserts from the - Report 3130 - Report of Ditto - Transmits a letter from Major Dowse, containing the reasons of his desert from their Report, and answer the same 3211 - Report of Ditto - Having closed their investigation into the matters submitted for their enquiry, the Commission recommend to the favorable notice of Government the zeal and fidelity of Syed Khodarew pensioned Subedar at Vellore, with the mention of the useful services rendered by him to the Commission during their sittings 3222 - To W. N. Webb - The special Commission, of which he was a member, being dissolved, he is directed to join his Station 3223 - To the Officer Commanding - With



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With copy of the Circular orders issued to the Magistrates - his best endeavors to be exerted for the apprehension of the Show men therein mentioned 3353 - From Ditto - Acknowledging the receipt of information of the death of Meer Khawder Ally - Has ordered it to be communicated to his family which was accordingly done 3395 - From Ditto - Reports on the allowances for the families of the Princes at Vellore - no plans of the place are forthcoming - They may be prepared on the spot - care should be taken to prevent any of the adherents of the Princes from transporting themselves to Bengal 3416 - From Ditto - Respecting the disposal of 1500 Pagodas part have been disposed of, the rest entrusted to confidential people for the purpose of gaining Secret Intelligence 3438 - From Ditto - Reports on the Mysore pension fund - does not apprehend that the Mahal and pension allowances admit of reduction, nor the Office of Paymaster of Stipends, while it subsists - the arrangement of such persons as are to be dispatched to Bengal must wait the arrival of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott 2440 - To the President and Members



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members of the special Commission assembled at the Presidency - The conclusion they have drawn respecting the conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott received the concurrence of Government and their enquiry being completed, the Commission is dissolved - The best means will be considered of rewarding the Subidar whom they have recommended 3452 To Colonel Gillespie - Directing him to communicate to the Magistrate such information as may lead to the apprehension of the author of the absurd rumour mentioned in his letter to the Commander in Chief - In future such offenders are either to be immediately apprehended or means are to be taken to prevent their escape 3494 - From the Officer Commanding - The Princes adherents will leave Vellore as soon as possible most of them willingly 3511 - To Ditto - in reply 3515 - To Ditto - Confirms the proposed rates of allowances for the Princes Families at Vellore and Transmits plans of the Buildings there for revision 3519 - From Ditto - With information that he has delayed dispatching to Mysore the first division of persons ordered to be removed from Vellore - forwards copy of a letter addressed to the Resident at



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at Mysore accordingly 3551 - From the Special Commission at Chittoor - Report that some prisoners have been sent for trial from Vellore and that so soon as all the evidences appear their proceedings will commence 3554 - From the Officer Commanding - Has suspicion of the Fakirs at Vellore, but apprehends no disturbance 3586 - From Ditto - The families of the palace hearing from Captain Marriott of the reduction of their allowances, resolve to starve themselves - Captain Marriott prevails on them to take their meals but they positively refuse taking the offered allowance 3731 - From Ditto - Proof of active participation in the mutiny is only for the coming against seven of the Princes attendants out of twenty two, those have been sent to Chittoor for treat 3734 - From Ditto - With Plans of the Buildings at Vellore 3737 - From Ditto - Stating that no inconvenience will arise from continuing in confinement the 14 prisoners in question 3739 - To Ditto - in reply to the four foregoing letters 3743 - From Ditto - Enclosing a letter appearing to be written by Puteh Ally but which he thinks to proceed from motives of revenge 3747 -



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3747-*December* - To Lieutenant Colonel Marriott - He is to give strict attention to the instructions contained in a letter from the Secretary at Bengal, relating to the removal of the families of the Princes from Vellore - The necessary Camp Equipage and Escort will be had in readiness - He is to use all despatch at Vellore, and to communicate with the Commanding Officer there, who will receive instructions as to the disposal of those persons connected with the Princes, who are not to be removed to Bengal 4141 - To the Officer Commanding - With copy of a letter from the Secretary at Bengal and of instructions issued to Lieutenant Colonel Marriott - He is directed how to proceed with regard to such persons as are not to be removed to Bengal 4144

## Venkatagerry

To Mr John Hodgson - Instructions for his guidance in his mission to the Western Zemindars for the purpose of rendering more effectual the permanent Settlement concluded in 1802 -

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## Vizagapatam

Circular letter to the Judge and Magistrate -  
Directs all those under the appearance of Religious mendicants to be watched with particular care, tho' without infringing on the Religious usages of the Country 3349. -

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## Wallajahbad

Ten thousand Pagodas despatched for the payment of Native Troops at Wallajahbad 1185 -  
To the Officer Commanding - in consequence 1187 -  
Memorandum of instructions to Major Munro -  
He is directed to proceed immediately to Wallajahbad, to investigate the disaffection in that Cantonment, to call for the assistance, if he deems it necessary of a detachment of Cavalry from Arcot, including a proportion of Native Cavalry, and in the event, to communicate the circumstance to Government and wait further orders 3794 -  
To the Officer Commanding - with Copy of a Proclamation, and directions to explain it to the troops under his Command 3794 -  
From Ditto - Acknowledging the same 3866 -  
From Colonel Munro - Reporting on the state of affairs at Wallajahbad and the result of his mission to that place 4073 - To Ditto - in reply 4118. -



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