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	Accountant General.				
26 th January 1832	From - Requesting a copy of the Authority of Government of the 18 th November 1816. for the payment of Pensions 1652. 2-7 advanced to several Military Officers on account of Secret Service with a view to their adjustment in the transfer Accounts of the Military Department.				
3 ^d February 1832	Do - in Reply.	C 3 ^d Feb 1832	1	30	36
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Arcot

23^d Novmbr 1832. To the Principal Collector and Magistrate of the Northern Division of
Noticing a report which reached Government of about 20
discontented Mussulmen Pensioners of His Highness the
Nabob having left Arcot about three weeks ago and
not returned and instructing him thereupon - - -

Con. 23^d Nov 1832 1 - $\frac{12}{3}$ 348 - 362

Bank Government.

4 th January 1832	From the Directors ^{of the} Submitting copy of a letter from Mr. A. Robertson Treasurer and Secretary to the Government Bank, and recommending that his request for permission to proceed to the Nilgerry Hills with leave of absence until the end of December next may be complied with - C. 6 th Jan'y 1832	1.	-	-	2	3
	Resolution thereon - - - - -	D ^o	2.	-	-	4 6
24 th December 1831	From D ^o Submitting a Statement of Over due Bills recommended for discount and protested during the Cashiership of the late Mr. Nixon with a Copy of the Bank Regulation which assigns the duty of ascer-	C. 10 th Jan'y 1832	1.	Nov 1	6	8
	taining the solvency of applicants to the Cashier - - -	D ^o	2.	-	-	9 15
	Order thereon - - - - -	D ^o	2.	-	-	9 15
9 th January 1832	From D ^o Recommending that Mr. Cashier H. P. Dumergue's application for permission to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope on Sick Certificate, with leave of absence for eighteen months be complied with - - - - -	D ^o	3.	-	-	11
	Resolution thereon - - - - -	D ^o	4.	-	-	

Bank Government-Continued

January 1832 From the Directors - Submitting the annual Accounts of the Government Bank for the Official year 1828/29 - - - - - C 27th Jan 1832 1 To the Comtee at the 18 22
Order thereon - - - - - Do 2 dated 27th Jan 1832 28 34

9th February Do From Do Reporting the date on which Mr. Robertson delivered over charge of the Office of Secretary and Treasurer of the Government Bank to Mr. Clulow and the Efficient condition into which that Establishment has been brought under his Superintendence - (17th Feb 0. 1 To the Honble. Comtee 34 40

17th Do Do To Do in reply - duplicate & Triplicate copies of the - - - - - Do 2 - - - - - 36 41
20th Do Do From Do Submitting the annual Accounts of the Government Bank for the Official years 1828/29 and 1829/1830. - - - - - D 28th Do 1 - - - - - 38 44

17th January Do From Do Submitting the annual Accounts of the Government Bank for the Official year 1829/30 - - - - - C 28th Do 2 To the Comtee at the 39 45
Order thereon - - - - - Do 3 dated 28th Feb 1832 50 58

9th February Do From Do Submitting copy of an application from Mr. Heath for a loan from the Bank to the extent of 75,000 Rs. to enable him to carry on his Iron Works at Portonova and recommending if the loan be authorized that the Advocate General be required to draw up the proper legal document so as to render the security proposed by Mr. Heath effectual - - - - - Do 4 To the Honble. the Secy. of the Govt. 57 64
Resolution and Order thereon - - - - - Do 5 - - - - - 57 64

29th Dec. From Secy Reporting that Mr. J. Clulow delivered over charge
of the Office of Treasurer and Secretary of the Government
Bank to Mr. G. P. Tyler on the 13th Instant C. B. Bank 1 60 87
To be recorded Do 2 This Shid

17th March 8. From Secy Forward transcript of a letter from Mr. Math in
which he submits (with reference to the condition on which
a certain loan to him from the Bank has been sanctioned)
that as it is not possible to obtain in India an insurance
on the life of a person resident under this Presidency his
original proposition for insuring his life in London may be
authorized request orders thereupon Com. 1. May 1 To the Honorable
Order thereon Do 2 the Select Committee 70 70
173 80

14th May 8. From Secy Submitting the Annual Accounts of the
Government Bank for the Official year 1830/31 Com 25th 8. 1 To the Secretary 116 128
Order thereon Do 2 at the last meeting of the House dated 29th May 1832. 128 140

26th Dec. 8. From the Acting Treasurer and Secretary of the Submitting the
duplicate and Triplicata copies of the Annual Accounts
of the Government Bank for the Official year 1830/31 - By telcom 3 July 1.

Bank Government Continued

Transf
 17th June 1832 From the Directors - Reporting the terms on which Mr Heath
 finally obtained from the Bank the loan of £5000 Paper Co 3 July 1832 - 2 - To the Audit Comtee 253 253
 Order thereon - - - - - 80 - 3 - 2 260 202
 24th November 80 From Do Submitting the Annual Accounts of the
 Government Bank for the Official year 1831/32 - Con 7th Dec 1 To the Audit Comtee 405 424
 Order thereon - - - - - Do 2 23rd July 1832 417 438
 7th December 80 From Do Submitting for the decision of Government Mr Hart's
 request to be allowed interest on the amount at the credit
 of the account with the Bank, of the late Mr T. Gellibrand
 Trustees to the late firm of Colt Hart and Weston - - - - - Con 19th Dec 1 To the Audit Comtee 480 506
 19th Dec Do To Do in Reply - - - - - Do 2 - 2 485 511
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Bengal

- 24th March 1832 From the Secretary to the Governor General - With a copy of a Minute by the Governor General and paper annexes thereto - - - - - Cons 4th May 1832. / - - - - - 75. 82
- 24th Do Do Minute of the Governor General States his sentiments on an appeal from Lieutenant Colonel Briggs Senior Commissioner for the Government of Mysore against certain proceedings of the Madras Government towards him which he considers harsh and unmerciful - - - - - Do - - - 1 To the Secy at the 75. Ibid
East India House
dated 9th May 1832 114 120
- 6th April Do To the Governor General Stating his sentiments of the conduct of Lieut. Col. Briggs Senior Commissioner for the affairs of Mysore and suggesting his removal - - - - - Cons 25th May 3 To the Secy 128 1140
at the E. I. Co.
dated 28th Apr 1832
- 13th Do Do To Do Noticing further instances of misconduct on the part of Lieutenant Colonel Briggs Senior Commissioner for the Affairs of Mysore and urging his removal - - - - - Do - 4 Do - 166 175
- 17th Do Do To Do Containing observations on Lieut. Col. Briggs' appeal against the proceedings of this Govt towards him. For reasons stated, suggests that this Government be relieved from the responsibility of conducting the affairs of Mysore thro Lieut. Col. Briggs' agency also

the substitution of Mr. Grome for that Office in the Commission and earnestly imploring the adoption of the rule laid down by the Honorable Court of receiving no appeals from Officers of this Country that do not come thro' the Local Government.

25th April 1832

To the Governor General - Announces a Mutiny amongst the Mysore troops stationed at Nuggur in consequence of a proclamation issued to them by Harnoor Shah the Ex. Buckshah of Mysore gives some particulars of him - Forebodes a succession of disastrous events of Lieutenant Colonel Briggs' opposition to Government is suffered notices with observations. The Honorable Court's orders respecting the administration of affairs in Mysore and again urges the substitution of Mr. Grome for Lieutenant Colonel Briggs in the Commission.

Com 25th May 5

Letter to the Gov^r at the E. I. Co 206 211
28th April 1832

30th June 8

From the Secretary to the Governor General - Encloses copy of a Minute recorded by the Governor General calling for a report, embracing certain particulars of the amount of force that may be required for the more preservation of order within this Presidency with reference to circumstances stated and conveying His Lordship's request that this Government will give early attention to the Subject.

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Order thereon

19th November 1832 To the Secretary to the Right Honorable the Governor General
 With copies of letters to the Resident in Mysore of dates the 26th
 September last, and 13th and 19th Instant.

Government feel assured that their proceedings
 as explained in the letter of the 19th instant and in one to the
 Commissioners for the Government of Mysore will meet
 with the approval of His Lordship

Con 20th Nov 4 $\frac{14}{15}$ - 341 357
 1832

22nd October 0^o From the Chief Secretary to Gov^t at - Requesting that the
 Government will make enquiry whether the statement
 that certain sums of Money and goods were granted by
 certain persons to Hajee Nuzzer Ali be founded in
 fact.

Resolution thereon

Con 4th Dec 1 L Eng^d 380 398
 1832 $\frac{116}{2}$ Nov 1833
 Do 2 $\frac{20}{3}$ 384 403

11th December 0^o To the Secretary to the Governor General With copies of letters to and
 from the Principal Collector of Malabar on the Affairs of Coorg -

Con 11th Dec 7 - 458 482

21st 0^o 0^o To Do With further letters from the Principal Collector of Malabar
 on the Affairs of Coorg

Con 21st Dec 4 - 502 526

4 Bellary vide Ceded Countries

Canara Vide Malabar Coast.
Civil Auditor

2 ^d November 1832	To - Calling for a Statement of all Offices in the Civil Department in which a charge is allowed for 'Secret Service' with certain particulars - - - - -	Con 2 ^d Nov 1832	4	Pol Letter <u>117</u> 2	293	293
20 th 8 ^o - - - 8 ^o	From - Forwarding a Statement of the Offices in which Secret Service Money is allowed with the Monthly amount	Con 30 th 8 ^o - -	1	Pol. Letter <u>114</u> 3	368	386
	Order thereon	Do - - -	2		370	388

Commissioners Vide Mysore

Ceded Districts

30th November 1832 To the Principal Collector & Magistrate of Bellary - calling upon him to state whether the monthly charge of 50 Rs. incurred in his Office on account of Secret Service Money may not be discontinued without inconvenience to the public Interests Con 30th Nov 1832 6 Pol Letter 372 390
 5th December 0^o From 0^o The Monthly charge of 50 Rupees incurred in his Office on account of Secret Service Money cannot be discontinued without any serious inconvenience - reason - - - - - Con 14th Dec 0^o 3 $\frac{00}{17}$ - 467 492
 14th 0^o 0^o To be in reply 0^o 4 $\frac{00}{18}$ 468 493

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Ganjam

11th September 1832 To the Collector at - Transmitting for his guidance copy of a
letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army and
a copy of the reply made to the Commander in Chief - C. 11th Sept 1832 4

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11th Sept. 1832. To the Collector at - Transmitting for his guidance
copy of a letter from the Quarter Master General
of the Army and a copy of the reply made to the
Commander in Chief. C. 11. Sept. 1832. 4

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Madura

11th Sept 1832 To the Principal Collector at - Transmitting for his guidance
copy of a letter from the Quarter Master General
of the Army and a copy of the reply made to the
Commander in Chief Con 11th Sept 1832 4

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Malabar Coast

11 th September 1832.	To the Principal Collector & Transmitting for his guidance, copy of a letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army and a copy of the reply made to the Commander in Chief	Com. 11 th Sept 1832	4	-	-	269 207
17 th Do	From Do Acknowledges receipt of a letter of the 11 th instant and promises attention thereto	Com. 26 th Do	4	-	-	286 285
	Order thereon	Do	5	-	-	286 280
12 th October	From Do With copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding Malabar and Canara and his reply stating that he does not see any necessity for augmenting the force now stationed in that province	Com. 19 th Oct 1832	1	-	-	288 288
	Order thereon	Do	2	-	-	290 290
19 th November	To Do Noting a report which reached Government directing him to procure accurate information of the actual state of affairs in Coorg, with certain particulars - also, to transmit from time to time such information on points specified as may be depended upon without waiting to frame a formal report on the several affairs of the Country	Com. 20 th Nov 1832	3	-	-	340 350

To England
 1st of 1833
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Malabar Coast continued.

23rd November 1832

To the Principal Collector of Canara - Government having been informed that an Original communication in the Hindoostanee language of a seditious tendency from a person at Bangalore to a resident at Sedashigur, fell into his hands about three months ago directing that it be immediately submitted with a full report of the circumstances under which it came into his possession and other particulars -

23rd 1st
24th 0th

From D^o of Malabar States, that he has deposited Haroonagada
From D^o Forwarding translation of a communication from the Agent employed by him to obtain information respecting Affairs in Coorg -

Con. 23rd November 1832 2

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347 363

Order thereon -

Con. 4th Dec^r 0th 4

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377 417

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403 422

30th 0th

From D^o With further information relative to Affairs in Coorg -

Con. 11th D^o - 3

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442 466

1st December 0th

From D^o Transmits translation of another letter from his Sheristadar Haroonagada Menon and reports on an interview held with the Parsee Durasha Ansetye respecting the Landamom Farm - States he has written to the Sheristadar to use his utmost endeavours towards ascertaining the accuracy of the several reports received by him particularly regarding the daily communication said to be carried on by means of a private Dawk between the Rajah of Coorg and the said Parsee -

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Con 30 th Nov 80	10	Nov.	377 393
- Do - - -	11	19.	372 396

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11th September 1832.

To the Collector at - Transmitting for his guidance
copy of a letter from the Quarter Master General of
the Army and a copy of the reply made to the Commander
in Chief.

Comd 11th Sept 1832 4

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Military Auditor General

2^d November 1832

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To - Calling for a statement of all Officers in the
Military Department in which a charge is allowed
for "Secret Service" with certain particulars - - -

Con. 2^d Nov 1832

292 292

7th 8-

From 8^o Submitting a statement regarding
certain Bills passed by the Military Auditor
General on account of Secret Service since
the year 1825 - - - - -

Con 30th 8^o 8 - - - -

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Military Servants and Corps the Honorable Companies.

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Military Servants & Corps The Honourable Company's Continued.

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His Exy Lieutenant General The Honorable
Commander in Chief

10th August 1832. To Requesting his sentiments on the subject of
an annexed copy of a Minute by the Governor
General of the 29th June last. Con 10th August 3. - - - 266 264

11th September 80. To Intimating that the Civil Authorities in Malabar
Jas Jas will be instructed to afford any information
desired respecting the past present and anticipated
need of Military force within the provinces subject
to their authority - - - - - Con 11th Sept 3. - - - 269 266.

Military Servants and Corps The Honorable Company's Continued

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Quarter Master General of the Army

5th September 1832

From - States that the Minute of the Governor General of the 29th June last in this Department is under the serious consideration of the Commander in Chief and that with the view of affording the most satisfactory reply possible to the points on which information is required it is desirable that he be placed in communication with the different Civil authorities particularly in stated districts.

Order thereon

Comd^g M^{tr} Sept 1832

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268 268

269 Ibid

Mysore

17 th September 1832	From the Resident at - Stating the particulars of the escape of the Rajah of Coorg's Brother-in-law and Sister from Mercarah - With Remarks - - - - -	Cons. 26 th Sept 1832	1	To England	272270
26 th - 8 ^o - 8 ^o	To D ^o in Reply - - - - -	D ^o -	2	8^o 1833	285284
	Order thereon - - - - -	D ^o -	3	8^o 9	285
27 th October - 8 ^o	From D ^o With Duplicate and Triplicate of his letter of the 17 th Ultimo Stating the particulars of the escape of the Rajah of Coorg's Brother-in-law and Sister from Mercarah - - - - -	Cons. 2 nd Nov	1		292292
	Order thereon - - - - -	D ^o -	2		292
28 th October 8 ^o	From D ^o Forwards Copy of a letter addressed by him to the Chief Secretary to the Government at Fort Mearn reporting further correspondence and communications made thro' a Vakeel from the Rajah of Coorg and information derived from other sources respecting his arbitrary proceedings	Cons. 13 th D ^o	1	11^o 10	295296
13 th November 8 ^o	To D ^o in Reply - - - - -	D ^o -	2	8^o 11	331344

Mysore Continued

19th November 1832 To the Resident at Arcot's reports which reached the Presidency of a pig's head and Crofs having been thrown into a mosque at Mysore &c. &c. and of an avowed intention on the part of the Rajah of Coorg to invade Mysore for a specified purpose, with observations and instructions thereupon. Com. 20th Nov 1832. 1

19th Dec. To the Commissioners for the Government of - a letter in a report which reached Government of the avowed intention of the Rajah of Coorg to make an incursion into the Mysore Country for a specified purpose intimating the instructions issued to the Resident with a request thereupon and expressing confidence that the Resident will be aided by the cordial co-operation of the Commissioners in the discharge of such functions as may devolve upon him and their hope that the Commissioners will communicate to Govt. such information as they may from time to time obtain relative to matters of political interest or importance which may be passing in the Mysore Territories. - - - Dec. - - - 2 -

335-340

338-354

22nd November 1832. From the Resident at - In reply to letter of the 19th instant respecting certain rumours which have reached Government and furnishing information on certain points Con 27th November 1. $\frac{27}{17}$ 352 363

22nd 8- 8- From the Acting Secretary to the Commissioners for the Govt. of - Acknowledges receipt of a letter of the 19th Instant with a copy of one to the Resident - States that any requisition of the Resident on the subject of escort or Military Aid will meet instant attention - The Commissioners have reason to believe that there has been considerable exaggeration in the reports alluded to - and observing on the several points noticed - Do 2. $\frac{27}{17}$ 362 379
 Do 3. - - - 366 384

26th 8- 8- Order thereon - From the Resident - Is informed by Mr Welch that the Guards formed of the Mysore Infantry over some shots and stores in Seringapatam were removed in last December - with other particulars - Con 30 8- 9 $\frac{30}{20}$ 375 392

27th 8- 8- From do - With copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Governor General relative to arrears due by the Rajah of Mysore to his armed retainers, the intrigues to which His Highness lends himself and his disregard of the Resident's advice - Con 4th Dec 1832 3. $\frac{31}{21}$ 384 403

16th 8- 8- From do - Forwards copy of a dispatch to the Chief Secretary to the Government at Fort William with additional correspondence with the Rajah of Coorg containing further requisitions for the restoration of certain fugitives of his family and observations - Con 11th 8- 1. $\frac{31}{24}$ 421 442

11th December 1832 Mysore Continued -
To the Resident at. In reply -

Can. 11th Dec 1832. 2.

441 465

30th November 1832. *Tabol. of the Carnatic-His Highness's*

To the Paymaster of Carnatic Affairs - Calling upon him to state whether the monthly charge of 8 1/2 Rupees incurred in his Office on account of Secret Service Money may not be discontinued without inconvenience to the public interests -

Con. 30th Nov 1832. 5 Pol. Letter 371 389
 No. 17
 6.

30th 8^o - 8^o To the Government Agent at Chapatk - Calling upon him to state whether the monthly charge of Rupees 300 incurred in his Office on account of Secret Service money may not be discontinued without inconvenience to the public interests -

Do 7. 8. 372 390

7th December 8^o - From 8^o Under circumstances stated, sees no necessity, for any fixed periodical expenditure on account of Secret Service Money in his Office, for Altho' it may occasionally be requisite to make disbursements of this nature, authority may be procured for them when required - recommends the abolition of the charge - also - increase of pay to Mirza Abdul Baki Khan Munshi from 70 to 100 Rupees and to S. Teagaray Chetty Venkue from 35 to 50. Rupees per mensem -

Con. 11th Dec 8^o 8 - 438 483
 Do 9 9 462 486
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4th Do. Do. From the Paymaster of Camatic Stephen Es. Thinks
 that the Monthly charge of 87 1/2 Rupees incurred
 in his Office on account of Secret Service Money may
 without inconvenience be in future discontinued -
 Resolution thereon

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Do. 11

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453 4.87

464 4.83

Belore

11th September 1832 To the Principal Collector at - Transmitting for
his guidance copy of a letter from the Quarter
Master General of the Army and a copy of
the reply made to the Commander in Chief - Con 11th Sept 1832 4

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President and Governor
The Right Honorable Stephen Rumbold Lushington

19th March 1832 His ^{Ministry} states the necessity for his proceeding to Bangalore and in consequence of Mr. Harris ill health and the probable contingency of His Excellency the Commander in Chief's presence being required at that station proposes that Mr. J. A. Casamajor be called into Council recommends the publication of the usual proclamation on his departure into the Provinces with a view stated suggests the appointment of Mr. Bannerman as Secretary to the Commissioners for the Govt of Mysore and the mode of procedure to be observed in cases of difference of opinion between the Commissioners Comd^g 19th March. 1 - Polt. Letter to Govt. 62 09.
No. 6

Police - The Superintendent of

30 th November 1832	To the Superintendent of - Calling upon him to state whether the Monthly charge of 175 Rupees incurred in his Office on account of Secret Service Money may not be discontinued without inconvenience to the public interests - - - - -	Con 30 th Nov 1832	4	Pol. Letter No 174. 1/5	370 388
4 th December	From - Stating that a discontinuance of the allowance of Secret Service Money would seriously injure the Public interests - - -	Con 7 th Dec 8 th	3	Rs. 9 -	418 438
7 th Dec	To - in reply - - - - -	Do - - - - -	4	Rs. 10	419 439
19 th Dec	From - Submitting an account Current of the Secret Service Money up to 30 th November last Amounting to Rupees 2352-5-3 - - - - -	Con 21 st Dec	5	Pol. Letter No 2 of 1833	503 527
21 st Dec	To - in reply - - - - -	Do - - - - -	6	Rs. 2 3	571 532

Tinnivelly

11th September 1832 To the Collector at - Transmitting for his guidance copy of a letter
from the Quarter Master General of the Army and copy of the
reply made to the Commander in Chief --

Com 11th Sept 34 1832 4 - - - 269 207.

Received

Travancore

- 11th September 1832 To the ^{Acting} President at Travancore transmitting for his guidance copy of a letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army and a copy of the reply made to the Commander in Chief - Con 11th Sept 1832 4 - - - 269 287
- 30th November 8^o To D^o Calling upon him to state whether the Monthly charge of 140 Rupees incurred in his Office on account of Secret Service Money may not be discontinued without inconvenience to the public interests - - - - - Con 30th Nov 8^o 3. Pl Letter 378 388
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- 8th December 8^o From D^o States that 100 Rupees in part of the Monthly charge of 140 incurred in his Office on account of Moonshee and intelligence Money may be discontinued without detriment to the public interests - observes that the remaining 40 Rupees have been paid to Moonshee for 17 years past & is of opinion that the assistance of Moonshee for reasons stated cannot with propriety be dispensed with - Con 14th Dec 8^o 1. Pl 466 490
D^o 2. Pl 467 492

Treasurer Sub.

10th January 1832 From. Requesting leave of absence for 18 Months from
the date of his quitting Madras agreeably to the enclosed
Medical Certificate
Resolution thereon

C. 13th Jan 1832 1 - - - 13 19
Do - 2 - - - 14 20

Trichinopoly

19th November 1832

To the Collector at - Transmitting for his guidance extract of
a letter to the Resident in Mysore -
Order thereon

C 20 th Nov 1832	5	343	389
20	6	344	360

Vizagapatam

11th September 1832

To the Collector at- Transmitting for his guidance
copy of a letter from the Quarter Master General of
the Army and a copy of the reply made to the
Commander in Chief.

Con 11th Sept 1832 4

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