

## **Correspondence re female nurses, including replies to confidential circular on nursing establishments**

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Am<sup>d</sup> 30 October 1855

JH

FCO 9/2

2 AM 30 Feb

My dear Sir

Forgive my troubling  
you with these few words, but  
I have a request to make  
which I trust you will kindly  
allow to be named in your letter  
to the Lady at Smyrna, namely  
that the two women sent up  
in the service of the Monastery  
Hospital may both be Protestants.  
I well know the unpleasantness  
of a difference in religion

and my small community

I have the honor to remain  
Dear Sir your very obediently

J. W. Cross

My dear madam

Your request is a most  
seasonable one, but on second  
thought, as the Hospital at Mysore  
is a civil one and under my  
control I think it better not to  
interfere with their views  
as I have no doubt the Superintendent  
and there is found round with  
numerous orders regulations  
similar to those of the Hospital  
Superintendent of Mysore at  
Tulsi. I am, your

Dear

J. W. Cross

30 October 1856

Miss Wenz - requesting  
that the nurses sent up  
from Syria, may be  
Protestants -

My note declining to  
have anything to do with  
the transaction

SA

answered verbally that Mrs  
Brambridge may be engaged  
LH

FCOG/1

General Hospital  
Malacca 6 October 55

Dear Sir

I have to apologize  
for troubling you with these few  
lines, but having been offered  
the services of a respectable woman  
the wife of a Serjeant Brambridge  
of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Batta Grenadier Guards,  
I take the liberty of asking if you  
would approve of and allow  
her to be desired to come to  
Malacca from Dutch's Quay,  
where she now is - her husband  
is attached to the Ambulance Coy

here and she is a woman  
of 45 years of age and former  
servant in respectable families.

I often fear Mrs Davis may  
fail at the last and not feel  
equal to a winter in the Clinics,  
even in the event of her health  
allowing her to remain there  
would be ample work at the  
Monastery Hospital for a second  
female servant.

I have the honor to remain  
Dear Sir your obedient servant  
Margaret S. Wren

2 Dec. '55

FC09/3

My dear Sir

I received the enclosed  
last night - whatever Miss Wightmore  
says I may have done, or left undone  
wouldn't matter, I only wish for your  
permission to go to the Province as  
soon as possible - one woman is  
only sent to me for a time, her  
husband being here, the other a  
woman just arrived from England,  
may be changed whenever you desire  
- The answer from Miss Wightmore was  
exactly what you anticipated thereby  
leaving me no resource but the

above plan which Miss Nightingale  
opined me she had spoken to you  
about and which therefore I trust  
you do not quite disapprove -

I beg ever Sir to allude to a, to me,  
very painful subject, the recent most  
disagreeable result which I ~~was~~ made  
to take a most unwilling part, never  
anticipating that an unguarded  
relation of simple <sup>facts</sup> could have led  
to such result. I am very much  
amused, as I have been, by the  
cause of regret is the appearing to  
have acted ungratefully, unpardonably

towards you Sir! I may perhaps  
have an opportunity <sup>early</sup>  
of explaining all these disagreeable  
circumstances more fully than I  
will now take the liberty of intending  
in your time & patience to do, in the  
time you do not refuse to believe my  
deepest and sincerest apologies, both  
founded on the consciousness of a  
breach of politeness but on real regret

I have the honor to remain  
Sir your very obedient servant  
G. A. W. W.

8th Decr 55



Rec<sup>d</sup> 6 December 1855  
and with the affirmative  
of Dr<sup>r</sup> 1866

FC09/4

Balaclava

to

6 December 55

My dear Sir

I trust you received my  
note of the 2<sup>nd</sup> ult enclosing Miss Nightingale's  
which reached me the evening previous -  
The person who has arrived to accompany  
me, with your permission, to the Monastery  
appears a most desirable acquisition  
and as I heard from Mr. Tolson that  
the hut was quite habitable and had  
not suffered from the late rains, I am  
most anxious to go there as soon as  
you give me leave, and <sup>have</sup> the honor

To remain Sir

Your obliged and obedient servant  
Margaret Stear

My dear Madam

I am afraid you will find  
travelling, and change of residence  
disagreeable during this weather,  
but whenever you can conveniently  
arrange it you have my full per-  
mission to go to the Monastery Hospital.

The number of patients there at  
present is small & not of a nature  
to give you much trouble, as I am  
thinking of sending off the same  
cases there in future - the doctor  
having made its appearance in  
some Regiments in camp it  
is desirable to remove them

Sincerely yours

John

Sup. Genl  
Genl Staff  
Balaclava

2 Dec 53

Miss Harz - about going  
to the monastery - and  
concern of the recent inquiry  
about <sup>allied</sup> a case of maltreatment  
of a man of the S.A. in  
hospital, and a report  
that man died, and  
was buried without ever  
having been seen by a  
Medical Officer -

Court inquiry investigated  
both these reports and  
Miss Harz was the author  
and found them without  
any foundation

J. H.



FC09/5

My dear Sir -

An impression has gone abroad, which is at variance with what I have seen of them myself - that the Sisters of Charity now employed as nurses in the General Hospital at Dalaklana - are bent on proselytism and that in their ministrations as nurses they pay more attention to patients of their own Creed than to those of any other faith. - I understand you to say that you had served with them for some months at Kulee - May I ask if you ever observed anything in their conduct, or did anything ever come to your knowledge that would in any way justify these assertions? -

I am  
my dear Sir

Yours very sincerely

Shall

Inspector Genl. of Hosp<sup>s</sup>

C. P. D. 22 1855

The Rev. Mr. Conroy }  
Monastery }  
}

P.S. Dr. Denton speaks of them in the highest terms as nurses - St

7 Dec 1855

Rev. W. Loney about  
the Conduct of the Ladies  
of money at Kurlatu

(Satisfactory)  
W

S. Jorges Convent

December 7<sup>th</sup> 1855.

My dear Sir,

I beg to state in reply  
to your letter of the 6<sup>th</sup> inst.  
that during the 5 months of  
my officiating as Chaplain  
in the Hospital at Kululee  
my duties brought me in  
daily contact with the large  
number of these Roman Cath.  
Sisters of Mercy who are now  
attached to the Gen: Hospital

Balaclava, and that during  
that period nothing ever came  
under my observation to induce  
me to attach the least credit  
to rumours which <sup>were</sup> then afloat  
of their bent on perjury.

If any effort had been made  
by them with that object in  
view it could have hardly  
escaped my notice.

With regard to the case  
and attention paid by them



to the Sick in Hospital I have  
never seen the slightest approach  
to any line of demarcation  
being drawn by them between  
the Roman Cath: & our own  
Communion, or that of the  
Presbyterians. On the contrary  
it has always struck me,  
from the kindness I saw  
displayed by them towards  
all alike, how much they  
seemed to strive to bury

attached to the Gen. Hospital

any differences of faith ~~and~~  
which might exist amongst  
those to whom they were called  
upon to minister in the  
universal love they showed  
to all.

Remain, my dear Sir

Sincerely Yrs.

Thomas Conley.

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To Dr. Hall

Inspector Gen.

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Female Nurses  
Papers Connected with  
Mrs Bridgman and the  
Sisters of Mercy at the  
General Hospital Balaklava  
From October 1855  
to March 1856

JH

Rec<sup>d</sup> 13  
ans<sup>d</sup> 15 Feb

Lutari

FC09/7

JH

Feb 8/56

My dear Sir,

I thank you much for your  
last kind Note, and am glad  
you find the News useful &  
good. Your letter to Sefton about  
them was admirable; I had had a  
battle with him & Gen. Shortis  
regarding certain statements made  
about them, but I fancy the feeling  
in that quarter is adverse, & fixed  
I hear you have not (any more than  
myself) subscribed your day's pay to  
the Nightingale fund. I certainly  
said the moment it appeared in  
Orders I would not do so, & thereby  
countenance what I disapproved  
Others may do as they please; but  
though Linton, Crankshanks, & Lowry,  
have all subscribed, I believe the  
subscriptions in the Hospital are  
not many or large

You will be glad to hear that Fitz.  
is Deputy Purveyor in Chief for my

richly deserved it for his untiring  
& unceasing labours; & it will  
give him now a position in the  
Army to desert, which before  
my censured jealousy I ill feeling  
in the minds of these men of his  
own standing

I hope you have got Powell at  
last. Hearty was annoyed at  
the delay in his getting a ship,  
& after he got his passage he  
had to wait a week till the  
vessel sailed

I have four more Purveyors  
to recommend, & will trouble  
you next week to approve &  
forward the list to the War  
Department.

Linton is well, & looking out  
for the long expected Sozella. Had  
a kind letter from Curran. He  
is far from well, & glad he is away  
from this, previous to all the changes  
that have been made

You have little sickness in

the Crimea, there is not much  
I suppose you will gradually clear  
out all the Bonapartes.

Are we to have peace of so, what  
a shipping of stores there will be;  
but I don't expect it will come  
to anything

I hope you are enjoying your  
usual health

Mr. Wright spent a day with  
me in his boy home. He was really  
looking well.

I met Dr. Roberts (4<sup>th</sup> Division) the  
other day, but am told he does  
not like my apparatus since that  
unfortunate Stone Memo. of mine,  
which I could not at first see rather  
than that embargo should have been  
given.

With kindest regards

Believe me

Yours very faithfully

Wm. R. M. M.

Scitarsi Sept<sup>r</sup> 1856

Mr Robertson about the  
new nurses -

F 109/8

28 March

My dear Madam

I beg to <sup>copy of a</sup> enclose a communication  
I have received from Miss Aghton  
on the subject of the authority which  
the annexed general order has  
given her over all nurses &  
Sisters with the Army in the  
East - You will observe that she  
makes an appeal to me well  
knowing I have no power to alter  
that which has been issued by  
the authority of the Minister for  
war - It must therefore rest with  
You to decide whether you  
will



to remain subservient to the  
Contract of Miss Lightingle  
or not - The perfect Satisfaction  
You have given me since  
You assumed charge of the nursing  
Establishment at the Infirmary  
would not induce me to wish  
any change, but unfortunately  
no discretionary power is left  
to me in the matter -

A

FC09/9

Private.

General Hospital, Balaklava,  
27 March 1856.

My dear Sir John,

Immediately on receipt  
of your letter, I called on  
Mrs. Budgenon, and  
explained the purport; -  
she fully appreciated the  
kind mention of her and the

Sister in your answer to  
Messrs L; - but the communication  
to me - and from me to her  
is private; - she desires  
a more formal expression  
of your pleasure, - which  
she can produce to  
explain the causes of her  
resignation, - and to  
affirm the impression  
of her labors - before her  
ecclesiastical Superiors.  
She wishes, too, that

her remaining moves should  
be strictly limited to you -  
and distinctly exclusive of  
all interference or authoritative  
action in regard to her or the  
part of Miss A - as it  
is solely to avoid the recognition  
of such control that she  
has resolved on the painful  
alternative of resignation -  
Her views might be met  
by your forwarding her  
a copy of Miss A's letter -

and apprising her of the necessity  
of acknowledging the supervision  
enjoyed by General Custer;-  
Mr B- will then resign;-  
and ask the favor of your  
providing a passage home for  
his sisters - without the meddling  
of Miss N-.

I send this by a special  
messenger - in order that  
Mr B- may be provided  
with an answer - before Miss  
N- can humiliate or mortify her  
with the inf alternatives.

I remain my dear Sir  
Your most respectful & devoted  
servant  
H. H. H.

FCO9/10

General Hospital, Paraikara,  
31 March 1856.

Private.

My dear Sir John,

I called this morning on  
Captain Burnett, - explained  
matter, - and your wish; -  
he says a large Steamer will  
be ordered, - the name has  
not yet transpired, - but  
Captain Burnett will inform me  
the earliest opportunity; - so

for he promises every  
attention to the arrangements  
requested, - and we may  
feel assured of his satisfactory  
cooperation on Saturday.

I remain

my dear Mr. John  
Yours respectfully and  
Devotedly  
David W. Gould

On Her Majesty's Service.

J. Hall Esq M.D.

Genl. General of Hospitals.



Notes from Miss Knightbridge<sup>x</sup>  
Mrs Bridgman -  
Miss Hear &  
Bridgman Starts about the  
removal of horses from  
Antalce to Palaklana

<sup>x</sup> Copy only  
PMW  
1.v.63.

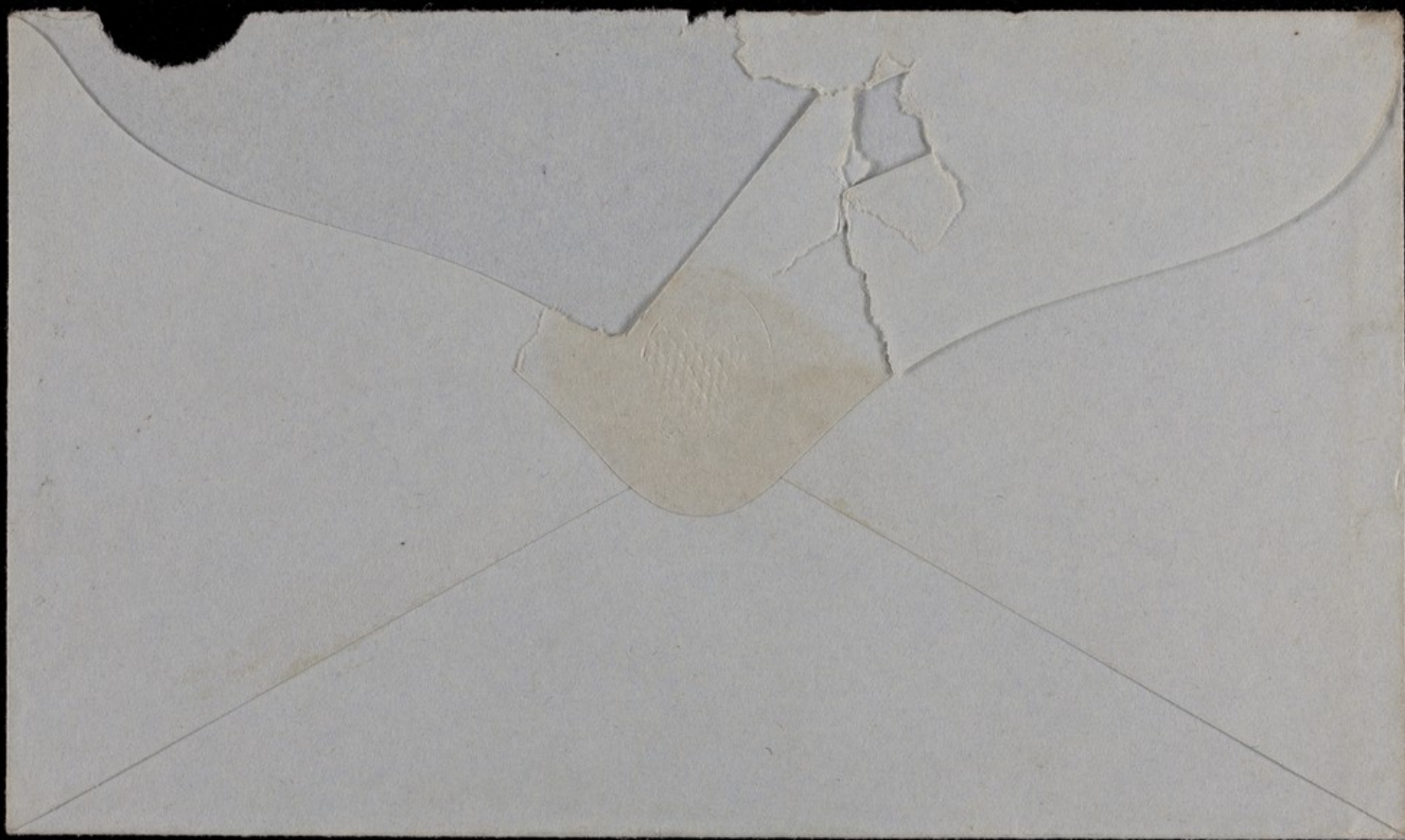
6 Dec 55

Ship's car about  
going to monastery

JH

JH

Inspector General of Agriculture



FC09/11

27 Clifton Hill, Maidenhead - London  
13 March 1858

My dear Sir

I return as you requested Dr Murray's letters of the 15<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> March and Dr Davidson's of the 30<sup>th</sup> March, which are just what I anticipated and exonerate you from blame - and I shall take care to make the subject known to the Director General, so that your prospects may not suffer by Miss Nightingale's statements, which I apprehend were intended to hit me and the Sisters of Mercy & not you. But the shaft has fallen short and damages have been found & I believe more than any one else; for it was his duty to see that the hospital was kept in proper order and that no patient could by any possibility be left for a whole <sup>week</sup> without Medical care. Under the kind care of the good Sisters of Mercy I do not for a moment believe such a thing could have taken place, and I look on the whole story as a malicious insinuation. The hospital itself, which was a model of neatness, regularity and cleanliness during your and Dr Fitzgerald's joint administration, changed rapidly for the worse after you were taken sick, and Dr Fitzgerald had been prohibited by Dr Beaton from attending to the cleanliness of the wards - and on one of my perambulatory visits finding the whole place in a state of dirt & confusion I sent for the Purveyor to know why he had not attended better to my instructions. His reply was that he had

been prohibited from attending as usual to the cleanliness  
of the wards by order of S. Denton, with what object I know  
not, but one may surmise after the question that came  
out to me afterwards - "Is it true that the nuns left the  
general hospital at Donklossa in a discreditable state  
of dirt." to which I replied that it was not true, as  
the hospital during their administration was remarked  
for its cleanliness & regularity, but had it been  
otherwise no blame would have attached to them  
as it was no part of their duty to attend to the cleanliness  
of the wards, and they were in no way held accountable  
for it.

Yours very truly

J. Hall

L. Knisk

13 March 1858  
Recd  
Letter from Sir John G.  
Chambers returning letters  
from Dr. Denton, &  
Mr. Hodgkinson.

1 April 1850

FC09/12

My dearest Love

a meet day for such a commu-  
nication, but as the tin trumpet has reached the  
modern Athens you may make any discreet  
use of the enclosed you may think proper -

I am quite provoked as the General Order pro-  
cured by Mendacity, has deprived me of the only  
real nurses we have ever had, for Mr. Judgman,  
a very Superior, and Conscientious person, the Mother  
Superior of the Sisters of Charity, has positively refused  
to acknowledge Miss Lightgate's authority, & I  
cannot blame her after what is past and they  
all got home on Saturday next - Thus the Govern-  
ment loses the full services of these estimable women,  
and the poor sink the benefit of their ministrations  
to gratify the ambitious vanity of Miss Lightgate.  
I was told when I declined to interfere that right or  
wrong Miss Lightgate's friends were powerful enough  
to carry her through - My reply was so much the  
greater pity - But I cannot write more as it  
is post hour -

affectionately yours

John

Copy

Castle Hospital Palaklana

October 27 - 1855

My dear Sir

I have this day given over the extra kitchen at the General Hospital Palaklana into the hands of the nurse -

Mr Davis will sail for England by the "Pacton" this evening or tomorrow morn - This being the case - I wish the washerwoman being desirous of proceeding to Sulari - and Pragebridge, wife of sergeant of the Grenadier guards whom you allowed Miss Wear to send for for sentari having gone to Camp I am under the necessity of requesting you to recommend some woman or two women to accompany Miss Wear to the Monastery. It not being my intention to supply her with Government nurses, as I do not consider that Hospital a fit place for them being chiefly convalescent -

I will pay such women as you may recommend to Miss Wear. I relate Lord Roglan, having died, without paying her the wages which he had promised her I have paid her 15/- a week, and settled with her at that rate upto this time - I remain, my dear Sir - your obliged & obedt servant  
Signed, Thomas Lightingle

My dear Madam - In reply to your note of yesterday's date informing me of the departure of Mr Davis for England, - of Mr Shurdant to Sulari and Pragebridge to join her husband in Camp, & requesting me to recommend one or two respectable women to accompany Miss Wear to the monastery, I am sorry to say, and you must not be shocked at the Confession, I know of no one at present whom I could recommend for the duty; but should we hereafter find any women of good character and willing to accept the appointment their names can easily be added to the pay list of the Hospital without giving you the trouble & inconvenience of opening a separate account for the monastery  
I am Sir  
Signed  
Thomas Lightingle

Miss Lightingle

28 October 1855

Head Q. Camp Crimea  
12<sup>th</sup> March 1856

Sir - In returning Lord Panmure's despatch of the  
25<sup>th</sup> February 1856. N<sup>o</sup> 170 in which His Lordship states  
"that his attention has been called by Miss Nightingale  
to the circumstance of two female nurses having  
been recently introduced by the Principal Medical  
officer in the Crimea into the Monastery Hospital  
without any previous communication with that  
body, who is alone recognised by Her Majesty's  
Government as having the supervision of the female  
nursing Establishment at the Seat of War -

"I have to direct that you will call the  
attention of Sir John Hall to the irregularity of this  
proceeding, and at the same time guard against  
its recurrence by promulgating in General orders  
the rightful position of Miss Nightingale"

I trust I may be permitted to state, for  
the information of the Secretary of State for War

that

General Sir H. S. Adington K.C.B.  
Commanding in Chief



Copy  
No 170

War Department  
25 Feb 1856

FC09/13

Sir

My attention has been called by Miss  
Sightingle to the circumstance of two female nurses having  
been recently introduced by the Principal Medical Officer  
in the Crimea into the Monastery Hospital without any  
previous communication with that Lady, who alone is  
recognised by Her Majesty's Government as having the  
superintendence of the female nursing establishment at the  
Seat of War. I have to advert that you will call the  
attention of Sir John Lubbock to the irregularity of this  
proceeding, and at the same time will guard  
against its recurrence by promulgating in general  
orders the rightful position of Miss Sightingle in  
reference to the distribution, selection, and power of  
discharge, or dismissal of male nurses and sisters,  
employed in the military hospitals of the Army, and which  
if I may venture to suggest the wording of a Genl Order  
may be expressed to the following effect.

It is has been intimated to the Secretary  
of State for War that female nurses have been intro-  
duced into one of the Hospitals of the Army in the East  
by the Medical authorities without the concurrence  
of the Lady Superintendent of the Female Nursing

Establishment - His Lordship has addressed  
the following despatch to the Commander of the  
Forces with a desire that it should be pro-  
mulgated in General Orders -

Sir - It appears to me that the Medical  
authorities of the Army do not correctly comprehend  
Miss Nightingale's position as it has been officially  
recognised by me. I therefore think it right to state  
to you briefly for their guidance, as well as for the  
information of the Army, what the position of that  
Excellent Lady is - Miss Nightingale is  
recognised by Her Majesty's Government  
as the General Superintendent of the Female  
Nursing Establishment of the Military Hospitals  
of the Army -

No Lady, or Sister, or Nurse,  
is to be transferred from one Hospital to  
another, or introduced into any Hospital

without

previous consultation with her - Her instructions  
however, require her to have the approval of the  
Principal Medical Officer, in the exercise of  
the responsibility thus vested in her.

The Principal Medical Officer  
will communicate with Miss Crightingale upon  
all subjects connected with the female nursing  
Establishment, and will give his directions  
thru' that lady -

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient

Humble Servant

Signed Samuere

Genl. Sir William J. Saddington R.C.B.

25 Feb<sup>r</sup> 1856

Copy of Dispatch from  
Lord Sumner to Sir  
Wm. S. Girdlestone Com-  
manding in Chief in the  
 Crimea - about the  
appointment of two nurses  
to the Convalescent Hospital  
without Miss Nightingale's  
authority - and censuring  
Major making the app<sup>t</sup> -  
Dispatch provided on many  
information as all the  
nurses ever employed  
there have been by the  
Miss Nightingale herself

H. Hall

Head Q<sup>r</sup> Camp Crimea  
12 March 1856

Sir

In returning Lord Panmure's despatch of the 25 March 1856. n<sup>o</sup> 170, in which His Lordship states "that his attention has been called by Miss Nightingale to the circumstance of two female nurses having been recently introduced by the Principal Medical Officer in the Crimea into the Monastery Hospital without any previous communication with that body - who alone is recognised by Her Majesty's Government as having the supervision of the female nursing establishment at the Seat of War -" I have to doubt that you will call the attention of Sir John Hall to the irregularity of this proceeding, and at the same time guard against its recurrence by promulgating in General Orders the rightful position of Miss Nightingale -

I trust may be permitted to state, for the information of the Secretary of State for War, that ~~there is no~~ ~~interference~~ ~~in the slightest~~ ~~degree~~ ~~with~~ ~~Miss~~ ~~Nightingale's~~ ~~privileges~~ ~~by~~ ~~that~~ ~~appointed~~

and nurses to the Monastery Hospital - the, as will  
be seen by the accompanying correspondence,  
I was invited to do so by Mrs. G's own  
letter of the 7<sup>th</sup> of October 1855  
to do so - and what was more <sup>to the purpose</sup> ~~importantly~~  
~~that the nurses~~ <sup>every nurse that has been & may now</sup> employed at the <sup>Monastery Hospital</sup> ~~Monastery Hospital~~  
was sent up, by Miss Nightingale from Scotland  
to do duty there - as will be seen by the <sup>following</sup> ~~enclosed~~  
documents which were given to me by Miss G. the Super-  
intendent - a note from  
1. Miss Nightingale's letter to Mrs. Snowdon offering  
her services at the Monastery Hospital.

2. Mr. Jane Evans' Mem<sup>o</sup> of agreement  
dated 13 Dec<sup>r</sup> 1855 - &

3. Note from Miss Nightingale, dated 15 Dec<sup>r</sup> 1855, to  
the Captain of the "Andes" Steamer, recommending Mrs. Evans to  
his care when proceeding to Balaklava to join Miss G.  
at the Monastery Hospital -

4. Appointment of Sarah Kishit as a servant  
dated 27 October 1855 -

The position of Miss Nightingale is now perfectly well  
understood by the officers of the Medical Department of the Army,  
but it is right to add that no official instructions

defining her power and authority were surr<sup>er</sup> for, <sup>being</sup>  
 done by the authorities at home, and even had  
 an ~~Principal Medical Officer of the Army~~ <sup>an emergency taken</sup>  
 upon myself to appoint a couple of <sup>to be appointed in the manner</sup> ~~writers~~  
~~Emergency~~ should not, before <sup>the receipt of</sup> this official notification  
 from the Secretary of State, <sup>was required,</sup> have thought that I  
 was ~~transgressing the authority of my profession by~~  
~~issuing orders in this important matter.~~ <sup>of authority</sup> But as it is  
~~not a insignificant act,~~ <sup>however,</sup> they must  
 distinctly state that I have not done that  
 which ~~is~~ <sup>is</sup> ~~an~~ <sup>an</sup> ~~un~~ <sup>un</sup> ~~der~~ <sup>der</sup> ~~stood~~ <sup>stood</sup> ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> ~~all~~ <sup>all</sup> ~~that~~ <sup>that</sup> ~~you~~ <sup>you</sup> ~~charge~~ <sup>charge</sup> ~~me~~ <sup>me</sup> ~~with~~ <sup>with</sup> ~~being~~ <sup>being</sup> ~~ignorant~~ <sup>ignorant</sup>  
 and I am quite ignorant of the course which has  
 called forth Lord Sanmures displeasure on the  
 present occasion, - and request you will do me  
 the honor to transmit this my explanation to him -

Because, whatever my  
 own opinion might be  
 I should be sorry to  
 see my profession that  
 I had unwarily transgressed  
 his orders -

I have the honor to be  
 Sir  
 Yours most obedient  
 humble servant  
 H. Hall  
 Brig. Genl.

Genl. Sir John Cadroston  
 Commander of the Force

I have instructed the ~~Manager~~  
 to write to ~~London~~ to know if two  
~~men~~ could be obtained here to accompany  
 him to the ~~provisionary~~, but an ~~arrangement~~  
 in the ~~negative~~ was ~~decided~~ by ~~him~~  
 and I was subsequently informed that two ~~men~~ ~~had~~ ~~been~~ ~~sent~~  
 to ~~the~~ ~~provisionary~~ ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~expense~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Government~~

enclosed

From Mrs Brownlow -

Castle Hospital Dalakhava 16 Nov 1855

I am now going to send a lady, Miss West, and one other woman to the monastery hospital near Dalakhava, as there are only Conventuals there it is not my intention to have more than three women here - I have proposed your husband that you should come up for one month with baby, just for the sake of seeing him and showing him little Pippie, and stay at our hut at the monastery, during that month - doing what you can for Miss West in the way of washing and cooking for that time - Sergeant Brownlow approves of it, but says that you must pledge yourself not to desert but to go back to Scutari without a word at the end of the month - I believe he thinks, as I do that the business is no place for women, and especially not for babies - but he wanted to see you & Pippie - There are but two rooms in the hut - one for Miss West - one for you & Pippie & the other woman - and the kitchen and wash house are out of doors - Hope Pippie will not be the horse for it - Miss Smith will write for you about the coming up which will be as soon as the Surgeon agrees to take your place for a time at Scutari, and a woman can be found to come up with you - your husband does not wish you to come alone, but I am sure, would that he might - Hope that I shall still be in the Crimea when you arrive, if you come you must let me know, & your husband, if he can be spared, or an orderly shall come to the depot to meet you - you must let me know the name of the depot - your truly Florence Nightingale

I shall be very glad to keep your place open for you at Scutari and if you think it will be a greater pain to leave your husband than pleasure to see him I advise you not to come - I presume sure you will not grudge him with intimacies to let you come than in camp for if he were to yield I assure you that you would see the day, & Pippie too - But I believe him to be too good a husband to do so -

Scutari Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1855

Mrs Jane Evans is recommended to the care of the Captain Commanding the aides that he may kindly assist her on arrival at Dalakhava being one of the nurses to proceed to Miss West

Memorandum of Mrs Jane Evans' agreement to serve as nurse at 15/ a week Board Lodging, free passage home - with gratuity of 2 months pay if discharged without fault - 2 Albert place City Road London - date 13 Dec 1855

Certificate of Sarah Nesbit, agreement as servant under the orders of the Superintendent nurses at Scutari

Wm. office.  
27 October 1856



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that I never appointed any nurses to the Monastery Hospital altho I was invited to do so by Miss Nightingale's own letter of the 27th October 1855, a copy of which, with my reply, is annexed; and what is more to the purpose every nurse that either now is, or <sup>was</sup> has been employed there was sent up from Scutari by Miss Nightingale herself, as you will observe by the following documents which were given to me by Miss Wear the Superintendent -

1. A note from Miss Nightingale to Mr. Brownlow offering her service at the Monastery -
2. Memorandum of Jane Evans's agreement to take service as a Nurse dated 13th December 1855 -
3. Note from Miss Nightingale to the Captain of the "Andes" Steamer, dated 25th December, 1855, recommending Jane Evans to his care when proceeding to join Miss Wear at the Monastery Hospital.
4. Appointment of Sarah Nesbit as a Servant dated 27th October 1855 -

General  
 Sir Wm J. Codrington K. C. B.  
 Commanding in Chief

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The position of Miss Nightingale will now be perfectly understood by the <sup>medical</sup> Officers of the Army; but it is right I should add that until <sup>present time</sup> ~~now~~ I have never received from the Authorities at home any official instructions defining her exact powers, and Authority, as it was generally understood that her mission related solely to the Hospitals at Scutari; and until the receipt of the present notification from the Secretary of State for War, I should not have thought I was exceeding the Authority of my situation, as head of the Medical Department of this Army, in appointing, on an emergency, two Nurses to a Military Hospital;— but even that trifling act of Authority, I beg distinctly to state, I have not exercised on the present occasion;— and the only thing I can charge my memory with having done that could give even a Color to this accusation is having, when Miss Wren was in tribulation about some one to accompany her to the Monastery, sanctioned the Purveyors writing down to Smyrna to inquire if two Nurses could be obtained there.— An answer was received by Mr. Fitzgerald in the negative.— Subsequently, I understood, when the Smyrna Establishment was ordered to be reduced, that

two Nurses were sent up from there to Miss Nightingale at  
Scutari, but I am not answerable for that -

Having been censured by the Secretary of State  
for War on information that is not correct - I request  
you will do me the honor to submit this my expla-  
-nation, which I trust will be satisfactory to His  
Lordship. -

I have &c &c  
(signed) J. Hall  
Insp. Genl of Hosps



N<sup>o</sup> 579

FCOG/16a

(FCOG/16b-d  
attached)

General Hospital  
near Monastery of St George  
The Crimea  
21<sup>st</sup> April 1856.

Sir

1 In answer to your Confidential Circular of the 18<sup>th</sup> Instmt (received last night) I have now the honor to report as follows.

2 The female nursing establishment here, consists of one Lady Superintendent and two Nurses: Of the latter, there was three, till the 8<sup>th</sup> Instmt, when one was removed. This establishment was formed about the middle of December.

3 The average daily number of Patients, (by months) is shown in the return at 1 hereunto enclosed.

4 The sole management (including cooking) of Sister Pittman since 12<sup>th</sup> January, has devolved upon this Lady & her attendants: and, ever since her arrival, she has given her attention to the patients generally, devoting her time more particularly to such special cases, as I conceive, might be benefitted thereby.

Sir John Hall

R. C. B.

Inspector General  
P. M. O.

In addition she has performed,

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Other duties: In example, Civil Surgeon D  
Hughes places very great reliance on  
Poultices by night in certain cases  
of ophthalmia. These have been  
invariably prepared in <sup>the</sup> Saliva Tritata,  
and put exactly applied by the  
Ldys Superintendent, immediately  
after the Staff Surgeon night visit.

5 The night duty has not  
desisted on the said nursing  
establishment.

6 A detailed monthly account (No 2)  
of all stores issued to the Ldys  
Superintendent, from the Purveyors  
stores, has just been received  
from Mr Toher, and is herewith  
annexed.

I have the honor to remain  
Sir

Your most obedient

Attending Servant

J. Prop. F. M. S. M. D.

Staff Surgeon / Chap.

1. 9. A Soldier of 39<sup>th</sup> Regiment accompanied  
the establishment from Balaklava,  
who remained here ever since.

Duties, and Expense of  
Nursing Establishment  
at the Monastery  
General Hospital  
April 1856

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FCOG 164  
(attached to FCOG 160)

Average Daily Number of Patients (per month)  
from 1<sup>st</sup> December 1855 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 1856  
General Hospital near Georges Monastery

	Patients	Names
December	75 $\frac{24}{31}$ since 13 <sup>th</sup> - - - 4	
January	88 $\frac{3}{31}$ - - - - - 4	
February	96 - - - - - 4	
March	110 $\frac{26}{31}$ - - - - - 4	
	370 $\frac{22}{31}$	Average 4.
General Average	94 $\frac{21}{31}$	

J. Pops Surgeon M.D.  
Staff Surgeon Major  
in Med. Charge



FCOG/16c  
(attached to FCOG/16B)

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Return of Medical Comforts Issued on Miss Wear's Requisitions.

	Butter	Mary	Wheat	Flour	Beans	Tea	Coffee	Sugar	Rice	Yams	Onions	Peas	Apples	Oranges	Limes	Salt	Mustard	Barley	Candler	Lard	Soda	Yer...	Coffee	Oil	Natural	Condensed	Milk					
	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs					
December 1865	1.	5.	2.	78.	16.	1.	14.	3.	30.	110.		6.	3.	1.		8.	50.		48.						7.	3 1/2		50.	1.			
January 1866	-	1.		101.	12.	8.	19.	8.	22.	58.		12.	2.	1.	3.	15.	10.	4.	36.			3 1/2	1.	1.	16.	9 3/4	12.					
February "	-			142.	1.	10.	29.	4.	32.	6.		7.	6.	3.		18.				30.	6.	8 3/4		2.	6.	3 1/4	6.	2.			12.	
March "	4.	1.	2.	98.	16.	36.	34.	6.	92.	12.	7.		6.	2.		29.	12 1/4			60.		3.		1.	6.	6 1/4	18.	2 1/4			8.	16.
Total ....	5.	5.	4.	413.	45.	55.	96.	21.	176.	178.	7.	25.	17.	7.	3.	67.	72 1/4	4.	84.	90.	6.	15 1/4	1.	4.	38.	22 1/4	36.	44.	50.	1.	8.	22.

Miss Wear two female servants, and a female orderly have been previous commissariat rations from the 13<sup>th</sup> Feb until the present time; and one other female servant received the same rations up to the 8<sup>th</sup> April - The three female servants did not receive any rations

Chas. H. Miller  
Commissary & Co. Incas

Return of  
Medical Comforts &c  
issued to Miss Wear  
on Requisition

Smith & Row  
Buckee

FCOG/16 d  
(with FCOG/16 a/c)

Return shewing the Establishment of the General Hospital Monastery on the  
 last day of each month from the opening of the Hospital to the present period  
 1<sup>st</sup> May 1856

Month	Remained	Admitted	Discharged	Died	Remaining	Medical officers and others employed during the month										Remarks	
						1 <sup>st</sup> C. Staff Surgeon	2 <sup>d</sup> C. Staff Surgeon	Asst. Surgeon	Asst. Surg. Major	Deputy	Dispensary	Surgeon	Surgeon A.D.C.	Surgeon or Med. Masters	Orderlies		Civil Surgeons
July	0	182	"	"	182	"	1	1	1	"	1	"	1	2	24	1	
August	182	104	88	10	188	"	1	"	1	"	1	"	1	2	28	1	
September	188	67	75	7	173	"	1	"	1	"	1	"	1	2	26	1	
October	173	115	138	6	144	1	1	"	1	"	1	1	1	2	30	1	
November	144	40	127	2	55	1	1	"	2	"	1	1	"	3	24	1	
December	55	48	29	1	73	1	1	"	2	"	1	1	"	3	23	1	
January	73	41	23	1	90	1	1	"	2	"	1	1	1	11	24	1	
February	90	43	28	1	104	1	1	"	2	"	1	1	1	8	22	1	
March	104	49	38		115	1	1	"	2	"	1	1	1	8	20	1	
April	115	57	59		113	1	1	"	2	"	1	1	1	8	29	1	

end of Feb 1856  
 year

J. P. Simpson M.D.  
 Staff Surgeon H.M.

Medical Establishment  
St. James Hospital  
From its establishment in  
July 1855 - till its  
Close in 1856

FCOG/17a  
 (with FCOG/17b-c)  
 Castle Hospital Balaklava.  
 29 April 1856.

Sir,

With reference to your Confidential Circular dated 18<sup>th</sup> April 1856 requesting information on the following points connected with the Female Nursing Establishment in the Military Hospitals at the seat of War in the East, I have the honor to report as follows.

1. Number of Nurses } Upon this point I cannot afford  
 Employed monthly } any positive information, the  
 in each Hospital } number of nurses present  
 being only known to me incidentally, as  
 the Lady Superintendent never reported  
 the same to me & consequently no record  
 has been kept by me - I believe however  
 that the number at this Hospital was  
 from their first joining in April till near  
 the end of July six Nurses and one  
 Lady Superintendent, and after that  
 period 4 with a Lady Superintendent.

2. The average daily } April May June July  
 N<sup>o</sup>. of patients under } 139  $\frac{7}{15}$  189  $\frac{25}{31}$  320  $\frac{13}{30}$  422  $\frac{10}{31}$   
 treatment by months } August Sept. October November  
 437  $\frac{27}{31}$  488  $\frac{9}{10}$  485  $\frac{29}{31}$  397  $\frac{13}{30}$   
 December January February March. -  
 299  $\frac{6}{31}$  190  $\frac{21}{31}$  45  $\frac{27}{29}$  103  $\frac{21}{31}$

The Duties

Sir John Hall K.C.B. M.D.  
 Director General of Hospitals  
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Duties performed by the Nurses - Whether special patients were placed under their care to whom they were required to devote their sole attention, or whether their services were rendered to the patients generally -

The duties performed by the nurses were  
 1° To go round with the Medical Officer and assist in dressing such cases of wounds as he might think they could be advantageously

allowed to meddle with (generally the more trifling cases) - 2° To make and assist in applying all poultices considered necessary - 3° To cook all articles of extra diet requiring nicety and attention & all the diets of sick & wounded Officers  
 4° To attend at operations, hand sponges &c  
 They were never required to devote their sole attention to any one case (except in the instance of Asst. Surgeon Lawson when one nurse from the General Hospital at Balaklava was so employed) and were either not usually or never present in the wards unless at the above mentioned times as I believe with the exception of the Lady Superintendent they were forbidden <sup>by their own rules</sup> to enter the wards unless at those times -

4° Whether they were } with the exception  
 required to perform night } already mentioned  
 duty in watching the sick } of Asst. Surgeon Lawson  
 they were never required to perform night  
 duty in watching the sick or wounded

5° A detailed

5. A detailed monthly  
account of all stores  
issued to and on account  
of the Female Nursing  
Establishment ..

I regret that it is not  
in my power to furnish  
this for a longer period  
than from 1<sup>st</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> to  
31<sup>st</sup> March, as the Purveyor

having been changed he has not the  
documents necessary to complete such a  
return for the period from April to Aug<sup>t</sup>.

I enclose the Purveyor's return and

have the honor to be

Sir.

Your most Obedient humble servant

J. M. Atthew.

Staff Surgeon.



Castle Hospital at  
Ponaklana  
Expenses, and duties of  
Nurses -

Mr. Matthews' letter dated  
29 April 1856, enclosing  
the Return of Surgeon Morris,  
and giving his own explanation

FC09/17b  
(with FC09/17a)

Issues or Acquisition to Nurses From September 1<sup>st</sup> 1855 to March 31<sup>st</sup> 1856

When issued	Bread	Butter	Beans	Brandy	Wine	Cheese	Candles	Tea	Flour	Linens	Mat	Milk	Produce	Meat	Coal	Oil	Wax	Soap	Starch	Rice	Sugar	Spice	Tea	Salt	Wool	Wool	Wool	Wool	
	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	lb	
1855																													
September	278				1		15		2		507			112	107	50	5	1					10	1					
October	578						12		3		655			112	36	210	30		1		112			2 1/2			20		
November	200		112			1	56	20	2	12	233	115		112	56	201		112											
December 1855	107	1		12			24				153	66		112	11	112								20	25	20			
January	124					1	24				115	30				16		30	1	30									
February	112						12				115	30	1			112				56									
March	102	6				1	22				122	30				112				30								15	
Totals	1342	7	112	12	1	3	145	30	7	12	233	232	1	448	1004	112	179	3	16	112	30	1	53	2	462				

E. W. Morris  
 Remeyer to the Nurses

FC09/17c  
(with FC09/17a)

Return showing the Establishment of the General Hospital at the Castle, Balaklava  
on the last day of each month from the opening of the Hospital to 30 April 1856

N.B. Hospital opened for reception of sick 3<sup>d</sup> March 1855.

Month.	Remained in 1855 of the month	Admitted during the month	Discharged during the month	Died during the month	Remained on last of the month	Medical Officers & others employed.										
						1st Staff Surgeon	2d Staff Surgeon	Adj. Surgeon	Acting Asst. Surgeons	Surgeons	Surgeons	Surgeons	Surgeons	Surgeons	Surgeons	Surgeons
March 1855	-	218	52	3	163	-	1	1	-	2	1	-	1	3	16	-
April	163	130	105	7	181	-	1	1	1	2	1	-	1	4	24	-
May	181	85	84	5	177	1	3	2	2	2	1	-	1	4	30	-
June	177	505	168	17	497	-	3	2	2	5	1	-	1	4	61	-
July	497	309	352	16	338	-	3	1	4	5	1	-	1	4	62	-
August	338	407	341	15	389	-	3	1	3	6	1	-	1	4	59	-
September	389	397	276	19	491	-	3	1	4	4	1	1	-	5	64	-
October	491	174	157	10	498	-	3	1	5	3	1	1	-	6	72	-
November	498	6	174	1	329	-	3	2	6	2	1	1	-	6	74	-
December	329	20	69	2	278	-	3	1	4	2	1	1	-	13	67	2
Jan <sup>y</sup> 1856	278	2	240	-	40	-	2	1	4	1	1	1	-	13	49	2
February	40	64	18	-	86	-	2	1	2	1	1	1	-	7	34	1
March	86	82	53	-	115	1	-	2	2	1	1	1	-	7	34	-
April	115	13	97	-	31	1	-	2	3	1	1	1	-	8	42	-

J. M. Atter Staff Surgeon.

Confidential

FCOG/18a  
(with FCOG/18 & vc)

General Hospital Curtain May 2nd  
1956

Sir

Thank you very much to acknowledge the receipt of your Confidential Communication of the 21<sup>st</sup> ult with reference to the Nurses and regret not having been able to answer it sooner in consequence of the difficulty of obtaining the accurate number of females employed. The following answer to your query will I trust be satisfactory.

During 1<sup>st</sup> there has been no complete state kept of the Nurses. A statement of those actually employed in the wards from the Nursing States of Division is annexed but it does not include the Lady Superintendent the Luncheon Room who for some months have been employed in the Senior Store. From the best information I can obtain their numbers must be increased as follows

Director CB	from July 1 <sup>st</sup> to Nov 15 - 2 (Lady Sup <sup>t</sup> & Luncheon Room)
"	Nov 16 to Dec 16 - 4 (Two Luncheon Room added)
Nurses	Dec 17 to March 31 - 6 (Two additional 5 <sup>th</sup> )
Curtain	

Yours  
L. J.

Query 2 The average number of patients under treatment since July 1855 included the period embraced in the annexed returns of provisions, was as

July	381.5	December	525.0
August	411.0	January	504.8
September	408.6	February	358.2
October	314.6	March	342.7
November	275.5		

Query 3 The nurses had a certain number of hands to do off duty and attended the patients generally within hours, giving the most attention of course to the worst cases

Query 4 The number was some at other times insufficient to permit of their performing regular night duty though it was always understood that in a bad case if the Medical Officer desired the attendance of a nurse during the night it could be procured on application to the Lady Superintendent at the Hospital and this was occasionally done

Query 5 A detailed statement of provisions supplied for the personal use of the nurses and female establishment from 1 July 1855 to 31 March 1856 is annexed. All provisions or medical comforts for the sick obtained from the Purveyor either through the Dub

Adts non special requisition by the Medical  
Officer in charge

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FCOG/186  
(with FCOG/18a)

Number of Nurses daily employed - General Hosp.  
 From July 1855 to Dec 31 1856

July 1855	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
1	11	1	11	1	11
2	11	2	11	2	11
3	11	3	11	3	11
4	11	4	11	4	11
5	9	5	11	5	11
6	9	6	11	6	11
7	9	7	11	7	11
8	9	8	11	8	11
9	11	9	11	9	11
10	11	10	11	10	11
11	11	11	11	11	11
12	11	12	11	12	11
13	11	13	11	13	11
14	11	14	11	14	11
15	11	15	11	15	11
16	11	16	11	16	11
17	11	17	11	17	11
18	11	18	11	18	11
19	11	19	11	19	11
20	11	20	11	20	11
21	11	21	11	21	11
22	11	22	11	22	11
23	11	23	11	23	11
24	11	24	11	24	8
25	11	25	11	25	8
26	11	26	11	26	8
27	11	27	11	27	8
28	11	28	11	28	8
29	11	29	11	29	8
30	11	30	11	30	8
31	11	31	11	31	8

Total 333    341    330    317    240    268    1829



Continued. —

Nov. 9. 1856 Feb. 1. March.

1	10	1	10	1	10
2	10	2	10	2	10
3	10	3	10	3	10
4	10	4	10	4	10
5	10	5	10	5	10
6	10	6	10	6	10
7	10	7	10	7	10
8	10	8	10	8	10
9	10	9	10	9	10
10	10	10	10	10	10
11	10	11	10	11	10
12	10	12	10	12	10
13	10	13	10	13	10
14	10	14	10	14	10
15	10	15	10	15	10
16	10	16	10	16	10
17	10	17	10	17	10
18	10	18	10	18	10
19	10	19	10	19	10
20	10	20	10	20	10
21	10	21	10	21	10
22	10	22	10	22	10
23	10	23	10	23	10
24	10	24	10	24	10
25	10	25	10	25	10
26	10	26	10	26	10
27	10	27	10	27	10
28	10	28	10	28	10
29	10	29	10	29	10
30	10	30		30	10
31	10			31	10
Total	310		290	310	910

C. M. Mellick  
R. C. in house

1829 Brought forward.

Grand Total 2739

General Hospital Scutari  
April 28. 1856.

Statement of Articles supplied from the Purveyors Stores  
to the Nurses of the above Hospitals - from 1 July  
1855 to the 31 March 1856.

				£	s	d
3570	lb	Meat	at 10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> lb	70	13	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
2432	"	Bread	" 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb	15	12	"
2418	"	Potatoes	" 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb	15	2	3
2399	qt	Milk	" 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> qt	24	19	9
23 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	lb	Tea	" 2/- lb	2	7	"
838	lb	Sugar	" 4 lb	13	19	4
42	lb	Oatmeal	" 6 <sup>0</sup> lb	1	1	"
11	lb	Barley	" 6 <sup>0</sup> lb	"	5	6
127	lb	Salt	" 1 <sup>0</sup> lb	"	10	7
6	lb	Pepper	" 8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb	"	4	3
146 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	lb	Vegetables	" 1 <sup>0</sup> lb	1	17	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
950 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	lb	Fruit	" 4 <sup>0</sup> lb	15	16	9
157	lb	Cucumbers	" 2 each	1	6	2
1386	qt	Potter	" 3 <sup>0</sup> qt	17	6	6
8	bott	Potter	" 7/- bott	"	8	"
2313	qt	ale	" 1 <sup>0</sup> qt	38	11	"
10	bott	ale	" 7/- bott	"	10	"
106	bott	Port Wine	" 4/- bott	21	4	"
19	"	Sherry	" 4/- --	3	16	"
6	"	Masala	" 3/6 --	1	1	"
88	"	Brandy	" 3/6 --	15	8	"
1622	-	Eggs	" 10/- per 100 -	8	2	2
47		Fowls	" 2/3 - each	3	5	9
37	lb	aniseed	" 1/9 lb	4	9	3
98	"	Rice	" 14 <sup>0</sup> lb	1	12	8
80	"	Hard Soap	" 3 <sup>0</sup> --	1	"	"
95	"	Soft D <sup>o</sup>	" 2 <sup>0</sup> --	"	15	"
14	"	Soda	" 2 "	"	2	4

Forward £ 311 6 7

		Forward	L 311	6	7
20	bott Vinegar	at 1/6 bott	1	10	"
1920	- Oranges	at 1° each	8	"	"
534	Lemons	at 1° "	2	4	6
336	lb Flour	" 4 3/4 lb	6	13	"
1 1/2	Black Lead	" 2 lb	"	3	"
319	Canals	" 5° lb	6	12	11
5 1/2	" Spice	" 3/6 lb	"	19	2
6	- Bath Bricks	" 3° each	"	1	6
1	lb Mustard	" 2/ lb	"	2	"
1	tin Solidified Milk	" 1/6 each	"	1	6
26	lb Cabbages	" 2° lb	2	4	6
125 1/4	" Bacon	" 1/6 lb	9	7	10
12	3 Ginger	" 8 1/2 lb	"	"	6
38	lb Fish	" 8° "	1	5	4
118	" Herrings	" 2° "	"	19	8
26 1/4	" Currants	" 9° "	"	19	8
22	tin Epsom Beef	" 8° tin	"	11	"
10 3/4	lb Starch	" 8° lb	"	6	10
12 1/4	" Cheese	" 1/6 lb	9	10	10
3	" Macaroni	" 5° lb	"	1	3
17 1/2	" Butter	" 1/3 lb	10	15	7
4	" Whiting	" 1/4 "	"	4	"
3 1/2	" Coffee	" 1/4 "	"	3	9
23 1/2	" Lard	" 1/6 "	1	15	3
1	bott Capes	" 2/4 "	"	2	"
15	lb Banots	" 1° "	"	1	3
1	bott Salad Oil	" 2/4 "	"	2	"
195	lb Cauliflowers	" 2° "	1	12	6
7	lb Raisins	" 1/4 "	"	7	"

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