Educational (1897) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 613-4.

DATED 1-11-97

INDEXED.

A / 1-11-97

19/19

[Despatch Abstract.]

Addressing the G. of I. on the subject of the retention of the services of Farrier Havildar Borthwick at the College of Agriculture, Saidapet.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
Cn	1370/97						

Educational (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 895

DESPATCHED
1897

171/97

From The Dir of Pub. Instruction
Madras.

Order.

No. 8254

Dated 2nd August 1897

Received 3 AUG. 1897

Registered 3-8-97

Enclosures ~~two~~ three

Spare copies

SUBJECT.

Requesting that steps may be taken for the retention in the Educational Department of Farrier Havildar R. Borthwick, Veterinary Hospl. Keeper Saidapet—

For R
There was a further G.O. on this subject, which please put up

ED 3/8/97

5/8/97

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
	R199	Ed	15-5-97
	171	—	22-3-97

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Educational ~~Public Works~~ (1897) Department.

CURRENT No.

Order

From

The Dir. of Pub. Instruction,

Madras.

No.

Dated 29th May 1897.

Received

Enclosures

Spare copies

DESPATCHED
29 MAY. 97

SUBJECT.

Requesting to expedite the transfer of Farrier Smith Borthwick from the Body Guard.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

From W. M. Fanning
Lieutenant ~~B. J. H. HUMFREY~~,
Commanding His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard,

To
The Director
of Public Instruction
Madras.

No. A/307

Body Guard Office,
Madras, 4th July 1897.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward you a Copy of letter No. A/115 D/- 19th March 97 with reference to Farrier Havildar R. Borthwick lately transferred to Agricultural College at Saidapet.

I also forward a Copy of the Correspondence just received with reference to him from which it appears that it is the intention of Government to transfer him to the 2nd Madras Lancers.

I have written to the 2nd M. Lancers and on hearing from them will inform you what steps should be taken.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obdt. Servant
Lieutt.
Commanding H.E.'s Body Guard.

Dist.

2d

r

in

No

ch

ch

Encls: 603 to C to 895564
97

Through The Milty: Secy: to H.E. the Governor & Asst: Adjt: Genl: Madras Dist:

No: $\frac{A}{115}$

From The Commandant.
H. E's Body Guard.

To The Dy: Adjutant-General
Madras Command.

Madras 19th March 1897.

Sir,

With reference to this office No: $\frac{A}{28}$ of 22nd January 1897, forwarding a roll of men for transfer to Madras Lancer Regiments on re-organisation of this Corps, I have the honor to inform you that the Madras Government has applied for the services of Farrier Havildar No. 17 R. Borthwick, for ~~the services of~~ employment at the Agricultural College at Saidapet.

2. As Farrier Havildar No. 17 R. Borthwick has completed 19¼ years service, I beg to recommend that he should be granted the ordinary rate of Pension, as if he had completed 21 years service in view of the peremptory reduction of H. E's Body Guard.

3. The Papers in connection with his transfer as per margin, are

I. A. Form 80
Regimental Register (Copy)
Regimental Defaulters Book (Copy)

forwarded herewith.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obdt. Servant.
(Signed) Geo. H. Arbuthnot Captain
Commandant, H. E's Body Guard.

(True Copy)

Maxwell Fenn Lieutt.
Adjutant, H. E's Body Guard.

Pensions

Native Soldiers

No. A/N.I. 9956

Ootacamund
29th June 1897

From
The Deputy Adjutant-General
Madras Command.

To
The General officer Commanding
Madras Dist.

Forwarded for information with reference to Your Memo No. A/350 dated 22nd March 1897.

2. Steps should be taken to transfer [illegible] the the Farrier Havildar to the 2nd Madras Lancers.

II

No. A/N.I. 9957.

Ootacamund
29th June 1897.

To
The Military Secretary
to H. E. the Governor

True Copy forwarded for information.

(Signed) G. Simpson Br.-Genl.
Deputy Adjutant-General.

Pensions
Native Soldiers

No: 1518 J.

Government of India
Military Department
Simla, the 16th June 1897.

To.

The Lieutt. General, Commanding
the Forces, Madras.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Correspondence ending with Your Excellency's telegram No: N.J./1028 dated the 1st June 1897 in which it was recommended that, in view of his being displaced owing to the reduction authorized in the strength of His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard, Farrier Havildar Borthwick of that Corps should be granted at once the ordinary pension of his rank, without being invalided although he has less than 21 Years service.

2. In reply I am to say that, as it appears that this Non-Commissioned officer can be provided for regimentally, the Government of India see no reason why he should be specially granted now a pension which he has not yet earned under the Regulations in force.

3. The original enclosures of Your letter No. $\frac{a}{N.J.\ 5464}$ dated the 3rd April 1897, are returned herewith.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. A. Wiley
Dy: Secy. to the Government of India

No. 236 The Comdt. Body Guard

Forwarded for information and guidance

(Signed) J. Romilly Major
Military Secretary

Government House
Ootacamund
30th June 1897

(True Copy)

W. Maxwell [illegible] Lovett.
Adjutant, H.E. Body Guard.

Rno 8778/97

R No. 562 of 97

No. 7459. dated 10th July 97

Lieut. Commanding the Governor's Body guard.

Forwarded to the Principal college of Agriculture for information. The papers should be returned.

Ag. Director of Public Instn.

DESPATCHED

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
6 JUL 97
MADRAS

Fwd. copies of certain corre. re. Borthwick lately transferred to the Agri. coll., Saidapet..

Enclos. 2 Rec. No. 845 of 97

No. 576.

Madras College of Agriculture,
Saidapet, 16 July 1897.

From
W. KEESS, Esq., M.A., M.R.A.C.,
Principal,
Madras College of Agriculture.

To
the Director of
Public Instruction,
Madras.

Sir,

In returning your endorsement No 7459 dated 16th July (re transfer of Farrier Havildar Borthwick to 2nd Madras Lancers) I have the honor to point out that unless Borthwick is allowed to remain in the post, which he now occupies viz:- Vet'ry Hospital Keeper, the College will be put to much inconvenience and a certain amount of hardship will be inflicted on Borthwick. On the supposition that the military authorities would transfer him to the Educ: Dept, the post of Vet'ry Hosp Keeper was kept open for him from 1st April to 6th June at much inconvenience to both College & Hospital. He joined duty on 7th June, and after a month I am informed that the appointment must cease. The hardship to Borthwick is apparent. He has taken up his residence in the Hospital Keeper's

16 July 7

Keeper's quarters and has made all arrangements for living at Saidapet. I venture to hope, under these circumstances, that you be so good as to take steps for the retention of Borthwick's services by the Educ: Dept. I am not acquainted with the military Rules regarding retirement before completion of 21 yrs services but possibly, if matters were represented to them, the Govt of India might be disposed to grant a proportionate pension or a lower pension than that obtainable after 21 yrs service.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. Keess

Principal

No 895 12.8.97

C No 895 Edl

Office of the Director of
Public Instruction,

Madras, 2nd August 1897.

No. 8254-

From

J.B.Bilderbeck Esq. M.A.
~~The Honourable Mr. D. Duncan~~, M.A., D.Sc. LL.D.,
Ag. Director of Public Instruction,
Madras,

To

The Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal Department,
Fort St.George.

Sir,

With reference to the enclosed correspondence in regard to the transfer to military duty of Farrier Havildar R.Borthwick-now Veterinary Hospital keeper in connection with the College of Agriculture - I have the honour to recommend that steps be taken, if practicable, for the retention of his services in the Educational Department for reasons stated by the Principal, College of Agriculture.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

J. B. Bilderbeck

Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

[Edl. 6]
1,000—5-3-97.

895/97

Educational (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 922

141
22-3-97

From The Military Secretary to H E the Governor.

Order

No. 262

Dated 3 } 8 97
Received for Regn 7 } 8 97
Registered 7 } 8 97
Enclosures one.
Spare copies.

SUBJECT:

Requesting to be informed whether the Govt intends to make a special application for allowing F. H. Borthwick to remain at the Agricultural College.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Ootacamund, 30th July 1897.

Pensions, Native Soldiers. No. A/N.T. 11837.

From

The Deputy Adjutant General, Madras Command,

To

The Military Secretary to

H.E. the Governor of Madras.

Reference correspondence ending with your No253 of 22nd July 1897.

Memorandum.

His Excellency the Lieutenant General Commanding the Forces, Madras, directs that in view of the orders* of the Government of India, Military Department, received in Farrier-Havildar Borthwick's case, he must join the 2nd Madras Lancers, unless the Government of Madras desire to make a special application for him to be allowed to remain at the Agricultural College.

*. Letter No. 1518 B. d/16th June '97. Copy forwarded with my memo. No. a/m 9957 d/29th June 1897.

(sd) J. Kempster. Colonel.

for Dy. Adjutant General.

True copy.

Enclo. to 1 to C6922 E8/1897

C.6922 E81

No 262.

Government House.
Ootacamund.
3rd August 1897.

From

Major F.W.Romilly, D.S.O,
Military Secretary to
His Excellency the
Governor,

To

The Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal Department,
Stone House Hill.

To E.D.P.
4/8

Sir,

Adverting to G.O. No 171 (Educational) dated 22nd March 1897, I have the honour to inform you that Farrier Havildar Borthwick was transferred to the Agricultural College on the 5th June 1897.

Subsequently, orders were received from the Government of India directing that the Farrier Havildar be sent to join the 2nd Madras Lancers, and from the accompanying copy of a letter from the Deputy Adjutant General it will be seen that it is proposed to carry out ~~their~~ those orders "unless the Government of Madras desires to make a special application for the Farrier Havildar to be allowed to remain at the Agricultural College."

I request therefore you will be good enough to inform me whether Government proposes making the special application suggested by the Deputy Adjutant General.

I

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedt Servant,

F. Romilly Major,

Military Secretary.

107

C 13-5-97
R 16/7/97

[G./25]
500—17-3-97.

Educational DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 695 of 97.

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.
~~THE HON'BLE MR. BLISS, C.I.E.~~
THE HON'BLE MR. GROSE, C.I.E.

SUBJECT

Transfer of Farrier Havildar Borthwick.

FOR ORDERS.

Flag H.

Farrier Havildar Borthwick belongs to H.E. the Governor's Body Guard. He has only 19 1/4 years service. Under the rules governing his case he must have completed 21 years service for pension. The Govt of I was asked to grant him a pension, as a special case, in consideration of the reduction ordered in the strength of the Body Guard and has refused on the ground that he can be provided for regimentally. The military authorities here seem to have permitted Borthwick to join the College of Agriculture as Vety. Hospital Keeper in anticipation of the sanction of the Govt of India. He joined the post on the 7th June last but he has now been ordered to join the 2nd Madras Lancers. The Principal of the College of Agriculture states that the College will be put to much inconvenience by his going away and requests that steps may be taken to retain Borthwick at the College. The D.P.I. supports the request. It is to be considered whether there are sufficient grounds for asking the Govt of I. to reconsider their decision.

Orders are solicited!

MR
5/8/97

Did not a further communication about this man come in the other day — or was it about some other military employe at the Vet.y School

EH
6/8/97

Please see cno 922, herewith submitted. It is a letter from the Mily.-Secy to H.E. on the same subject.

MR
9/8/97

H.H.
Apparently the agricult. College ain Borthwick: but he t his military pension until he has served his ^full time. I suppose Ag. Coll. will be prepared to make any contribution that the rules require — if they do require wh. I don't know. But ~~[illegible]~~ Mil. Dept may be asked on what terms this services will be allowed

EH 11/8

I suppose he will get his pension from the Military Dept if he completes his term of service in the Agricultural College. If so, a "special application" need be be made to India. Ascertain if this is the case.

JG
15/8/97

Draft here subject
MR

draft submitted
MR
20/8/97

Note: Please issue this from ooty
MR

Ed Dept.

Read cnos 895 + 922

D.M. ^only No. 1789, 26th August 1897

With ref. to his memo. to the Mily.-Secy to H.E. the Governor of Madras No. A/N.I. 11837, Pensions — Native Soldiers, Dt 30th July 1897, stating that Farrier-Havildar Borthwick must join the 2nd Madras Lancers, unless the Govt of Madras desires to make a special application to the Govt of I. to allow him to remain at the College of Agriculture, the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, is requested to be so good as to state whether under the rules of the Military Dept. Borthwick can be permitted to complete in the College of Agriculture the term of service required for a military pension and, if so, ^on what ~~are the~~ terms ~~on~~ ~~which~~ the requisite permission will be granted.

(from orders)

MR
20/8/97

EH
21/8/97

To
The D.A.G. Mad. Command.

Despd
26/8/97.

Ed Dept-

Read case 1895/422

No. 1789 d. 26 June 1897

With ref. to his memo. to the Secy to H. E. the Governor of Madras No. A/N.D. 11637, Pensions – Native Soldiers, d. 31st July 1897, stating that Farrier-Havildar Bom... cannot join the 2nd Madras Lancers unless the Govt of Madras desire to make a special application to the Govt of I. to allow him to remain at the College of Agriculture, the Deputy Adjutant General, Madras Command, is requested to be so good as to state whether under the rules of the Military Dept Bom... can be permitted to complete in the College of Agriculture the term of service required for a military pension and if not what are the terms on which the required permission will be granted.

[Edl. / 5] 1,000—5-3-97.

C 8-10-97
Rg 10-97

Educational (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 1140

E.

Memo 1789 26.5.97

From The Deputy Adjutant General Madras Command.

For Orders

Submitted with reference to His note at Flag B.

KM
7/10

Apply to the G of I for retention of his services in the Edl. Dept
8/10/97

No. A / N.D. 15376

Dated 29.9 } 97

Received 29.9

Registered 5.10. 97

Enclosures

Spare copies.

SUBJECT.

Stating that there is no rule or precedent under which Farrier Havildar Bom... can be permitted to serve in the Civil Deptt till he completes 21 years Service to enable him to retire voluntarily under Article 521 A.R.I, Volume Part I.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Da

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Current No. 1140

This heading and
to be quoted in
ly

Pensions - Native Soldiers

Ootacamund,
29th September 1897.

No. A
N.T. 15376

From
The DEPUTY ADJUTANT GENERAL, MADRAS COMMAND,

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras
Educational Department
Ootacamund ~~District.~~)
(~~Through~~

CHIEF SECRETARIAT 9 SEP GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

REFERENCE, YOUR ~~MY~~ ~~LETTER~~ MEMO ~~ENDORSEMENT~~ No. 7815 of 26th August 1897.

MEMORANDUM.

There is no rule or precedent under which Farrier Havildar Borthwick can be permitted to serve in the Civil Department till he completes 21 years service to enable him to retire Voluntarily under Article 521 A.R.I., Volume I, Part II.

2. Farrier Havildar Borthwick might be placed on the unattached list so as to enable him to remain at the College of Agriculture and count his service both in the Army and the Civil Department for pension; in this case his pension will be regulated on the scale laid down in Article 546, A.R.I., Volume I, Part II, and he will forfeit the privilege of retiring voluntarily after 21 years' service

C.R. 1000
A.P. 8-7-97

service on the pension of his grade — Viz. Rs 9-6-11 — Admissible under note to Article 518 ibid.

C. Hickson
Brig. General,
Deputy Adjutant General.

[G / 24]
1,0·0—18-9-97.

Ed DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in proceedings :—

Again G.O., No. , dated 189 .
Again G.O., No. , dated 189 .
Current No. 895 of 1897, dated 2nd Aug., from the D.P.I.
" " 922 " 1897, " 3rd Aug , " the M.S. to H.E. the Governor
" " 1140 " 1897, " 29th Sept. , " the Dy. Ad. General. M.C.

ORDER. No. 613 d 1-11-97
mis

An application will be made to the Govt of I. for the retention of Farrier Havildar Borthwick's services in the Ed Dept.

(from orders)

To The D.P.I.
" Mily Secy. to H.E. the Governor } QAO. Despd 3/11/97

No. 614

To
The Secretary to the G. of I.
Military Dept.

Despd 3/11/97

Sir,

The post of Hospital Keeper at the Veterinary Hospital attached to the College of Agriculture, Saidapet, fell vacant on the 1st April 1897 and Farrier Havildar R. Borthwick of H.E. the Governor's Body Guard was selected as the best qualified person for the

ap.

appointment. Borthwick was unable to join immediately and the post was kept open for him till the military authorities could transfer his services to the Ed. dept. Borthwick joined the appointment on the 7th June 1897 but a month afterwards ~~he had joined it~~ the Principal of the College of Agriculture was informed that Borthwick's appointment at the Veterinary Hospital should cease, as ~~and that~~ he had been posted to the 2nd Madras Lancers. The Govt of I, it is understood, was not prepared to grant Borthwick the ordinary pension of his rank, as he had not 21 years' service and as he could be provided for regimentally. It is, however, difficult to secure ~~get~~ a suitable person for the Hospital Keeper's post and if Farrier Havildar Borthwick is not permitted to occupy it great inconvenience ~~it is reported~~ will result. I am therefore directed to request that, if there is

[illegible]

[illegible] lose pension? ~~If to be~~ must be commuted?
[illegible] Dept? ~~If not~~ Is
Civil Dept to bear whole of
it & if not how is diffce
to be borne & under what
rules?

Please see the last sentence of Mr. Keess' letter at M. He requests that B. may be allowed to join the Ed Dept with a reduced pension. So B has been consulted.

If a pension is now granted to B, the whole of it will be borne by the Military Dept & B will receive it in addition to his pay in the Civil Dept. If no pension is now granted & if B is placed on the attached list, he can receive only his pay in the Civil Dept. In this case his pension at the end will be regulated on the scale given in Art 546. A.R.I. Vol. I. Part II.

29/10/97.

is no objection, the Govt of will be pleased to sanction the retention of Borthwick's services by the Ed. Dept, his pension being reduced, if necessary, in proportion to the length of his service.

31/10

28/10/97.

When given for copying ___
When copied 1/11
When examined ___
When signed ___
189 7

READ AGAIN G.O., No. DATED 189 .							
CURRENT No.							
ENCLOSURES TO C. No.							
ORDER OF GOVERNMENT	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
LETTER OF GOVERNMENT							
STATEMENT WITH DITTO							
PAPERS NOT FILED UP, BEING MEANT FOR DESPATCH IN ORIGINAL.							

N.B.—
A = Copy in full.
B = Not to be copied.
P = Copy abstract only.
Q = Copy heading only.