

Educational (1897) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Sanctioning the payment of the remuneration due to certain gentlemen that conducted the Govt Technical Examinations 7-1896 & addressing the G.O. regarding the payments of honoraria in the case of certain others.

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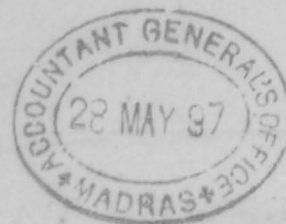
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Educational (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 585



From

The Commissioner
for Government
Examinations,
Madras.

No. 582
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Ind. Order No. 1118 D 26 May 1897.
Referred to the Accountant-
General for remarks.

[Signature]
Secretary to Government.

Dated 18th May 1897.

Received 19 MAY 1897

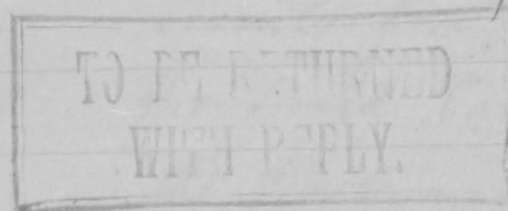
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Enclosures Nil.

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SUBJECT.

Requesting sanction to the
disbursement of Rs. 5,675 being
the amount of stipends due
to the examiners in connection
with the Government Technical
Examinations held in
November 1896.



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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

FOR GOVERNMENT EXAMINATIONS,

Madras, 18th May 1897.

From

THE HON'BLE MR. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc., LL.D.,

COMMISSIONER FOR GOVERNMENT EXAMINATIONS,

Madras,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT,

Fort St. George.

SIR,

I have the honour to request that the sanction of Government may be obtained to the disbursement of Rupees (5,675) Five thousand Six hundred and Seventy-five, being stipends for the under-mentioned ladies and gentlemen who conducted the Government Technical Examinations held in November 1896.

	Rs
Mr. W. D. St. Leger	350
Mr. E. Stradiot	300
Mrs. Lester	25
Mr. E. Holder	950
Mr. E. B. Havell	450
Mr. F. H. Andrews	600
Mr. E. Greenwood	450
Messrs. Hawes and Co.	150

Carried over 3,275

Mr. R. Hill	Brought forward	Rs. 3,275
Mr. H. H. Bicknell		690
Mr. R. E. Ellis		40
Mr. J. H. Stephens		280
Mr. J. P. Lewis		200
Mr. J. P. Perkins		150
Mr. J. T. Whittome		50
Mr. Frank Monk		175
Mrs. C. G. Stevenson		150
Mr. P. Mahoney		140
M. R. R. S. Parthasaradhi Aiyangar		100
Mr. J. Mills		100
Mr. E. D. Smith		75
Miss E. Carr		150
		<u>5,675</u>

2. The fee receipts amounted approximately to Rs 2,600

3. The charges can be met from the budget provision for the current year.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,
J. G. S. S.
Commissioner.

Rk.

Encls. 1. b.c. No 700 25/6/97

Local & Municipal Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 700

From The Secy General
Madras

No. 1796

Dated 14th June 1897

Received 16 JUN 1897

Registered 16-6-97

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SUBJECT.

Informing that as remuneration to examiners in connection with the late Govt Technical Examinations are not collected by the fees collected, the payment of Rs 950 to Mr. S. Holder & Rs 690 to Mr. R. Hill requires the sanction of the Govt of India, under art. 84(h) of C. S. R. & that in the case of others the sanction of the local Govt is sufficient.

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FORT ST. GEORGE,
Accountant-General's Office,

14th June 1897.

No. 1796

From

J. C. Harrison Esquire,

Offg. ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL TO THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal Department.

SIR,

With reference to your endorsement No 1118 dated the 26th May 1897 on letter from the Commissioner for Government Examinations Madras No $\frac{582}{48}$ dated 18 May 1897 (herewith returned) Soliciting sanction of Government for the payment of remuneration to certain Examiners in connection with the late Government Technical Examination held in November 1896, I have the honour to state that as the remunerations proposed are not covered by the fees collected, the payment of Rs 950 to Mr E. Holder and Rs 690 to Mr R. Hill requires the sanction of the Government of India under Article 89 (c) of the Civil Service Regulations. In the case of others, the sanction of the Local Government is sufficient.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

your most obedt: servt.,

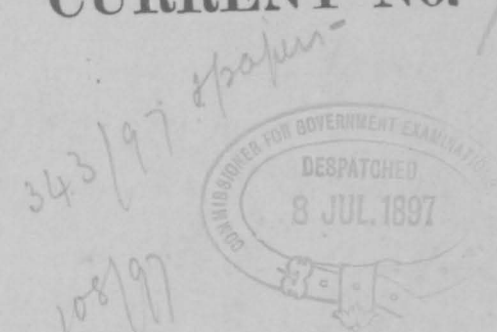
J. Harrison

Offg. Accountant General.

[Signature]

Educational (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 798



From J. B. Bilderbeck, Esq., M. A.,
Ag. Commissioner for Government
Examinations, Madras.

Order

No. $\frac{651}{42}$

Dated 7th July 1897.

Received 8 JUL 1897

Registered 9-7-97

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SUBJECT.

Explaining the circumstances
under which Mr. Chatterton
was recommended for an
honorarium of Rs 1,000 for his
services in connection with
the Government Technical
Examinations held in April 1896.

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Receipts	Charges	Receipts	Charges
	<u>April 1894</u>		<u>November 1894</u>
^{Rs} 2140	Mr R. E. Ellis 1184	^{Rs} 1680	Mr W. D. S ^r Leger 300
	" J. H. Stephens 750		Mr E. Stradiot 250
	" E. W. Stoney 500		Mr F. Martin 35
	" A. B. Strange 245		Mr E. Holder 800
	" J. O'Shaughnessy . . . 150		Mr H. Irwin 372
	" J. B. Macfarlane . . . 150		Mr Fred H. Andrews . . . 461
	" C. A. T. Norfor . . . 100		Mr P. Mahoney 100
	" C. Lowry 75		Messrs W. Hawes & Co . . . 150
M.R.Ry.	A. V. Ramalingaiah . . 76		Mr R. Hill 350
Mr	W. E. Underwood . . . 50		Mr J. Luker 35
"	C. J. W. Plummer . . . 50		Mr R. E. Ellis 200
"	G. K. Winter 50		Mr J. H. Stephens . . . 200
"	R. E. Pigott 45		Mr J. P. Lewis 300
"	A. Booth 75		Mr J. Augustin 10
Surgeon Major	J. L. Vaugeois . . . 265		Mr Frank Monk 78
Mr	L. H. Jones 135		Mrs. C. G. Stevenson . . . 138
"	C. Krishnan 184		Mr J. Mills 50
M.R.Ry.	P. Lakshminarasu . . . 25		Mr W. H. Nurse 25
Surgeon Lieutenant	R. A. Elliot . . . 322		<u>Total</u> 3854
Dr	J. Nield Cook . . . 247		<u>November 1895</u>
Veterinary Lieutenant	H. P. Turnbull . . . 247	2300	Mr W. D. S ^r Leger 325
Mr	C. Benson 257		Mr E. Stradiot 275
"	P. R. Mehla 15		Miss E. Schmidt 25
"	G. M. Woodrow . . . 102		Mrs Lester 25
"	S. Hoare Collins . . . 114		Mr E. Holder 900
Temporary Surgeon	R. Wilkins . . . 122		Mr H. Irwin 300
Mr	E. P. Popert 100		Mr F. H. Andrews . . . 550
M.R.Ry.	C. K. Subba Rao . . . 75		Mr E. Greenwood . . . 400
Mr	A. E. Duchesne . . . 500		Messrs Hawes & Co . . . 150
	<u>Carried over.</u> . . . 6210		<u>Carried over.</u> . . . 2950

Receipts	Charges	Receipts
	April 1894 - Cont. Brought forward. ^{Rs.} 6210	
	Mr. E. C. Woods. Scawen 417	
	M.R.Ry. L. Subramania Aiyar 618	
	Mr. J. Luker . . . 300	
	Total 7545	
	April 1895	
^{Rs.} 3050	Mr. R. E. Ellis . . . 1255	
	" J. H. Stephens . . 1030	
	" Alfred Chatterton. 849	
	" C. E. Phipps . . . 336	
	" C. J. W. Plummer . . 200	
	" P. B. Arbutnot . . 75	
	" R. Harris . . . 125	
	" J. B. Macfarlane . . 100	
	" P. Whitbread . . . 50	
	M.R.Ry. A. V. Ramalinga Aiyar 75	
	" R. Kalyanarama Aiyar 150	
	Mr. G. K. Winter . . 50	
	" R. E. Pigott . . . 202	
	" H. Booth . . . 75	
	Surgeon Major J. L. Van Geyzel. 301	
	Mr. R. L. Jones . . 301	
	M.R.Ry. C. Krishnan . . 235	
	Mr. J. M. Harris . . 25	
	M.R.Ry. A. Ramalinga Aiyar 25	
	Surgeon Captain R. H. Elliot 312	
	Dr. J. Nield Cook . . 159	
	Veterinary Lieutenant C. B. M. Harris 155	
	Surgeon Lieutenant Colonel W. G. 174	
	Surgeon Major C. Mathias ^{King} 124	
	Mr. C. Benson . . . 268	
	" G. M. Woodrow . . 15	
	Dr. J. Walter Leather 239	
	Carried over 6905	

Charges	Receipts
November 1895. Cont. Brought forward. ^{Rs.} 2950	
Mr. R. Hill . . . 200	
Mr. J. Luker . . . 30	
Mr. R. E. Ellis . . . 250	
Mr. J. H. Stephens . . 150	
Mr. J. P. Lewis . . . 175	
Mr. F. Monk . . . 50	
Mrs. C. G. Stevenson 100	
Mr. J. Mills . . . 100	
Mr. E. D. Smith . . . 75	
Total. 4180	
November 1896	
Mr. W. D. S. Leger . . 350	
Mr. E. Stradiot . . . 300	
Mrs. Lester . . . 25	
Mr. E. Holder . . . 950	
Mr. E. B. Havell . . . 450	
Mr. F. H. Andrews . . 600	
Mr. E. Greenwood . . 450	
Messrs. Harris & Co. 150	
Mr. R. Hill . . . 690	
Mr. A. H. Bicknell . . 40	
Mr. R. E. Ellis . . . 280	
Mr. J. H. Stephens . . 200	
Mr. J. P. Lewis . . . 150	
Mr. J. P. Perkins . . 50	
Mr. J. J. Whitton . . 175	
Mr. Frank Monk . . 150	
Mrs. C. G. Stevenson 140	
Mr. P. Mahoney . . 100	
M.R.Ry. S. Parthasarathi Aiyar 100	
Mr. J. Mills . . . 100	
Mr. E. D. Smith . . . 75	
Miss E. Carr . . . 150	
Total 5675	

Charges	Receipts
April 1895 - Cont. Brought forward ^{Rs.} 6905	
Mr. J. Morrison . . . 113	
Honorary Surgeon R. Wilkins . 100	
Mr. E. P. Popert . . . 80	
M.R.Ry. C. K. Subba Rao 75	
Mr. A. E. Duchesne 451	
" E. C. Woods. Scawen 414	
M.R.Ry. L. Subramania Aiyar 388	
Mr. Tom Luker . . . 350	
Total. 8876	
April 1896	
^{Rs.} 4080 Mr. R. E. Ellis . . . 1300	
" J. H. Stephens . . . 300	
" C. J. W. Plummer . . 200	
" Alfred Chatterton . . 1000	
" C. E. Phipps . . . 500	
" P. B. Arbutnot . . . 175	
" R. Harris . . . 100	
M.R.Ry. A. V. Ramalinga Aiyar 75	
Mr. P. Whitbread . . 50	
M.R.Ry. T. Subramania Aiyar 175	
Mr. J. W. H. Ellis . . 200	
" G. K. Winter . . . 50	
" R. E. Pigott . . . 200	
" H. Booth . . . 75	
Surgeon Major J. L. Van Geyzel 400	
Mr. R. L. Jones . . . 300	
" J. M. Harris . . . 25	
M.R.Ry. A. Ramalinga Aiyar 25	
" A. G. Bourne . . . 250	
Veterinary Captain E. H. Hazleton 200	
M.R.Ry. S. S. Pasupati Aiyar 25	
Carried over 5625	

No. 651
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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER
FOR GOVERNMENT EXAMINATIONS,
Madras, 7th July 1897.

From J. B. Bilderbeck, Esq., M.A.,
THE HON'BLE MR. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc., LL.D.,
Ag. COMMISSIONER FOR GOVERNMENT EXAMINATIONS,
Madras,

To
THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No 343, Educational,
dated 21st June 1897, communicating to me a letter
from the Government of India, Home Department,
Education, No 123, dated 31st May 1897, and
calling for certain information, I have the honor
to state that Mr. Chatterton was recommended
for a fee of Rs 1000 in consideration of the
services he had rendered as a member of
the Board appointed to conduct the examina-
tion in the subjects of Civil and Mechanical
Engineering in connection with the Government
Technical Examinations held in April 1896.
The work undertaken and performed by
Mr. Chatterton formed no part of his
duties as a Professor of Engineering in the
Engineering

Receipts	Charges	Receipts	Charges
	April 1896- Cont Rs		
	Brought forward 5625		
Surgeon Lieutenant Colonel W. G. King 400			
Surgeon Major C. Mathias 80			
Surgeon Major W. B. Bannerman 270			
Mr. C. Benson 350			
Dr. J. Waller Leather 350			
Mr. J. Morrison 75			
Mr. C. Krishnan 90			
Mr. E. D. M. Hooper 80			
Mr. C. K. Subba Rao 75			
Mr. A. W. Lushington 25			
" H. J. Porter 25			
- John Adam 200			
" E. C. Woods. scawen 600			
Mr. K. Subramania 600			
Mr. Louis Luker 75			
Mr. N. C. Raja gopala Chari 450			
Mr. E. E. Davies 25			
" H. H. O'Farrell 25			
Rev D. S. Herrick 25			
Mr. A. J. Cooper. Oakley 50			
Total 9495			

J. B. Bilderbeck
Ag. Commissioner

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Engineering College.

2. In reference to the observation of the Government of India that Mr. Chatterton's fee is "equal to about forty days' full salary", I beg to say that the honorarium paid to an examiner never has been determined, and cannot possibly be determined, on the principle that it should bear some proportion to his salary or income. The fees paid to examiners are calculated with reference to a number of circumstances, such as the nature and standard of the examination, the number of papers set, the number of candidates, and the length of time occupied in the oral and practical tests. So calculated, Mr. Chatterton's fee amounted to the sum for which he was recommended.

3. I may here add that the Technical Examinations are, in their very nature, expensive. They are difficult and complicated, and they involve not only written, but also Oral and practical tests which are found to be most laborious and take up a great deal of the examiner's time. Moreover, it is not always easy to secure the services of competent men for these examinations and it was the opinion of Mr. Grigg, as it is the opinion of

of Dr. Duncan, that the services of such men when obtained, should be liberally paid for. In this opinion I heartily concur, for, if the Technical examinations are to be retained at all, sound policy demands that they should be conducted in a thoroughly efficient manner.

4. In its letter to the Government of Madras, the Government of India enquires "whether it has been the regular practice to grant an honorarium of the amount (Rs 1000)" proposed to be paid to Mr. Chatterton. As I have already explained, the honorarium paid to an examiner depends upon the nature of the examining work assigned to him, and, as a matter of fact, there have been cases in which even larger sums were paid to examiners. I submit, for the information of Government, a statement showing the totals of the admission fees received and the honoraria paid in connection with the Technical examinations, during the years 1894, 1895, 1896. Still larger fees, it may be mentioned, have been paid to examiners in connection with the Special Test Examinations.

5. In his letter No 3320, dated 27th October 1896

communicated

Communicated with G.O. No. 108, Educational,
 dated 24th February 1897, the Accountant General
 suggests that a full presentation of the finances
 of the Commission would reveal an excess
 on the side of expenditure. This view is un-
 doubtedly correct. There was a time in the
 history of the Commission when the examina-
 tions under the control of the Commissioner
 yielded an annual profit to Government,
 but, with the institution of the Technical
 and Primary Examinations, the financial
 condition of the Commission underwent
 a change. Something may perhaps be done
 towards the improvement of the credit side
 of our account by raising the admission
 fees of candidates in all cases in which these
 fees may appear to be susceptible of enhance-
 ment, and I understand that Dr. Duncan
 has certain proposals to make which he
 will submit on his return from leave.

I have the honour to be,
 Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. B. Bilderbeck
 Ag. Commissioner

on primary
 exams
 fees. They
 are far in
 excess of
 those allowed
 in England

Honourarium
Remuneration to Examiners

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Papers to be read in proceedings:--

Again G.O., No. 108, dated 24th Feb - 1897.
 Again G.O., No. 343, dated 21st June 1897.
 Current No. 585 of 1897, dated 18th May, from the Com. G.O.
 " " 700 " 1897, " 14th June, " the A.G.
 " " 798 " 1897, " 7th July, " the Com G.O.

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With ref. to Art 89 (b) of the
 C.S.R. the sanction of the Govt
 of I. will be applied for to
 the payment of Rs 950 to Mr E.
 Holder and of Rs 690 to Mr R. Hill
 The payment of the remunerations
 due to the other examiners is
 sanctioned.

2. The following letter will be
 addressed to the Govt of I.

To 

The Com G.O. & Co } despatched 22/11/97
 -- A.G. appro. }

No. 663

The Secretary to the Govt of I.
 Home Dept.

Sir,

In reply to Mr. Thornton's
 letter no. 123 Home Dept (Ed) dated

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the 31st May 1897, asking for further information in connection with the proposed payment to Mr Chatterton, Prof. of Eng at the College of Eng, at Madras, of an honorarium of Rs 1000 for conducting the Govt Technical examinations. I am directed to state that Mr Chatterton was a member of the board appointed to conduct the technical examination in the subjects of Civil and Mechanical Engineering which were held in April 1896 and that the proposed honorarium of Rs 1000 to him is in consideration of the services rendered by him as such. The remuneration paid to an examiner is not determined, ~~and is to be fixed by the Government~~ on the principle that it should bear some proportion to his salary or income; it is calculated with ref to the nature and standard of the examination conducted, the number of examination-papers set, the number of ^{candidates} ~~examiners~~.

~~examined~~ ^{examined} and the length of time occupied in the oral ^{& other singular circumstances} and practical tests. So calculated the remuneration to Mr Chatterton amounted to Rs 1000. It is no part of Mr Chatterton's duties as a Professor at the College of Eng - to conduct any of these examinations.

2. The fees received and paid in connection with the technical examinations held in April 1896, ~~I am to state~~, amounted to Rs 4080 and Rs 9495 respectively. These technical examinations are not ~~at present~~ self-supporting ~~jobs~~; but it is hoped that in a few years they will be so. ^{From} their ~~very~~ nature, these examinations are expensive. They are difficult and complicated and ~~they~~ involve not only written but oral and practical tests which are found to be ~~most~~ laborious and to take up a great deal of the examiner's time. It is not ^{in the opinion of the Dir. of Pub Insp.} easy to secure the services of competent men for conducting these examinations for ^{smaller rates of} less remuneration than

than ~~that~~ ^{are} now paid, and until the receipts from fees rise so as to cover the charges connected with the holding of the examinations, it is necessary in the interest of technical education to meet the deficit by a grant from provincial funds.

3. With regard to the enquiry whether it has been the regular practice to grant an honorarium of the amount of Rs 1000 for conducting the examinations I am to state that as has already been explained the honorarium paid to an examiner depends upon the ^{valuation in the} ~~manner and~~ ^{manner indicated above,} ~~amount~~ of the work done by him. ~~As a matter of fact~~ there have been ^{instances} ~~cases~~ in which even larger sums than Rs 1000 were paid to examiners. On account of the examinations held in April 1896 a sum of Rs 9495, as has already been mentioned, was paid to 41 examiners at rates ranging from Rs 25 to Rs 1300. In view of these facts, I am to request that H.E. the

G.I. in C. will be pleased to sanction the payment of Rs 1000 to Mr Chatterton.

4 I am further to request that sanction may also be accorded to the payment of an honorarium of Rs 950 to Mr E. Holder, ag Supdt of the School of Arts, Madras and of Rs 690 to Mr R. Hill, Supdt. Govt Press, Madras, for having conducted ^{certain} ~~the~~ technical examinations held in Nov. 1896. The fees received ~~and paid~~ in connection with the examinations & the sums paid to examiners amounted to Rs 2600 + Rs 5678 respectively.

[Signature] 11/11/97

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