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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department, 9th October 1862.

No. 18. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, under date the 11th September 1862, No. 444G.

Extract from a letter from the Secretary to Government, North Western Provinces, to the Secretary to Government of India, Financial Department, No. 1,470A, dated the 25th July 1862.

4. With reference to the directions contained in paragraph 5 of your letter, that no gratuity is to be given to the families of persons killed in the execution of their duty without submitting the case for the Orders of the Government of India, I am desired to represent, for the consideration of His Excellency in Council, that, as the case of these persons is one of those classes, for whom gratuity was sanctioned by the late Honorable the Court of Directors, in their Despatch, No. 43, of the 24th June 1857, and as, moreover, Rules have been promulgated by the Government of India, under date the 4th July 1856, No. 28, prescribing the conditions and rates of gratuity to be given "to the families of Lascars, Coolies and other workmen who "may happen to be killed, or die in consequence of wounds or accidents sustained in the exe-"cution of their public duties," these gratuities have always been regarded as "ordinary" ones by this Government; and it is submitted that the necessity of referring such cases to the Supreme Government will be productive of a good deal of correspondence, and of delay to the recipients of such gratuities, who, from the very nature of the circumstances which entitle them to the gratuity, can ill afford delay.

Extract from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Secretary to the Government of the North Western Provinces, No. 443G, dated the 11th September 1862.

3. On a re-consideration of the question discussed in the fourth paragraph of your letter, His Excellency in Council is pleased to authorize a local Government to award gratuities within the Rules to the families of persons killed in the execution of their duty, on the understanding that the local Government will satisfy itself in every case that the necessary enquiries have been made, and the conditions prescribed in the Rules complied with.

Forwarded to the Government of Madras, with reference to the Endorsement from this Department, No. 4,002, dated the 29th May 1862.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) E. DRUMMOND,
Secretary to the Government of India

No. 19. ORDER THEREON, 9th October 1862, No. 712.

Communicated tc the Civil Pension, Judicial, Revenue, Public Works and Military Departments for information and guidance, in reference to the Order in this Department, dated 12th July 1862, No. 511.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

No 4444

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, under the Financial Department under date the 11 September 1862.

EXTRACT from a letter from the Secretary to Government, N. W. Provinces, to the Secretary to Government of India, Financial Department, No. 1470a, dated the 25th July 1862.

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EXTRACT from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces, No. 4443, dated the 11th September 1862.

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Forwarded to the Govt of Madras with reference to the Endorsement from this Department No 1502 dated the 29th May 1862.

(A true Extract)

Ernst Braunschweig
Secy to the Govt of India

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Forwards the Resolution of that Govt authorizing a local Govt to award gratuities within the rules to the families of persons killed in the execution of their duty in the manner stating that the local Govt will satisfy itself in every case that the necessary enquiries have been made &c

William Ritchie

Pol. Proceedings 12 July 1862

Resolution of the Govt of India in the Home Dept dated 4th July 1862 authorizing the Govt of Madras to award gratuities to the families of persons killed in the execution of their duty in the manner stating that the Govt will satisfy itself in every case that the necessary enquiries have been made &c

Govt of Madras Pol. Dept dated 6th Aug 1862 forwarding a Report from the Board of Revenue dated 2nd Aug 1862 on the above Resolution

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