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Local Funds — Medical.

Read the following papers:—

No. 7. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 13th March 1875, No. 2062, (Miscellaneous).

Read the following letter from R. DAVIDSON, Esq., Acting President, Local Fund Boards, Ganjam, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Chetterpore, 16th January 1875, No. 89:—

I have the honor to bring to the favorable consideration of the Board of Revenue and Government the claims preferred by G. Ummanah, first-class Hospital Assistant, attached to the Principal Assistant Collector's Office, who had temporary charge of the Civil Dispensary, Kimedy, during the absence on privilege leave of Apothecary Ailsworth, for the monthly allowance of Rupees 50 fixed for having charge of the Civil Dispensary.

2. This allowance was originally sanctioned in G.O., 14th September 1867, No. 2169, for having charge of the Civil Dispensary, and a moiety of pay proper and allowance of Apothecary Ailsworth is debited to Police, and the rest to Local Funds of the Chicacole Circle.

3. From paragraph 2, Clause (*d*), Section 6, Chapter II., of the Civil Leave Code, it would seem that such allowances should be paid to officers actually performing the duty. But the Accountant-General, to whom the matter was referred considers it proper that a special sanction of Government should be obtained.

4. On a former occasion when Ummanah acted for Apothecary Ailsworth, during the time he was on other duty, only a deputation allowance of 20 per cent. on the pay proper of the latter was paid him from the savings of the allowance of Rupees 50, which was not disbursed to Apothecary Ailsworth, with reference to G.O., dated 23rd October 1873, No. 885.

5. I therefore request that the Board will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government for the payment of the established allowance of Rupees 50 per mensem to G. Ummanah for the time he was in charge of the Dispensary, as recommended by the Vice-President.

6. Apothecary Ailsworth availed himself of his privilege leave on the 31st August, and resumed charge of the Dispensary on the 31st October 1874.

Submitted for the Orders of Government.

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3. On a former occasion when G. Ummanah acted for the very same Assistant Apothecary, he was, on the recommendation of the Surgeon-General,

Indian Medical Department, granted an allowance of Rupees 20 per month, as will be seen from the G.O., Public Department, dated 23rd August 1873, No. 885.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.

Referred to the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, for his opinion.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
15th March 1875.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

No. 8. From Surgeon-General E. G. BALFOUR, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 19th March 1875, No. 143.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, referred with docket of the 15th instant, submitting, for the orders of Government, the claim of Hospital Assistant Ummanah, attached to the establishment of the Principal Assistant Collector of Vizagapatam, to the Dispensary allowance of Rupees 50 per mensem for the period he held medical charge of the Civil Dispensary at Kimedy in the absence of Assistant Apothecary Ailsworth employed on other duty.

2. In re-enclosing the document, I have the honor to report, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that the Board of Revenue are correct in stating that the Dispensary allowance is, under existing regulations, admissible only to Warrant Medical Officers and Native Surgeons, but not to officers of the Hospital Assistant Grade. The Board also mention that, on a former occasion, under very similar circumstances, Government were pleased to grant an allowance of Rupees 20 per mensem on the recommendation of this office to the same Hospital Assistant. Since that decision, however, the Government of India have ruled in Financial Resolution, printed with the Proceedings of Madras Government, Public Department, No. 930, of 5th September 1873, that a Hospital Assistant is, saving certain exceptions, "never entitled to more than the pay of his grade;" and that while a "Native Doctor" is entitled to various allowances, in addition to the pay of his grade, under orders issued from time to time, "none of the allowances sanctioned in them are admissible to Hospital Assistants."

Public Department, No. 885, of 23rd August 1873.

3. In paragraph 3 of the above Resolution, the Government of India noticed that a Hospital Assistant in Bengal was drawing an extra allowance of Rupees 10 for the charge of a Dispensary, and ordered its immediate discontinuance. This decision conclusively disposes of the claim under consideration.

4. I am, however, of opinion that, in the Medical Department, a charge allowance or charge allowances are always of value, and the Right Honorable the Governor in Council may, perhaps, feel able to concur in this view, and to re-submit the subject to the Government of India.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
1st April 1875.

No. 9. ORDER THEREON, 1st April 1875, No. 701.

The Surgeon-General's letter will be communicated to the Acting President, Local Funds, Ganjam, through the Board of Revenue, but the subject will be referred for re-consideration by the Government of India. If the first-class Hospital Assistant is capable of taking charge of the Dispensary in the absence of any other medical man, it seems but reasonable that he should receive some remuneration for the additional work.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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Miscellaneous No. 2062

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Dated 13th March 1875.

Read the following:

No. 89.

From

The Acting President Local Fds.

Ganjam.

To

The Secretary to the Board of

Revenue, Madras.

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Govt. of Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated April 1st.

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G.O., 1st *April* 1875, *No.* 701.

APRIL.
Nos. 7—9.

Local Funds—Medical.—Letter from Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, reporting that Hospital Assistant Unnanah, attached to the establishment of the Principal Assistant Collector, Vizagapatam, is not entitled to the Dispensary allowance of Rupees 50 per mensem for the period during which he held medical charge of the Civil Dispensary at Kimedy, communicated, with remarks, to the Acting President, Local Fund Boards, Ganjam, through the Board of Revenue, but the subject to be referred for re-consideration by the Government of India.

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I have &c.

Dated Chetty-pore 16th Jan. 1875 — (Sgd) I. Sivaramiah
Treasury Dr Ctr. for
Acting Pest. & Asst.
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Submitted for the orders of Government.

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Ag Secretary

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government, PD

E. A. Wyatt

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No. 143

OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL, I. M. D.,
Fort Saint George, 19th March 1875.

From

SURGEON-GENERAL EDWARD BALFOUR,
Surgeon-General,
Indian Medical Department,
Fort Saint George.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Financial Department
Fort Saint George.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue referred with docket of the 5th instant, submitting for the orders of Government the claim of Hospital Assistant Ummanah attached to the establishment of the Principal Assistant Collector of Vizagapatam, to the Dispensary allowance of Rupees 50 per mensem, for the period he held medical charge of the Civil Dispensary at Kimedy, in the absence of Assistant Apothecary Ailsworth employed on other duty.

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Public Department, No. 885 of 23rd August 1873.

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant,

Edwar Mayow Surgeon Genl
Superintendent

23rd Augt 1873, Nos. 102–103
5th Septr 1873, Nos. 9–10

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From (Govt Hands. Madras)

Surgeon-General E. Balfour,
Surgeon-General,
Indian Medical Department,
Fort Saint George,

To
The Chief Secretary to Government
Financial Department
Fort St. George.

Dated 10 March
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Subject.

Reports that, under Fmil Resolⁿ in Proc. of Madras Govt Public Dept. No 930 of 5 Sept. 1873, Hospital Assistant Munuswamy attached to Field Artillery Colln's Dett. of Nizam's Portam, is not entitled to the Dispy Allowance of 50 Rs. per mensem for the period he held Charge of Civil Dispy, Kurnool, during Assistt Surgeon Wilson's absence.

Read 20th March 1875 No 701

Read 26th March 1875 No 678

To Board of Revenue
Surg. Genl. I. M. Deptt.

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Nos. 7 to 10.

Letter from Surgeon Grant, S. Ka. D, reporting that Boarded Asst Commanding attached to the retinue of the late Pl. Asst Collr, Vizag.m — is not entitled to the Disabg. allowance of Rs 50 per mensem for the period during which he held med.l charge of the Civil Disbs. at Kimedy, comg. with remarks, to the Ag. Presd.y S. F. Bn Sanjam, thro' the Bd. of Revt; but the subject to be referred for re-consideration by the G of I.