

Financial (1899) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 977

DATED 8.9.99.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Sanctioning the amount disbursed as conveyance allowance to Capt. French, late Special Plague Officer, Vellore, and directing that the same should be brought on the Provincial Accounts.

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Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 2540P

Order *MA 24.9.99* Issued *M. J. M.*

Under the circumstances the
Camry allowance paid is
Sanctioned.

From The Chairman,
Municipal Council
Vellome

Order Ref

MA 14.9.99

~~Forwarded to the Collector of
North Arcot for early remarks. It
should be ascertained whether in
directing payment of the Camry allowance,
Mr. M. J. M. acted on his
own responsibility or under instructions
from the Collector. *M. J. M.*
24.8.99~~

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Dated 24th August 1899

Received 29 AUG 1899

Registered 29-8-99

Enclosures 2.

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding copy of the resolution
of the Municipal Council, Vellome,
with reference to the Proceedings
of the Madras Government
No. 1119 P- Miv dated 21st July 99
directing the recovery of Rs 47.6.8
from Captain French, late Special
Plaque Officer, Vellome.

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The Municipal Council clearly
cannot be made to pay this amount as it
would be hard on Mr. Duke to make him
pay. He acted in time of difficulty on his
best judgment. No recovery can be
made of the sum. The only plan is to
sanction the expenditure

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No. 1588 of 99

Municipal Office,
Vellore. Dated 28-7-99.

Sir,

Reverend D. Wilson M.D. Esq.,
Chairman, Delegation, Municipal Council,
Vellore.

Sir,

Captain French,

Late Special Magistrate Officer, Vellore,

now at Pallavaram,

Sir,

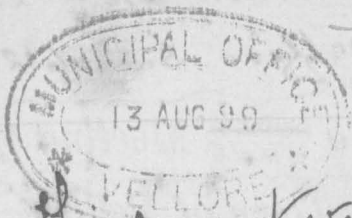
On March 6-1899, you received from
this office Rs 47-6-8, conveyance allowance for
part of January and the whole of February, as
claimed by you.

On 4.6.99 Financial dated May 5/1899
your claim to conveyance allowance was
disallowed. Government has now ordered the
Chairman to recover this amount from you
direct, I have therefore the honor to request
that you will refund the above amount to
this office in the course of next week.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Yours most Obedient Servant

Plenary Esq.
for Chairman Delegation



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Pallavaram

31st July 1899

This amount was paid to the undersigned for expenditure on Plague Duty in behalf of the Government. It was not given on a distinct understanding that it was liable for retrenchment of the same at any future time, or subject to decision of Government; it was paid unconditionally; and, as it were, as a matter of course by order of the Sub Collector who considered it a legitimate charge, as it was considered absolutely necessary that Plague Officers required conveyance.

It has been given to understand that this amount might, at any future time be retrenched, he would unhesitatingly have resigned his appointment as Plague Officer; he, having accepted Rs 200 as salary for his own private use, it was not told that he would have to defray conveyance expenses of any sort, out of the said salary for the carrying out of Plague operations.

He was completely misled by the fact of his being paid unconditionally the amount in question for the first six weeks of his tenure of office: this being the cause of inducing him to serve on (instead of offering his resignation) expecting to continue drawing conveyance allowance, which was ultimately disallowed only when Plague operations were about to cease; he consequently, not only loses carriage allowance for the last three months but is expected to return that which he had received as a bona fide gift.

This matter is forwarded to the Collector of the District for disposal.

A. French Captain
late Plague officer Vellore.

To The Chairman
Vellore Municipality.

MEETING NO. 25

Extract from Proceedings at a ^{GENERAL} ~~SPECIAL~~ Meeting of
the Municipal Council for the Town of Vellore,

dated 22nd August 1899.

PRESENT.

Res. No.

M. R. Ry. A. C. Seshagiri Rao. Avargal, Chairman

Reverend D. W. Kidd. B. A.

M. R. Ry. C. Siva Rao Avargal

— " — Gopala Krishna Mudaliar Avargal

— " — Manikka Chettiar Avargal

— " — Radamuni Mudaliar Avargal

— " — Eswarappa Mudaliar Avargal

— " — Narayanaswamy Reddiar Avargal

— " — Krishnaswamy Aida garu

— " — Subbaraya Chettiar Avargal

— " — Sankaraji Mudaliar Avargal

Subadar Ahmed Khan

Zakir Haji Azizullah Sahib

Resolution No 12

Read Proceedings of the Madras Government
No 1119 P. Mis. dated 21st July 1899 directing the
recovery of Rs 47.6.8 from Captain French
late Special Plague Officer, Vellore, for part
of January and whole of February 1899 — with
reply from that officer declining to pay the
amount for reasons stated.

Proposed by Reverend Kidd and Seconded
by Zakir Haji Azizullah Sahib that the Government
be

be requested to collect this amount from the
Sub-Collector. A. C. Dutt Esquire J. C. S.
under whose peremptory orders the Chairman
was obliged to pay.

(Signed) A. C. Seshaghiri Rao
Chairman

(True Extract)

[Signature]
for Chairman

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Vellore Municipal Office,

Dated 24th August 1899.

From

M. R. Ry. A. C. Seshaghiri Row Ayergal,
CHAIRMAN, MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
VELLORE.

To

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

Sir,

With reference to the Proceedings of the
Madras Government No 1119 P. Mis. dated 21st July 99
directing the recovery of Rs 47. 6. 8 from Captain
French, late Special Plague Officer, Vellore, I
have the honor to forward herewith Copy of the
resolution of the Municipal Council, thereon, dated
22nd August 99, with Captain French's letter for
necessary action.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Yours most obedient servant.

[Signature]
for Chairman

CS.
NOTE FOR THE UNDER SECRETARY.

The CS. has directed the
"issue" of the order in the linked
Ltm file. As that order is on
a Ltm current, orders are issued
whether it may now be returned
to that Dept for issue?

Mr CS. Why - This
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Arpt. - For!

Drpt.

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4 This paper was
put up in
connection with
Miss Blacaney's
appeal.

NOTE FOR THE C. A.

G.O. No. 573 Dated
5th May 1928 decided that in view of the
abatement of plague no action was
called for as regards the grant of conveyance
allowance to officers and nursing sisters
on plague duty in Bellary.

Assuming Rs 47-6-8 was paid to Captain French, special pleader office, Bellare, as full & fine for part of January and the whole of February by the Municipal Council, Bellare, under the authority of Sub Collector Mr. Dutt. The conveyance allowance having been refused in the f.o. & above refused to, the Chairman, Municipal Council, was requested to recover the amount from Captain French. Captain French declined to refund the amount, and ^{he considered} ~~was~~ ^{considered} ~~was~~ absolutely necessary that

The pay of Captain French is
debitable to Municipal. The carriage
allowance paid to him should also
go to the same head. As in the
case of the conveyance allowance
paid to Miss O'Leary, the allowance
should be brought on the Provincial account
and refunded to the Municipality.
Draft submitted below.

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The amount disbursed as conveyance allowance to Captain French *to some times* should be brought on the Provincial accounts and ~~refunded to the Municipal Council, Vellore.~~

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the current is 24 hrs

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To
The L. & M. Dept.
Chairman, Municipal Council, Vellore..
Collector of North Arcot..
Accountant-General.

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