

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1282	Press
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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 21st September 1858.

Read the following Papers.

No. 58. Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department, dated 7th September 1858.

From Colonel R. J. H. BIRCH, Secretary to the Government of India; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George, dated Allahabad, 16th August 1858, No. 288.

SIR,

The Right Honorable the Governor General having authorized the formation of a Regiment of Eurasian Infantry at Peshawur, on the same rules and footing as European Regiments of the Honorable East India Company's Service, with regard to Pay, Age, Standard and Enlistment, I am directed to request that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council may be moved to cause His Lordship to be informed, whether any East Indians can be obtained in the Madras Presidency for such Service and Pay as are here offered.

ORDER.—Referred to the Commander in Chief, with a request that a report on the subject may be furnished.

2. Communicated also to the Judicial Department, which will be furnished by the Adjutant General with the existing rules on the subject of Pay, Age, Standard and Enlistment for Company's European Regiments, with a view to its being ascertained through the Magistrates whether East Indians can be obtained in the Districts of the Madras Presidency for the Eurasian Infantry Regiment at Peshawur.

(Signed) W. H. WAPSHARE, Major,
Acting Depy. Secy. to Government.

No. 59. From Captain J. B. ROBERTS, Acting 1st Assistant Adjutant General of the Army; to the Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, dated 9th September 1858, No. 543.

SIR,

Requesting to be informed whether any East Indians can be obtained in this Presidency for the formation of an East Indian Corps in Bengal, on the same pay and service as European Regiments of the Honorable Company's Service. With reference to letter from the Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department, under date of the 16th August last, No. 288, referred to the Commander in Chief in Memorandum of the 7th Instant, I have the honor by order of the Commander in Chief to annex a Memorandum exhibiting the Pay, Age, Standard and Rules, under which the Soldiers composing the European Regiments of the Honorable Company's Service in this Presidency, are enlisted.

Memorandum regarding the Enlistment of European Soldiers of the Hon'ble Company's Service.

"Enlistment." European Soldiers are enlisted in India, &c., for a period of 10 years, and receive a bounty of 50 Rupees on enlistment; at the expiration of that period, they are (if willing) re-enlisted for a further term of 11 years, and receive a fresh bounty of 50 Rupees. Should they not wish to re-enlist at the expiration of the first term for which they engaged, viz., (10 years) they are provided with a free passage to their native country.

"Standard." Age from 18 to 35 years.
G. O. C. C. 18th Decr. 1849, Height—5 feet, 6 inches.
No. 60, p. 404.

		In Garrison.			In the Field.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
"Pay." Section 15, page 269, Pay and Audit Regulations.	As Serjeant ...	21	2	4	22	7	5
	" Corporal ...	14	5	8	15	15	0
	" Drummer, Fifer and Bugler ...	12	9	5	14	2	9
	" Private ...	10	3	2	11	12	6
"Good Conduct Pay." G. O. G. 9th June 1848, No. 123, page 223, paras. 12 to 17.	After 5 years' service and with 1 good conduct Badge 1d. per diem.						
	" 10 "	2			2		
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(Signed) J. B. ROBERTS, Captain,
Ag. 1st Asst. Adj. Genl. of the Army.

Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 21st September 1858.

No. 60.

ORDER THEREON, No. 1282; dated 18th September 1858.

Resolved, that copies of the foregoing communications be furnished to the several Magistrates of this Presidency for report, as to whether East Indians can be obtained in their respective Districts for the Eurasian Infantry Regiment ordered to be raised at Peshawur.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Edw. F. Cartledge.

Judicial Department

No 1282

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Dated 18 September 1858.

Read the following papers:-

Ex. Min. Consult. Dept.

(Here enter 7th Sept 1858)

Letter from the Adjt. Genl. Adjt. Genl.
General of the Army.

(Here enter 9th Sept 1858 No 643)

Resolved that copies of the foregoing communications be furnished to the several Magistrates of this Presidency, for report as to whether East Indians can be obtained in their respective districts for the Eurasian Infantry Regiment ordered to be raised at Peshawur.

To the Magistrate of 3 Dist. 23rd
all Districts

Comd of Pesh. Barras Dist 23rd

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