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No 376

*Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department
(Public),—under date Fort William, the 20 January 1871.*

Read again the Resolution of the Financial Department, No. 3655, dated 30th November 1861, ruling that all officers who are appointed to 3rd Class Assistant Commissionerships in Non-Regulation Provinces, on a salary of Rupees 400 a month, shall receive a salary of Rupees 450 on passing the lower standard of examination, and on being vested with the powers of a subordinate Magistrate of the 1st Grade; and Rupees 500 on passing the higher standard, and on being vested with full powers.

Read the following correspondence relative to certain retrenchments made in accordance with the above Resolution from the pay of Captain Wodehouse while serving as an Assistant Commissioner in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, and to a question as to the general applicability of the rule therein laid down:—

From Financial Department, No. 8586, dated 19th September 1870.
To " " " 4990, " 12th November " "
From " " " 3958, " 20th December "

RESOLUTION.

THE Governor General in Council observes that the principle of granting increase of pay to Assistant Magistrates and Assistant Commissioners is not the same in different Provinces. In some Provinces the grant of higher allowances has hitherto depended on the investiture with increased magisterial powers, as well as on passing by the lower and higher standards of examination, while in others on the latter alone. In order, however, to secure uniformity in this respect, His Excellency in Council resolves, as a rule for future guidance, that officers on passing the lower or higher standard of examination shall, as a rule, be at once invested, respectively, with the powers of a subordinate Magistrate of the 1st Class, or with full magisterial powers; and that they shall accordingly be entitled to the higher rates of pay from the date of their passing the examination. But if in the case of any officer subordinate to him the Magistrate of a District shows, to the satisfaction of the Local Government, that investiture with higher powers ought to be deferred, then the mere passing of the examination will not establish a title to higher pay, nor shall such higher pay be granted until the investiture with higher powers takes place.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance.

Ordered also, that the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Financial and Foreign Departments for information, with reference to Financial Resolution No. 3958, dated the 20th December last.

(True Extract.)

James
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
26th June 1874.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 165. From J. W. HANDLEY, Esq., Government Pleader, Madras, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 20th April 1874, No. 49.

With reference to the Proceedings of Government in the Judicial Department noted in the margin, I have the honour to report upon the subject of the allowance thereby sanctioned for my office establishment.

2. The monthly sum of Rupees 60 sanctioned has been allotted by me as follows. Rupees 50 for the manager, Rupees 8 for a peon, and Rupees 2 for a sweeper. I find that the Advocate General has an allowance of Rupees 115 for establishment, and the work done in his office is certainly less in quantity than that in mine. His manager gets a salary of Rupees 73, and there are besides two clerks at Rupees 14 and 12, respectively. I think, considering these circumstances, the Government will not object to increase my office allowance to Rupees 100 per mensem, which will enable me to raise the pay of the manager to something more in proportion to that of the manager in the Advocate General's Office, and also to employ an under-clerk.

No. 166. From W. M. SCHARLIEB, Esq., Acting Government Pleader, Madras, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 2nd June 1874, No. 96.

I have the honour respectfully to beg attention to Mr. Handley's letter, dated 20th April 1874, No. 49, praying for the grant of an office allowance of Rupees 100 per mensem.

2. Mr. Handley originally applied for an office allowance of Rupees 60 per mensem; and Government, in their
Vide Government Pleader's letter, 27th March 1873, No. 58. Proceedings, dated 5th April 1873, No. 549, were pleased to sanction the required

allowance, as a temporary arrangement, subject to report at the end of one year. The sanction thus accorded expired on 31st March 1874. In his letter of the 20th April above referred to, Mr. Handley reported on the office establishment of the Government Pleader. He submitted that Rupees 60 was insufficient, that amount being all but absorbed by the pay of the managing clerk. I quite agree with Mr. Handley that an allowance of 100 Rupees a-month is required to put the establishment on a footing commensurate with the extent and nature of the work of the office. Besides a well-paid confidential managing clerk, it is desirable to have a confidential under-clerk to sort and arrange the records and to copy the correspondence going out of the office. Mr. Handley has submitted his reasons for paying these clerks well, viz., to secure fidelity and to enable them, as men having access to Government papers, to resist temptations that may be placed in their way to betray the trust reposed in them; and I need not, therefore, take up the time of Government by submitting reasons in support of this application.

3. My object in forwarding this letter is to beg early sanction for an office allowance. As above mentioned, the temporary sanction granted on 5th April 1873 expired on the 31st March 1874. Mr. Handley paid the establishment for April on

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
26th June 1874.*

the 1st May out of his own pocket, and I have now paid the establishment for the month of May from my private resources; the acting allowance to which I am entitled for the sixteen days of May as Acting Government Pleader being only Rupees 129. Should the Government be pleased to grant sanction from 1st April 1874, Mr. Handley has desired me to draw the allowance for the month of April and recoup his private account.

No. 167. ORDER THEREON, 26th June 1874, No. 1157.

The allowance of Rupees 60 will be continued for a further period of one year.

2. The Governor in Council is not prepared to entertain at present any proposal for an increased allowance, but the necessity for providing the Government Pleader with a permanent establishment will be duly considered.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Acting Government Pleader.
.. Accountant-General.

Madras
20th April 1874

From J. W. Handley Esq
Government Pleader
To The Honble D^r Carmichael
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a salary of Rs 73 and there are besides
2 Clerks at Rs 14 & 12 respectively. I think
Considering these circumstances the
Government

G. O.
5th April 1873
N^o 549

G.O. of 1874 300075.

JUDICIAL.

To

THE ACTING GOVERNMENT PLEADER,

&c.,

&c.,

&c.

Dated June, 26th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 26th June 1874, No. 1157.

JUNE.

Nos. 165-167.

Office Establishment for the Government
Pleader.—The allowance of Rs 60 per mensem
for an office establishment ordered to be continued
for a further period of one year, and the Govern-
ment Pleader informed that Government are not
prepared to entertain at present any proposal for
an increased allowance, but that the necessity of
providing him with a permanent establishment will
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Government will not object to increase
my office allowance to £100 per annum,
which will enable me to raise the pay
of the Manager to something more in
proportion to that of the Manager in
the Advocate General's Office, and also
to employ an under clerk.

I have the honor to be
Your most obedient Servant
J. B. Smith
Government Pleader.

R 170. 8 months / to be abolished
in the hope of French, Dutch &
Interpretations. But, of course,
there are proposals more than
enough to absorb all this, preparing
for me. Then Sir C. Scott's
celebration his departure by
a recommendation like Mr.
Handley's for a reward of
£100 & celebration must be a large
amount. The whole thing is
a mess and must be dealt
with by one corps and I don't

like giving a small step over
the line for a small step over
the line. I don't like to see
the line of 170 in France
with the same number.
Showing - A man, who is a C.
a J. P. who celebrates his
departure by a proposal for a
reward of £100 is best suited
to the occasion - such proposals
(99 out of 100) are at all
times weak. The number 170 is
the 100th perhaps. Wait until
Mr. Handley returns and you will

find the thing needed.
 I started making yesterday for
 Governor & Harris advice.
 As soon as needed he had
 attack of both reduced him
 for all sort of things. The month
 my return him.
 I have been to the
 Commission in person
 and I have been to the
 court.

is our Court keeper
 one assistant as
 as a stationer or
 states of these people
 not supposed to be
 used to the original
 only, but also for
 state Court.

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stationer	12.8
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W. Ritchie

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My dear Cornish

See back writing

know that it would

has a great consequence

to him if we believed

when for a few days.

h. l. c. a. t. e. n. f. r. s. a. n. c. t. e.

for the benefit of his children

established in 1862
he is buying 50
out of his own
pocket - which I
fear is but a
deceit one, poor
man. For Ever
L. D. S. S.

wrote Adv. Gen
d/o. 16-5-4

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Memo: on Government Pleaders
Letter of 20. April/74. No. 49.

his Govt. Pleaders submit
the report called for in P.O. 35
April/73. No. 549. on the Office
allowances of Rs 60 per mensem
granted to him. & stating that it should
for his services & dignity, be raised
to Rs 100.

On reference to the Budget
estimates of other Presidencies, it does
not appear that the Govt. Pleaders
there have any establishment.

In Bengal there are 2
Government Pleaders whose
salaries are Rs 7200. & he
has the Govt. Pleader
Receives

receives Rs 6000, and in
Bombay the Govt. Pleader gets
Rs 3600 p. annum. So that
the Officer in hand is better
paid than either the Officers in
Bangal or Bombay.

As regards the Advocate
General's establishment.

The allowance for the
purpose in Bangal is Rs 7,000 p. annum.

in hand Rs 1100.

in Bombay — Rs 926.

These charges are all in
period.

12/456
38/112 amount

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Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the
Govt Pleader, Madras, dated
20th April 1874, No 19.

Order thereon, Chotaumund, April/74.

The Governor in Council.

is not prepared to allow
The Government Pleader as
larger office allowance than
Rs 60, which, he informed the
Govt, in his letter dated
the 27th March 1873, No 38,
would be sufficient.
The Govt Pleader, Madras.
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Rs 75
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Madras

2nd June 1874

From W. M. Charles Esq
Ag Government Pleader
Madras

To The Honble D. F. Carmichael,
Ag Chief Secretary to Government

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Vice Court Pleader
Letter 27th March
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Ag Government Pleader.

Noted 26 June 1874 W. 1157.

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timed for a further period of one year.

His friend in Council is not prepared to
entertain at present, any proposal for an
increased allowance. but the necessity for forming
the Govt. Planter into a permanent Establishment with
binding and irrevocable

June 1874 John

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To Messrs. Trustees

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