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[Despatch Abstract.]

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From

*The Presidency Port Officer,
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Order

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SUBJECT.

*Forwarding for sanction an
application from Mr. J. H. Baker
Port Officer and Superintendent
of Pearl Fisheries, Tuticorin,
for medical leave out of
India for six months.*

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Madras.
2nd April 1898.

To
The Presidency Port Officer
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a
Medical Certificate recommending me
to 6 months leave and request you will
kindly allow me to proceed in anticipation
of my name appearing in the Gazette as
the passenger season is on I was obliged
to secure a passage before hand in anti-
cipation of sick leave being granted me
My steamer the "Manora" leaves Colombo
on or about the 12th instant and I hope
you will allow me to hand over charge
to the Superintendent of Sea Customs on
or about the 9th instant should no
officer be available to relieve me by that date

I have the honor to be

Sir
Yours Obedient Servant

J. B. R.

Port Officer
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FOR GAZETTED OFFICERS ONLY.

Proceedings of a Civil Medical Board assembled at General Hospital

Madras on the 2^d day of April 1898.

to report on the state of health of Mr. J. H. Baker
of the Marine Department.

PRESIDENT Surgeon-Dienst. Colonel W. H. Lee

MEMBERS { Surgeon-Captain G. G. Gifford
Dr. V. O. Taylor

We do hereby certify that according to the best of our professional

INSTRUCTIONS.

With the cognizance of the head of his office, or if he is himself the head of the office, of the head of his department: the applicant must present himself with 3 copies of the statement of his case in a cover sealed by his medical attendant at the seat of the Government under which he is serving, or at such other place as may be appointed by that Government where a committee of medical officers can be assembled under the orders of the Surgeon-General. The board should see that the applicant fulfils these conditions.

Before deciding whether to grant or refuse the certificate the medical board may in a doubtful case, detain an applicant under professional observation during a period not exceeding fourteen days.

If it can be avoided, the medical attendant on a case should not be a member of the board which considers it, and under no circumstances can he sit as president. He should, however, be required to attend the board to furnish any information whenever his presence is considered necessary.

The medical board, after a careful examination of the officer, and consideration of the medical attendant's statement of the case, will record in the proceedings as follows:—

- (a) Whether change of climate in or out of India is necessary.
- (b) The period of absence recommended in or out of India, care being taken that leave in excess of the period to which the sick officer is entitled by regulations is not recommended.
- (c) In the case of an officer requiring furlough or leave of absence owing to illness caused directly by intemperance, the medical board, whilst recording their opinion, will confine their recommendation to the officer appearing periodically before fresh boards, or to the treatment of the case as one of discipline, whichever may be deemed necessary.

In urgent cases when a medical board considers it absolutely necessary that an officer recommended for change of air, either in or out of India, should proceed in anticipation of sanction, a recommendation to that effect should be made in the proceedings.

judgment, after a careful personal examination of the case, we consider
the health of Mr. J. H. Baker
of the Marine service to be such as to render
leave of absence to Europe
for a period of six months absolutely necessary for
his recovery.

Wadee Surgeon-Dienst
President.

G. G. Gifford Surgeon-Captain
V. O. Taylor Dr.
Members

Thos the Accountant General.

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Presidency Port Office,

Madras, 2^d April 1898.

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From



Commander H. A. Street, R.N.M.,

Presidency Port Officer,

Madras,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

MARINE DEPARTMENT,

CHEPAK.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward, in original, for sanction of Government, application from Mr. J. H. Baker, Port Officer and Superintendent of Pearl Fisheries, Nicobarin, for medical leave out of India (supported by the necessary certificate) for six months.

2. In anticipation of the sanction of Government I have permitted Mr. Baker to leave on the 9th instant and

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and to hand over charge of
his office to the local Sea Customs
Superintendent as a temporary
measure.

3. In act for Mr. Baker, I
would recommend Lieutenant
H. S. Brown, R. N. R., Port officer
of Mangalore whose services
can be spared as that port
closes during the South. West
monsoon.

4. The collector of South
Canara has no objection to
Mangalore port being left
in charge of the local Assistant
Customs officer during Mr.
Brown's absence.

5. Minute of Appointment of
Mr. Brown, is forwarded separately.

I have the honor to be.

Sir,
Your obedient servant,

H. A. Street

Commander, R. N. M.,

Kreey Port officer.

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