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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

Cons. 17-3-57

G.O. No. 427 Press Mis.

Dated 7-3- 1857

Not to be folded or roughly handled

No. 5. Read the following letter from F. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Civil Auditor; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 21st February 1857, No. 2807.

SIR,

I have the honor to request the instructions of Government regarding a claim advanced by Lieutenant Oakes Acting District Engineer of Timevelly for the pay of certain Officers on his establishment who were engaged under the orders of Government of 24th October* last No. 1960 Department Public Works and who rendered service for January last and whose services were dispensed with under the G. O. 27th Idem, fixing the scale of establishments for the officers of the Engineer Establishment. As numerous claims of this kind are likely to be made by the District Engineer generally, I request the authority of Government for passing salaries claimed under such circumstances, agreeably to the order of the 13th May 1828, which prescribes that "when a reduction is directed to be made in any establishment, the order should take effect from the end of the month in which it is received by the Head of the Establishment." This order would have been applied in the present case did not the G. O. of 27th Ultimo expressly declare that the alterations it introduced, should have effect from the 1st of that month.

* Amount of establishment for 2nd Assistant Civil Engineer under the orders of Government of 24th October 1856..... Rs. 104
Do. of Assistant Executive Engineer analagous in position to 2nd Assistant under the orders of 27th January 1857..... " 69
Difference 35

No. 6. ORDER THEREON, No. 457; dated 11th March 1857.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the Civil Auditor to pass to Lieutenant Oakes for the month of January 1857, the difference between the amount of establishment allowed him in the order of Government dated 24th October 1856, No. 1960, and that granted in the G. O. No. 211. The Civil Auditor will also pass to other Officers for the same month the salaries allowed in the order of 24th October 1856 above alluded to.

The present letter from the Civil Auditor is not folded and docketed in the manner pointed out in the Memo. of 16th and 31st January 1857, to which his attention is now called.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Public Works Dept.

No. 457.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 3rd March 1857.

Read the following
letter from the Civil Auditor

Here enter 21st February 1857
No. 2807

The Right Honble
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~~for to pass to Lieutenant~~
Passed for the months of
January 1857 the difference
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Establishment allowed
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October 1856 No. 1960 and
~~that~~

~~which~~ granted in the G.O. No 211. The Civil Auditor will also pass to other Officers for the same month the salaries allowed in the Orders of 24th October 1856 above alluded to.

The present letter from the Civil Auditor is not folded and docketed in the manner pointed out in the Mem.a of 16. and 31st January 1857, to which ~~and~~ his attention is now called ~~to them~~, so that his future letters may be properly folded. If his Clerks cannot understand it, one might be sent to this Department

to learn the mode of doing it.—

D.L.

9 Copies to the Chief Asst. Civil Auditors

1 — Civil Auditors

Public Works 1857 Dept.
Dft to Govt 17th March

No 457.

Extract Mins of Govt.
Dft 11th March 57.

Authorizing the Civil Audr to pass to Lieutenant Oakes the difference between the Amount of Establishment for the month of January 1857 allowed to him in the orders of Govt dated 24th October 1856 No 1960, and that granted in the G. O. No 211, and also to pass Salaries to other Officers for the same Month, as allowed in that order.

No 546.

C.S. March 57.