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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, for the month of December 1859.

No. 54. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 21st November 1859, No. 7480.

With reference to the orders noted in the margin; I have the honor to submit, for the information of Government, a tabular statement* shewing the number of visits paid and the extent of medical assistance rendered by Mr. Petman to the Sappers and coolies at the Tambracherri pass, between the 23rd February and 7th May 1859.

No. 2076, dated 30th August 1859.
* Dated 21st September 1859.
1 Original letter from District Engineer, Malabar, No. 338, dated 31st October 1859, with 2 enclosures, viz. 1 tabular statement, 1 copy of letter from Mr Smith.
1 Original letter from the District Engineer, Malabar, No. 962, dated 10th August 1859, to the Director General, Medical Department.
1 Original letter from Mr. Petman, dated 5th August 1859 to do.
1 Certificate.

2. From the column of remarks in the above statement it is observed, that the requisite medicines were supplied to the patients out of Mr. Petman's private chest.

3. The District Engineer of Malabar proposes† that as Mr. Petman attended the sick gratuitously, he be remunerated at the rate of Rupees 100 per month, for the 36 visits which he paid to the sick men, prior to the sanction‡ of his salary; a proposition which I beg to recommend for the favorable consideration of Government.

† No. 338, dated 31st October 1859.
‡ Extract Minutes Consultation, No. 936, dated 20th April 1859.

4. The original enclosures received with the order quoted above, are herewith forwarded.

No. 55. ORDER THEREON, 14th December 1859, No. 2902.

On the recommendations of the Director General of the Medical Department and the Chief Engineer, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to allow remuneration to Mr. Petman at the rate of Rupees 100 per mensem from the 23rd February to 7th May, being the period during which he afforded medical assistance to the people employed on the Tambracherri ghât, prior to his entertainment for that duty under the order of 21st April last No. 936.

2. The District Engineer in forwarding Mr. Petman's application to the Director General gives the 27th February as the date from which that gentleman's attendance began, and the same date is repeated in the Director General's letter to Government. But that date appears to be erroneous; Mr. Petman's own application however gives the 23rd as the proper date, and the District Engineer evidently intended simply to support that application.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

Central Office of P. W.
Port Saint George.
21. November 1859.

No. 480

From,
The Chief Engineer

To,
The Secretary
to Government P. W. D.

Public

Sir,

With reference to the orders noted in the margin, I have the honor to submit, for the information of Government, a tabular Statement[x] shewing the number of visits paid and the extent of medical assistance rendered by Mr. Pelman to the Sappers and coolies at the Pambracheri Pass between the 23rd February and 7th May 1859.

2. From the column of remarks in the above Statement it is observed, that the requisite medicines were supplied to the patients out of Mr. Pelman's private Chest.

3. The District Engineer of Malabar proposes that as Mr. Pelman attended the sick gratuitously he be remunerated at the rate of Rupees 100 per month for the 36 visits which he paid to the sick men, prior to the sanction[x] of his salary - a proposition which I beg to recommend for the favorable consideration of Government.

The.

No. 2076 dated 30th August 1859.

[x] Dated 21st September 1859.
1 enclosure viz.
1 Original letter from Asst Engr in Malabar No. 1338 dated 31st October 1859 with
2 enclosures viz.
1 abstract Statement
1 Copy of letter from Asst Engr
1 Original letter from the Asst Engr in Malabar No. 1962 dated 15th August 1859 to the Executive Officer Medical Depth.
1 Original letter from Mr. Pelman dated 5th August 1859 to do.
1 Certificate.

[x] No. 1338 dated 31st October 1859

[x] Ex. Mem. Cons. No. 936 dated 20th April 1859.

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4. The original enclosures received with the order quoted above are herewith forwarded.

Port Saint George
21 November 1859

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servt.

W. B. Lieut.t Colonel.
Dy. Chief Engineer &c.

J. W. Bell Lieut.t Colonel.
Chief Engineer.

To,
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

E. Thray

Public Works Department

No 2902.

Proceedings of the Medical Assistant
Master Attendant the 14th December 1859.

Read the following letter

From the Chief Engineer.

Submitting for the consideration of
the Hon'ble the Director of Public Works
a Bill of Medicines (Amounting to Rs 19180)
supplied by Mr Pelman to the
Coolies at the Pumbachenni Pass
between the 23rd February and 7th
May 1859.

To the Secretary to Government
of the Presidency of Fort St George

Public Department

Pumbachenni Pass

Sir

I have the honor to forward herewith
a Bill of Medicines (Amounting to Rupees
Nineteen thousand one hundred and eighty)
supplied by Mr Pelman to the Coolies
employed on the Pumbachenni Pass
between the 23rd February and 7th May
1859.

2. The Bill has been examined and
found correct by the Assistant Surgeon
in charge of the Station.

3. I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
(Signed) A. Cotton
Chief Engineer

Fort St George
The 12th November 1859

Pr. Cons. 2 Sept 59. 45 483
do 29 April 59. 844

Read the following letter from the Chief Engineer
dated the 12th November 1859 and its enclosure
submitting for the consideration of Government
the accompanying Bill of Medicines (Amounting to
Rupees Nineteen thousand one hundred and eighty)
supplied by Mr Pelman to the Coolies employed
on the Pumbachenni Pass between the 23rd February
and 7th May 1859.

Ordered, that the Bill be passed for payment
and that the Chief Engineer be informed that
the Government consider the rate of Rupees 100
for attending from the 1st February to 7th May
1859 a Hundred Coolies at the Pumbachenni
Pass as extremely high and that in future
Bills for Medicines supplied to the Coolies
employed on the Pumbachenni Pass must
be submitted for the orders of Government
before payment.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the
Governor in Council dated 29th April 1859.

No 354.

C 28 Nov. to 5 Dec.

Pr. No 1859 Department
Rec'd from Fort St George
No 30 Ult.

From

The Chief Engineer

To

The Secretary to Government
Fort St George

Dated 21 November 1859.
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No 7480.

Submits a tabular Statement shewing the number of visits paid and the relief of Medical assistance rendered by Mr Pelman to the Sappers and Coolies at the Pumbachenni Pass between the 23rd February and 7th May 1859.

Approved
Attested
30 Nov 1859.

Read
Ordered
Noted

that duty under the order of
21st April last No 936.

2 The District Engineer
in forwarding Mr Pehmans
application to the Director
General gives the 27th February
as the date from which that
Gentlemans attendance began,
and the same date is specified
in the Director Generals letter
to Government. Mr Pehmans
own application however
gives the 23d as the proper date,
and the District Engineer evidently
intended simply to support
that application.

But that date obtains
the concurrence;

10 Copies
To the Chief Engineer &c
7 " Dr Genl Med Dept
1 " Accountant Genrl
3 " Civil Auditors

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Pro: of Govt. 29th Dec.

No. 2982.

Pro: of the Madras Govt.
Dt. 14th December 1859.

Allowing remuneration
to Mr. Pelham at Rs. 100 per
mensem from 23d February
to 7th May 1859 for affording
Medical Assistance to the
people employed on the
Tambraparee Ghat.

No. 54 & 55.