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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
20th January 1864.*

No. 437. Read the following letter from Captain F. J. MOBERLY, R. E, Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Cutcharayanputty, 19th December 1863, No. 1,558 :—

Sir,

1. Referring to Notification No. 119, published by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief at page 1,004 of the "Fort Saint George Gazette" of the 8th December 1863, I have the honor to submit for the consideration of Government, that it appears that the members of the Department Public Works are now the only persons who are limited in the use they can make of the Casual Leave which they are allowed in the late Chief Engineer's Circular No. LXX, dated 7th January 1862.

2. The limit, I may observe, practically prevents a Superintending Engineer (as under the old system a District Engineer) availing himself of any casual leave, as he can go to any part of his Division without leave.

3. I trust, therefore, that the Government will be pleased to remove this restriction.

4. I take the opportunity also of asking whether Superintending Engineers can grant casual leave to themselves, or must apply to Government, which would cause such delay as frequently to render the leave useless.

Referred to the Controller and Auditor Public Works Accounts for report, as to whether there is any objection to the removal of the restriction imposed in the Chief Engineer's Standing Circular No. XLIV, dated 17th September 1862.

*Chepauk,
8th January 1864.*

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government, D.P.W.

There appears to be no objection to the removal of the restriction above referred to.

(Signed) C. V. WILKIESON, Lieut.-Colonel, R. E.,
9th January 1864. Controller and Auditor of P. W. Accounts.

No. 438. ORDER THEREON, 20th January 1864, No. 216.

1. Under the circumstances represented, the Governor in Council is pleased to remove the restriction imposed in the Chief Engineer's Circular No. XLIV, dated 17th September 1862.

2. Ordinarily, in the event of Superintending Engineers requiring casual leave, the previous sanction of Government should be obtained; but in cases of extreme urgency, they may avail themselves of the indulgence, reporting the circumstance for the information of Government.

3. The particular attention of the Superintending Engineers will be requested to the remarks in paragraph 18 of the Chief Engineer's Circular No. LXX of 1861-62.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineers.

„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Referred to the Controller
and Auditor Public Works
Accounts for report as to whether
there is any objection to the removal
of the restriction imposed in the Chief
Engineers standing Circular No 4th dated
17th September 1862.

Chepauk
8th January 1864

Wm. H. M. Colonel The
Secretary to Govt. P.W.

X⁷⁸⁷.

There appears to be no objection
to the removal of the restriction above
referred to.

9th January 1864

Wm. H. M. Lieutenant Col. The
Controller & Auditor of P.W. Accts.

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Pro. of Sup^g Engrs
The Supg. Engineer
8th Division

The Secy to Government
P. W. D.

Dated 19th } December 1863
Recd 28th }

No 216-20th January
Submits for the consideration
of Government that only persons
who are limited in the use of
casual leave are members of the
8th Division. Requests to remove the restric-
tion according to the Commans-
der in Chief's notification of
8th December 1863 and requests
to know whether Supg. Engineers
can grant casual leave to
themselves or must apply
to Government.

with an order.

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To the Secy to Government
To the Chief Engrs Councils & ILL
Dated 17 September 1862.
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leave, the persons' sanction of the
should be obtained; but in cases of extraordinary
urgency, they may avail themselves of the
power, reporting the circumstances for the information of
the Council. The Council will be guided by
the recommendations of the Chief Engrs Council.
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