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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
4th August 1865.*

No. 93. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Department, dated 26th July 1865, No. 792 :—

Read the following letter from the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department.
(Here enter 13th May 1865, No. 154.)

1. The Governor in Council is pleased to notify that, subject to the provisions contained in this order, all Government servants, in receipt of salaries amounting to 100 Rupees and upwards, are entitled to the attendance of the Medical Officer of the Station or District at their own houses, in cases of illness, such as to prevent their consulting the Medical Officer at his house.

2. At the Presidency, where the duty of attending on this class of public servants would bear very heavily on Medical Officers, and where suitable accommodation and medical treatment are available, on payment of very moderate charges, in the General Hospital, of which, for their own sake, it is desirable that Government servants should avail themselves, such Government servants as decline to avail themselves of these advantages will, as heretofore, make their own arrangements for medical attendance.

3. There will, no doubt, be cases in the interior, of not unfrequent occurrence, in which it will be proper for the Medical Officer to visit, at their houses, Government servants in receipt of salaries under 100 Rupees. The Governor in Council prefers trusting to the good sense and good feeling of the Medical Profession, to attempting to lay down any precise rules for such cases.

4. It is to be distinctly understood that Medical Officers will not be expected to attend Government servants in their own houses, unless the patient is unable to wait upon the Medical Officer, either at his house, or at such place and time as, having due consideration for the position of the servant and circumstances of the case, may be appointed for the purpose.

5. Uncovenanted Servants intending to apply for pension, who are required to produce certificates after having undergone a course of Medical treatment, and who are able to carry on their ordinary business, will also be required to wait on the Medical Officer.

6. Subordinate Government servants in stations in which there may not be proper Hospital accommodation will be visited, in the first instance, by the Medical Subordinate, and afterwards by the District or Civil Surgeon, should the case be reported as serious.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,

Chief Secretary.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
4th August 1865.*

No. 94. ORDER THEREON, 4th August 1865, No. 2,234.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 13.

Communicated to the undermentioned
Officers :—

Superintending Engineers.
Controller of Public Works Accounts.
Consulting Engineer Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.
Officer in charge of the Store Department.
Special Executive Engineers.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineers.
„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.
„ Consulting Engineer for Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.
„ Officer in charge of the Store Department.
„ Special Executive Engineers.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
26th July 1865.*

No. 104. Read the following letter from the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department.

(Here enter 13th May 1865, No. 154.)

No. 105. ORDER THEREON, 26th July 1865, No. 792.

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(True Extract).

A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

To the *Public Works Department. for information
and for communication to officers to
subordinate to that Department.*

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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