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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 1st February 1867.

No. 1. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 25th January 1867, No. 322.

Read the following papers:—

No. 2. Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department.

Applying for the services of Captain Magnay, Staff Corps, for employment in the Department Public Works. } (Here enter 22nd January 1867, No. 220.)

No. 3. From the Officiating Assistant Adjutant General.

Reporting that the services of the abovenamed Officer are available. } (Here enter 25th January 1867, No. 67.)

No. 4. From the Controller of Military Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort Saint George, 25th January 1867, A.

Dated 25th January 1867, No. 67.

1. I have the honor, with reference to your docket of the 23rd January 1867, on the Proceedings of Government, Public Works Department, No. 220, dated 22nd idem, to forward a letter from the Assistant Adjutant General, reporting that the services of Captain J. Magnay, Staff Corps, are available for employment in the Public Works Department.

2. It is proposed to employ Captain Magnay under the terms of the Circular of the Government of India, No. 87 of the 7th December 1864.

3. It appears to me that the Circular does not apply; Captain Magnay is not a Local Officer, and it is not alleged that he cannot find active employment in the Army.

4. Captain Magnay's services in the Public Works Department are apparently sought because that Officer has had so many years' experience in the department; and such being the case, it appears both desirable and reasonable that, if he is so employed directly for the benefit of the department, his Staff Corps pay should, as in all other cases, be taken by the department which has the benefit of his services.

5. The proposal that he should be employed in the Public Works Department and paid in the Military Department is contrary to rule and precedent, and the exemption made in Bengal seems only to have arisen out of the fact that the Officers referred to must have remained unemployed, if not utilized, as permitted in the Circular.

Ordered that the foregoing report from the Controller of Military Accounts be communicated to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Major General,
Secretary to Government.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
1st February 1867.

No. 5. ORDER THEREON, 1st February 1867, No. 319.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 1.

The services of Captain J. Magnay having been made available for employment in the Department of Public Works, resolved that he be appointed to the Department for the special duty of supervising operations in connection with the Madras Water Supply Project in pursuance of the Order contained in the Proceedings of Government No. 310, dated 31st January 1867. While thus employed Captain Magnay will receive his Military pay and allowances and, in addition, a special allowance of Rupees 100 per mensem, with the travelling allowance of an Assistant Engineer when entitled to it, the entire charge being debited to the Public Works Department against the general allotment for Establishments, pending the result of a reference, which will now be made to the Government of India, as to the applicability of the Orders communicated in their Public Works Circular No. 87 of 1864 to the case of Captain Magnay.

(Here enter No. 320, dated 1st February 1867.)

(True Extract.)

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

To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Military Department.
To Captain Magnay.
To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, with G. O. No. 116 of 1865.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
1st February 1867.

No. 6.

No. 320.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 2.

1. The services of an Officer experienced in irrigation works being urgently required for the supervision of the Madras Water Supply Project, which is now under execution, and no sufficiently qualified member of the permanent Establishment being available, this Government are very desirous of securing the services of Captain J. Magnay,* who has had more than eight years' experience in the Public Works Department of this Presidency, and who formerly held the rank of a First Assistant District Engineer.

* Staff Corps.

2. Captain Magnay is willing, with the hope of future advancement, to re-enter the Department under the terms of the Public Works Circular of the Government of India No. 87 of 1864, which prescribes that Officers of the *local service* may be employed in the Public Works Department and continue to draw their Military pay and allowances in the Military Department. Captain Magnay is not a *Local Officer*, but, having long served in the Department of Public Works, His Lordship in Council believes that the ruling of the Government of India may be extended with great advantage, under such circumstances, to Officers of the Staff Corps.

3. The services of Captain Magnay having been made available for employment in the Department of Public Works, he has been appointed to the special duty abovementioned, pending the orders of the Government of India on this reference.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT

Read the following papers:—

Proceedings of Government, Public Works Dept.	Here enter	22nd January	1867,	No. 220.
From the Adjutant General.....	,,	25th ,,	,,	No. 67.
From the Controller of Military Accounts.....	,,	25th ,,	,,	A.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, under date the 22nd January 1867, No. 220.

The Government being desirous of obtaining for employment in the Public Works Department, without adding to its fixed establishment, the services of an Officer who has had so many years experience in that Department as Captain J. Magnay, of the Staff Corps, resolve to request His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, through the Military Department, to place Captain Magnay's services at their disposal under the terms of the Circular of the Government of India, No. 87 of the 7th December 1864, ruling that Officers of the local service may be employed in the Public Works Department, continuing to draw their Military pay and allowances in the Military Department.

2. Captain Magnay, though not a Local Officer, has long served in the Department of Public Works, and the Government believe that the ruling of the Government of India may be extended, without disadvantage, under such circumstances, to Staff Corps Officers.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Mily. Dept., with G. O., No. 116 *of* 1865.

Referred to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief (Adjutant General's Department), for information as to whether Captain Magnay's services are available, with the request that the reply may be forwarded through the Controller of Military Accounts, for report on the financial question involved.

23rd January 1867.

From the Officiating Assistant Adjutant General, Fort Saint George, 25th January 1867, No. 67; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

With reference to Proceedings of Government, Public Works Department, No. 220, dated 22nd January 1867, communicated to the Commander-in-Chief, under date the 23rd idem, I have the honor, by order of His Excellency, to state, for the information of Government, that the services of the Officer named in the margin are available for employment in the Public Works Department.

Captain J. Magnay, Staff Corps.

From the Controller of Military Accounts, Fort Saint George, 25th January 1867, A; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

I have the honor, with reference to your docket of the 23rd January 1867, on the Proceedings of Government, Public Works Department, No. 220, dated 22nd idem, to forward a letter from the Assistant Adjutant General, reporting that the services of Captain J. Magnay, Staff Corps, are available for employment in the Public Works Department.

Dated 25th January 1867, *No.* 67.

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2. It is proposed to employ Captain Magnay under the terms of the circular of the Government of India, No. 87 of the 7th December 1864.

3. It appears to me that the circular does not apply. Captain Magnay is not a Local Officer, and it is not alleged that he cannot find active employment in the Army.

4. Captain Magnay's services in the Public Works Department are apparently sought, because that Officer has had so many years' experience in the Department; and, such being the case, it appears both desirable and reasonable that, if he is so employed directly for the benefit of the Department, his Staff Corps pay should, as in all other cases, be taken by the Department which has the benefit of his services.

5. The proposal that he should be employed in the Public Works Department and paid in the Military Department is contrary to rule and precedent, and the exemption made in Bengal seems only to have arisen out of the fact that the Officers referred to must have remained unemployed if not utilized as permitted in the circular.

ORDER, No. 322, 25th January 1867.

Ordered that the foregoing report from the Controller of Military Accounts be communicated to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

Marshall *Major General.*
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department. With 20 spare Copies.
" Adjutant General.
" Controller of Military Accounts.

x M.L.C. above Leonard

Erd. A. W. Cooke.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 322.

Proceedings of the Madras Government.

25th January 1867

Read the following Papers:—

Proc: of Govt: Public Works Deptt. Applying for the services of Captain Magnay, Staff Corps, for employment in the Department Public Works.	November 22nd Jany: 1867 220
From the Offg: Asstt: Adjt: Genl: Reporting that the services of the above named Officer are available.	" 25th " " 1867

Office of Comptr: of Mily: Accts:
Fort St: George, 25th Jany: 1867.

From the Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St: George.
To the Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St: George.

Sir,

I have the honor, with reference to your

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your docket of the 23d. Janu. 67, on the Proc. of Govt. P. W. D., No 220, dated 22d. idem, to forward a letter from the Actg. Adjutant Genl., reporting that the services of Captain J. Magnay, Staff Corps, are available for employment in the Public Works Departt.— 2. It is proposed to employ Captain Magnay under the terms of the Circular of the Govt. of India, No 89 of the 7th December 1864.— 3. It appears to me that the Circular does not apply; Capn. Magnay is not a local Officer, & it is not alleged that he cannot find active employment in the Army. 4. Capn. Magnay's services in the P. W. D. are apparently sought because that Officer has had so many years' experience in the Departt.; and such being the case, it appears both desirable & reasonable that, if he is so employed directly for the benefit of the Departt., his Staff Corps pay should, as in all other cases, be taken by the Departt. which has the benefit of his services. 5. The proposal that he should

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should be employed in the P. W. Dept. paid in the Mily. Departt. is contrary to rule & precedent, & the exemption made in Bengal seems only to have arisen out of the fact that the Officers referred to must have remained unemployed if not utilized as permitted in the Circular.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) J. McGown, Coll.,
Contr. of Mily. Accts.

Order — Ordered that the foregoing report from the Controller of Military Accounts be communicated to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract)
Thuriabale Major Genl.
Secretary to Government.

To
The Public Works Department.

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Public Works Department.

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No. 319

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.
under date the 1st July 1867
Read the following

(Govt. Madras Govt in the Mily Dept
(Here enter No. 322 dated 25 January 1867)

The services of
Captain J. Magniac —
having been made avail-
able for employment
in the Department of
Public Works, resolved
that he be appointed
to the Department for
the special duty of
superviseing operations
in connection with the
Madras

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Ry. Dept. 1867
Pro: of Govt. for February
No. 270.
Pro: of the Madras Govt
in the Mily. Dept.

Dated 25 January 67
Rec'd 28 January 67
No. 322

Communicating letter
from the Controller of
Military Accounts intim-
ating that Capt. Mag-
niac's services are
available for employ-
ment in the P.W. Dept.
but that the P.W. Circular
of the Govt of India Dept.
of 1862 does not apply to
the case of that Officer
vide 319 of 1st July 1867.

No. 1

Madras Water Supply
Project in pursuance
of the order contained
in the Proceedings of
Government No.
dated Instant.
While thus employed,
Captain Magnay will
receive his Military
Pay and Allowances,
and, in addition, a
special allowance
of Rs: 100 per mensem,
with the travelling
allowance of an As-
sistant Engineer
when entitled to it,
the entire charge being
debited

debited to the Public
Works Department, a-
gainst the general allot-
ment for Establishments,
pending the result of a
reference, which will
now be made to the
Government of India,
as to the applicability
of the orders commu-
nicated in their
Public Works Circu-
lar No: 84 of 1864 to the
case of Captain
Magnay.

To

To the Controller. ✓
" Mily: Dept. ✓
" Capt: Magnay. ✓
" Supg: Engrs., 4 " Divns.
with G. O. No: 116 of 1865. ✓

Dated 1st Febry 67

To

No. 320

The Secretary to the
Govt. of India
P. W. Dept.

Sir,

The services of an Officer experienced in irrigation works being urgently required for the supervision of the Madras Water Supply project, which is now under execution, and no sufficiently qualified member of the permanent

permanent Establishment being available, this Government are very desirous of securing the services of Captain J. Magnay,* who has had more than eight years experience in the Public Works Department of this Presidency, and who formerly held the rank of a first Assistant District Engineer.

2. Captain

* Staff corps.

2. Captain Magnay is willing, with the hope of future advancement, to re-enter the Department under the terms of the Public Works Circular of the Government of India No 87 of 1864, which prescribes that Officers of the local service may be employed in the

the Public Works Department and continue to draw their Military Pay and allowances in the Military Department. Captain Magnay is not a Local Officer, but, having long served in the Department of Public Works, His Lordship in Council believes that the ruling of the Government of India may be extended with great advantage

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The services of Captain Kaye may having been made available for employment in the Department of Public Works, he has been appointed to the special duty above mentioned, pending the orders of the Government of India on this reference.

Fort St George
31st January 1867

Capt 1/2/67

Pub: Works 1867 Department

Pro: of Govt. for February

No 319 & 320

Pro: of the Madras Govt.

Of 1st February 1867

Passing orders on certain papers relative to the pay and allowances of Seagrave Lt. Captain, while employed on the Madras Water Works Projects

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