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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23rd October 1867.*

No. 489. Read the following letter from the Controller of Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 11th October 1867, No. 2,697 :—

1. Agreeably to G. O. No. 2,492, dated 15th August 1867, I have the honor to submit correspondence with Major Moberly, in original, to be obligingly returned.

2. As I presume that the expression of my opinion is called for as to how the charge of the extra pay to the Sappers is to be adjusted, I beg to suggest that it be debited to the work the men are employed on.

3. Should Government be pleased to pass the additional sum of Rupees 100 per mensem, under Civil Auditor's Manual, Chapter XI, paragraph 65, which sanctions the additional allowance of 100 Rupees, provided the Officer is not at present drawing any staff allowance in the Military Department, I would suggest that the amount be treated as "petty Establishment."

From the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Camp at Markapoor, 11th September 1867, No. 1,641.

1. Agreeably to G. O. No. 2,492 of the 15th ultimo, I have the honor to forward the accompanying working Rosters of the men of the Sappers and Miners, for June and July, employed in the construction of the huts at Allipoor, and suggest that this amount be passed to the men thus employed, in addition to their working pay, which is paid in the Military Department : also that the extra working pay should be passed to the men until such time as the huts are completed.

Rupees 100 per mensem

2 As regards the working allowance applied for by Captain Raynsford, I would beg to point out that this is the amount laid down in General Regulations for Officers attached to the Sappers for visiting works at a distance.

From the Controller of Public Works Accounts, to the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, dated 24th September 1867, No. 2,469.

In returning the two working Rosters received with your letter No. 1,641, dated 11th September 1867, I have the honor to request (prior

Two Working Rosters.

to submitting the case to Government) that you

will be good enough to explain on what data you have based the rates therein shown, as I find that they differ from those laid down in Chapter XI, paragraph 67, of the Civil Auditor's Manual. I also request you will be so good as to report how you propose the charges for the Sappers and Captain Raynsford's salary are to be met ; whether from the work on which they are employed, or from "Establishments." An expression of your opinion will oblige.

From the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Camp at Cuddapah, 9th October 1867, No. 1,881.

In reply to your letter No. 2,469, of the 24th ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that the rates entered in the two Rosters (herewith returned) are the daily working pay of the Sappers and Miners, and were entered by the Officer Commanding the Detachment, who I suppose knows the proper working pay for his men. The charge for the working pay of the men might, I think, be met from the work on which they are employed, whilst Captain Raynsford's should, I think, be charged to Establishment.

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From the Controller of
 T.W. Accounts 3,825
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These papers are
 forwarded in pursuance
 of the order of Govt
 N^o 2492, dated 15th August 1867
 in which the Superintending
 Engineer of the S^d Division
 was called upon to
 report what amount of
 extra pay he proposed
 to give the men of the
 Sappers and Miners
 stationed at Bellary while
 employed on the con-
 struction of their huts

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Estimated for the
 additional cost for the
 pay of the Sappers and
 Miners while they are
 stationed at Bellary

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at Alipore, and to
submit his opinion on
the application of the
Officer Commanding the
Detachment for an
allowance of 100 rupees
per mensem to the
"Company Officer" who
visited the works.

The Sup^d Engineer
recommends that the
men be paid Rupees
207-0-9 for June and
July last, and that
extra working pay be
disbursed to them until
the huts are completed.
Major Mobley further
states that the
monthly allowance of
100 rupees applied for
by the Officer Commanding
the Detachment is the
amount allowed in

For June #97-7-6
July #109-9-3
Total #207-0-9

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the General Regulations of
the Army for Officers
attached to the Sappers and
Miners visiting works at
a distance -

The Gov^t sanctions
the disbursement of the
extra working pay pro-
posed to be given to the
men, and grant authority
for the charge being
debited to the works on
which they are employed.

As regards the
extra remuneration of
#100 to the "Company
Officer," the Gov^t observe
that as G. O. G. N^o 116
of the 22^d March 1860, which
supersedes the ruling
quoted by the Sup^d
Engineer and the restriction
of P.W. Accounts, restricts
the grant of that allowance
to Officers permanently

in command of a
company of Sappers the
Kare under notice
is inadvisable -

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Df 23rd October 1867

Sanctioning the disbursement of extra working pay to the men of Sappers and Miners stationed at Bellary, while employed on the construction of their huts at Alhpora.

Declining the application of the officer commanding the above Detachment of Sappers for an allowance of Rs 100 per mensem to the Company Officer.