

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
15th February 1868.*

No. 315. Read the following Endorsement of the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, dated Camp at Durmaveram, 27th January 1868, No. 2,894 :—
Read the following letter from the Officer in charge of Military Buildings Range, Bellary, to the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, dated Bellary, 20th January 1868, No. 200.

Revenue Department G. O., 25th July 1867, No. 1,696, provides that if an Officer returns from England and takes up his appointment before the 1st November, he is to be charged License tax for the whole year.

I returned from England on the 12th of October, and in ignorance of this Order took up my appointment on the 27th October last. The Controller accordingly stops Rupees 200 from my salary for December in a lump sum.

As my salary from 1st May to 12th October was only at the rate of £ 291 per annum, I respectfully submit that it is hard I should be called upon to pay at the same rate as if I had enjoyed £ 1,000 a year and upwards, and I beg to point out that on return from furlough, an Officer generally has so many expenses to meet, that any little unforeseen demand on his purse is a matter of hardship.

The G. O. above quoted, as a matter of favor, permits the Officer holding an acting appointment to be taxed only for the time he actually acts in the appointment, and I respectfully solicit that a similar act of favor may be extended to Officers returning from furlough, and that they be taxed only for the time they enjoy the emoluments of the office.

Forwarded for the consideration and orders of Government.

(Signed) A. S. MOBERLY, Major, R. E.,
Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.

Transferred to the Revenue Department.

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

1st February 1868.

No. 316. ORDER THEREON, 15th February 1868, No. 432.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government observe that the limitation of the assessment to the period for which an Officer may actually hold an appointment is limited to periods *less than six months*, while Major Palmer having resumed his post in October 1867 will hold it for more than six months in the License tax year 1867-68.

2. Under these circumstances, the application cannot be admitted.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department.

„ the Military Department.

„ the Accountant General.

„ the Board of Revenue.

„ the Examiner of Claims.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

George Bellary to the Superintending Engineer 3^d Div. dated Bellary
20th January 1868 No 200.

Revenue Deptt.

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G.O. 25th July 1874 No 1896 provides that if an Officer returns from England and takes up his appointment before the 1st November he is to be charged License Fee for the whole year.

I returned from England on the 12th of October and in ignorance of this order took up my appointment on the 27th October last. The Controller accordingly stops Rs 200 from my salary for December in a lump sum.

As my salary from 1st May to 12th October was only at the rate of £ 29/ per annum I respectfully submit that it is hard I should be called upon to pay at the same rate as if I had enjoyed £ 1,000 a year and upwards and I beg to point out that on return from furlough an Officer generally has so many expenses to meet that any little unforeseen demands on his purse is a matter of hardship.

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(Signed) G. Palmer Major

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(True Copy)

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A. W. M. Major

Sup Engineer 3rd Div

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Camp Durmaniam

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Bellary District

27th January 1888

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