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No. 473. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Gooramcondah, Voilpaul Talook, Cuddapah, 17th September 1870, No. 1,344:—

I HAVE the honour to submit, for the consideration and orders of Government, the following circumstances connected with Serjeant Overseer M. Day of this department, as I do not think that I should under the circumstances be justified in granting the leave applied for without laying the matter before Government.

2. On the 26th March last Mr. Michael Day, a Military Pensioner who has been in this department about twelve years, and is fifty-two years of age, was affected with paralysis of the left side, and obtained three months' leave of absence on medical certificate on the accompanying copy* of his case; this leave was in the beginning of July extended up to 31st August 1870.

3. In the meantime having heard that there was no chance of Mr. Day being again fit for the duties of the department, I, on 29th July 1870, addressed a letter† to the Assistant Surgeon in charge of Royal Artillery at Bellary, in reply to which I got the accompanying letter.‡

‡ Marked C. 4. As Dr. Simons in this letter states that he is satisfied Mr. Day is not likely to become fit for any active duty, I applied to the Brigadier General Commanding to appoint a Committee of Medical officers for the purpose of granting the necessary medical certificate to enable me to submit a Pension or Gratuity Roll to Government.

§ Marked D. 5. The Committee you will observe from their certificate§ have not given any opinion as to Mr. Day's fitness for further employment, but have merely recommended him for six months' leave; this, I would observe, I could have given on the certificate of Dr. Simons.

6. As keeping a man's name on the strength of an establishment when it is known that he can never do any more active work is injurious to the department and interferes with the progress of work, I consider I should not be doing my duty by granting the leave, but submit the matter for the orders of Government.

7. As regards Mr. Day personally, I beg to state that I have always found him a hard working and willing Overseer.

No. 474. ORDER THEREON, 27th September 1870, No. 2,331.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 42.

UNDER the opinion expressed regarding Mr. Day in the concluding paragraph of the Superintending Engineer's letter, and taking into consideration that the Medical Committee have recommended an

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extension of leave to the Overseer, Colonel Moberly is authorized to grant it under the Uncovenanted Service Rules on the report of the Controller of Public Works Accounts to whom the papers will be forwarded.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts, with four enclosures.

Exd E. C. Shunker.

No. 1344

Superintending Engineer's Office.
3rd Division.

Camp Gorumcondah, Todpadi Talook
Cuddalore District.

The 17th September 1870.

From,
The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division.

To,
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Fort Saint George.

Enclosures. 5.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit for the consideration and Orders of Government the following circumstances connected with Sergeant Ovenson Mr. Day of this Department, as I do not think that I should under the circumstances be justified in granting the leave applied for, without laying the matter before Government.

2 On the 26th March last, Mr. Michael Day, a Military Pensioner who has been in this Department about 12 years and is 52 years of

* Masked D

* Copy attached
and marked B

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Orders of Government.

7. Its regards W. Bay personally.
I beg to state that I have always
found him a hard working and
willing overseer. —
I have &c

Wm. S. Utterby Lieut. Col. R.E.
Supt. Engineer 3^d Division

Govt. Dept
No 2331

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Under date the 25th September 1870
Read the following

From the Supt Engineer
of the S. D. (H. E. No 1344 of 17 Sept 1870)

Under the opinion
expressed regarding Mr. Day
in the concluding para of
the Supt Engineer's letter, and
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P. & A. Accounts to whom the
papers will be forwarded.

1/2 Supt Engr, 3rd Div.
Controller, P. & A. Accts
with 4 Enclosures
Sept 28/9/70

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From,
The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division.

To,
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort Saint George.

No. 1344
Dated 17th September 1870.
Received

Enclosed
papers on construction
with Overseer Mr. D. Day
who is recommended by
a Committee of Public Works
for 6 months leave
of absence on extension
of leave already granted
H. E. No 2331-27 Sept 1870

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W. J. P.

D. L.
R. L.

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Mr. Inverness Bay. The plan of
an extension of the same, by the
Superintending Engr, 3rd Div.
Inverness Bay. Authorized
with remarks.