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No. 167. Read the following letter from the Controller of Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 1st September 1871, No 1,465:—

ADVERTING to the Notification in the *Fort Saint George Gazette* of the 22nd ultimo, declaring that Captain Scott shall "be considered to have officiated as Chief Engineer for Irrigation and Joint-Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, without prejudice to his other duty in the interval between Major Ryves' death and the date of Captain Oakes' assumption of charge of the office," I have the honour, with reference to the rules published at page 1,345 to 1,350 of the Gazette of the same date, to request the orders of Government as to the clause under which deputation allowance is to be passed in this case.

Page 1,336.

2. When an officer holds a substantive appointment, and officiates in another, performing only the duties of the higher appointment, the rules provide for the grant of a deputation allowance calculated at 20 per cent. on the salary of the latter. In Captain Scott's case, however, his appointment to officiate as Chief Engineer and Joint-Secretary is made without prejudice to his duties as Under Secretary, and, on this point, attention is invited to Sections XXXIII. and XXXIV. (Clause C.) of the rules above quoted.

XX (A).

No. 168. ORDER THEREON, 11th September 1871, No. 2,308.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 22.

THE Government observe that Captain Scott was appointed Officiating Chief Engineer and Joint Secretary to Government in the terms of the Notification, dated 17th August 1871, with the intention of his being granted the highest rate of deputation allowance, and as the exigencies of the service necessitated his performing the double duty temporarily, His Excellency in Council is of opinion that Captain Scott is clearly entitled to a deputation allowance of 20 per cent. under Section XX. (A) Chapter V. of the Leave and Allowance Code published in the Gazette of the 22nd August 1871. Neither Section XXXIV. (A or C) in the opinion of the Government applies in the present case, as the officer was not merely in charge of the *current duties* of a higher office in addition to his own, but was formally appointed to officiate without prejudice to his other duty, and the Controller is accordingly authorized to pass to Captain Scott a deputation allowance of 20 per cent.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. deC. SCOTT, Captain, R E.,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
To Captain A. deC. Scott, R E.

Ext. E C. Shunker.

No 1465

Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts.
Inverness, 1st September 1871.

From
The Controller of Public Works Accts,
Inverness

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

Page 1536.

Sir,

Adverting to the
Instructions in the Fort St
George Gazette of the 22nd
ultimo, declaring that
Captain Scott shall be
considered to have officiated
as Chief Engineer for
Irrigation and Joint
Secretary to Government,
Department Public Works,
without prejudice to his
other duties in the interval
between Major Hyde's death

and the date of Captain's Coates' assumption of charge of the Office," I have the honor, with reference to the rules published at page 1345 to 1350 of the Gazette of the same date, to request the orders of Government as to the claim under which deputation allowance is to be passed in this case.

2. When an Officer holds a substantive appointment, and officiates in another, performing only the duties of the higher appointment, the rules provide for the grant of a deputation allowance calculated at 20 per cent on the salary of the latter. In Captain Scott's case, however, his appointment to officiate as Chief Engineer and Joint Secretary is made without prejudice to his duties as Under Secretary, and, on this ground, attention is invited to Sections XXXIII and XXXIV (b) of the rules above quoted.

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

J. Hood

Controller of Public Works &c &c.

XX (a).

Ex Clerk

No 2308

Under date the 11th Sept 1871

The Government of Bengal observe that Captain Scott was appointed officiating Chief Engr and Joint Secretary to Government in the terms of the Notification dated 17th August 1871 with the intention of his being granted the highest rate of deputation allowances, and as the exigencies of the Service necessitated

Dated 1871

Received 1st Sept 1871

No 11455

Intimating that the Secretary of State has sanctioned the appointment of Captain Scott to officiate as Chief Engineer, Eastern Bengal and Assam, and Joint Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

(Signature illegible)

Secretary

No 2308-11 dated 1st Sept 1871

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pass to Captain
Scott a deputation
allowance of 20 per
cent.

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Mr Controller
Capt Staple C. Scott R.E.
Ins. dept 11/9/71.
S-C — 22/9/71 to Govt

C- No- 4121-

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To The Controller of P W Accounts

Dated

Recd. Jan

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Captain Scott- Cantonments

Captain Scott authorized to erect & occupy allowance & to pay rent: