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# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

## Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2312 Press Mis. 172-78

Dated 9-9- 1878.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 11th September* 1871.

No. 177. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 2nd September 1871, No 2,375 —

I HAVE the honour to request that you will bring to the notice of the Government of Madras, so that I may have a ruling on the subject, that the Controller will only pass my pay as a second class Superintending Engineer from the date it appeared in the Gazette, and not from the date of the vacancy occurred.

2. I asked for the reason of this ruling, and Mr. Brock, the Controller, tells me it is according to the Uncovenanted Servant's *Vade Mecum* —

"137. When an officer in the Department of Public Works is promoted "from one grade to another, the promotion involving no change of duties or of "station, the increased rate will be admitted from the date of the promotion appear- "ing in the Gazette." But then I am not an Uncovenanted Servant

3. I claim to be ruled by order taken from Chapter IV, Section II., paragraph 6 of the Bengal Code, which is printed with rules about salaries sent by the Madras Government to my office, paragraph 18, Section III, page 4, which says.—

"When an officer is promoted from one grade in the department to another, "the promotion involving no change of duties, the increased allowance will be "admitted from the date of the vacancy causing the promotion, or from such other "date as may be specified in the Government Gazette If the promotion does not "arise from any specific vacancy, and if no date be named in the Gazette, the "promotion will be reckoned from the date of the Notification."

4. I was gazetted as a second-class Superintending Engineer vice Major Ryves; it has involved no change of duties, and, as in the case of all death vacancies in the Army, I should get my promotion from that date. The Controller's office has always been in the custom of being guided by this Uncovenanted Service Rule, but I do not think this shows that it may not be wrong

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No. 178. ORDER THEREON, 11th September 1871, No. 2,313.

ESTABLISHMENT, No 24

As it is in accordance with the orders of Government of India Public Works Code that officers of the Madras Department when officiating in a class that is divided into grades are restricted to the salary of the lowest grade, and also that it is in conformity with the same rules that promotions from one grade to another are not made before the 1st of March or 1st September following the date on which the vacancy occurred, the Government consider it only equitable that the officers should have the benefit of the provisions made in paragraph 6, Section II, Chapter IV of the Public Works Code of the Government of India under which the increased salaries are admissible from the date of the vacancy causing the promotion, or from such other date as may be

specified in the Government Gazette, and the Controller is authorized to audit pay accordingly

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Lxd I. C. Shunker.

No. 2375 Superintending Engrs Office
4th Division
Madras 2d September 1871

From

Colonel L. V. Wilkinson RE.
Supt Engineer 4th Div.

To

Colonel J. Carpendale RE.
Secretary to Govt Pub. Dept.

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Sir
Your Most Obed Servt
[illegible] Col R.E.
Inspr General [illegible]

following the date on

No 2313

Under date the 11th Septr 1911

As it is in accordance with the orders of the Govt of India Public Works Code that Officers of the Roads Department should be provided with Official Residences, and that the Executive Engineer of the Division should be provided with a Residence in the Station of Cuttack, the Commissioner of the Division has been requested to select a suitable site for the Executive Engineer's Residence in the Station of Cuttack, and to submit a plan and estimate for the proposed building for the sanction of Government.

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From No 4367
The Executive Engineer
1st Division
To
The Secretary to Govt
Pub Wks Dept
Dated 20
Rec'd 23 September 11
C/No 2375
States that the
Committee declined
to pass his salary
as 2nd Class Subordinate
from the date of
the Royal Edict
as rule 6 in Chapter
III Section II para
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To The Superintending Eng.
4th Division

Dated

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Referred to No. 2313.

Reports,

Nos. 1775 1778

Fall William - The Lieut Gov
Council authorized to draw
the Ordering of Fall William
as 2nd Class Village from
the date of his incorporation
Dec 7th