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4th March 1871.*

No 108. Read the following Endorsement of the Military Department, dated 17th February 1871 —

Read the following letter from the Officiating Quarter Master General, to the Officiating Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort Saint George, 10th February 1871, No. 1,067.

ADVERTING to G. O. C. C., No. 14, of the 27th January last, directing the dis-
* Military Boards Circular Order No XXXV, 24th November 1851
continuanee of the quarterly* issue of lime to Regiments for the purpose of white-washing and cleaning barracks,

I have the honour, by desire of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, to request that the Bengal rules authorizing the internal white-washing of barracks, etc., twice a year and other periodical repairs, as shown in the accompanying extract from the

Chapter XIII, Section 2, paragraph 6. Public Works Code, may be submitted to Government with a view to the same

being sanctioned as applicable in this Presidency

2. In the rules which guide the Department Public Works in repairing buildings, no stated periods are given; Page 44 of G. O. C. C. of 1866, paragraph 22 but in the new Medical Code, paragraph

39, page 175, it is ruled that the internal lime-washing of both barracks and hospital should be carried out twice a year if not oftener, but as this rule is no authority for the Department Public Works to carry out the work, His Excellency would recommend the re-publication of the Bengal rule as above requested.

Extract from the Bengal Public Works Code, Chapter XIII, Section 2, paragraph 6.

“The following are the principal periodical repairs which shall be made after the periods specified in each case, unless, from the non-occupation of any building from its unusual state of preservation for the convenience of its occupants, or for any other special reason, the Executive Engineer may consider it advisable to postpone the repair

External white or colour-washing or sand rubbing once in three or four years, or when reported necessary.

Internal white-washing to all barracks, hospitals, conjee-houses, and guard-rooms twice a year, to soldiers' privies annually, and to all other buildings when reported necessary, but the interior must always be cleaned during the periodical repair.

Repairs to plaster when reported necessary

Painting once in four years Grass coating once in three years

Relaying tiles when reported necessary, generally after three or four years

Renewal and repairs of jhamps, to such extent as may be necessary, annually; those for stables to be completed by the 1st October Jhamps should not be used when they can be dispensed with

Removal of bricks affected by saltpetre when the corrosion appears sufficient to render it necessary.

Repairs to terraced roofs and floors The latter, if much worn, should not be repaired but entirely renewed or replaced by flag-stones

(True Extract)

(Signed) A. HOWLETT, Colonel,
Offg Quarter Master General.

Removals

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4th March 1871.*

TRANSFERRED to the Department Public Works for disposal, in view to the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief being carried out if practicable.

(Signed) A. C. SILVER, Colonel,
Offg Secy to Government.

No 109.

ORDER THEREON, 4th March 1871, No 645

MILITARY WORKS, No. 3.

As under the recent orders of the Government of India it has become necessary to discontinue the practice of making a quarterly issue of lime to Regiments for the white-washing of barracks, His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves, in compliance with the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, to approve of the provisions of Chapter XIII., Section 2, paragraph 6 of the Code of the Government of India being made applicable to this Presidency, in order to ensure the periodical repairs therein provided for being carried out by the Public Works Department.

(True Extract)

Colonel, R E,

Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department
To Superintending Engineers
,, Major R B Kennedy
To the Controller of Public Works Accounts

Ed. E C. Shunker.

Extract from the Bengal Public Works Code Chapter XIII. Section II para 6.

The following are the principal periodical repairs which shall be made after the periods specified in each case, unless from the non-occupation of any building, from its unusual state of preservation, for the convenience of its occupants, or for any other special reason, the Executive Engineer may consider it advisable to postpone the repairs.

External white or color washing of sand
minors, once in three or four years, or, when reported
necessary.

Internal white washing to all barracks,
hospitals, engine houses, and guard rooms, twice a
year; to other buildings annually, and to all other
buildings, when reported necessary, but the interiors
must always be cleaned during the periodical repair.

Repairs to plaster when reported necessary,
Painting, once in four years, or as reported
necessary in three years.

Relaying of floors when reported necessary,
generally after three or four years.

Renewal and repairs of jhamps, to such
extent as may be necessary annually, to be completed by the 1st October. Jhamps should
not be used when they can be dispensed with.

Removals

Removal of bricks affected by rust, &c.
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it necessary.

Repairs to terraced roofs and floors
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Quarter Master General's Office
Fort Saint George 10 February 1871

No. 1067

From

Colonel A. Howells
Off. Quarter Master General

To

Colonel A. C. Silver
Off. Secretary to Government
Military Department

Sir, In forwarding to you O. G. 11 of the
17th January last touching the discontinuance
of the ~~discontinuation~~ of Rules to Regulations for the
purpose of whitewashing and cleaning Barracks,
I have the honor by Order of His Excellency the
Governor and in reply to request that the Bengal Rules
relating to the cleaning and whitewashing of Barracks
for twice a year and other periodical repairs as shown
in the accompanying Extract from the Public Works
Code may be submitted to Government with a
view to the same being sanctioned as applicable
in this Presidency.

2. In the Rules which guide the Depart-
ment Public Works in repairing buildings, no
stated periods are given but in the new Medical
Code

Code para 39 Page 175, it is ruled that the
internal line washing of both Barracks and
Hospital should be carried out however often
if not often, but as the superior authority for the
Department Public Works to carry out the work.
His Excellency would recommend the applica-
tion of the Budget Rule as above requested.

I have the honor to be,
Sir, your obedient servant

Yours obedient servant

Wm. L. G. G. G.

Office Quarter Master General

Public Works Department
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11th March 1864

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As under the recent
orders of the Govt. of India
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to discontinue the practice
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Barracks, His Excellency
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the periodical repairs to
Barracks, &c. being carried
out by the P. W. Dept.,
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