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1st May 1874.*

No. 11. Read the following letter from T. MOSS, Esq., Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 8th April 1874, No. 165:—

WITH reference to Government Order, No. 902, of the 31st March 1874, relative to the conveyance by rail or steamer of horses belonging to upper subordinates who are transferred to take charge of ranges, I have the honour to suggest that standing order No. 7 of 1873 by the Government of India in the Public Works Department be communicated to all District Engineers, as it authorizes not only the conveyance of horses at the public expense but also of camp equipage. The standing order in question it will be observed is applicable to Madras and Bombay.

No. 7.

X A. In very special cases, when the urgency of the duty justifies such an arrangement, a Carriage of horse and camp equipage by rail or steamer. Superintending Engineer may order an upper subordinate to join a new post ready equipped for duty. In this case the cost of conveying his horse and camp equipage by rail or steamer will be met by the State. But the order must in each case be previously given, and the bill must be supported by a certificate signed by the Superintending or Executive Engineer to the effect that a horse and camp equipage were so conveyed, and care should be taken that the charge incurred is not out of proportion to the object to be attained.

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, 1st May 1874, No. 1,142.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 1.

ORDERED accordingly that standing order of the Government of India, No. 7 of 1873, be circulated for the information and guidance of the department.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To District Engineers.
To the Executive Engineer, Wynaad.
„ Consulting Architect.
To Inspecting Engineers.
To the Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Enl. E. C. Shunker.
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No. 6.

Employment of Native Non-Commissioned Officers and
Soldiers in the Public Works Department.*P. W. D. Code, Chap. V, Sec. iv, add as para. 1 A—* No. 6 of 1873.

1 A. The rule laid down in para. 1 A, Sec. i of this Chapter (S. O. No. 3 of 1873), as regards the applicability of the rules of the Civil Department to Military pay as well as Civil pay and allowances, applies also to Native Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers in the Public Works Department. Rules of the Civil Department in which employed applicable to Military as well as Civil pay.

[This order is applicable to Madras and Bombay.]

No. 7.

Travelling allowances of Upper Subordinates.

P. W. D. Code, Chap. IV, Sec. iii, para. 2, add as Rule X A— No. 7 of 1873.

X A. In very special cases, when the urgency of the duty justifies such an arrangement, a Superintending Engineer may order an Upper Subordinate to join a new post ready equipped for duty. In this case, the cost of conveying his horse and camp equipage by rail or steamer will be met by the State. But the order must in each case be previously given, and the bill must be supported by a certificate signed by the Superintending or Executive Engineer to the effect that a horse and camp equipage were so conveyed; and care should be taken that the charge incurred is not out of proportion to the object to be attained. Carriage of horse and camp equipage by rail or steamer.

[This order is applicable to Madras and Bombay.]

No. 8.

Acting allowances of Engineer Establishment and
Superior Officers of the Account Branch.*P. W. D. Code, Chap. IV, Sec. ii, para. 9 (S. O. No. 43 of 1871).* No. 8 of 1873.

In Rule VIII, expunge the words, "of the Engineer Establishment," in the fourth line.

[This order is applicable to Madras and Bombay.]

No. 9.

Losses to be reported to the Government of India.

No. 9 of 1873. *P. W. D. Code, Chap. XX, Sec. ii, para. 33 (as modified by S. O. No. 7 of 1870).*

After the words "Such are all items of loss of cash and stock," insert "in Imperial Divisions."

No. 10.

Casualties of Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers in the Public Works Department.

No. 10 of 1873. *P. W. D. Code, Chap. V, Sec. iii, para. 21.*

Omit the words, "to the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Military Department, Calcutta, and"

No. 11.

Time allowed for receipt, audit and booking of accounts in Controllers' Offices.

No. 11 of 1873. *P. W. D. Code, Chap. XX, Sec. ii, para. 67.*

In the fifth and eighth lines for the word, "end," substitute, "20th."

[This order is applicable to Madras and Bombay.]

No. 12.

Travelling allowance of Native Doctors (Hospital Assistants).

No. 12 of 1873. *P. W. D. Code, Chap. IV, Sec. i, para. 44.*

For the first sentence substitute the following:—

Native Doctors (Hospital Assistants) attached to the Public Works Department when travelling on duty shall receive actual fares for such portion of a journey as is made by rail or steamer, and two annas a mile for the portion by road.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

STANDING ORDERS, 1873.

ORDERS FOR THE FIRST-HALF OF THE YEAR.

ISSUED 30TH JUNE, 1873.

No. 1.

Halting allowance.

P. W. D. Code, Chap. IV, Sec. iii, para. 1, Rule III. No. 1 of 1873.

For the words "provided that when within 10 miles of his ordinary residence, permanent or temporary, he does not halt more than three days," substitute, "provided that when he halts for more than three days within 10 miles of his residence, permanent or temporary, the allowance shall not be passed without the special sanction in each case of the Superintending Engineer of the Circle."

[This order is applicable to Madras and Bombay.]

No. 2.

Report of departure on and return from leave.

P. W. D. Code, Chap. IV, Sec. i, add as para. 16 A— No. 2 of 1873.
16 A. All members of the Public Works Department proceeding on leave beyond sea, should, before quitting India, report to the Chief Engineer of the Province in which they are employed the date of embarkation, and also the date of debarkation immediately on return from leave. In the case of Military Officers, the Chief Engineer will report the date of embarkation to the Military Department of the Government of India.

No. 3]

STANDING ORDERS OF 1873.

No. 3.

Employment of Military Officers in the Public Works Department.

No. 3 of 1873.

Rules of the Civil Department in which employed applicable to Military as well as Civil pay.

P. W. D. Code, Chap. V, Sec. i, add as para. 1 A—

1 A. Officers while serving in the Public Works Department must, like those serving in other Civil Departments, abide for the period of such service by the rules of the Department both as regards Military pay and Civil pay and allowances.

[This order is applicable to Madras and Bombay.]

No. 4.

Employment of Warrant Officers in the Public Works Department.

No. 4 of 1873.

Rules of the Civil Department in which employed applicable to Military as well as Civil pay.

P. W. D. Code, Chap. V, Sec. ii, add as para. 1 A—

1 A. The rule laid down in para. 1 A, Sec. i of this Chapter (S. O. No. 3 of 1873), as regards the applicability of the rules of the Civil Department to Military pay as well as Civil pay and allowances, applies also to Warrant Officers.

[This order is applicable to Madras and Bombay.]

No. 5.

Employment of European Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers in the Public Works Department.

No. 5 of 1873.

Rules of the Civil Department in which employed applicable to Military as well as Civil pay.

P. W. D. Code, Chap. V, Sec. iii, add as para. 1 A—

1 A. The rule laid down in para. 1 A, Sec. i of this Chapter (S. O. No. 3 of 1873), as regards the applicability of the rules of the Civil Department to Military pay as well as Civil pay and allowances, applies also to European Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers in the Public Works Department.

[This order is applicable to Madras and Bombay.]

No. 2091.
From
The Office Controller of
P.W. Accounts
To
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort Saint George.

No. 165

Dated 8 April 1874.
Recd. 9 April 1874.

Suggesting that Standing
Order No. 7 of 1873 by the Govt. of
India be communicated to
all District Enquirers relative
to the conveyance of horses
at the public expense.

G. O. No. 1142. 1-5-74.

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Govt. of 1874 Madras.
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Dist. Engineers.

Dated

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Encl.

G. O. Jellay. 1874. No. 1142

Nos. 11-12.

~~Commissary Jellay~~

Claims of Upper Subordinates
to the Carriage of Horse &
Camp & baggage by Rail
or Steamer - The standing
order of the Govt of India No
7 of 1873 on the subject
of the — circular of
for the information &
guidance of the Officers
of the Dept.