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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
24th April 1876.*

No. 331. Read the following letter from Captain L. CONWAY-GORDON, R.F. Examiner of Public Works Accounts, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 12th April 1876, No. 20 W. :—

With reference to the Orders of Government marginally noted, in which sanction is accorded to the entertainment of a

No. 3,543 of 15th December 1875. temporary establishment of additional
" 195 of 25th January 1876. clerks for each of the three divisions in

the Cuddapah District, I have the honor to submit, for the orders of Government, the accompanying papers received from the District Engineer on the subject of the grant of the usual rate of batta to the men who have been appointed when travelling on duty.

2. The rules do not distinctly provide for the grant of travelling allowance to members of temporary establishments, and in Government No. 1,829 of the 10th June 1868 it is ruled, 'that except under very special circumstances, the grant of travelling allowance to members of Petty Establishments is inadmissible.'

From the Officer in charge of Cuddapah Range, to the District Engineer of Cuddapah, dated 16th March 1876, No. 858.

I HAVE the honor to make the following remarks with reference to your No. 2,524, dated the 9th instant.

2. I am under the impression that there is no rule against travelling allowance being granted to the additional writers sanctioned for this district in G.O., No. 3,454, dated 15th December 1875.

3. The decision should be left with the Controller, or, if necessary, to Government. I respectfully submit that it will be unfair to order the extra writers to travel if they are deprived of the usual allowance. If they are not to travel with the Range Officer on his tours, if necessary, the work is likely to be retarded.

4. In the present case, I took out two writers on circuit, because the 3rd Accountant is quite new to the department and is not up to his work, and in the absence of a Sub-divisional Officer, the correspondence in the office has been unusually heavy for the past four or five months. Now the Sub-divisional Officer has joined and taken up his duties, there will be no necessity to take out more than the 3rd Accountant after the expiration of the current month; but, should the 3rd Accountant be taken sick, it will be necessary for one of the extra writers to travel.

No. 2,693.

FORWARDED to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts for disposal, with reference to the travelling batta claimed in the enclosed travelling allowance bill* of Cuddapah Range for February 1876.

* Sent on 23rd instant.

(Signed) A. S. MOBERLY, Colonel, R.E.,
District Engineer, Cuddapah.

24th March 1876.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
24th April 1876.

From the Officer in charge of Sidhout Range, to the District Engineer of Cuddapah, dated
24th March 1876, No. 810.

I HAVE the honor to request instructions as to whether the temporary writers lately appointed to this range are to travel with the range camp if required, or whether they are to remain in head-quarters always.

2. As you are aware there is only the Head Accountant and 2nd Accountant in this range, hitherto the former was always at head-quarters and the latter travelling with the camp office. Other ranges have a writer in addition to the 2nd Accountant, who can take it in turn with the 2nd Accountant in travelling if necessary, and thus as it were relieve him if occasion required.

3. I beg to request that permission be obtained to allow one of the temporary writers to travel in camp duty instead of the 2nd Accountant, whenever it may be necessary. No additional expense will be incurred, as it will seldom or ever be necessary that both should be in camp office at one and the same time, and the travelling batta of either of the temporary writers is less than that of the 2nd Accountant at the rate of three-tenths of their salary.

No. 2,674.

FORWARDED to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts to know if this can be allowed.

20th March 1876.

(Signed) A. S. MOBERLY, Colonel, R.E.,
District Engineer of Cuddapah.

No. 332.

ORDER THEREON, 24th April 1876, No. 1,024.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 25.

THE men for whom the claim is made do not belong to Petty Establishments, but are supplementary to the ordinary strength of the permanent Range Establishments of the Cuddapah District, and as such are entitled to batta.

(True Extract.)

Colonel,

Offg. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts,
" District Engineer, Cuddapah.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

Spare Copies

Copy of a letter from the Officer in Charge of
Cuddapah Range to the District Engineer of
Cuddapah dated 16th March 1876 No. 810.

I have the honor to make the following remarks with reference to your No. 2624 dated the 9th Instant.

2. I am under the impression that there is no rule against Travelling Allowance being granted to the additional writer sanctioned for this District in G.O. No. 5104 dated Dec. 15th 1875.

3. The decision should be left with the Controller or if necessary to Government. I respectfully submit that it will be unfair to order the extra writers to travel if they are deprived of the usual allowance. If they are not to travel with the Range Officer on his tour if necessary the work is likely to be retarded.

4. In the present case, I took out two writers on Circuit, because the 2nd Accountant is quite new to the Department and is not up to his work and in the absence of a Sub-Divisional Officer, the Correspondence in the office has been unusually heavy for the past four or five months. Now the Sub-Divisional Officer has joined and taken up his duties there will be no necessity to take out

out more than the 3^d Accountant after the ex-
piration of the current month but should the
3^d Accountant be taken sick, it will be
necessary for one of the extra Writers to travel.

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N^o 2839 of 24 March 1876

Forwarded to the Chairman of P.W.A.

for disposal with reference to the travelling bill
claimed in the enclosed S. A. bill of Cuddalore
Range for February 1876.

H. S. M. J. Seal: RB
District Engineer Cuddalore

* Sent on 23^d instant.

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[Cr. Wks. Form No. 2.]

No. 20 W.

From

THE CONTROLLER,
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS.

To

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Copy of letter from the Officer in charge of
Sidhant Range to the District Engineer of
Cuddalore Range, N^o 810.

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N^o 2639 of 24 March 1876
 Forwarded to the Examiner of P.W.A.

for disposal
 claimed in
 Range for

4/10/76

N^o 2639
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 From The District Engineer
 Cuddapah
 To The Examiner
 P.W. Accounts

Dated 21st March 1876
 Supd. 25th
 Recd. 26th

Forward copy of letter
 25.3.76 to District Engineer
 Cuddapah Range
 for disposal

[Cr. Wks. Form No. 2.]

No. 20 W.

From

THE CONTROLLER,
 PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,

To

Copy of letter from the Officer in charge of the
 Sidhout Range to the District Engineer of
 Cuddapah, Dated 21st March 1876, N^o 810.

I have the honor to request instructions as to
 as to whether the temporary writers lately
 appointed to this Range are to travel
 with the Range Camp if required, or whether
 they are to remain in Head Quarters
 always.
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No. 21376
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[Cr. Wks. Form No. 2.]

No. 2110

From

THE CONTROLLER,
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,

To

is less than that of the 2nd accountants, at the rate of $\frac{3}{10}$ of their salary.

No. 2674

Forwarded to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts to know if this can be allowed.

Cuddapah
District Engineer
Camp at Cuddapah
28th March 1876

Col. R. E.
District Engineer of Cuddapah.

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2. The rules do not distinctly provide for the grant of travelling allowance to members of temporary Establishments and in Government No 1829 of the 10th June 1868 it is ruled, 'that except under very special circumstances, the grant of travelling allowance to members of Petty Establishments is inadmissible.'

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Yours most Obedt Servt

Stoway-Jordan

Examiner, P.W. Accounts

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L.O. 10 June 1875
15 Decr 75 - 287-290
28 Jan 76 - 426-427

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From
The Examiner

P.W. Accounts

To
The Secretary to Government
P.W. Department

N^o 20 W.

Dated 14 } April 1876
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Submits for the
orders of Government certain
papers claiming the usual
rate of Batta to the men em-
ployed on the temporary
Establishment at Coorpa
District

No 331

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No 1024

Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 24th April 76

Read the following:—

From
The Examiner of Public
Works Accounts } H.E. No 20 W & 12 April 76

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of the Permanent Range
Establishments of the
Cuddalore District, and
as such are entitled to
Batta.

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Ex. P.W. Dept
G. S. Suddapah. Dated 8/5/76

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Govt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Examiners of P.W.A.

Dated

Issued

Recd.

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G. O. 24th April 1876, No. 1024

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to certain members of the
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the Madras Dist
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Left to Mr. B. J.
8-5-76