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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
5th July 1876. No. 1,694*

No 59. Read the following letter from Major J. O. HASTED, R E, Superintending Engineer, Kistna, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R E, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Duggiralah, 23rd March 1876, No. 143 —

I HAVE the honor to bring to your notice that the Examiner of Public Works Accounts called upon me to furnish a certificate, according to a form prescribed by the Government of India, to enable me to draw Presidency house-rent while on duty with Government on the Nilgiris.

2. This form requires me to certify that my previous rate of expenditure for a house at the Presidency continued during my temporary absence. As I had no permanent employment at the Presidency, I was of course unable to give a certificate to this effect, and I consequently forwarded a certificate (copy of which is enclosed) to the effect that I paid house-rent at a rate exceeding that I usually paid. The Examiner insists, however, on a certificate in the exact form given by the Government of India, and proposes to recover the house-rent drawn by me, Rupees 174-3-1, from this month's pay.

3 Under the impression that the ruling of the Government of India would allow of exceptions to meet special circumstances, I have the honor to request that the Examiner may be authorized to pass the amount of house-rent drawn

4. Without any desire to complain of the rate of pay which I drew while on duty on the Hills, I may be allowed to point out that, being only an Officiating Superintending Engineer, I reverted to Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, in order to act as Chief Engineer, and therefore the emoluments were not so high as in the more common case of a Superintending Engineer acting as Chief Engineer.

No. 60 ORDER THEREON, 5th July 1876, No. 1,694.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 9.

It is not understood by Government how Major Hasted's claim for house-rent at the Presidency, where he did not reside and keep up a house at all, can be maintained. It stands on a different footing from the claims of Lieutenant-Colonel Mullins and Major Scott.

(True Extract.)

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

To the District Engineer, Kistna.
„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

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at 143. Supg. Engrs's Office
in the ...

I certify that during my residence on the
highways with Government, I paid house rent
at a rate ... that I paid while holding
my permanent appointment. My residence in
... being temporary only, I had no house
there.

Signed / J. O. Hasled ...
Superintendent Engineer
Kotna

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Supg. Engrs's Office
Camp Dugganala
23rd March 1916

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Superintendent Engineer Kotna

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No 143 dated 23rd
March 1876, from
the Deputy Engineer
District, to the Secretary
to Government
Public Works Dept.

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Establishment
No 143. Supg. Engineer's Office
Camp Duggirahalli
23rd March 1876
From
Major J. C. Hasted R.E.
Superintending Engineer, Kistna
Major General G. S. Walker R.E.
Secretary to the Government of India

Enclosure. I have the honor to bring to your notice that the Examiner of Public Works has been called upon me to furnish a certificate, according to a form prescribed by the Government of India, to enable me to draw Presidency House rent, while on duty with Government in the Nilgherries.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 5th July 1876.
Read the following —

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