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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

21st September 1877, No. 762 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper:—

No. 163. From W. B. LEGGATT, Esq., A.I.C.E., Officiating District Engineer, Bellary, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Ooravacondah, 29th August 1877, No. 2,156.

I HAVE the honor to solicit that the Examiner of Public Works Accounts be authorized to finally admit for the following reasons the increased rate of pay, which has now been provisionally passed by him to Overseer Mr. Prout for the period he held the appointment of Acting Supervisor in this District.

2. Mr. Prout retained the said appointment from 11th November 1876 to 6th March 1877—*vide* Notifications quoted in Pages 85 and 500 of *Fort St. George Gazette*, the margin, but he was not put in charge of the Sub-division on account of this promotion as his services were much respectively. dated 16th January and 27th March 1877

required in the Anantapore Taluq, and no subordinate was available at the time to relieve him from his taluq charge.

3. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts in his salary audit note for March 1877 suggests that the sanction of Government should be obtained on the matter; he considers that Mr. Prout is not entitled to the emolument of the higher grade until he has taken charge of a Sub-division under paragraph of G.O. No. 2,020 of 13th July 1866.

The paragraph of the Government Order alluded to runs thus: "A Taluq Overseer promoted to the rank of Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is not entitled to the emoluments of the higher grade until he assumes charge of the Range to which he is appointed."

4. In the Notification relating to Mr. Prout's acting promotion, no mention is made as to his appointment to any particular charge; the Government Order does not therefore appear to me to apply to his case.

No. 164. ORDER THEREON, 21st September 1877, No. 762 W.

MR. PROUT appointed to act as Supervisor, 2nd Grade, in the Gazette of the 16th January 1877, having been unavoidably retained on public grounds in the position he originally occupied, and thus prevented from assuming charge of a Sub-division and at once drawing the increased salary of a Supervisor of the 2nd Grade, the Examiner will, as a special case, be authorized to pass Mr. Prout's salary as Supervisor, 2nd Grade, for the period he was temporarily acting in that grade, viz., from 11th November 1876 to 6th March 1877.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" District Engineer, Bellary.
Exd. A. Grubert.
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SECRETARY.

Madras
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OFFICE NOTE

To

762 W
The higher rate of
pay to Pensioner Subint.
is stated to have been
disallowed by G.O. under
G.O. 2020 dated 13th July 1874.
Can it not be paid
under G.O. 2462 of 27th
August 1875?

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To W

There are two doubtful points
(1) Whether Government, in accepting
the scheme of temporary provisions
for other subordinates laid down
in G.O. I resolution of 10th Sept 1874,
do or do not intend to relax the
restrictions imposed in G.O. 2758
of 12th Nov. 1873 & 2020 of 13th July 64
(2) Whether G.O. No 595 of 2nd Nov 1870,
which directs that in the case of
retirement of an officer on application
for pension, an acting incumbent
should be appointed on acting pay,
is also still to be held in force

In the present case, Mr. Prout's
promotion was due to an application
for retirement, which however was
not entertained, and this office
has only acting allowance
pending for sanction of Govt.
and I do not consider myself
justified in admitting the claim
either for acting allowance or for pay due to temporary promotion
without special sanction.

I may add, that it has since been
ruled that no acting allowance
is admissible to an officer subordinate
acting for any other officer subordinate
such as overseer for supervisor &c. &c.
but as this ruling was subsequent
to the claim, I did not propose to
act upon it in this case.

AGB

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Extract from the Fort
St. George Gazette of the 16 Jan'y/77
(Part II. page 85)

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The following promotions
are ordered with effect from
11 November 1876:—

Mr. F. Watkins to be Supervisor
1st grade (acting) vice Schourey
promoted.

Mr. J. E. Prout to be
Supervisor 2nd grade (acting)
vice Watkins promoted

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P. W. G.

Notification

The acting promotions of
Conductor J. Schoury and Mr. J. E. Prout
notified in Part I at page 30, & Part II
at page 85, of the Fort St. George Gazette
of the 16th January 1877 are hereby cancelled
from the date of N. Moosappa Pillai
joining the Trichinopoly District
etc. etc. from the 1st March 1877. W. 17/3

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Belary Dist. Engr. Office
Camp Anavandah
29th August 1877

No. 2156

From

The Offg. District Engineer
Belary

To

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department
Madras

Re

I have the honour to solicit
that the Examiner P.W. Accounts be authorised
read to finally admit for the following reasons
the increased rate of pay, which has been
provisionally passed by him to Messrs Mr.
Pount for the period he held the appointment
of acting Engineer in this District.

Mr Pount retained the said
appointment from 11th November 1876 to 6th
March 1877. Under notifications quoted in the
margin but he was not put in charge of
the Pub. Division in account of this promotion
as his services were much required in the
Anantapur Taluk and no subordinate was
available at the time to relieve him from

Pages 25 and 500
of Fort St. George
Gazette of 15th Jan'y
and 27th Mar. 1877
respectively.

Notified.

Forwarded
27th of March 1877

Pl. No. 882 of 5th Feb 1877

his Salary Change.

3.

The Examined P. & A. Account

in his Salary Audit note for March 1877, suggests that the sanction of Government should be obtained on the matter; he considers that Mr. Punt is not entitled to the emoluments of the higher grade until he has taken charge of a Sub Division under proviso of G.O. No. 2020 of 13 July 1866.

The paragraph of the G.O. alluded to runs thus. "A Salary Overseer promoted to the rank of Superintendent Grade is not entitled to the emoluments of the higher grade until he assumes charge of the Range to which he is appointed."

4.

In the Notification

relating to Mr. Punt's acting promotion, no mention is made as to his appointment to any particular charge; the G.O. does not therefore appear to me to apply to his case.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours most obedt. servant

W. E. P. M. C.

Offg. District Engineer
Bengal

4813-7-64 Rs 2020.
" 13-2-75 - 4064407.
" 27-8-75 - 2462.

From
The Offg District
Engineer.
Bellary.

To
The Chief Engr.
Public Works Dept.

No 2156
Dated 29 August 77
Recd.

Overseer Mr. Prout.
Soliciting to authorize
the Examiner P.W.
Accounts to admit final
by the increased rate of
pay to — while acting
as Supervisor.

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Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 21st Sept 77.

Read the following:—

Letter from the Offg District Engineer }
Bellary } (St. No 2156. dt 29th Augt 1877)

Mr Prout appointed
to act as Supervisor 2nd Grade
in the Gazette of the 16th January
1877, having been unavoidably
retained on the Public Service
in the position he originally
occupied, and being thus
prevented from assuming
charge of a subdivision and
at once drawing the increased
salary of a Supervisor of the
2nd Grade, the Examiner will
as a special case be author-
ized to pass Mr Prout's
salary

Salary as Supervisor 2nd
Grade for the period he was
temporarily acting in that
Grade, viz from 11th Nov 1876
to 6th March 1877. *W.H.*
GAT 18.9.77

With an office note.

Encl. to Mr S.
D. E. ~~Bellamy~~ *Wadsworth*
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W.H.
Encl 19-9-77 R 21-9-77

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To

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Encl.

G. O., 21st Apr 1877, No. 762W

Nos. 163 - 164

Mr. Prout Bellamy &c

The Examiner authorized, as
a special case, to raise the
to salary of — as Supervisor
2nd grade for the period he was
temporarily acting in that
grade.

*Intd. 16/4/77
29.9.77.*