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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

11th January 1878, No. 160 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper :—

No. 95-D. From Lieutenant-Colonel C. THOMASON, R.E., on Special Duty, Madras Harbour Works, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 5th January 1878, No. 2.

ADVERTING to our conversation of the 30th ultimo, I have the honor to send you copies of—

- (a)—Telegram from myself to Sir Andrew Clarke, dated December 24th 1877,
- (b)—Telegram from Works, Calcutta, to myself, dated December 26th 1877,

both with reference to the employment of Lieutenant Love, R.E., to assist me in my special work.

2. I had already, before despatching my own telegram to Sir Andrew Clarke, explained to His Grace the Governor that my special object in applying for Lieutenant Love was that, working with his Sappers under his command, he could obtain for me with greater facility than otherwise certain sections through the surf and borings which I consider it to be of primary importance to obtain; Lieutenant Foley remaining in charge of the office, from which I must necessarily be absent a good deal.

3. His Grace thought that there might be objections raised to extra pay being granted to Lieutenant Love whilst employed under me, as he would not be transferred to the Department Public Works, and hence my telegram. Regarding the issue of the usual extra working pay to the Sappers I understand there are no difficulties.

4. As to Lieutenant Love's extra pay, and also that of the Sappers working for me under him, I would, under the peculiar circumstances, suggest that it be paid directly by myself, and entered in my contingent bill like any other item of my expenditure. I think this will be the simplest plan, and I shall be glad to hear if the suggestion meets with your approval.

Copies of Service Telegrams.

From Lieutenant-Colonel THOMASON, R.E., Madras, to Sir ANDREW CLARKE, Calcutta, 24th December 1877.

May I promise Lieutenant Love, R.E., usual 120 Rupees per mensem and travelling expenses whilst working for me with Sappers? Governor does not object.

From Works, Calcutta, to Lieutenant-Colonel THOMASON, Madras.

Lieutenant Love's employment with you approved. Send particulars to Works for formal sanction by letter, explaining precise duties and responsibilities.

No. 95-E. ORDER THEREON, 11th January 1878, No. 160 W.

APPLICATION will be made to the Military Department for the services of Lieutenant Love, R.E., for employment as proposed under Lieutenant-Colonel Thomason, R.E., on special duty in connection with the Harbour Works.

2. Lieutenant Love's extra pay will be charged to a suspense head pending final adjustment in accordance with G.O., No. 2,133 W, dated 17th December 1877.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Military Department.
Lieutenant-Colonel Thomason, R.E.
Examiner of Public Works Account.

Ed. S. T. Austin.
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ESTABLISHMENT.

Gobt. of (1878) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

THE MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT.

2nd January 1878.

G. O. 1163 of 1878 No. 100 W.

JANUARY.

No. 55-2-554

Military Harbour Works.—In order to
make to the Military Department for the
services of Lieutenant Love, R.E., the
employment of Lieutenant Thomason
R.E., on special duty in
connection with the —

Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

~~Under date the~~

Read the following:—

Letter from Lieutenant Colonel C. Thomason R.E. dated 5th Jan'y/78.

Order thereon January 1878 N^o.

Application will be made
to the Military Department for the services
of Lt. Love R.E. for employment under
Lt. Coll. Thomason R.E. on special duty
in connection with the Harbour Works.

Lieutenant Love's pay and
allowances will be charged to a suspense
head pending final adjustment, in
accordance with G.O. N^o 2133 W dated 17th

December 1877.

(True Extract).

Colonel R.E.

Secretary to Govt P.W.D.

The Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Letter from Lt Col C. Thomson R.E. dated
5 Jan 78.

FOR ORDERS.

Edmund Collier
Secy to Govt P.W.D.

Since the opening
of the 1st January
the attendance
has been constant
the staffs & officers
employed - I believe
to be the best in the
strength

M.C.

FOR ORDERS.

Approved by the Governor

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N^o 2777/78

Madras

Jan^y 5th 1878

To the Secy Govt Madras P.W.D.

Sir,

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(2) Telegram from works Calcutta to myself of Dec^r 26th 77

both with reference to the employment of Lieut Love R. & to assist me in my special work.

I had already, before despatching my own telegram to Sir Andrew Clarke explained to His Grace the Governor that my special object in applying for Lieut Love was that working with his staffs under his command he could obtain for me with greater facility than otherwise certain sections through the swamps & bungs which I consider to be of primary importance to obtain - Lieut Love remaining in charge of the office, from which I must necessarily be absent a good deal.

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responsibilities. I think this will
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with your approval.

I have the honour to be
Sir your obedient servant.

C. Thomason Lt Col R.E.
In Special Duty Madras & Burma

Copies of Service Telegrams.

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Madras

To Sir Andrew Clark R.E.
Calcutta d/Decr 24th 17

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From Works - Calcutta
To Lt Col Thomason Madras
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letter explaining precise duties
& responsibilities.

(True Copies)

C. Thomason
Lt Col R.E.

17-12-77 No 2152 W
31- 2265 W

No 160 W Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 11th Jan'y 1878

Read the following:—

Letter from Lt. Hall } (H.C. Dec 5th Jan'y 1878.)
to. Thomason R.E.

Application will be
made to the Military
Department for the
services of Lieutenant
Lanc R.E. for employment
as proposed
under Lt. Hall Thomason
R.E. on special duty
in connection with the
Harbour Works.

Lt. Lane's ^{extra} pay and
~~allowances~~ ^{will be} charged to a
suspense head pending
final adjustment

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in accordance with L.C.
No 2133 W dated 17th Dec 67.

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Milky. Deposits 15 ✓
L.C. Call. Diamant 3 ✓
Cass. S. L. Beck 5 ✓
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To the Military Department

Dated

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Recd.

Encl.

G. O. 11 Jan'y 1878, No. 160 W

Nos.

Madras Harbour for the
Application made to the
Military Dept for the services
of Lt Col R. for employ-
ment as proposed under
Lt Col Thomson R. as
special duty in connection
with the

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