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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

27th September 1878, No. 3,798 W.

General
Establishment.

Read the following paper :—

No. 293. From Major ROSS THOMPSON, R.E., District Engineer, Presidency, to the Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 13th August 1878, No. 2,875.

With reference to G.O., No. 2,904, of 17th July 1878, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from Lieutenant Goldney, R.E., dated 30th July 1878. I beg most respectfully to submit that, although Lieutenant Goldney, R.E., is not on the Public Works Establishment, he has worked under its orders hard and well since the batteries were commenced. He by no means confined himself to mere "military command" of his men, but was constantly with them on the works, and when Major Clarke unfortunately fell sick in June he undertook and carried out part of his duties most willingly and efficiently. Had Lieutenant Goldney been satisfied to remain in purely "military command" of his men, it would have been unnecessary for him to go to the expense of hiring a conveyance, as he has quarters in the fort and his men are camped on the glacis. When the batteries were commenced however, knowing how important the Government then considered their speedy construction, Lieutenant Goldney, in common with the other officers of the district, did not spare himself in trying to push them on, but during the unusually hot weather we have had this year he could have done but little without a conveyance. This he hired, and I most respectfully submit that, no matter what department he belongs to, he has fairly earned the favorable consideration of Government in the matter of ghari-hire.

From Lieutenant W. H. GOLDNEY, R.E., Commanding K. Company, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, to the District Engineer, Presidency, dated Madras, 30th July 1878.

With reference to G.O. of 17th July 1878, No. 2,904 W, stating that, as I am "not on the Public Works Establishment, no allowances from that department can be granted," I have the honor to submit that I am employed under the Public Works Department and have been doing work similar to that done by Public Works Officers. Had I not employed a hired carriage, I could not have done my work efficiently, especially as for some time I had to visit works at Chapauk in addition to the three batteries. I have already spent a considerable sum on carriage-hire for my work. I trust that you will be good enough to submit these facts for the favorable consideration of the Government with a view to my obtaining the usual carriage allowance.

No. 294. ORDER THEREON, 27th September 1878, No. 3,798 W.

DURING such time as Lieutenant Goldney, R.E., performed Major Clarke's duties he will be considered as having been attached to the Public Works Department and graded as an Assistant Engineer, temporary, such allowances being passed to him as are admissible under the Public Works rules from the date of his entering on

Major Clarke's duties until he was relieved of the same, which dates should be reported, and Lieutenant Goldney gazetted accordingly.

2. The Government decline to pass any extra allowances to Lieutenant Goldney, R.E., while he was exclusively employed with his Company in the construction of the batteries, a purely military duty.

(True Extract.)

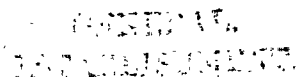
(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

(True Copy.)

Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the District Engineer, Presidency.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Military Department.

Ed. J. W. Fischer.
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THE DIRECTOR, FBI
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

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John,

The District Engineer,
Presidentsurf.

Dr.

The Chief Engineer, and
Secretary to Govt. Engrs.

Dr.

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1. Copy of letter.

With reference to G. O. no. 2904 of 17th July 1878, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from Lieut. Goldney M. dated 30 July 1878, I beg most respectfully to submit that, although Lieut. Goldney M. is not on the Public Works Establishment, he has worked under its orders, hard and well since the batteries were commenced. He by no means confined himself to mere "military command" of his men, but was constantly with them on the works, and when Major Clarke unfortunately fell sick in June he undertook, and carried out part of his duties most willingly and efficiently. Had Lieut. Goldney been permitted to remain in purely "military command" of his men, it would have

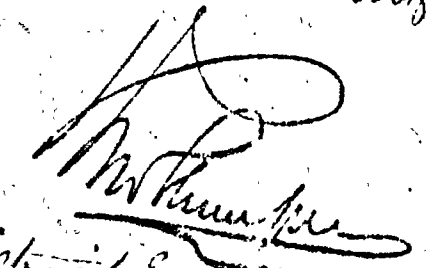
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of hiring a conveyance, as he has quarters
in the Fort, and his men are camped on
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I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,


W. Thompson Major R.E.
District Engineer

Presidency

Fort St George.
13th Aug. 1848.

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G.O. 2904 W 17-7-78 orig

Recd 14.8.78 - 23.3.78

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No. 9030

General

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The District Engineer,
Residency.

No. 2875

Dated 18th Aug 1878.
Recd 14th Sept 1878.

No. of Enclosures: 1

Lieut Goldbury, R.E. -

recommending that
be granted carriage allowance
as he has worked under the
orders of the D.D.M., although
not in its establishment.

To Acty 14-8-78
Recd 30.8.78
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Katras, 30 July 1878.

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The District Engineer,
Residency.

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Sir,

With reference to G.O. of 17 July 1878, No. 2947,
stating that, as I am not on the Public Works
Establishment no allowances from that Department
"can be granted", I have the honor to submit
that I am employed under the Public Works
Department, and have been doing work similar
to that done by Public Works Officers. Had I
not employed a hired carriage, I could not
have done my work efficiently, especially
as for some time I had to visit works at
Chepank in addition to the 3 batteries. I
have already spent a considerable sum on
carriage hire for my work. I trust that you
will be good enough to submit these facts
for the favorable consideration of the Govt
with a view to my obtaining the usual
carriage allowance. I have the honor to be,
Sir, your obedient servant.

(True copy)

W. Humphreys
District Engineer presd.

Lt. Fr. H. Goldbury, Lieut. R.E.
Comdg. R. Co. 83. O. Sep. 1878.

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Letter from the District Engineer,
Presidency, No 2875, dated 13th August
1878.

FOR ORDERS

with reference to
his Grace's receipt upon
the former application
earned full R.R.

Secretary of Government

Notwithstanding the fact that
the statement of the P.W.D. is not
in the hands of the P.W.D. but
has been forwarded to the P.W.D.
and the P.W.D. has not yet
received it. The receipt should be
sent to the P.W.D. by the P.W.D.
and the P.W.D. should be
informed of the receipt of the
P.W.D. by the P.W.D.

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Received
Gentle copy of
the letter of the
District Engineer
to the Secretary of
Government dated
13th August 1878
in relation to the
receipt of the P.W.D.
and the P.W.D. has
not yet received it.
The receipt should
be sent to the P.W.D.
by the P.W.D.

24th Aug 78
The Secretary of Government
Presidency

FOR ORDERS.

Public Works Department. 3798
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 27 Sept 78

Read the following:—

From the St. Mys. Presidency (H.E. No 2875 9/13 Aug 78)

Lieut Goldney will be considered as having been attached to the Public Works Department and graded as an Assistant Engineer, 2^d Grade, Temporary, and such allowances passed to him as are admissible under the Public Works Rules from the date of his entering on his duties at the Presidency which should be duly reported.

W.H.
30.8.78.

B. K. Presdy
By Mr A.
Prinly Reph

To Actg 14-8-78
Cir 24-8-78. Ret 30.8.78

*See
under order*

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No 3798 W. *Genl
Estab* Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 27 Sept 78.

Read the following:—

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From the *St. Mys* Presidency (H.E. No 2875 7/13 Aug 78)

During such time
as Lt. Goldney R.R. per-
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duties he will be consi-
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Works Department and
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admissible under the
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on Major Clarke's duties
until he was relieved
of the same which dates
should be reported and
Lt. Goldney gazetted
accordingly.

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*Cir 30-8-78 Rd 27-9-78.
24-8-78*

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to pass any extra allow-
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with his Company
in the construction of
the Batteries, a purely
military duty.

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St. John's Presidency
by Mr. V.
Milly Dept.
Decr 15-10-78

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Govt. of (1878) - *St. Adams*
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

U.S. Presidency

Dated

Issued

St. Adams Recd. 5th October 1878
for docket Encl.

G. O., 27 Sept 1878, No. 3778

Nos. 2935 274

Grading and allowance to
St. Goldney R.E.

Passing orders with reference
to the — when doing the for
Clarke's duties.

Frederick R. R.