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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

24th January 1881, No. 185 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper :—

No. 128. From Lieutenant-Colonel J. BEATTY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Camp, Shatiatope, 21st December 1880, No. 1,962-T.J.

In acknowledging the receipt of your memorandum, No. 2,646, of the 26th ultimo, sanctioning the entertainment of a clerk, 5th class, and a lascar for each of the Assistant Engineers recently posted to this circle, I have the honor to request you will be good enough to inform me whether the appointment of clerk is to be considered permanent or only temporary.

2. In G.O., No. 2,043 W., of the 30th August last, it was decided that the appointment of clerk under an extra officer was a pensionable one, but the Assistant Engineers now posted to this circle are apparently supernumeraries. It is therefore doubtful whether, in the event of the Assistant Engineers being transferred elsewhere, their writers would be retained or their services dispensed with.

3. The Executive Engineer requires the information in filling up the writer-ships.

No. 129. ORDER THEREON, 24th January 1881, No. 185 W.

The clerks in question should be regarded as temporary. Should they be hereafter confirmed they will be entitled to count their former service with reference to Section 27, Rule I of the Civil Pension Code.

(True Extract.)

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

To Superintending Engineers.
„ Superintendents of Works.
To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

30th August 1880, No. 2,043 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper :—

No. 82. From Lieutenant-Colonel J. BEATTY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Trichinopoly, 24th July 1880, No. 946 T.J.

I HAVE the honor to request that you will be so good as to inform me whether the appointment of clerks sanctioned in paragraph 6 of your memorandum, No. 548, of the 18th February 1880, for employment under subordinates not in charge of subdivisions is pensionable.

2. I take this opportunity of bringing to your notice that applications for pension or gratuity for the men who had been employed on the permanent establishment prior to the recent reductions and who were subsequently provided with posts under the extra officers were not submitted under the impression that their new appointments carried a claim for pension.

3. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts states, in his letter to the Executive Engineer, South Arcot Division, No. 231, of the 24th ultimo, that the services of these men do not qualify for pension under Section 19 of the Civil Pension Code. This section refers to apprentices, and I consider that the extra officers' writers are not apprentices, and that therefore they are not affected by the above section.

4. It will be a very hard case and add greatly to the difficulties of the department if clerks drawing Rs. 15 a-month, whose designation has been changed to apprentice clerks, are no longer eligible for pension. Such men have always hitherto been treated as part of the regular establishment and eligible for pension.

5. I send herewith the letter of the Executive Engineer, South Arcot, No. 481, of 17th instant, for your information, as it explains the hardship of the case, and I trust that Government may be pleased to over-rule the Examiner's decision.

From Captain A. C. SMITH, R.E., Executive Engineer, South Arcot Division, to the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, dated Cuddalore, 17th July 1880, No. 481.

In his letter No. 231, S.E. 3rd of the 24th June 1880, copy of which was forwarded to you with my endorsement, No. 430, of 2nd July 1880, the Examiner says that service as an apprentice clerk does not qualify for pension and as such should be treated as temporary.

2. I do not think that Section 19 of the Civil Pension Code refers to the clerks on Rs. 15; this might probably refer to those apprentices that were trained up in the former Civil and District Engineers' offices, or to any other servant who may be learning work in any office or department. Writers or clerks have been since 1856 employed in this department on Rs. 15 and less in Range Offices and under Upper Subordinates, and they have been always treated as part of the regular permanent establishment eligible for pension. It was only very recently that the designation of Overseers' writers and writers on Rs. 15 in Divisional or Range Office has been changed into apprentice clerks; I do not think that this alteration of mere designation can deprive the parties concerned of their pension.

3. In the current year's Provincial Budget, Part III, page 24, provision is made for apprentice clerks at Rs. 15 under "Permanent Office Establishment;" the service of these clerks is said to be temporary and ineligible for pension. If they come under temporary they need not have been shown under the former head; several of the late Overseers' Writers and Writers in

Divisional Offices on Rs. 15 might be now employed as these apprentice clerks, and if their services as such are not reckoned towards pension they must suffer very seriously.

4. In this division one Vythilinga Pillay, who was drawing Rs. 15 as clerk in the late Tindivanam Division for the last more than fourteen years, has been appointed as apprentice clerk under the Supervisor; he requires only a few months to complete for pension of one-third of his pay; but he must suffer very seriously if his service in the present and former appointment is to his great astonishment considered temporary and as such does not qualify. There must be several cases like this; I request therefore that the subject may be submitted for the decision of Government.

No. 82-A. From Major D. H. TRAIL, R.E., Officiating Examiner of Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 13th August 1880, No. 89 W.

With reference to the accompanying copy of letter, No. 349 T.N., dated the 16th July 1880, received from the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, I have the honor to request the favor of being informed whether the appointments of "apprentices," with reference to Public Works Department Code, paragraph 23, are to be considered as "pensionable" or not. It will be observed from Section 19 of the Civil Pension Code that service as an "apprentice," excepting as an "Engineer Apprentice" in the Public Works Department, does not qualify.

2. It appears to me that the introduction of apprentices as the lowest grade clerk must have been made so as to allow of the entertainment of young men on trial, and, if found fit, to give them the opportunity of learning their work.

3. If this view is correct the service in this grade cannot, it is thought, be considered as "pensionable" with reference to the Civil Pension Code Rule quoted above.

4. But if, on the other hand, the addition of apprentices is only intended to supply a fifth class of clerk, it would be better, to remove all doubts in the matter, to modify the term at once accordingly. The service in this case would count.

5. The favor of an early reply is solicited.

From the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, dated 16th July 1880, No. 349 T.N.

With reference to your letter, No. 299, of the 10th instant, I have the honor to inform you that P. Renga Iyer has since been re-employed in the Tinnevely Division as extra officer's writer, a post which is, I conclude, pensionable. His service book has now been forwarded to the Executive Engineer for record in his office.

No. 83. ORDER THEREON, 30th August 1880, No. 2,043 W.

In classing the clerks in question as "Apprentices," Government had no intention of interfering with their pensions.

2. Paragraph 23 of the Public Works Code will be modified by the issue of a Standing Order substituting the words "V Class" for "Apprentices."

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Officers of the Public Works Department.
" Secretary, Code Committee.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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CENTRAL
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Order No. 20454
Dated 20th August 1881
To the Engineer-in-Charge
Public Works Department
Madras

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Nos. 82-83.

Approved in the Public Works Department
On the 20th of August 1881

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For opinion on
the proposed draft
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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the

Read the following:—

From
The Supg. Eng. Third Circle } (M.O. No. 1962 of 21-11-1882)

The service of the
clerks in question will
be considered as permanent
as long as it lasts, but
they will be liable to
discharge when no longer
required, whether on account
of the officers in question
being transferred to other
Districts, or falling into
regular sub-divisional
charges.

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SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE, 3RD CIRCLE.

No. 1962 of 21-11-1882
Camp Shatinke 21.11.1882
Dated 24.11.1882

From

Lieut Col. J. Beatty R.E.

Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle,

To

Colonel R. H. Lankey C.B. R.E.
Chief Engineer P. W. D.

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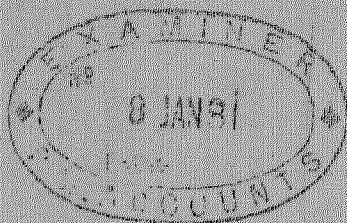
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Sir

your most obedt servt

F. Beatty, Asst. Engr. R.E.

Supd Engineer 3rd Divn



P. W. D. 3RD CIRCLE.

From

The Superintending Engineer,

3rd Circle.

To

The Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

No. 1962 S. 7

Dated

21st Dec

Received

Enclosures.

Clocks & ladders to
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Requesting informa-
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E. H. H.

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