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To
THE ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
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Nos. 203-204.

Pay and Allowances.

Decision of the Government of India regard-
ing the pay and allowances of an officer trans-
ferred or promoted to a better paid appointment
during absence on furlough under the rules of
1875, communicated to departments concerned.

Exr P. W. Asst.
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

14th May 1883, No. 2744.

Pay and Allowances.

Read the following paper :—

No. 203. *From Captain E. H. H. COLLEN, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, to the Controller of Military Accounts, Bengal; dated Fort William, 3rd May 1883, No. 267-B.*

Pay and Allowances.

In your letters, Nos. 22153 and 25163, of the 9th February and the 27th March 1883, respectively, you inquire whether an officer under the furlough rules of 1875, transferred or promoted to a better paid appointment during his absence on furlough, should be allowed half of the staff salary attached thereto from the date of his transfer or promotion; and whether furlough pay should be continued to all officers employed in regiments or departments from the date of their return to India to that of joining their appointments, provided it is not less than the pay and allowances of their rank.

2. In reply, I am directed to say that Conductor J. Horton Bennett, whose case has given rise to the present correspondence, was entitled to the furlough pay of a Conductor from the date of his promotion to that rank, and that he was also entitled to the pay and allowances of a Conductor, *plus* the half staff of that grade, from the date of his return to that of rejoining his appointment.

From Colonel W. T. CHITTY, Controller of Military Accounts, Bengal, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department; dated Calcutta, 9th February 1883, No. 22153.

I have the honor to request that I may be informed, with reference to Article 1034, Pay Code, Vol. I, whether an officer under the furlough rules of 1875, transferred or promoted to a better paid appointment while absent on furlough, should be allowed half of the staff salary attached thereto from the date on which he is transferred or promoted, and whether furlough pay should be continued to all officers, whether employed regimentally or in departments from the date of their return to India to that on which they take up the duties of their appointments, provided it is not less than the pay and allowances of their rank.

2. Officers under the furlough rules of 1868, transferred or promoted to other offices during their absence on furlough, are restricted to the furlough pay to which they were entitled when they proceeded on furlough which is continued to them after their return to India

Article 1005, Pay Code, Vol. I.

until they join their appointments, provided it is not less than the military pay or pay and allowances of their rank. In the case, however, of officers promoted to higher grades in their departments while absent on furlough, the pay

Addition to Article 1005, Pay Code, Vol. I, Military Department letter, No. 131-B., of the 28th Jan. 1881.

and Indian allowances of their rank, *plus* the half staff salary they were in receipt of when they quitted India, is admitted to them from the date of debarkation to that on which they take up the duties of their appointments.

From Colonel W. T. CHITTY, Controller of Military Accounts, Bengal, to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department; dated Calcutta, 27th March 1883, No. 25163.

In reply to Military Department letter, No. 178-B. (*Pay and Allowances*), dated the 9th March 1883, I have the honor to state that the case which gave rise to the reference made in this office letter, No. 22153, dated 9th February 1883, was that of Conductor J. Horton Bennett employed in the Arsenal, Fort William, who was promoted to Conductor whilst absent on furlough in England under the rules of 1875. From the date of his promotion he received furlough pay from the India Office at 50 per cent. of the warrant pay and allowances and staff salary of Conductor. The same rate of furlough pay was passed to him in this country from the date up to which he was paid in England to that on which he disembarked at Bombay; from the latter date, however, to that on which he resumed his duties he has been restricted, pending receipt of the orders of Government, to the pay and allowances of Conductor, viz., Rs. 100 per mensem, plus half the warrant staff pay of Sub-Conductor.

No. 267-B.

Copy of the above, and of the letters to which it is a reply, forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council.

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(By Order.)

(Signed) E. COLLEN, Captain,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
3rd May 1883.

No. 204.

ORDER THEREON, 14th May 1883, No. 2744.

Communicated for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and departments concerned.

(True Extract.)

For Secretary to Government,
Mily. Dept.

To the Adjutant-General.

- " Quartermaster-General.
- " Commissary-General.
- " Inspector-General of Ordnance.
- " Superintendent, Army Clothing.
- " Public Works Department.
- " Controller of Military Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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