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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

No. 170.

READ—the following paper:—

Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort St. George, dated India Office, London, 31st January 1883, No. 5 (Financial).

With reference to your letter, dated the 4th February 1882, No. ¹⁰/_{314 W.} (Public

Letter from, dated 21st September 1882.
" to, " 17th October "
" from, " 12th January 1883.
" to, " 16th "
" from, " 17th "

Works), I forward, for your information, a copy of correspondence with Mr. F. N. Thorowgood, Superintendent of the Madras Harbour Works, relative to an extension of his leave and his return to duty.

ENCLOSURES.

From F. N. THOROWGOOD, Esq., M. Inst. C.E., Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works, to the Under Secretary of State, India Office, dated 45, Pall Mall, London, S.W., 21st September 1882.

I have the honor very respectfully to ask that my leave of absence from Madras, which will expire in February 3rd, 1883, may be extended to March 3rd, 1883.

2. The Government of Madras are aware that I came home on medical certificate really, although my leave is not classed as sick leave. It is only lately that I have felt perfectly restored in vigour, and I therefore venture to apply for a month's extension of leave.

3. I would remark that my absence from Madras from February 3rd to March 3rd cannot seriously affect the interests of the Madras Harbour; I therefore venture to hope that my application may receive favorable consideration.

From Sir LOUIS MALLETT, C.B., Under Secretary of State, India Office, to F. N. THOROWGOOD, Esq., dated India Office, 17th October 1883, F. No. 3043.

I am directed by the Secretary of State for India in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st ultimo, and to acquaint you in reply that your application for an extension for one month of your special furlough has been acceded to.

From F. N. THOROWGOOD, Esq., M. Inst. C.E., Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works, to the Under Secretary of State, India Office, dated 29, Pelham Place, London, S.W., 12th January 1883.

I have the honor to state that I propose returning to Madras by steamer leaving London on the 31st instant, having taken advantage of the one month's extra furlough (special) granted me October 17th, 1882. I now ask that permission may be granted for my return to Madras.

2. I would venture respectfully to remark that, that as some misapprehension at first occurred as to whether I was to draw half pay for the extra month's leave, my case may be so explained that the Madras Government may pass my half pay up to the date of expiry of my leave, viz., March 1st, 1883.

From HENRY WATERFIELD, Esq., Financial Secretary, to F. N. THOROWGOOD, Esq.,
28, Pelham Place, S.W., dated India Office, 16th January 1883, F. No. 235.

I am directed by the Secretary of State for India in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant, and to acquaint you in reply that you have permission to return to your duty, but must so time your departure as to reach India within the period of your leave.

2. I am to add that, should you desire it, the Accountant-General at this Office will now issue your absentee allowance in advance up to the date of the expiration of your leave in India, viz. the 1st March next, together with a last pay certificate.

From F. N. THOROWGOOD, Esq., M. Inst. C.E., Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works, to the Under Secretary of State for India, dated 29, Pelham Place, S.W., 17th January 1883.

I have the honor to acknowledge, with many thanks, letter, F. No. 235, of January 16th, 1883, from the Financial Secretary.

I shall be very glad to take advantage of the offer to draw my absentee pay up to March 1st before leaving England.

With reference to the date of my arrival in Madras, I cannot avoid being three or four days late, as I sail on January 31st. I would respectfully call attention to the fact that I have to attend the Committee (by Sir John Hawkshaw's request) now sitting to consider the Madras Harbour question on the 19th instant, and that I sail by next P. and O. Steamer direct to Madras after that date. I have on many occasions attended at Mr. Parkes' office to discuss matters of the Madras Harbour, and on two occasions already have attended the Committee at Sir John Hawkshaw's request. I beg, therefore, that these points may be taken into favorable consideration if it be found that I do not arrive in Madras until three or four days after the 1st March. I did not fix on January 31st as the date of my departure without having previously learnt from Mr. Parkes that it would be absolutely desirable that I should stay here as long as possible in the interests of the Harbour Works.

I do not ask to be paid for the few days I may be obliged to exceed my leave. But as in 1876 when I was appointed I was permitted to draw pay a week before sailing in consideration of work done in Mr. Parkes' office, so now I earnestly hope that the Madras Government may be informed that the reason of my exceeding my leave is really in the interests of the work to which I have been specially appointed.

No. 171.

ORDER—dated 27th February 1883, No. 621 W., Public Works.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.
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GENERAL.
ESTABLISHMENT.

Govt. of (1883) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated February, 27th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 27th Feb. 1883, No. 621 W.

FEBRUARY.

Nos. 170-171.

Mr. F. N. Thorowgood

*Regarding the extension of leave granted to
—, Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works,
and his return to duty.*

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 No 1663
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31st Jan 1883

The
 Secy to Govt of Madras
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No 621 Wd 27th Feb 1883

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Supt. M. H. Walker

E. M. A. G. S.

Supdt 2/2/83

To No 64. 17. 9. 1. 12
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Letter from dated 21. Sept. /82
 to --- 17. Oct. ---
 from --- 12. Jan. 1883.
 to --- 16. ---
 from --- 17. ---

India Office,
 London. 31st January 1883.

Sir,

With reference to
 your letter dated the 4th
 of February 1882, No. 314 W.
 (Public Works), I forward,
 for your information, a
 copy of correspondence
 with Mr. F. N. Thoroughgood,
 Superintendent of the
 Madras Harbour Works,
 relative to an extension
 of his leave, and his
 return to duty.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient
 humble servant
 Kimberley

His Excellency
 The Right Honorable
 The Governor in Council,
 Fort S^t George.

Exo

September 21st 1882.

C/o Henry S. King & Co.

45 Pall Mall

London. S. W.

Madras Harbour Works.

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to ask that my leave of absence
from Madras which will expire
in February 3rd 1883, may be
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leave is not closed as sick
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The Under Secretary,
of State India Office

entirely

extension of leave.

3. I would remark that my absence from Madras from February 3rd to March 3rd — cannot seriously affect the interests of the Madras Harbour. I therefore venture to hope that my application may receive favourable consideration.

I have &c.

F. N. Thoroughgood

On Inst. C. &c.

Superintendent

Madras Harbor Works.

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India Office

17th October 1883.

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I am &c.

(S.) Louis Mallett

F. N. Thoroughgood Esq.

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29 Pelham Place
London. S. W.
January 12th 1883.

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Madras by steamer leaving
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as to whether I was to draw
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explained that the Madras

The Under Secretary

of State, India Office

Gov^t

for: may pay my half pay
up to the date of expiry of
my leave, viz March 1st 1883.

Yours,

15th / F. N. Thoroughgood.
Sub. Indian Harbour
Works.

F. 235.

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India Office.
15th January 1883

Sir.

I am directed by the Secretary
of State for India in Council to
acknowledge the receipt of your
letter of the 12th instant, and to
acquaint you in reply that you
have permission to return to your
duty, but must so time your
departure as to reach India
within the period of your leave.

I am to add that should
you desire it, the Accountant
General at this Office will
now issue your absentee allowance
in advance up to the date
of the expiration of your leave
in India, viz the 1st March.

F. N. Thoroughgood Esq.
29 Belknap Place.
S. W.

rest

next together with a lost pay
certificate.

I am &c.

15th / Henry Waterfield
Financial Sec

29 Pelham Place L.W.
January 17th - 1873.

Madras Harbour Works. 8
Reply to Letter F 235 Jan 16 1873

Sir.

I have the honor to acknowledge
with many thanks Letter F. 235
of January 16th '73 from the
Financial Secretary.

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take advantage of the offer
to draw my absentee pay up
to March 1st before leaving
England.

With reference to the date of
my arrival in Madras I cannot
avoid being 3 or 4 days late, as
I sail on January 31st. I would
respectfully call attention to
the fact that I have to
attend the Committee (By Sir
Under Secretary
of State for India

John.

John Hawkshaw's request now -
setting to consider the Hudson
Harbour question on the 19th
instant, and that I sail by
next P. & O. steamer direct -
to Quebec after that date.
I have on many occasions -
attended at Mr. Parkes' office
to discuss matters of the Hudson
Harbour, and on 2 occasions
already have attended the
Committee at Sir John Hawkshaw's
request. I beg therefore that
these points might be taken into
favourable consideration if it
be found that I do not arrive
in Quebec until 3 or 4 days
after the 1st March. I did not
fix on Jan 31st as the date of
my departure without having
previously learnt from Mr. Parkes
that it would be absolutely
desirable that I should stay

here

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interests of the Harbour works.

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for the few days I may be
obliged to exceed my leave. But
as in 1876 when I was appointed
I was permitted to draw pay
a week before sailing in
consideration of work done in
Mr. Parkes' office, so now I
earnestly hope that the
Quebec Government may be
informed that the reason of
my exceeding my leave is -
wholly in the interests of the
work to which I have been
specially appointed.

I have &c.

(S^g) J. A. Thoroughgood

Sup. M. H. Works

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No. 11.

Copy Correspondence with
Mr. F. N. Thoroughgood.

1883

Refer to in Financial Letter
Madras, No. 5, dated 31st Jan 1883

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from dated 21. Sept. 82
to 17. Oct. --
from 12. Jan. 1883
to 16. --
from 17. --

India Office

London. 31st January 1883.

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Sir

With reference to
your letter dated the 4th
of February 1882 No. 514/11.
(Public Works) I forward
for your information a
copy of correspondence
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Superintendent of the
Madras Harbour Works
relative to an extension
of his leave and his
return to duty.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient
humble servant

(s.d.) Kimberley

His Excellency

The Right Honorable

The Governor in Council,

Fort St. George.

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Financial

31st Jan 1883

Copy
Letter to Lord St George

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PUBLIC WORKS.

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27 Feb 1883 Rs. 621. 11

Nos. 170-171.

Mr. F. A. Thoroughgood

Regarding the extension

of leave granted to
Capt. Madras Nankar
his return to duty

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