

ARMY CIRCULARS. INDIA. 1885.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
MILITARY DEPARTMENT;
Fort William, the 28th February, 1885.

THE following Regulations and Instructions are
promulgated by direction of the Right Honourable the
Governor General in Council.

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N.B.—An asterisk affixed to a clause indicates that it is applicable to the Bengal presidency only. A clause without an asterisk applies to the three presidencies.

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Compensation in lieu of clothing—contd.

Services.	Articles.	MONTHLY RATE.						REMARKS.
		Staff Sergeants.		Sergeants.		Rank and file.		
ROYAL ARTILLERY, MOUNTED MEN.	Tunic	s. 4	d. 3	s. 2	d. 11	s. 1	d. 8	
	Serge frock	3	6	1	8	0	8½	
	Riding pantaloons, pair of	1	10½	1	10½	1	5	
	Trousers, cloth*	0	6½	0	6½	0	5½	
	Boots, Wellington*	0	7½	0	7½	0	7½	
	Knee-Boots*	0	10	0	10	0	10	
ROYAL ARTILLERY, DISMOUNTED MEN.	Gloves	0	2	0	2	0	2	
	Tunic	s. 4	d. 3	s. 2	d. 11	s. 1	d. 8	
	Serge frock	3	6	1	8	0	8½	
	Trousers, cloth† pair of	1	1½	1	1½	0	11	
	Boots, Wellington* „	0	7½	0	7½	0	7½	
	Boots, ankle „	0	10½	0	10½	0	10½	Annual issue to dismounted men, but in the second year two pairs are given for which compensation is admissible at 10s. 6d. per pair.
ROYAL ARTILLERY, MOUNTAIN BATTERIES.	Norfolk coat, cloth	Rs. 1	As. 9	Rs. 1	As. 9	Rs. 0	As. 15	The cloth and serge clothing is issued in alternate years, with compensation in the year of serge issue for difference between the value of cloth and serge clothing.
	Norfolk coat, serge	1	0	1	0	0	10	
	Knickerbockers, cloth	0	13	0	13	0	13	
	Knickerbockers, serge	0	8	0	8	0	8	
	Gaiters	0	5	0	5	0	5	
	Boots, ankle	s. 1	d. 9	s. 1	d. 9	s. 1	d. 9	Two pairs annually.
INFANTRY OF THE LINE (EXCEPT HIGHLAND REGIMENTS).	Tunic	3	10	1	8	1	2	The tunic is issued in the first year, and the serge frock in the second year, with compensation for difference between their values.
	Serge frock	1	11	0	10½	0	8½	
	Trousers, cloth, pair of	1	3	0	11½	0	7½	In the first year, a pair of cloth trousers and half compensation for a pair of biennial serge trousers is issued. In the second year, a pair of serge trousers with difference in value between cloth and serge trousers, and the remaining half compensation for the biennial pair of serge trousers is issued.
	Trousers, tartan or serge† pair of	1	2	0	6	0	6	
	Boots, ankle „	1	9	1	9	1	9	Two pairs annually.

* Issued biennially.

† When a biennial issue, one-half of these rates will be allowed.

Appendix to Clause 20—concluded.

Compensation in lieu of clothing—concl.

Services.	Articles.	MONTHLY RATE.						REMARKS.
		Staff Sergeants.		Sergeants.		Rank and file.		
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	
HIGHLAND REGIMENTS WEARING THE KILT OR TREWS.	Coat	4	7	2	0	1	5	See remarks against infantry of the line.
	White jacket	1	9½	0	11	0	5½	
	Sergo frock	2	4½	1	0	0	9½	
	Kilt	2	6½	2	1½	1	5	
	Trews* Pair of	1	10	1	6½	1	2	
	Shoes	1	8	1	8	1	8	Two pairs annually.
	Boots, ankle	1	9	1	9	1	9	Ditto.
	Plaid†	0	5	0	2	0	1½	
ROYAL ENGI- NEERS AND BRITISH SAPPERS AND MINERS.	Gaiters Pair of	0	2½	0	2½	0	2½	
	Tunic	5	4	3	4	1	6	
	Trousers, tweed Pair of	2	7	1	10	1	8	Two pairs annually.
	Boots	1	9	1	9	1	9	Two pairs annually.
	Serge frock	2	3	1	10	0	9	

* When a biennial issue, one-half of these rates will be allowed.

† Triennial issue.

SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAY VOLR RIFLE CORPS.

No. 156

HEAD QUARTERS,

Negapatam, 9th July 1885.

From

LIEUT. COL. C. E. CRIGHTON,

COMMANDANT, S. I. RY. VOLR. RIFLE CORPS,

To

THE Secretary to Government
Military Department
Cotacaima

SIR,

I have the honor to inform you
that Sergeant Instructor J. Watt
attached to the Head Quarter Company
Negapatam has been unable to
obtain quarters for himself, wife and
family at the rental allowed by
Government viz Rs 15/-.

After great difficulty he has
obtained very inferior accommoda-
tion at a rental of Rs 18/- per month which
is 3 Rs over and above the sanctioned
allowance.

The Executive Engineer of the
Negapatam Division having called upon
me to know if Government sanction
has been obtained for the disbursement
of the extra amount of rent, I do
the honor to request that you

accord their sanction
be paid. to the same

have the honor to be

Srs

Your Most Obedt. Servt

Charles E. Brighton Col

Commandant S. S. Regt. 1st Regt. Corps

M. D. 9c.

HEADING.

REQUESTED TO BE
RETURNED WITH REPLY.

C. M. A. Form 8.

No. 3799

Government of Madras.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

13 July

1885-

To



OF MILY. ACCTS.,
MADRAS.

FORWARDED for favor of report.

(By Order.)

A. Kenney-Herbert

Lieut.-Col.,

Offg. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

N.B.—Reply may be endorsed on this docket

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O/B.

Cotacamund
Fort St. George,

27 July

1885.

From

Colonel Chas. Carter,

Controller of Military Accounts,

Madras,

To

Lieut.-Colonel A. Kenney-Herbert,

Offg. Secretary to Government,

Military Department,

Cotacamund.

Sir,

N^o 156 of 9th July 1885 requesting In returning letter from the
that Serjeant Instructor Watt commandant South Indian
attached to the Head Quarters Railway Volunteer Rifles, referred
South Indian Railway Volunteer under your docket N^o 3799
Rifle Corps at Negapatam may of 13th instant, I have the
be allowed Quarters at Rs. 15/- honor to state that a 1st
per mensem.

class Serjeant Instructor of Volunteers
Clause 23 I. A. C of July is entitled to public Quarters or com-
pensation in lieu payable by the
Public Works Department, at the
of Rupees 15/- per mensem. Except
in the case of Corps specially situated
when Rupees 20/- per mensem is allowed.
Any extra cost incurred by the provision
of quarters of a better description
than

Para 1463

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not Note C.

No 2318/17.8.83.

REQUESTED TO BE
RETURNED WITH REPLY



No 4123

Referred to the
Public Works Department
in view to hired quarters
being provided

Under clause 23
India Army General 1885
the extra cost of quarters
of a better description than
those to which instructions are
entitled provided by the Corps
must be defrayed from
Regimental funds.

(Signed)

Atkinson, Hon. Col.

Off. Secy. to Govt.
29 July 85

Copy forwarded to the Commandant
at Secy. to Govt. By Vol. P. H. Secy.
Communicated to the
S. E. VI circle for necessary
action.

S. E. VI circle
24.8.85
29.7.85

Military (1885) Department.

From

The Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St. George.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

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Dated 27 July 1885.

Received

Enclosures.

Returns with a post
letter from the Comd. S. I. R.
Volunteer Rifle Corps requesting
sanction to disburse Rs 3
a month in excess of the
amount of house rent
allowed for Sergeant Postmaster
Wat.