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18TH APRIL 1885, No. 923 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following papers :—

From the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, dated 3rd March 1885, No. 2745 K.S.
Endorsement of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated 16th March 1885, No. 891 S.E.
Office note from „ „ „ 1st April „ No. 3.

ORDER—dated 18th April 1885, No. 923 W., Public Works.

Questions having arisen as to the sanctioned scale of office establishments to be allowed for the Assistant Engineers and upper subordinates attached to each circle, it is desirable that a working scale should be fixed which will not be liable to the temporary fluctuations due to casualties and transfers among the executive staff.

2. Superintending Engineers are accordingly requested to submit, for consideration, a scale of establishment for each division, based on existing sanction for—

(*a*) Sub-divisional officers.
(*b*) Detached officers above the rank of overseer.
(*c*) Overseers.

3. The authorised scale under each of these heads is as follows :—

		RS.
(*a*)	1 Clerk, IV class, 3rd grade	20—30
	1 Messenger	6
(*b*)	1 Clerk, IV class, 3rd grade	20—30
	1 Lascar	6
(*c*)	1 Clerk, V class, 1st grade	15—20
	1 Lascar	6

4. The special rates of pay allowed to the sub-divisional establishments of the Nílgiri division should be provided for.

5. When the scale of establishment for each division has been fixed, all appointments will be counted against duly sanctioned posts.

(True Extract.)

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

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. Fernandez.
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Govt. of (1885) Madras

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated April, 18th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 18th April 1885, No. 923 W.

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Office Establishments

Superintending Engineers to submit a scale of — for each division.

Copy of letter from the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle to the Examiner Public Works Accounts Madras No. 1483 K.S. dated 29th August 1884.

In returning herewith Disallowance List No. 38 of 1884-85 together with Disallowance List No. 484 of 1882-83, the former relating to the Salary Bill of Gudivada Division for 1883-84, I have the honor to point out, that the men whom you want to be entered as "temporary" are part of the permanent establishment.

2. When the Eastern Division was split up under G.O. No. 972 I dated 2nd December 1882, and the Gudivada Division was formed, a part of the permanent establishment heretofore employed in the Eastern Division was transferred to Gudivada.

3. Among those thus transferred, were the 3 Writers and 3 Lascars referred to in the Disallowance List.

4. The fact that these men were transferred from a permanent to a temporary Division did not make their appointments temporary.

5. You may have, as stated, considered them temporary, in your office, but they still form part of the Establishment originally sanctioned for the Eastern Division, and

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and on the abolition of the Gudivada temporary Division, would as before be attached to the Eastern Division.

6. I do not think that any sanction of Government for their continued entertainment in the Gudivada Division is required.

7. The matter seems to have been misunderstood in your office. I trust I have now made it clear.

(True Copy)

G.E. Patton

Supdt. Correspondence Branch.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM THE EXAMINER P.W.ACCOUNTS, MADRAS TO THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER 2ND. CIRCLE, NO. 195 S.E.2ND DATED 16TH. SEPTEMBER 1884.

WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR LETTER NO. 1483.K.S. DATED 29TH. AUGUST 1884, I HAVE THE HONOR TO STATE THAT THE MEN TRANSFERRED TO THE GUDIVADA DIVISION CAN RETAIN A LIEN ONLY ON SOME ACTUAL EXISTING APPOINTMENTS ON THE PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT AS, OTHERWISE, TWO OFFICERS WOULD BE SIMULTANEOUSLY CONTINUING SERVICE FOR PENSION IN ONE OFFICE WHICH IS OPPOSED TO THE RULING CONTAINED IN SECTION 59 OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE. I HAVE THEREFORE TO REQUEST THAT THE APPOINTMENTS ON WHICH THEY ARE CONSIDERED AS RETAINING A LIEN MAY NOW BE SPECIFIED. SHOULD THERE EXIST NO APPOINTMENTS FOR THE MEN TO HAVE A LIEN THEIR CASES SHOULD BE DECIDED AGREEABLY TO G.O. NO. 1033 DATED 23RD. APRIL 1884 ISSUED ON BEHALF OF CERTAIN LASCARS SIMILARLY CIRCUMSTANCED.

(TRUE COPY)

G.E. Patton

SUPDT. CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER 2ND. CIRCLE TO THE EXAMINER P.W.ACCOUNTS, MADRAS. NO.1763.K.S. DATED 7TH.OCTOBER 1884.

I REGRET TO FIND FROM YOUR LETTER NO.195 OF THE 16TH.ULTIMO, THAT THE MATTER OF THE 3 WRITERS AND 3 LASCARS, SINGLED OUT IN YOUR OFFICE AMONG ALL THE ESTABLISHMENT TRANSFERRED FROM THE KISTNA EASTERN TO THE GUDIVADA DIVISION IS STILL MISUNDERSTOOD.

2. NO SUBSTITUTES FOR THE MEN THUS TRANSFERRED ARE EMPLOYED IN THE KISTNA EASTERN DIVISION, AND THERE ARE NOT TWO OFFICERS SIMULTANEOUSLY SERVING FOR PENSION IN ONE OFFICE.

3. THE ONLY EXTRA MEN EMPLOYED WHEN THE GUDIVADA DIVISION WAS CONSTITUTED ARE THOSE SANCTIONED IN P.W.G. NO.972.I OF THE 2ND.DECEMBER 1882, BUT THE MEN (SUB-ENGINEER, OVERSEERS AND THEIR CLERKS, DELTA SUPERINTENDENT, LASCARS, NAVIGATION ESTABLISHMENT) FORMERLY SERVING IN THE TRACT WHICH IN JANUARY 1883 BECAME THE GUDIVADA DIVISION, WERE TRANSFERRED FROM THE KISTNA EASTERN TO THE GUDIVADA DIVISION AND THE EASTERN DIVISION ESTABLISHMENT WAS PRO-TANTO REDUCED- A FACT WHICH CAN BE ASCERTAINED FROM YOUR AUDIT BOOKS.

4. THE G.O.WHICH YOU QUOTE NO.1033 OF THE 23RD. APRIL 1884 HAS NOT BEEN COMMUNICATED TO THIS OFFICE.

(TRUE COPY)

SUPTT. CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH.

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What rates are reqnd

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Please see f.o. 923. W.B.
1/4/86. The scales Subd.
by S.Go. have been boiled
down into one statement for
the Presy. The proposals
involve a permanent
increase of Rs. 614-0-4
per mensem. Please

Note whether you approve the scale as it now stands. In view of present Finl. condns, reductns &c. I think the Govt. should pause before according sanction to a scale involving an increase of Rs: 7,380 per annum. But on the other hand as long as Overseers are sanctd the office estts are a sine qua non [illegible]

I'd suggest that the Engineers be consulted on the subject
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COPY OF LETTER FROM THE EXAMINER P.W.ACCOUNTS.MADRAS TO THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER 2ND.CIRCLE, NO.241 S.E.2ND. DATED 6TH.NOVEMBER 1884.

WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR LETTER NO.1763.K.S.DATED THE 7TH.OCTOBER 1884, I HAVE, THE HONOR TO FORWARD HEREWITH COPY OF G.O.NO.1033.W.DATED 23RD.APRIL 1884 WHICH ISSUED IN THE SIMILAR CASE OF CERTAIN MESSENGERS AND LASCARS ATTACHED TO THE LATE GODAVARI CENTRAL SUB-DIVISION, NOW GODAVARI CENTRAL DIVISION.

2. TO ENABLE THE CLERKS AND LASCARS REFERRED TO IN YOUR LETTER UNDER REPLY, TO COUNT THEIR SERVICES FOR PENSION, THEY MUST RETAIN A LIEN ON SOME DEFINITE PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS WHILE DETACHED FOR TEMPORARY DUTY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 75 OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE.

(TRUE COPY)

G. E. Batten

SUPTT. CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER 2ND.CIRCLE, TO THE EXAMINER P. W. ACCOUNTS MADRAS, NO.2151 K.S DATED 20TH.NOVEMBER 1884.

WITH REFERENCE TO PARA 2 OF YOUR LETTER NO.241 S.E.II OF THE 6TH.INSTANT, INFORMING ME THAT THE 3 PERMANENT CLERKS, 5TH.CLASS 1ST.GRADE, AND THE 3 PERMANENT LASCARS DETACHED FOR DUTY IN THE GUDIVADA TEMPORARY DIVISION MUST RETAIN A LIEN ON SOME DEFINITE PERMANENT APPOINTMENT TO ENABLE THEM TO COUNT THEIR SERVICES FOR PENSION, I HAVE THE HONOR TO INFORM YOU, THAT THESE INDIVIDUALS HAVE A LIEN ON THEIR PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS IN THE CIRCLE, UNDER THE TERMS OF G.O. NO.1033 W.OF THE 23RD.APRIL 1884 COMMUNICATED TO ME, WITH YOUR LETTER QUOTED AT HEAD.

2. THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CASE ARE AS FOLLOWS;-

NO.OF UPPER SUBORDINATES OF THE PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT SANCTIONED FOR THE CIRCLE IN G.O. NO.780 W. OF THE 22ND.MARCH 1884....................	26
____DO.________DO.______OF THE TEMPORARY ESTABLISHMENT SANCTIONED FOR THE GUDIVADA (TEMPORARY) DIVISION, VIDE CHIEF ENGINEER'S PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT MEMO NO.289 C. OF 29TH.JANUARY 1883....................	3
TOTAL...	29

EACH OF THESE UPPER SUBORDINATES IS ENTITLED TO A CLERK 5TH.CLASS 1ST.GRADE AND A LASCAR.

NO. OF CLERKS OF THE CLASS REFERRED TO NOW IN THE CIRCLE AS DETAILED BELOW ARE:-

PERMANENT....................	22
TEMPORARY....................	2
TOTAL...	24

	PERMANENT	TEMPORARY
KISTNA EASTERN DIVISION..........	4	1
KISTNA WESTERN DIVISION..........	5	0
GUDIVADA DIVISION..........	3	0
NELLORE DIVISION..........	5	1
SUNGUM PROJECT DIVISION..........	5	
	22	2

NO. OF APPOINTMENTS YET TO BE MADE.

PERMANENT..4
TEMPORARY..1
5

THESE POSTS ARE NOT YET FILLED UP, AS THE UPPER SUBORDINATES FOR WHOM THE CLERKS ARE INTENDED, ARE ON OTHER DUTIES AS FOLLOWS:-

1 IN THE KISTNA EASTERN DIVISION IN CHARGE OF BEZWADA WORKSHOPS.

2 IN THE NELLORE DIVISION IN CHARGE OF THE TWO SUB-DIVISIONS.

3 IN THE SANGAM PROJECT DIVISION BEING SUB-ENGINEERS, HAVE UNDER THEM CLERKS 4TH.CLASS 3RD.GRADE OF THE PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT DULY BUDGETTED FOR.

3. WITH REMARKS TO LASCARS, THE UPPER SUBORDINATE IN CHARGE OF BEZWADA WORKSHOPS AND THE TWO IN CHARGE OF SUB-DIVISIONS IN THE NELLORE DIVISION, THE FORMER HAS NO LASCAR, AND THE LATTER HAVE THE LASCARS OF THE SUB-DIVISION WORKING UNDER THEM.

4. UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES, I AM OF OPINION THAT NO ACTION NEED BE TAKEN REGARDING THE CLERKS AND LASCARS OF THE GUDIVADA DIVISION UNDER REFERENCE IN VIEW of THEIR SERVICES COUNTING TOWARDS PENSION, AS THEY HAVE PERMANENT POSTS TO WHICH THEY CAN REVERT ON THE ABOLITION OF THIS TEMPORARY DIVISION, UNDER THE TERMS OF SECTION 71 OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE.

(TRUE COPY.)

G. E. Patton
SUPT. CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH.

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COPY OF LETTER FROM THE EXAMINER P. W. ACCOUNTS MADRAS, TO THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER 2ND. CIRCLE. No. 286 S.E.II DATED 17TH.DECEMBER 1884.

I HAVE THE HONOR TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE RECEIPT OF YOUR LETTER NO.3151 K.S DATED THE 30TH.NOVEMBER 1884 AND WITH REFERENCE THERETO, TO POINT OUT THAT THE SANCTIONED SCALE OF CLERKS ETC. ADMISSIBLE FOR A DIVISION OR FOR A CIRCLE SHOULD BE DETERMINED WITH REFERENCE TO THE ACTUAL NUMBER OF UPPER SUBORDINATES EMPLOYED IN THE DIVISION OR CIRCLE, AS THE SUBORDINATES TRANSFERRED TO OTHER DIVISIONS IN CIRCLES ARE PROVIDED IN THEIR DIVISIONS WITH THE NECESSARY ESTABLISHMENT TO WHICH EACH IS ENTITLED. CALCULATING THEREFORE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF CLERKS ADMISSIBLE FOR THE ENTIRE CIRCLE ON THE ABOVE PRINCIPLE, THERE ARE APPARENTLY NO APPOINTMENTS AGAINST WHICH THE THREE CLERKS AND LASCARS WHO HAVE FORMED THE SUBJECT OF THE PRESENT CORRESPONDENCE, COULD BE ALLOWED TO RETAIN A LIEN UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 71 OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE. I SHALL THEREFORE FEEL OBLIGED IF YOU WILL BEAR THE CASES OF THESE MEN IN MIND AND APPOINT THEM TO PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS AS THEY OCCUR, AND THEN CONSIDER THEM DETACHED FOR TEMPORARY DUTY.

(TRUE COPY.)

G. E. Patton
SUPT. CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH.

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No. 2589 R.S.

Supg: Engineer's Office
2d Circle, Masulipatam
10th February 1885.

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From
The Superintending Engineer
2d. Circle,

To
The Examiner P. W. Accounts,
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 286. S.E. 2d. of 17th December last, I have the honor to inform you that the 3 Lascars of the Petty Establishment have been provided with permanent posts in filling up the 6 Lascars' places sanctioned in G.O. No. 103 W of 13th January 1885 for Tinjaram Lock on the Polraz Canal in the Gudivada Division

2. With regard to the 3 Overseer's writers referred to in the correspondence, I request you will be good enough to furnish me with further information as to how you came to the conclusion that they are in addition to the sanctioned number admissible for the entire Circle.

3. The number of permanent Upper Subordinates for the whole Circle sanctioned in G.O. No. 780 W of 23d March 1884, as already stated in my No. 3151 R.S. of 20th November last is ____ 26.

do ___ do ___ Temporary sanctioned for the Gudivada Division in Chief Engineer's P. W. Department's memo No. 209 C of 29th January 1883 is ____ 3

Total - 29.

of

4. Of the 29, the following 4 permanent Upper Subordinates have been provided for with Clerks 4th Class 3rd Grade -

2 in the Nellore Division

2 in the Sangam Project Division

and the permanent Upper Subordinate in charge of Bezwada Workshops has the Workshop writers, under him. The total number of Overseer's writers of the 5th Class 1st Grade that are admissible for the entire Circle is therefore (29-5) 24, i.e. 21 permanent and 3 temporary.

5. The existing number of Overseers writers is 22 as follows:-

	Permanent	Tempy.	Total
Kistna Eastern	4	1	
Gudivada	3	"	
Kistna Western	5	"	
Nellore	5	"	
Sangam Project	4	1	
	21	2	23.

From the above it will be seen, that there is yet one Clerk's place vacant on the Temporary Establishment.

6. I request to be informed, if you concur with me in the above calculations, and if not, please let me know wherein we differ. As I wish to have this matter decided authoritatively before finding places for the 3 overseer's writers as desired by you,

I.

I request an early reply to this reference. The number of permanent Overseer's clerks for the Circle once decided, it is left to me to distribute them to the several Divisions according to requirements, and apply if necessary, for such temporary men as may be required from time to time in addition to the number of permanent writers allotted to each Division.

I have &c.

(Sd) L.W. Rundall.

Supg: Engr: 2nd Circle

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COPY OF LETTER FROM THE EXAMINER P. W. ACCOUNTS MADRAS, TO THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER 2ND. CIRCLE. NO.317 S.E.II DATED 23RD. FEBRUARY 1885.

WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR LETTER NO.2589 K.S DATED THE 10TH. INSTANT, I HAVE THE HONOR TO STATE THAT THE SANCTIONED SCALE OF CLERKS FOR DETACHED OFFICERS AND OVERSEERS FOR ANY CIRCLE IS REGULATED WITH REFERENCE TO THE NUMBER OF UPPER SUBORDINATES ACTUALLY EMPLOYED ON THE PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT AND NOT WITH REFERENCE TO THE NUMBER SANCTIONED IN G.O. NO.780 W. OF 22ND. MARCH 1884. APPLYING THE PRINCIPLE TO THE SECOND CIRCLE, THE SANCTIONED SCALE OF DETACHED OFFICERS' CLERKS AND OVERSEERS' WRITERS IS 20 AGAINST THE SAME NUMBER OF UPPER SUBORDINATES ON THE PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT EMPLOYED IN DIFFERENT EXECUTIVE DIVISIONS, WHILE THE EXISTING NUMBER IS 21 OR ONE IN EXCESS OF SANCTIONED SCALE, DUE APPARENTLY TO THE DEATH OF RAMABRAHMAN SASTRI LATE OVERSEER.

2. FROM THE ABOVE YOU WILL OBSERVE THAT THERE ARE NO VACANCIES ON THE PERMANENT SANCTIONED ESTABLISHMENT OF THE 2ND. CIRCLE AGAINST WHICH THE THREE CLERKS UNDER REFERENCE CAN BE APPOINTED.

(TRUE COPY.)

G.E. Patton

SUPT. CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH.

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Copy of letter from the Examiner P. W. Accounts, Madras, to the Superintending Engineer 2nd. Circle, No. 340 SE2nd dated 16th March 1885.

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With reference to your letter No. ~~2476~~K. S. of the 3rd. Instant, I have the honor to state that Government in G. O. No. 1729 dated 14th. July 1881 have sanctioned the entertainment of one clerk IV. Class 3rd. Grade, and one lascar on Rs. 6 per mensem under each detached Officer above the rank of Overseer, who is not placed in charge of any recognized Sub Division, and a clerk V. Class 2nd. Grade and one lascar on Rs. 6 per mensem under each Overseer. The term sanctioned permanent appointments as used in G. O. No. 1033 W. dated 23rd. April 1884 should therefore be taken to mean the appointments allowable based on the above calculation, and not on the strength of Asstt. Engineers and Upper Subordinates sanctioned for each Circle in G. O. No. 780 W. dated 22nd. March 1884.

2. In para 1 of my letter No. 317 S. E. 2nd. dated the 23rd. February 1885, it was stated that while the existing number of clerks is in excess of sanctioned scale calculated on the above principle by one who should be absorbed on the occurrence of a vacancy, there were no appointments against which the 3 clerks under reference could be allowed to retain a lien under the provisions of Section 75 of the Civil Pension Code.

3. Your letter to the Chief Engineer will be forwarded to that Officer for disposal with necessary

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remarks.

(True Copy)

G.E.Salter
Suptt. Correspondence Branch.

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No. 2745 Kl

Superintending Engineer's office.
2nd circle, Masulipatam
3rd March 1885.

From,

The Superintending Engineer, 923/13
2nd circle.

To

The Chief Engineer,
Public Works Department.
Through the Examiner,
P.W. Accounts.

Sir,

I have the honor to bring to your notice, that the existing number of Overseers' writers in this circle (excluding the Buckingham canal Division recently transferred) is 23. 21 on the Permanent Establishment, and 2 Temporary; and the number of upper subordinates sanctioned for the circle is 26 permanent and 3 Temporary as already stated in Para 3 of this office letter No. 372 G.L. of the 10th February last forwarding for sanction of Government statement of Temporary Establishment required for 1885-86.

2. The former, the Examiner makes out in his letter No. 317 S.E. 2nd of the 23rd February 1885, is 1 in excess of sanctioned scale, and states "that the sanctioned scale of clerks for detached officers and overseers for any circle is regulated with reference to the number of

upper subordinates actually employed on the permanent Establishment, and not with reference to the number sanctioned in G.O. No. 780 W of the 22nd March 1884."

3. I contend that the Examiner is not correct in calculating the number of permanent clerks on the above principle. As I already brought to your notice in my letter referred to in Para 1, that the number of upper-subordinates of the circle should be based on the sanctioned scale, irrespective of the consideration whether the individuals holding the above appointments belong to the Permanent or Temporary Establishment, I think that the number of clerks and lascars for the circle should be determined on the fixed scale, and not on the existing number of upper subordinates of the permanent Establishment, which is liable to fluctuations. According to the exigencies of the public service, permanent upper subordinates transferred from this to other circles, are being replaced by Temporary men, and this is no reason, why clerks and lascars on the permanent Establishment, that are already serving the permanent upper subordinates, should

not do duty under the temporary upper subordinates sent in the place of permanent men ordered elsewhere. There is also another aspect in which the matter should be considered i.e, the permanent Overseers' writers and lascars drawing small salaries cannot be expected to be transferred to other circles with the men to whom they are nominally attached.

4. It is only with reference to the sanctioned scale, that temporary men required in addition to it, can be applied for, and I therefore request definite orders of Government on the subject.

5. The above reference is due to the Examiner's requisition that the 3 clerks, and 3 Lascars of the permanent Establishment, now employed in the Gudivada Division, must retain a lien on some definite permanent appointments, while detached for Temporary duty under the provisions of Section 75 of the Pension Code, and G.O. No. 1033 W of 23rd April 1884, whereas, there is no necessity for the above, as the men are within the sanctioned scale.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
J. W. Rundall
Superintending Engineer, 2nd circle

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From The Superintending Engin
2nd Circle

To The Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

Thro. The Examiner
P. W. A.
Madra

Dated 3d March 1885
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Clerks and lascars of the permanent Establishment now employed in Gudivada Temporary Division - Informs that the Examin states - that the - must retain a lien on some definite permanent posts, and requests definite orders of Govt. on the Subject.

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Superintending Engineer's office, $\frac{3}{15}$
2nd Circle, Masulipatam
3rd March 1885.

From,

The Superintending Engineer,
2nd Circle

To

Enclosure 1.

The Examiner,
P. W. Accounts.
Madras

Sir,

With reference to Para 1 of your letter No. 317 S.E. 2nd of the 23rd February last, I have the honor to refer you to Para 1 of G.O. No. 1033W of the 23rd April 1884, in which it is ruled that, "the proposal of the Superintending Engineer to treat the messenger and lascars in question as "permanent" irrespective of sanctioned permanent appointments against which they can be counted is inadmissible". Your statement that the sanctioned scale of clerks and Lascars is regulated with reference to the number of upper subordinates actually employed on the permanent Establishment, and not with reference to the number sanctioned, is contrary to the above G.O.

2. In Para 1 you state that only 1 clerk

is in excess, and in para 2 you refer to 3 clerks as having to be provided with permanent posts. Please explain the above.

3. I have, however, referred the matter to Government for definite orders, and the letter is sent herewith for transmission to Government with your opinion.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. W. Rundall

Superintending Engineer,

2nd circle.

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Forwarded to the Chief Engineer P.W. Department for favor of disposal.

2. Copies of Correspondence that passed on the subject between this Office and the Superintending Engineer 2d Circle, are forwarded.

3. The Superintending Engineer contends that the number of detached Officers' and Overseers' Clerks and Lascars should be calculated with reference to the number of Asst Engineers and Upper Subordinates sanctioned for each Circle in G.O. No 780W d/ 22d March 1884 and not with reference to the actual number employed on the permanent establishment in each Circle. G.O. No 780 W d/ 22d March 1884 quoted by the Superintending Engineer merely sanctions a redistribution of Asst Engineers and upper Subordinates among different Circles, not by sudden transfers of Officers and Subordinates between Circles but by gradual introduction as

Supg. Engineer's letter No. 1486 K.S. d/ 29th August 1884.
This office letter to the Supg. Engineer No. 195 S.E. 2d d/ 16th September 1884.
Supg. Engineer's letter No. 1768 K.S. d/ 7th October 1884.
This Office letter to the Supg. Engineer No. 241 S.E. 2d d/ 6th November 1884.
Supg. Engineer's letter No. 2151 K.S. d/ 20th November 1884
This office letter to the Supg. Engineer No. 286 S.E. 2d d/ 17th Decr/84
Supg. Engineer's letter No. 2589 K.S. d/ 10th February 1885
This office letter No. 317 S.E. 2d d/ 23d February 1885 ~~with 1 Enc.~~
~~Supg. Engineer's letter No. [illegible] d/ 30 March 1885 with 1 Enc.~~
This Office letter No. 340 S.E. 2d d/ 16th March 1885.

as opportunities offer. In G.O. No. 1729 W dt 16 July 1881 sanction was accorded to the entertainment of one Clerk IV class 3rd grade, and one Lascar on Rs. 6/- per mensem under each detached Officer above the grade of Overseer and of one Clerk V class 1st grade, and one Lascar on Rs. 6/- per mensem under each Overseer, the sanctioned number of Clerks for these Officers for any Circle will, therefore, have to be regulated with reference to Asst. Engineers and upper Subordinates actually attached to the Circle.

4. With reference to Superintending Engineer's remarks that "permanent Overseers' writers and lascars drawing "small salaries cannot be "expected to be transferred "to other Circles with the men "to whom they are nominally "attached", it is for Government to decide whether under the circumstances, a scale of Establishment for detached Officers and Overseers should not be sanctioned for each Circle and distributed, if possible, by Divisions.

J. C. Carson

Enco. 11. Examiner P.W. Acct. Madras. 29/3

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the

READ the following

From The Supdt Engineer II Circle } (H.E. No: 2745 K.S. dt 3rd March 1885)

Endt. of the Examr. P. W. accounts } (" " 391 S.C. II dt 16th March 1885)

The Government are of opinion that, as the number of Officers and Subordinates in a Circle is liable to frequent alteration, the scale of office establishments should be regulated with reference to the number of sanctioned posts, which, having been fixed under proper authority, the Supdg.

Engineer will be at liberty to fill up, irrespective of temporary fluctuations due to casualties and transfers among the Executive Staff.

The case now brought forward should be dealt with in accordance with this principle.

R.S.

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R. No. 879.
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Chepauk
No. 691 D
19th March/85

To C/. Please say whether an order in these terms will meet the case.

C.S.
19.3.85

M.S.
19.3.85

D.W.

Submitted
8.4.85

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Ey: P.W.D.

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If C's views be accepted, it will, I think, be necessary to call on Supdg: Engrs: to fix the scale of Clerks IV Class, 3rd grade, and V Class 1st grade, with lascars, to be allowed for each Division.

R.S.
6.4.85

Yes – this may be done.

C.S.
7.4.85

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dated 188 .

10.4.85. 17.4.85

No 1729 W. d/ 16.7.81
emo: No 284 C. " 29.1.83
G. O. No 780 W. " 22.3.84
" " 858 W. " 31.3.84
" " 859 W. " 31.3.84
" " 1033 W. " 23.4.84
" " 1054 W. " 13.1.85

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Madras, 1st April 1885.

OFFICE NOTE No. 3

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To

W.

Pres: 13

I do not think so. In G.O. No.780 W. dated 22nd. March 1884 a scale of Asstt. Engineers and Upper Subordinates was laid down by Govt. for each Circle leaving the detailed distribution to Divisions to Supg. Engineers. The scale was fixed on the then sanctioned strength of Asstt. Engineers viz. 47. Since then, this sanction has been modified and the present sanctioned strength of Asstt. Engineers and Upper Subordinate stands at 40 and 185 respectively. In G.O.No.672 W. dated 18th. March 1885 the Govt. of India have been asked to sanction an increase of overseer to the permanent strength of Upper Subordinate Establishment so that the sanctioned scale of Asstt. Engineers and Upper Subordi will be 40 and 186. The scale sancti ed in G.O.No.780 W. dated 22nd. Mar

18.4.85

1884 provides 10 Asstt. Engineers and Upper Subordinates as "Supernumeraries" and gives no distribution of Upper Subordinates by different grades. This distribution is necessary with regard to the Office Establishment to be entertained as according to existing orders, an Overseer is entitled to one clerk V. Class 1st. Grade and one lascar on Rs. 6 per mensem, and a detached Officer above the rank of Overseer is entitled to a clerk IV. Class 3rd. Grade and a lascar on Rs. 6 per mensem.

2. It would be better therefore to sanction a definite scale of clerks IV. Class 3rd. Grade and V. Class 1st. Grade and lascars for each Division on account of Sub Divisional Offices, also of detached Officers and Overseers without reference to the sanctioned No. of Asstt. Engineers and Upper Subordinates, which as stated is liable to fluctuations.

C.

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Read the following:—

Letter from S.E. II Circle	No. 2745. K.S d/ 3rd March/85
Endt. of the Ex: P.W. accts.	" " 891. S.E. d/16th —do—
office note from the —do—	" " 3 d/ 1st April/85

Questions having risen as to the sanctioned scale of office stablishments to be llowed for the assistant Engineers and upper Subordinates attached to each circle, it is desirable that a working should be fix which will not be liab

to the temporary fluc=tuations due to casu=ties and transfers among the Executive staff.

Suptg: Engineers are accordi ly requeste to submit for ~~sanctio~~ consideratio a scale of establishm for each Division, bas on existing sanctions,

(a) Subdivisional off

(b) Detached officers above the rank Overseers*,

(C) Overseers.

The authorised scale under each of these hea

as follows:—

(a)	1. Clerk IV. class 3d grade	Rs 20-30
	1. Messenger	" 6
(b)	1. Clerk IV class 3d grade	" 20-30
	1. Lascar	" 6
(C)	1. Clerk V. class 1st grade	" 15-20
	1. Lascar	" 6

The special rates of pay allowed to the sub=divisional establish=ments of the Nilgiri Division should be pro=vided for.

when The scale of esta=blishment for each Division ~~having that bee~~ has been fixed, all appointments ill be counted against

duly

duly sanctioned posts.

CS.
9.4.85

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Suptg. Engineers
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Genl. Establishment

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Branch.

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