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4TH JANUARY 1886, No. 7 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following papers :—

From Brigadier-General A. C. JOHNSON, C.B., Commanding Eastern District, to the Quartermaster-General, Madras Army, dated Fort St. George, 17th November 1885, No. 457 G.

I have the honor to report, for the information of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief, that, owing to the departure of the Q/1st Brigade, Royal Artillery, to Burmah with the Expeditionary Force, the Officer Commanding, Royal Artillery, Eastern District, solicits sanction for the reduction of the rental of the house occupied as officers' mess at St. Thomas' Mount to Rs. 40 per mensem during the period there is only one battery at the Mount.

2. The usual rental of the mess-house is Rs. 100 per mensem, and its reduction to Rs. 60 was sanctioned by Government in their order, No. 1042 W., dated 4th May 1885 (Military Department No. 2627, dated 15th May 1885), owing to the removal of the 4/1st Brigade, Royal Artillery, from St. Thomas' Mount to Fort St. George. I therefore request that the reduction sought for by the Officer Commanding, Royal Artillery, Eastern District, may be sanctioned.

Endorsement on the above.

No. 4069 A.

Submitted for the favorable consideration of Government, with reference to the Government orders marginally noted, and with the recommendation of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief that, for the period during which only one battery of

Royal Artillery is stationed at St. Thomas' Mount, the rate of rent of the mess-house be reduced from Rs. 60 to Rs. 40 per mensem.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND,
25th November 1885.

(Signed) D. J. S. McLEOD, Major,
Deputy Quartermaster-General.

To the Secretary to Government, Military Department,
through Controller of Military Accounts.

Docket from the Quartermaster-General, No. 4069, dated 25th November 1885, is herewith submitted. Reductions were similarly sanctioned in proceedings of Government, Nos. 1561, dated 9th March 1883, 682, dated 12th February 1884, and 2627, dated 15th May 1885.

11th December 1885.

(Signed) C. CARTER, Colonel,
Controller of Military Accounts.

To the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

No. 7120, Military.

Transferred to the Public Works Department with the recommendation of the Military Department that the reduction of rent asked for may, under the circumstances represented, be sanctioned temporarily.

(By Order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE, (Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Col.,
14th December 1885. Secretary to Government.

Office note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 19th December 1885, No. 755.

ORDER—dated 4th January 1886, No. 7 W., Public Works.

As recommended, the rent of the Royal Artillery mess-house at St. Thomas' Mount will be reduced to Rs. 40 per mensem for the period during which only one battery is stationed there.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Military Department.

Exd. E. Fernandez.
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GENERAL
ACCOUNT.

Gobt. of 1886 Madras
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 4th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 4th January 1886, No. 7 W.

JANUARY.

Royal Artillery Mess-House at
St. Thomas' Mount

Rent of — reduced to Rs. 10 per mensem
for the period during which only one bat-
tery is stationed there.

Rent Artillery Mess

No. 1457

7/3

Quartermaster General's Department,
Eastern District.

Fort Saint George, 17th November 1885

From

Brigadier General A. C. Johnson, B. C.,

Commanding Eastern District.

To

The Quartermaster General

Madras Army.

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the information
of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief, that owing
to the departure of the 21st Brigade Royal Artillery
to Burma, with the Expeditionary Force, the
Officer Commanding Royal Artillery, Eastern District
solicits sanction for the reduction of the rental of the
house occupied as Officers Mess at Saint Thomas
Mount to Rupees 10 per mensem during the period
there is only one Battery at the Mount.

2. The usual rental of the mess house
is Rupees 100 per mensem, and its reduction
to Rupees 60 was sanctioned by Government
in their Order No. 142 W. dated 14 May 1885
(in D. No. 2627 dated 15 May 1885) owing to the
reduction of the number of batteries.

removal of the 4th Brigade Royal Artillery
from Saint Thomas Island to Fort San Carlos,
I therefore request that the reduction sought for
by the Officer commanding Royal Artillery
at Saint Thomas may be sanctioned.

I am Sir, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

John Lubbock

John Lubbock

Colonel Commanding
Royal Artillery

Thro' Controller of milys acct.

Q. M. Gault's Office

Cataramund, 25th Nov 1885

No: 4069 A.

Submitted for the
favorable consideration of Govern-
ment with reference to the C. G. S.

O. G. 675 W. of 3rd March 1883 } marginally
" 278 W. of 2nd Feb. 1884 } noted
" 1042 W. of 4th May 1885. } and

with the recommendation
of the Provincial Commander
in Chief that, for the period
during which only one Battery
of R. A. is stationed at Saint
Thomas' Mount, the rate of
rent of the Mess House be re-
duced from 60/ Rs to 100 Rs
per mensem.

"By Order"

D. J. Swanson Major

Dy. Q. M. Gault

To 48/4
The Secy. to Govt.

Milys. Deptt.

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From

The General Officer Commanding
Madras Army.

The Quartermaster General
Madras Army.

Dated 17th November 1885.

Requests sanction for the reduction
of the rent of house at Mount St
Thomas per mensem

No. 7575

From

The Dir. Mr. General

No. 4069A.

Dated

25th Nov '85

Recd.

Registered

12 Dec 85

ENCLOSURES.

P. G., No. , dated

Recommending
that the rent of the house
occupied as officers' mess
(R.A.) at this ^{mess} be re-
duced from 60/- to 40/-
per annum.

No.

D

11th December 1885.

Docket from the Quarter-
master-General, No. 4069, dated 25th
November 1885, is herewith submitted.
Reductions now similarly sanctioned in
Proceedings of Government, No. 1561
dated 9th March 1883, 682, dated 12th
February 1884, and 2627 dated 15th May
1885.

Respectfully,
Colonel,

Controller of Military Accounts

To

The Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St. George.

P.G. 9th March 1885 Nos: 207-208 R
P.G. 12th July 1884 Nos: 152-153 R
P.G. 16th May 1885 No: 248-249 R

Military (1885) Department.

From
The Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St. George,

To
The Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort St. George

Fort St. George
14th December 85

No 7120. Transferred
to the Public Works Depart-
ment, with the recommendation
of the Military department
that the reduction of rent
asked for may, under the
circumstances represented,
be sanctioned temporarily.

Dated 11 }
Received 12 } December 1885

Enclosures: 1

Submits docket from
the Quarter Master General requesting
sanction for the reduction of the rent of
house at Mount to Rs 40 per mensem.

By order,
Alfred Herbert D. Lt. Col.
Secretary to Government
R.N. 930
No 2842 D. Early
JOC/ Chapn 17th Dec 85
For favor of
Remarks on the fur-
ther reduction of rent
asked for L.R.C
17/12/85
SW

[C. No. 8.]

GOVT
OF MADRAS

1885.

(P. W.
DEPT.)

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 19th December 1885.

Office Note No. 455

To
W.

Enc: 2

Your O.N. No. 2842 D. of 17th
Instant.

The Building in question
is returned (Form M. 41) as one
"the returns from which are expected
to yield interest on cost of
Construction", and as having cost
Govt. Rs. 32,000. Under these cir-
cumstances, it is doubtful whether
Govt. would wish to continue the
fluctuating rent arrangement even
though apparently hard upon the
present tenants- see also Govt. of
India letter No. 1108 G. dated 18th.
September 1884. It is questionable
too whether a private landlord
would concede the point.

KEEP WITH

Genl. No.

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+ This letter refers to former
subject of rent which has
been approved as for
a temporary reduction of
rent. C.

19/12/85

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