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16TH NOVEMBER 1887, No. 3092 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following papers:—

Proceedings of the Government of Madras, Military Department, dated 31st October 1887, No. 6647.

Extract of a Military letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, dated 30th June 1887, No. 165.

Para. 19. From the accompanying copy of a correspondence with the Horse Guards, your Excellency will observe that I have decided, with the concurrence of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, that in future all officers of Royal Engineers coming to England on furlough shall report their

From Horse Guards, 3rd May 1887. M-5558.
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arrival to this office (as well as to the Adjutant-General in accordance with para. 32, section XIII, Queen's Regulations, 1885), and shall apply to this office for instructions as to medical examination, extensions of leave, and return to duty.

2. I request that this arrangement may be duly notified through the proper channel, and that it may be communicated to the Governments of Madras and Bombay.

No. 85082-14 (Royal Engineers).

HORSE GUARDS, WAR OFFICE, S.W.,
3rd May 1887.

SIR,

With reference to your letter of the 23rd ultimo, No. M-3921, I am directed, by His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, to acquaint you, for the information of the Secretary of State for India in Council, that Lieutenant W. A. J. O'Meara, Royal Engineers, has been instructed to join at Chatham, on the 29th May 1887, for duty at the dépôt.

With regard to paras. 2 and 3 of your letter now under reply, I am to observe that great difficulty exists in ascertaining whether the leave of officers who are invalided home from India has been granted by the Government of India or by the Commander-in-Chief.

In Lieutenant O'Meara's case he was ordered before a board by the Adjutant-General of the Army at Simla, and as he was doing duty with troops it was assumed that his leave was granted by the Commander-in-Chief, and he was accordingly ordered before a Medical Board by this office. To prevent any similar difficulty however in future with regard to officers of Royal Engineers whose employment and conditions of service are so varied, His Royal Highness suggests, for the consideration of Viscount Cross, whether it would not be preferable for all officers of that corps returning to this country on sick leave from India, to be medically examined at the India Office.

I am to add that on the recommendation of a Medical Board by which Lieutenant O'Meara was examined at the War Office on the 29th November 1886, this officer was granted an extension of leave to the 29th May.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) GODFREY CLERK,
Dy. Adjutant-General.

To the Military Secretary, India Office.

No. M-4353.

INDIA OFFICE,
23rd May 1887.

SIR, I am directed, by the Secretary of State for India in Council, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 3rd May, No. 85082-14, and to acquaint you in reply to paras. 2 and 3 that

16TH NOVEMBER 1887, No. 3092 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

Viscount Cross concurs in the proposal that all officers of Royal Engineers returning to this country on sick leave from India should be medically examined at this office.
His Lordship would further suggest that all Engineer Officers coming to this country on leave from India should be required to report their arrival to this office, and to apply here for their instructions as to extensions of leave and return to duty.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) ALLEN JOHNSON, Lt.-Genl.,
Military Secretary.

To the Adjutant-General, Horse Guards, War Office.

No. 85082-15 (Royal Engineers).

HORSE GUARDS, WAR OFFICE, S.W.,
10th June 1887.

Sir,

With reference to the 2nd para. of your letter of the 23rd ultimo, No. M-4353, I am directed, by the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, to acquaint you, for the information of the Secretary of State for India in Council, that, subject to the condition that they comply with the provisions of para. 32, section XIII, Queen's Regulations, 1883, His Royal Highness concurs in the suggestion that all officers of Royal Engineers coming to this country on leave from India should be required to report their arrival to the India Office, and to apply to that office for instructions as to extensions of leave and return to duty.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) R. GRANT,
Deputy Adjutant-General, R.E.

To the Military Secretary, India Office.

Furlough.

No. 1504-A.

Copy of the foregoing forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department, for the information of the Governor in Council and issue of necessary addition to the regulations.
The ruling has been notified in clause 107, India Army Circulars, 1887.

(By Order.)

(Signed) R. HAY,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
12th October 1887.

Order—dated 31st October 1887, No. 6647, Military.

Communicated to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for favor of needful action.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant-General.

No. 2750-O (Furlough).

MEMORANDUM.

Forwarded for information and favor of issue of the necessary orders to officers of the Royal Engineers employed in the Public Works Department, with reference to the ruling notified in clause 107, India Army Circulars, 1887.

(By Order.)

(Signed) M. PROTHEROE, Col.,
Deputy Adjutant-General,
for Adjutant-General.

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12th November 1887.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

16TH NOVEMBER 1887, No. 3092 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

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

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated November, 16th.

Recd.

G.O., 16th Nov. 1887, No. 3092 W.

NOVEMBER.

Officers of Royal Engineers
going to England on furlough

The decision of the Secretary of State that in future all — shall report their arrival to the India Office, and shall apply to that office for instructions as to medical examination, extensions of leave, &c., communicated to all officers of Royal Engineers.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
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31st October 1887, No. 6647.

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To the Military Secretary, India Office.

No. M 4353.

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The ruling has been notified in Clause 107, India Army Circulars, 1887.

(By Order.)

FORT WILLIAM,
12th October 1887.

(Signed) E. HAY,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 437.

ORDER THEREON, 31st October 1887, No. 6647.

Communicated to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for favor of needful action.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant-General.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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To THE ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

Dated October, 31st.

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G.O., 31st October 1887, No. 6647.

OCTOBER.
Nos. 436-437.

Furlough.

Officers of Royal Engineers.—Decision of the Secretary of State that in future all — going to England on furlough shall report their arrival to the India Office, and shall apply to that office for instructions as to medical examination, extensions of leave, and return to duty, communicated to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for needful action.

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Memorandum

Forwarded for information, and
favor issue of the necessary orders to
Officers of the Royal Engineers employed
in the Public Works Department with
reference to the ruling notified in Clause
107 India Army Circulars 1887—

/By order/

W. P. S. Colonel
By: Adjutant General
for Adjutant General

To: The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

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