

P.W. DEPARTMENT.

Paper taken out of the Records from the charge of the Referencer.

No. 1719, dated 9-6-88 190

Date taken out.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.			Initials of clerk taking the paper or of attender.	Date returned.	Initials of attender.
	Department.	C. No.	Year.			
198/05	P.W.	7591	8705	A	7/9/08	

No. 1719 Wd/9th June 1888

Communicated to
the Examiner P.W. Acts
with reference to G.O.

No. 1447 Wd/8th February
1888.

2. Clause 2, para 3 of
the Secy. of States' ~~and~~
despatch will be noted
for guidance.

Ed/ JCH
W.

Ex. P.W. A.

Ex. m 7/6

Govt. of (1888) Madras.
MILITARY.

To
THE ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated May,

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 18th June
May 1888, No. 3622

No. 1719 Wd/9th June 1888

MAY.
Nos.

Furlough.

Rawson, R. E., Major O.C.—Extract paragraph
of a military letter from the Secretary of State
forwarding with remarks copy of correspondence
with the Horse Guards regarding an application
of — for permission to spend an additional period
of six months at Chatham for instruction in sub-
marine mining, communicated to His Excellency
the Commander-in-Chief and the Public Works
Department.

P.W. DEPARTMENT.

Paper taken out of the Records from the charge of the Referencer.

No. 1719, dated 9-6-88 190

Paper
Miscellaneous
Routine

Date taken out.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.			Initials of clerk taking the paper or of attender.	Date returned.	Initials of attender.
	Department.	C. No.	Year.			
198/05	P.W.	7591	8/05	A	11/9/05	

MILITARY DEPARTMENT, MAY 1888, No.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Furlough.

Read the following:—

No. . Extract of a Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India; dated 19th April 1888, No. 19.

Para. 3. With reference to your Public Works Department Resolution No. 447, dated 8th February 1888, I forward herewith, for the information of your Government, a copy of correspondence * with the Horse Guards regarding an application of Major C. C. Rawson, R.E., for permission to spend an additional period of six months at Chatham for instruction in submarine mining, and to be absent from India for three years and a half by counting this course, besides the year previously sanctioned † as additional to his two years' furlough.

* From Horse Guards, 6th March 1888, and enclosed letter from Major Rawson. To ditto, 26th March 1888, M 2642.

† Vide para. 2 of my Despatch No. 59, dated 27th October 1887.

I also forward a copy of a letter from Major Rawson, dated 30th March 1888.

It will be observed that I have refused to sanction any extension of Major Rawson's absence from India, the period already sanctioned (three years) being exceptionally long. I think care is necessary to prevent abuse of the encouragement offered by the rules to Royal Engineer Officers to undertake courses of instruction while on furlough in this country.

No. M 2642.

No. 7618-851.

HORSE GUARDS, WAR OFFICE, S.W.,
6th March 1888.

SIR,

With reference to your letter of 13th December last, No. M 11913, I am directed, by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, to transmit herewith, for the consideration of the Secretary of State for India in Council, copy of a letter received in this office from Major C. C. Rawson, Royal Engineers, forwarding an order from the Madras Government permitting him to remain at Chatham for an additional six months, and requesting that, if the rules permit, this period might be allowed to count as an extension of his furlough.

I am therefore to request that you will be so good as to inform me what reply should be sent to this officer.

I have, &c.,

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

The Military Secretary, India Office, S.W.

From Major C. C. RAWSON, R.E., to the Brigade Major, S. M. E.; dated Chatham, 29th February 1888, No. M 2642.

In continuation of former correspondence on the same subject, I have the honor to forward herewith an order of the Madras Government, No. 447-W, dated 8th February 1888, allowing me to remain at Chatham for six months in addition to the twelve months already allowed.

I request that, if the rules permit, I may be allowed this time in addition to my furlough, and that after leaving the S. M. E. on 11th October I may be allowed to enjoy the balance of my two years furlough which commenced on 4th May 1886.

Forwarded with reference to previous correspondence on 7th 1887 (8412), dated 16th December 1887.

3rd March 1888. (Signed) J. BEVAN EDWARDS, Major-Genl.,
Commandant, S. M. E.
The Deputy Adjutant-General, R.E.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department; dated 8th February 1888, No. 447-W.

From Major C. C. RAWSON, R.E., Executive Engineer, Public Works Department, dated 19th December 1887.

From the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, No. 1021, dated 31st January 1888.

No. 447-W.

Order.—If the rules permit, the Government have no objection to Major Rawson, R.E., remaining at the School of Military Engineering, Chatham, for six months in addition to the twelve months already allowed, either as part of his furlough, or in addition to his furlough.

(True Extract.)

8th February 1888. (Signed) W. L. C. BADDELEY, Captain, R.E.,
Under Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

To Major C. C. Rawson, R.E., Executive Engineer, Madras P.W.D.

No. M 2642.

INDIA OFFICE, WHITEHALL, S.W.,
26th March 1888.

SIR,

In reply to letter from the Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Engineers, dated 6th March 1888, No. 7618-851, I am directed, by the Secretary of State for India, to state that there is no objection on the part of his Lordship to permitting Major C. C. Rawson, Royal Engineers, to undergo a course of instruction in submarine mining at Chatham after the completion of his present course, but that this officer cannot be allowed to extend his absence from India beyond the three years already sanctioned.

2. Subject to this condition Major Rawson will be entitled, if he undertakes the proposed course, to count the additional period at Chatham either as duty or as furlough in accordance with Clause XIII of the existing rules on the subject.

I have, &c.,

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

The Military Secretary, Horse Guards, War Office.

No. M 3458.

5, KINGSWOOD VILLAS,
NEW BROMPTON, CHATHAM,
30th March 1888.

SIR,

With reference to letter No. M 2642, dated 27th March 1888, from the Military Secretary, India Office, to the Military Secretary, Horse Guards, I have the honor to request that the additional period of my stay at Chatham after 11th April to the end of the course of submarine mining may be counted as part of my furlough.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) C. C. RAWSON, Major, R.E.

The Under Secretary of State for India, India Office.

No. ORDER THEREON, 1st May 1888, No. 3622

Communicated to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and the Public Works Department, in continuation of Proceedings of Government, No. 7267, dated 22nd November 1887.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Adjutant-General.

„ Public Works Department.

Erd. E. C. Shunker.