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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 18th June 1892.

Grant to Chief Engineers or officers graded as such, and to the Director General of Telegraphs and Deputy Director General of Telegraphs, under certain circumstances, of so much of the full special pension of Rs. 2,000 as is proportionate to the time they have served in the several ranks.

Read—

Despatch to Secretary of State, No. 80 Public Works, dated the 4th November 1891.

Despatch from Secretary of State, No. 3 Public Works, dated the 28th January 1892.

RESOLUTION.—With reference to Article 714 of the Civil Service Regulations quoted in the margin, the Government of India, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, is pleased to make the following concession.

If an officer to whom the article applies is compelled to retire under the 55-years rule, or on medical certificate, before he has served the full period of three years, he may, with the special sanction of the Government of India, receive a special pension reduced in proportion to the time, short of three years, which he has served in the grades referred to in Article 714 (*a*).

CIVIL SERVICE REGULATIONS.

714. The following special additional pensions over and above those allowed in Article 712 may be allowed by the Government of India, as rewards of approved service in the responsible positions referred to below :—

(*a*) *Additional pensions of Rs. 2,000 per annum to those who have served three years as*—

(i) Chief Engineers, or officers who may have been graded as such.

(ii) Director General, or Deputy Director General of Telegraphs.

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ORDER.—Ordered, that the above Resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments, Administrations, and Officers noted in the margin for information and guidance, and that it be published in Part I of the *Gazette of India*.

The Governments of Madras and Bombay, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.
The Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Punjab.
The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Burma, Assam, and Coorg.
The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Agents to the Governor General for Central India, Rajputana, and Baluchistan.
The Accountant General, Public Works Department.
The Director General of Railways.
The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Central Division, and Lucknow.
The Director General of Telegraphs.

Ordered also, that a copy be forwarded to the Department of Finance and Commerce for information.

E. V. Dortes
Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

G. C. Press, Simla.—No. 67 P. W. D.—29-6-92—1,(2).

The Joint Secretary to the Govt of Madras
Public Works Department

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2. The notification in the Gazette of India will be re-published in the Fort. St. George Gazette.

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Central Office of P.W.
Fort St. George
3rd October 1856.

No. 7031.

From

The Chief Engineer

To

The Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward for submission to Government ——— Correspondence as per Margin relative to the Conservancy of the great channels of irrigation in the Tinnevelly District.

2 ——— Major Lawford proposes that instead of continuing the present system of requiring the landed proprietors to send labourers to clear the Channel heads, and turn the water in at the proper season, fixed establishments should be maintained for the purpose and be paid by a cess on the irrigated lands.

3 ——— The amount proposed by the Superintending Engineer for the salaries of the establishment is Rupees 4,000 per annum each for the Loulgoody and Servaud Channels, and he assumes that of the above sums Rupees 3,000 will be paid by the Ryots and Rupees 1,000 by Government in each Taluk.

From Major T. Lawford
Supg Engr. Tinnevelly Circle No. 13
dated 25th Sept. 1856.
From Collr of Tinnevelly
No. 183 dated 13th Oct. 1856.
Memo by Major Lawford dated Sept. 30/56
Enclosures
4 Original letters

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4 ——— The Collector of Tinnevelly approves generally of Major Lawford's plan but thinks the allowance higher than necessary. Mr Bird details the evils of the present system and states that the change now suggested formerly engaged his attention but that the levy of an additional cess was not finally adopted on account of a difference of feeling and opinion existing among the ryots.—

5 ——— Mr Bird recommends that the Government should bear the entire expense of the Conservancy establishments, which should be provided for by annual estimate. He considers Major Lawford's estimate too liberal and states that there is now a small establishment costing 747 Rupees per annum maintained by the Ryots for the Lawgoody Channels, and that their remuneration is very precarious.— To this I may add that the Mechanics in Coimbatore and Salem are partly supplied by Mauritius land.— Para 6

6 ——— In consulting the Collector of Coimbatore I received a Statement of the establishment kept up on the Cauliganayen Channel and paid by a Cess on the land and Mr Thomas records his opinion of its efficiency.— in letter No 410 of the 9th September

7 ——— In laying this subject before Government Government I cannot but express my opinion in favor of Major Lawford's proposals nor am I aware of any reason why the Charges hitherto borne by the Ryots should be thrown on the State. I think it impossible to specify precisely the amount that may be required for the maintenance of the Channel heads, and I would recommend that a sum not exceeding 5,000 Rupees should be granted on trial in the first instance for each Talook and that the new system should come into operation with the transfer of the Executive duties on the 1st January 1857.—

8 ——— I further beg the attention of Government to the Statement by Major Lawford of the necessity of making certain improvements to the head of the Lawgoody Channels at a cost of 7,000 Rupees which the Collector not having objected to he may be supposed to approve of, especially as he accompanied the Professional Officers in their inspection. As this work must be carried out early in the working season it should if sanctioned still be treated as emergent and ordered for execution as soon as the Floods subsides but in the mean time a detailed estimate will Para 1.

will be required from Lieutenant Pryce.

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ENCLOSURE
P. W. ACCOUNTS

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servt

Fort St. George
3d October 1788.

W. Kelsall Colonel
Chief Engr

For Orders

Public Works Department No 2202 P. W. D.

From the Chief Engineer 3rd October 1856.

There can be no question of the superior efficiency of an organized establishment over the voluntary labor contributed by the ryots for consultation

The only question is regarding the source from which the funds shd come her 1856.

I think the ryots should pay the following

a certain cess on their lands & the Collr. shd be desired to state the Chief Engineer

this cess should be levied & the lands watered. The how much the lands watered (the Collr. will yield at the rate Collr. & Chief Engineer

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mentioned &. Major Crawford & he letter

I think it right that I should submit these e to the con-

The people are bound to furnish an Establish- the great

ment for the labor hitherto contributed by them channels of irrigation in

the District of Trichinopoly

The subject is brought

forward by Major Law-

-ford, the Superintending

Engineer of the Southern

Circle, who suggests the

entertainment of a per-

-manent Establishment

Encl. to Govt. Lr. No. 1181 dated 6th Oct. 1856.

From Lt. Col. Crawford, Chief Engineer, Southern Division,

To The Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George.

Dated Trichinopoly 3rd October 1856.

Received 4th October 1856.

No. 2202.

Copy submitted to the Govt. for information.

Sd/- C. Lushington, Secy.

Sd/- C. Foster, Asst. Secy. 23rd Oct. 1856.

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Major Lawford estimate of Hours
very high.

Cost at first only by the Plan
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The new head to the Salgoody Channel
should be sanctioned. When the information for the
Calls & the detailed Estimates for the Repairs
are rec.d the whole should be sent to the Bd. for Rs. 1/8
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1858.

Chief Asst to the Collr. &
Agt. Chgl. Dist. Trichinopoly.

Copy of Letter No 2324 dated
6 October 1858.

Submitting for the sanction of
Government the detailed Estimate
and Plan of the Repairs of the
Salgoody Channel.

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W. ACCOY

Conservancy of Channels of irrigation in Trichinopoly.

No 18.

Copy submitted to the Govt. of India with Despatch dated 15th Oct. 5. dispatched 23rd Oct. 92.

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P. W. D.

No. 2003

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 30th October 1856.

Read the following ~~minute~~ letter from the Chief Engineer

(Here enter 3rd Oct. 56 No. 7031)

The Chief Engineer submits ~~some~~ correspondence relative to the conservancy of the great channels of irrigation in the District of Trichinopoly &c.

The subject is brought forward by Major Lawford, the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle, who suggests the entertainment of a permanent Establishment to be paid by Govt

for the maintenance
of the channels, to be
paid out of a fund to
be raised by an extra
cess on the lands, in lieu
of the present system
of requiring landholders
to send laborers to per-
form the necessary ope-
rations for bringing the
water of the river into
the channels.

2. Major Lawford
points out the evils of
the existing system, and
states that the subject of
raising a fund by an
extra cess on the lands
and maintaining there-
with a permanent Es-
tablishment, engaged
his attention some years

ago. He found the Mera-
sidars generally well
inclined to the plan, and it
willing to pay a sum not ex-
ceeding 2 annas a Cawny
for land watered direct-
ly from the channels, and
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irrigation, provided they
were thereby relieved
from all demands for
labor. Major Lawford
calculates the cost of an
Establishment for the
maintenance of the
Laulgoody channels at
Rupees 4,000 per annum;
of which he thinks 3,000 Rs
could be raised from
the Merasidars by an
extra tax, and 1,000 Rs
should be paid by Gover

"the employment of an
Establishment of similar
strength and cost for
the Veyacondaum chan-
-nels. The Collector con-
-curs with Major Lawford
in the necessity of pro-
-viding better means
for the conservancy of
the channels, but con-
-siders the Establishment
proposed for that pur-
-pose to be too high, and
thinks that the entire
cost of the measure
should be borne by the
Government. The Chief
Engineer supports Major
Lawford's proposal on
the ground that he is
not aware of any reason
why the same hitherto

borne by the ryots
should be thrown on
the State. He thinks it
impossible to fix precise
-ly the amount that
may be required for
the maintenance of the
Channel heads; but re-
-commends that a sum
not exceeding 3,000 Rupees
per annum should be
granted on trial in the
first instance for each
Taluk, and that the
new system should
come into operation with
the transfer of the Execu-
-tive duties on the 1st
January 1857.

The Government
entertain no doubt as to
the superior efficiency

Encl. to S. D. Memo. dated 15th Oct. 1874.
Cg. Oct. 23rd 1874.

for an organized Establish-
ment over the volun-
tary labor at present
contributed by the Ra-
jasidars. The main
question for consideration
is the source from which
the requisite funds
should be supplied.
The Government are of
opinion that the Ra-
jasidars should pay
a certain cess on their
lands if relieved from
the obligation to fur-
nish labor, but before
passing an order on the
subject, they would
wish the Chief Engineer
to call on the Collector
to state how much the
lands watered by the
Caulgoody

Caulgoody channels wa
yield at the rate men-
tioned by Major Lawford
and whether that rate
is a fair one. The Gover
-ment consider Major
Lawford's estimate of the
cost of the proposed es-
-tablishment to be high
and they would wish
for the Collector's opini
-on as to the strength
and cost of the Establish
-ment which he might
consider sufficient for
the maintenance of the
channels in Caulgoody
in which Talook the
Government are disposed
to try the plan in the
first instance.

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para of his letter, the
Chief Engineer calls
attention to major Lawford's
proposal to construct a
new head to the Laub-
-goody channels, with
the view of maintaining
these important water
courses in a state of ef-
-ficiency. The Government
approve the proposal
and will be prepared
to take the subject into
consideration when
the detailed Estimate
called for from Lieu-
-tenant Ryves ~~shall~~
~~have been~~ submitted.

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J.P.

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Public Works 1856 Despatch
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Of 30th October 1856.

From the Chief Engr 19th Novr/56 C№2594
rel 9th December
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" rel 24th "
From Govt of India of 27th May/57 C№12
rel 14th July -

Feb
MW 27/57/52

Recording observations and orders relative to the conservancy of the great channels of irrigation and Trichinopoly, approving Major Lawfords proposal to construct a new head to the Lawgoody channels; and observing that the subject will be taken into consideration, when the detailed Estimate called for from Lieutenant Rynes is submitted —

Cons 5th August/56 №9 C12
" 12 " " " №11 & 12
" 30th Sept " №62 & 63

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