

Public Works (1897) Department.

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No. 721, FINANCIAL, 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.

6. The opportunity will be taken to insert the following ruling as rule 66 of the same instructions, the existing rule 66 being re-numbered as 66-A:—

66. The division between two major heads of the pay of single charges is contrary to the principles of the public accounts and productive of inconvenience as a matter of account and audit. It is the rule rather than the exception in India that an officer whose main employment has reference to one particular head of service, and whose salary is charged accordingly, is also employed on duties appertaining to other heads of service. To allow these subsidiary employments to cause a distribution of charge would introduce confusion in the accounts and would give rise to unnecessary difficulties in making them up. There are a few cases in which a division is allowed, but these come under one or two general principles of comparatively wide application.

G.O., No. 702, Revenue, 7th June 1883.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Hon'ble the Chief Justice (with C.L.).
" the Revenue Department.
" the Public Works Department.
" the Local and Municipal Department.
" the Educational Department.
" the Marine Department.
" the Accountant-General.
" all heads of departments under the Chief Secretary.
Copy to the Comptroller and Auditor General.

Erd. Shaik Karim.

G.O., No. 2798 W

DATED 7 October 1897

[Despatch Abstract.]

*Mr W. D. Scott late Rain Negobay, Leith.
Kolam project informed that there is
no opening in the P.W.D. which can
be offered to him.*

[P.W.D. 28.
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Dated

4th September 1897.

From

F. W. ASHPITEL, Esq.,

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,

LIGHT-HOUSE DIVISION,

Madras.

To

THE Chief Engineer
 P.W. Department

SIR,

With reference to your Memo No. 1257 & dated 31st August 1897 I have the honor to inform you that I have no suitable employment for Mr. Scott in the Light-house Division.

(2) I believe that Mr. Scott intended to write Light-house Service and not Light-house Division as I remember having some conversation with him about an appointment as light-keeper and ^{telling} him he should make an application to the Presidency Post-office.

I have the honor to be,
 Sir,

Your most obed^t. Serv^t,

W. Ashpitel
 Executive Engineer,
 Light-house Division.

Encls: 1 petition

Date.

His Excellency the Rt. Honorable the Governor
of Madras, and its Presidencies.

8 Through the proper channel.

The humble memorial of William Dhu Scott
late Lieutenant of H.M's 6th Dragoon Guards,
and the 16th (Queen's) Lancers now employed
as a Rain Registrar in the D.P.W. of the
Muttikulam Project near Coimbatore.

May it please Your Excellency.

That your memorialist received
his Education at several Colleges in Eng-
land, amongst them being Rugby, the
London University, and the Royal Mil-
itary College at Sandhurst - having mat-
riculated at the second College at the
age of 17, and then passing in honors
at the latter College, obtained a Commis-
sion in the Carabiniers Regiment of Dra-
goon Guards quartered at Aldershot
from that corps he was transferred to the
16th Lancers stationed in India.

Your memorialist was reluctantly
compelled to resign his Commission on
account of ill health which was consid-
erably accelerated towards serious state
by his late father Colonel S. D. Scott leav-
ing the greater part of his fortune in
waning Prospects, which necessitated
him to stop Memorialist's allowance.

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1285/57

Mr. Ashpitell the late Executive Engineer, alluded to Memorialist drawing out a petition to Your Excellency about the Light House Division. He does so now.

Memorialist's Constitution is considerably shaken by repeated attacks of fever, and in spite of it, he will hold on to his post, until relieved; he begs to state that he is conversant with six languages spoken out in this country, also three European. Memorialist is in receipt of Rs 40 per mensem, and considering the difficulties that he has to undergo, and taking into consideration the nature of fever, the pay is not large.

In fine Memorialist belongs to a Clan, whom his Kinsmen Sir Walter Scott eulogises in those thrilling strains viz

These are Clan Alpine's Warriors true,
And Saxon I am Roderick Dhu.

And for which act of favor your honorable memorialist shall as in duty bound ever respectfully pray.

William
Roh.

Rain Registrar.

Utthikulum Project.

26 March 1897

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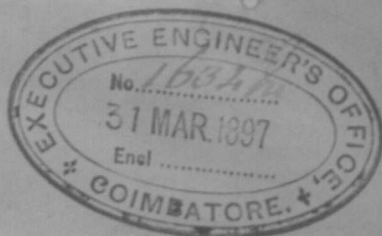
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Supg. Engineer to Circle



Mr. Scott
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PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICE,
Madras, 23rd September 1897.

From

Commander H. A. Street, R.I.M.,
PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICER,
Madras,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
MARINE DEPARTMENT,
Chennai.

SIR,

In reply to Marine Department
memorandum n: 592, E, dated 21st September
1897, (enclosures herewith returned)
I have the honor to state that there
is no vacancy in the higher grade
of lightkeepers to which Mr. Scott
could be appointed.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedt. servant,

H. A. Street
Commander, R.I.M.,
Presy. Port Officer

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300-17-9-97.

P. W. C. Nos. 3588, 3117 and 8960 of 1897, and
Marine C. No. 1285 of 1897.

SUBJECT

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

~~THE HONBLE MR. BLISS, C.I.E.~~

~~THE HONBLE MR. GROSE, C.I.E.~~

*Application for Employment
from Mr. W.D. Scott.*

FOR ORDERS.

The papers read above relate to an appeal made by Mr. W.D. Scott, a temporary Rain Registrar in the Coimbatore District, for permanent employment under Government. When the appeal first came up His Excellency directed that Mr. Ashpitel should, on his return from England, be referred to.

2. This has been done, but that officer says he can find no employment for Mr. Scott, and he suggested a reference to the Presidency Port Officer. This reference has also been made with a similar result. There is no employment available for Mr. Scott in the Marine Department.

3. All posts in the P.W.D. except such temporary ones of the kind now held by Mr. Scott, require professional qualifications not possessed

by

(Falg- S.)

The D. P. W. should inform Mr. Scott that they have no opening in the Dept. which they can offer him.

A.S.H. 1.10.97

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by the applicant. There is thus no
opening for him in this Department.

[Signature]
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