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READ—the following paper:—

From G. H. D. WALKER, Esq., Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (General), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Calcutta, 25th January 1898, Circular No. 2 Public Works.

[Rules for regulating furlough and furlough allowances of Royal Engineer officers who elect for continuous service in India.]

The Govts. of Madras and Bombay, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.
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ENCLOSURE.

CLAUSE 193 OF INDIA ARMY CIRCULARS OF THE 1ST DECEMBER 1897.
FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Decision that Royal Engineer officers who are serving under the Leave rules applicable to officers of the British Army serving in India and who are in Civil employ, are entitled to the privilege of Article 338 (ii) of the Civil Service Regulations in the event of their electing for continuous service.

With reference to the Royal Warrant, dated the 20th February 1886, on the subject of continuous Indian service for officers of the Corps of Royal Engineers, it is notified that the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India has decided that officers of the Royal Engineers, who are serving under the leave rules applicable to officers of the British Army serving in India, and who are in Civil employ, are entitled to the privilege of article 338 (ii) of the Civil Service Regulations in the event of their electing for continuous service. Under this decision a Royal Engineer officer in Civil employ, who becomes subject to the Civil Leave Rules from the date of his election for continuous service, is on that date credited with an amount of furlough equivalent to one-fourth of his active service in India less any leave with pay out of India actually taken.

The furlough thus credited under Civil Service Regulations, article 338 (ii), carries furlough pay equal to half the officer's average salary subject, as a minimum limitation, to the furlough pay drawn being not less than the rate prescribed by the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps according to the length of the officer's service for Indian pension.

The Secretary of State has also been pleased to rule that in the case of those officers of the Royal Engineers who, while serving under British Army Leave Rules, have already elected for continuous Indian service, or who may so elect within two months from the date of the publication of this order, the minimum rate of furlough pay during so much of the furlough credited under Civil Service Regulations, article 338 (ii), as has been earned by service in Civil employment, shall be £125 a quarter.

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Under Secretary to Government.

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