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Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	<u>5</u>	Press Mis.
Dated	<u>6-1-1874.</u>	

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
16th December 1873.*

Read the following papers:—

No. 135. From T. MOSS, Esq., Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 3rd December 1873, No. 5693.

With reference to G.O., No. 2837, of the 24th ultimo, I have the honour to report that all gratuities are payable in the Civil Department, and are not debitable to the funds placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department. I would, therefore, suggest that the sanction of Government contained in the above-quoted Government Order be communicated to the Accountant-General of Madras through the Civil Department.

No. 135-A. From T. MOSS, Esq., Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 6th December 1873, No. 5814.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 433, of the 5th instant, I have the honour to state that, as remarked therein, it has been the practice in this Presidency for the Public Works Department to bear the charge for gratuities to the families of workmen killed in the execution of their duties; but as I was aware of a different practice in other parts of India, I wrote to the Accountant-General of Madras to inquire whether he did not consider that the Civil Department should bear such charges with reference to Chapter XXII, Section 112, of the Civil Pension Code. The Accountant-General of Madras having replied in his No. 7617, of the 29th ultimo, that "such charges must be paid in the Civil Department," I made the suggestion contained in my letter, No. 5693, of the 3rd instant, to your address.

Referred to the Pension Department for consideration with previous papers.
FORT ST. GEORGE, (Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
9th December 1873. Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 136. ORDER THEREON, 16th December 1873, No. 1826.

The course advocated by the Accountant-General and the Controller of Public Works Accounts is in accordance with the Pension Code, and will be observed in future.

(True Extract.)

W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department, with enclosures returned.
.. Accountant-General.
.. Pension Department. ✓

Exd. J. Wright.

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To
THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
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DECEMBER.
Nos. 135-136.

Gratuities.—The course advocated by the Accountant-General and Controller of Public Works Accounts of deferring to the Civil Department the gratuities paid to workmen of the Public Works Department killed in the execution of their duty, ordered to be observed in future.

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