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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Relief DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,

11th April 1866.

No. 40. Read the following letter from the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Fort Saint George, 12th March 1866, No. 98.

I have the honor to request the favorable consideration of Government to the following circumstances, brought to my notice by the General Superintendent of Vaccination, regarding his fixed travelling allowance.

2. Dr. Shortt receives Rupees 100 per mensem as travelling allowance ; his Establishment is scattered over 19 Districts, each of which should be visited by the General Superintendent at least once a year. As he receives the monthly sum above stated, he is not entitled by regulation to a free passage by Rail or Steamer. Consequently, to travel by either of these means of conveyance expends in a few days the full amount of his travelling allowance for a month ; he is, therefore, restricted to marching, by which much valuable time is lost, and the distance it is requisite he should travel over during the year cannot possibly be accomplished. To enable him to do justice to his appointment, inspect the working of his establishment in each District, as well as the Zemindary Vaccinators, of whom there are now 37, and to visit other Zemindars, with a view to interest them in the important matter of

*Resolution of the Government of India, No. 3524, 15th December 1865, published in Fort Saint George Gazette, 5th January 1866.

Vaccination, the General Superintendent solicits that the order* granting passage by Steamers and Rail to Inspecting Officers proceeding on duty, may be made applicable to him—a request, in my opinion, not unreasonable, and which I, therefore, beg to recommend for the favorable consideration of Government.

No. 41. ORDER THEREON, 11th April 1866, No. 362.

Before passing orders on the recommendation made in the foregoing letter, His Excellency the Governor in Council would wish to be furnished with a Statement showing the aggregate amount of the travelling allowances actually drawn by Dr. Shortt since he entered upon the duties of his present appointment, and the aggregate of the travelling expenses actually incurred by him during that period, as nearly as he can compute it.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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From
 The Col. Esqr General
 Messrs. W. & A. W. & Co.
 Fort St George
 The Secy to Government
 Public Works

Dated 12 March
 Ref. 13

No 293. No 98.
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Memorandum for Orders.

Letter from Principal Inspector Genl.
Medical Department d/12 Mar 1866
No 98.

The General Superintendent
of Vaccination draws a
fixed travelling allowance
of Rs 100 per mensem which
the off. Principal Inspector
General points out is not
sufficient to meet his
travelling expenses when
he travels by Rail or by
Steamer. Mr. Shaw
accordingly suggests that
the terms of the Resolution
of the Govt. of India, 15
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free passage to officers
in Civil employ when
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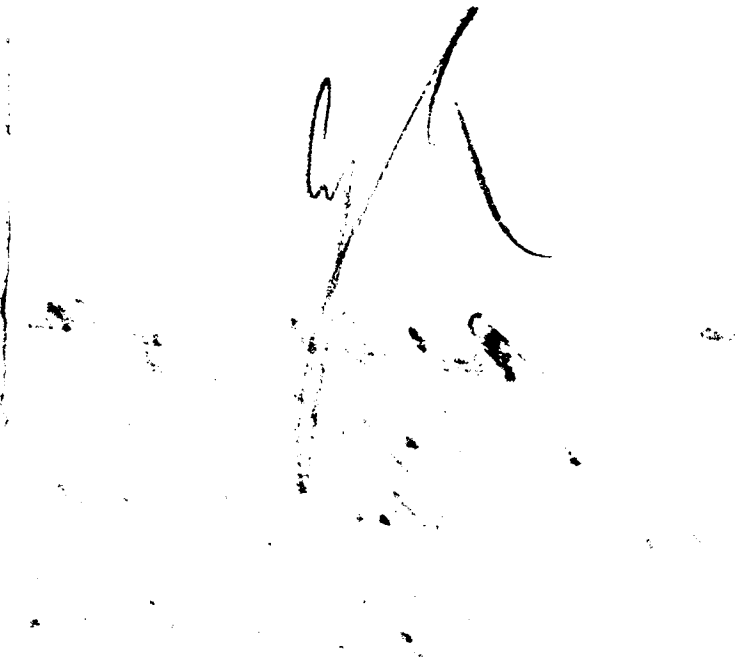
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To the Hon. Secy. of the Interior, Wash. D. C.

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