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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
21st March 1868.

No. 144. Read the following letter from the Inspector General, Indian Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort Saint George, 11th March 1868, No. 105.

In submitting, for the favorable consideration of Government, the enclosed appeal from Native Surgeon Bauloo Moodelly, I have the honor to observe that the rate of travelling allowance passed to him by the Deputy Accountant General is that laid down for Medical *Subordinates*.

2. Native Surgeons, it is true, are not "Commissioned Medical Officers," but neither can they be considered to rank as "subordinates." Their position, in fact, is exceptional in this respect; and as, in the present instance, the Native Surgeon was *acting for* a Commissioned Medical Officer, incurred the same costs in travelling, and by drawing the same allowance would put the State to no extra expense, I would respectfully solicit that Government may be pleased to sanction this allowance being passed to him.

From Native Surgeon C. BAULOO MOODELLY, G. M. M. C., Trichinopoly, to the Deputy Inspector General of Hospitals, Southern Division, Trichinopoly; dated 6th March 1868, No. 10.

With reference to your Memorandum, * No. 2306, dated 10th December 1867, I have the honor to state that I submitted my bill for visiting Trichoor and Pallipport for the month

* A copy herewith attached. of December last, which was passed by the Deputy Collector in charge of Treasury, Calicut.

2. A few days before I delivered over Medical charge of Cochin to Dr. Whitton, the Accountant General sent me the accompanying Memorandum retrenching my travelling bill from Rupees 55 to Rupees 30, on the ground that as Native Surgeon I am entitled to travelling allowance at the rate of only Annas 4 a mile. I beg here to submit that doing the duties of, and acting as, Civil Surgeon of Cochin, I used the same means and underwent the same expenses for visiting Pallipport and Trichoor, which a Commissioned Medical Officer would have done, besides the allowance was not claimed by Dr. Whitton who was on privilege leave, and therefore its grant to me entailed no extra expense upon Government.

3. I have the honor, therefore, to request that you will be pleased to forward this and the enclosures for the favorable consideration of the Inspector General, Indian Medical Department, with a view to the retrenchment laid on my travelling bill being removed.

No. 2306.

MEMORANDUM.

"If the allowance for Trichoor is not claimable by the Civil Surgeon during absence on privilege leave, the Native Surgeon may submit his bill for it."

To be returned.

(Signed) H. HARPER, Surgeon-Major,
For Deputy Inspector General,
Southern Division.

TRICHINOPOLY,
10th December 1867.

FINAL ADJUSTMENT ORDER.

C. Bauloo Moodelly, Native Surgeon.
Travelling Bill of December 1867—

	RS.	A.	P.
Amount drawn.....	55	0	0
Admitted by Deputy Accountant General...	30	0	0
Difference to be recovered on next like bill..	25	0	0

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Explanation.

Disallowed. Bauloo Moodelly is entitled to travelling allowance at the rate of 4 Annas a mile for the actual distance travelled. Annas 8 a mile is payable only to Commissioned Medical Officers.

MADRAS,
6th February 1868.

(Signed) R. W. LODWICK,
Deputy Accountant General.

No. 145. ORDER THEREON, 21st March 1868, No. 367.

The Government sanction the charge at the higher rate, and authorize the Accountant General to withdraw the retrenchment.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant General.

„ Inspector General, Indian Medical Department,
with enclosures returned.

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Chief Secy. M. Dept. 25/3
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