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28th September 1869.*

Read the following :—

No. 219.

No. 160.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM.

With reference to the communications, as per margin, from the Home Department, respecting an inquiry with regard

No. 5015, dated 28th December 1868.

„ 1776, „ 17th April 1869.

Assistants, the undersigned is directed to transmit to that department the annexed extract* from a report by the Controller General of Military Expenditure, No.

* Paragraph 2.

851-T, dated 8th September 1868, on points connected with the re-organization of the Subordinate Medical Department, the views contained in which have the concurrence of the Military Department, and answer to question 4 of which disposes of the question referred for consideration, viz., whether the extra civil allowances hitherto drawn by such Hospital Assistants as have been placed in sole medical charge of dispensaries, &c., should not be withheld when consolidated salaries are drawn by them.

SIMLA, 13th August 1869.
To the Home Department.

(Signed) H. W. NORMAN, Major-Genl.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

No. 219-D.—To Military Department, Calcutta.

Extract from a Report by the Controller General of Military Expenditure, dated

Para. 2.—With letter, No. 4136, dated the 12th August 1868, the Bombay Government forward for orders certain questions propounded by the Inspector General of the Indian Medical Department, Bombay, in connexion with Government General Order, No. 550, dated the 5th June 1868. On all these questions the undersigned has now the honour to forward his opinion :—

Question I.

“ Are Stewards, who hold equivalent rank to 2nd Apothecaries in Madras, to count service in the ‘ Apothecary Grades’ from the date of their appointments as Stewards or 2nd Apothecaries ?”

Answer to Question I.

The old office of Steward having the equivalent in rank of the new office of Apothecary of the 2nd Class, it follows that the service rendered in the grade of Steward should count in the rank of 2nd Class Apothecary : provided the Steward have fulfilled the condition laid down in paragraph 3 of Government General Order, No. 550, by having passed within six months the examination to qualify him for the grade of Apothecary ; should he not have passed within the six months, the service will only count from the date of his employment as 2nd Class Apothecary.

Question II.

“ Are Assistant Apothecaries in independent charges, e. g., Indo-European Telegraph, Bombay Marine, &c., to continue to draw present pay and allowances when more advantageous than the new scale of pay, pending the order of Government on the subject ? An Assistant Apothecary in the Bombay Marine, under five

Answer to Question II.

Assistant Apothecaries in independent charges, i. e., Indo-European Telegraph, Bombay Marine, &c., may receive any special rates of salary attached to those charges. Apothecaries employed on such duties will be seconded, as laid down in paragraph 13 of the order. This ruling accords with the practice obtaining in the

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Question III.

"In the Hospital Assistant Class, is any portion of the medical pupilage to be considered as counting service for pay and pension, or for either?"

Question IV.

"Are Hospital Assistants in small independent charges in the Civil, Military, Survey, Public Works Departments, &c., to continue to draw such separate allowances as may be attached to each, with present pay and time pay, pending the decision of the Government of India on staff pay to Hospital Assistants, (as intimated in letter from the Secretary to Government of India, No. 1646, dated 4th April 1868, received Resolution, General Department, No. 732-A, of 21st idem,) in those cases where the action of the new order would injuriously affect present Class, in Great Trigonometrical Survey?"

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Incumbents prior to the 27th May 1868, the date from which the new rules have effect, should continue to receive the same aggregate of pay and other allowances as heretofore. But in no case should the new rate be granted in addition to other allowances. It was not allowed in the case of Warrant Officers of the Barrack Department.

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The cases in which native medical pupils may be called upon to march, or to proceed on foreign service, it is presumed, are extremely rare. In such cases they might, to cover the extra expenditure thereby caused, receive batta at the rate of Rupees 2 per mensem, as suggested by the Controller of Military Accounts, Bombay. Hospital Assistants when in medical charge of moving appointments, i. e., of a camp, should receive batta as laid down in paragraph 36.

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Question VIII.

"Second Hospital Assistants, Vernacular Class, draw, when in medical charge of dispensaries, Rupees 25 pay and Rupees 30 per month staff allowance; is this to be continued pending decision of Government?—Vide Resolution, General Department, No. 2230, dated 23rd December 1864."

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The provisions of the order in this respect will have effect from the 27th May 1868. Those Hospital Assistants who were in the service prior to that date will continue to draw the salary they then drew until they shall be promoted, when they will fall into the receipt of the monthly pay of the grade to which each man will belong under the new rules.

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The special staff salaries assigned for the medical charge of dispensaries might fairly be continued.

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A reference to the 36th paragraph of General Order will show that the rates for native medical pupils, qualified in the English language, are, whilst in college, Rupees 9 and Rupees 10, respectively, for the first and second years. It is presumed that if the pupil be intelligent, he will have passed at the end of that period, and he will then come upon Rupees 16 per mensem, or he may become (paragraph 44) a 3rd Class Hospital Assistant. But should the pupil not have passed at the end of two years' instruction, he will be restricted to the rate laid down in the Government General Order, No. 550, unless, at the time of the promulgation of that order, he should have been in receipt of the higher allowance.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. W. NORMAN, Major-Genl.,
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HOME DEPARTMENT, PUBLIC,
SIMLA, 6th September 1869.

(Signed) A. P. HOWELL,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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28th September 1869.*

No. 161. ORDER THEREON, 28th September 1869, No. 1344.

Communicated to the Military Department, to the Inspector General of the Indian Medical Department, and to the Accountant General.

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H. W. NORMAN, Major-General,
Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Military Dept.

No. 4070

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HOME DEPARTMENT,
PUBLIC;
SIMLA, the 6 September 1869.



Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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To

THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

To, Secy, Genl.

Dated September, 28th.

Recd.

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SECRETARY.

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