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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
29th March 1871.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 139. From Honorary Assistant-Surgeon R. HUFFTON, in Medical charge, Chetterpore, to the Acting Agent to the Governor of Fort Saint George in Ganjam, dated Chetterpore, 28th January 1871, No. 79.

With reference to the enclosed “retrenchment” against me for pay, &c., drawn in excess of the consolidated salary of the appointment I now hold, I beg respectfully to request you will be so good as to submit this my application to Government with your support for a refund of the sum said to be overdrawn, and also that, in future, I may be allowed the salary of my rank in common with those Commissioned Officers the pay, &c., of whose rank is in excess of the sanctioned allowance of their appointment.

2. The grounds on which I make this application are as follow :—

1st.—The G. O. G. of the 4th October 1870 distinctly states that I am admitted to the superior rates of pay, &c., granted to Senior Apothecaries, and for which increased sum due provision has been made in the Budget for the current official year.

2nd.—That the salary of the appointment I now hold is consolidated subject to an increment every five years, but is at present less than that of the pay and house-rent of a Senior Apothecary by Rupees 100 monthly.

3rd.—That by the ruling of the Government of India which limits effective service to fifty-eight years of age (published a few months ago), I cannot benefit by the increment above noted, as I will have attained that age long before I can be entitled to it as I must retire fifteen months hence.

4th.—That the Accountant-General's reply to my demur, in the accompanying retrenchment, does not reject my claim to the pay and allowances of a Senior Apothecary, but simply requires an order of Government to enable the Accountant-General's Department to make the rule, permitting Commissioned Officers to draw the pay of their rank in lieu of that of their appointment, applicable to other Officers of the Medical Department.

3. Under these circumstances, I beg most respectfully to request that the Government will, under the peculiar circumstances of my case, be graciously pleased to consider it favourably and allow me the same indulgence already granted to Commissioned Officers (a rank I have recently attained), viz., that of drawing pay and house-rent of rank in lieu of that appointment, seeing that I cannot benefit by the increment granted in an appointment, the salary of which is consolidated.

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No. 149.

Copy, with enclosure in original, submitted to Government for orders.

RUSSELCONDAH,
21st February 1871.

(Signed) J. HOPE,
Actg. Collector of Ganjam.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.

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29th March 1871.*

Forwarded to the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, for his remarks.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
16th March 1871.

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Under Secy. to Govt.

No. 140. From the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Fort Saint George, 20th March 1871, No. 95.

In returning the documents marginally noted, referred under your Under Secretary's docket of the 16th March, I have the honour to remark, for the information of Government, that Mr. Huffton has stated the case quite correctly in saying that the consolidated salary of his appointment is considerably less than the pay and allowances of a Senior Apothecary, and that, by his superannuation in about fifteen months hence, he will be deprived of any benefit from the increase in his salary which would ensue after five years' tenure of a Civil appointment.

2. Under these circumstances, and considering Mr. Huffton's long and faithful services to the State, I would express a hope that the Government may be pleased, as a special case, to sanction to him the rate of pay and allowances which he would draw as a Senior Apothecary in Military employ, more especially as a similar indulgence is granted to Commissioned Medical Officers under like circumstances.

No. 140-A. ORDER THEREON, 29th March 1871, No. 417.

His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves, under the terms of paragraph 5 of G. O. G. G., No. 1060 of 1864, published in the *Fort Saint George Gazette* of the 6th January 1865, and G. O. G., dated the 4th October 1870, to sanction, as a special case, the disbursement to Mr. Apothecary Huffton of the pay and allowances of a Senior Apothecary while in Medical charge of Chetterpore.

2. His Excellency in Council is of opinion, however, that Medical Subordinates who are entitled, according to their Warrant rank, to higher salaries than are assigned to the Medical charge of a Civil Station, should not, as a rule, be appointed to, or retained in, such charges.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Acting Collector of Ganjam, with an enclosure returned.

„ „ Accountant-General.

„ Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.

„ Military Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

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4. That the Accountant General's reply
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(Letter from
28th January 1871)

I have &c - &c - &c
Signed / R. Hutton
Honorary Assistant Surgeon
in Medical Charge
(Letter from)

No 119

Copy with enclosure in original submitted
to Government for orders.

(Camp Massell, Sec. Sec. Sec.)
21st February 1871

Appointment.

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I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedt Servant.

W. MacKenzie Esq.

Inspector General
Ind. Med. Department.

Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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By order of the Inspector General

Public St. Secretary

20th March 1871.
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