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G.O., DATED 2nd June 1890

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Archaeology

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From A. REA, Esq., M.R.A.S., First Assistan
Secretary to the Government of F
15th May 1890, No. 298.

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* Nos. 416 & 417 of 19th May 1889, Public.
No. 316 of 23rd May 1889, Financial.
No. 461 of 29th May 1889, Public.
No. 140 of 26th February 1890, Financial.

2. I would also be glad to know und
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ENCLOSURE

From J. W. P. MUIR MACKENZIE, Esq., C.S., Un
to A. REA, Esq., Archæological Surve
Calcutta, the 19th March 1890, No. 276-C.

I am directed to inform you that with the cons
of the Archæological Survey Work in Madras, will
from the 1st April next.

From that date any reports, &c., that you n
forwarded to the Local Government.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Governme
Department, to the Chief Secretary
dated Simla, 19th May 1890.

Your telegram of 25th March, Secretar
pay at 500—50—600. Sanction awarded o
May and letter of 19th March.

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Read (proof contd.)

C. Nos. 554, 612, 831, 909, 836, 1390, 900(A), 906(A) & 1493

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Read also G.O. No. 395 dt 2nd June 1890.

Order: 2 June [90] No. 396

It is understood from the telegram from the G. of I. dated 19th May 1890, in the Home Dept that the two Archaeo-logical parties super-intended by Mr Rea & Dr Hultzsch have been provincialised with effect from 1st April last.

2. Separate orders will be passed on the subject of conservation of ~~[illegible]~~ ancient remains* which is discussed in Mr Rea's letters of 19th & 26th February [illegible] recorded above. [Some of the suggestions are impracticable.]

With reference to 3

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see C. No. 1498 linked file

H.C. 9 June

* Note. – A typical case has come up in the shape of an Estt. from the Madura district which has been kept back till the G. of I. passed orders (or will shortly be considered). It will be seen from the last § of the Rev. (linked file) that the P.W.D. are, as hitherto, to be charged with the conservation of old buildings. The orders on the subject go much farther than appears to have been intended, & Mr Rea would [illegible] go still farther [illegible] with temples in use.

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of the Rev. of the Govt. of India d/ 5 May /60. No. $\frac{2}{5-60}$. Dr. Hultzsch will submit proposition statements to give effect to the proposals made in his own letter of 14 March last, after reconsidering these in the light

will reconsider the proposals made in his own letter No. 111 d/ 14 March last, and submit proposition statements to give effect to the arrangements which he finally recommends.

2. The Archaeological Surveyor can now deal himself with the subject of his letter No. 287 d/ 6 May, & as regards his letter No. ~~296~~ 266 of the 10th idem, he should address the Acct. Genl. & request that officer to lay the case before Government.

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Epigraphist
Acct. Genl

⊗ C. No. 999

SWS 13 May

Public

Note for the Hon. Mr. Stokes

On the 28th March last ⊗ the Govt. of India telegraphed to say that orders about the pay of Dr. Hultzsch would "issue from Simla".

2. This was in answer to the telegram drafted by the H.M. on the 25th March & despatched the same day.

3. The Govt. of India now been up at Sim for some time, and seems desirable to press for an answer as the whole question is drifting into a state of confusion.

There are several q before Govt. which call for decision

May the following telegram be despa

[No: 168] "Your telegram March regarding Hu Madras Govt. Solic orders."

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For the C. S.

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ARCHÆOLOGICAL SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

Madura, 26th February 1890.

No. 88.

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FIRST ASSISTANT,

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Pub. C No. 554

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From

The First Asstt
Archeological Survey
Madras.

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Submitting a scheme
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A. Rea
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[9] Public DEPARTMENT.

Telegram

From

The Rev: & Agril. Deptt. Simla

No.

Dated 19th } May 1890.
Received 20th }

Enclosures

SUBJECT.

Stating that the Secy of State has been asked to sanction Dr. Hultzsch's pay @ 500-50-60

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23rd JUNE 1890, No. 396, PUBLIC.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From A. REA, Esq., M.R.A.S., First Assistant, Archæological Survey, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, dated Madura, 19th February 1890, No. 79.

I have the honor to submit a scheme for improving the work of conservation of ancient buildings in the Madras Presidency.

2. The proposals entail no radical changes on the existing order of things, but are simply improvements, which, from experience, would produce better results.

3. Formerly a Conservator, on a high salary, held the appointment for the whole of India.

4. The present arrangement is, that the district revenue officers prepare detailed lists of ancient remains requiring conservation, and forward the sheets to the Archæologigal Surveyor for the Presidency, who submits to the local Government for their orders, such cases as require attention.

5. This scheme is a good one in its scope, but in the detail of its working it has shown some defects which prevent it fully carrying out its intended purpose. These may be stated as follows :—

I. In the lists, periodically prepared and forwarded by district revenue officials, it seems rather too much to expect these hard worked officers to prepare full particulars of every object requiring conservation in their district. To do so to any purpose, requires a lengthy personal inspection; and this neither they nor their subordinates have the time to give. If the chief officer of a district has a taste for Archæology, his subordinates are quick to see it, and forward him lists of buildings or other ancient remains they happen to see during their tours. If the reverse is the, case or if their time is too fully occupied with an overpress of revenue work the returns are nil.

II. As an example, I may state that in this year's statements received up to date, three districts are reported as having no monuments in need of conservation.

III. It is surely not too much to assert that among the thousands of ancient buildings in these three districts, there must be at least one or more buildings requiring conservation. But the Collector himself cannot be expected to search them out, and when found devote some considerable time to the description of each. Even in those inspected by his subordinates, as long as a full description of each example is required of them, the lists will continue to be defective and incomplete, or perhaps, more often the case, not sent in at all. In out-of-the-way places, in all districts—out of the routes of European officials—

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there are innumera ains, which would be brought to notice by native subordinate if they understood it was their duty to note them. The the reporting must always be done by native subordinate they cannot be expected to have the technical knowle red to frame an estimate of cost or decide which buildings, ins as or other ancient remains are historically or architecturally im t.

IV. At present no officer Archæological survey bears any title to shew that such an tant department as that of conservation exists under Govern This may perhaps seem an insignificant matter, but it is far ng so. I had occasion lately to hear of an official who notice uilding in a state of decay, but did not know to whom he sho port it. If this is true with officials, much more so is it wit any non-officials, such as Missionaries and others who might od work in reporting any examples they come across.

6. I would submit the following sals for consideration :—

I. The grant should, as at p , be a Provincial one.

II. A conservation branch of Archæological Department should be properly constituted, th veyor having the title of "Conservator of ancient monuments e——— Presidency."

III. He should have a small y allowance,—say Rs. 100 to 150—and a sufficient travell llowance, from the local grant for conservation.

IV. Before reporting for the ders of Government, he should when necessary, personally inspect, or further enquire into any remains requiring extensive repairs and be able to inspect the repairs being carried out. He must, however, have first class travelling allowances, otherwise the rule would fall very heavily on those who at present are only entitled to draw second class allowances.

V. Collectors should report to the Archæological Department as at present, but should *not* be required to give in their preliminary list fully detailed particulars of very monument, and repairs required; they cannot be expected to give the time to it. They would, however, provide any necessary further information as to the extent of the repairs, called for by the Conservator in any particular case.

VI. They should simply note any examples reported by their subordinates, or those they themselves happen to see; state the state of decay and if repairs seem necessary or urgent,—somewhat after the following form :—

"Conservation of Ancient Remains in the Madras Presidency 1889-90."

MADURA DIST CT.

Taluk.	Village.	Ancient onuments or Ins ptions.	Remarks.
Melur	Kovilpatti	S. Temp	Extensive repairs urgent.
Tirumangalum	Areyúr	Do.	Partial repairs desirable.
Do.	Do.	Inscriptin	Removal to a place of safety.
Palni	Perumall Hill near Kodaikkanal	Cromlech	Being destroyed by vegetation.

VII. If the Conservator requires information on any example, he can write to the Collecto istrict. This obviates the tedious filling in of details of buildi which are in no immediate need of conservation. All the Conse tor should require is, that monuments be brought to his notice. It should be for him to decide whether they are to be repaired, and his duty to frame the estimates, and inspect the remains if he thinks it necessary. The work would, as usual, be carried out by local officers of the Public works Department in communication with the Conservator.

VIII. A circular should be in the hands of officers and subordinates of all departments, requiring them to report briefly to their immediate superiors all ancient remains in a state of decay which they may chance to see. These would be entered in the list kept in the Collector's Office, and forwarded periodically to the Conservator, who would take such action as seemed to him necessary in each particular case.

IX. The rule which at present prevents any grant being sanctioned for the repair of temples in use for worship, should in certain cases, at the discretion of the Conser ator, be rescinded. At present it produces in some instances, a baneful effect in its working. Temples with rich endowments should of course receive nothing. Their authorities can simply be requested to carry out any repairs suggested by the Conservator. I may note as example, that in the Bellary District, there are some of the finest monuments in the Presidency, in the form of small Chalukyan Temples, covered with beautiful carved stone work. They have no money, and are generally in a state of decay. Even though authorities had funds, they would not execute repairs, but would expend them on whitewash. It seems an anomaly that these mo ments, simply because they chance to be in the hands of private in ividuals, should be allowed to go utterly to ruin; as they certainly will in the course of a few years unless something is done by Gov rnment to prevent it.

7. I would request that such parts of th e proposals as refer to Revenue Officers, might if Government thinks it necess , be submitted for the opinions of Collectors of District.

8. Should the scheme receive the favourabl onsideration of the Government of Madras, I would suggest that it might e rwarded to the Government of India, as it would be desirable to have a uni m system at work in all the Presidencies.

From A. REA, Esq., M.R.A.S., First Assis rchæological Survey, to the Chief Secretary to the Governmen o St. George, dated Madura, 26th February 1890, No. 88.

I have the honor to suggest a scheme fo better tabulating of certain hitherto unnoted Archæological remains in the s Presidency.

2. From what I have seen in various distr I should think the published ts of antiquities and inscriptions do not on erage represent much more n about half the remains which actually ex The now tabulated ancient nds of the Kistna district are an example, e but a fraction of several dreds had been previously noted.

3. Occasionally I receive fron ors, descriptions of temples, caves and other remains which have been di red in their districts. Numbers of others must however be often seen, but ne made a note of.

4. Civil officers who have pas d a great many years in the districts cannot but have seen, in the course of their tours, many antiquities which may have struck them as being unusual or interesting. Officers who go out of the beaten tracks after game, very often find interesting remains such as deserted towns or other ruins in the jungle. I have invariably received valuable information from officers of districts I have visited. But a great deal must be known to the many civil officers scattered over the Presidency, which unless some steps are taken to record it, must ultimately be lost sight of. They may have spent the greater part of their service, and when they retire, they take away with them much useful information, which, if but available might be turned to good account. Collectors have undoubtedly, opportunities for observation, which can only be acquired by a prolonged stay in, and intimate acquaintance with a district. As an example, I may quote the interesting note n antiquities, found in the different District Manuals. These are usually wi n from personal observation.

5. As a means to this end, ould suggest that skeleton maps of each district be prepared to a uniform and convenient scale. One would be sent to each Collector once a year. He would be requested to mark in any stricking antiquities, which he had seen or heard of in his district, and circulate it to his divisional officers for their additions. Nothing need be entered except what seems to them to be unusual or hitherto unknown. It would then be returned to the Archælogical Department.

6. In this way many interesting discoveries would be brought to light, and the Archæological Surveyor wou be put in the way of learning of antiquities which in such a vast extent of country, he could never acquire a knowledge of by his own unaided exertions.

7. The Architectural dist ution of pre-historic remains, including dolmens, cromlecks, menhirs and stone-cir ; Buddhist caves, stupas, and other structures; Hindu and Jaina caves, templ s inscriptions; ancient mounds: ruined towns or other remains would thus c o be more accurately known; and when some unusual discovery was heard e Archæological Surveyor would make it his duty to visit it.

8. The scheme need cau extra work to district officers. They would simply note at their leisure, a g striking or unusual they had chanced to see in the course of their tours c ue work. The first map would include anything in this line that they r member to have seen during their period of service. The succeeding ma ld chiefly shew what had been noted during the preceding year.

9. One consideration sug itself. A Collector does not usually spend the whole of his service in one di He may have served many years in one, and be well acquainted with its a es: but he may perhaps have been but a short time in the district where he ns to be when the maps are issued. He can perhaps thus give but little i ation regarding its Archæology. It might be well, therefore, on the first c two occasions, to send to each Collector a map of each district; and he mi requested to note anything he knows of the antiquities of other districts h he may have been located.

10. The maps would be ed by Topographical Survey on a scale similar to those used in the District ls. A few copies, perhaps a dozen, of the map of each district would at first ficient. They need contain only the towns and large villages, roads, rivers s.

11. Considering the pr y of good results; the scheme is at least worthy of a trial.

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From DR. E. HULTZSCH, Epigra Archaeological Survey of Southern India, To The Chief Secre furthe overnment, Fort St. George, dated Tirupparankunram, 14th March of 0, No. 111.

I have the honor to request that Govern ent might be so good as to recommend to the Government of India, the retention of my services as Epigraphist to the Government of Madras, from the 21st November 1889, on which day my original three years' appointment has expired, under the following conditions:—1. A salary of Rs. 500 per mensem; 2. An annual increment which would enable me to draw first class allowances on my next tour. I make this request because, owing to the nature of my appointment which necessitates travelling for long distances and into various districts, I have incurred a considerable pecuniary loss on each of my four last tours, during which I was only entitled to second class allowances.

2. I request that a pay of Rs. 75 per mensem with an annual increment might be accorded to my astistant, Mr. V. Venkayya, M.A., who is unwilling to stay at his present pay of Rs. 55. Mr. Venkayya is an excellent Tamil and Sanskrit Scholar and as proved most trustworthy, painstaking and efficient during the three years for which he has been employed under me. It would be a real loss to Indian Epigraphy if his talents and experience could not be secured for a further period.

3. With reference to paragraph 4 of the Despatch of Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 104, dated, 30th September 1886, and with reference to paragraph 3 of my agreement (Madras G. O., dated 3rd December 1886, No. 2519, Public), I suggest that two other young graduates, one from the Kanarese and one from the Telugu country, might be appointed, to be trained in, and at the same time to assist me in, the study of Kanarese and Telugu inscriptions.

4. Finally, I request that my peon might receive the same pay as Mr. Rea's peons, viz., 10 instead of 9 Rs per mensem.

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From J. W. P. MUIR MACKENZIE, q., C.S., Under Secretary to the Government of India, To the Sec ry to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Calcutta, 19th M 1890, No. 280-C., (Revenue and Agricultural Department, (Archa y).

In continuation of my letter, No. 2 , dated the 27th ultimo, and with reference to your telegram, dated the 12th ant, I am directed to state for the information of His Excellency the Gover in Council that though it is still proposed to transfer the control of the A ological Survey Establishments to the Local Government from the 1st April , the Government of India prefers that the expenditure connected with the w should continue to be Imperial as heretofore. It will be convenient that the ptroller of India Treasuries should bring the expenditure to account. That r will be instructed to inform the Government of Madras of the amounts pr l in the Budget for Archæological Survey Work, and to give the Local Gover t from time to time such information as it may desire. I am to say that t rovincial Government will not be put to any increased expenditure by the abo rrangement.

2. The Government of India is also ple to sanction travelling allowances at first class rates for both Mr. Rea and Dr tzsch.

Telegram from the Chief Secretary to the G ment of Madras, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Re and Agricultural Department, dated 25th March 1890.

No. 94. Your 280-C, dated 19th Mar . Is the draft resolution still to issue. Are Hultzsch's pay and increments ioned from 21st November last.

Provincial funds at present pa ol or the Archæological Survey. I
Hultzsch's and Rea's parties are vecialized from 1st April with a grant of
Rs. 21,279, while employed in M r, or if this Government is allowed to deal
with details, it will meet all add al charges for the parties from Provincial
Funds.

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From the Controller of India Tr es, to the Secretary to the Government of
Fort Saint George, dated tta, 30th April 1890, No. 1-B. K.

At the request of the Gover t of India in the Revenue and Agricultural
Department, I have the honor to rd a Memo. of the amounts provided in the
Budget for 1890-91, for Archæ al Survey Work.

BUDGET of the Archa cal Survey Department, 1890-91.

Madras.

	RS.
Surveyor, Mr. Rea	5,400
Epigraphist, Dr. Hultzsch	6,000
Establishment—	
Draughtsmen	3,610
Clerks (including Dr. ch's Establishment) ...	1,550
Travelling Allowance	2,720
Contingencies	1,380
To vided in Budget for Archæological Work in Madras	20,660

From A. REA, Esq., M.R.A.S., Assistant, Archæological Survey, to the Chief
Secretary to the Gov ent of Fort St. George, dated Bangalore, 6th
May 1890, No. 287.

In continuation of my le No. 66 of the 10th February 1890, and with
reference to G.O. No. 141, Pu lated 24th February 1890, I have the honor to
request that Government mig pleased to confirm the appointment of C. Srinivasaieyengar to the perman st of clerk in this office.

2. He has now served th ation of three months ordered by Government,
has had his share of camp and work, and has proved himself, well suited to
both.

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From A. ~~REA~~, Esq., M.R.A.S Assistant, Archæological Survey, to the Chief
Secretary to the G ent of Fort St. George, dated Bangalore, 14th
May 1890, No. ~~266~~

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see G.O. No. 1871
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With reference to G. . 115, Financial, dated 17th February 1890,
sanctioning my drawing extr ng allowance at the town of Madura during my
late tour of duty there, I h honour to state that the Comptroller of India
Treasuries afterwards infor that it would require the further sanction of
the Government of Ind

2. I, therefore, address Government of India on the subject. But the
Archæological Department been placed under the direct control of th
Madras Government from t April last, they informed me that any application for orders of Governme ndia should be submitted through the Govern
ment of Madras.

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CHIEF SECRETARIAT
11 MAR 90

Dear Mr. Grose

His Excellency desires me to send you the enclosed papers, which he has seen. The telegram passed today by H.E. & [illegible] of the H.M.'s asks, I think, for all Dr. Hultzsch wants. Query however about the loan of his assistant? Yours truly

J.D. Rees

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Madura,
5th March 18

Dear Mr Rees,

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When I had the pleasure of meeting you at Government Hous on the 28th ultimo, you kindly permitted me to address you in the matter of my reengagement, an subsequently His Excellency Lord Connemara himself graciously gave me permission to draw up a short Memo for his perusal. This I am now forwarding and should be greatly obliged if you would submit it to His Excellency. I have cut it short as much as possible to avoid taki up your and His Excellency's time which is fully occupied with more impor matters.

Believe me, Dear Mr Rees,
Yours sincerely
E. Hultzsch.

J. D. Rees, Esq.

Madura, 5th March 1890.

Memo.

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Dr. E. Hultzsch was appointed Epigra Archæological Survey of Southern India, by the Secretary of State on the 22nd July 1886 for three years at a monthly pay of Rs. 400, with the duty of collecting and publishing South-Indian inscriptions, and took up his appointment on the 21st November 1886. He is at present engaged on his fourth official tour, and his progress report from October 1889 to January 1890 is in the press. The printing of his first volume of inscriptions is finished, and the volume will be issued by the Superintendent, Government Press, as soon as the title-page (with the selling-price and the names of agents) will have been sanctioned and returned by Government. On the 29th March 1889 (G.O., No. 29: Public) His Excellency in Council

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was pleased to recommend to the Govt of India Dr Burgess's proposal that the services of Dr Hultzsch be retained and that his salary be increased. As the decision of the Govt of India has not yet been received, Dr Hultzsch has been staying on at his original pay after the 21st November 1889, on which his original engagement expired. He now humbly requests that His Excellency Lord Connemara might be pleased to suggest to the Govt of India,

1. That he be reengaged for three or more years from the 21st November 1889 at a pay of at least Rs. 500 with an annual increment and first class allowances.

2. That the pay of his assistant, Mr V. Venkayya, M.A., who has been doing excellent work for three years and who is in receipt of Rs. 55 per mensem, might be likewise raised and an annual increment accorded to him.

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3. That Mr J. F. Fleet, Bo. C.S., Bijapur, and Mr R. Sewell, M.C.S., Bellary, might be officially referred to as to the desirability of retaining Dr Hultzsch's services.

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MADRAS 30 MAY 90 REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Madras Revenue

Your telegram of 25 March secretary of state asked to sanction Lutts schs pay at 500 ~~x~~ 50 600 sanction awaited on other points see resolution of twelfth May and letter of nineteenth March

Not yet rec'd - 29/5/90.

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Pub DEPARTMENT.

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From

The 1st Asst Archaeology Survey
Bangalore

Print

Eo 396/2-6-90 cif

No. 258

Dated 15th } May 1890
Received 16th }
Enclosures one

SUBJECT.

Stating that the Archaeological Dept has been placed under the charge of the Madras Govt, from the 1st April last.

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ARCHÆOLOGICAL SURVEY DEPARTMENT.
Bangalore 15th May 1890.

C No 906

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No. 298

From
A. Rea, Esquire M. R. A. S.,
FIRST ASSISTANT,

To
The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Madras

16 MAY 90

SIR,

With reference to the marginally noted G. Os.× and the accompanying copy of a letter from the Government of India, No. 276. C. of 19th March 1890, stating that the Archaeological Department has been placed under charge of the Madras Government from the 1st April last, I have the honour to enquire if Government has yet passed any orders regarding my new official designation, salary, ~~and~~ travelling allowances, &c.

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Nos. 416 & 417 of 9th May 1889. P.
No. 316. 23rd May 1889. F
No. 461. 29th May 1889. P.
No. 140. of 26th Feby 1890 F.

2:- I would also be glad to know under

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under what Head of -ervice My Bills should now be c arged. Also the arrangements ma for the publication of my nnual reports and drawings.

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3:- If the scheme for the Conservation of ancient buildings, brought to the notice of Government in my letter No. 79 of the 19th February last, is considered along with the above noted correspondence, I might suggest that paragraph 7, need not be ... , now rchaeologi=cal survey of South India is solely a Department of the Madras Government.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

First Assistant.

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No. 276 C.

From

J. W. P. Muir Mackenzie Esqr. C. S.
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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To.

A. Rea Esqr.
Archaeological Survey Department
Madras.

Rev: & Agril: deptt.
Archaeology.

Calcutta the 19th March 1890.

Sir,

I am directed to inform you that with the Consent of the Local Government the Control of the Archaeological Survey work in Madras will be transferred to the Local Government from the 1st April next.

From that date any Reports &ca. that you may have to ubmit should therefore be forwarded the Local Government.

ave the honour to be,

Sir,

Your ost obedient Servant,

(Sd) J M Mackenzie

Un ry to the Govt. of India

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From The 1st asst. Arch. Survey Bangalore

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Print

No. 296

Dated 14 } May 1890
Received 15 }
Enclosures

SUBJECT.

Requesting that the Govt. of India may be addressed regarding his extra halting allowance at the town of Madura.

Lie over — till India
no use writing
answers the Govt. telegram

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ARCHÆOLOGICAL SURVEY DEPARTMENT.
Bangalore 14th May 1890.

16 MAY 90

No. 296 25

From A. Rea, Esquire, M.R.A.S.,
FIRST ASSISTANT,

To The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Madras

SIR,

With reference to G. O. No. 115 Financial, dated 17th February 1890, Sanctioning my drawing extra halting allowance at the town of Madura during my late tour of duty there, I have the honour to state that the Comptroller of India treasuries afterwards informed me that it would require the further sanction [illegible] the Government of India.

2:- I therefore addressed the Government of India on the subject. But the Archæological Department having [illegible] placed under the

direct

direct control of the Madras
Government from the 1st April
last, they informed me that any
application for orders of Government
of India should be submitted through
the Government of Madras.

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3:- Article 1159 of the Civil Service Regulations would seem to place the sole power of granting such an allowance with the local Government; but if the further sanction of the Imperial Government is required, I would request that the Madras Government might be pleased to submit it as a special case, as I have at various times lost considerable sums through deficient travelling allowance.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
A Rea
First Assistant.

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CURRENT No. 1390 nc

24/2/90 No 141 Nos Pub

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Public DEPARTMENT.

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From

A. Rea Esq.
1st Asst. Arch: Survey

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2-6-90

No. 284

Dated 6th } May 1890
Received 8th }
Enclosures

SUBJECT.

Requesting to confirm the appointment of C. Srinivasa Iyer to the permanent post of clerk in his office:

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ARCHÆOLOGICAL SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

Bangalore, 6th May 1890.

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CHIEF SECRETARY 8 MAY 90 MADRAS

From

A. R[illegible] Esquire, M. R. A. S.,

FIRST ASSISTANT,

To

The Chief Secretary

to the Government of Madras.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No. 66 of the 10th February 1890, and with reference to G. O. No. 141 Public, dated 24th February 1890, I have the honour to request that Government might be pleased to confirm the appointment of C. Srinivasaiyengar to the permanent post of [illegible] in this office.

He has now served the probation [illegible] three months ordered by Gove[illegible]ment, has had his share of Camp [illegible]d office work, and has prove[illegible] himself well suited to to both.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most bedient Servant,

A. V.

First Assistant.

C.S.

Entd. 396/2-6-90

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C. I. T. No. 271.

Offi he Comptroller of India Treasuries.
THE TREASURY, CALCUTTA.

No. 11/RR, dated the 30th April 1890.

FROM
THE C PTROLLER OF INDIA TREASURIES,

TO
THE Secretary to the Government of Madras

REVENUE DEPARTMENT
8 MAY 90

No. of Enclosures.
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SIR,

At the request of the Government of India in the Revenue and Agricultural Department I ve the honour to forward a Memo. of the amounts povided in the Budget for 1890-9 for Archaeological Survey Work.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedient Serva

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Comptroller India Treasuries

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From

The Comptroller Indian Treasuries

Calcutta

Ex 396/2-6-90 Ord

No 11/R.R.

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Budget of the Archaeol ical Survey Department 16

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Madras

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	Rs
Surveyor – Mr Rea	5.400
Epigraphist – Dr Hultzsch @ 500/-	6.000
Establishment	
Draughtsmen.	3.610
Clerks (including Dr Hultzsch's Establishment)	1.550
Travelling Allowance	2720
Contingencies	1.380
Total Provided in ~~the~~ Budget for Archaeological Survey Work in Madras.	20.660

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Public C. No. 999

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 2483 30/396

Tel:

From

The Government of India
Rev: & Agril. Dept.

Ex 396/2-6-90 ord

Dated 28 March

Received 29 " in Public for Revenue 2/4

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SUBJECT.

Stating that orders will be issued from Simla about Mr. Hultzsch's pay.

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ABSTRACT.

C No. 999

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Monthly Number 11840

To (Office) Madras 32/296

From (Office) Calcutta Park St.

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To (Person) Secretary
Revenue Dept

From (Person) 32 Revenue

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Your Telegram 25th Orders about lutzsche pay will issue from simla

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At Hrs. Mts. by

Telegraph Master.

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MADRAS 28-3-90

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Telegram to the Govt: of India, Revenue & Agricultural Department – dated 25th March. –.

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No. 94. your 280C. dated 19 March 90 + Is the draft resolution still to issue + Are Hultzsch's pay and increments sanctioned from 21 November last + Provincial funds at present pay nothing for the Archæological survey + If Hultzsch's and Rea's parties are provincialized from 1st April with a grant of Rs 21279 while employed in Madras, or if this Government is allowed to deal with details, it will meet all additional charges for the parties from provincial funds.

Public C. 909.
and 831.

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The Govt. of India is evidently under the impression that provincial funds now contribute about Rs 3000, which as Mr. Pringle showed is not the case. I would telegraph at once as follows.

No. 94 "Your 280 C. dated 19 March 90. Is the draft Resolution still to issue? Are Hultzsch's pay & increments sanctioned from 21st November last? Provincial Funds at present pay nothing for the Archaeological Survey. If Hultzsch's & Rea's posts are provincialized from 1 April with a grant of Rs 21279 while employed in Madras, or if this Govt. is allowed to deal with details, ~~[illegible]~~ it will meet all ~~[illegible]~~ additional charges (both salaries) from provincial funds.

WS
25 March.

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Submitted to the Hon: Mr. Stokes. C.S.I.

Para: 2 of the current letter from India renders it doubtful whether the draft Resolution in G.O. No. 195 d/ 11.3.90 will issue, but the Govt: of India still "proposes" to transfer control from 1st April. Further orders may therefore be expected.

A letter from Dr. Hultzsch on the subject f his new agreement, pay &ca is submitted & orders are requested whether it shall be sent on to India as no definite orders have yet been recd. on G.O. 293-294 d/29. 3. 89 (which is however quoted at the head f the draft Resolution).

As Imperial is to ontinue to pay for the

Establishment India's orders on paras: 3 & 4 of Dr. H's letter are necessary. Madras proposed that the pay of Dr. H's Asst. sh^d^ be raised to 70/- but 75/- & an annual increment is now recommended. Para: 9 of the draft Resol^n^ provides for "Two students in Epigraphy Rs: 50 to Rs: 80".

Para: 2 of the current might be com^d^ to M: Rea, Dr. Hultzsch & the Acct: Genl: at once.

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F.D.B. 24.3.90.

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Pub. DEPARTMENT.

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From

The Gov^t^ of India R. & A. Dep^tt^

No. ~~2806~~

Dated 19^th^ } March 90.
Received 24^th^ } March 90.
Enclosures ——

SUBJECT.

Regarding the expenditure connected ~~of~~ with the Archaeological survey establishment

Print

No. 280 C. C. No. 90/12

From
J. W. P. Muir Mackenzie, Esquire, C.S.,
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India,

24 MAR 90

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras.

Revenue and
Agril. Dept.
(Archaeology.)

Calcutta, the 19th March 1890.

G.O. 11/3/90
No 195.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No. 216 C. dated the 27th ultimo, and with reference to your telegram dated the 12th instant, I am directed to state for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council that though it is still proposed to transfer the control of the Archaeological Survey Establishments to the Local Government from the 1st April 1890, the Government of India prefers that the expenditure connected with the work should continue to be Imperial as heretofore. It will be convenient that the Comptroller of India Treasuries should bring the expenditure to account. That Officer will be instructed to inform the Government of Madras of the amounts provided in the Budget for Archaeological Survey work, and to give the Local Government from time to time such information as it may

x C. No. 836/90.

may desire. I am to say [illegible]t the Provincial Government will not be[illegible]t to any increased expenditure by the above [illegible]rangement.

2. The Government of [illegible]ia is also pleased to sanction travelling allowances at first class rates for both Mr. Rea and Dr. Hultzsch.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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Pub. DEPARTMENT.

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From

Dr. E. Hultzsch
Epigraphist

Ed. 396/2-6-90 Ord

No.

Dated 14th } March 90.
Received 16th }
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Enclosures

SUBJECT.

Regarding the retention of his services as Epigraphist to the Govt. of Madras.

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Camp Tirupparankun
near Madura,
14th March 1890.

CHIEF SECRETARY
16 MAR 90
NT OF MADRAS

of Southern India,

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Madras

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Pub DEPARTMENT.

From 39/396

The First Asstt
Archaeological Survey
Madras

Eo 396/2-6-90 Ed

No. 88

Dated 26th Feby } 90
Received 1st March } 90
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SUBJECT.

Submitting a scheme for the better tabulating of certain hitherto unnoted Archaeological remains in the Madras Presidency.

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CHIEF SECRETA
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ARCHÆOLOGICAL SURVEY DEPARTM

dura, 19th February 1890.

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From

A. T. quire, M.R.A.S.,

FIRST ASSISTANT,

To

The Secretary

to vernment of Madras.

SIR,

I ha nour to submit a scheme for improving the nservation of Ancient buildings in the Presidency.

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Presidency, who submits to L cal Government for their orders, such cases a uire attention.

5:- This scheme is a good o its scope, but in the detail of its working it h own some defects which prevent it fully carr out its intended purpose. These may be stated a llows:-

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I. In the lists, peri ally prepared and forwarded by distr evenue officials, it seems rather too mu to expect these hard worked officers to pre full particulars of every object requir onservation in their district. To do so to a urpose, requires a lengthy personal ection; and this neither they nor subordinates have the time to give. e chief officer of a district has a ta for Archaeology his subordinates a nick to see it, and forward him lists of bu ings or other ancient remains th appen to see during their tours. If the rse is the case, or if their time is too ful ccupied with an over-press of revenwork the returns are nil.

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D/26 February 90.

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From
Dr. E. Hultzsch,
Epigraphist,
Archaeological

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Hon.

For orders whether the consideration of this scheme shall be deferred until Mr. Rea & his Estt. are placed under the control of this Govt: or whether any action shall be taken with reference to the suggestions in paras: 7 & 8 of Mr. Rea's letter.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
21 MAR 90
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS