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G.O., No. 673, 25th June 1896.

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Government Epigraphist.

Sanctioning the permanent transfer of the office
of the — from Bangalore to Ootacamund from
the 1st February 1897.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers :—

G.O., No. 1909, Public, dated 10th September 1886.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating to the Director-General of the Archæological Survey of India copies of papers received from the Government of India on the subject of the prosecution of the Archæological Survey work in the Madras and Bombay Presidencies.

G.O., No. 2519, Public, dated 3rd December 1886.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating to the Director-General of the Archæological Survey of India certain papers respecting the appointment of Dr. Hultzsch as Epigraphist in the Madras Archæological Survey, and his arrival at Madras.

READ—also the following paper :—

From Dr. E. HULTZSCH, Government Epigraphist, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Bangalore, 4th May 1896, No. 214.

I have the honour to request that the Government might be pleased to sanction the permanent removal of my office from Bangalore to Ootacamund. In clause 11 of my original agreement (printed in G.O., No. 2519, Public, dated 3rd December 1886), it was stated "that during the hot weather at Madras the Government would find me free quarters in a hill station to be selected by them". At the advice of Dr. Burgess, the late Director-General of the Archæological Survey, I moved during the first hot season to Bangalore, which was subsequently declared to be my head-quarters, and the Government allowance for free quarters was converted into a monthly allowance for office rent. In favour of my request that the hill station which is to be my head-quarters might in future be Ootacamund instead of Bangalore, I beg to submit the following reasons.

2. Bangalore being situated in the Mysore State and being the seat of very few British civil offices, an officer stationed here is rather out of touch with Government, whose head-quarters are at Madras and Ootacamund.

3. Secondly, the term "hill station" hardly applies to Bangalore. During the last few hot seasons my wife and children have been oppressed by the heat of Bangalore to such an extent that they cannot risk to spend another summer here, and that, unless I am allowed to reside permanently at Ootacamund, I should have to apply for one year's furlough in 1897 in order to take them to Europe; while, if my request is granted, I shall not apply for furlough until 1898, when my present engagement expires.

4. In conclusion, I request that the date of the permanent removal of my office to Ootacamund might be the 1st February 1897.

ORDER—No. 673, Public, dated 25th June 1896.

The permanent transfer of the office of the Government Epigraphist from Bangalore to Ootacamund from the 1st February 1897 is sanctioned on the understanding that the Government is put to no extra expense thereby.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Government Epigraphist.
„ Accountant-General.

Exd. A. Raiff.

10TH SEPTEMBER 1886, No. 1909, PUBLIC.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

Despatch from the Right Honorable the EARL OF KIMBERLEY, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 22nd July 1886, No. 85 (Statistics and Commerce).

I have received and considered in Council your letter, No. 140 (Finance and Commerce), of the 4th of May last, in which you propose the appointment of Dr. E. Hultzsch to the Madras Archæological Survey, and an increase of the salaries of Mr. Rea, First Assistant, Madras Survey, and of Mr. Cousens, First Assistant in the Bombay Archæological Survey.

2. I sanction these proposals, and forward herewith, for your information, a copy of a letter which I have caused to be addressed to Dr. Hultzsch.

No. 2683.

Copy, with copy of the enclosure, forwarded to the Home Department for information and issue of further orders, in continuation of the communication from this department, No. 649, dated the 4th May 1886, with the intimation that the despatch was received by the Government of India on the 12th August 1886.

Copy also forwarded to the Accountants-General, Madras and Bombay, for information, in continuation of the communication from this department, No. 1368, dated the 20th March 1886, with the intimation that the despatch was received by the Government of India on the 12th August 1886.

(By order.)

DEPT. OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
SIMLA, 23rd August 1886.

(Signed) J. E. O'CONOR,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1196-86.

To

INDIA OFFICE,
22nd July 1886.

Dr. E. HULTZSCH,

SIR,

I am directed by the Secretary of State for India in Council to inform you that the Earl of Kimberley has been pleased to appoint you, on the recommendation of the Government of India, Epigraphist for the Madras Presidency, on the condition stated in your letter to Dr. Burgess of the 17th September last, viz.—

- (1) Salary of Rs. 400 per mensem for three years;
- (2) Residence in a hill station during the hot weather;
- (3) A free passage to India; and
- (4) Privilege leave of one month per annum.

I am to request that you will put yourself in communication with Dr. Burgess, 22, Seton Place, Edinburgh, with the view of taking up the appointment at as early a date as possible.

I have, &c.
(Signed) H. WALPOLE.

No. 24-E.

Copy (with copy of despatch to Secretary of State, No. 140, dated 4th May 1886,) forwarded to the Government of Madras for information.

(By order.)

HOME DEPT. (ARCHÆOLOGY),
SIMLA, 28th August 1886.

(Signed) F. C. DAUKES,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Despatch from the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce (Salaries, Establishments, &c.), to the Secretary of State for India, dated Simla, the 4th May 1886, No. 140.

We have the honor to transmit copies of the papers cited in the annexed list on the subject of the prosecution of the Archæological Survey work in the Madras and Bombay Presidencies.

2. Our resolution of the 15th ultimo explains the details of the arrangements which we have, subject to your Lordship's sanction, finally approved, with the object of carrying on the Archæological Surveys in Western and Southern India, and of completing the work within reasonable limits as to time and cost. These arrangements include the following proposals, namely, (1) that the services of Dr. E. Hultzsch, a scholar versed in the Sanskrit, Pali, and Dravidian languages, should be secured for the Madras Archæological Survey on a salary of Rs. 400 a month (with free passage from Europe to India), his duty being to translate inscriptions in those languages and to train pandits to assist in the work; (2) that the pay of Mr. Rea, First Assistant in the Madras Survey, should be raised from Rs. 300 to Rs. 350 a month, with further annual increments of Rs. 25 up to a maximum of Rs. 500 a month; and (3) that the pay of Mr. Cousens, First Assistant in the Bombay Archæological Survey, should be raised from Rs. 360 to Rs. 420 a month, with an additional annual increment of Rs. 40 a month for the four following years, to take effect from the 1st January in each year. We are of opinion that sufficient reasons have been advanced for the adoption of these proposals, which have received the general concurrence of the local Governments concerned. We have accordingly sanctioned an immediate increase of Rs. 50 a month to the pay of Mr. Rea, the First Assistant in the Madras Archæological Survey; and we recommend that the other proposals enumerated above, including the employment of Dr. Hultzsch in connection with the Archæological Survey of Southern India, may receive your Lordship's favorable and early consideration. The address of Dr. Hultzsch is "Blasewitzer Strasse, 34, Dresden."

3. We may add that these arrangements have been matured in personal communication with Dr. Burgess, and that they will, in our opinion, tend to the efficient prosecution of the Archæological Survey work in Western and Southern India.

ORDER—dated 10th September 1886, No. 1909, Public.

Communicated to the Director-General of the Archæological Survey of India,

(True Extract.)

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

To the Director-General of the Archæological Survey of India.
" Accountant-General.

Exd. A. Raitt,

Govt. of (1886) Madras.

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G.O., 10th September 1886, No. 1909.

SEPTEMBER.

Archæology.

Communicating to the Director-General of the Archæological Survey of India copies of papers received from the Government of India on the subject of the prosecution of the Archæological Survey work in the Madras and Bombay Presidencies.

3RD DECEMBER 1886, No. 2519, PUBLIC.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

Despatch from the Right Honorable Lord CROSS, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort St. George, dated India Office, London, 21st October 1886, No. 16 (Statistics and Commerce).

I have to inform you that Dr. E. Hultsch, who has been appointed Epigraphist in the Madras Archæological Survey, proceeds to Madras by the Peninsula and Oriental Steamer *Tanjore*, which leaves Venice on the 28th instant.

2. I forward herewith one part of the agreement which has been executed by Dr. Hultsch.

ENCLOSURE.

ARTICLES of Agreement made the fourteenth day of September one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six between DR. EUGEN HULTSCH of Blasewitzer Strasse 34 Dresden of the first part and the Secretary of State for India in Council of the second part.

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for India in Council has engaged the party of the first to part serve Her Majesty in India, in the capacity for the term and at the salary hereinafter mentioned, Now these presents witness and the parties hereto respectively agree as follows:—

1. That the party of the first part will, as soon as he may be directed by the Secretary of State for India in Council, proceed to Madras, for which purpose he will be provided with a first class passage, but not hotel accommodation or any other expenses incurred on land in the course of his transit.

2. That he will on arrival at Madras report himself to the Government there, and will submit himself to the orders of the Government and of the officers and authorities under whom he shall be placed; and will remain in the said service for the space of three years from the date of his reporting his arrival at Madras as aforesaid unless he shall quit the service with the permission of the Government.

3. That he will employ himself honestly, efficiently and diligently under the orders and instructions of the officers under whom he shall from time to time be placed as Epigraphist in the Madras Archæological Survey in which capacity he will discharge the duties appertaining to that office and will do all things which may be required of him or which are necessary to be done in his capacity as aforesaid, and will also do his best to train and instruct in the mysteries of his art the natives and others who may be placed under him or may be working with him.

4. That he will not on any pretence absent himself from his duties without having first obtained the permission of Government or its authorised officers or in case of sickness or inevitable accident, without forwarding a medical certificate satisfactory to the officers aforesaid.

5. That he will devote his whole time to the duties of the service and will not on his own account or otherwise, either directly or indirectly carry on or be concerned in any trade or business whatsoever.

6. That he will conform to all the rules and regulations of the department of the Government service to which he may belong, and will obey all such orders and directions as he shall from time to time receive from any authorised officer of the Government.

7. That should he be guilty of any misconduct, or of any breach or non-performance of any of the provisions of these presents, it shall be lawful for the Government or their officers having authority for that purpose immediately and without any previous notice, to discharge him from the service.

8. That unless he the party of the first part shall receive notice in writing from some authorised officer of the Government, six calendar months before the expiration of the said term of three years, that Government no longer requires his services, or unless he shall give notice in writing to the Government six calendar months before the expiration of the said term that he is desirous to put an end to his service under these presents he will continue therein upon the like terms and conditions as are herein contained, until the expiration of six calendar months from the time when he shall receive or shall give such a notice in writing which may be given so as to expire at any period of the year.

9. That if the party of the first part shall observe and comply with all the provisions of these presents, there shall be paid to him for such a time as he shall be actually in the service and perform his duties a salary at and after the rate of Rs. (400) four hundred per mensem.

10. That the salary from time to time payable to the party of the first part shall be payable monthly in India, commencing from the date of his reporting his arrival at Madras as aforesaid and ceasing on the day of his quitting the service or on the day of his discharge therefrom, or on the day of his death, if he shall die whilst therein.

11. That during the hot weather at Madras the Government will find him free quarters in a hill station to be selected by them and the Government will also grant him privilege leave of one calendar month per annum.

12. That if the party of the first part shall be guilty of misconduct or of the breach of any of the provisions herein contained whereby he shall be subject to dismissal he will pay to Government a sum equal to one year's salary in respect thereof, and that if he shall absent himself from the said service without first obtaining permission as aforesaid, or in case of sickness without forwarding a proper medical certificate to the officer under whom he shall for the time being be placed, he shall pay Rs. ten (10) per diem for every day he shall be so absent, and that if he shall at any time quit the service without the permission of the Government, he will pay Rs. ten (10) per diem for every day between the day when he shall so quit the service and the day when his said service would have expired, and that all these said several sums shall become due and be paid by the party of the first part as and by way of liquidated damages and shall upon demand be paid by him to such person as may be directed by Government to demand the same provided nevertheless that it shall be lawful for the Government to deduct the same out of any money which may be payable to the party of the first part on any account whatever.

13. That in any payments made in Great Britain under these presents notwithstanding any rule to the contrary, the rate of exchange between England and India annually fixed by the Secretary of State for India in Council in communication with the Lords Commissioners of the treasury shall be observed.

14. That the proceedings, letters and reports of the Governor-General of India in Council or of any of the local Governments and of all other the officers and agents of Government, or any copies thereof or extracts therefrom which shall be sent to the Secretary of State for India in Council or to any officers or servants in the Indian service of Her Majesty in England or elsewhere, in any way relating to the sums of money to be paid or allowed to the party of the first part or to his conduct or in any way relating to the premises shall be received as conclusive evidence of any matter therein contained in any action or in any legal proceedings by or between the parties to these presents or in any way relating thereto.

In witness whereof the said Eugen Hultzsich and Sir Robert Montgomery, K.C.B., G.C.S.I., and Colonel Henry Yule, C.B., being two members of the Council of India, have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

Signed by the above named party of the first part, in the presence of
DRESDEN, G. STRACHEY,
14th September 1886. H. B. M. Chargé d'Affaires.

Signed by the above named two Members of the Council of India in the presence of
R. MONTGOMERY.
H. YULE.

W. H. TREASURE,
India Office.

From Dr. E. HULTZSCH, PH. D., Epigraphist of the Archaeological Survey, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 23rd November 1886.

I have the honor to report my arrival in Madras on the 21st November and my having taken up the appointment of Epigraphist of the Archaeological Survey.

ORDER—dated 3rd December 1886, No. 2519, Public.

Communicated to the Director-General, Archaeological Survey of India.

2. The term "hot weather" in paragraph 11 of the agreement will be considered to be the period from the 15th of April to the 15th of July.

(True Extract.)

H. E. STOKES,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Director-General, Archaeological Survey of India.
„ the Accountant-General.
„ Dr. E. Hultzsich.

Exd. A. Raitt.

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DECEMBER.

Archæology.

Communicating to the Director-General of the Archæological Survey of India certain papers respecting the appointment of Dr. Hultzsch as Epigraphist in the Madras Archæological Survey, and his arrival at Madras.

Public Dept.
CURRENT No. 1569

The Government Epigraphist,

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government.

Dated 4th May 1896.

Recd by



No. 214 of 1896.

Subject.

Requesting that Ootacamund
might be declared his
head-quarters.

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Please look up papers quoted above

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581 219-4-87 m
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FOR ORDERS.

Dr. Hultzsch requests that his permanent head-quarters may be changed from Bangalore to Ootacamund with effect from 1st February 1897.

When the appointment of Govt. S.igraphist was first offered to him, he stipulated that he should be provided with a Residence in a hill station during the ~~the~~ hot weather. (para. 3 of G.O. 2827, dated 4th December 1885). This was accepted (G.O. 1909, dated 10th September 1886) and a clause was added in article 11 of his agreement to the effect that Govt. should find him free quarters, the term "hot weather" being defined as the period from 15th April to 15th July (G.O. 2510, dated 3rd Decr. 1886).

Dr. Burgess stated that this was rather unfortunate as the other members of the Archaeological staff were often in camp till the beginning of May and that Dr. Hultzsch could do his translation work for six months at some cool station like Bangalore. therefore suggested that house rer

should be allowed for six months all other arrangements being left to him.

The Govt. declined to extend the hot weather ^{leave} during which Dr. Hultzsch was entitled to free quarters, beyond 3 months, but allowed Dr. Burgess to fix the dates as he pleased (G.O. 160, dated 1st February 1887) and substituted the grant of a fixed house rent of Rs. 50 per mensem, in lieu of free quarters on the hills, for three months in each year. (G.O. 581, dated 19th April 1887)

Dr. Hultzsch's reengagement expires on the 31st March 1898, and his permanent retention has been recommended to India in G.O. 751, dated 7th September 1895, para. 7; but it is not certain where he will be posted when the final arrangements are made.

He now requests that his office may be removed permanently from Bangalore to Ootacamund, on the ground that ⁱⁿ the former place, which is not a hill station properly to called, he is out of touch with Govt. and the heat is so great that he may be compelled to take a year's furlough in 1897, ^{near this} ~~when~~ ~~it~~ will not be necessary if the head quarters are changed.

Submitted that the expense involved by the transfer will be comparatively small, whereas much inconvenience will result by the grant of furlough. The following draft order is therefore submitted for approval :-

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FOR ORDERS.

I do not see any objection to the transfer of head Qrs provided Govt. is not too much inconvenienced thereby

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I do not see what Dr. H. wishes to be "in touch" with Govt. for. Govt. has hardly little to do with him. The Commissioner is practically nil and I am not aware of anything official which would require his holding personal communication with the members of Govt. The other ground upon which he bases his request is one of a personal nature. I know the Bangalore climate well and can say that the only two months in the year which even the most fastidious could call hot are March & April - & they are cold compared to what one here has in any district off the sea coast.

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Proposed transfer of Govt
Epigraphist's head office
to Ooty

FOR ORDERS.

H. M. & Co.

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To the Govt Epigraphist
Accountant General
Date 7/7/96

Transfer of Govt. Epigraphical
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