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[Despatch Abstract.]

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Stating that there is no reason
why the D.M. & S.C., Godavari
should be treated in a different
way from any other Govt. officer
in a Canal district in the
matter of the boat rent to be
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SUBJECT:

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Stating that Govt sees no reason why in the matter of boat rent the District Medical and Sanitary Officer Godavari should be treated in a different way from any other Govt officer in a canal district.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers:—

From the President, District Board, Godavari, Ref. on Cur. No. 896
D.E.

dated 7th May 1897.

After a protracted correspondence extending over three years the Government has been pleased to sanction, in its order No. 2453 L.His, dated 20th December 1896, the construction of a separate boat for each of the district Boards of Godavari and Kistna for the use of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, and, the Collector of this district having intimated his intention to sell the staff boat of the Head Assistant Collector, this district Board purchased the same for Rs 1848 and made it over on the 2nd October 1896 to the District Medical and Sanitary Officer fixing the rent payable by him for its use at Rs 30 per mensem during the ten months of the year that the canals are open as this is the rate charged by the Public Works department of this district for the boats supplied to its officers (Vide Copies of letters No. 4890/18-1-97 and 5255/17-2-97 of the Executive Engineer enclosed.)

2. The present Medical and Sanitary officer, Dr. Barries, says (Vide copy of his letter No. 1830 dated 19-4-97 enclosed) that he does not want to use it under the circumstances explained by him. As he draws his travelling allowances from Government, I do not see how he can complain of the boat rent charged to him and it is the District Medical and Sanitary Officer for the time being who has by his constant complaints driven the Board into this expenditure. As remarked by Dr. Marsden in his letter to the Secretary to the Surgeon General with the Government of Madras (Vide copy enclosed) I also consider that a boat placed always at the disposal of the District Surgeon is indispensable to enable him to carry on his inspection work satisfactorily and the absence of the same will, I am afraid, hamper such inspection. Besides, if Dr. Barries returns the boat as he intimates doing, the boat will have to be resold, probably at some loss to the Board.

3. I have, therefore, the honour to solicit the instructions of Government in this matter. I think that no option should be given to District Medical and Sanitary Officer any more than a Revenue officer as to whether he will use the boat or not, nor should the matter of fixing the rent be left to him although, of course, if he objects to the rent fixed he can either ask the Board to reconsider it giving reasons or appeal to Government.

From the Surgeon General with the Government of Madras, No. F 2/152, dated 20th July 1897.

In returning herewith as requested, enforcement No. 35 dated the 3rd June 1897, on our No. 1521 B, I have the honour to state that the District Medical and Sanitary Officer Godavari, reports that the District Board purchased the boat without previously consulting him. He further states that had he been consulted, he would have pointed out that circumstances had changed since Surgeon Major Waraden's time for when that officer asked for a boat he had to inspect all medical institutions twice a year, whereas under para 4 of G.O. No. 37 Public, dated the 24th January 1896, the District Medical and Sanitary Officer has now to do so only once.

2. The District Medical and Sanitary Officer has now to pay Rs 364 a year (including pay of serang) for a boat though he is not likely to require it for more than 21 months in a year.

3. For these reasons, I consider that the amount claimed by the District Board is inordinately high and needs curtailment proportionately to the period the boat is utilized.

From the same officer, No. F 373 dated 12th August 1897.

With reference to memorandum No. 21, dated the 31st July 1897, I have the honour to state that in accordance with para 2 of this office letter No. 2-21, dated the 14th July 1891 embodied in G.O. No. 391, Public dated the 22nd February 1893, all medical institutions were inspected twice a year by the District Medical and Sanitary Officers as far as practicable.

Order No. 1823 L.Mis. dated 27th September 1897.

The Government concurs in the President's remarks in para. 3 of his letter read above, and sees no reason why in the matter of boat rent the District Medical and Sanitary Officer should be treated in a different way from any other Government officer in a canal district.

(True extract)



for Secretary to Government.

To

The President, District Board, Godavari.

„ Surgeon General.

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