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G.O., No. 322, 23rd March 1897.

MARCH.

Bubonic Plague—Charge Allowance to Civil Apothecaries.

Directing, with remarks, that a civil apothecary who is, under the orders of Government, deputed to a distance from the scene of his ordinary work to duty solely connected with the plague shall receive an allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

G.O., Mis. No. 338 M., dated 1st March 1897.

Read—the following letter from the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 23rd February 1897, No. 89:—

With reference to G.O., Mis. No. 259 M., dated 20th February 1897, I have the honour to state that I have deputed Civil Apothecary G. M. Green, now acting at the municipal hospital, Tuticorin, for special duty at that port.

2. He is a medical officer of seventeen years' standing in the service and is entitled to a salary of (pay Rs. 100 *plus* charge allowance Rs. 50) Rs. 150. He should also be provided with furnished quarters or compensation in lieu.

No. 82, dated 20th February 1897.
" 86 " 22nd " "

3. As regards a female hospital assistant, I would draw your attention to my letters quoted in the margin.

Order—Mis. No. 338 M., dated 1st March 1897.

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2. The necessary orders with reference to paragraph 2 of the Surgeon-General's letter will be passed in the Public Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. S. FORBES,
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Department.

Copy to the Marine Department.
" " Surgeon-General.
" " Sanitary Commissioner.
" " Collector of Tinnevely.

G.O., Mis. No. 347 M., dated 2nd March 1897.

Read—the following letter from the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 25th February 1897, No. 95:—

With reference to paragraph 4 of G.O., No. 261 M., dated 22nd February 1897, I have the honour to state that I have deputed a civil apothecary to Pódanúr as therein directed. As he is not at present employed in an independent charge, he should be granted a plague allowance of Rs. 30 in addition to his grade pay (Rs. 75) and be provided with quarters or house-rent instead.

2. As regards a female hospital assistant, I would refer you to my letters No. 82, dated 20th February 1897, and No. 86, dated 22nd idem.

Order—Mis. No. 347 M., dated 2nd March 1897.

Recorded.

2. The necessary orders with reference to paragraph 1 of the Surgeon-General's letter will be passed in the Public Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. S. FORBES,
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Department.

" Public Works Department (Railway Branch).
" Surgeon-General.
" Sanitary Commissioner.
" Collector of Coimbatore.

Endt. No. 546.

The Surgeon-General is requested to be good enough to quote the authority for the provision of free-furnished quarters for the apothecary or compensation in lieu thereof.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

From Surgeon-Major-General C. SIBTHORPE, F.R.C.P.I., Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 6th March 1897, No. 118.

In returning your endorsement No. 546, dated 5th March 1897, I have the honour to state that in my letter No. 89, dated 23rd February 1897, I did not say that Civil Apothecary Green was *entitled* to free-furnished quarter or compensation in lieu, but recommended that he should be so provided. I have made this recommendation in the case of all medical subordinates deputed for plague duty, as it is most difficult, and in some cases impossible, for them to secure a house worth living in, and the denial of this concession is likely to interfere with the willing and efficient performance of their duties.

ORDER—No. 322, Public, dated 23rd March 1897.

The Surgeon-General's recommendation that civil apothecaries deputed to plague duty should be granted free quarters or compensation in lieu thereof cannot be accepted; but if there is a house which the railway authorities are willing to lend, or a shed amongst those put up at an inspecting station, which the medical subordinate could occupy without causing inconvenience, there would be no objection to his doing so.

2. His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a civil apothecary who is, under the orders of Government, deputed to a distance from the scene of his ordinary work to duty solely connected with the plague shall receive an allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem.

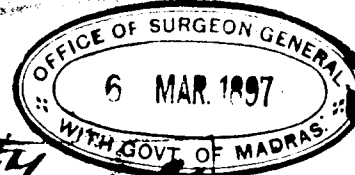
(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Surgeon-General.

" Accountant-General.
" Local and Municipal Department.
" Public Works Department.

Ed. C. M. Thambuswamy.



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Department.

Order No. 546 of 5 March 1897.

The Surgeon General requested to quote

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the authority for the provision of free furnished quarters or the Apothecary compensation in lieu thereof.

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Chief Secretary

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SUBJECT.

Bubonic plague

Recording with remark, letter from the Surgeon-General, intimating the deputation of Civil apothecary G. M. Green for special plague duty at Tuticorin.

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SUBJECT.

Bubonic Plague

Recording, with remark,
 letter from the Surgeon-General
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 a civil apothecary to
 Pathanur for plague duty.

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CURRENT No. 898

From

*Surgeon Major Genl. G. S. Sutherland
F. R. C. P. S.
Surgeon General with the
Government of Madras.*

No. 118

Dated

March 1897.

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SUBJECT.

*States that in his
letter No 89 dated 23rd Feb 1897
that he did not say. Civil
Apothecary Green was entitled
to free furnished quarters or
compensation in his ^{but}
made ^{this} recommendation in
the case of all Medl. Subordinates
deputed for plague duty.*

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H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

THE HON'BLE MR. BLISS, C.I.E.

THE HON'BLE MR. GROSE, C.I.E.

Public dept:

C.Nos. 810, 853 and 898

SUBJECT.

Bubonic Plague -- Charge allowance to

~~Hospital Assistants.~~

Civil Apothecaries.

FOR ORDERS.

* C.No.810

*C.No. 898

In his letter of the 23rd February, the Surgeon General reported that he had deputed Civil Apothecary Green, now acting in the Municipal Hospital, Tuticorin, for special duty at that port. Dr. Sibthorpe wrote "He should be provided with furnished quarters or compensation in lieu". He was thereupon requested to quote the authority for this statement and he now replies that he intended to recommend that in the case of all medical subordinates deputed for plague duty, they should be granted furnished quarters or compensation in lieu of them.

2. Apothecary Green's case seems an unfortunate one on which to base the general recommendation, for his special duty involves no change of station and apparently he can go on living in the house he was in before.

3. The recommendation is repeated in C.No.853 in the case of the Civil deputed to Apothecary at Pothanore, and in addition, the Surgeon General considers he should

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should be granted a plague allowance of Rs.30 as the man in question did not previously hold an independent charge. Orders on these two recommendations are now requested.

4. G.O.No. 109 Pub., dated 5th February last, sanctioned a charge allowance of Rs.10 per mensem for Hospital Assistants deputed to a distance from the scene of their ordinary work to duties solely connected with the plague. The only other apothecaries who get free quarters are those noted in the list with G.O.No.1242 Public, dated 20th November 1896.

3. 97. As Civil Apothecaries do not ~~draw~~ draw horse rent, or get free quarters when on ordinary posts, it is submitted that there is no reason why they should do so when on Special duty. In the case here - as at Tuticorin - the Apothecary does not change his station it is submitted that no extra allowances are required: there he does change his station for plague duty, & a special plague ^{extra} allowance to cover the cost of residence for an indefinite

the usual ~~allowance~~ local allowance at the ~~Plague~~ ^{side} I whole file

It is submitted that if this recommendation is approved sanction may be accorded to the grant of this charge allowance in all such cases.

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Similarly if the charge allowance of Rs.30, for Apothecaries not before in independent charge, is sanctioned that then too well, it is submitted, and be done.

period in a strange place. would, it is submitted, be more appropriate than a horse rent allowance. Such an allowance could correspond to a deputation allowance. It is submitted that ten per cent of the medical officer's pay could be a fair sum. Hospital Assistants, who, not having previously been in independent charge, draw under G.O. no 109 Pub. d. 5-2-97 an extra Rs.10 for plague duty need get no more: the only officer, it is submitted, who require consideration are those who have to change their station for plague duty without any increase of pay in their allowances.

Submitted that a general order on this subject is required to save special orders in each case.

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C. No. 810, 853, 878

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

THE HON'BLE MR. BLISS, C.I.E.

THE HON'BLE MR. GROSE, C.I.E.

SUBJECT.

Bubonic Plague. Charge
allowance to Civil
Apothecaries.

FOR ORDERS.

Should say that an apo-
thecary reported to a distance
to be for plague duty might
get Rs 25 in the same
way as H.A.S. get Rs 10 -
that should suffice

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17/3/97

I don't see what claim Apothecary should
at Interior has to any thing. Certainly not
to free quarters or compensation. He has to pay.
He is a resident of the place: the hospital
is a hot extraordinary one. I don't say that
his house has more work than usual than
upon him by his plague duty. But so has
any one else who has anything to do with
the workings of the measures calculated
to prevent the introduction of this disease.
He is not however even taking these extra
consideration overlooked.

As for the Apothecary sent to Port Louis it
is submitted that he should have the
allowance suggested and nothing more.
If there is a house which the sanitary authorities
would label as a shed amongst those put
up as an inspecting station which a
medical subordinate could occupy without
causing inconvenience there would

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