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Pay and Allowances of a Commissioned Military Officer appointed
British Consular Agent at Pondicherry and Karikal.

Recording certain communications from the Controller of Military Accounts, Madras Com-
mand, and from the Supreme Government, regarding the adjustment between the Civil and
the Military departments of the —.

3. The total emoluments as given above are less than what would be drawn if the officer were not appointed Consular Agent, viz.—

	RS.	A.	P.
Pay as Lieutenant-Colonel	827	14	0
Colonel's allowance	456	5	2
Total	1,284	3	2

4. It might possibly be intended that the calculations should be made thus, though it is not so stated:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Pay as Lieutenant-Colonel	827	14	0
Colonel's allowance	456	5	2
Salary as Consular Agent	300	0	0
Total	1,584	3	2

Deduct—

Colonel's allowance	456	5	2
Reduced salary chargeable to Provincial revenues	1,127	14	0
Colonel's allowance chargeable to Military Department	456	5	2
Total emoluments	1,584	3	2

In other words, that the officer's pay of rank and salary of civil appointment should be charged to Provincial revenues, the Colonel's allowance being chargeable to the Military Department.

5. It should be noted, however, that Colonel _____ draws his pay of rank as Lieutenant-Colonel and his Colonel's allowance in England at the English rates, and should he continue so to do after his appointment to the Consular Agency, it is not clear how the adjustment referred to by the Foreign Department should be given effect to. However, converting the sums payable to Colonel _____ in England at the official rate of exchange, the application of the rule laid down by the Foreign Department would be impossible, because the total of his pay of rank and the civil salary as Consular Agent would be less than the amount payable as Colonel's allowance—*vide* particulars given below:—

	Per mensem.
	RS. A. P.
Pay of rank as Lieutenant-Colonel at 25s. per diem	620 11 1
Salary as Consular Agent	300 0 0
Total	920 11 1
Colonel's allowance, English rate, £668-12-5	922 3 9

NOTE.—If calculated in accordance with paragraph 4 above, figures would stand thus:—

	RS. A. P.
Pay of rank as Lieutenant-Colonel	620 11 1
Colonel's allowance	922 3 9
Salary as Consular Agent	300 0 0
Total	1,842 14 10
Deduct—	
Colonel's allowance	922 3 9
Reduced salary chargeable to Provincial	920 11 1
Colonel's allowance chargeable to Military	922 3 9
Total emoluments	1,842 14 10

6. In the circumstances represented, it appears desirable that a further reference should be made to the Government of India in view to determining how Colonel _____'s emoluments should be regulated.

7. The simplest course would appear to be that Colonel _____'s military pay of rank and Colonel's allowance should be paid as at present by the Military Department, the salary of the appointment of Consular Agent being paid from Provincial revenues.

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(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

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From *Log I, Foreign Dept*

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SUBJECT.

*Stating that Colonel
Francis Sewell's salary
(military pay of rank
plus allowance of Rs 3000 a
month) would, in the
event of his being appointed
as British Consul Agent
at Pondicherry & Karaikal
be reduced by the amount
of his Colonel's allowance*

*Capt. Hawke's time will be up
on the 19th April 97*

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SUBJECT.

Offering certain remarks
regarding Colonel Lewis
pay & allowances if of
Honoured British Cavalry
Agent Pondicherry.

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Telegram to

Foreign, Calcutta

72x Please reply my letter
1238 Public nineteenth no. 1238
last regarding debit of Colon
Sewell's pay and allowances
if appointed British Consul
Agent, Pondicherry

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Public No 1047

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Fort St George

17 March 97

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My dear Lawyer,

With reference to
the accompanying letter from
India will you kindly let me
know at early convenience

1. what would be the total
of Colonel [Fane Sewell's]
modiments if appointed to
Pondicherry, and
2. what amount would province
have to pay

Yours sincerely
Edw. Price

Colonel Geo. Sawyer,
Controller of Military Accts

With Ref 72 + 1047

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17/3/97

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DO 23-3-97.

My dear Sir,

Will you kindly let me have a reply to my DO. of the 17th instant regarding Colonel James Sewell's allowances.

Yours sincerely

Colonel J. W. Sawyer

Desd 23/3/97

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1,000-14-12-96.

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H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

~~THE HONBLE MR. BLISS, C.T.E.~~

~~THE HONBLE MR. GROSE, C.T.E.~~

SUBJECT.

British Consular Agent,
Pondicherry & Karikal.

FOR ORDERS.

In accordance with H.E. the Governor's note flagged M in G.O. No. 1214 Dtd. 9/12 Nov 1896 the Foreign Dept was asked what part of Colonel James Sewell's pay and allowances would be debitable to Provincial Revenue if he were appointed British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal.

The Govt of India states that under Article 58, C.B. Colonel James Sewell's salary (which pay of rank plus Rs 200) would be reduced by the amount of his Colonel's allowance and that the salary thus reduced would be chargeable to Provincial revenues, the Colonel's allowance being

being debited to the milly
 Dept. This letter from the
 Govt. of India was referred to
 the Govt. Controller of Military
 Accounts for detailed
 information and his reply
 is under cover of No. 1142.
 From this it will be seen
 that he cannot definitely
 say how much will be debited
 to Provincial and suggests
 for further reference to India.
 It is submitted that this
 reference may be made
 only if Colonel Fane is
 appointed to Pondicherry.
 It is not at all probable
 that Col. Fane will be willing
 to take up the appl. for
 No. 1127.14.2. considering that
 he is now in receipt of
 No. 1284.3.22 for doing nothing.
 In the other case even the
 Govt. had to pay No. 1127.14.2
 for No. 1400.222 more than
 Capt Hawkes gets) it would save
 Rs. 660 on what had already
 been drawn. Capt Hawkes'
 leave expires on the 19th prox.
 RDB
 24/3/97

Fort St George
 8th April 1897

My dear Michael

you know the
 appointment of British Consular
 Agent at Pondicherry. He besides
 being Consular Agent is also
 Emigration Agent to the British
 Government looking after in this
 capacity the Emigration of British
 native subjects to French Colonies
 where it exists (it does not just
 now as it was stopped) and their
 repatriation to India. He gets
 Rs 300 per mensem for this half
 of which is charged to Political
 and the other half to Emigration.
 Hitherto the appointment has
 been held by a military man
 who received the allowance
 in addition to his pay. There
 is now a difficulty in finding
 one.

I shall be glad to know
 if an officer of Police could
 be put into the appointment
 without prejudice to his retaining
 his position in the Police and

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What it is contemplated to
if possible give a Police officer
if he took the post ^{as} his pay
and the allowance in full
I don't

Yours sincerely,
J. F. Price

Mr. Michael Fay. D. 1841

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Department.

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From

H. C. Sim & J. R. C. S.

Q. A. Adams

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Dated 17th May 1897

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Returning to re Powderherry

Cousinship with the remark
that they may be recorded.

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These docs. maybe
filed with No. 550 Pub
Apr. 5. 97 (now at Madras)
which contains the doc.
the Acknt to which
is a reply.

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Papers to be read in proceedings:—

Letter
Again G.O., dated *19th Nov* 189*6*, No. *1238* (A)
[Again G.O., dated *26 July 1871* 189*6*, No. *2421* (A)
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Have the 91 m...
11/5/97

ORDER. *W. 550 of 12th May '97*
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12/5/92

Note for CB

*It is proposed to print this
for future guidance*

Cms *Fywell*
11-5-97 *12/5/92-*

By order of the

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ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
PORT ST. GEORGE.

No. 744
the 10th of April 1897.

CHIEF SECRETARY
10. APR. 1897

My dear Mr. Pritchard

Your D. O re the British
Consular Agent at Pondicherry.

The appointment of a Police
Officer as Consular Agent would
need the sanction of G.I. as under
their letter recorded in M.C.O. No 1241
of 7-10-90 the appointment must be
held by an officer of the Staff
Corps. The selection of an officer
also requires the approval of the
Secretary of State under G.I. letter
No 1013 recorded in M.C.O. No 345 of
17-3-62. The allowance of Rs 300

See enclosure

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attached to the appointment is consequently be impossible
treated as a local allowance to fill up his appointment
vide Secretary of State's letter recorded in the Police Department.
in M. G. O No 75 Pub of 19-1-87; it
can therefore be drawn in full
by the actual incumbent.

Yours sincerely
W M Michael

If therefore the appointment of
a Police Officer were sanctioned
he could draw the whole allowance.

I would however point out
one objection to the proposal
namely that a Police Officer
would be viewed as still on
Police duty and it would



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Pondicherry

FOR S. GEORGE,
April 16 1897.

Consul

My dear Sir...

That is what I have been
to day about. I have been in a Police Office
in the Criminal Department. I have been

with the
I have been with the list which I had made
some time ago and I have had a
list made out which I sent you
of all names of the Madras Army
who have served in India but there
is no one there at all likely, before

Haggins will not be out of his office until
 1902. Patterson is in a poor little house
 of paper with the Commendable. He
 would certainly not come to school
 himself and young who will vacate
 his Commandant seat you would
 be doubt helps the Registrar comes
 Commandant P. G. which comes to pay
 \$500 and I think. I think of
 (but I am not sure of this) to the
 of the Registrar on the door. I am
 very satisfied I have for the day
 that I can think of in vain. today
 has been drawn back.
 I am out of sight. But as Cable
 has been out of sight to the
 make clear with the whole about
 the work which was really much
 should be placed in charge and

the few in which Carl is referred to later (17)
 for order. The Foreign Office might perhaps
 like to find in some one of their own who
 would take it as inspiration Agent
 (from which he would get all the news)
 he under this sort of idea may have
 some one. It is hopeless to try
 to find anyone here. I have no
 hope of he knows of any one: he
 does not. I don't think that I
 have ever had such a hard working
 job as this.

Yours sincerely
 R. H. H. H. H.



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GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

Admission.

17 May 1897.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
17 MAY 1897

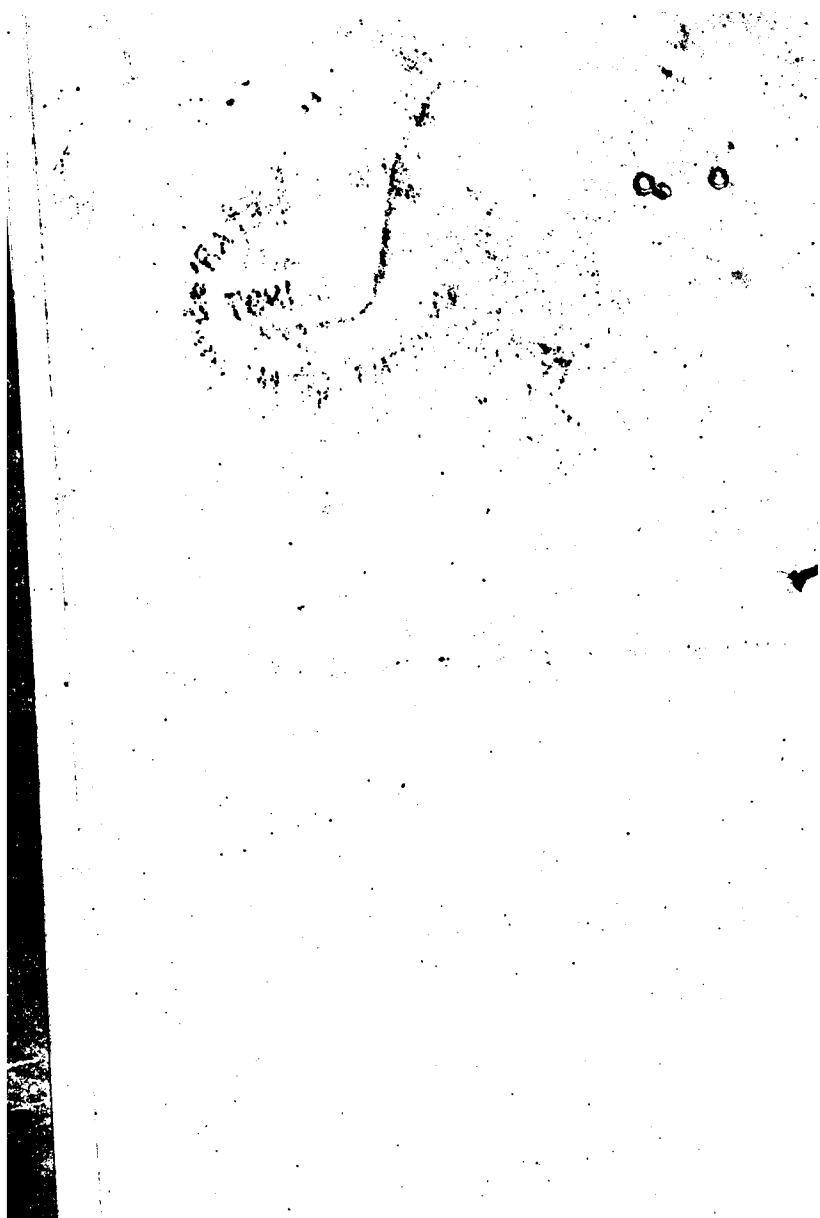
My dear President

I return

you the enclosed as the
matter of the Pondicherry
Contabship has now been
settled. It might be perhaps
recorded with the papers.

Yours sincerely,

W. S. P. M.



4-2-08 ✓

7-2-08 ✓

3/12/12 ✓

25-3-10 ✓

17-3-15 ✓

8-7-16 ✓

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