

Public (1897) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 649. 650

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Forwarding to the Resident in Mysore, for
action as may be deemed necessary copy of
certain correspondence relative to the pro-
motion of Capt Richard Hancock of the
Bangalore Rifle Vols. to the rank of Major, and
the proposed formation of a second company
of the corps (B.R.V.) at Kolar.

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BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

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[G.]
300-39-7-96.

NOTE FOR THE Chief Secy

It is submitted that if ³⁹
is to be taken on H.L. the Government
remarks of 20.2.97 the D.A.G. ¹⁸⁹
be asked to ascertain the view
of the Court as to the advisability
of forming a second company
at Kolar, seeing that the
present company is "strong", so
while statement (c) of para 47
A.R.I. limits the number of a
company to from 40 to 80.

Para 34 Empowers the
Govt to sanction the formation
of a new company without
to India. But it is submitted
that the Court and the D.A.G.
should be allowed their
say in the matter first.

There is no difficulty
as to the matter of correspondence
all volunteer communica-
-tions come to us thro the G.O.
and D.A.G. (thru the former
alone) in cases of ordinary
The initiative is generally taken
by the Court in such a case
as the present one. It
would be quite in regle
for us to address the D.A.G.

if it is decided to move in
the matter. The Regt
the D.A.C. would then run

"with ref to his Endt

N° 4066 of 11th March 1897
the D.A.C. is requested to
be so good as to ascertain
the views of the Comdt of the

It is presumed that
this is what the C.S. wants
information about.

yes

It is however for
consideration whether
in view of the fact that
the Bangalore Rifle
Vols: will probably be
soon under the Rndmt
this post need trouble
any further about it.

C.W. .AK.
7.4.97 7/4/97.

We can send the
Regt as the order
of transfer has not
yet come. The 4th
Regt can come in after
the transfer has been
made we can return
them for transfer
of the Regiment

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8/4/97

Public C.523 51039

Ref. N° 8667/13 April 1897

With ref to his
Endt N° A/10-4066 of
the 11th ultimo the
Regt Adjutant is
requested to be so
good as to as-
certain the views
of the Comdt of the
Bangalore Rifle
Vols as to the ad-
visability of forming

public Bangalore
Regiment

a second company
at Kolar. It is
observed that the
present company is
48 strong, while
statement (e) of para
47 A.R.I. limits the
number of a company
between 40 to 50

(for C.S. orders)
AK. 9/4/97.

The D.A.C. Madras Command

C.W.
9.4.97

Public (189 7) Department.

CURRENT No.

From

The L. C. G.

Order

No. 4
G-7292

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Enclosures

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding with ref: to
Memo. no. 866 the request
of the Commandant, Bangalore
Rifle Vol. as to the advisability
of forming a second company
of the Bangalore Rifle Vol. at
Kolar.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
	In R 423	Pub	2-6-97
	ju 221-2	"	6-3-97
	R 354.5	"	20-3-97

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

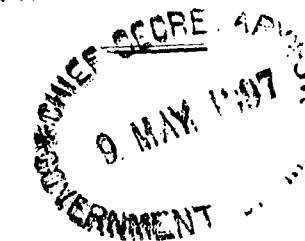
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Public Department.



Diary No. 7091
Recd. 14 APR 1897
Branch. 8107/1897

Memorandum No. 886.



Read the following paper:—

With reference to his endorsement No.A/O-4066 of the 11th ultimo, the Deputy Adjutant-General is requested to be so good as to ascertain the views of the Commandant of the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers as to the advisability of forming a second Company of the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers at Kolar. It is observed that the present Company is 118 strong while ~~which~~ statement (e) of paragraph 47, Army Regulations, India, places the numbers of a Company between 40 and 80.

Fort St. George,
13th April 1897.

Abdullah
for Chief Secretary.

TO
The Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.

No. A/o-6384.

To,
The G.O.C. Bangalore District.

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Cotacamund.
22^d April 1897.

Referred for favor of the required inform-
-ation with reference to correspondence
ending with your Memo No: A/C. 80 of 6th
March 1897.

2. Return requested.

"By Order"
C. L. L. L. L.
Brig: Genl
H. D. A. G.

By 2/15
24.4.97.

Of Commanding
B. R. Vols.

Forwarded for favor of report with refer-
-ence to your no: 600 of 3.3.97.
2. Return requested.

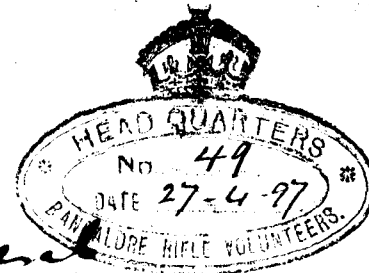
H. P. H.

Major.

Adj. Genl.

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Encls. No.	To
O. R.	

IV.



The Asst. Asst. General
Bangalore District

With reference to the attached I
am of the opinion that - at the present
time - it would not be possible to
form a second company of the
B. R. Vols at the Kolar Gold Fields,
as suggested, owing to the difficulty
there would be in getting the required
number of officers. In a company
like that at the Kolar Gold Fields
it is absolutely necessary that
selected to serve as officers should
occupy such a position on the
staff of the Mining Company - as will
ensure their having sufficient influence
amongst the members of the Company
to ensure the drills, etc, being
properly attended.

Chenore Capt. R. D.

Off. 9. Jan. 1897.

C.No.1766

SUBJECT.

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

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

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

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers

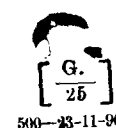
FOR ORDERS.

Attention is solicited to the note for orders with G.O. No.423 Pub., d/ 2nd April 1897. H.E. the Governor remarked thereon that the Company of the ^{Bangalore} Rifle Volunteers at Kolar is a large one and might well be made into two companies.

The Dy: Adjutant General was accordingly requested to ascertain the views of the Commandant on the matter, and it was pointed out that the existing Company at Kolar is 118 strong, whilst statement (2) of para 47 A.R.I. Vol: IX, places the number of a Company between 40 and 80.

In reply the Dy. Adjutant General forwards a minute by Capt: Leonard, the Offg. Commandant, which is concurred in by the G.O.C. Bangalore Lt - Capt: Leonard states that it is not possible at present to form a second Company of the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers at the Kolar Gold Fields, as suggested, owing to the difficulty there would be in getting the required number of officers. He remarks that in a

company



500-23-11-96.

Diary No.

Recd. 22 APR 1897

By: Mr.

Order passed

8th May 1897.

CURRENT No.

To the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

Public Department

Forwarded.

G. C. Division

Br: General

D. G.

Papers to be read in proceedings:—

Again G.O. ^R dated 2nd April 1897, No. 423 Public
 Again G.O., dated 20th May 1897, No. 614 "
 Current No. 1766 of 1897, dated 8/5, from the Dy. Adjt. Genl.
 " " " 189 " " "
 " " " 189 " " "

C.S. ORDER. W. 649 of 26th May '97
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Recorded.

2. Copy of the correspondence will be forwarded to the Resident in Mysore
 1 from orders

C.W. 25/5/97
 26.5.97

Letter W. 650 of 26th May '97
 to the Resident in Mysore

Sir,
 With ref to the Govt of India, Milly Dept, letter N. 1272 B, dated 6th May 1897, sanctioning the transfer of the Bangalore Rifle

Vols

company like that at Kolar, it is absolutely necessary that ^{the} gentlemen selected to serve as officers should occupy such a position on the staff of the Mining Company as will ensure their having sufficient influence with the members of the Company to induce them to attending properly to their drills etc.

3. In the circumstances reported it is submitted that the matter may be dropped, specially in view of the fact that the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers will no doubt be soon under the Resident of Mysore, when this Govt. need ^{not} trouble no further about it. Please see letter No. 332 Pub., d/ 6th March 1897.

AH.
 17/5/97.

I think it would be hardly fair to Capt. How. work where promotion to the rank of Major is the main question — to let the matter drop. The correspondence should be transferred to the Resident in Mysore.

Note This transfer has since been sanctioned vide C 1843 circulated to H.E. the Governor on the 15th instant (abstract put up). The alternative disposal is therefore to return the correspondence for transmission to the Resident.

C.W.
 18/5/97
 19/5/97.

Volunteers, and the Coorg
and Mysore Rifle,
from the control of this
post to that of the Resd.
in Mysore and Chief
Commissioners of
Coorg, I am directed
to forward, for
such action as may
be deemed ne-
cessary, copy of
the correspondence
noted in the margin,
relative to the pro-
motion of Captain
Richard Hancock
to the rank of Major,
and the proposed
formation of a second
Company of the Bangalore
Rifle Vols. at Kolar
1 from order of

C.W.
25/5/97

26.5.97

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Ptdy 2.4.97. (A)
memo. N: 866 Ptdy 13.4.97 (A)
C. 1766. (A)

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READ AGAIN G.O., No.
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DATED

CURRENT No.

ENCLOSURES TO G. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

PAPERS NOT FILED UP, BEING MEANT FOR DESPATCH
IN ORIGINAL.

N.B.—

A = Copy in full.
B = Not to be copied.
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Q = Copy heading only

NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

① Under para 34 A.R.S.
Vol II Pro. I am a local
force can sanction the for-
mation of a new company
without ref. to India
and para 33 permits
the subdivision or section
being raised to a troop
battery or company give
the requisite number
of men.

H.E. the Judge says
the company at Kolar is
always one and may be
raised into two companies
if a new company may
be formed & it is
within the powers of
this fort.

② The Lt Col
Cawley has recommended
that the Bangalore Vol
Kefle be brought under
the control of the Resident
in Mysore and this
post has informed
India that it
considers the transfer
desirable. Please
see letter No 222
Pubd 6.3.97 B

C.S.
3/4/97
A.R.
3/4/97

Vol II Pro 1763 13/10/97
C. No 5234.1039.
in fo R 423022-4-97
NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

For orders whether
any action is to be
taken on his
exception remarks?

(1) J.D.B. up to
30/3/97
(2) Not that
highly
14/7

Ref.
In R
(1) Please see para 33 & 34 of A.R.S. Vol IX
(2) Yes, please see fo 222-2 3-3-97
allusion