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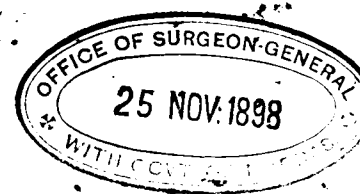
Informing the Govt that
this Govt accepts its proposal that
the Supt of the Lunatic Asylum, Madras, should
receive a staff salary in addition to the
pay of his rank, & stating that the scale
of staff salary proposed by that Govt
meets with the approval of the Govt-in-
Council.

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From the Govt of India
(Home)

Order заяв № 2617 от 23-11-98.

Reference to the
Surgeon General for early
Remarks.

No: 1577

Dated 16th Nov. 98

Received

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Enclosures

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TO BE RETURNED
WITH REMLY.

SUBJECT:

Forwarding
certain proposals made
regarding the pay
of the Supt of the
Central Lunatic Asy:
lum in Madras.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
	1355	Pub.	8.11.98
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	1217-0	"	23.7.98

FURTHER PAPERS.

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CURRENT No. 3633

No. 1577

FROM

A. H. L. FRASER, Esq., C.S.I.,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India,

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

Home Department.
Medical.

Enclosure No. 2

Simla, the 10 November 1898.

SIR,

IN continuation of Home Department letter No. 1398, dated the 11th October 1898, I am directed to address you on the subject of the pay of the Superintendent of the Central Lunatic Asylum in Madras.

2. In paragraph 4 of Home Department letter No. 490, dated the 18th May 1897, the Government of Madras were asked whether they would prefer that the officer in charge of the asylum should be given pay at the rate of Rs. 700—50—1,200 a month or a substantial staff salary in addition to the pay of his rank; and if the latter, what rate of staff salary they considered suitable. In paragraph 5 of your letter No. 735 (Public) of the 6th June 1898 it was stated that the Government of Madras prefer the incremental pay of Rs. 700—50—1,200 a month. On a further consideration of the matter it appears to the Government of India that the grant of a staff salary in addition to the pay of the officer's rank possesses decided advantages over the alternative of an incremental pay. In the first place, the staff salary system widens the field of selection, since an officer of any standing can be selected and retained in the appointment for any time. This is of special importance in the case of officiating vacancies. In the second place, the Governor General in Council considers it important that a uniform system should be followed in all Provinces, and the Governments of Bombay and of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh have expressed a preference for the staff salary scheme. With a uniform system it will be possible to transfer officers from one Province to another, and thus to maintain a reserve of officers of special experience in the treatment of lunatics to fill officiating vacancies.

3. In the opinion of the Government of India the rate of staff salary should be graduated according to the length of the officer's service, and, as at present advised, they are inclined to think that the following scale, which is being proposed to the Local Governments concerned, would be suitable:—

	Grade pay.	Proposed allowance.	TOTAL.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.
Lieutenants and Captains of less than 5 years' service.	300 0 0	300	600 0 0
Captains of 5 and less than 10 years' service ...	400 0 0	350	750 0 0
Captains of 10 and less than 12 years' service...	450 0 0	350	800 0 0
Majors of 12 and less than 15 years' service ...	640 14 6	400	1,040 14 6
Majors of 15 and less than 20 years' service ...	677 6 11	400	1,077 6 11
Lieutenant-Colonels of 20 and less than 25 years' service.	852 3 7	450	1,302 3 7
Lieutenant-Colonels of 25 or more years' service	888 12 0	450	1,338 12 0

I am to inquire whether this scale meets with the approval of the Governor in Council. The Superintendents would in general be provided with free quarters on the asylum premises, and should, in the opinion of the Government of India, be allowed the privilege of consulting practice.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

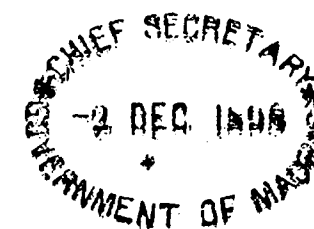
Your most obedient Servant,

A. W. Fraser

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Public (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 3818



From
Surgeon-General C. Sibthorpe.

C.B., F.R. C.P.I.

Surgeon General with the Govt:
of Madras.

No. 578

Dated 1st Decr/98.

Received }
Registered } 2nd Dec. 98.

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SUBJECT.

Stating that the proposals of the Government of India regarding the pay of the Superintendent of the ^{Central} Lunatic Asylum, Madras, are both reasonable and liberal.

Order

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CURRENT No. 3818

OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL

WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Mdras, 1st December 1898

No. 518

From

SURGEON-GENERAL C. SIBTHORPE, C.B., F.R.C.P.I.

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Public DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

In returning the Government of India letter referred to me for remarks with your endorsement No.2617 Public, dated the 28rd November 1898, I have the honor to state that the proposals of the Government of India regarding the pay of the Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum, Madras, are both reasonable and liberal and may be accepted.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. Sibthorpe

Surgeon-Genl:

Surgeon-General with the Govt: of

Madras.

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Public DEPARTMENT

No. 3633 From the *Government of India* No. 1578, dated 10/11/1898.
" 3818 " *Surgeon General* " 518, " 1/12/1898.
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Subject.

Superintendent,
Pay of the Superintendent,
Lunatic Asylum, Madras.

FOR ORDERS.

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In para. 4 of its letter No. B 490, dated 18th May 1897, the Govt. of India suggested that the pay of the Superintendent, Lunatic Asylum, Madras, should be fixed either at Rs.700-50-1200 or that the incumbent should receive a substantial staff salary in addition to the pay of his rank, and inquired which alternative this Govt. would prefer. 2. In reply, the Government of India informed (paragraph 5 of letter C No. 735, Public, dated 6th June 1898) that this Govt. preferred the first alternative viz. pay at the rate of Rs.700 rising to Rs.1200. The rate originally suggested by this Govt. was Rs.700-50-1400, but it was considered undesirable to enter into further correspondence with India *at present* merely to have the maximum increased to Rs.1400 (vide notes at E)

The Government of India now states its opinion that the grant of a staff salary in addition to pay of rank possesses decided advantages over the alternative of an incremental pay,-

(1) because it widens the field of selection, since an officer of any standing can be selected and retained in the appointment for any time, this point being of special importance in the case of officiating vacancies.

(2) because it is important that a uniform system should be followed in all Provinces, the Governments of Bombay and the North Western Provinces and Oudh having expressed a preference for staff salary system.

(3) with a uniform system it will be possible to transfer officers from one Province to another, and thus to maintain a reserve of officers of special experience in the treatment of lunatics to fill officiating vacancies.

4. A scale of staff salary is given for officers of less than five years' service up to those of 25 and more years' service, the total pay and allowances ranging from Rs. 600 to Rs. 1538-12-0 per mensem. The present permanent Superintendent of the Madras Lunatic Asylum, Capt. Leet Palk, draws Rs. 650 per mensem, and under the scale proposed by the Govt. of India he would receive Rs. 750 per mensem or Rs. 50 more than the minimum

pay

*I think this Govt
may express its
opinion
CS (H) 14-12-98
29-12-98*

*Please see this A.G.'s
endorsement at-25 in
G.O. 1108 Palk d 19-9-98*

pay proposed by this Government.

5. The Government of India adds that the Superintendents should be allowed free quarters, and the privilege of consulting practice.

6. The Surgeon-General considers that the proposals of the Government of India are both reasonable and liberal, and may be accepted.

7. The Government of India be told that the proposed staff with the approval of this Govt.

*letter
11-12-98
Cur
7-12-98
of his advantages shown
for this staff salary system
no (1) is created. In this
case of officiating appointments
there is always a difficulty
when a Senior Officer acts in
a post his pay of which is
unavailable, when the case
of D. Sanyal the last pay
by his appointment to act
in Chemical Exam.*

*Advantage no 3 is more
practicable from this point
of view. It points
to the actual introduction
of a similar system to that
recently applied to Chemical*

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., No. , dated 189 .
Again G.O., No. , dated 189 .
Current No. 3633 of 1898, dated 10.11.98, from the Govt. of India
" " 3818 " 1898, " 1-12.98, " - Surgt. Genl
" " " 189 " " " "

ORDER.

no 34 97-188

CS (from order)

12/1/99
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letter
The following letter
will be despatched to the Govt.
of India -

CS
5.1.99
4/1/99

Letter no 35 97-188

To the Secy to the Govt. of India
Home Dept

Sir,

I am directed to
acknowledge the receipt
of Mr. Travis letter no
1577 undine, dated 10-
Nov-1898, and, in reply,
to state that this Govt.
accepts the proposal of

Recd
5.1.99

Examiners, under which the
reserve of officers qualified
will be under the order of
the Govt. of India - in short
have the opportunity to
Luncheon Asylums will
for truly be. This, however,
letter for future
decision. In this
case it is submitted
that the Govt. of India
news may be examined in

8/11/98
11/11/98

I discussed this matter
with Mr. Harvey the other day
and said that if instead of
sending young officers
down here with the intention
that he was to be appointed
Exam? - merely interfering
with the province of H.C.
G. in C. - he wd. intend
that he has a new
of thoroughly trained
qualified men, & even
if this Govt. wd. not wish
for one, - the position
wd. be very different.

The same thing wd. apply
to trained pupils for domestic
Asylums

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12.12.98

The Govt. of India that the Officer
holding the appointment of
Supt. of the Lunatic

Asylum, should
receive instead of his incremental pay,
~~his fixed on the basis~~
~~being repeated,~~
of a staff salary in
addition to the pay of his
officer's rank - I am also
to say that the scale of
staff salary proposed in
para 3 of the letter under
refy, meets with the approval
of the Governor in Council.

(From order /

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