

Public Works (1890) Department.

RAILWAY BRANCH.

G.O., No. 281 Ry

DATED 24th February

[Despatch Abstract.]

Railway apothecaries—Proceedings Financial Department cancelling the orders quoted so far as they relate to the allowances granted to the at certain stations and stating that the allowances will be restored at the original rates, Communicated to the Consulting Engineer for Railways.

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From

The Secretary to Surgeon General
with the Government of Madras
Fort St George

To

The Principal Medical Storekeeper
Madras.

No 3979.

Dated 12th June 1888.

Reference

His despatch No 346 of 8th May 1888.

Subject

In returning the indent forwarded with the above, has the honor to state that the statement of the Railway apothecary in the concluding portion of his letter is not sufficient authority to sanction the indent. The previous indents must have hitherto wrongly been complied with and there is no reason to perpetuate the error.

If there are Government Servants residing at Jalorpet, some Revenue Officer of the District ought to address Government on the subject to obtain sanction for the supply of Medicines etc.

The indent for cholera patients will be sanctioned if it is countersigned by the Chief Medical Officer of the Company responsible for payment of indent.

(By Order)

(S^d) C. M. Thompson M. B. Surgeon
Secy. Surg. Genl. with the Govt of Madras.

No 726

To

Madras 15th June 1888.

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The Medical Officer

M. Railway Co.
Rangapetam

Forwarded for information and for
disposal in reference to his No 300 of
3rd May 1888

2. The Covering memo No 3979 of
12th instant from the Secretary
to the Surgeon General with the Govern-
ment of Madras is requested to be
returned.

(Signed) J. S. Carruthers

Surgeon
Offg Principal Medl Storekeeper.

Recd 30/6/88

No 59

Medical Department
Madras Railway
Jolarpet Station
27th April 1888.

To

The Medical Officer

Madras Railway
Rangapetam

Sir,

With reference to the 7 enclosures I beg to
state for the information of the Offg Principal
Medical Storekeeper, that, the Government
Servants referred to in my medical Indent
are viz. the Post Master, and his family, two
Post Boys, and their families, two runners and
their families, Mail Agent and family, with
runner and his family, six Police Constables and
their respective families and lastly the Village
Munseiff and his family.

The Cholera Patients referred to in my
Medical Indent are viz. all bona fide Railway
Passengers by trains removed here when found
suffering from Cholera, and who are not Railway
officials or subordinates.

In conclusion I beg to state that Sanitary
Medical Indents have always been submitted
by me annually to the Principal Medical
Storekeeper and which have been, as you are
aware, sanctioned and supplied regularly.

I beg to remain

Yours

(Sd) J. C. Ellis

Apothecary M. R. C.



Madras Railway Company
Consulting Physician's Office
Royapuram June 21, 1888

N^o 443
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The Agent and Manager
Madras Railway Company

Dear Sir,

By the accompanying correspondence you will see that the Surgeon General's Office refuses to sanction certain Indents for Medicines for the use of Government Servants (viz. Police and Post Office officials, Village Munsiff etc) from the Railway Apothecary at Jalarpet. The Apothecary receives an allowance from Government for Medical attendance on these people and on the Rest House Staff and his indents on the Principal Medical Storekeeper for medicines for their use have always hitherto been sanctioned.

I shall be glad if you will advise me what steps I should now take to obtain medicines from Government for the use of their Civilian Subordinates stationed at Jalarpet.

With reference to the last para of the Secretary to the Surgeon General's letter, the medicines referred to being for the use of the Public and not for Railway Employes or their families, the Company should not be called upon to bear the cost.

Enclosed I send you copies of Apothecary Ellis's letter and a letter from the

the Secretary to the Surgeon General.

Yours etc

(S^d) H. Leslie Ansted.

Medical Officer

M. R. C.

(True Copy)

W. Mead

For Agent and Manager

N^o 3717

Madras Railway Company
Agent and Managers Office
Madras, 26th June 1888.

From

The Agent and Manager
Madras Railway Company

To

The Surgeon General
to the Government of Madras
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith for
your perusal Copies of letters marginally noted
which have passed on the
Subject of Indents for
medicines to be dispensed
by the Railway Apothecary
at Jalarpet for the use of
Government Employees
viz: Police and Post Office
Officials, Village Mun-
siff etc.

N ^o 59 dated 27 th April from the Apothecary Jalarpet. M. R. C.	}
N ^o 3979 dated 12 June from the Secretary to the Surgeon General with the Government of Madras	
N ^o 726 dated 15 th June from the Off ^r Principal Medical Storekeeper	
N ^o 443 dated 21 June from the Medical Officer M. R. C.	

It will be observed from the correspon-
dence under notice that hitherto these indents have
been complied with and although it is stated
in the letter N^o 3979 dated 12th Instant that there is
no reason to perpetuate the error because the
indents have previously been wrongly com-
plied with, still it is not stated distinctly to
whom the Company's Medical Officer should
apply for medicines or by whom they should
have been supplied previously

I have therefore the honor to request
that you will kindly state to whom such
incidents should be forwarded in the future.

I have etc

(S^d) Francis B. Hannay.

Agent and Manager

(True Copy)

W. Read

For Agent and Manager.

Office of Surgeon General
with the Government of Madras.
Fort St. George, 26th July 1888.

N^o 4990

From

The Surgeon - General with the
Government of Madras.

To

Fort St. George

The Agent and Manager
Madras Railway Company.

Sir,

With reference to your letter N^o 3717 of
the 26th June last, I have the honor to inform
you that the question of the supply of medi-
cines from the Madras Depot to the Railway
Apothecary at Jolarpet has been referred for
the Orders of Government.

I have etc

(S^d) C. M. Thompson M.B.

Surgeon

Secy. for Surgeon General
with the Govt of Madras.

(True Copy)

W. Read

For Agent and Manager.

Public Department
Proceedings of the Madras Government

Order 14th August 1888, No 804

In the circumstances stated the
Submission of indents on the Medical Store
Depôt by the Railway Apothecary at Jalarpet
25th Aug 1888. should be discontinued.
in M.S.

(True Extract)
(Sd) W. L. C. Baddeley
Under Secretary to Government
P. W. Department
For Ag. Chief Secretary.

To

The Surgeon General
with Government
(True Extract)
(Sd) C. M. Thompson M. B.
Surgeon
Secy, Surgeon General with
the Government of Madras.

(True Copy)

[Signature]
For Agent and Manager

Office of Surgeon General
with the Government of Madras
Fort St. George, 27th August 1888.

N^o 5569.

From

The Surgeon General with the
Government of Madras
Fort Saint George

To

The Agent and Manager
Madras Railway Company

Sir,

In continuation of my letter N^o 4990
of 26th July last, I have the honor to forward
for your information an extract from G. O.
N^o 807, Public, of 14th August 1888, ruling that
the submission of incidents on the Medical
Store Depot by the Railway Apothecary at
Jalarpet should be discontinued.

I have etc

15th C. M. Thompson

M. B. Surgeon

Secy. Surgeon General with
the Government of Madras

(True Copy)

W. H. Read
For Agent and Manager.

(No. I.)

No. 924

MADRAS RAILWAY.

AGENT AND MANAGERS' OFFICE,

Madras, 29th August 1888

From

The Agent and Manager.

To

A. R. C.

The Consulting Engineer for Railways.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward
herewith for your perusal Copies of Correspondence,

N ^o 59 dated 27 April from the apothecary,	marginally
Jalarpet A. R. C.	noted, which
N ^o 3979 dated 12 June from the Secretary to the	has taken place
Surgeon General with the Government of Madras,	regarding incidents
N ^o 726 dated 15 June from the off ^{ce} Principal	for medicines
Medical Storekeeper	to be dispensed
N ^o 443 dated 21 June from the Medical	by the Railway
officer. A. R. C.	apothecary
N ^o 3717 dated 26 June from the Agent and	Jalarpet for
Manager Madras Railway to the Sur-	
geon General with the Government of Madras	
N ^o 4990 dated 26 July from the Surgeon General	
with the Government of Madras to the	
Agent and Manager A. R. C.	
N ^o 5569 dated 27 August from - do - do - do -	

the use of Government Employe's viz:- Police, Post
Office Officials, Village Inamsiff, etc.

From the Secretary to the Surgeon
General's letter N^o 3979, dated 12 June last, it would
appear that the sanction of Government for com-
pliance with the incidents, has never been obtained
upon the recommendation of some Revenue

officer

Officer of the District," and for this reason
I presume the ruling in Government Order
No. 807, Public, August 14th, 1888 has been promul-
-gated.

I shall be obliged if you will kindly
communicate with the Department interested
in the matter, and afterwards favor me with
the necessary authority for such incidents to be com-
-plied with, unless the reply from the Surgeon
General's Secretary means that the Company's
Apothecary is not expected to render aid to the
Civilian Subordinates at Jalarpet in the future.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours most Obedient Servant

W. Read

For Agent and Manager.

REGISTER

No. 823

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No. 876

10TH DECEMBER 1888, No. 1169, PUBLIC.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—again G.O., dated 14th August 1888, No. 807, Public.

READ—also the following papers:—

From the Public Works Department, dated 7th September 1888, No. 630-D.

“ Surgeon-General, dated 15th October 1888, No. 8-T.Q.

“ “ “ 20th “ “ “ 22-T.Q.

ORDER—dated 10th December 1888, No. 1169, Public.

The Government have had under consideration the question of revising the allowances sanctioned in G.O., dated 21st September 1876, No. 1708, Financial, to the

	Per mensem.
	RS.
Jalárpét	25
Erode	10
Pothanúr (including Mettupálaiyam)	10
Beypore	20
Arkónam	25
Gooty	10
Raichúr	20

Railway apothecaries at the marginally-noted stations for affording medical aid to the Government servants, civil and military, there stationed, and the members of their families.

2. No reason for a special allowance on this account at present exists at Erode, Mettupálaiyam and Gooty, at each of which stations there is now a Local Fund dispensary open to the public.

3. As regards Pothanúr, medical aid is always at hand at Coimbatore, 4 miles distant, and railway accidents, to which the Surgeon-General refers in paragraph 3 of his letter of the 20th October 1888, come within the legitimate sphere of duty of the Railway apothecary.

4. In the case of Jalárpét and Raichúr, the allowances, if continued, would be given, so far as the Civil department is concerned, solely for the benefit of officers of the Postal and Telegraph services, for whom the Provincial Government is not obliged to provide.

5. Beypore has been abandoned as a station by the Madras Railway Company.

6. The opening of a Local Fund dispensary at Arkónam was sanctioned in G.O., dated 19th March 1888, No. 591 L., Local and Municipal. The Surgeon-General will report whether the Government servants at that station cannot be attended to by the medical subordinate in charge, one-fourth of whose pay and allowances are met from Provincial Funds.

Forwarded to the Agent and Manager for the Railway.

Dated 29th August 1888

Recd. 30th Aug. 1888

No. 924.

To

The Consulting Engineer for Railways.

From

The Agent and Manager.

For 60/11/00

Subs 300/10

7. In the other cases mentioned above, the allowances sanctioned in G.O., dated 21st September 1876, No. 1708, Financial, will be entirely withdrawn, with effect from the 1st January 1889. If in any case it should be still necessary to supply the medical wants of Military officers at any of these stations, it will be left to the Military authorities concerned to apply for provision being made in their department.

(True Extract.)

Hedrick Rice

Chief Secretary.

To the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.

- „ Financial Department.
- „ Military
- „ Public Works Department (Railway Branch), with enclosures returned.
- „ Local and Municipal Department.
- „ Revenue Department.
- „ Accountant-General.

No 630 27/9/88
No 698 18/7/88
No 1110 R 22 Dec/88

Communicated
to the Consulting Engineer
for Railways with reference
to this endorsement No 292
dated 4 Sept/88.
V. C. J.
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The Consulting Engineer
for Railways
" Govt. Rly. Dept.
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Govt. of Madras.
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G.O., 10th Dec. 1888, No. 1169.

No 1110 R 22 Dec/88

DECEMBER.

Railway Apothecaries.

Revising the allowances sanctioned to the —
at certain stations for affording medical aid to the
Government servants there stationed.

With Order

31st JANUARY 1889, No. 108, PUBLIC.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—again G.O., dated 10th December 1888, No. 1169, Public.

READ—also the following paper:—

From G. BIDIE, Esq., M.B., C.I.E., Surgeon-General with the Government of
Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 14th
January 1889, No. 8.

With reference to paragraph 6 of G.O., No. 1169, Public, of 10th December 1888,
I have the honor to report, for the information of Government, that the dispensary
sanctioned to be opened at Arkonam in G.O., dated 19th March 1888, No. 591 L.,
Local and Municipal, was subsequently allowed by Government to be transferred to
Sholinghur at the instance of the Collector, North Arcot: vide G.O., No. 997 L.,
Local and Municipal, dated 3rd May 1888. There is, therefore, no dispensary now at
Arkonam.

ORDER—dated 31st January 1889, No. 108, Public.

In the circumstances reported in the foregoing letter, the Government sanction
the continuance of the subsidy to the Railway Apothecary at Arkonam, but resolve,
in accordance with the proposal made by the Surgeon-General in paragraph 4 of his
letter of the 20th October 1888, No. 22-T.Q., to reduce the allowance from Rs. 25 to
Rs. 15, with effect from the 1st instant.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.
" Financial Department.
" Public Works Department (Railway Branch).
" Local and Municipal Department.
" Accountant-General.

Exd. A. Raitt.

13. No. 158 R of 12 Feb/89.
 14th
 10 Feb
 Communicated to
 the Consulting Engineer for
 Railways in continuation
 of Pross. No. 110 R, dated
 22^d December 1888.

No. 698 R of 5.8.88
 " 630 R of 7.9.88
 " 1110 R of 22.12.88

The Chief Eng for Rys.
 " Ex. Secy to Rys. Secy.
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Encl.

G.O., 31st January 1889, No. 108.

13. No. 158 R of 12 Feb/89.

JANUARY.

Railway Apothecary.

Sanctioning the continuance of the reduced allowance of Rs. 15 to the — at Arkonam for affording medical aid to the Government servants there.

With order

5TH NOVEMBER 1889, No. 2589 L., LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From W. J. H. LE FANU, Esq., President, District Board, North Arcot, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chittoor, 16th August 1889, Ref. on General L. F. No. 1553.

With reference to paragraph 52 of the General Local Fund Review for 1887-88, wherein it was observed by Government that this district maintained less than one dispensary for every lakh of its population, it was found that all the Taluk Boards except Ranipet, maintained the required number of dispensaries on the principle laid down by Government, and that Ranipet Taluk Board, which has a total population of 5,93,029 as per last census, maintained instead of six for that number only four dispensaries, including the Municipal dispensary at Walajapet. To make up for this deficiency, I proposed to that Taluk Board to submit proposals for opening two more dispensaries in their range. They have resolved to open these two institutions, one at Arkonam and the other at Puttur, from April next, and to make the necessary provision in their budget for the next year.

2. Last year it was proposed by the same Taluk Board to open a dispensary at Arkonam, and the proposal was sanctioned by Government in their Order, dated 19th March 1888, Mis. No. 591 L., but it was subsequently transferred to Sholinghur, where it was needed more urgently: vide G.O., dated 30th May 1888, No. 997 L. Puttur is an important town on the North-west line of Railway and is a growing town. It is a convenient centre among several surrounding villages.

3. The two proposed dispensaries are to be 3rd-class ones, and will be held in rented buildings for the present.

4. I have the honor to request that Government will be pleased to accord their sanction to the establishment of two dispensaries at the proposed places with a staff of establishment similar to that already sanctioned for the same class of dispensaries in other places of the district as per details given below :—

	RS.	A.	P.
One 3rd-class hospital assistant (with $\frac{2}{3}$ of pay at Rs. 25)	21	14	0
Charge allowance ($\frac{1}{3}$ of Rs. 10)	8	12	0
	30	10	0
One compounder on	8	0	0
" watchman "	5	0	0
" waterman "	5	0	0
	18	0	0
Total	48	10	0 per month
	or 583	8	0 per year.

5. A copy of the resolution of the District Board, approving of the suggestion of the Taluk Board, is enclosed.

No. 704.

Referred to the Surgeon-General for remarks.

(By order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE,
10th September 1889.(Signed) W. S. MEYER,
Assistant Secretary.

No. 270.

MEMORANDUM.

Approved and resubmitted. Copy of a letter received from the District Surgeon, North Arcot, on the subject, is enclosed for the information of Government.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
21st October 1889.(Signed) G. BIDIE, M.B., C.I.E.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Madras.

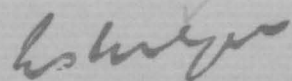
ORDER—dated 5th November 1889, No. 2589 L., Local and Municipal.

The Ranipet Taluk Board's proposal to open new dispensaries at Arkónam and Puttúr, with the establishments specified in paragraph 4 of the President's letter, is sanctioned.

2. The usual contribution from Provincial funds towards the salaries and allowances of the medical subordinates to be attached to these dispensaries will be sanctioned in the Financial Department.

3. The allowance for attending on Government servants sanctioned to the Railway Apothecary at Arkónam in G.O., dated 31st January 1889, No. 108, Public, will be withdrawn from the date on which the Local Fund dispensary at that place is opened.

(True Extract.)


For Chief Secretary.

To the President, District Board, North Arcot.

- „ Financial Department.
- „ Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.
- „ Accountant-General.
- „ Public Department.
- „ Public Works Department (Railway Branch.) ✓

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Exd. A. Raitt.

Govt. of {1889} Madras.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL.

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Recd.

G.O., 5th Nov. 1889, No. 2589 L.

NOVEMBER.

Dispensaries.

Sanctioning, with remark, the Ranipet Taluk Board's proposal to open new — at Arkónam and Puttúr, with the necessary establishments, and stating that the allowance now paid to the Railway Apothecary at the former station for attending on Government servants will be withdrawn from the date on which the Local Fund dispensary is opened.

No. 158 R of 12-2-89

B. No. 106 R of 21 Jan/90.

Recd. 18 Jan

Communicated to

the Consulting Engineer for
Railways in continuation

of Proo. No. 158 R, dated

12th February 1889.

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B. No. 106 R of 21 Jan/90.

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H. No. 17-1-90 R. 18-1-90.

8TH FEBRUARY 1890, No. 82, FINANCIAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From E. LAWRENCE, Esq., Under Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Calcutta, the 31st December 1889, No. 6516.

I am directed to forward copy of a letter from the Director-General of the Post Office of India, No. 6719, dated the 16th November 1889, regarding the discontinuance by the Government of Madras of an allowance of Rs. 15 a month hitherto drawn from Provincial revenues by the Railway Apothecary at Raichur for medical attendance on the Post Office establishments at that station.

2. The allowance is said to have been withdrawn on the ground that a Provincial Government is not called upon to provide medical assistance to servants of an Imperial Department. In this connection, however, I am to invite the attention of the Government of Madras to rule I (10) of the rules published in Financial Resolution, No. 1709, dated the 22nd March 1877, and also to the fact that the assignment allotted to the Madras Government by the revised Provincial contract must be held to cover the charge in question. I am to request therefore that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, orders may be issued for the payment of the allowance from Provincial revenues as heretofore.

Copy forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, and to the Director-General of the Post Office of India, with reference to his letter No. 6719, dated the 16th November 1889.

ENCLOSURE.

From the Director-General of the Post Office of India, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, dated Calcutta, 16th November 1889, No. 6719.

I have the honor to solicit the sanction of Government to the grant of a monthly allowance of Rs. 15 to the Railway Apothecary at Raichur for medical attendance on the Post Office servants stationed at that place.

2. In 1874 the Madras Government sanctioned a monthly allowance of this sum to be paid to the Railway Apothecary for attending on the Post Office and Telegraph Department servants at that place, but the sanction was withdrawn in December last on the ground that a Provincial Government was not called upon to provide medical assistance to servants of Imperial Department.

3. There is no Government Medical officer at Raichur and no private practitioner, and the arrangement made by the Madras Government in 1874 may, I think, be properly continued so as to place the Post Office servants in the same position which they would occupy if not employed at Raichur. A similar arrangement has been made with Government sanction at Dhond,*

* F. D. No. 2091, dated 21st July 1885.
† F. D. No. 3472, dated 26th September 1883.

Wadi,† and other places where there are no Government Medical officers and medical aid is not procurable from the outside.

2 copies to Mr

8TH FEBRUARY 1890, No. 82, FINANCIAL.

ORDER—dated 8th February 1890, No. 82, Financial.

G.O., No. 1169, Public, dated 10th December 1888, will be cancelled so far as it relates to the allowances granted to the Railway Apothecaries at Jalárpét and Raichur. G.O., No. 108, Public, dated 31st January 1889, will also be cancelled; and the allowances in both cases will be restored at the original rates.

(True Extract.)

J. L. Cole

Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department (Railway Branch).
 " Local and Municipal Department.
 " Public Department.
 " Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.
 " Accountant-General.

Exd. W. H. French

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G.O., 8th February 1890, No. 82.

FEBRUARY.

Railway Apothecaries.

Cancelling the orders quoted so far as they relate to the allowances granted to the — at certain stations, and stating that the allowances will be restored at the original rates.

B No 281 R d/24.2.90.

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Communicated to
the Consulting Engineer
for Railways with reference
to Props: No. 1110 R, dated 12th
December 1888 and No. 158 R,
dated 12th February 1889.

C.S.

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