

Public Works (1899) Department.

RAILWAY BRANCH.

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DATED 27th Oct 1899

[Despatch Abstract.]

Examination of Captains and Lieutenants
of Royal Engineer

Commty to Captain P. Ashworth R.E.
a circular from the Govt of India
forwarding the Explanation of
"Interior Economy" and "Musketry"
in ——— for promotion.

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From Government of India.

Communicated to
Captain B. Ashworth R.E.
for information.

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Dated 4th October 1899.

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SUBJECT.

Letter regarding Explanation
of "Interior Economy" + "Maneuvering"
in Examination of Captains +
Lieutenants of Royal Engineers
for promotion.

To Captain P. Ashworth R.E.

N. H. Dept. of Railway Branch

Simla, the 4th October 1899.

By order,

C. M. Walker

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 1714 R.E., dated Simla, the 22nd September 1899.

From —The Adjutant General in India,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department,
Simla.

I am directed to forward herewith copy of a letter* addressed by the Director of Military Education in India to the Lieutenants Commanding the Forces, in regard to the "Interior Economy" and "Musketry" portions of the examination of Royal Engineer Officers in subjects (a) and (b), Appendix VII, Queen's Regulations, and to request that all Captains and Lieutenants of Royal Engineers serving in the Public Works Department may be acquainted with the ruling therein contained.

No. 731, dated 12th September 1899

From—The Director of Military Education in India,

To—The Lieutenant Generals Commanding the Forces.

With reference to a case which has been submitted for opinion to Army Head Quarters, I have the honour, by direction of the Commander-in-Chief, to state for your information and guidance, that it is held that when an officer of Royal Engineers in India has to pass in (a) and (b), Appendix VII, Queen's Regulations, his examination in "Interior Economy" should refer to the Interior Economy of a *Company of Sappers and Miners*, and his examination in "Musketry" should be based on the Musketry Regulations *for the Native Army*.

Shimla, Simla.—No. 1312 P. W. D.—9-10-99—1,565.

To. The Secy, to the Govt of Madras,
S. W. South Railway Branch