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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Pension Department,
11th May 1872.*

Read letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, dated 18th March 1872, No. 2425.

ORDER THEREON, 11th May 1872, No. 380.

The Government observe that the countersignature of the Deputy Inspector-General of the Division was unnecessary in the case referred to. Paragraph 3, G. O., 28th September 1866, No. 314, clearly relates only to servants drawing Rupees 50 per mensem and upwards.

2. The Government are constrained to remark that the delay in disposing of this application for pension is not creditable to the Officers concerned. The medical certificate is dated 14th July 1870, yet the register was not forwarded to the Accountant-General until the 31st May 1871, the verification of the applicant's services having thus occupied nearly eleven months.

3. After a lapse of six months more the register was returned by the Accountant-General for want of certain information; and it is now submitted to Government after a further period of four months and a half.

4. The register will be forwarded to the Acting Accountant-General for early report.

5. The Government do not understand why the Superintending Engineer permitted Arcot Moonesawmy Moodelliar's post to be filled up, and reported it to be under date 6th February 1871, No. 2238, in the face of G. O., 13th October 1866, No. 332, Pension Department, which must have been communicated to all Superintending Engineers.

6. That order distinctly lays down that, on a post being vacated by an applicant for pension, such post shall not be permanently filled up until the final orders of Government passed upon the application shall have been received.

The present difficulty has arisen solely from a total disregard of the plain orders of Government.

7. The attention of all Heads of Departments will be specially called to the order of the 13th October 1866, No. 332, Pension Department, and the further order of the 2nd November 1870, No. 595, on the same subject.

(True Extract.)

[Signature]
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.
" Accountant-General, with register.
" Revenue Department.
" Military "
" Public Works "
To the

Exd J. Wright.

*For communication and for communication to Officer subordinate to that District
Dy. S. P.*

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Passing orders on the correspondence between the Accountant-General and the Superintendent Engineer, 3rd Division, relating to the delay in the submission of the pension case of A. McQuarrie, late a Draughtsman.

W. H. Allen

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