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Reply paid 6 words only Single rate

Signature E Beale

Signaller in charge.

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I do hereby certify that Wm Leonard R. Burrows Madras Civil Service, is in a bad state of health and that it is necessary in my opinion he should proceed to Trichinopoly for the purpose of obtaining a final Medical Certificate to enable him to proceed to Europe for the space of (2) two Months

Tranquebar
19th September 1872

N.G. Archbold.
Zillah Surgeon.

I do hereby Certify that according to the best of my professional judgment, after careful perusal of his case, I consider the state of health of L.R. Burrows Esqre. of the Madras Civil Service to be such as to render leave of absence to Europe for the period of two years highly desirable for his recovery.

Edwd Balfour Surgn Genl
Inspector General I.M.D

Fort St George
8 Octr 72

P.C. 2234/72

Dyspepsia.

L. R. Burrows Esqre
Madras Civil Service.
Actg Head Asst to Magistrate
Tanjore.

Total Service. 7 Years & 11. Months.
Service in India. 7 Years & 11. Months.
Age. - - - 30 Years & 11. Months.
Temperament. ——— Bilious.
Habits. ——— Temperate.

Summary.

A case of Dyspepsia
Consequent on long residence
in India.

Treatment.

Alteratives,
Vegetable & mineral
tonics etc.

Previous History. — From what I have learnt of Mr. Burrows previous history since his arrival in India, it is evident he has enjoyed rather indifferent health. In November 1867 he suffered from a severe attack of Dysentery & was obliged in consequence to go to the Palaney Hills for three months, during his stay there, he had repeated attacks of fever, which however he managed to shake off on his return to the plains. In May 1868 he had a sharp attack of inflammation of the Bowels, his Convalescence from which was very protracted & he states that since that period he has always suffered more or less from irregularity of bowels & various other symptoms of Dyspepsia. — Towards the end of 1868 (& before he had altogether recovered from his previous illness) a large Abscess formed in left posterior inferior triangle of neck, which had to be opened;

the discharge being very profuse tended no doubt to render his recovery more tardy.

In November 1869 Had an attack of Quinsey which however only lasted for a short time. In 1871 took (3) Three months privilege leave to Coïacamun, the change however appears to have had the effect of rather aggravating the Dyspeptic symptoms. I myself have known him for more than a year, having first become acquainted with him on his returning from the "Hills," he has since then constantly complained to me of feeling. (I cannot better express it than by a common phrase) "a want of go in him" although he was never actually on the "Sick Report" I know he was often far from well & almost unable to get through his Official work which is occasionally exceedingly heavy. In July last he wrote to me informing of his intention of coming into Tranquebar, to consult me as he was feeling very much indisposed but it was not until the 17th of August that he could manage to visit me owing to pressure of business—

Present State. He appears to have lost flesh since I last saw him a month or two previous. His complexion is sallow & white of eyes. Slightly tinged yellow. States that on getting up in the

morning the feelings of nausea & the inclination to reach is so bad that he can with difficulty retain even a cup of tea. Tongue foul & covered with a brownish fur, no appetite or desire for any description of food, he also complains of a constant feeling of langour & if his work is at all heavy he becomes quite exhausted & suffers a good deal from his head, I may state here en passant that I was present in Mr Burrow's Court on two days during his recent stay in Tranquebar, (his business being at the time so heavy that he was obliged "Nolens Volens" to go on with work) & was quite struck with his fatigued & worn appearance. His bowels are irregular, & inclined to be costive, the dejections rather of a pipeclay & whitish in color. His skin is generally bathed in perspiration, pulse weak & countenance anxious. Does not complain of feeling any uneasiness in Hepatic region and on examination I could not detect any thing abnormal. He states that latterly his rest at night is very much broken, sometimes lying awake for hours at a time; with a view to correct the secretions, he was ordered pills composed of Podophyllin, blue pill etc also mineral & Vegetable tonics.

After pursuing this treatment for some time, but what is more probable, owing to the change of air & scene he, seemed to improve a little; and on the 24th August

as he was obliged to return to Myaveram — he was instructed to persevere in the treatment already recommended. —

On the 6th September I heard from him stating that he was not better, perhaps an extract or two from his letter will put the matter in a clearer light. —

"My appetite still continues very bad in fact it is a misnomer to call it "appetite" for the truth is I scarcely ever sit down to a meal without feeling a position aversion for my food. —

During the last 2 or 3 months I have frequently been kept awake from about ½ past one or two O'Clock to near day-break by a most peculiar sensation in the chest not exactly pain, but a something which causes restlessness and renders sleep impossible as long as it lasts. I suppose this must be one of the phases of indigestion, but I have not as a rule been able to assign any reason for it in any thing that I have eaten or drunk the night previous, exercise which is in the least degree violent produces a sort of "Vertigo" I have felt this after galloping my horse for a short distance & pulling up. Until lately I never experienced this sensation although I have been accustomed to ride ever since I can remember any thing"

He also informed me he would come into Tranquebar again

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in a short time, in the interior I ordered him to continue his medicine. —

16th September Saw Mr Burrows today, though he does not probably present quite as haggard an appearance as formerly I cannot see any change for the better in other respects, he still complains of that feeling of intense lassitude & inability to get properly through his work, appetite wretched & the disagreeable taste in his mouth, experienced on awaking in the morning as ever any thing. His bowels are somewhat more regular, but this is altogether due to the alterative pills he has been taking. —

Mr Burrows Constitution is naturally not very robust and his 8 years residence in India has told a good deal on his health. Although not suffering from any marked disease yet his present state of debility etc is such, as to render for the present any further residence in India imprudent in the extreme and

I do not think that he should run the risk of going through another hot season taking into consideration that his trip to the Hills last year did more harm than good, & I feel satisfied that nothing short of a return to Europe is likely to be attended with any permanent benefit, I therefore grant him, the following Certificate.—

I do hereby Certify that Mr Leonard R. Burrows Madras Civil Service, is in a bad state of health and that it is necessary in my opinion he should proceed to Trichinopoly for the purpose of obtaining a final Medical Certificate to enable him to proceed to Europe for the space of (2) Two Years.

Tranquebar
19th September 1872

H.G. Archbell
Hillah Surgeon.

W. Playfair M.D.
Dy Inspector General
Indian Med Dept
Subdt Malt Canara

Trichinopoly 21 Sep 1872

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I do hereby certify that Mr. Leonard M. Burrows, Madras Civil Service is in a bad state of health, and that it is necessary in my opinion he should proceed to Trichinopoly, for the purpose of obtaining a Medical Certificate to enable him to proceed to Europe for the space of two Years.

Tranquebar
29th September 1872.

W. Lee Fox
Civil Surgeon

Certificate
of
Mr. Leonard M. Burrows
Madras Civil Service
dated
29th Sept 1872
Recd. 30th Sept
Forwarded
by
Surgeon Lee Fox
Civil Surgeon
Tranquebar

Rec. 2/10/72

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No 232.

Tanjore
21st Sept 1872.

From

S. R. Barnes Esquire
As Asstant Collector
of Tanjore.

To

W. M. Cadell Esquire
As Collector of Tanjore

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will forward to the proper quarter this my application for Furlough to proceed to Europe for two years under Medical Certificate with Subsidiary leave not exceeding one month from the 8th of October 1872 under Section VIII (a) and Section XI of the Consolidated Civil Service Leave Code.

2. The date of my last return from privilege leave being the 30th of June 1871, I am eligible for one month's privilege leave. I request therefore that my full Salary may be passed to me for those days during which I am on Subsidiary Leave before the commencement of furlough. Vide order of Government of India dated 23rd June 1871 No 1317 Financial - Gazette page 1114 4th July 1871.

3. The required certificate is enclosed.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant

S. R. Barnes
As Asst Collector

Submitted through the Board
of Revenue for the favourable con-
-sideration & orders of Govt

Salem
23 September 1872

D. Macfarlane
Sd Collr

To
The Secretary
Board of Revenue
Madras

No 53.

Eligible to
furlough for 2 years
under Section 7th
with subsidiary leave
not exceeding 30 days
under Sec: 15a of the
Civil Leave Code

8 Oct/72 [illegible]
Sec & Agt

The Secy to Govt
Rev: Dept
No 72.
Copy granted
10 Oct 72

Mis No 2012.

From,
The Offg Collector of
Tanjore.

Dated 23. Sept 72.
Rec: 24.
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Mis No 2012
From Offg Collr
Tanjore

Tanjore
23 Sept 1872

Forwarding application
of Mr L. R. Barrow
assistant Collector for 2
years furlough on Medical
certificate with subsidiary
leave for 8 October.

Medical certificate
Original enclosed

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Miscellaneous No 1477.

Submitted through the
Accountant General for
the favorable consideration
of Government.

By order

Rev: Br: Office
madras
24 Sept 72

H R Stokes
Ag Sub-Secretary

Accountant General's Office
Recd 25 9 1872
Ansd

P.R

Let leave be granted
for 2 years
25 Sept 72

Revenue 1872 Dept
(2) No 3279

From
The Accountt General

No 83

Rd 8th Octr 1872
Recd 10th

Reporting on an application from Wm R. Burrows, Esq: Asst Collr of Tanjore for two years furlough to Europe.

Walter Elliot
No 72 - 11 October 1872

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