Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
19th June 1872.

Read the following papers :—

No. 187. From J. H. M. COX, Esq., Deputy-Director of Revenue Settlement, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated 4, Mansfield Villas, Hampstead, N. W., 8th May 1872.

ADVERTING to the new Civil Leave Code, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 3rd ultimo and declared to be applicable to the higher grades of Uncovenanted Officers in the Revenue Settlement Department, I have the honour to request you will be so good as to let me know whether Section 13 of the said Rules applies to my case, as I obtained my extension of six months on Medical Certificate subsequent to the 3rd January last.

2. If it does so apply I shall also feel much obliged if you could arrange for the necessary communication being made to the Home Office regarding the further payment of allowances which would be due to me under the above-mentioned Section, as I find, on inquiry, that some such authorization is necessary before the pay can be passed to me.

REFERRED to the Accountant-General for report.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

4th June 1872.

No. 188. From the Accountant-General, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort St. George, 12th June 1872, No. 147.

I HAVE the honour to return, in original, Mr. Cox's reference, and to explain that the furlough allowance he was drawing under the old Rules was of £200 a year, but that, under Section 2 of Supplement F. of the Leave Code, he might, from the date of issue of that Code, *i.e.*, from 14th March 1872, have claimed on furlough half his average pay, *i.e.*, Rs. 4,200 per annum. On that date (which is curiously both the date on which his extension was granted and that on which the new Rules issued) he had one month and eight days of his furlough unexpired, and, by the extension then granted by the Secretary of State, seems to have commuted all for sick leave (under Section 13 of that Supplement) ; therefore, from that date till the expiry of fifteen months (*i.e.*, up to 21st July) from his embarkation he would draw at the rate of Rs. 4,200 per annum, and for the remaining months of the extension now granted at Rs. 2,100.

2. A copy of this letter would probably serve Mr. Cox's purpose better than any other document. It will be observed that though the leave is said to have been extended, I have spoken of it as commuted to sick leave. The Rules quoted by Mr. Cox make no provision for any extension of furlough to an Uncovenanted Officer, and the orders printed in Madras Financial Proceedings No. 4, dated 7th January 1868, allow it only without pay.

3. Lest Mr. Cox's application should have been supposed to be under the new Rules, which may be extended to him personally among other officers, I may add that he would derive no benefit from them till the day on which the Secretary

of State, on the recommendation of this Government, shall formally admit him to their benefits; from that date to 21st April 1873 (which will complete two years from his embarkation) he would probably be allowed leave-pay at half his average salary for the three years before he left India, *i.e.*, at Rs. 4,200, and during extension of another year, if necessary, he might be allowed to draw Rs. 2,100.

No. 189. ORDER THEREON, 19th June 1872, No. 946.

Miscellaneous.

ORDERED that copy of the Accountant-General's report be furnished to Mr. Cox, and that the correspondence be forwarded to the Secretary of State with the request that Mr. Cox's absentee allowances may be adjusted in accordance with the principles laid down by the Accountant-General.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

Mansfield Villas
Ramsgate Nov.
8th May 1872

From J. K. M. Cox Esqr
Deputy Director of Rev. Settlement

To
The Secretary
Madras Government
Revenue Department

Sir,

Adverting to the new Civil Service Code published in the Gazette of the 3rd Ultimo and declared to be applicable to the higher grades of Uncovenanted Officers in the Revenue Settlement Department

I have the honor to request you will be so good as to let me know whether section 13 of the said Rules applies to my case as I obtained my appointment of 0 months in Medical Certificate subsequent to the 2nd January last.

If it does apply I shall also feel much obliged if you could arrange for the necessary communication being made to the Home Office respecting the further payment of allowances which would be due to me under the circumstances before mentioned as I find my expenses have been much augmented by necessary professional attendance &c since I

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most obedient servant

Revenue 1872 Sept
No. 1912.

From

J. M. St. Cox Esqre
Dy. Collr. Rev. Settle

Rec. 2 Sept 72

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Attested
Lieut

Valid 8 days Reqd 187
Recd 4 June 187

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Requesting to be
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Code applies to him
if so, requesting
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would be due und
the above Section

Accountant General's Office
Recd 7 JUN 1872
Answd

No. 187-

Treasury.

Judicial Department.

No. 147

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
12th June 1872.

From The ACCOUNTANT GENERAL
to the GOVERNMENT of MADRAS,

To The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

Sir,

I have the honor to return herewith
Mr. Cox's Reference, and to explain that his
furlough allowance is now drawing
the old rate viz of £200 a year, but
under Section 2 of Supplement to the Leave
Code he might from the date of issue of the
Code be granted Proportionate leave allowance on
furlough at the average rate of £200
per annum. On that date (which is common
to both the date on which his retirement
was granted and that on which the account
was received) he had 1 year 11 and 8 days
of his furlough unexpired, and might obtain
therefore granted by the Secretary of State,
power to have commuted all for such leave
(under Section 10 of that Supplement) as might

from that date till the expiry of 15 months
(i.e. upto 21 July)
from his embarkation he would draw
at the rate of Rs 4,200 per annum, and for
the remaining months of the extension
now granted at Rs 2100.

A copy of this letter would probably
serve for Coys purpose better than any
other document. It will be observed that
though the leave is said to have been
extended I have spoken of it as commu-
nicated to each head; the rules granted
by Govt Coy make no provision for
any extension if sought to an expired
period. Offrs and the orders provided
in Fin Dept Service and Proceedings
No 14 dated 7th January 68 allow it
only without pay.

Lest Govt Coy application should
have been referred to the wrong dept
I have sent it to the proper which may be extended
by Govt generally on any other officers
I may add that he would derive
no benefit from this till the despatch
which the Secretary of State on the
recommendation

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recommendation of this Government shall
formally admit him to this benefit: from
that date to 21st April 73 (which will com-
plete two years from his embarkation)
he would probably be allowed Leave pay
at half his average salary for the three
years before he left India, i.e. at Rs 1,200
and during extension of another year if
necessary he might be allowed to draw
pension Rs 2100.-

I have the honour to be,
Sir
Your obedient Servt

Secretary
Offg Secretary to Govt

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No 2005

DEPARTMENT.

FROM THE ACCTT. GENERAL
TO THE GOVT. OF MADRAS.

To The Secretary to Govt.
Revenue Dept.

Dated 12
Received 13 June 1872.

No. 946 - 19 June 1872

No. 5

ENCLOSURES. One.

Letter from
Returns the
reference of the J.T.O. &c.
&c. of the Settlement
Dept as King for a
Certificate that he is
entitled to Allowances
under the Leave Code,
Consequent on his
leave having been
duly sanctioned by him for
therein -

1 Fo. J. Mofussil Consultn. No. 28 Public Revenue Proceedings
10 No. 18 of Ordered 11 June 1872
1 Fo. Revenue Consultn. No. 2005