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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,

28th May 1873.

No. 271. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th May 1873, No. 721:—

Read the following letter from W. R. ROBERTSON, Esq., Superintendent of Government Farms, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydapet, 7th March 1873, No. 173:—

I UNDERSTAND that my name is not included in the List of Uncovenanted Servants referred to in Section 1 (b) of the Civil Leave Code who are entitled to obtain leave, etc., under the new Rules. I have the honour, therefore, to request that you will be good enough to take the necessary steps to get my name placed in this List.

2. I was engaged in England, and the appointment I hold is one of the kind for the incumbents of which the change in the Leave Rules was especially made.

In this letter the Superintendent of Government Farms requests that the Board will procure the entry of his name in the List of Uncovenanted Servants referred to in Section 1 (b) of the Civil Leave Code quoted marginally, To all other Uncovenanted Servants the special rules in Supplement F apply.

Leave may be granted

(b) To all Uncovenanted Servants of the classes enumerated in Schedule A who either have been, or may hereafter be, appointed to the service of the Government of India by or with the special sanction of Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, ~~in which may be~~ specially admitted to the benefit of those rules.

2. Mr. Robertson's desire is to be admitted to the benefits of the Covenanted Service Leave Rules. He says that he was engaged in England, and that the appointment he holds was one of those for the incumbents of which the change in the Leave Rules was especially made.

3. On the latter point the Board have no information; on the former, Mr. Robertson was, on the expiry of his first engagement, reappointed to his present post by the Local Government, who declared (G. O., dated 22nd September 1871) that he was to be entitled from his first engagement to the benefits of the Uncovenanted Service Leave and Pension Rules. This order was anterior to the promulgation of the new Code, but the changes made were all in favour of Uncovenanted Servants.

4. If included in Schedule A, Mr. Robertson will be entitled to (1), maximum leave allowance of £1,000 per annum; (2), medical leave up to six years; (3), half salary up to two years; (4), furlough after eight years' active service two years, and one year after each succeeding four years.

If not so included but under the Rules prescribed in Supplement F, Mr. Robertson will be entitled to (1), a maximum salary on leave of £600 per annum; (2), medical leave only twice and not more than 30 months in all, or 15 months at a time; (3), half salary only for 15 months; (4), furlough for one year after 10 years, or for two years after 18 years' service (not necessarily active). Leave without allowances he may have without limit, and this would be in his favour if included in the grades affected by the Rules in Supplement F.

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5. The Board resolve to submit Mr. Robertson's application for favourable consideration of Government as they would wish to see the Head of the Department of Practical Agriculture placed on the same footing as the Officers of the Forest, Telegraph, Public Works, and other Departments whose claims have secured them admission to Schedule A.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. Sr. A. GOODRICH,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

Transferred to the Financial Department.

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

12th May 1873.

No. 272. ORDER THEREON, 28th May 1873, No. 744.

Ordered that Mr. W. Robertson's name be forwarded to the Government of India in a Supplemental List.

(True Extract.)

J. Murray
*Acting Under Secretary,
for Chief Secretary.*

To the Revenue Department.

No 57.

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9 June '73.

Exd. J. Wright.

*W. Robertson
Sent to Secy's Office*

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