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B.P. No.

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Confidential

Since the Confidential memo dated 31st May 1871 was written, changes in the officers' grade have occurred which necessitate an amended memo being furnished.

There are in all 21 officers in the Department distributed as under

Deputy Superintendents	5
1 st Asst. do	4
2 ^d Asst. do	3
3 ^d Asst. do	3
Pro. do	4
	<u>21</u>

No change is proposed in the rank of Deputy Superintendents.

Of the 1st Assistants, there are two who might be included among the Civil Assistant grade filling up the vacancies thus created from the 2nd Assistants.

One 2nd Assistant is acting as 1st Assistant in Charge.

These three being removed from the
 2nd Assistant's list, leave only 3, 2nd Assistant
 the proposed number in the new organization

They will then stand thus

Deputy Superintendents 5

1st Asst do 6

2nd do do 3
 14

Civil Assistants 4

Pro do 2

In Charge 1 To be promoted.
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	Proposed pay		Present pay	
Cob Wapley	On 800 Staff	300	500	
1 st Puckle	900	225	* 750	
Beaumont	900	225	* 750	* Includes
Capt Clarke	500 Staff		500	travelling
1 st Cordozo	700	25	* 750	allowance
				estimated
Capt Baynes	375 Staff	25	350	at On 75
1 st Gamble	500	25	* 550	per annum
Capt Colay	375 Staff	25	350	
" Funtle	375 do	25	350	
" Langeant	375 do		375	(Wynward)
" Hardet	375 do	75	300	
1 st Lomleson	350	50	300	
Leub Franklyn	250 staff		250	
Capt Thompson	250 do		250	

	Proposed pay		Present pay	
1 st Wright	On 400	75	* 550	* Include
" Lomleson	350		350	willing also
" Baker	300	50	250	estimated at
" Messman	300	50	250	On 75 per annum
4				
1 st Bayhame	275		275	
" Maltby	200		200	
2				

Total 20

1st Cook holds no substantive appointment in
 the Survey being only a Probationer He should be transferred
 permanently to the 1st Regt in which he has now served
 nearly two years.

Should there be any difficulty in
 immediately sanctioning the proposed
 measure on account of its dealing with

the whole of the Demarcation Establishment
 the reorganization might be confined
 to 4 1/2 parties excluding one / As in
 Cuddalore) from its operations and leaving
 it on the originally sanctioned scale for
 a Survey party not performing Demⁿ

The total sanction for 4 1/2 combined
 Survey & Demⁿ parties
 and 1 Survey party would stand thus

Cost of one Survey & demarcation
 combined party
 Brought forward 136638

Carried forward 136638

Cost of 4½ of do 614871

do of one survey party according to the present scale 86898

701769

Central office 46170

Lithy & Ensl 21396

769335

Grand total according to the reorganization scheme 819075

Excess 49740

The total sanctioned for the survey party would stand there. It must be remembered that additional funds are not asked for merely the transfer of about 7,000 from the Settlement Budget to that of survey.

JP

Min. No. 17, 1 June 1911
No. 7504/73

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A glance at the accompanying Memo will shew the unusual manner in which the order of the Supreme Government (given in G.O. dated 6 January 1911 No. 63) affects military officers of this Department.

Col Masey if he succeeded to the charge of the Department would have his pay increased by Rs 97-2-0 only. His consolidated pay Rs 1500 would be less by Rs 300 & all allowances than that drawn by a Deputy Superintendent in Bengal.

Captain Clarke who being in the Local Army has during the last few years been an annual loser of Rs 2000, naturally looked to recoup himself by the rules of the Department he entered permitting him to draw the Military pay of his rank in addition to staff pay. By the order now issued he will neither derive benefit

from promotion to Major nor Colonel.

It will be observed that Captains
Paynes, Clay & Freette on arriving at the
rank of Major will be in the receipt of
\$1065-16-6 but if so unfortunate as to
be considered deserving of Departmental
advancement, they will ~~be~~ immediately
be fixed \$5790 per annum.

Leah Clark is on the eve of
attaining to the rank of Captain when he
will draw pay at the rate of \$790-6-
but should he be confirmed in the
Departmental rank in which he is acting
his pay will at once sink to \$550

Captain Linderet again when a
Major will draw \$1015-16-6 but if
confirmed in his acting appointment of
1st Assistant he will lose nearly half
his pay it being then reduced to \$550-
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W.P.

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I am, as I have already stated
in my official letter to Government,
given in G. O. 3^d May 1865 A. 908 far
from wishing to support the anomaly
of Civil Officers drawing pay altogether
disproportionate to their duties or so much
smaller than Military Officers of the
same Departmental grade. At the same
time, in considering the question of
their remuneration it ought not I
think to be omitted as an important
element in coming to a decision that
which Civil Officers entered the Army
with no greater prospect of advancement
than the salary at first fixed, they
have had their position materially
improved by the order granting special
rates to deserving officers. On the other
hand Military Officers have not only
not gained any advantage but by the late

order of the Supreme Government, the
indecisions held out to them on
entering the Department are removed

It must also be remembered
that every Military Officer (except four) has
longer service under Government than any
Civil Officer in the Survey as they entered
the service prior to the Survey Department
being sanctioned. Of the four their service
in the service of two commenced in 1858 the year
the Survey was sanctioned —

J.P.

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Memorandum of information solicited regarding
G.O. N. 63 of 18 January 1873

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1. Colonel W.W. Peckey Deputy Supt. Rev. Survey
oted to Superintendent Rs. 1500 consolidated

2. Captain J.G. White Deputy Supt. Rev. Survey
oted to Captain Rs. 600 + 500 + 75 = Rs. 1175
do Major Do
do Colonel Do
do as Colonel to Supt. Rs. 1500 consolidated

3. Captain L.D. Baynes
4. " B.O. W. Clay } 1st Asst. Supt. Rev. Survey
5. " W. Smith }
oted to Major Rs. 600 + 550 + 75 = Rs. 1225
do Colonel Do

As Deputy Supt. Rev. Survey 5
oted to Major Rs. 750 consolidated
do Colonel Do

6. Lieut. R.M. Clark Ag. 1st Asst. Supt. Rev. Survey
oted to Captain Rs. 600 + 75 + 75 + 75 = 775
do Major Do

As 1st Asst. Supt. Rev. Survey
oted to Captain Rs. 550 consolidated
do Major Do

7. Lieut. W.M. Clark Ag. 2nd Asst. Supt. Rev. Survey
oted to Captain Rs. 600 + 75 + 75 = 750
do Major Do
do as Captain Do
As 2nd Asst. Supt. Rev. Survey
oted to Captain Rs. 550 consolidated

7. Lieut. W. W. M. French 2nd Regt. Supt. R. Survey

8. Captain C. C. Sargeant

9. J. A. Thompson

Pay if promoted to Major _____ \$60.14.6 + 250 + 75 = 965.14.6

do do Colonel _____ Do

As 1st Regt. Supt. R. Survey

Pay if promoted to Major _____ \$550 Consolidated

do do Colonel _____ Do

10. Captain C. A. Liardet Regt. 1st Regt. Supt. R. Survey

Pay if promoted to Major _____ \$60.14.6 + 125 + 175 + 75 = 1015.14.6

do do Colonel _____ Do

As 1st Regt. Supt. R. Survey

Pay if promoted to Major _____ \$550 Consolidated

do do Colonel _____ Do

At Survey Office
Chepauk

31st January 1873

(Signed) J. Priestley Col
Supt. R. Survey

No. 8257

Returned to the Superintendent Revenue
Survey with the information required. A copy
of this paper having been retained.

(Signed) W. Donald

6th February 1873.

Off. Secy. Revenue Survey

MADRAS REVENUE SURVEY PAY OF OFFICERS.

1. In 1864. (Para 37 G. O., 2243 12th December) the Madras Government recommended that the salaries of Revenue Survey Officers should in future be as below :—

Superintendent.....	1500
Deputy Superintendent.....	750
First Assistant	550
Second Assistant.....	425

and that these should be the salaries of the Offices by whomsoever held.

2. The Supreme Government declined to sanction this Scale, (See Proceedings Madras Government 11th November 1865, No. 2732) observing that any Civil officers specially deserving of an increase should be specially recommended.

3. Four Civil Officers were so recommended and obtained the higher rates.

4. On the 22nd May 1871, the Superintendent submitted a scheme for the No. 1138/42 re-organization of the Department, urging in one portion of his letter the claims of the Officers of the Madras Revenue Survey to be placed on the same footing as those in the sister Presidencies.

5. No orders have been passed on this letter, but on application from the Madras Government for sanction for the higher rate as Deputy Superintendent to an Officer who had already obtained it as Assistant, the Government of India in their Proceedings No. 3927 of the 31st October 1872, ordered that the Madras Revenue Survey officers should thenceforth draw only the consolidated rates of pay, recommended in 1864 and negatived in 1865. *See Sup^{rs} letter 31st January 1873 A^o 307*

6. The Bengal rates for Deputy Superintendents are,

	Military.		Civil.
1st Grade.....	800	} + Military Pay of Rank	1100
2nd Grade.....	650		900
3rd Grade.....	500		700

7. In Madras there is only one grade of Deputy Superintendent, the pay being that of the 3rd grade in Bengal.

8. One Deputy Superintendent in Madras has been 15½ years in the same grade drawing the same Staff Salary.

9. Under the operation of the Resolution of the Government of India of 31st October 1872, Military Officers will sustain actual loss on Departmental promotion.

10. The Madras Revenue Survey has been authoritatively pronounced to be the best in India, and as good as any Survey in any other country; the emoluments of the Officers of the Madras Revenue Survey have always been lower than those in the sister Presidencies, and even these lower rates have now been reduced, although 2½ years ago application was made for Madras to be placed on an equal footing, as regards pay, with Bengal and Bombay.

PAY OF OFFICERS.

MADRAS REVENUE SURVEY

Official Memo.

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The undersigned has the honour
to request that the accompanying Memo-
-randa may be submitted for perusal
with the other papers relating to the
establishments of the Revenue Survey
Department which form the subject
of his letter noted in the margin.

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H. C. Pittley Esq.
Superintendent Revenue

Re Survey office
Chepauk
12th February / 75

To
The Secretary to Gov.^{ty}
Rev. Deptt

Rev: 1873: Dep't
No 750

Geno from

Col. R. S.

Confidential

to the Secy of War

Washington

dated 12th 2 March 1873
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Received

March 14th 1873

Subm. Memoranda
for perusal with the other papers
relating to the Establishment of
the Revenue Survey.

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