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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

27th February 1877, No. 745.

Famine Relief.

Read the following papers :—

No. 476. *From W. DONALD, Esq., Officiating Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 17th February* 1877, *No.* 820.

Audit Department.

I have the honor to represent that by G.O., No. 1437, dated December 26th, 1876, the following pay and allowances were sanctioned for Surgeon H. H. Smith, during his deputation on famine relief duty, although at the time of his deputation he was without any substantive appointment either in the Civil or the Military Department, viz. :—

	Rs.
Pay of rank for charge of a Regiment	450 per mensem.
Deputation allowance	150 „

and that by G.O., No. 189, dated 24th February 1876, Surgeon Rogers-Harrison, deputed to Cumbum on special duty, was permitted to draw as follows :—

	Rs.	A.	P.	
Pay of rank	286	10	0	per mensem.
Half staff as acting in medical charge of a Regiment	61	4	6	„
Deputation allowance	150	0	0	„
Total ..	497	14	6	

in addition to a per diem allowance of Rupees 5.

2. In the orders marginally noted, Surgeons F. H. Pedroza, B. H. Williams, W. O'Hara, J. Maitland, and A. J. Sturmer have been authorized to draw, during their deputation on famine relief duty, "like Surgeons H. H. Smith at Nellore, and Rogers-Harrison lately at Cumbum," the pay of their rank and a deputation allowance of Rupees 5 per diem, in addition to the usual travelling allowance, which was also allowed to Surgeons H. H. Smith and Rogers-Harrison.

G.O., 29th January 1877, No. 91.
„ 9th February „ „ 145.
„ 12th „ „ „ 155.
„ 13th „ „ „ 166.

3. None of the five officers above named hold any substantive appointments, so that it is uncertain whether Government intended that they should draw the pay of rank sanctioned for Surgeon H. H. Smith, or that sanctioned for Surgeon Rogers-Harrison, during his deputation at Cumbum, and I request that I may be favored with early orders upon this point. I have also to inquire whether the "deputation allowance" authorized is a daily allowance of Rupees 5, or a monthly allowance of Rupees 150.

No. 394.

Referred to the Surgeon-General for his remarks.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
19*th February* 1877.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

No. 477. *From Surgeon-General G. SMITH, M.D., Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 22nd February* 1877, *No.* 119.

In returning the Accountant-General's letter referred with your docket, No. 394, of the 19th instant, I have the honor to report, for the information of His Grace the Governor in Council, that the remuneration intended for Medical officers employed at Kurnool, Cumbum, and Red Hills, &c., except at Nellore, who are employed on relief works or on sanitary duties was the unemployed pay of rank, with a deputation allowance of Rupees 5 per diem and the usual mileage. At Nellore, in consequence of the responsible nature of the duties, and the extensive range over which the operations of the East Coast Canal extend, the officer in medical charge was specially recommended to receive the regimental pay of his rank, with a deputation allowance of Rupees 5 per diem and mileage.

No. 478. ORDER THEREON, 27th February 1877, No. 745.

The Surgeon-General's letter will be communicated to the Accountant-General. The principle stated is approved.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.
" Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
" Revenue (Famine) Department.

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To THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated February, 27th.

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