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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

2nd July 1877, No. 2,182-B.

Famine Relief.

Read the following paper:—

No. 29-C. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st June 1877.

Read again Board's Proceedings, Miscellaneous No. 8,047, dated 5th June 1877.

Read the following letter from J. GROSE, Esq., Collector of Nellore, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd May 1877, No. 2,492.

I HAVE the honor to forward, herewith, copy of a letter from Mr. H. G. Sharp, B.C.S., on special duty in this district, dated the 23rd April 1877, No. 51, and to recommend that the sanction of Government may be obtained for the charges therein set forth as they were *bona fide* incurred by him in joining his special appointment in this district.

2. The Accountant-General states in paragraph 2 of his letter, No. 1,444, dated the 10th instant (copy herewith forwarded), that the special and previous sanction of Government is necessary before the charges referred to can be admitted by him.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From H. G. SHARP, Esq., B.C.S., on Special duty, Nellore, to J. GROSE, Esq., Collector of Nellore, dated 23rd April 1877, No. 51.

WITH reference to Government Orders, Financial Department, dated respectively the 19th February 1877, No. 622, and the 27th idem, No. 738, I have the honor to ask the favor of instructions whether I am right in believing that a bill should be submitted for the whole of the expenses actually incurred by me in leaving Durbhunga and joining at Nellore, including those of servants and baggage; the latter partly brought with me from Durbhunga partly brought in Madras (furniture and stores necessary to replace those which I left behind, and of which the freight from Bengal would, of course, have been far more costly), and partly following me through agents. Since in the hurry of departure (which only left me ten minutes after catching the steamer at Calcutta) there were a few packages for which I could not wait. Owing to the non-receipt of a reply to a telegram in which I had asked whether I should take my own horses, I had to send two horses from Durbhunga to bark on the east Indian Railway, so that they might be ready if called for by telegram; and a few similar expenses in despatching servants and a small quantity of property left behind for safe-keeping were incurred wholly owing to the transfer.

2. Over the short distance from Madras I brought two horses with a groom each, two peons, and two private servants newly engaged, besides the two brought from Bengal. I believe that the orders will include their actual journey expenses and the other costs mentioned above; but, in order to avoid possible mistakes, I ask the favor of further instructions, and beg respectfully to submit that anything less would be so much my loss due solely to the special and distant deputation.

3. I beg also to be informed whether the local allowance of Rupees 300 may be drawn from the day following that on which I made over charge of my office in Bengal, since I believe that from that day I have been held to be under the Government of Madras.

(True Copy.)

(Signed)

J. GROSE,

Collector.

Revenue Department, 2nd July 1877, No. 2,182-B.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

From F. DEH. LARPENT, Esq., Officiating Deputy Accountant-General, to H. G. SHARP, Esq., B.C.S., on Special duty, Nellore, dated Fort St. George, 10th May 1877, No. 1,444.

In reply to your letter, No. 51, dated April 23rd, 1877, to the Collector of Nellore, which has been forwarded to this office, I have the honor to state that you are right in supposing that a bill should be submitted for the *bona fide* actual travelling expenses incurred by you in your journey from Durbhunga to Nellore.

2. The carriage of a limited number of servants and the cost of the conveyance of your luggage from Durbhunga form a legitimate portion of such actual expenses, although it is questionable whether the cost of transporting from Madras to Nellore the supplemental household or cooly servants engaged in Madras can be passed to you. For this charge and for permission to charge the Government with the cost of transmitting your two horses to bark if they come no further, as well as for such expenses as you found it necessary to incur in order to place the property and servants you left behind in a safe and convenient retreat, it will be requisite to obtain the special and previous sanction of the Government.

3. The conveyance of your four horses with their necessary attendants from Madras to Nellore may, of course, be included in your actual expenses, but the special not local allowance of Rs. 300 a-month sanctioned for all Military and Covenanted Civil Officers employed on Famine Relief can only be drawn from the date of your arrival on the scene of your relief duties, that is to say, at Nellore.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Collector.

Mr. SHARP should be called upon to frame and submit a bill showing the amount of his claim.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Secretary.

Read also the following letter from H. G. SHARP, Esq., B.C.S., on Special duty, Nellore, to J. GROSE, Esq., Collector of Nellore, dated 14th June 1877, No. 260.

With reference to the Board's Miscellaneous No. 8,047, dated the 5th instant, I have the honor to submit a detailed bill, and to request that you will be so good as to move for early orders thereon, since the money was spent by me four months ago, and I had to overdraw my accounts for the purpose. This letter and the bill are submitted in duplicate for your convenience.

2. In explanation of some few items, I beg that reference may be made to my Nos. 51 and 142, dated respectively the 23rd April and the 14th ultimo, of which copies have, I believe, been submitted to the Board, and in which the circumstances and the speed of my journey were mentioned. I was, I think, the first to arrive from Bengal, save Mr. Home, who came by railway, and I arrived at Madras on the seventh morning from the receipt of orders at Durbhunga.

* I request that similar order may be passed in the matter of the expenses of returning to Bengal so as to avoid further reference.
† I beg also to be informed whether the local allowance, Rupees 300, may be drawn from the day following that on which I made over charge of my office in Bengal, since I believe that from that day I have been held to be under the Government of Madras.

3. I beg the favor of attention to the last part of my No. 142* and to paragraph 3 of my No. 51.†

No. 2,902.

SUBMITTED for the orders of the Board of Revenue with reference to their Proceedings, No. 8,047, dated 5th instant.

NELLORE,
14th June 1877.

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Collector.

Revenue Department, 2nd July 1877, No. 2,182-B.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
for Secretary.

No. 29-D. ORDER THEREON, 2nd July 1877, No. 2,182-B.

THE Accountant-General is authorized to pass Mr. Granville Sharp's travelling bill as submitted.

2. Mr. Sharp will, of course, only draw the special allowance as a Famine Officer from the date of his reporting his arrival at Nellore.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
" the Accountant-General.
" the Financial Department.

Exd. A. Gruber.

Nellone
23rd April 1877

N^o 51

From J. H. Sharp Esquire B.C.S.
on special duty Nellone

To J. Grose Esquire
Collector of Nellone

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THE BOARD OF REVENUE

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Nos. 20-22-23-24

PAID BY THE GOVT. OF INDIA

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and distant deputation.

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(Sd.) H. G. Sharp B.C.S.
On Special duty Nellore

(True copy)

(Sd.) J. Grose
Collector.

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No 1444

Acctt General's office
10 May 1877.

From

The offg Dy. Accountant General
to the Government of Madras

To H. G. Sharp Esqr B.C.S.
On Special duty Nellore.

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(Sd) Fr. de W. Larpenh
Offg. Dy. Secy General.

(True Copy)

(Sd) J. Gross
Collector

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Nellore
Revenue Department
No 2947.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 21st June 1877

Read also Board's Proceedings No

No 8047 dated 5th June 1877

Read also the following

B.G.R No 6712 No 260
From
H. G. Sharp Esquire B.C.S.
on Special duty
Nellore

To
J. Grose Esquire
Collector of Nellore

Sir
With reference to the Board's
Order No 8047 dated the 5th Instant, I have
the honor to submit a detailed bill,
and to request that you will be so good
as to move for early orders thereon, since
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the money was spent by me four months ago, and I had to overdraw my accounts for the purpose. This letter and the bill are submitted in duplicate, for your perusal.

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(True copy)

I have &c
Sd/ H. G. Sharp B. C. S.
On Special duty
Kellore

No 2902

Submitted for the orders of the Board of Revenue, with reference to their Proceedings No 8047 dated 5th

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Kellore
Collector's Office
14th June 1877

Sd/ J. Grose
Collector

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From J. Grose Esquire
Collector of Nollie

To H. E. Stokes Esq.
Secretary to the Board
Revenue Madras.

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herewith copy of a letter from Mr.
J. G. Sharp B. C. S. on special duty
in this District dated the 23rd
April 1877 No 51 and to recommend
that the sanction of Government
may be obtained for the charges
therein set forth as they were bona fide
incurred.

incurred by him in joining his special appointment in this District.

2. The Accountant General states in para 2 of his letter No 1444 dated the 10th Instant (copy herewith forwarded) that the special and previous sanction of Government is necessary before the charges referred to can be admitted by him.

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C. S. & Co. } (Sd) J. Groves
office 23rd May 1877 } Collector

Mr. Sharp should be called upon to frame & submit a bill showing the amount of his claim.

(True copy & extract)

(Sd) H. E. Stokes
Secretary
To the Collector of Madras.
(True copy)

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To The Collector of Malabar.
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(Sd) H.E. Stokes
Secretary

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C. Krishnamoorti

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For Secretary

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Government's letter from
Mr. Sharp, B.C.S. in special
Duty Nellore with his
Travelling Allowances
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Ms. Board of Revenue
Nellore
21st June 1877
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(True Copy)

To The Collector of Nellore.
(True copy)
(Sd) H.E. Stokes
Secretary

Ch. Krishna Rao
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For Secretary