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Revenue DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMEN ADRA

REVENUE PRTMENT.

4th December o. 3,351.

Read the following papers :—

No. 33. From R. H. HOLLINGBER , Assistant Secretary to the Govern-
ment of India, Financial Depa to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Chief Secretary to Governm ted Simla, 31st October 1877,
No. 4,087.

I HAVE the honor, by desire of the G General in Council, to invite your
attention to my letter, No. 1,557, dated June 1877, sanctioning the grant
of a travelling allowance of Rs. 5 a day . H. Merriman, Assistant Superin-
tendent of Surveys, while employed in t or Maliahs of the Ganjam District.

2. At the time that this Order wa Mr. Merriman was understood to
have a fixed allowance for ordinary tra Rs. 75 per month in addition to
his pay. But it has been pointed out ccountant-General that according
to the scheme of the reorganization of t s Revenue Survey, sanctioned by
the Order of the Government of India i artment of Revenue, Agriculture,
and Commerce, No. 313, dated 21st Ma rvey Officers in the Madras Presi-
dency are entitled to draw Bengal rates ing allowance in addition to their
consolidated pay.

3. It is therefore proper that Mr an's allowances be governed by
the rules laid down for Survey Office Bengal Presidency in Financial
Resolution, No. 704, dated 22nd Februar s modified by later Orders, which
as well as the first-mentioned Order hav ommunicated to the Accountant-
General.

4. By Rule III of the Rules of 1866 Mr. Merriman would be
entitled to a travelling allowance of Rs. while in the field and, further, in
consideration of the high expenses of tra the tract in which he is employed,
he may be permitted to avail himself o cession in Rule XIII, by which
on certain conditions he would be ab mmute a moiety of his ordinary
travelling allowance for actual expenditu ount of carriage.

5. Should these provisions be con adequate the Governor-General
in Council would have no objection to s esides for Mr. Merriman a special
local allowance on the same scale as in A , for—

| | Per Month. |
|---|---|
| | RS. |
| Surveyors (Deputy Superintendents) or Probationers. | 75 |
| Assistant Surveyors (Assistant Super ... ... ... | 50 |
| Civil Assistants ... ... ... | 25 |
| Sub-Assistants ... ... ... | |

6. I am to request that you will be ugh to communicate the views
of His Grace the Governor in Council on posals.

REFERRED to the Acting Superintend ue Survey, for his remarks.

FORT ST. GEORGE, C. G. MASTER,
21st November 1877. Secretary to Government.

Commerce

No. 34. From Lieutenant Colonel A. DEC. SCOTT, R.E., Acting Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to C. G. MASTER, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Chepauk, 27th November 1877, No. 3,691-171.

I HAVE the honor to observe, with reference to your endorsement of the 21st November 1877, that, as the Government of Madras, in their Proceedings, No. 4,222, of the 9th instant, approved of my proposal to exclude from survey the outlying muttahs of the Gumsur Taluq, the special allowance granted to Mr. Merriman while employed in these muttahs, and which is referred to by the Government of India in their letter, No. 4,087, of the 31st October 1877, will not now be drawn by him.

2. Mr. Merriman now receives travelling allowance at the rate of Rs. 5 per diem under the regulations brought into force by the Order of Government of the 25th June 1877, No. 2,097, and which are identical with those of the Bengal Survey. I do not consider that there is at present any ground for varying the allowance as provided in Rule III *c* for introducing that specially granted in Assam.

No. 35. ORDER THEREON, 4th December 1877, No. 3,351.

Miscellaneous

THE Government of India will be informed accordingly.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

Encl. A. S. Hodgers.

Govt. of India (1877) Sanitary
REVENUE.
THE SUPERINTENDENT OF
REVENUE SURVEY
Dated December 4th
Read
DECEMBER
Nos. 33—35.
Proceedings of Madras Govt. No. 3351
Proceedings of the Survey Department
Report of charges in the survey establishment
for the mukhtasirdari Taluq of Gumsur
It is requested accordingly.
Encl. A. S. Hodgers.
Copy
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Ref 3729/79
Annexe

No. 4087.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Govt.

of Madras

Fmt. Dept.

Sir,

I have the hon by desire of the Governor General in Council to invite your attention to my letter No. 1557 dated the 30th June 1877, sanctioning the grant of a travelling allowance of Rupees 5/- a day to Dr. J. B. Merriman, Assistant Superintendent of Surveys, while employed in the hills or Mehaks of the Ganjam District.

2. At the time that this order was passed, Dr. Merriman was understood to have a fixed allowance for ordinary travelling of Rupees 75/- per month in addition to his pay. But it has been pointed out by the Accountant General that according to the scheme of the Reorganisation of the Madras Revenue Survey, sanctioned by the order of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue Agriculture and Commerce

Commerce, No. 313 dated 21st May 1877,
Survey Officers in the Madras Presidency
are entitled to draw Bengal rates of
travelling allowance in addition to their
consolidated pay.

3. It is therefore proper that Mr Merriman's
allowances be governed by the rules laid
down for Survey Officers in the Bengal
Presidency, in Financial Resolution
No. 704 dated 22nd February 1866, as modified
by later orders, which as well as the
first mentioned order have been com-
municated to the Accountant General.

4. By rule III of the rules of February
1866, Mr Merriman would be entitled
to a travelling allowance of Rupees 5/ a
day while in the field - and, further, in
consideration of the high expenses of travelling
in the tract in which he is employed,
he may be permitted to avail himself
of the concession in Rule XIII, by which
on certain conditions, he would be able
to commute a moiety of his ordinary
travelling allowance for actual expenditure
on

(account of carriage.

5. Should these provisions be considered
inadequate the Governor General in Council
would have no objection to sanction besides
for Mr Merriman a special local allow-
ance on the same scale as in Assam
viz. for

Surveyors (Deputy Superintendents) per month
Asst Surveyors (Asst Supts) & Probationers — Rs 75
Civil Assistants ——————— " 50
Sub Assistants ——————— " 25

good enough to communicate the decis
of His Grace the Governor in Council
on these proposals.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obt. servant,
H W Waller
Asst Secretary to the Govt
of India.

Simla
The 31st Oct. 1877

Recd
27/10.

Ry-O 25 Sept 77 N 522-23
8 Aug — 115-116
6 September 98-99

Revenue (Ry) Depar
No. 47352
From
Govt. of India
Finl Dept

Dated 31 Oct
Rec'd 12 Nov.
No 4087.

Inviting attention
to letter dated 20 June (Ry) No 152
sanctioning grant of travelling
allowance of Rupees 8 a day to
Mr. I. H. Merriman, Asst.
Supt. of Surveys while employ
in the Hills or Mahals of the
Sanjam Dt. & requesting for
Govt. Madras to communicate the
views on certain proposals of
the Govt. of India

Revenue Department
Letter from Govt. of India
dated 31st October 1877
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of the Govt. of India

12/11/77
Referred

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Memo
Secretary to Govt.
Revenue Department

1 Dec/77 R 4/12/77

Revenue Survey Office
Chepauk
27th November 1877

No. 3691/171

From

The Actg. Superintendent Revenue Survey,

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

SIR,

I have the honor to
observe, with reference to your endorse-
ment of the 21st November 1877, that
as the Government of Madras in
their Proceedings No. 3222 of the
9th Instant, approved of my proposal
to exclude from Survey the outlying
Mullahs of the Gunnaur taluq,
the Special allowance granted to
Mr. Merriman, while employed
in these Mullahs and which is
referred to by the Government
of India in their letter No. 4087
of the 31st October 1877, will not now
be drawn by him.

2/ Mr. Merriman now receives
travelling

* Herewith returned

travelling allowance at the rate of Rs 5 per diem under the regulations brought into force by the order of Government of the 25th June 1877 No 2077 and which are identical with those of the Bengal Survey. I do not consider that there is at present any ground for varying the allowance as provided in Rule III or for introducing that Specially granted in Assam.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
Arthur Scott
Lieut Colonel R.E.
Acting Superintendent
Revenue Survey

No 34-