Orders thereon No 149 of 1888
dated 20th February 1888.

Communicated to officers of the P.W. Department in continuation of G. O. no. 598 W dated 20th February 1888.

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G.O., 23rd July 1888 No. 728.

No 728 Miscellaneous

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I. to the Ch. Engr for I
" Consg Engr for Kys
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" Consg Audit to Govt
" Ex: P.W.D.
" Ex: Ry Accts.

Employment of Pensioned Soldiers of the Madras Army.

Communicating to all Heads of Departments report on the — in civil capacities between October 1887 and March 1888.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From Brigadier-General M. C. FARRINGTON, C.B., Adjutant-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Ootacamund, 6th July 1888, No. 2067.

I have the honor, by desire of the Commander-in-Chief, to forward, for the information of Government, letter No. 816, dated 15th ultimo, from the Superintendent of Pensions, submitting a report regarding the employment of pensioned soldiers of the Madras Army in civil capacities for the period between October 1887 and March 1888, and to say that His Excellency considers the report a satisfactory one, showing an increase still maintained in the employment of pensioners and the scheme to be working well generally.

2. I am to request that the report now submitted may be printed and circulated in the Public Department; His Excellency proposes, as before, to send a copy to the Madras Press.

ENCLOSURES.

From Lieutenant-Colonel S. LEIGH HUNT, Superintendent of Pensions, to the Adjutant-General, Ootacamund, dated Fort St. George, 15th June 1888, No. 816.

I have the honor to forward, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, a report and return regarding the employment, in Civil capacities, of pensioners of the Madras Native Army.

REPORT by Lieutenant-Colonel S. LEIGH HUNT, Superintendent of Pensions, on the employment of pensioners of the Madras Native Army in civil capacities, agreeably to the scheme promulgated by His Excellency Sir Frederick Roberts, Bart, K.C.B., late Commander-in Chief, Madras Army.

The report, dated the 12th January 1888, after the scheme had been in work for two years and nine months, showed 2,073 pensioners remained in employment on the 30th September 1887, under the new conditions.

2. Between October 1887 and March 1888, a period of six months, employment has been found for 551 pensioners, which, added to the 2,073 employed pensioners above alluded to, gives a total of 2,624 pensioners.

3. Of this number (2,624), 205 are reported as having voluntarily resigned employment, 7 died, and 10 are reported as having been dismissed for negligence of duty, disobedience of orders, &c., leaving, thus, on the 31st March 1888, a total number of 2,402 pensioners employed under the new conditions.

4. The scheme has now been on trial for three years and a quarter, during which time there has not only been a steady increase in the number of men employed, but the Superintendent has noted, with much satisfaction, that, of late, the services of many pensioners have been applied for, for positions of trust carrying salaries above the average, from which it may be, with reason, inferred that mercantile firms and the public generally have begun to appreciate the value of the services of these men, while the publicity, kindly given by the press to the half-yearly reports, has no doubt largely contributed to the general success of the working of the scheme.

5. Registers of pensioners employed and desirous of employment have been opened at the different Pension Offices throughout the Presidency. A complete set of forms and monthly returns in connection with the employment have been drawn up by the Superintendent, and a strict and careful check is thus kept on the working of the scheme.

6. Officers in charge of pensioners have been directed, not only to give every assistance in their power to deserving men seeking work, but also to assist applicants for the services of pensioners in obtaining men suitable for the employment offered.

7. Of the 1,092 pensioners, who remained in employment on the 30th September 1887 (*vide* last report), which employment they had found for themselves prior to the introduction of the new conditions, only 1,053 remained in employment on the 31st March 1888, showing thus a decrease of 39 since last report, and which number is accounted for as follows:—

Voluntarily resigned	29
Dismissed	4
Died	6
Total	39

Thus the number of pensioners employed on the 31st March 1888 stood as follows:—

Pensioners employed under the new conditions	2,402
Do. do. prior to the introduction of the scheme	1,053
Total	3,455

As stated in the previous report, application for pensioners should be made to the different officers in charge of pensioners, of whom there is one in all the chief towns in the Presidency—*vide* pages 176-a and 177, Madras Quarterly Army list, and any particular information on the subject will, on application, be supplied by the Superintendent of Pensions, Fort St. George.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
15*th June* 1888.

(Signed) S. LEIGH HUNT, Lt.-Col.,
Superintendent of Pensions.

RETURN showing the number of Pensioned Soldiers of the Native Army employed in Civil capacities.

Regiments.	Military Department.	Civil Department.	District Police.	Railway.	Private Firms.	Native States.	Total
1st Regiment Light Cavalry	..	9	..	5	1	..	15
2nd Do. do.	1	7	2	10	1	3	24
4th Do. do.	1	10	..	1	1	1	14
1st Do. Native Infantry	2	8	..	6	1	2	19
2nd Do. do.	2	30	1	7	..	1	41
3rd Do. Light Infantry	6	38	7	11	5	2	69
4th Do. Native Infantry	2	18	..	9	4	..	33
5th Do. do.	5	46	..	5	4	2	62
6th Do. do.	3	18	1	7	..	..	29
7th Do. do.	4	27	4	10	5	1	51
8th Do. do.	7	31	1	7	5	2	53
9th Do. do.	2	23	1	7	1	..	34
10th Do. do.	1	12	1	3	..	..	17
11th Do. do.	5	31	..	10	7	..	53
12th Do. do.	4	35	2	3	..	1	45
13th Do. do.	6	34	4	7	9	..	60
14th Do. do.	5	59	3	20	5	..	92
15th Do. do.	3	28	6	6	..	1	44
16th Do. do.	..	27	2	8	3	..	40
17th Do. do.	3	25	2	6	4	4	44
18th Do. do.	2	33	5	12	2	..	54
19th Do. do.	1	..	1	1	..	..	3
20th Do. do.	2	34	2	16	3	..	57
21st Do. do.	3	29	6	8	1	3	50
22nd Do. do.	1	33	2	6	1	..	43
23rd Do. Light Infantry	6	27	1	10	1	..	45
24th Do. Native Infantry	4	18	2	7	..	..	31
25th Do. do.	2	27	..	9	5	..	43
26th Do. do.	7	54	3	12	1	..	77
27th Do. do.	2	32	2	3	5	..	44
28th Do. do.	6	11	1	9	..	..	26
29th Do. do.	5	31	3	5	..	..	44
30th Do. do.	1	20	5	4	1	1	32
31st Do. Light Infantry	1	31	1	6	1	..	40
32nd Do. Native Infantry	10	38	4	18	4	..	74
33rd Do. do.	3	17	3	8	3	..	34
	2	22	3	6	5	..	38

RETURN showing the number of Pensioned Soldiers of the Native Army employed in Civil capacities—*cont.*

Regiments.	Military Department.	Civil Department.	District Police.	Railway.	Private Firms.	Native States.	Total.
34th Disbanded. Do. Light Infantry	5	25	7	5	6	..	48
35th Do. Native Infantry	15	43	15	16	3	2	94
36th Do. do.	7	60	15	10	2	1	95
37th Do. do.	3	42	12	2	10	..	69
38th Do. do.	3	43	2	9	4	..	61
39th Do. do.	5	62	12	11	8	..	98
40th Do. do.	5	42	2	10	6	2	67
41st Do. do.	9	44	3	12	9	..	77
43rd Do. do.	..	9	..	2	2	..	13
44th Do. do.	..	2	..	1	..	..	3
46th Do. do.	..	3	..	..	..	..	3
48th Do. do.	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
50th Do. do.	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
51st Do. do.	..	3	..	1	..	..	4
"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners	9	49	1	9	2	..	70
Miscellaneous	21	53	..	31	15	4	124
Total	201	1,455	150	407	156	33	2,402

No. 4677.

Transferred to the Public Department, with reference to P. G., No. 117, dated 1st February 1888.

(By order.)

OOTACAMUND,
9*th July* 1888.

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brgdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

ORDER—dated 23rd July 1888, No. 728, Public.

Communicated to all heads of departments in continuation of G.O., dated 1st February 1888, No. 117, Public.

(True Extract.)

for Ag. Chief Secretary.

To Departments of the Secretariat.
„ all Heads of Departments.
„ the Editors' Table.

Exd. W. H. French.

3. No 5-98 W. d/20. 2. 88

Communicated to
officers of the P.W. Dept
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Govt. of {188 } Madras.
Local and Municipal Dept

To

The P.W. Dept

P.W.C. No 7822

Proceedings, dated 3rd August 1888
No. 1424 Local Mis.

Subject.

No. 2500 W d/30- August 1888

Requesting Orders to Dist. Board Kistna and Tanjore to sanction the necessary allotment of funds.

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Local and Municipal Department.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT. MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following paper :—

G. O. Public Works Department dated 9th July 1888 No. 2069 W, passing orders on applications for funds under Incorporated and Excluded Road Funds for incomplete works of 1887-88. and for new works and repairs proposed for 1888-89.

Order thereon dated 3d August 1888 No 1424 L. Mis

Communicated to the District Board of Kistna and Tanjore with the request that the necessary allotment of funds may be sanctioned and the fact reported to Government in view to the Accountant General being requested to place the amount at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

R Bourdillon
Under Secy. to Govt. P.W.D.
for Actg. Chief Secy.

To
The Presidt. Distt. Board, Kistna
" " , Tanjore
The Public Works Department.

GP

14TH MAY 1888, No. 1406 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers :—

G.O., dated 2nd March 1888, No. 722 W., Public Works.

Read—the following :—

G.O., dated 29th February 1888, No. 221, Public.

Read—again :

Official Memorandum, dated 1st December 1887, No. 5056.

Read—also :

Demi-official from Colonel W. S. HUNT, dated 6th February 1888.

Order—dated 29th February 1888, No. 221, Public.

In supersession of the request contained in official memorandum, No. 5056, dated 1st December 1887, the Public Works Department will be asked to cause plans and estimates to be prepared and funds allotted for the construction of store-sheds and other alterations in the building on the Mount Road, now occupied by the Director of Public Instruction, to fit it for accommodating the Army Clothing Department; and for the works detailed on the rough plan of the old Mint buildings, herewith sent, to fit them to receive the Government Press.

2. The Governor in Council desires that special arrangements shall be made for the rapid execution of the works above mentioned, in order that the transfers of the several departments concerned, if finally resolved on, may be completed before the return of Government from the Hills.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

Order—dated 2nd March 1888, No. 722 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Consulting Architect for information and guidance in supersession of G.O. No. 3414 W., dated 15th December 1887.

Such funds as may be necessary will be provided on receipt of the estimate.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. L. C. BADDELEY, Captain, R.E.,
Under-Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

From J. W. BRASSINGTON, Esq., Consulting Architect to the Government of Madras, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepâk, 6th April 1888, No. 13.

With reference to G.O. No. 722 W., dated the 2nd March 1888, I have the honor to submit the following plans and estimates for accommodating the Army Clothing Department in the building on the Mount Road, now occupied by the Director of Public Instruction :—

New Works.

	RS.
Store-shed, No. 1	15,766
Do. „ 2	6,531
Do. „ 3	7,612
Entrance gate and wall	212
Raising wall on west side	135
Latrines	913
Fencing on river side	260
Total ...	31,429
Repairs to existing buildings	2,318

In returning the plans and estimates after countersignature, the Superintendent, Army Clothing, states that "sheds Nos. 2 and 3 will only be required in the event of the Bombay Agency being transferred to Madras." Omitting the cost of these sheds the extra accommodation required for the Madras Agency, including repairs, will amount to Rs. 19,604. Sanction for this expenditure will be required for the present.

The estimate for altering the old Mint buildings to receive the Government Press will follow.

No. 35 D., Public Works.

Forwarded for the approval of Government in the Military and Public Departments, with advertence to G.O., dated 29th February 1888, No. 221, Public.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND, 11th April 1888. (Signed) W. L. C. BADDELEY, Captain, R.E., Under-Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

No. 2481, Military.

Approved. Sheds Nos. 2 and 3 will only be required in the event of the transfer of the Bombay Clothing Agency to Madras being sanctioned by the Government of India.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND, 13th April 1888. (Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl., Secretary to Government.

From J. W. BRASSINGTON, Esq., Consulting Architect to the Government of Madras, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepâk, 10th April 1888, No. 42.

With reference to G.O. No. 722 W., dated the 2nd March 1888, and in continuation of my letter No. 13, dated the 6th instant, I have the honor to submit an estimate, amounting to Rs. 19,471, for alterations and additions to the old Mint buildings to fit them to receive the Government Press. The work to be done is detailed in the specification attached to the estimate.

The estimate has been prepared in communication with the Superintendent of the Press, who has countersigned it.

No. 47 D., Public Works.

Forwarded to the Public Department, in continuation of endorsement, No. 35 D., dated 11th April 1888.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND, 14th April 1888. (Signed) W. L. C. BADDELEY, Captain, R.E., Under-Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

G.O., dated 10th May 1888, No. 497, Public.

Read—the following papers :—

From the Public Works Department, dated 11th April 1888, No. 35 D., forwarding plans and estimates for altering the office of the Director of Public Instruction on the Mount Road to accommodate the Army Clothing Department.

From the Public Works Department, dated 14th April 1888, No. 47 D., submitting an estimate for Rs. 19,471 for adapting the old Mint buildings to receive the Government Press.

Order—dated 10th May 1888, No. 497, Public.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES, Chief Secretary.

ORDER—dated 14th May 1888, No. 1406 W., Public Works.

The following estimates are sanctioned for immediate execution under the supervision of the Consulting Architect :—

(1) For accommodating the Army Clothing Department in the buildings on the Mount Road, Madras, occupied by the Director of Public Instruction :

	RS.
(*a*) New works Register No. 19 of 1888-89.	31,429
(*b*) Repairs Register No. 20 of 1888-89.	2,318
Total ...	33,747

Original Works.

(2) Alterations and additions to the old Mint buildings, Madras, to fit them for the Government Press Register No. 21 of 1888-89. ... 19,471

2. Items 2 and 3 (store-sheds) included in estimate No. (1) will only be required in the event of the transfer of the Bombay Clothing Agency to Madras being sanctioned by the Government of India. The execution of this portion of the work, estimated to cost Rs. 14,143, will accordingly be deferred, pending further orders in the Military Department.

3. Special arrangements should be made for completion of the work now sanctioned, to admit of the transfer of the several departments concerned before the return of the Government to Madras.

4. The requisite funds have been provided in the Provincial Budget, Item 81 of the Final Issue.

The sum required for the estimate numbered (1) above is Rs. 19,604,* and this, added to the amount of estimate (2) brings the required allotment to Rs. 39,075. The balance of the budget provision, viz., Rs. 20,925, is credited to the Provincial Reserve.

	Rs.
* Total estimates	33,747
Deduct cost of two store-sheds ...	14,143
Balance ...	19,604

5. Should the store-sheds referred to in para. 2 be required, their cost must be met from the Military Works grant, the Government of India being applied to for a special allotment of funds.

6. The sanction accorded in these Proceedings has been registered as shown above, and classified as Provincial Civil Buildings.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Consulting Architect, with twelve enclosures.
" Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with two abstract estimates.
" Military Department.
" Public Department.

Ezd. F. R. Bantleman.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1888} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated May, 14th.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 14th May 1888, No. 1406 W.

MAY.

Buildings

Estimates for accommodating the Army Clothing Department in the buildings on the Mount Road, Madras, occupied by the Director of Public Instruction, and for alterations and additions to the old Mint buildings, Madras, to fit them for the Government Press, sanctioned for immediate execution.

P. W. D.

Consulting Architect's Office,
Chepauk, Madras,
9 August 1888.
No. 682

From

J. W. Brassington, Esq.,
Consulting Architect
to the Government of Madras,

To The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department
Madras

Sir,

Enclosure. The President of the Municipal Commission Madras has forwarded to me for payment a bill for Rs 180 being the Municipal assessment for the 1st half year of 1888-89 on the old government normal School now being occupied by the Army Clothing department as the building is stated by the Executive Engineer Presidency Division to be in my charge the repairs and improvements to it being at present carried out by me, I have the honor therefore to request that you will be good enough to issue the necessary orders for

for the transfer of the building to my charge
to enable me to adjust the bill.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

E. B. Washington

Consulting Architect to Govt

G.O. Ms. 1606 W. & S. 88.

No. 1496 W. & S. 15 August 88

B

The temporary transfer from the Presidency to the Consg. Architect division of the building on the Mount Road now occupied by the Army Clothing Dept. is sanctioned.

2. The building will, on its being no longer required for the purposes, be restored to the Presidency division after completion of the work sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 1406 W. & S. dated 16th May 1888, as the cost of all subsequent repairs & improvements will fall on Imperial Military funds.

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C.A. to Govt ✓ Jobs 11/8/88.
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Public Works Department.

From

THE CONSULTING ARCHITECT
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

The Chief Engineer
P.W. Dept
Madras

No. 682

Dated 9 } August 1888
Received }

No. 1496 W. & S. 15 August 1888

No. OF ENCLOSURES.

Subject.

Regarding to issue orders for the transfer of the Army clothing office on the Mount Road to the charge of the Architect Division

COURT OF WARDS OFFICE. MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Court of Wards.

Dated 23rd July 1888.

No. 1603.

A.S. Thomas Esq. F.R.S.; F.Z.S.

READ the following letter from the superintending Engineer II circle, D 8th July '88 No. 177 R.N. to the Collector of Madura & endorsement thereon of the latter officer, D 14 July '88 No. 199.

I have the honor to forward for your approval and submission to the Court of Wards for their Sanction a Revised Estimate amounting to Rs 6,340 for repairing the masonry works of the Rajasingamangalam Tank in the Ramnad Estate.

2. In the original Estimate only a lump sum of Rs 2000, was provided for the repairs of the masonry works and was sanctioned by the Court of Wards in their Proceedings No. 846 of 15 July '86.

3. In carrying out the repairs of the surplus sluice and 17 Irrigation Sluices the amount allowed in the Sanctioned Estimate was found quite insufficient, hence the submission of the revised Estimate

4. The rates are fair and is recommended for early sanction as the works now stand in the Statement of the objectionable items.

Endorsement.