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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 15th November 1867.

Read the following papers:—

No. 264. From the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated Chepauk, 17th August 1867, No. 1,598-44.

I have the honor to request you will furnish me with a copy of the special order of Government of India, Financial Department, referred to in paragraph 5 of their Proceedings,* dated 10th July 1867, No. 1,295, prescribing a scale of servants and baggage permitted to be carried free with Officers travelling by sea on duty, and to request you will inform me whether the special orders on the subject for Officers of the Survey are applicable to those employed in the Revenue Survey of the Madras Presidency.

* Communicated in Proceedings Madras Government, Revenue Department, No. 1,844, of 9th August 1867.

No. 265. Office Memorandum from the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, dated Simla, 14th October 1867, No. 2,988.

With reference to the Office Memorandum from the Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, No. 91, dated the 31st August 1867, the undersigned has the honor to forward a copy of Resolutions, Nos. 463 and 704, passed in this Department on the 28th January 1865 and 22nd February 1866, respectively.

No. 266. ORDER THEREON, 15th November 1867, No. 2,701.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered that the two Resolutions of the Government of India, Financial Department, dated 28th January 1865 and 22nd February 1866, Nos. 463 and 704, received with the foregoing Memorandum from that Department, be forwarded to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, with reference to his letter of 17th August 1867, above recorded, with an intimation that the Resolution of 22nd February 1866, which relates to Officers of the Survey, does not appear to be applicable to those in the Madras Revenue Survey Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No 463 dated 28th January 1865

Resolution - By the Government of India Financial Department.

Read Endorsement from the Home Department No 5155 of the 5th November 1864 forwarding an application from the Government of Madras for sanction to the following scale of horses, servants, and Camp Equipage for Police Officers in that Presidency travelling on duty by sea.

	Horses	*Servants	Equipage
Inspector General and Dy Inspector General	3	4	2100
Superintendents and Asst Superintendents	2	3	1400
Inspectors on Special duty and Clerks of the Inspector Generals office	1	1	700

* Exclusive of a Horse Keeper and a Grass-Cutter for each horse.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the above scale.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Home Department with the original papers

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The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the above scale.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Home Department with the original papers

received from the Department under the Endorsement above referred to.

Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, Madras.
Civil Pay Master Madras.

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A. 704, dated 22nd February 1866.

Resolution By the Govt. of India, Fund. Dept.

Read the following documents regarding a revision of the office Establishments of the Surveyor General of India, the grant of travelling allowance to Military officers in the Survey Department, and the expediency of restating the rules for travelling and local allowances in that Department as they should stand with the modifications ordered in the Financial Resolution A. 3996, dated 22nd December 1864, viz:—

Extract from Proceedings in the Home Department A. 4464, dated 8th November 1865.

Endorsement from the Home Department A. 528, dated 15th January 1866.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the scale of Office Establishment submitted by Col. Thuillier in supersession of Col. Dickens' proposal, with the following modifications, viz:—

I The title of the present Registrar and Accountant, Mr. Webb, to a personal allowance of Rs 100 a month is recognized, but it is understood that he will retire immediately on a pension, and on his retirement the Salary of the appointment should be reduced from Rs 500 to Rs 300 monthly, rising by an annual increase of Rs 20 per mensem to Rs 400 monthly. This will afford the means of raising the Salary of the Chief Draftsman of the Surveyor General's office from Rs 500 to Rs 600 monthly, without additional expence.

III

II The increase from Rs 450 to Rs 550 monthly, proposed for the Chief Draftsman and Superintendent of the Lithographic Prep branch, is disallowed, as the Secretary of State has already been asked to appoint an extra officer to Supervise the Photo-Lithographic branch of this office.

III The charge for a durwan is struck out.

IV A Chromatic printer in the Lithographic Prep. branch was authorized by the Secretary of State on a Salary of Rs 300 a month. His appointment is mentioned in the 265th paragraph of Col. Dickens' report, but it is omitted in Col Thuillier's proposition Statement. The omission will now be supplied.

The foregoing amendments have been made in the revised Scale of Establishment attached to this Resolution.

His Excellency in Council is pleased to lay down the following rules for travelling and casual allowances in the Survey Department in supersession of existing rules.-

I The Surveyor General is to receive Rs 15, and the Superintendent of the Great Trigonometrical Survey Rs 8 per diem, when absent from their respective head quarters at Calcutta and Dehra Dhoon.

II Military officers of the grades of Surveyor and Apt Surveyor shall draw travelling allowance at the rates of Rs 5 and Rs 4 per diem, respectively, when in the field. This allowance will be given with retrospective effect from the commencement of the field season of 1865-66.

III Uncovenanted officers in charge of Survey parties will receive a travelling of Rs 5 per diem, and Civil Apttes of the first class will receive Rs 4 per diem; all other Civil Apttes and all Sub. Apttes will receive Rs 3 per diem while in the field.

IV Travelling or deputation allowances will not be granted when mileage allowances are drawn. If already received, they will be deducted from the contingent bill for mileage allowance for every day that the latter allowance is drawn.

V Mileage allowance for journeys on duty will be regulated on the following scale:-

	When travelling	
	By Dak	By Rail
All Covenanted and all Uncovenanted officers above the grade of Civil Apistants 2nd Class	8 annas a mile	3 annas a mile
Civil Apttes 2nd grade and Sub-Apistants	4 annas a mile	2 annas a mile
Sub-Surveyors on Rs 50 a month and upwards	2 annas a mile	1 anna a mile
All other Sub-Surveyors and native Subordinates	.....	Actual cost of 3rd Class fares

VI Officers travelling on duty by rail, when obliged to carry their tents with them, are permitted to charge the actual cost of carriage (by goods train) in a Bona Fide contingent bill, supported by a voucher of the necessity to send the tents by rail, and by a declaration that the amount of camp equipage and baggage of all descriptions for which carriage is charged does not exceed 35 maunds for an officer in charge of a Survey party, 25 maunds for a Military or Civil Apistant and 15 maunds for a Sub-Apistant. The countersignature of the Superintendent of the branch of the Survey to which the Surveyor belongs will be requisite for these bills.

VII As an exceptional arrangement, officers when travelling on duty and taking their horses with them, the necessity for so doing being fully explained and admitted on each occasion, may recover the actual Railway charge incurred on this account, in a Bona Fide contingent bill countersigned as in the preceding rule. In no case will more than two horses be allowed to be thus carried at the public expense for an officer in charge of a Survey party nor more than one horse for an assistant, whether Military, Civil or Sub. Assistants. Under ordinary circumstances, all horses should be sent to their destination by ordinary roads.

VIII All officers, Covenanted or Uncovenanted, proceeding on duty by Sea-going vessels or river Steamers, will be allowed a free passage with first class accommodation for Surveyors, Asstt Surveyors and Civil Assistants 1st class, and with Second class accommodation for Civil Assistants 2nd grade and Sub. Asstts, and they will be subject to the following deductions on account of table money, viz:—

On Sea-going Vessels.

A deduction of 8 Rupees a day from officers whose salaries exceed Rs 1,000 a month, but of Rs 4 a day from other Surveyors, Asstt Surveyors and Civil Asstts 1st Class. Those of lower grades are exempted from deduction.

On River Steamers.

Surveyors — a deduction of Rs 4 a day or full rate of table money.
Assistant Surveyors and Civil Asstts, 1st Class ..... of Rs 2 a day
Other grades of Civil Asstts and Sub-Asstts of
receiving Rs 300 a month and upwards ..... of . 1-8 . .
If receiving less than Rs 300 monthly ..... of . 1 .... .

The cost of a free passage is held to include freight for the quantity of baggage and camp equipage specified in Rule VI and passage for the following number of Servants, exclusive of a horse-keeper and grass-cutter for each horse, viz:—

For officers in charge of parties ... ... 4 Servants
For Asstt Surveyor & Civil 1st Asstt ... 3 "
For all other Civil Asstts & Sub-Asstts ... 2 "

IX Engineer officers proceeding to join the Department from the Sappers, Military and Civil Asstts joining from the Civil Engineering Colleges, and Sub-Asstts from Colleges or Schools, will be granted travelling allowances at the mileage rate.

X Presidency house-rent is granted to Uncovenanted officers at the following rates, corresponding to the rates granted in the Department of Public Works:—

Surveyors	Rs 60 per mensem
Asstt Surveyor & Civil Asstt 1st class .	45 "
Civil Assistants below 1st class .	30 "
Sub-Assistants	20 "

XI The following local allowances will be granted on the merits of each case, to meet unusual cost of living in really exceptional localities.

Increase on existing Salaries.

	Full Scale	Half Scale
Salaries at and under 10 Rs	50 per cent	25 per cent
Salaries from 11 to 30 Rs	42 "	21 "
" 31 to 60 "	28 "	14 "
" 61 to 100 "	22 "	11 "

Increase on existing Salaries

	Full Scale.	Half Scale
Salaries from 101 to 150 Rs	18 p.c.	9 p.c
" 151 to 300 "	12 "	6 "
Over Rs 300 a fixed allowance of	Rs 30 a month	Rs 15 a month.

XII As the Superintendents of Survey already possess the power of altering the salaries and number of men in the native establishments, the above local allowances, so far as they affect these establishments, must be calculated on the normal rates of pay of the Native Surveyors and Subordinates. The amount of the local allowance when added to the amount sanctioned for the normal establishment will be the limit of expenditure authorized for the Survey party while employed in the exceptional locality. Increase of pay to individuals must however be regulated by the prevailing rates of pay in the district, which are on no account to be exceeded.

XIII Where the local travelling expenses are unusually great, Surveyors will be allowed to set aside a moiety of their Ordinary travelling allowance to defray the expenses of providing camp equipage and extra Servants, and they may recover by Bona Fide contingent bills whatever expenditure on account of carriage they may necessarily incur in excess of the remaining moiety of the allowance, provided always that the weight of camp equipage and baggage of all descriptions does not exceed 35 maunds for a Surveyor, 25 maunds for an Astt Surveyor and Civil Astt, or 15 maunds for a Sub-Astt in districts where cart, camel, elephant or bullock carriage are procurable, and that it does not exceed half those weights in districts where it may be necessary to employ coolies. This Rule will have effect from the commencement of the field season of 1866-67.

The nomenclature adopted in the preceding rules will apply as follows to the existing grades and classes of officers in the 3 branches of the Survey Department.

Nomenclature in the present rules.	Existing Nomenclature		Nomenclature in the order of December 1864.
Surveyor Civil or Military	Great Trigonometrical Survey		
Assistant Surveyors	1st Astts whether Covenanted or Uncovenanted	Surveyors whether Covenanted or Uncovenanted	Superintending Surveyors
	2nd Astts Covenanted or Uncovenanted. Astts entering the Dept. in this grade.	Astt Surveyors Covenanted or Uncovenanted. Astts entering the Dept. in this grade	Surveyors
Civil Astts of the 1st class	Civil Assistant 1st class	Civil Assistant 1st class	Not classed
Civil Astts 2nd and Lower classes	Civil Astts 2nd and Lower classes	Civil Astts 2nd and Lower classes	Junior Astt Surveyors Uncovenanted
Sub-Assistants	Sub-Assistants Native Surveyors	Sub-Assistants Native Surveyors	Astt Surveyors Sub. Surveyors

Ordered that this Resolution be communicated
to the Home Department,
" Military Department,
" Comptroller General of Accounts
" Accountant General Bengal,
" North-Western Provinces
" Punjab
" Deputy Accountant General Central Provinces,
a copy of the revised Scale of establishment mentioned in
para 2 being furnished to the Home Department (Original documents also returned) and the Comptroller
General of Accounts.

Ministerial Establishment.

Surveyor General's office.

Revised Scale.

Correspondence Branch.

		Rs
1	Registrar and Accountant	300 rising to 400
1	Clerk	230
1	"	150
1	"	100
1	"	60
1	"	50
1	"	40
1	"	30
1	"	20
1	Sirkar	16
		996 rising to 1,096

Carried forward 996 to 1,096.

Revised Scale

Brought over 996 to 1,096

Drawing and Compiling Branch.

1	Assistant Surveyor & Chief Draftsman	600
1	Draftsman	300
1	"	200
1	"	180
1	"	160
1	"	130
1	"	100
4	Apprentices @ Rs 90 a month	360
1	Native Draftsman	90
1	"	80
1	"	75
1	"	70
1	"	65
1	"	60
1	"	55
1	"	50
1	"	45
1	"	40
1	"	30
1	"	25
1	"	20
1	"	20
1	Colorist	20
3	" @ 16	48
		2823

Lithographic Prop Branch.
General and Supervising

1	Chief Draftsman and Superintendent	450
1	Chromo-Lithographer	300
1	Draftsman	230
1	"	150
1	"	100
3	Writers @ Rs 35+25+20	80
4	Duftries, Rs 12+10+8+8	38
2	Peons Rs 14, Jemadar Rs 10, 4 Burkandazes 24	48
	Bhistee, Sweeper	10
		1406
		5,225 to 5,325

Carried forward

Surveyor Generals office. (Continued)
Revised Scale

Brought over Rs 5.225 to 5,325

Lithographic Press & Branch (concluded)

Drawing

2 Draftsmen		160
2	@ 60 each	120
1	@ [illegible] each	50
2	@ Rs 40 each	80
2	@ 30	60
4	@ 25	100
4	@ 20	80
4	@ 16	64
4 Apprentices	@ Rs 12 each	48
		762

Printing

Press Assistant	70
9 Printers, Spongemen &c	726
	796

	Minimum. Rs	Maximum. Rs
Total	1,783	6883.

Revenue Survey office.

Drawing Branch.

Head Draftsman	450
1 Draftsman	325
1	225
1	125
1	100
1	80
1	70
1	60
1	50
3 @ Rs 40 each	120
1	35
1	30
4 @ 25	100
2 @ 20	40
4 @ 16	64

Total 1,874 1,874

Abstract

Surveyor Generals office.

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General and Supervising	1,400	
Drawing	762	
Printing	796	
	2,914	2,914
Revenue Survey office	6783	6883
Drawing Branch	1,874	1,874

True

Capt. E.B.

Rev Survey office
Chepauk
30th April 1824

Jas Hall Captain
1st Astt Superintendent
for Subtt Revenue Surveys

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