Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 1074-5

DATED 23rd Feb. 97

[Despatch Abstract.]

Addressing the Govt of India in view to Rules being laid down as to the treatment of absence from Civil duty of Military Reservist Sepoys who are employed as peons in the Salt, Abkari & Customs Depts and are called away for training in Drill, &c.

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The Hon. Ivy Bytes C. I. E.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

From The Secretary to the Commissioner, Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue Madras.

In Orders

His Excellency the Lieutenant General Commanding the Forces, Madras, may now be asked whether he can arrange to have the Reservists summoned for training during the months of July, Augt & Sept.

Dated 4th February 1897

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No. 459

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SUBJECT

Reporting to Government with remarks, that the fluctuating staff in the department practically no slack season during any part of the year.

Through draft order & letter to India may please

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE
MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue),

Dated 4th February, 1897.

No. 459 Mis.

Read Government Order, Revenue Department Mis No 4978 dated 5th December 1896.

Resolution

With reference to the Government Order read above, the Board begs leave to report that the preventive staff has practically no slack season during any part of the year, especially in the Southern portion of the Presidency. There is always sufficient abkari Crime to call for the full energies of all who can be spared for preventive work, and Salt Crime is more or less prevalent except during the monsoon months. In purely factory circles it is no doubt true that full establishment is not

absolutely

absolutely required after salt manufacture and storage have ceased, but this does not apply to more than a very few Circles. On the whole during the months of July, August and September, there is a slight diminution in the account of work to be done in most districts, but, as leave has in the ordinary Course to be granted to those who have earned it, the opportunity is generally taken to grant it about this period of the year. No grant of leave to reservist sepoys at this time would no doubt be possible in most Cases, but the Board believes that this is not the Season during which reservists would be called on to attend training. It would also be hard on the rest of the establishment if they were unable to get hard earned leave owing to their reservist fellow servants' absence from their proper duty.

(True Extract)

Assistant Secretary
to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Ma Hon'ble Colleagues

I think we should print out that whatever may be the case in the Opium Dept., it will very rarely be necessary to employ temporary hands vice reservists on drill, provided that arrangements can be made for the limited authorities to be on duty only during the Department clerk's absence - Despatch, and if convenient try to make such arrangements before we go to Ootacamund. I don't know that there are any Bombay being called up for drill, but perhaps there is no harm in addressing the L.G.C. - I presume he is competent to dispose of such a matter.

Dated 1-3-97

+ Office.

For records rules.

Please see "Regulations for the Indian Army Reserves" put up. Rules 17 et seqq relate to the Reservists being called away for training.

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Note for the M. Bi enforcement

Rule 18 is the rule in point in this matter: under it the C.G. fixes the time & place of assembly. It is not possible obviously to fix the time with reference to the needs of the Abkari Dept.

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G. O. No. 1074 misc dy 23rd Feb. 97

Ordered that the following letter be despatched to the Govt. of India.

2. Pending reply from that Govt. the employment of temporary hands where necessary in the place of reservists ~~also~~ also ent on drill duty is sanctioned.

To
The Board of Revenue (S.T.)
A. G.

Letter No. 1075.

To
The Secretary to the Government of India.
Finance and Commerce Dept.

Sir,

I am directed to submit for the orders of the Govt. of India copy of G. O. No 4420, dated 23_ 10_ 96, stating that reservist sepoys are employed as Peons in the Salt Abkari and customs Dept. and asking how in the event of their being called away for training in drill their absence from civil duties should be treated, whether substitutes may be employed in their place during their absence and how the salaries of the substitutes should be met.

2. I am to state that in the opinion of the local A.G. the ruling contained in Mr. Nathan's letter to the Bengal Govt. No. 2061F dated 9th May 1896 does not dispose of the question raised.

I can see no objection, even if, which is not apparent, all the reserves have to be called up for training at the same time of year.

BJ
23/11/96

Brief addn. L & C. Co.

Wm 11/11/96

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