# Revenue (1897) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Sanctioning Privilege leave for 3 months to Mr Platts, Assistant Commissioner of Land — and Assistant Rev.

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# Revenue (1897) Department.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
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REVENUE SECRETARIAT

The Hon. Mr Bliss C.I.E.

19th March 1897

Mis 17/3/97

*Order nisi* No. 1510, 19/3/97

The leave applied for is sanctioned.

17/3/97

*From* The Secretary to the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari & Separate Revenue, Madras

Mis No. 876

*Dated* 9th March 1897.

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SUBJECT

Submitting Govern-ment for favourable consideration and orders application from Mr Platts, Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub Division for 3 months privilege leave.

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# Medical History

In the year 1890 when I was stationed in the Jessore Dist: Bengal I had contracted a severe attacks of a most violent form of malarial fever. As I was not then in a position to take leave of any kind I obtained on medical grounds a transfer to the Purneah Dist: which lies in the comparatively healthy tract known as Behar. Here also unfortunately I had frequent doses of the same malarial fever which culminated, in spite of a rigidly temperate mode of life, in an acute attack of congestion of the liver followed almost immediately by a severe & prolonged attack of Dysentery. Dr D G. Crawford the Civil Surgeon of the Dist. who attended me pronounced my case to be an aggravated instance

of malarial cachexia attended by hepatic complications. He then strongly advised me to go to Europe on long leave but pecuniary considerations rendered this out of question. I obtained however a transfer to the Ganjam Dist: declared to be one of the most healthy parts of the Bengal Presy: Shortly afterwards I joined the Merchara Sattr: Dist: & was posted to Jaypatam a fly in the sea-coast. I had there a reappearance of the dysentery & when I was transferred to Cuttack I suffered during the year 1894 with three or four bad attacks of the disease & since then, during the years 1895 & 1896 I have had frequent attacks of the complaint. Our Brother the officer in medical charge of

Madrapatti, made a very careful & minute diagnosis of my condition & declared it as his opinion that the frequent attacks of dysentery from which I had suffered, had brought about chronic ulceration of the bowels. Dr. Jennings Bright as one time Civil Surgeon of Cuddapah who also treated me shortly afterwards endorsed Dr. Cooper's diagnosis of my complaint. Since coming to this Dist: I have suffered in health I took off with an attack of fever during my inspection of the Kistnah steam fly & since then, in the comparatively short space of 5 months I have had two attacks of lumbago & two of dysentery. The last attack of dysentery is still on and although it commenced on the 18th inst & was

immediately taken
in hand. I have
found by heartheal
experience that I suffer
most from dysentery
during the hot weather
when the liability to
chills is greatest. I
have found also that
the moist atmosphere of
sea coast tracts does
not suit my constitution.
The hard out-door life of
the Salt Debt with its
constant moving & constant
exposure gives me no
real opportunity of recruiting
my strength & recovering
thoroughly after each
attack of dysentery. This
disease is well known
to medical men as
a constitutional thoroughly
undermining to an
Europeans constitution
The hot weather is now
coming on & the salt excavations
already commencing to
effloresce with requisite attention
I have taken no leave
since joining the Salt Debt
in Nov 92 & I find

I have not strength
enough to face another
hot weather in active
service.

S. G. Platts
Asst Commr

Nellore
26.2.97.

Mr S. G. Platts's Medical
history as far as I am
acquainted with it is
correctly stated, he appears
to be liable to recurrences
of Lumbago & Dysentery,
by very slight provocation,
especially a chill, though
he is careful to avoid the
latter, & also to attend to
the treatment of any attack
at its onset.

I consider that it is
highly desirable for him
to have change of air and
complete freedom from
work during the coming
hot weather.

W. H. Thornhill Surgl
Surg: Major
Dist. Med. & Sanitary Officer.
Nellore.
26.2.97.

No. 44

**Office of the Assistant Commissioner,**
**Salt, Abkari and Customs Department,**
**NELLORE SUB-DIVISION.**
**Dated** 26th February 1897

*From* S. G. L. Platts *Esquire,*

*Assistant Commissioner,*
*Salt Abkari and Customs Dept.,*
*Nellore Sub-Division.*

*To* The Secretary to the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue
through the Deputy Commissioner.

*Sir,*

I have the honour to forward herewith my medical history together with the District Surgeon's remarks thereon. As the District Surgeon is of opinion that I should have change of air and freedom from work during the approaching hot weather, I request you will be so good as to obtain me sanction for 3 months privilege leave from or about the 1st of April 97.

2 I declare that I have no intention

ADDRESS—

intention of retiring or of taking furlough, Special leave, Subsidiary leave, leave on private affairs or leave on medical certificate for three months after my return to duty.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

S. G. Platts
26.2.97
Asst. Commissioner

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19-4-59.

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE MADRAS

# Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue),

Dated 9th March, 1897.

Mis No. 876.

Read endorsement of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Div. on letter from Mr. S. G. Platts, Assistant Commissioner, Nellore Sub Division No 448 dated 26th February 1897 forwarding his medical history with the District Surgeon's remarks thereon and applying for three months privilege leave.

Resolution.

Submitted to Government in original for favourable consideration and orders.

(True Extract).

Francis Millett
Assistant Secretary.

To The Secretary to Government,
Revenue department.
with 1 enclosure through the
Accountant-General, Madras.

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# Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue),

MADRAS.

To

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257.

Mr S G L Platts is eligible for privilege leave for 3 months under article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations 2nd Edn.

Fort St George
Asst Genl's Office
12 March 97.

Asst Secy Genl

To
The Secretary to
Government
Rev Department

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