

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

G O. No.	<i>223.</i>	Press ~~Mis~~
Dated	<i>16 . 4.</i>	<i>1887</i>

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Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 21st April 1857.

No. 19. Read the following letter from J. R. BOYSON, Esq., Honorable Company's Solicitor; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 1st April 1857, No. 169.

SIR,

With reference to the Order of Government noted in the margin, I have the honor to state that the only party who could lawfully call upon the Honorable Company for payment of the Rupees 173-4-2 mentioned in Mr. W. Arbuthnot's letter to Government of the 25th of February last, would be an Executor or Executors (with Probate from the Supreme Court of Madras,) of the Will of the late Captain W. H. C. Dalrymple, or an Administrator, (with such Will annexed,) duly appointed by the Supreme Court of Madras, of the deceased's Assets within its Jurisdiction.

Under the circumstances however, I am of opinion that the Honorable Company would not incur any *substantial* risk either by disbursing the amount in question to Mr. W. Arbuthnot, for transmission to Mrs. Dalrymple, on the proposed Guarantee of Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co. or remitting it to the Honorable the Court of Directors for the purpose of being paid over to the legal personal Representative of the deceased, whom I believe to be his Widow as the Executrix with Probate of his Will.

Should Government resolve to sanction either of the courses above mentioned it must be on the express understanding that their so doing must be considered a special case and not a precedent.

I incline to think that of the two courses above mentioned the last is the most expedient.

If Government resolves to sanction the payment to Mr. Arbuthnot, I will prepare a Bond of Indemnity, for execution by that Gentleman and his Copartners.

(Signed) J. R. BOYSON,
Honorable Company's Solicitor.

No. 20. ORDER THEREON, No. 223; dated 16th April 1857.

The Government resolve, as a special case, to authorise the amount in the General Treasury at credit of the late Captain W. H. C. Dalrymple, *viz.*, Rupees (173-4-2) one hundred and seventy-three, Annas four and Pice two, being paid to Mr. William Arbuthnot, agreeably to his application of the 25th February last, for the purpose of being remitted to the Widow of the deceased, on Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co. executing a Bond of Indemnity, which the Company's Solicitor will prepare.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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For the Secy, &
 16 April, 1857

Copy to W. Arbuthnot Esq. 3 Sept. 20th
 J. O.

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Financial 1857 Separate

From the Hon. Comptrolor
Solicitor No. 169.

Dated 1st 27
Per 3 April 1857

No. 162

Reporting on the Application
of M^r. William Oubert, for
the sum of £173-4-2 lying in
the General Treasury on account
of the Estate of the late Captain
W. H. C. Dalrymple.

With an Order