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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
21st February 1861.*

No. 54. Read the following letter from W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary Civil Fund, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 12th February 1861, No. 47.

With reference to the Proceedings of the Government, dated 5th January 1861, No. 9, Financial Department, communicating copy of a Despatch, dated 30th November 1860, No. 79, and under the sanction therein contained authorizing the Managers of the Civil Service Annuity Fund to refund to the Agents of Mr. G. L. Prendergast, the amount of his subscriptions to the Fund without interest, I am desired by the Managers to report, that in accordance with the sanction above cited, they forwarded to Mr. Prendergast's Agents Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., an order for the amount in question, but those gentlemen under instructions from Mr. Prendergast declined to receive the order.

* To Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., dated 19th January 1861, No. 11.
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Copy of the correspondence* held on the subject is herewith submitted for the information of the Government.

From W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary, to Messrs. ARBUTHNOT & Co., dated 19th January 1861, No. 11.

In compliance with the request of Mr. G. L. Prendergast, late of the Madras Civil Service, I am desired by the Trustees of the Civil Fund to forward to you on that gentleman's account, the accompanying order on the General Treasury of Fort Saint George for the sum of Rupees (29,352-8-2) twenty-nine thousand three hundred and fifty-two, Annas eight and Pice two, being the amount of his accumulated subscription to the Civil Service Annuity Fund.

I request you will be good enough to acknowledge the receipt of this order.

From Messrs. ARBUTHNOT & Co., to the Secretary Civil Fund, Fort Saint George, dated 21st January 1861, No. 20.

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt late on Saturday afternoon of your letter of the 19th instant, forwarding a draft for Rupees 29,352-8-2 on the Sub-Treasurer, Fort Saint George, stated to be in refund of Mr. G. L. Prendergast's accumulated subscription to the Civil Service Annuity Fund, and in reply we beg to state that we shall be happy to retain the amount provided we are allowed to do so without prejudice to Mr. G. L. Prendergast's claim to an Annuity, otherwise our instructions will oblige us to return the draft to you.

From W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary, to Messrs. ARBUTHNOT & Co., dated 22nd January 1861, No. 14.

In reply to your letter of 21st January 1861, acknowledging receipt of an order on the Treasury for the amount of Mr. Prendergast's accumulated subscriptions to the Annuity Fund, and stating that under your instructions you can only retain it on condition that your act shall not prejudice that gentleman's claim to an annuity, I am directed to furnish you with the accompanying Extract from a letter addressed by Mr. Prendergast to the Trustees on 16th April 1860, from which you will observe that the refund is requested by himself; and further to inform you, that the Managers can make no conditions whatever as to the terms under which the refund shall be accepted by you.

From Messrs. ARBUTHNOT & Co., to the Secretary Civil Fund, Fort Saint George, dated 24th January 1861, No. 25.

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 22nd January, and in reply to state that instructions which we have recently received from Mr. G. L. Prendergast, (copy enclosed) oblige us to decline receiving the draft of the Trustees on the Treasury except upon the conditions mentioned in our letter of the 21st instant—we therefore return the draft and request you will be so good as to acknowledge the receipt of it.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
21st February 1861.

From G. L. PRENDERGAST, Esq., to Messrs. ARBUTHNOT & Co., Madras, dated 24
Londes Street, Belgrave Square, 26th November 1860.

The Madras Government have expressed to the Home Government their opinion that my
application for the return to me of my subscriptions to the Annuity Fund should be acceded to.

I write to beg of you however *not* to receive the amount of such subscriptions at present,
until you hear further from me on the subject, because a question has been suggested for con-
sideration whether I have absolutely and irrevocably forfeited my right to the Annuity itself.

(True Copies.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary.

No. 55.

ORDER THEREON, 21st February 1861, No. 96.

To be recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

(Copy)

No. 11.

To,

Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co.

Gentlemen;

In compliance with the request
of Mr. G. L. Prendergast, late of the Madras
Civil Service, I am directed by the Trustees
of the Civil Fund to forward to you, on that
gentleman's account the accompanying order
on the General Treasury of Port St. George for
the sum of Rupees (29352-8-2) twenty nine thou-
sand three hundred and fifty two, annas
eight and pice two, being the amount of his ac-
cumulated subscription to the Civil Service
Annuity Fund.

I request you will be good enough
to acknowledge the receipt of this order.

Port Saint George,
Civil Fund Office,
19th January 1861.

I am,
Gentlemen,
your obedient servant.
(Signed) W. Hudleston,
Secretary.

No. 20.

To,

The Secretary Civil Fund,
Port St. George.

Sir;

We have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt late on Saturday afternoon of
your letter of the 19th instant, forwarding a
draft for Rs. 29,352-8-2 on the Sub-Treasurer,
Port St. George, stated to be in refund of
Rs.

Mr. S. L. Pendergast's accumulated sub-
=scription to the Civil Service Annuitiy Fund,
and in reply we beg to state that we shall be
happy to retain the amount provided we are
allowed to do so without prejudice to Mr. S. L. P.
Pendergast's claim to an annuity, otherwise our
instructions will oblige us to return the draft to you.
Madras, 21st January 1861. We have the honor to be,

Sir,
your obedient servants,
(Signed of Arbuthnot & Co.)

No. 14.

To,
Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co.

Southam;

In reply to your letter of 21st
January 1861, acknowledging receipt of an or-
=der on the Treasury for the amount of Mr. Pen-
=dergast's accumulated subscriptions to the Civil Ser-
=vice Fund - and stating that under your in-
=structions you can only retain it on condition
that your act shall not prejudice that pen-
=man's claim to an annuity, I am directed
to furnish you with the accompanying extract
from a letter addressed by Mr. Pendergast
to the Trustees on 16th April 1860 - from which
you will observe that the refund is requeste-
=d by himself - and further to inform you that
the Managers can make no conditions whatever
as to the terms under which the refund shall
be accepted by you.

I am,
Sir,
your obedient servant,
(Signed of W. H. Hudson,
Secretary.)

Post off. George,
Civil Serv. office,
22nd January 1861.

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No. 25.

To,
The Secretary Civil Serv.,
Post off. George.

Sir;
We have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of 22nd January and in
reply to state that instructions which we have
recently received from Mr. S. L. Pendergast
(copy enclosed) oblige us to decline receiving
the draft of the Trustees on the Treasury except
upon the conditions mentioned in our letter of
the 21st instant - we therefore return the draft
and request you will be so good as to acknow-
=ledge the receipt of it.

Madras, 24th January 1861.

We have the honor to be,

Sir,
your most obedient servants,
(Signed of Arbuthnot & Co.)

24 Dundas Street,
Belgrave Square,
26th November 1860.

Dear Sir;

The Madras Government have
expressed to the Home Government their opi-
=nion that my application for the return to me
of my subscriptions to the Civil Service Fund should
be acceded to.

I write to beg of you however not to
receive the amount of such subscriptions at
present, until you hear further from me on
the subject. because a question has been
suggested for consideration whether I have ab-
=solutely and irrevocably forfeited my right
to the annuity itself.

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I am,
Yours truly,
(Signed) W. L. Henderson Esq.
Messrs. Arbutnot and Co
Madras.

(True copies of)
W. L. Henderson Esq.
Secretary.

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No 10.

No 11/

From,
W. L. Henderson Esq.
Secretary Civil Fund,

To,
S. J. Croft Esq.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George.

Sir,
With reference to the Proceedings
of the Government dated 5th January 1861, No. 9,
Financial Department, communicating copy of a
Despatch dated 30th November 1860, No. 49, and
under the sanction therein contained authorizing
the Managers of the Civil Service Annuity Fund
to refund to the Agents of W. L. Henderson Esq.,
the amount of his subscriptions to the Fund with-
out interest, I am directed by the Managers to
report, that, in accordance with the sanction
above cited, they forwarded to W. L. Hen-
derson Esq.'s Agents Messrs. Arbutnot and Co
an Order for the amount in question, but
those gentlemen, under instructions from
W. L. Henderson Esq. declined to receive the

Order.
Copy of the correspondence held
on the subject is herewith submitted for
the information of the Government.
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* To Messrs. Ar-
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Dated 19th Jan
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To S. J. Croft
Dated 22nd " - No. 14.
From S. J. Croft
24th " - No. 25.

Fort Saint George,
Civil Land Office,
12th February 1861.

I have the honor to be,

Sirs

Your obedient servant.

L. Anderson
Secretary.

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