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No. 97. Read the following letter from the Master Attendant, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 9th January 1872, No. 101:—

Administrative Department.

With reference to letter from Acting Accountant-General, dated 2nd December 1871,* and the Order of Government thereon,† I have the honour to point out that the Disabled Boatmen's Fund is a charitable Fund, and has from the date of its institution been placed under the Master Attendant of Madras, who regulates from time to time the number of pensioners on the Fund, and the rates of pension.

* In Procs. of Madras Govt., Finl. Dept., 7th Dec. 1871. From Actg. Acct.-Genl., to Chief Secy. to Govt., dated 2nd Dec. 1871, No. 424.

† Dated 7th Dec. 1871, No. 755.

2. It is now my intention, according to the orders of Government,‡ to increase the rates of pension to all the decrepit surviving pensioners, and to take on a few more deserving objects much requiring help from the Fund.

‡ Dated 21st Dec. 1859, No. 653.

3. As the worn-out and disabled boatmen and their families naturally look to the Head of the Marine Department for aid in their times of need, I deprecate any change in the management of this charitable Fund, established fifty-two years ago, solely for their relief.

No. 98. ORDER THEREON, 24th January 1872, No. 83.

The arrangement suggested by the Acting Accountant-General in respect of the Disabled Boatmen's Fund is, it is observed, merely to transfer the Fund to "Deposits," and to debit the charges to it. The management of the Fund is not in any way affected by it.

2. The Government resolve, therefore, to sanction the arrangement suggested, as well as that proposed by the Master Attendant in paragraph 2 of his letter, to increase the rates of pension to all decrepit pensioners, on the understanding that the aggregate of the increased pensions shall not exceed the interest accruing annually on the Government securities.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Master Attendant, Madras.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

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To

THE MASTER ATTENDANT,
Madras,
&c., &c.,

Dated January, 24th.

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G. O., 24th January 1872, No. 83.

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Sanctioning the transfer, of the Disabled Boatmen's Fund to "Deposits," and the debit of the charges to it, as also certain increases of pensions proposed by the Master Attendant to incumbents of the Fund.

Pro: 7th December 1871. Nos. 21-26. Financl. 1872 Departt.

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From

The Master Attendant

Administrature Dept.

To

The Chief Secretary to
Government

Marine Department

Fort St George

No. 60.

Dated 9 January 1872

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Urges that there should be made no change in the Disabled Boatmen's Fund.

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Financial Department.

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Read the following ~~letter~~ again Gov: of Government - dy 7 December 1871. No 755. And Letter from Master Attendant Madras dy 9 January 1872. No 107.

Ordered, 24 January 1872 that

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The Master Attendant Madras

Dated Jany. 24
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Sanctioning the transfer of the disabled Boatmens funds to Deposits and the debit of the charges to it and also certain increases of pension proposed by the Master Attendant to incumbents of the funds.