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Government of Madras.

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Fort. St. George, Judicial Consultation, 17th March 1857.

No. 39. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council in the Financial Department, under date the 30th January 1857, No. 647.

Read an Endorsement from the Home Department, No. 55, dated the 15th January 1857, forwarding for consideration and orders a letter, with enclosures, from the Government of Fort St. George, regarding the disposal of shares of Estates severally below the value of 500 Rupees belonging to Minors.

Read again Clauses 2 and 3, Rule III. of the "Rules for the Office and duties of the Administrators General" published under date the 8th April 1856.

RESOLUTION.—The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council observes from the papers submitted that the Administrator General at Madras has a sum of Rupees 794-11-9, of which Rupees 253-7-7 is said to stand to credit of each of the three infant children of the late Serjeant John Clyne whose Estate was administered to in 1850 by the then Administrator General.

The Government of Madras submits for the Orders of this Government the question whether these sums can severally be deposited with the Sub-Treasurer under Clause 3, Rule III., of the "Rules for the Office and duties of the Administrators General" dated 8th April 1856, as requested by the Administrator General on the ground that he cannot invest the Shares separately in Government Securities; the Accountant General however being of opinion that the Clause referred to by the Administrator General does not apply to sums belonging to known Legatees, but that the sums in question ought to be invested in Government Securities under Clause 2 of Rule III. of the above mentioned Rules, which directs that "whenever the Cash Balance belonging to an Estate shall amount to 500 Rupees after providing for ascertained current demands, it shall be invested by the Administrator General in Government Securities."

The Governor General in Council considers that the literal bearing of the Rule is in favor of the view taken by the Accountant General and desires that it may be followed.

Ordered, that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Home Department and that the papers received therefrom be returned, copies being kept for record in this Office.

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 282.

Copy forwarded to the Government of Madras with reference to Mr. Chief Secretary T. Pycroft's letter No. 1357, dated the 23rd December last, and the original papers returned.

Fort William, Home Dept. }

the 19th February 1857. }

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) R. B. CHAPMAN,
Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 40.

ORDER THEREON, No. 313; dated 14th March 1857.

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing communication be furnished to the Administrator General with reference to Extract Minutes Consultation, 22nd December 1856, No. 1351, and to the Auditors of his Accounts and to the Accountant General.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

N^o 313

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing communication be furnished to the Administrator General with reference to L. M. G. 22^d Decr 1856 and to the Auditors of his accounts and to the Accountant General.

[Handwritten initials: A, R, M, etc.]

For S. George,
14 March 1857

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to the Govt. of India
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Dated 19 Feb 57
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No. 401.

From Administrator
Genl. 21st March 1857
P. 476.

Forwarding copy of a Resolution
regarding the disposal of shares
of Estates severally below the value
of 500 Rupees belonging to Minors
in the hands of the Administrator
General.

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