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Read the following papers:—

No. 75. From W. J. RAYNOR, Esq., Officiating Civil Paymaster; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 4th December 1861, No. 462.

I have the honor to forward herewith, in accordance with the Orders of Government marginally noted, copies of the Schedule and balance sheet of Mr. B. A. Fransz, Assistant Auditor on the establishment of this Office, together with the Decree of Court entitling him to the benefit of the Insolvent Act.

No. 1,100, dated 10th August 1857.

2nd. Mr. Fransz' Schedule comprises 30 items, aggregating Rupees 806-5-6, of which sum Rupees 179-2-0 were not received by the Insolvent. This latter and a further sum of Rupees 123-8-0 are joint debts with other parties, and aggregate Rupees 362-10-0. For the balance Rupees 503-11-6, the Insolvent appears as the only responsible party. His plea for taking the Act is stated in the "balance sheet."

Items 2, 4, 9, 24 and 26.

3rd. The Insolvent has been entirely freed from all liability for the above debts, which do not appear to have arisen from extravagance, but for the most part from domestic affliction, although the practice of backing bills for other parties, to which his embarrassments are partly attributable, is very reprehensible.

4th. Mr. Fransz' service under Government commenced on 27th April 1847 in the Government Secretariat, and he was transferred on 1st January 1859 to this Office, where he now holds the post of Assistant Auditor in the Department Public Works on a salary of Rupees 45 per month. In the performance of his duties, he has given every satisfaction, and is a most useful Assistant in the Department to which he is attached.

5th. Under the above circumstances, I have the honor to request the favorable consideration of Government to his case, and strongly to recommend that he be reinstated in his appointment.

No. 76. From W. J. RAYNOR, Esq., Officiating Civil Paymaster; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 5th December 1861, No. 463.

General Department.

In accordance with the Orders of Government, No. 1,100, dated 10th August 1857, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of the Schedule and balance sheet of P. Lutchmeenursiah, Bramin, an Assistant Auditor on the Establishment of this Office, together with the Decree of Court entitling him to the benefit of the Insolvent Act. His Schedule contains 23 items* aggregating Rupees 1,091-6-0, and except in ½ (disputed) he seems to be the sole responsible party. His plea for taking the Act has been omitted from the balance sheet, but by his own statement† he appears to have contracted the debts (which he has been ordered to liquidate by monthly payments of Rupees 3) in consequence of some domestic affliction and having backed a note for a large sum (Rupees 1,000) in 1855 for his brother-in-law, who died leaving a balance of Rupees 400 unliquidated.

* 2 disputed ½ and ½ for 36 and 40 respectively.

† Herewith forwarded.

2. This is the second time Lutchmeenursiah has taken the benefit of the Act. He first availed himself of it in 1849 when his debts amounted to upwards of Rupees 800, of which he was completely freed; and on that occasion he states that he was compelled to do so in consequence of the reduction of his salary from Rupees 45 a month (in the Native Pension Fund Office) to Rupees 21 on which he was drafted into this Office on the abolition of the former.

3. Lutchmeenursiah is one of the best calculators in this Office, and he is not only of the greatest service in the Pension Department, to which he is attached, but is also called upon frequently to assist in other departments.

4. Taking the above circumstances into consideration, I trust that Government will be pleased to permit him to resume the duties of his appointment upon the pay he has hitherto drawn, viz., Rupees 10 per month.

5. I regret the frequency of reports of this kind from this Office, and but that in this case, as also in that of Mr. Fransz family affliction has been the cause to a large extent of the insolvency, and that these individuals are useful and intelligent servants, I should have deemed it my duty to recommend that an example be made as a warning to others.

No. 77. ORDER THEREON, 14th December 1861, No. 1,538.

Under the recommendation of the Civil Paymaster, the Government permit Mr. B. A. Fransz and P. Lutchmenursiah Braminy to be reinstated in their situations, but that no pay be disbursed to them for the period they have been under suspension.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter
From the Civil Paymaster — Here under 4th & 5th December 1861
Nos 462 & 463.

Order thereon 14th December 1861 No 1538

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To the Civil Paymaster.
With 2 Enclosures returned } *Desp. 16th*

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PROCEEDINGS of GOVERNMENT.

Ep. 2053.

Dated 14th December 1861.

Permitting Mr. Rd. Evans and P. Lutchmenursiah to be reinstated in their situations; but that no pay be disbursed to them for the period they have been under suspension.

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