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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
15th February 1864.*

Read the following papers:—

No. 78. Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 26th October 1863, No. 3429.

Communicate orders passed on a List of } (Vide Proceedings Military Department, dated
inquiries, regarding Soldiers, &c., made by } 26th October 1863, Nos. 515 & 516.)
the India Office.

No. 79.

MEMORANDUM.

The Military Secretary to Government has the honor to inform the Chief Secretary, with reference to his Memorandum, dated 20th January 1864, No. 31, that the Superintendent of Pensions has reported that the late pensioned Store Serjeant E. J. Plant, No. 3270, of 1st Class, died at Madras.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
22nd January 1864.

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Referred to the Commissioner of Police, who is requested to ascertain and report what effects were left by the late pensioned Store Serjeant Edward J. Plant, and how they have been disposed of.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
2nd February 1864.

No. 80. From Lieutenant Colonel W. J. WILSON, Commissioner of Police; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 8th February 1864, No. 24.

Military Department, No. 3429, dated 26th October 1863.

I have the honor to return the Order of Government noted in the margin, together with the original Memorandum received therewith.

2. Pensioned Store Serjeant E. J. Plant resided for some time shortly before his death in John Perciras with a widow named Doran, now at Cuddapah, and I have requested the Magistrate of that place to examine her as to what became of Plant's effects.

3. From inquiries I have made here, I am led to believe that he could have left little beyond the amount of pension which may have been due to him at the time of his death, which took place in the General Hospital on the 14th October 1860 of *delirium tremens*.

4. Serjeant Major Channing of His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard, who was formerly a comrade of Plant's in the Horse Artillery, informs me that he met him in the early part of October 1860, and that he was then in no destitute a condition that he, the Serjeant Major, had a couple of suits of clothing made up for him out of charity.

5. Since writing the above, I observe from the Gazette of the 26th ultimo, page 131, that the amount of Plant's estate was deposited in the Treasury of the Paymaster during the month of December 1863.

6. Any further information I may receive from Cuddapah shall be reported.

No. 81.

ORDER THEREON, 15th February 1864, No. 185.
Communicated to the Military Department.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following:—

MADRAS.

List of Inquiries regarding Soldiers, &c.

Nichol, William, late Lance Corporal 1st European Fusiliers, claims "Batta" for service in India during Mutiny.

Doddling, John, Pensioned Quarter Master Sergeant, 40th Regiment Native Infantry, claims "Good Conduct Medal" granted him per G. O. C. C., 14th April 1862, in continuation of G. O. C. C., 23rd February 1861.

Crowley, Patrick, deceased, Gunner 1st Battalion Artillery, No. 3409, died on the 1st August 1861. Estate not yet received.

Beacham, John, Pensioned Hospital Sergeant 3rd Regiment, claims Medal and Clasp (for service in Central India,) which he states were detained in the Orderly Room of the Regiment in May last. It is requested that they may be returned to this Office.

Green, Thomas, deceased, Private 1st Fusiliers, died on the 7th August 1858. Attention is called to the answer (No. 283, dated 25th October 1862,) received to the previous reference in this case.

Plant, Edward J., deceased, Store Sergeant, Pensioner, embarked per *Columbus* 1841, died on the 14th October 1860. Estate not yet received.

A previous reference was made in this case in List dated 16th October 1862, but no reply has as yet been received.

INDIA OFFICE, MILY. DEPT.,
4th September 1863.

(Signed) J. PATTISON THOM.

ORDER, No. 3429, 26th October 1863.

Referred to the Commander-in-Chief, (Adjutant General's Department) as regards the

William Nichol. John Doddling. John Beacham.

* *Vide Pro. of Govt.*, 27th September 1862, No. 3314.
" " 22nd October " " 3665.

claims of the individuals named in the margin, and to the Estate Department, as regards the Estates of Patrick Crowley and Thomas Green.*

2. The Superintendent of Pensions is desired to state at what Station Pensioned Store Sergeant Edward J. Plant died. On receipt of this report, the Judicial Department will be requested to call upon the proper Civil Authorities for any available information connected with the Estate of the above-mentioned Pensioner.

(True Extract.)

Marchant
Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant General.

" Estate Department.

" Superintendent of Pensions.

" Judicial Department, for information.

With 6 separate Copies

Edw. T. Stubbs.

The Adj. Gen. 29th Oct. 1863

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers —

Procs: 26 Feb. '63 N^o 3429. Mily. Dept.

Memo. from the Mily. Dept. — Inter 22nd Jan'y '64 N^o x.

Letter from the Commr. of Police — 8th Feb. — 24.

Order — 15th February 1864 N^o 185.

Mr. Col. Wilson's letter will be communicated to the Mily. Dept.

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