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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	41	Press Mis.
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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers :—

From P. GRANT, Esq., Collector of Malabar ; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Calicut, 2nd November 1859, No. 109.

With reference to Proceedings Madras Government and para. 2 of their Order thereon, No. 1103, dated 20th July 1859, by which the Native Doctor hitherto in charge of the Palliport Lazaretto has been removed to make place for a Native Dresser, I have the honor to submit for the consideration and Orders of Government, the claims of the above individual to a small monthly pension.

2. The Civil Surgeon states, and the statement so far as the servitude of the party is concerned, is confirmed by the records of my office, that the Native Doctor has served since 1824; that being quite worn out and unfit for further service, he is incapable of earning a living for himself, and that as a case of charity, a pension should be granted him.

3. According to the rules of the service, this man is only entitled to 6 months' gratuity, but considering the peculiar nature of the services he has performed, namely attending on Lepers for a period of nearly 40 years, Government may feel inclined as a special case to grant him a pension of Rupees 3-8-0 per month, being a moiety of the salary hitherto drawn by him.

4. He has up to the present time lived on Government land, attached to the Lazaretto, and has built two houses on it, besides making other improvements. The land he is inclined to look on as his private property. The records of my office show that such is not the case, but that he was allowed to occupy it on condition, that he defrayed the funeral expenses of deceased Lepers, and the cost of Native Medicines for the Lazaretto.

*Estimated value of young Coconut
plants, Jack and Arecanut Trees
according to the usual mode of
valuation... .. Rs. 44 0 0
Value of 2 houses... .. „ 160 0 0
Levelling and other improvements. „ 30 0 0*

Rupees... 234 0 0

5. The value of the two houses and other improvements as given by the Fiscal of Cochin, is noted in the margin. The value of the two houses Rupees 160 and of the trees Rupees 44, should I think be repaid to the Dresser as compensation, to which he is, I conceive, justly entitled.

Referred for the report of the Civil Auditor.

10th November 1859.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 2.

Report of the Civil Auditor.

General Department.

The Acting Civil Auditor has the honor to report that, the authorized official allowance drawn by Tundatheel Varkee Varkee, Native Doctor of the Leper Hospital at Paliport on the establishment of the Collector of Malabar, never having been more than Rupees 7 per mensem, his name cannot be found in any of the records of this office; and that, as is admitted in the statement of the Collector, he is entitled only to a gratuity according to the existing Rules.

The delay in the submission of this report was owing to the necessity of making a reference to the Collector of Malabar as a statement of services was not sent with the original application.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
CIVIL AUDITOR'S OFFICE,
4th January 1860.

(Signed) W. WATERFIELD,

Acting Civil Auditor.

To the Chief Secretary to the Government, Civil Pension Department.

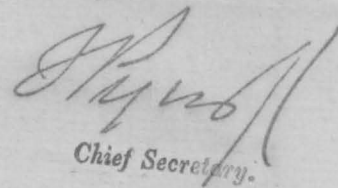
ORDER THEREON, 20th January 1860, No. 93.

1. The Government do not consider that the present case is one in which a departure from the ordinary rules would be justifiable. The report of the Civil Surgeon of Cochin shows that the Dresser has bestowed little or no care upon the Institution, and it also appears that during the last 20 years he has done no duty.

2. Application will be made to the Government of India for a gratuity equal to 6 months' salary.

Rupees 234.

3. Payment of the amount noted in margin of paragraph 5, is authorized.
(True Extract.)


Chief Secretary.

To the Collector of Malabar.

„ Civil Auditor.

„ Accountant General.

„ Civil Pension Department.

Ezd. F. Cartledge.

SEPARATE.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

No. 41

Proc. of the Madras Government
Extract from the Minutes of Consultation,
dated 28 January 1860..

(Read the following paper.)

Proc. of Govt. in the
Public Department. Here dated 20 January 1860

The Right Honorable the Governor in
Council resolves to recommend for the
sanction of the Government of India a
Gratuity of Rupees (42) Forty two
to Sundathel Varkke Varkke,
Native Doctor

in conformity with the rules contained in
the Despatch from the Honorable the
Court of Directors to the Government of
India, in the Financial Department, dated
24th June No. 43 of 1857, and directs
that the following grounds of recommen-
dation be inserted in the Tabular appli-
cation to be submitted to that authority.

"Grounds of Recommendation."

To
The Secy. to the Govt.
of India. Des/28/1/60

L. G. G. G.
By: Secy. to Govt.
J. G. G.

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Proceedings of Govt.
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Dr of Bank

Date 28 Aug/10

Oct 10/10