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Government of Madras.

Pension - DEPARTMENT.

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No. 6,648.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 18th September 1868.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 20th July 1868, No. 228,
Pension Department:—

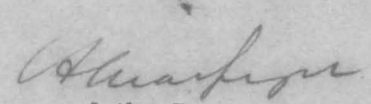
ABSTRACT.—Furnishing to the Board copy of the letter of the Government of India on the subject of the date from which grants are to be made of the compassionate allowance to servants of Government in inferior grades thrown out of employ by reduction of establishment after completing thirty years' service, and stating that the orders are applicable to Peons only.

1. Communicated to the Collector of Madura, with reference to his letter, dated 20th July 1868, No. 67.

2. The Board think it right to point out, that the restriction of grants of pension to Peons thrown out of employment after thirty years' service by reduction of establishment, to cases occurring *after the 1st June 1867*, has rendered the boon valueless in the cases of the great majority of Peons on whose behalf it was sought.

3. The Notification calling on parties to send in their claims, published in all districts under orders of the Board, dated 30th January 1868, hinted at no such restriction, and the result cannot fail to produce widespread disappointment among a class of servants admitted as deserving of liberal treatment, and the satisfaction of whose claims would involve no very heavy expenditure.

(A true Copy and Extract.)


Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
,, the Collector of Madura.

Exd. J. Wright.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Here entered 8th Sept^r 68
N^o. 6658.)

Order thereon 21st October 1868 N^o 345.

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The Board of Revenue
appears to have misapprehended
the Proceedings of Government in
this Department N^o. 228 of the 20th
July 1868.

With reference to the 2nd
paragraph of ^{the} Board's proceedings,
There has been no such general
restriction as the Board would
seem to suppose. On the 11th December
1863 the Government of India in
Financial Resolution N^o. 1254,
maintained the grant of
Compassionate Allowance
of 2½ Rupees to those peons, who
being of more than 30 years service,
had been thrown out of employ in
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the extensive revisions of establishments which were made in 1859-60-61. This grant the Government of Madras have extended to all old peons thrown out in revisions which formed part of the original plan, the last being the revision of the Salt Establishment by the Honorable D. Clarke.

The grant referred only to peons, and only to those who lost their posts in the extensive revisions referred to. It was with reference to these persons that the Board issued a notification (referred to in the 3^d paragraph of their Proceedings), calling on all ^{who} being eligible, had not yet applied, to send in their claims before March 31st 1868.

On the 16th December 1867 the Secretary of State in his despatch No. 455, authorized the grant of compassionate allowances not exceeding Rupees 4 to all Peons and other inferior servants ineligible to

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to pension, who after 30 years service might be thrown out of employ by reductions. And it was subsequently ruled by the Govt. of India that ~~but not~~ ^{but not} this grant should apply only to persons thrown out of employ after the 1st June 1867.

The Board seem to think that the last named restriction of date applies to the first grant also, that of 1863. This is not the case, as will be seen from the above explanation.

A.W.

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