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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

27th February 1880, No. 155.

Gratuity.

Read the following paper :—

From Colonel R. H. BEDDOME, Conservator of Forests, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department (through the Accountant-General), dated Manantoddy, 1st December 1879, No. 1166-A.

I have the honor to forward herewith an application for a gratuity of Rs. 250 submitted by the widow of the late Head Forest Guard K. Cannan Cootty, through the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Nilambúr. An extraordinary gratuity is applied for, as the Guard in question was killed by an elephant in the execution of his public duty. The elephant suddenly and unexpectedly dashed the guard to the ground and knelt on his chest and killed him. Guard Cannan Cootty was a promising young man, having rendered six years and six months' useful service under Government, for which he received Rs. 10 per mensem as pay in the Nilambúr Forest Division. Under the foregoing circumstances I strongly beg to recommend for favorable consideration the grant of the above gratuity to the widow of the late Head Forest Guard.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From J. FERGUSON, Esq., Deputy Conservator, to the Conservator of Forests, dated Nilambúr, 17th October 1879, No. 64.

I regret to inform you it was reported to me, on the afternoon of the 15th instant, that the Head Forest Guard Cannan Cootty, in charge of dragging operations at Irvellykavu Plantations, had just been killed by one of the elephants employed on the work. I immediately proceeded to the spot and found life extinct.

2. On inquiry I found the animal that morning had worked reluctantly later on. The driver having lost control over him, he went and lay down in the river, whereon the Head Forest Guard got on the back of another elephant, went into the river and on to the obstinate one and brought him back to work, and, while pressing him to work, the animal with his foot knocked over, and then knelt down on the top of, the Forest Guard before any assistance could be rendered; in fact death had been almost instantaneous.

3. Cannan Cootty was a native of Nilambúr, about twenty-seven years of age, employed under me from boyhood in various capacities—acting and substitute, and from 1872 permanent, Peon on the sanctioned establishment, and from 1877 Head Forest Guard. He knew all the district, thoroughly acquainted with all forests and operations connected with the division, a most useful man in his class, whom I fully expected to recommend to my successor if spared to retire. I regret very much his untimely end, leaving his family (very poor) quite destitute. I, therefore, respectfully suggest that his family be paid a small gratuity, say one year's salary, to show that good service will not be overlooked however humble the position of the incumbent. I have, therefore, to request you will be pleased to recommend the above for the favorable consideration of Government.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

From J. FERGUSON, Esq., Deputy Conservator of Forests, Nilambúr Division, to the Conservator of Forests, dated Nilambúr, 6th November 1879, No. 70.

With reference to your letter, No. 1044, dated 27th ultimo, I have the honor to enclose an application for an extraordinary gratuity by the widow of Cannan Cootty, late Head Forest Guard in this establishment, amounting to Rs. 250 payable at Nilambúr.

APPLICATION for an Extraordinary Gratuity for the family of Cannan Cootty, late a Head Forest Guard in the Nilambūr Division, Malabar District, killed in the execution of his duty (submitted by the widow of Cannan Cootty).

A.—Description of Claimant.

1. Name and residence ... Teayi of Nilambūr.
2. Age ... Seventeen years and six months.
3. Height ... Five feet.
4. Race, caste, or tribe ... Sudra.
5. Marks for identification ... Fair, not jet black complexion.
6. Recent occupation and pecuniary circumstances. ... None, nor any means of support except the goodwill of her relations.
7. Degree of relationship to deceased ... Widow.

B.—Description of Deceased.

8. Name ... Kavinghal Cannan Cootty.
9. Occupation and Service ... Head Forest Guard.
10. Length of service ... Six years and six months.
11. Pay when killed ... Rs. (10) ten per mensem.
12. Nature of injury causing death ... When knocked over, the animal with its full force and weight knelt on his chest, then with one foot pressed on the belly till the bowels gushed out.
13. Amount of gratuity proposed ... Rupees (Rs. 250) two hundred and fifty.
14. Place of payment ... Nilambūr.
15. Remarks ... A young, but most useful man in his class, whose untimely death leaves his widow destitute and entirely dependent on her relations for support; therefore strongly recommended for the favorable consideration of Government.

NILAMBUR, 6th Nov. 1879.

(Signed) *താമി.*
J. FERGUSON,
Deputy Conservator, in charge of
Nilambūr Forests.

No. A.D.J.—32.

Submitted to Government with the remark that an extraordinary family gratuity not exceeding Rs. 60, equal to six months' pay of the deceased, is admissible under Section 134 of the Civil Pension Code. The grant of any gratuity in excess of that sum will, it is submitted, need the confirmation of the Government of India.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
11th February 1880.

(Signed) R. C. CHAPMAN,
Offg. Asst. to Accountant-General,
for Accountant-General.

ORDER THEREON, 27th February 1880, No. 155.

Under Section 134 of the Civil Pension Code (4th Edition) His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Teayi, widow of the late Head Forest Guard Kavinghal Cannan Cootty, killed in the execution of his duty, a gratuity of six months' pay of deceased, or Rs. (60) sixty, the full amount which the Government can sanction under the rules.

(True Extract.)

L. A. CAMPBELL,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Accountant-General, with register,
" Conservator of Forests.
" Collector of Malabar.

Ed. J. W. Fischer.

Encls. No. 1
 Order No. 11664 dated
 1st December 79, from
 the Genl. & Secy to Govt.
 the Secy to Govt. R. S.
 (thru the Dist. Genl.)

in P/39
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Obt. of (1880) *My address.*

PENSION.

To
 THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,
 &c., &c., &c.

Dated February 27th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 27th February 1880, No. 155.

FEBRUARY.

Gratuity.—Granting a gratuity of Rs. 60 to
 Teayi, widow of the late Head Forest Guard
 K. Channan Cooty, Malabar District, killed in the
 execution of his duty.

Application for an extraordinary gratuity for the family of Cannan Cotty Lak & Head
 Forest Guard in the Nellore Division Malabar District killed in the execution of his duty.
 Submitted by the widow of Cannan Cotty.

A

Description of claimant.

1. Name and residence: *Devi of Nellore*
2. Age: *Seventeen years and six months.*
3. Height: *Five feet.*
4. Race, caste or tribe: *Sudra.*
5. Marks for identification: *Fair not jet black complexion.*
6. Present occupation and previous: *None, nor any means of support except the good will of her relations.*

B

Description of deceased.

8. Name: *Livinghal Cannan Cotty*
9. Age: *A Head Forest Guard.*
10. Race, caste or tribe: *Same as above.*
11. Height: *Five feet and six inches.*
12. Weight: *Ruppes (10) Ten per mensem.*
13. Marks for identification: *When throttled over the animal with its full force and weight, the animal with one foot pressed on the belly till the bowels quivered out.*
14. Present occupation and previous: *Ruppes Ten hundred and fifty. (Rs 250)*
15. Name: *Nellore*

A young but most useful man in his class whose untimely death leaves his widow destitute and entirely dependent on her relations for support; therefore strongly recommended for the favorable consideration of Government.

Nellore 5 November 1892

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Signature of the applicant.

H. H. H. H.
 Deputy Conservator
 in charge of Nellore Forests.

Madras Colonel
 Conservator of Forests

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Deputy Conservator's Office
Mellambury 14th October 1899

From

J. Ferguson Esq.
Deputy Conservator

To

Colonel W. H. Beddome
Conservator of Forests

Sir,

I regret to inform you it was reported to me on the afternoon of the 15th Inst. that the Head Forest Guard Cannan Cootty in charge of dragging operations at Shellyharu Plantations had just been killed by one of the Elephants employed on the work. I immediately proceeded to the spot and found life extinct.

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On enquiry I found the animal that morning had worked reluctantly later on. The driver having lost control over him, he went and lay down in the river, whereon the Head Forest Guard got on the back of another Elephant, went into the river, and on to the obstinate one and brought him back to work and while pressing him to work, the animal with his foot
Knocked

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the Forest Guard before any assistance could be
rendered. In fact death had been almost ins-
tantaneous.

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Nellambur about 27 years of age employed under
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and Substitute and from 1872 Permanent Peon
on the Sanctioned Establishment and from 1877
Head Forest Guard. He knew all the District
thoroughly acquainted with all Forests and oper-
ations connected with the Division - a most
useful man in his class whom I fully expected
to recommend to my Successor if spared to retire.
I regret very much his untimely end leaving his
family (very poor) quite destitute. I therefore
respectfully suggest that his family be paid
a small gratuity, say one year's salary, to show
that good service will not be overlooked however
humble the position of the Incumbent. I have
therefore to request you will be pleased to recommend
the above for the favorable consideration of Government.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

H. H. H.

Deputy Conservator.

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Deputy Conservator's Office
Nellambur 6th November 1899.

From
J. Ferguson Esq.
Deputy Conservator of Forests
Nellambur Division

To
Colonel R. G. Beddome
Conservator of Forests
Madras

Sir,

With reference to your letter
N^o 1044, dated 27th ultimo I have the honor to
enclose an application for an extraordinary
gratuity by the widow of Lannan Cooty late
Head Forest Guard in this Establishment
amounting to Rupees 250-1 payable at Nellambur.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant.

J. Ferguson

Deputy Conservator

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From
The Deputy Conserv.
Nellambur

No. 64 of 17th Decr. '99

Claiming for an
extraordinary gratuity
to the family of the
late H. Forest Guard
Lannan Cooty, killed
by an Elephant while
in the execution of his
duties.

in N^o 139

In letter No. 1166 of 21st Decr. '99 from the
Consr. of Forests -
The Secy. of Govt. of
Madras the Deputy Conserv.
Nellambur

No. 1166A.

From

Colonel R. T. Beddome,

Conservator of Forests.

To

J. F. Gardin Esquire, C.S.I.
Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Fort St. George
(through the Accountant General)

Sir,

I have the honor to forward
herewith an application for a gratuity
of Rs. 250, submitted by the widow of
the late Mad Forest Guard M. Cannan
Cootty, through the Deputy Conservator
of Forests Melambur. An extraordinary
gratuity is applied for, as the Guard
in question was killed by an Elephant
in the execution of his public duty. The
Elephant suddenly and unexpectedly
dashed the Guard to the ground and
kneeling on his chest and killed him.
Guard Cannan Cootty was a promising
young man having rendered 6 years
and 6 months useful service under
Government for which he received Rs. 10
per mensem as pay in the Melambur
Forest Division. Under the foregoing
circumstances I strongly beg to recom-
mend for favorable consideration the
grant of the above gratuity to the
widow

- Enclosures
1. Application for a gratuity.
 2. Letter from M. Cannan, dated 16th Nov. 79.
 3. Do. from the Deputy Conservator of Forests Melambur, dated 17th Oct. 79.

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Revenue Forests.
M. Cannan Cootty
Mad Forest Guard
Melambur
Dated 16th Nov. 79
Received by
M. Cannan Cootty
Mad Forest Guard
Melambur
1879

Encls. No. 2
In letter No. 1166A dated
1st Decr. 79 from the
Consr. of Melambur to the
Secy. of Govt. N. B.
(Through the Deputy Conservator)

Widow of the late Head Forest Guard.

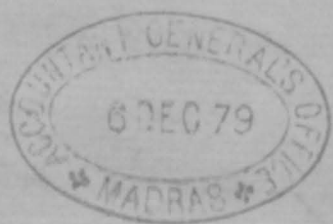
I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedt. servt.

W. R. S. S. S.

Conservator of Forests.



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Bombay 1879-80. Receipt
REVENUE FORESTS

From

No 139

THE CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

To

The Secy. to Govt.

Dated

(The Secy. to Govt. (The Secy. to Govt.))

Despatched

4th Decr. 1879.

Received

13th Decr. 80
No. 11666A.

Enclosures Three.

SUBJECT

Forwarding applica-
tion for grant of
the title of the Late
Messrs. R. & Co. &
Messrs. R. & Co.

Ca No 185
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B D No 188
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Submitted to Government with the
remark that no extraordinary family
gratuity not exceeding Rs 1000 - equal
to 6 months pay of the deceased is admissible
under Section 154 of the Civil Service
Code. The grant of any gratuity in excess
of that sum will be submitted, and the
confirmation of the Government of India.

For the Secy. to Govt.,
Accountants Office,
11th February 1880.

For the Secy. to Govt.,
Accountants Office,
11th February 1880.

To Govt. Secy. to Govt.

Pension 1880 Departs
No. 140

From
The Asst. Accountant Genl.
No 32

Dated 11th } February 1880.
Recd. 13th }

Submitting an
Application for gra-
tuity from the widow
of the late K. Can-
niam Cooty, Head
Forest guard Melam-
bar, who was killed
by an Elephant in the
execution of his public
duty.
With order 155.
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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter papers

From the Conservator of Forests, dated 11th Feb. 1880 No. 120.
— " — Asst. Secy. to Govt. dated 11th Feb. 1880 No. 32

Order thereon 27 February 1880 No. 155.

Under Section 134 of
the Civil Pension Code (4th
Edition) His Grace the
Governor in Council is
pleased to grant to
Leayi, widow of the late
Head Forest Guard
Kavinghal Cannan Cooty
killed in the execution
of his duty a gratuity
of Rs. (60) Sixty.
The man was
killed by a "sully"
elephant which he
was trying to make
work, he doubt
there was "extraordinary
bodily risk" in this

I think we might ask
S.D. Sanction a year
for Rs. 120.
Let give the amt.
(Rs. 60) at once - as
"the full amount of
the Govt. can sanction
under the rules"

To the Asst. Accountant General with Reg-
— " — Conservator of Forests
— " — Collector of Melabar
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and he behaved
very strictly to
that the "extraordinary"
principle may be
admitted.

The Dep. Conservator
recommended it.

but this pr. can
only give to the
the. by a recent

amendment of
§ 135. C. P. Code it

can "under special
circumstances"

grant a pension
not exceeding

£10 a month.

The deceased had
apparently only a

widow dependent
on him who she is

a "Threat" ~~in~~ doubtless

she will be readily
supported by her

relations even if she
have no property

herself.

1880
Sept. 27
Post. of 1880 of Madras.

London

To the Secretary

Dated 27 Feb 1880, No. 153

Nos.

My dear Sir,
I have the pleasure to
acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of the 26th
inst. and in reply to
inform you that the
same has been forwarded
to the proper authorities
for their consideration.
I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours,
Wm. H. Miller

Wm. H. Miller
Secretary

Ca: 23-2-30
No: 26-2-30