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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Dated 17th April 1857
Read the following Extract
from the Proceedings of the Board of
Revenue.

Here enter 9th March 1857 No. 725

The Board of Reve-
nue submit applications from two
superannuation Pensioners for the
commutation of their Pensions, and
inquire whether the orders of Govern-
ment 31st October last apply to such
cases as well as to those of incum-
bents on the late Native Pension
Fund.-

2. It is observed that those
orders intimated that the principles
laid down by the Honorable the
Court of Directors in their letter,
Political Department, 30th April
No 3 of 1856, relative to the Commu-
tation of Carnatic Stipends, viz:

that

that it was to be without limit in regard to the amount of the Stipend, must be considered applicable to all Pensions and Yeomiahs of whatever description - but that such allowances as were in excess of the limit prescribed in the Board's Circular Order of 31st July 1835, founded on that of the Government of the North Western Provinces, were to be reported for the decision and orders of Government.

Agra Gazette 21st Dec. 1835
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3. The Government have however subsequently received the orders of the Government of India, 30th January last, which enlarge the limits of life pensions purchaseable in the North Western Provinces from 12 to 20 Rupees per annum as in the Punjab and direct that this shall apply to all cases of life Pensions payable by Government under all the Presidencies and Administrations in India.

4. From this the Government infer that it is not the intention of the Supreme Government that Pensions of a larger amount than 20 Rupees a year shall be commuted. The orders of 31st October last must therefore be considered withdrawn.

5. It is remarked that in both of the cases now under submission by the Board the yearly pension is far beyond 20 Rupees.

/Signed/ T. Bycroft
Chief Secretary

To the Board of Revenue
" " Revenue Deptt
" Political Deptt ✓

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2 superannuation Pensioners
for the Commutation of their
Pensions submitted by
the Board of Revenue.

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