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Fort Saint George, Political Consultation, 21st July 1857.

No. 29. From Surgeon E. G. BALFOUR, Government Agent at Chepauk ; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 17th July 1857 No. 172 of G. A.

SIR,

There was employed, by the late Nabob, a family, several of whom had, before then, been in the service, in one capacity or another, of this Government. The head of this family was the old man, Dubeer ool Moolk Bahadoor, commonly known as the Nabob's Moonshee. He was the first of his people employed, and this about 33 years ago : but many of his relatives have, at various times since then, been entertained by the Sircar, and, on the date of the Nabob's demise, those who were in the receipt of allowances were as follows :—

Names.	Nature of Service.	Period of Service.	Salary.		
			Rs.	A.	P.
Gholam Rasool Khan, Grand Son-in-law of the Secretary.....	Deputy to the Head of the Department.....	3	80	0	0
Dabeer ood Dowlah, Son.....	Head Moonshee.....	20	300	0	0
Mahomed Zinda, Grand Son-in-law.....	Serishtadar.....	25	80	0	0
Mahomed Acbur, relative.....	Darogah.....	15	10	0	0
Mahomed Auzum, do.	Clerk.....	15	7	0	0
Rufaut Jung, Br., do.	Peishkar.....	11	80	0	0
Bukhshee ul Moolk, Son-in-law.....	Meer Bukhshee.....	26	400	0	0
Gholam Dustageer, relative.....	Serishtadar.....	15	30	0	0
Mahomed Hamed Saeed.....	Auditor.....	4	15	0	0
Hajee Gholam Dustageer, relative.....	Deputy Mushriff.....	15	20	0	0
Mahomed Abdool Luteef.....	Ameen.....	4	10	0	0
Gholam Mahmood.....	Darogah.....	13	20	0	0
Hathasham ood Dowlah, Grand Son of the Secretary.....	Head of the Department.....	11	100	0	0
Raees ul Oomrah, Son of the Secretary.....	2nd Dewan.....	31	400	0	0
Khateejah Bee, relative.....	Pensioner.....	...	5	0	0
Abdool Hussun, do.	Do.	...	15	0	0
Dubeer ool Moolk Bahadoor.....	Secretary.....	35	300	0	0
Ahmud Hoossain.....	Serishtadar.....	13	65	0	0
Ally Ruzau.....	Assistant.....	13	25	0	0
Abbass Hoossain.....	Do.	3	15	0	0
Grand Daughter of the Secretary.....	Pensioner.....	2	30	0	0
Total.....			2,007	0	0

There was nothing dishonorable in so many relatives finding employment, in the Sircar Service : but it so happened that three families, that of the Dewan, of the Hakeem and of the Munshie had, for some years, been absorbing every Office of rank, importance or emolument. Though all naturally regarding themselves each greater than the other in rank, to have treated every one of them as a Chief Officer and pensioned each in full would simply have been to enrich three families all of them reputed to possess considerable hoards of wealth, and few individuals of them having any particular claims on the Sircar. The Munshie's family at the Nabob's demise, were in receipt of Rupees 2,007-0-0 per mensem.

When reporting, therefore, on the claims of Chief Officers, with the precedent of 1801 to guide me, I found that on the occasion of our receiving transfer of the Civil Government of the Carnatic, the number of Officers pensioned as principal Officers was but 11, with an aggregate of Salaries of Rupees 2,876-10-8 per mensem, while to carry out the recent views of Government as liberally as possible towards these people 24 of the Nabob's servants were returned as Chief Officers, with aggregate of Salaries of Rupees 3,822-8-0 per mensem ; as I well knew that, notwithstanding all my care it would be impossible to satisfy every body, I wrote as follows in my letter of the 24th December last, regarding the Chief Officers generally and of the Munshie's family in particular.

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" I was ordered in para: 11 of Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 4th of October 1856, to intimate that the claims of the Chief Officers and Servants would be liberally considered, and in para: 10 of the Honorable Court's letter of the 19th March, No. 15 of 1856, the Salaries of the Principal Officers were ordered to be continued for life. The names of the Principal Officers, their Occupations, Salaries, &c., will be found in List No. 2, and it will be observed they are few in number, and that the total of their Pensions is small. I have also made this list to embrace also the Military Officers whose cases I was ordered to report upon in Extract Minutes of Consultation, dated 25th October 1856, No. 385, and I would remark regarding this List, that it includes two Classes of Servants to the Chief of whom I have proposed full Salaries as Pensions for life. And to the second Class of Principal Officers only half or one-third according as they have seemed to me to have claims. As it is only from the second Class that any claim to greater consideration can be made I consider it advisable to submit for the consideration and decision of Government the reasons which have guided me in proposing this arrangement.

" E 3. Moonshee ool Moolk Dabeer ood Dowlah Bahadoor, Head Moonshee of the Durbar, Salary at present Rupees 300, entertained 27th Suffer 1253, therefore has twenty years' Service is 57 years of age. Proposed for him one-third or Rupees 100 per mensem, as Pension, because; (1) he is an Officer of the second grade; (2) has only 20 years' Service; (3) is reputed a very wealthy man and (4) is the eldest Son of V. Dabeer ool Moolk Bahadoor, Secretary to the Durbar, whose Salary of Rupees 300 per mensem, it is proposed to be continued as Pension for life; also he is the brother of S. Raees ool Oomrah Bahadoor, second Dewan of the Durbar, to whom, also it is proposed to continue as Pension for life Rupees 133 per mensem."

I have now the honor to forward two Memorials from the two sons of this Munshie, reported as above described as E. 3. Munshie ool Moolk Dubeer ood Dowlah Bahadoor and S. Raees ool Oomrah Bahadoor.

I have duly considered all the circumstances these Memorialists advance, but I see no reason sufficient to cause any alteration in the views which I entertained when addressing Government on the subject on the 24th December last, and which in Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 230 of the 19th March 1857, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has already decided on.

(Signed) EDWARD BALFOUR,
Government Agent.

From MOONSHEE-OOL-MOOLK DABEER OOD-DOWLAH BAHADOOR; to the Right Honorable GEORGE LORD HARRIS, Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, &c., &c., &c., dated 9th June 1857.

MY LORD,

1. In embracing this opportunity of affording to your Lordship in Council my hearty thanks for the kindness shewed in bestowing on me a Pension equivalent to one-third of my allowance by Extract Minutes of Consultation, dated 19th March 1857, (which I am obliged to accept for pleasure of Government,) I cannot but express my extreme regret at the total incompetency of the sum to the important position. I held in the Sircar, in comparison with those allotted to the other Officers of the Durbar, and the consequent humiliation in the eyes of my equals. I am therefore induced to urge upon your Lordship's humane consideration the following particulars regarding me, trusting that they would meet with that justice and impartiality which characterize the British Government.

2. I held two of the most important and prominent Offices in the Carnatic Durbar as the Head Moonshee (Chief Secretary) and the Budshahi-Bukshee. I was by the former, a Medium for communicating Public orders, and conducted the Durbar affairs without control of the Dewan, all communications from whom to His Highness were submitted through me, and the orders of His Highness thereon were sent in my letters to the Dewany, wherein they are secured in records as Vouchers. From this it is to be inferred that my records were considered more important than those of any other department in the Durbar; and this my assertion could be well proved by a

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reference to the Commissions of the two Madarool Mahoms or Dewans, and other principal Officers of the Durbar, wherein it is plainly directed that all representations appertaining to their Offices be submitted to His Highness through the Head Moonshee of Durbar, I shall moreover be borne out in this point as well by the Officers as by the records of the Persian Darool-in-Shaw (Secretary's Office) and the Dewan's Department. I also take this opportunity to add that the Office of Head Moonshee was not once so important as it was latterly, for Rajah Bugvunt Roy Bahadoor who held the said Office before me, had only to prepare letters from His Highness to the British Authorities, to write out Enayetnamahs granted by His Highness to the Sircar people, and to endorse His Highness's orders on Petitions, &c., submitted to him through the Madarool Mahoms or Dewans. He was therefore under the control of Madarool Mahom. Subsequently on effecting some changes in certain Offices and creating some new ones, His Highness supposing that the performance of the above duties alone did not justify a man to assume the title of Head Moonshee of the Durbar, took the appointment from Rajah Bugvunt Roy Bahadoor and made him a mere Moonshee of the Persian Department, where he was under the control of Madarool Mahom in as much as the orders of His Highness passed through him. After which His late Highness, conferred on me the appointment of Head Moonshee with a provision that the two Madarool-Mahoms, and other Chief Officers of the Durbar should submit their representations to His Highness through me which fact places me among the 1st Chief Officers.

3. By the latter Office of Budshahi-Buk-shee. I had to pass orders on the Civil and Military Department of the Durbar, on occasions relating to Public matters and to the conferring of titles upon respectable men by the Nabob, from this it is evident that the Office I was entrusted with was one of a very important nature. To impress upon your Lordship, the importance of the situation, I beg to add that it was held in succession by the Dewans, and the present Dewan also held it before its transfer was made to me.

4. Besides these His Highness conferred on me the honor of *Nowbut Gunta Austaubgherry Chowar Neem-austeen Gooshpaine* and numerous titles even that of *Moolk*, all of which are the highest marks of dignity in a Mahomedan Government, no one shall lay claims to them except eminent person. Moreover the Nabob had included me among those not amenable to the British Courts, and the Government is fully aware, that I am one of the very few individuals that have carefully refrained from any abuse of this privilege. In token of the recognition of my respectable and prominent position in the Durbar, the Nabob had issued out a written order in his own hand conferring on me the *Rush* or Military honor, though I was not a Military Officer, and which order will be found in the records of the Persian Secretary's Dewany the Head Bukshees, the Bukshees, and Cavalry Department.

5. With this point in view I cannot but feel infinitely grieved in beholding my name inserted in the List of Pensioners as simply Head Moonshee, and next Chief Officer and receiving a pension of $\frac{1}{3}$ of my allowance. I most respectfully appeal to your Lordship's impartial judgement, to consider if it were just to regard me as the next Chief Officer notwithstanding my having held two of the most eminent Offices in the Durbar, the nature of which has been above described, and if it were consistent with justice that I as Budshahi Bukshi, who was empowered to grant under my Signature all Vouchers of honor and of Office to the Chief Officers of the Sircar both Civil and Military should be placed on an inferior footing to such Officials.

6. I also venture to represent to your Lordship in Council a more astonishing fact which deserves your Lordship's particular notice, Salar-ool-Moolk Bahadoor besides a full Pension of 400 Rupees, which he has received as the Bukshee or the General of the late Nabob's Troops, has also received an additional full Pension of 200 Rupees, as His Highness' Private Secretary. I leave it to your Lordship whether it is equitable to recognize a Private Secretary as a first Chief Officer, and regard the Chief Secretary as next to him. Besides my Father Dabeer-ool Moolk Bahadoor, the Head Moonshee of the English Department, and Molamemud Dowlah Bahadoor, the Meersawman of the Durbar, of whom the former was equal to me in my capacity as Head Moonshee of the Durbar, and the latter inferior to me in my capacity as Budshahi Bukshee, in matters relating to which he was subject to my authority as is evident from the records of his and my Department have been reckoned as the 1st Chief Officers, while I am placed in the list as the next.

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7. As I can conceive no tangible grounds for my being excluded from the number of the Chief Officers of the 1st rank and deprived of my right for full Pension I most respectfully crave that Government who are endowed with the attributes of justice and impartiality, and hearken to the reasonable solicitations of all men, whether old or young, rich or poor, and who have therefore reached to the summit of glory and prosperity, will be pleased to consider my case reflecting upon the points above submitted with that degree of deliberation which the nature of the case deserves, so that I may not be deprived of the honor conferred on me by the late Nabob, when there is no fault on my part, and your Lordship will be pleased to favour me with a full Pension, not so much for my maintenance, but for the preservation of my dignity, and thus free me from the painful humiliation I would otherwise suffer among my equals and even my inferiors that have been allowed full Pensions and acknowledged as first Chief Officers. I feel assured that such degradation of eminent Officers of the Sircar would not be allowed by this equitable Government.

(Signed) MOONSHEE-OOL-MOOLK DABEER-OD-DOWLAH,
BAHADOOR.

From RAEESOO L OOMRA BAHADOOR; to the Right Honorable LORD GEORGE HARRIS, Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated 9th July 1857.

MY LORD,

1. With sentiments of respect and submission I have the honor to lay before your Lordship in Council the following circumstances of my case in the hope of meriting that consideration and justice, which have always characterised your Lordship's Government.

2. That Madar ool Oomar Bahadoor the 1st Dewan and Madar ool Moham and myself the 2nd Dewan and Madar ool Moham of His Highness the late Nabob of the Carnatic performed our duties in concert with one another as directed by His Highness, and during the departure of the 1st Dewan to Mecca I conducted his duties also to the entire satisfaction of the Nabob and the approbation of the Officers of the Durbar

3. That on the 12th January last, I addressed a letter to the Government Agent at Chepauk, stating my circumstances and requesting he would kindly submit them to your Lordship in Council, which the 1st Dewan forwarded in his letter to him Certifying as to the correctness of my statement, copies of these letters marked A. and B. are herewith transmitted for your Lordship's information together with the copy of the Government Agent's reply marked C.

4. I have been allowed one-third of my allowance as a Pension from Government, and as this appears to have been done under some misconception of my Rank and Services, I deem it necessary to bring my case to the notice of your Lordship in Council, that it may merit the same consideration, which other Pensioners have received, whose Rank and Services, though less important and distinguished, have obtained for them a full Pension equal to the allowance they received from the late Nabob of the Carnatic.

5. I nevertheless feel thankful for what I receive, and if this is less than what the merits of my situation and Services deserve, I know it is no fault of your Lordship's Government, feeling assured that it only needs a representation on my part to experience that justice which the circumstances of my case may demand.

Istly. Referring to the arguments advanced in the enclosure marked A. and also to the fact that in common with Madar ool Oomrah Bahadoor, I was publicly honored by the late Nabob with title of *Oomra* and with permission to use the *Musnud* and *Shamiyanah* which are the highest marks of honor and distinction in all the Mohomadan Sovereignities and which were conferred only upon me and Madar ool Oomra Bahadoor, and none of the other Chief Officers of the Sircar who were not considered by the late Nabob to deserve those honors; I occupy a position which places me on a level with Madar, ool Oomra Bahadoor and higher than all other Chief Officers of the Durbar which fact will be acknowledged by the Servants of the Sircar as well as by the principal members of the Nabob's family and all the respectable Inhabitants of the City.

2ndly. I also beg to submit that I was not only a Civil but also a Military Chief Officer of the Sircar and for this very reason was in the enjoyment of Military honors in the same manner as

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Madar ool Oomra Bahadoor and the Head Bukshee and consequently higher than all the Chief Officers of the Sircar Madar ool Oomrah Bahadoor excepted with whom I was placed on equality. While such is the case I feel extremely grieved to find that in the Military Department of the Sircar besides the Head Bukshee, the Bukshee Salar ool Moolk Bahadoor who was entirely under the control of the former as is evident from the full respective appellation, viz., the "Head Bukshee and the Bukshee" has been allowed as Pension their allowance Rupees 400 per mensem received by him from Sircar, and in the Dewanee Department I, the 2nd Dewan, who am equal to the 1st Dewan (the terms 1st and 2nd being only for the sake distinguishing the one from other) have not been favored with my full allowance which circumstance has placed me far below those Officers, to whom I have so long been held Superior in Rank, by being classed below them for a Pension, thus depreciating the honors conferred on me by the late Nabob, and lowering me in the estimation of the Servants of the Durbar, who with reference to my Rank had, equally with myself expected I should enjoy with the other Officers a full Pension to the extent of my allowance.

6. While laboring under such painful emotions from the state of my present degraded situation occasioned by the disregard shewn to my Rank and dignity in the service of the late Nabob, I look with humble confidence to your Lordship in Council for that relief as will restore me to my proper position in life and as in the instance of the other Chief Officers place me in the same List of Pensioners who are receiving the bounty of Government to the full extent of their past allowance the Sircar and the entire enjoyment of that estimation they were previously held in the Durbar.

(Signed) RESOOL OOMRA BAHADOOR,

A.

COPY.

From RESOOL OOMRA BAHADOOR; to E. G. BALFOUR, Esq., Government Agent at Chepauk, dated 12th January 1857.

SIR,

From your philanthropic disposition, I feel assured that you will kindly recommend to Government all the Servants of His Highness, the late Nabob of the Carnatic and provide for them according to their merits.

I regret I have very seldom had the honor of an interview with you, but still in consideration of the kind attention showed by you since a long time to my father, for which we feel much indebted to you. I entertain a firm hope that you will in the present opportunity be pleased to bring my right to a full Pension, which is substantiated by the following observations, to the favorable notice and kind consideration of Government.

Although you are aware of my rank and dignity, yet I take the liberty to represent it to you in all its particulars.

I am the 2nd Dewan and Madar ool Moham of the Durbar, and there is no principal Officer in the Durbar more entitled than me to succeed Madar ool Oomra Bahadoor the 1st Dewan and Madar ool Moham of the Durbar, and it was for this very reason that when the latter had proceeded to Mecca, I conducted his duties also until his return, as will appear by the then Correspondence between the Sircar and the Agency. Besides on perusing the Commission Documents granted to the principal Officers of the Durbar, it will be distinctly observed that my position is next to Madar ool Oomra Bahadoor and higher than any other principal Officer of the Durbar.

I also transact the duties of the Revenue Department of the Sircar, this is not my original Office, but after the death of Auzum ool Oomra Bahadoor the Head of the Revenue Department His late Highness connected that Office as formerly with the Dewanee Department and armed Madar ool Oomra Bahadoor and myself conduct its duties, but the said Bahadoor requested me to perform the duties myself in order that he may be saved that trouble. I accordingly perform it and communicate every matter to him.

Under these circumstances I most respectfully solicit that in recommending Madar ool Oomra Bahadoor to Government for a full Pension, you also be pleased to bring to the notice of Government my relative Rank and position, which I am confident, will assure you, who are of a just and

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impartial disposition that I am equally entitled with the Bahadoor more deserving than the other principal Officers of the Durbar, and that you will kindly recommend me also for a full Pension. Begging the obligation of a kind and favorable reply.

(Signed) رذیس الامرا

B.
COPY.

From MADAR OOL OOMRA, Dewan of the Dubar; to E. G. BALFOUR, Esq., Government Agent at Chepauk, dated 13th January 1857.

SIR,

I beg to enclose a letter to your address from Rascool Oomra Bahadoor 2nd Dewan of the Durbar, and to state that the statements therein contained are all true.

(Signed) مدار الامرا

C.
COPY.

From EDWARD BALFOUR, Government Agent; to MADAR OOL OOMRA, BAHADOOR, Dewan of the Dubar, dated 20th January 1857.

SIR,

I have the honor to mention in reply to your letter of the 13th Instant, circumstances relating to Raees ool Oomra Bahadoor, his Father and Brother, were reported to Government prior to receipt of your communication in which there do not seem to me any facts of which I was not fully aware.

(Signed) EDWARD BALFOUR,
Government Agent.

No. 30.

ORDER THEREON, No. 563; dated 20th July 1857.

The position of these two Memorialists, Munshi Ool Moolk Dubeer Ood Dowlah Bahadoor, and T. Raeesool Omrah Bahadoor, as Chief Officers of the Nawab's Establishments, has been recognised by the Chepauk Agent, who has entered their names in List No. 2. In accordance therefore with the orders of the Hon'ble Court of Directors in their Despatch of 19th March 1856, No. 15, and with the instructions of the Government of India in the letters, dated 8th and 17th September 1856, the Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council directs that their full Salaries are to be continued to them as life Pensions.

2. In passing this order the Government do not perceive any sufficient reason why Officers who held such high and honorable employments under the Nawaub should have been placed in an inferior position to several in List, No. 2, who were recommended for full Pensions. In as far also as the Agent made a limited recommendation in behalf of these two Officers on account of the reputed wealth of their family, he has misunderstood the object and intention of the orders passed by the Court of Directors and the Supreme Government. It was determined by those Authorities that the Chief Officers of the Nabob's Household were to continue in enjoyment of their Salaries, so that they might not be personally affected by the cessation of the Nawaubship, their private means were not therefore to be taken into consideration.

3. The Agent is requested to send to Government the details of the 11 Servants who, he states, were recognised as Principal Officers in 1801 and received Salaries amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 2,876-10-8.

Encl. J. A. Wilson.

For Order

- In this letter the Chepauk Agent reports on the appeals made by 1st Dubeer ood Dowlah Bahadur 2nd Raeesool Omrah Bahadur against their being assigned pensions of one third only of their salaries, although they were Chief Officers of the Nawaub.

- These two persons are entered in the List of Chief Officers (No 2) prepared by the Agent - but have only been recommended for one third pensions - though

- the Court of Directors have ordered that the salaries of the principal Officers be to be continued for life - & the Supreme Govt have done the same

- In the Govt General instructions about the Tanjore family in the 1st page "The salaries of the Chief Officers of the Rajahs should be continued to them also as life pensions" Letter from the Secy to the Govt of 8 Sept 1856 P. 17, and in

his subsequent letter of 17 Sept 1856 P. 10 these rules are declared applicable to the household retainers & servants of the Carnatic family.

- After therefore their position of Chief Officers has been acknowledged by the Agent & he has placed them in List No 2, I do not see how their claim to full salary as a life pension is to be disallowed.

- But even if the Agent had possessed a discretionary power of recommending Chief Officers for full, half or one third pension his arrangement regarding these two servants seems open to much exception.

- The first, as Moosheeool Mooth & Palshah Babshah is an officer of the ~~very high~~ high rank, & the honours which he received from the Nawabs corroborate this fact.

- The second (brother of the first) was ^{also} 2nd Dewan of the Durbar, & enjoyed high title & honours.

- Both are superior in claim & rank to many who are entered in List 2 for full pension.

It is to be observed that their father Dool Mooth Babshah was Secretary to the Durbar & is entered in List 2 for a full pension.

This circumstance & the reputed wealth of the family are mentioned by the Agent as reasons for giving part pensions only to the sons, the 2 present appellants. But this appears to me a serious error.

- Orders were given by Govt. from notices both of justice ^{of public} & policy, that the Chief Officers were not to lose their salaries by the cessation of the Nawabship.

But here this has been done, & the discontent caused by it is increased by a sense of degradation at being virtually placed in a lower class than other officers of lower position & consideration to whom full pensions have been assigned.

The family to which these appellants belong is of the highest respectability.

- List No 2 accompanied the voluminous report of the Agent on the Nawab's Establishment dated 24 Dec last, &

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dated 20th July 1857
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it was generally approved of in E. & C
dated 19 March /57 No 12 - but I presume
that Govt will see no difficulty in correcting
mistakes in its preparation.

15 July 1857. The

I quote again - in these remarks -

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The Commission in India has been
convinced that the late Nawab's brought before
Govt. is very satisfactory & satisfactory.

Despite the feeling of amargam & discontent
among these people is very general & judging
from the cases wh. have lately come before Govt.
not without good reason.

Nothing is more in evidence as in disposing of
the cases but the Agent's opinion. in which I
must be confident.

On what principle have these officers been
placed in the 2nd list & not in the first?

I believe by para 5 of the Act of Racial Honor
that he ^{claims to be} superior to the principal officers except
the Dewan himself & the accuracy of this statement is
certified by the Dewan himself on the 13th Jan 2nd 1857
P.H. A. for wh. the Agent has been in App B

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from without the addition of mouth & hand
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The Govt should know that
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Copy to the Govt. Agent - Dispt 25th Mar 1801 & received salaries
Para 1. Civil Auditor } Dispt 27th to No 2076-10 & -
do Act: Genl

Under Sec 21 and
Political Army aspects

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Extracts from the

8/20 July 1857.

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