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Government of Madras.

Political DEPARTMENT.

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No. 7. From Brigadier A. S. LOGAN, Commanding Vellore ; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Vellore, Stipend Pay Office, 4th November 1857, No. 225.

SIR,

No. 1. I have the honor to enclose a Petition addressed to me by Coolsumee Bee, Widow of the late Goolam Mahomed, a Two Lac Fund Pensioner, praying that a Pension may be obtained for her, for the support of herself and children.

The Petitioner's late husband Goolam Mahomed, (whose death was reported by me to the Civil Auditor on the 29th July last) received during his life a Pension of 10 Rupees per month, sanctioned by the Government of India under date the 3rd April 1843, and as the deceased has left a family consisting of a Widow and 6 Children (the eldest being 15 years of age and the youngest 14 months) in a state of utter destitution, I beg to bring their case to the favorable consideration of Government, and to recommend that a moiety, or Rupees 5 of the Pension enjoyed by the deceased, may be continued for the support of his family, in the name of the Petitioner Coolsumee Bee, from the date of her husband's demise, viz., 27th July 1857.

(Signed) A. LOGAN, Brigadier,
Commanding Vellore.

To Brigadier A. S. LOGAN, Commanding Vellore, dated 25th August 1857.

The humble Petition of Coolsumbee, Widow of the late Goolam Mahomed, a Pensioner in the Establishment of Maul :—in Vellore.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That your Petitioner's late husband Goolam Mahomed, was receiving a Pension of 10 Rupees per month about twenty years, latterly he died in the month of July last, the above deceased has left a poor Widow with 8 Children quite destitute without any aid, your poor Petitioner and Children suffering very great distress, perishing for want of food, and moreover your poor Petitioner has no one to look up to support.

Consequently your poor Petitioner humbly solicits your kind favor and will pity her unfortunate case and be pleased to recommend your Petitioner's case to the Government and that your Petitioner and Children may obtain a monthly remittance for their support.

In doing this act of charity as in duty bound.

Shall ever pray,

The mark + of COOLSUMBEE,

*Widow of the late Goolam Mahomed,
Maul Pensioner of Vellore.*

No. 8. Resolved to despatch the following letter to the Government of India.

Fort Saint George, Political Consultation, 1st December 1857.

No. 9. From T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George; to the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, dated Fort Saint George, the 15th November 1857, No. 998.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward copy of a letter, No. 225, dated 4th Instant, from the Officer Commanding Vellore. The Governor in Council directs me to state that he desires to commend the case of Coolsumee Bee therein adverted to the favorable consideration of the Supreme Government.

2. Coolsumee Bee's late husband, Gholam Mahomed, was the grandson of one Saram Beebee, who was nurse to one of the late Princes of Mysore, and one of the original Stipendiaries under the "Two lac Pagodas Fund" established by the Treaty of 1799. At her death

* Vide Mr. Secy. Thomason's letter to General Cubbon, No. 528, dated 3rd April 1843. in 1843, the Government of India * passed a portion of her Pension to her grandson, who

has now demised, leaving a widow and six young children. The Governor in Council trusts that a moiety of his Stipend, or Rupees 5 per mensem, may be continued to the widow, who is in a state of absolute destitution.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

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Kind be following letter } here entered No 225
the Officer Comd Vellore }
D/ 4. 12. 57.

Gholam Mahomed.
died July 57.

[Signature]

Princ. of Mysore recommends the
continuance to the family of a
Pension on the Two lac
Fund, as a moiety of the stipend
enjoyed by the deceased. on 1825.
2. The Govt are unable to refer his
case to the favorable notice of the
Govt of India. They observe that the
deceased was not connected with
the Mysore family, otherwise than
as being the grandson of the nurse
of one of the Royal Princes.

D.H. 13/11.57.

[Signature]

Entered in book of 1857

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Resolved that the accomp^d
letter be dispatched to the fort
of India & copy of it furnished
to Col Logan in reference to him

For 15 days
25 Nov 1857

Com^d of the fort
Office Com^d of the fort

Chief Commanding
to Mr. Chief Secretary
to Government
of the North West
Provinces
Dated 14 December 1857

(No 225)

No 225

Enclosed a petition
addressed to him by
the same Mrs. Wilson
of the State of New York
and a two day stand
petition and is accompanied
a history of the history of the
late husband's petition
may be presented to her
for the support of herself
and children

10 Dec 1857

Wm. A. B. B.

Adm'd 13 Jan 1858

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Oct 12th 1857

Pol: Secy

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Emg. Secy

Read the following letters } here enters No 225
from the officer Comm^d Vellore } of 4th Nov/57.

Sir

Resolved to despatch the
following letter to the Govt of India -

No 225
To the Secy. Govt India. Foreign Dept.

Sir. I have the honor to forward
copy of a letter No 225 of 14th inst
from the officer Comm^d Vellore. The
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desires to commend the case of Cool.
- surname Bee herein adverted to, to the
favorable consideration of the Supreme
Govt.

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the Treaty of 1799. At her death in
1843, the Govt of India paid a portion
of her pension to her grandson, who has
now deceased leaving a widow & six
young children. The G. in C trusts that
a moiety of his stipend, or Rs 5 per
month, may be continued to the widow,
who is in a state of absolute destitution.

vide
Mr Secy. Thomason's
letter to Genl Cotton.

No 528
of 3rd April/57.

To the Secy. -
25 November 1857.

J. M. 24/11/57

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W. H. L. to 1857
12-13 of 1857 Decr 1857

To
Messrs. Geo. H. &
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