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# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

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## Government of Madras.

Political DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 374 Press ~~Mis.~~

Dated 9-6- ~~1[illegible]~~ 1858

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No. 6. From Surgeon E. G. BALFOUR, Government Agent at Chepauk; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 18th May 1858, No. 904 of G. A.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter, No. 536 of 5th March last, I have the honor to transmit, for submission to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, (4) Four Lists as per margin,* containing on the whole the names of 257 individuals. Of the Lists now sent, Parts III and IV of Progressive List No. 28, are drawn up in accordance with the orders as per margin.† The principle of reckoning Hereditary Service has transferred the people therein recorded from the Gratuity Lists and from the one-third rates of Pension Lists to Pensions of one-third and one-half rates. The number from Gratuity Lists being 156 and from a one-third rate to one-half being 34.

*Progressive List 28, Part III.
„ „ „ „ IV.
„ „ 38
„ „ 39

†Ex. Mins. of Cons. 29th Jan. 1857, No. 100, para: 4.
„ 24th Mar. „ „ 244, „ 12.
„ 23rd July „ „ 867, „ 4 & 5.
„ 18th Novr. „ „ 975.

2. Progressive Lists, Nos. 38 and 39, also include the names of 67 men with Hereditary Services, but consist of cases where the intermission of Service from the demise or discharge of their Ancestors is greater than 5 years and less than 20, and their cases agreeably to Para: 5 of Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 975 of the 18th November 1857, are now referred for the orders of Government. The number of this class now sent with intervals greater than 5 and less than 20 years is 67, but up to 16th March 1858, the date when Petitions ceased to be received, there had been received from this class 80 Petitions for Pensions for Hereditary Services.

3. The number of additional applications for Hereditary Service Pension of all kinds from date of my last letter, *viz.* 9th February last, to the 17th March 1858 inclusive, were 246, and there still remain about 80 claims, regarding the accuracy of which the Sircar Record Officers have not yet been able to furnish proof or disproof. The great bulk of them however will also very shortly be disposed of.

4. Should the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanction the Lists now forwarded, the Stipends of the Ex-Servants who are already in receipt of a one-third rate of Pension, in order to prevent confusion, will be reported as lapses to the Civil Auditor, the sums now recorded in the Lists here submitted be treated as new Pensions and new numbers of Stipend Receipts will be issued for the rates now submitted.

5. In Progressive List, No. 38, is the name of the other individual as per margin,* of the two alluded to in para 4: of my letter, dated 5th March 1858, and mentioned in para: 5 of my letter, No. 142 of 30th May 1857. This individual from the very first until the order for Hereditary Service was issued was violent. It was he who martialed the men at the Agency door using words of Military Command as he formed them into two bands on each side of the door as reported on in my letter of 2nd May 1857, No. 114. I recommend he also be debarred from Pension or Gratuity as per Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 273 of 3rd April 1857.

| * The No. on the Petition in the Agency. | Name of the Petitioner and that of his father. &c. | Department and nature of Employ. | Intermission of service of Father and Petitioner. | Intermission of service of Grand-father and grand-son or Petitioner. | Whole period of personal and ancestral service. | Monthly Salary. | Rate of Pension already in receipt of. | | Rate of Pension claiming in right of personal and ancestral Service. | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | One third | One half. | One third | One half. | |
| | | | Y. M. D. | Y. M. D. | Y. M. D. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | |
| 1566 | Gholam Khader, son of Shaik Meean. | Buksheherry Lance Naigue, | 6-5-3 | 0 0 0 | 34-10-21 | 6 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 2 0 0 | 0 0 0 | Vide Gratuity List, No. 458. |

6. In deciding upon the cases now submitted where an interval had occurred in the Service, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council will observe that the intermission of Service varies up to the 20th year and that the claims of the individuals vary accordingly.

7. I have already appointed two days at an interval commanding the appearance before me of all persons named in the Four (4) Lists now sent, but even of those supposed to be at Madras the considerable number of 35 have not yet made their appearance. The total number of those who have not come forward is 102. With regard to them as usual the Stipend Receipts will not be issued until they appear and be identified.

8. Some of the parties here named for Pension have already received Gratuities, which however they have mostly volunteered to return, and the return will be accepted prior to issue of Pensions.

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No. 7. ORDER THEREON, No. 374; dated 9th June 1858.

The Agent submits with this letter, 4 Lists of Servants of the late Nawaub of the Carnatic, whose cases have been considered with reference to the instructions conveyed to him in Extract Minutes of Consultation, dated 18th November last, No. 975, for reckoning Ancestral Service in fixing the amount of their Pensions.



2. The first two Lists embrace those Servants of the Sircar, employed at Madras or attached to the Jaghires at the Out-stations, who have been admitted to Pension at the rates of one-third and one-half of their monthly Salaries according to the amount of their own and their Ancestors' Service, allowing Ancestral Service where the intermission does not exceed five years. There are several cases in which the Pension has been fixed at two Rupees per mensem as the minimum amount to be issued to the parties according to the principle already sanctioned in para: 4 of Extract Minutes of Consultation, dated 23rd March 1858, No. 198. The two Lists amount to Rupees 773-10-0 and Rupees* 281-6-0 per mensem respectively, and are accordingly sanctioned.

*Progressive List, No. 28, Nos. 1 & 2, Parts III & IV.*

* *Omitting fractional parts of an Anna in No.* 3787.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *No.* 1 ..... | *Rs.* | 773 | 10 | 0. |
| 2 ..... | „ | 281 | 6 | 0. |
| *Total Rupees* | | 1,055 | 0 | 0. |

3. The last two Lists contain the names of all those Servants of the Sircar in whose cases an intermission occurs of more than 5 and less than 20 years between personal and ancestral Service, and which are referred for the orders of Government, as directed in Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 18th November last. With every desire to act with liberality towards the late Nawaub's Servants, the Government are of opinion that it will be sufficient to allow the benefit of ancestral Service only in those cases where the break is not more or slightly above ten years, and they accordingly direct that with the exception of the individuals named in the margin, the rest be admitted to Pension at the rates entered in the Lists submitted by the Agent.

*No. 3, Progressive List, No. 38.*
„ *4, do.* „ *39.*

| | | *Interval between Personal and Ancestral Service.* | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *No.* 1866, | *Streenavassa Row,* | *Years* 18 | 5 | 29 |
| „ 204, | *Mahomed Ibraheem,* | „ 12 | 11 | 7 |
| „ 263, | *Mahomed Yacoob,* | „ 16 | 5 | 28 |
| „ 468, | *Gholam Khader,* | „ 11 | 1 | 12 |
| „ 531, | *Coopah Row,* | „ 15 | 2 | 13 |
| „ 570, | *A. Unnahjee Row,* | „ 18 | 4 | 11 |
| „ 633, | *Munnah Row,* | „ 17 | 6 | 24 |
| „ 636, | *Gholam Moortoozah,* | „ 14 | 5 | 29 |
| „ 834, | *Shaik Abdoolah,* | „ 17 | 11 | 0 |
| „ 895, | *Ahmud Saeed,* | „ 11 | 9 | 20 |
| „ 923, | *Nageb,* | „ 15 | 7 | 4 |
| „ 1087, | *Khader Hoossain,* | „ 19 | 5 | 0 |
| „ 1094, | *Gholam Mahomed,* | „ 13 | 11 | 1 |
| „ 1611, | *Shaik Ibraheem,* | „ 12 | 6 | 23 |
| „ 1637, | *Syed Kassim,* | „ 15 | 11 | 28 |
| „ 1757, | *Shaik Fareed,* | „ 19 | 9 | 0 |
| „ 1773, | *Gholam Mohoid Deen* | „ 12 | 7 | 1 |
| „ 1782, | *Mahomed Ghouse,* | „ 17 | 9 | 26 |
| „ 1786, | *Mahomed Oosman,* | „ 14 | 5 | 19 |
| „ 1986, | *Abdool Rahman,* | „ 17 | 0 | 29 |
| „ 2089, | *Meer Hyder Ally,* | „ 12 | 1 | 1 |
| „ 2806, | *Budrood Deen,* | „ 16 | 10 | 24 |
| „ 3144, | *Syed Ally,* | „ 14 | 2 | 0 |
| „ 3291, | *Chinnian,* | „ 12 | 0 | 0 |
| „ 3376, | *Syed Meer,* | „ 17 | 1 | 14 |
| „ 3637, | *Gungah Bishen,* | „ 13 | 8 | 0 |
| „ 2430, | *Abdool Khader,* | „ 14 | 2 | 2 |
| „ 905, | *Kunniah Laul,* | „ 18 | 1 | 10 |
| „ 906, | *Shaik Hyder,* | „ 15 | 3 | 19 |
| „ 2120, | *Mahomed Raza Baig* | „ 13 | 3 | 3 |
| „ 2526, | *Kishen Rao,* | „ 10 | 11 | 28 |
| „ 2552, | *Balmookund,* | „ 18 | 0 | 25 |
| „ 2564, | *Unnahsawmy Pillay,* | „ 18 | 0 | 1 |

4. Under the circumstances brought to notice in para: 5 of the Agent's letter, the Government resolve to mark their displeasure at the conduct of Gholam Khader, by directing that he be debarred from any Pension or Gratuity, as recommended by the Agent.

*Eighty (80) applications.*

It appears from para: 3, that there are still several claims to hereditary Service Pension remaining to be disposed of by the Agent. Dr. Balfour will expedite the investigation of these cases, and admit all such as come within the scope of the orders passed in para: 3 of these Proceedings without further reference to Government, including them at once in the Lists to be prepared for the Press.

6. The Government do not clearly comprehend the proposition submitted by the Agent in para: 4 of his letter. They are of opinion that the higher rate of Pension should commence from the date on which the lower rate become payable and if these latter have already been issued, the difference should be paid. Such an arrangement would be nothing but fair towards the parties whose claims have been admitted, and the Government can see no difficulty in carrying it out. The same course should be adopted in all cases in which similar alterations in the rates of Pension have been effected, the Gratuities paid being recovered on the issue of Pensions from the arrears to be disbursed to the parties, whenever such may be practicable, otherwise the difference must be refunded by them prior to the issue of Pension, where such can be done without bearing hardly on the parties, and, when it cannot, must be recovered gradually and by moderate instalments from their Pensions.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
*Chief Secretary.*

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

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No 374

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date 9th June 1858.

Read the following
Letter from the Govt Agent
at Chepauk.

(Dated 18th May 1858 No 904)

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| | Name | Period of Service | Interval between personal and ancestral Service |
|---|---|---|---|
| No 866 | Sheranwaddi Row | 5-2 | 19 years, and the |
| " 364 | Mahomed Shafeen | 12-11-7 | |
| " 263 | Mahomed Yacoob | 16-5-28 | |
| " 468 | Gholam Khader | 11-1-12 | |
| " 531 | Goopal Row | 15-2-15 | |
| " 570 | Parvathee Row | 18-1-11 | |
| " 683 | Mundal Row | 17-0-14 | |
| " 636 | Gholam Hontoogh | 14-5-29 | |
| " 834 | Shaik Abdoolah | 17-11- | |
| " 895 | Mahomed Saeed | 11-9-20 | |
| " 923 | Nagel | 15-7-4 | |
| " 1087 | Khader Hossain | 19-5- | |
| " 1514 | Gholam Mahomed | 13-11-1 | |
| " 1611 | Shaik Sheykoom | 12-6-23 | |
| " 1637 | Seyed Khadeem | 15-11-28 | |

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|---|---|---|---|
| No 1757 | Shaik Fayad | Rs. 19-9- | — |
| 1773 | Ghulam Mahomed Khan | — | 12-7-1 |
| 1824 | Mahomed Choosa | — | 14-9-26 |
| 1786 | Mahomed Usman | — | 11-5-19 |
| 1986 | Abdool Rahman | — | 17-0-29 |
| 2089 | Noor Hyder Ally | — | 13-11-1 |
| 2800 | Budrood Deen | — | 16-10-24 |
| 3144 | Syed Ally | — | 14-2-— |
| 3291 | Khyrulla | — | 12-—-— |
| 3376 | Syed Meer | — | 17-1-14 |
| 3634 | Gungal Bisker | — | 13-8-— |
| 2150 | Abdool Khader | — | 14-7-2 |
| 905 | Kunniah Saul | — | 18-1-10 |
| 906 | Shaik Hyder | — | 15-3-19 |
| 2120 | Mahomed Raza Beig | — | 13-2-3 |
| 2526 | Kistna Rao | — | 11-11-28 |
| 2552 | Abdoorkund | — | 18-—-25 |
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otherwise the difference shall
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to the issue of pensions,
what such can be done
without bearing hardly
on the parties — and
when it cannot must
be incurred gradually
and by moderate
instalments from the
Pension

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To the Govr Agent at Portland. with 4 Certificates } Dispd 9th
" Secretary General
" Civil Auditor } Dispd 15th "

Political Letter to Beng. 21st Sess. No. 22
of 1858.

Paras 22 & 23

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In Dl. to Govt. 15th June
Political 1858 Department

No 374.

Extract Mins: of Cons

19 June 58

Sanctioning with certain observations the Rolls of claims to annuities & service pensions submitted by the Chepauk Agent Govt. mark their displeasure at the Conduct of Gholam Ikhader by directing that he be debarred from any pensioner gratuity.

Fr. Dl. 19 Feb 58 No 35 Jud. 5783. 5788.
Fr. Govt. 4 May 58 No 1701

Fr. 20 Feb 58