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Fort Saint George, Political Consultation, 10th August 1858.

No. 15. From A. M. RITCHIE, Esq., Solicitor ; to the Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George, dated 24th July 1858.

SIR,

With reference to the Minutes of Consultation of Government, No. 229, dated the 31st March 1858, whereby Messrs : George and James Richardson were permitted to institute such proceedings against Her Highness the Nabob Khyr Oon Nissa Begum, for the recovery of the Premises known as " Pater's Garden," as they might be advised, I have the honor to state that the Messrs : Richardson acting under the permission therein granted did some time back commence an Action of Ejectment to recover possession of the said Premises, and that Her Highness Nabob Khyr Oon Nissa Begum, of her own act came in and defended the said Action as Land-lady or Owner of the said Premises, and that such proceedings were thereupon had in the said Suit, that on the 21st Instant, the Messrs : Richardson obtained a Judgment against the said Nabob Khyr Oon Nissa Begum under which they are now in a position to issue a Writ of possession for the recovery of the possession of the Premises and also a Writ against the person or property of Her Highness for the recovery of the Costs of the said Action, but are unable to issue any such Writ or Writs without the permission in writing signed by yourself as prescribed in Act 18 of 1857. I have therefore the honor to request that you will at your earliest convenience issue and forward to me the necessary Certificate to enable me to issue the said Writ of possession for the recovery of the said Premises, and the usual Writ, or Writs against the person and property of Her Highness for the recovery of the Taxed Costs of the said Action.

Forwarded to the Honorable Company's Solicitor.

FORT SAINT GEORGE, }
24th July 1858. }

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 16. From J. R. BOYSON, Esq., Honorable Company's Solicitor ; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 6th August 1858, No. 425.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the order of Government, noted in the margin.
Since it reached me, I have been in communication with the Government Agent at Chepauk and the Solicitor for the Messrs : Richardson and had reason to hope that an arrangement would have been made for Her Highness Khyr Oon Nissa Baigum, with her dependants and all the occupants of Pater's Gardens, vacating those Premises ; that the Messrs : Richardson would then have been able to take quiet possession of them, and that Government would have been saved the necessity of granting the permission applied for in Mr. Ritchie's letter of the 24th Ultimo. In this hope, however, I have been disappointed for although Khyr Oon Nissa Baigum, with all her dependants save one, a female, have left the Premises and have removed therefrom all property belonging to them, this female with a Child, and, I believe, some few Servants, are still in the Premises, and although requested by Khyr Oon Nissa Baigum to vacate them, declines to do so, or at all events has not in fact yet done so.
2. Under these circumstances, I beg to recommend that it be intimated to Khyr Oon Nissa Baigum, through the Government Agent at Chepauk, that unless such of her dependant as are now in the Premises, vacate them within 48 hours after such intimation reaches her, the Governor in Council will grant the permission for which Mr. Ritchie on behalf of the Messrs : Richardson has applied, and the parties in possession will be subjected to the annoyance and indignity of being forcibly turned out of the Premises by the Officers of the Sheriff.
3. I also beg to recommend that Khyr Oon Nissa Baigum be informed through the Government Agent at Chepauk, that unless she makes arrangements with Messrs : Richardson's

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Solicitor, for the payment of the Taxed Costs as between party and party of the Action of Ejectment which she lately defended and failed in, the Governor in Council will think it right to grant the Messrs: Richardson permission to issue process against the person and property of Her Highness for enforcing the payment of such Costs.

No. 17. ORDER THEREON, No. 500; dated 9th August 1858.

The Government resolve to forward copy of the foregoing letter to the Chepauk Agent, and desire that he will make the communication specified in para: 2 to Her Highness Khyr Oon Nissa Baigum.

2. With reference to para: 3, he will point to her the absolute necessity of an immediate settlement of the Bill of Costs to avoid having recourse to measures unsuited to her position and dignity.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Recd letter from Hon. Pitt-Rivers Esq - 24 July 1858
H.C. Secretary - 6 Aug - 1858

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Fort St George
9 August 1858
To the Govd Agent at Chepauk. D. P. 9. M.

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From The Hon^{ble} Compt^r Solicitor
V^{ia} the Chief Clerk to Gov^t

Dated 6th August

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Advise Government as to the
course they should pursue
with respect to Mr. Ritchie's
application for permission to
issue writs for the recovery of the
possession of Paters Garden and
of the estate incident thereto.

With an Order

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c. 7 Aug.
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