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Government of Madras.

Political DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 7—12—~~19~~1838

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No. 11. From Surgeon E. G. BALFOUR, Government Agent at Chepauk; to W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 24th November 1858, No. 1869 of G. A.

SIR,

I have the honor to enclose the reply, which His Highness Prince Azeem Jah Bahadoor, has sent to the communication which I addressed to His Highness, on receipt of Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 757, dated 17th November 1858.

His Highness Azeem Jah Bahadoor presents his best compliments to Edward Balfour, Esq., the Government Agent at Chepauk, and in acknowledging the receipt of his communications of the 18th and 20th Instant, His Highness requests that he will be pleased to mention to the Right Honorable the Governor of Madras in Council, that he declines to accept the offer therein contained. He, at the same time, regrets that he has not received the above communications accompanied by copies of the Minutes of Consultation, as usual.

His Highness further fully trusts that Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen will be graciously pleased to do him only justice by restoring him to his legal rights.

SHADY MAHAL,
23rd May 1858.

(Signed) عظیم جاہ

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, No. 817; dated 17th December 1858.

Resolved that the letter from His Highness Prince Azeem Jah, forwarded by the Government Agent, be communicated to the Secretary of State for India, in reference to the Despatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors, 7th July 1858, Political Department, No. 5, para: 6.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

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May be Recorded
as I have written

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For Orders.

The Govt Agent is right in desiring to give effect to the liberality of Govt in the most gracious manner.

I think he should be empowered to tell the Prince, in the event of his asking for arrears, that they will be given from the date of the Nawabs death.

I do not object to his accepting the above terms under protest. W.C.

I fully assent to the above. He must be left to his own discretion in this matter

Well —

I have written to Dr Balfour to the above effect. Nov 19. 1858 W H Sunday

c. 18 Nov.
to 19 —

Agency 18th Nov. 1858

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My dear Barlow,

It is possible that His Highness Prince Azeem Jah Bahadoor may accept all the Government Securities offered to him by G. of I. No 757 of 17th Inst.; No 226 dated 17th March 1857, Government said that His Highness shall not be allowed Arrears:— That order was a good order, — as one which Prince Azeem Jah is to take his allowance — but I understood Lord Harris, that if the Prince asked for Arrears, he ought not withhold them. I am still of the same opinion, which I submitted to Lord Harris

when One day Conversing on the
Subject, at Government House;—
that any present Orders forbid me to
Spend more than the One Month's Stipend
and the Allowance for the Arrears of
Rent either Respecting as per E. I. C.
14th March 1857 i. 82. refer the matter
to Government. and both of
these Causes how well be decided.
In order that the Matter may
be done graciously and prettily,
and I beseech therefore, ask the
favour of Orders beforehand.—
Also, it is the Custom
to Spend Money from date

of grant: therefore the ri-
Clear of half a Lac is due
due from 1st Nov 1848 to the date
of order. And if arrears be
allowed, I would recommend
the 1½ Lac from date of Nabob's
death. (He has already
Drawn at the Rate of Rs 48,000
per annum up to 31st Dec 1856).

I submit these points for
arrangement prior to any ap-
plication from Prince Azeem Jah-
The only other possible point
is,—that he may accede to
draw Rs 1½ Lac under protest

and through his Interpreter, I may
have undue interest, I have
title to have the wishes
Government Communicated
to me in this Report
Belong to
Your
Edwd. Balfour

Political Department

From the Government Agent at Chepauk
Dated 24th Novr. 1858
Recd. 1869.

For Orders.

There is nothing for it but
to leave the old Gentleman to
take his own course

Wll

No. 817.

Resolved that the letter from His Highness Azeem Jah forwarded by the Fort Agent & communicated to the Secretary of State for India & in reference to the Dispatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors 7 July 1858 Political Dept No 5 - Para 6 —

Fort St George
17 December 58.

Fort Agent Chepauk - Dispd 20th

JP

Jn. 82 to Cons. 21st Dec.

Old Li. to Engt. 21st Dec.
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POLITICAL 1858 DEPARTMENT.

From Surgeon E. G. BALFOUR,

Government Agent at Chepauk.

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre

&c *Chief Secretary to Government*

Fort St. George

Dated 24th November 1858

Received " 1858

No. 1869 of 1858

No 793 1 Enclosure

Encloses the reply which Sheik Hyder Peer Ahmed Azeem Jah Bahadoor has sent to communication addressed to him on the

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Witness

J.P.

the receipt of Extract Minutes of Consultation No 757 dated 17th November 1858.

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