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from 4th to 10th May 1859.*

No. 1. Read the following letter from T. J. KNOX, Esq., Acting Magistrate of Masulipatam ;
to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 7th
April 1859, No. 126.

1. I have the honor to enclose a letter from Nawab Nauza Muddowlah to the Honorable
the Governor in Council.

2. This native Gentleman solicits permission to visit Mecca and Cabilah, and to be absent
from Masulipatam for that purpose 5 years. He also prays he may be furnished with letters of
introduction to the different British Residents at places through which he must pass.

3. Due arrangements being made for the distribution of the allowances which he, as recog-
nized Head of the family hitherto, has distributed, and I presume the withholding of his own
portion, till a life Certificate has been received, I am not aware of any reason why he should not
be permitted to travel, and as the family quarrels have ceased, his absence, it may be hoped, will
not excite intrigues against him.

4. Regarding the letters of introduction I venture to remark, that credentials of this nature
he would greatly prize and no doubt find the advantage of, and I hope Government will be pleas-
ed to grant them as deserved by a native Gentleman of high rank for his public spirit and loyal
conduct, which I had the honor to report to Government during the disturbances in other parts
of India in 1857.

To His Excellency the Honorable Sir CHARLES EDWARD TREVELYAN, K. C. B.,
&c. &c. &c., Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated 5th April 1858.

The humble Petition of Nawaub NAZMUT
DOWLAH ROOSTUMJAH DAVOODAL-
LY KHAN BAHADAR, INTEZAM JUNG
of Masulipatam.

With utmost submission I beg leave to represent to your Excellency that owing to the loss
of my wife and child who departed this life some days ago through my misfortune, I am inclined
to perform a pilgrimage to Mecca and Carabala, and have consequently appointed Auzah Mo-
hommed Ismayel Saheb Sherazee a respectable Mohomedan Merchant of this place as my Agent
during my absence on the said pilgrimage in order to receive my monthly Allowance from the
Collector's Treasury at this place through my usual Sharoff Aulapautee Nagabhooshanum on my
receipts and, out of it, pay the fixed Stipends of my several dependents and the salaries
of my Servants (whom I may leave here for the management of my affairs and for taking care of
my houses, &c.) and remit the remaining amount to me for my expences as well to superintend the
management of my affairs as to act generally as my Agent at this place during my absence ;—I
shall at the time of my departing on the pilgrimage from this place, leave receipts under my sig-
nature in charge of my above named Agent to enable him to draw my allowance monthly through
my above named Sharoff during my absence.

I therefore very humbly beg to solicit that your Excellency will be graciously pleased to
grant me leave of absence for five years to enable me to perform the said pilgrimage and authorize
the Collector of Masulipatam to pay my monthly allowance during that period into the hands of
my usual Sharoff Aulapautee Nagabhooshanum whom I have instructed to draw and deliver the
same to my above named Agent during my absence for appropriation in the manner above men-
tioned.

I have been given to understand often from the persons who returned from the pilgrimage
to Mecca and Carabala that the road to the latter mentioned place through the Turkish and Per-
sian countries is infested with robbers and freebooters and many pilgrims in travelling through

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the said countries to go to Carabala, had been attacked and plundered by the robbers; I therefore respectfully entreat that your Excellency will also be pleased to order letters to be addressed to the Residents at Bushire, Bagdad and Zedda respectively in order that they may kindly afford me requisite assistance to keep me safe from the robbers while passing through the said countries. For which act of kindness, I as in duty bound shall ever pray.

No. 2.

ORDER THEREON, 4th May 1859, No. 276.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Nawaub Nazmut Dowlah Roostumjah Davoodally, Khan Bahadoor to visit Mecca and Cabilah, and to be absent for a period of five years for that purpose.

2. It should be explained to the above Stipendiary that as he intends to proceed to places situated beyond the limits of European intercourse and observation, he will be required to furnish an accurate Descriptive Roll of his person with a view to the Political Agents at Bagdad and Bussorah being supplied with copies of such Roll to admit of his appearing from time to time before one or other of those Officers or before one of their accredited Agents, to enable them to grant the requisite Certificates of existence to be furnished to the proper authorities for the payment of his portion of the stipend.

3. The Collector of Masulipatam is authorised to disburse to the Agent appointed by Nawaub Nazmut Dowlah the monthly allowance payable to him. His own portion will have to be supported by life Certificates which he must furnish periodically before it can be disbursed. The remainder will be at once paid to his family and dependants through his Agent according to the scale that has been sanctioned. The Collector will see that their allowances are not withheld in any case.

4. Nazmut Dowlah will be furnished with a passport on his supplying the information noted in the margin, and payment of the usual fee of one Rupee. He will also be granted letters of introduction to the Political Agents at Aden, Bushire, Bagdad, and Juddah, at the same time that the passport is issued to him.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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Exd. A. P. W. Begbie.

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