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Political DEPARTMENT.

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No. 7. From Suregon E. G. BALFOUR, Government Agent at Chepauk; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 20th January 1859, No. 129.

SIR,

I have the honor to report the demise on the 11th December 1858, of Carnatic Stipendiary, No. 1315, Koolsoom Begum, who under the orders, as per margin, was in receipt of Rupees 286 per mensem, as one of the immediate Family of 1855, the deceased having been a Nickah Daughter of His Highness the late Nabob Azeem Ood Dowlah Bahadoor.

Extract Minutes of Consultation, 19th January, No. 67 of 1857.

2. Deceased has left surviving one Son and one Daughter, both of them grown up, and the Son asks re-issue of the entire Pension of his Mother. These Children were both granted Pensions of their own, by Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 209 of 13th May 1847, and the Stipend of the Son is still current, but the Daughter accepted a Bonus in lieu of her Stipend, by Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 255 of 19th August 1856. The Son is still unmarried, but the Daughter has been married for some years to an employé in the Office of the Collector of Sea Customs, named Meer Ghuzumfur Alli, who is in receipt there of Rupees 35 per mensem.

3. In my letter, No. 2050, dated 21st December last, I had the honor to submit, for the decision of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, some points on which it would have been useful for the guidance of this Office, in this and future similar cases, to have had an expression of the views of Government, but the orders in Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 32 of 12th Instant, left the two points open for consideration.

4. Under these circumstances, I have the honor to recommend that the Stipend of Rs. 286 per mensem granted by Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 67 of 19th January 1857, be declared to have lapsed to the State from the 11th December 1858, the date of her demise.

5. I have also the honor to recommend that, taking into consideration the near relationship of this family to former Nabobs of the Carnatic, there be re-granted to the two surviving Children of the deceased, that moiety of her Stipend which is permitted to be granted by the orders of the Government of India of 8th September, No. 4644, 1856, para: 13, in reply to letter to Government of India, and No. 179 of 17th June 1856, para: 3, in the following proportions, *viz*:

	Shares.		
Son Mahomed Abdoor Rahman Khan Bahadoor.....	2,	Rupees	95-0-0
Daughter Neeyamut Oon Nissa Begum.....	1,	„	48-0-0.

6. Also, that the Stipend of the Son Mahomed Abdoor Rahman Khan Bahadoor of Rupees 11-4-10 granted by Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 209 of 13th May 1847, be continued to him and amalgamated with that now to be sanctioned.

7. The lady whose demise I am now reporting, is alluded to in para: 15 of Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 47, dated 15th January 1859, and Rupees 35 of House Rent being offered to her, on her vacating her present dwelling within the palace.

8. I have the honor to recommend the grant of the same amount to the surviving Son and Daughter, to be divided between the two, in the following proportions, *viz*.

Son.....	2 Shares,	Rupees	23
Daughter.....	1 „	„	12
		Rupees	35

9. All these recommendations have been made in the belief that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council will feel disposed to bestow on these near relations of the Carnatic family

as many benefits as the rules admit of, and if granted, and the portions of their future Stipends amalgamated, the Pensions of the Son and Daughter would be as under:

Abdoor Rahman Khan Bahadoor

2 Shares of Rupees 143, the moiety of his late mother, Rupees 95
2 „ of „ 35 of the House Rent of
His own 1847 Stipend of..... Do. Do. „ 23
„ 11-4-10

Total of Son's Stipend, Rupees 129-4-10:

Neeyamut Oon Nissa Begum

1 Share of the Rupees 143, the moiety of her Mothers, Rupees 48
1 „ „ „ „ 35, of House Rent..... „ 12

Rupees 60-0-0

No. 8.

ORDER THEREON, No. 87; dated 5th February 1859.

The Chepauk Agent reports the demise of Koolsom Begum, Nickah daughter of His Highness the Nawaub Azeem Ood Dowlah Bahadoor. She was a Carnatic Stipendiary of 1855 and in receipt of Rupees 286 per mensem as a Member of the immediate Family of the Nawaub of the Carnatic. An Allowance of 35 Rupees per mensem to the Begum for House Rent was recently sanctioned by Government, as a life grant, as recommended by the Agent, on her removing from the house which she had occupied, but she died a month before the Orders were passed.

Extract Minutes of Consultation, 15th January 1859, No. 47, para: 15.

Letter dated 14th July 1858, No. 1214, paras: 9 and 10.

2. The Agent recommends that a moiety of the lapsed Stipend be continued to the two surviving children of the deceased in the following proportions:

Mahomed Abdoor Rahman Khan Bahadoor, (Son,) Rupees 95-0-0 per mensem
Neeyamut Oon Nissa Begum, (Daughter,)..... „ 48-0-0 „

and also the grant to them of the Allowance for House Rent above referred to in the proportions of Rupees 23 and Rupees 12 respectively, the Son being allowed to retain in addition the Stipend of Rupees 11-4-10 per mensem granted to him in 1847.

Extract Minutes of Consultation, 13th May 1847, No. 209.

3. Looking to the connection of the family with a former Nawaub, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise one half the Stipend of the deceased Begum, or Rupees (143) one hundred and forty-three per mensem being continued from the date of her demise to her Son and Daughter above mentioned in the proportions recommended by the Agent, the Pension which the Son already receives being amalgated, as proposed, with the Stipend now sanctioned, making his total receipt Rupees 106-4-10 per mensem. But the Government can see no reason for continuing to these children the House Rent sanctioned for their mother, which she never received and which was expressly recommended by the Agent as a *life* grant.

| *Stipend granted in* 1847, *Rupees* 11-4-10
| *Do. now sanctioned,* „ 95-0-0
| *Total Rupees* 106-4-10

4. It should be most distinctly explained to the parties that the Pensions now granted are for life only and will, under no circumstances, be continued wholly or in part on lapse.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Pol. Dept.

No. 87

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Under date 5th February 1859.

Read the following letter from the Govt. Agent, Chepauk.

(Dated 30th January 1859.)

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Neeyamut-oon Nissa Begum (Daughter) — " 48 —

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a/c new Sanctioned — 95 — "
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Political Letter to Engt
20th May No 15 of 1859

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Recd. Minutes

8th February 59.

Referred to Chief Secretary

Political Letter from India
No 8 Dated 20th July 59

Pol. Dept. to Engt. 15th Sept.
No 12 of 1859

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Sanctioning one half the Stipend of the late Khal. Soora Begum Nikah daughter of the Nabob of Bengal and Dowlah Bahadoor Rupees 143 per Mensem being continued from the date of her demise to her two maidenly sisters in the proportions recommended to the Chief Bank agent the funds on which the sum also already accrues being amalgamated

amalgamated with the Stipend now sanctioned for adherent Government as no reason for continuing to these children the House rent claimed for their mothers

and will render no orders thereon to be continued wholly or in part on before.

To the Govt. Agent at Chittagong.
Assistant Adjutant General
Civil Auditor.

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