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Government of Madras.

Political DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 323 Press ~~Mis.~~

Dated 19— 5. ~~19~~ 1860

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Read again Petition from Kasava Doss, Draftsman under His Highness the late Nawab of the Carnatic, dated 18th April last, and recorded in Proceedings of the 8th Instant.

No. 38. Read the following letter from Surgeon E. G. BALFOUR, Government Agent at Chepauk, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 12th May 1860, No. 548.

I have the honor, as desired in Proceedings No 300 of 8th Instant, to report on the case of Kasava Doss.

2. The records of the Department, Mir Samani-i-Huzur (the Commissariat of the household) of the Nabob of the Carnatic show that he was first entertained 1st Suffur 1258, (14th March 1842,) on Rupees 24½ per mensem, and re-discharged 25th Mohurrum 1266, (1st December 1849,) when on same pay. After this, the first re-mention of his name is on 13th June 1855, when a present of Rupees 20 is entered against his name, and again on 5th July 1855, Rupees 200, this was for Job-work done by him to the Nabob.

3. He was subsequently *re-enlisted* in the Department Dust-i-Khas, or Nabob's own servants, on the 10th September 1855, on Rupees 35 per mensem, as a painter connected with the late Nabob's Circus, and was re-discharged on the 31st October 1855 or 24 days after Nabob's demise, and discharged because this was an unnecessary expense connected with the Circus, and the current expenses being in excess of the monthly income of Rupees 70,000.

4. His total service, therefore, with an interval of nearly 5 years, was only 7 years, 10 months and 7 days. By the rules, which require 25 years and 35 years' service, he is not entitled to any rate of pension, but only to a gratuity. On 12th December last, he received his regulated gratuity, 6 months pay, *viz.*, Rupees 210, and copy of his receipt is here enclosed.

5. He presented three petitions in 1859, on 16th July, and 1st and 28th August; and, on the July petition, was given the endorsement as per margin.* On his petition of 1st August, that he was a diseased man, he was ordered to produce a Medical Certificate, which, however, stated merely impaired vision.

* *No.* 3667 *of* 1859. *The petitioner is not entitled to pension, but his name is down for* 6 *months' gratuity.*

6. In his Memorial, he states that it is not for his services under the Nabob of the Carnatic that he seeks pension, but for the combined duties he has performed there, and in the service of the British Government, of which latter this Office has no record.

No. 39. ORDER THEREON, 19th May 1860, No. 323.

Ordered that the Memorial submitted by Kasava Doss and the Chepauk Agent's report upon it, be forwarded to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, with the remark that the Memorialist having received a gratuity for the short term of his service under the late Nawab of the Carnatic, can have no further claim on the bounty of Government; and that his claim to a pension for his joint services under the East India Company and the late Nawab is inadmissible. It is observed also that the office he last held in the Collector's Cutcherry at Nellore was conferred on his son, at his request, on resigning the service.

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2. The Government are obliged to Kasava Doss for his present of the picture and cane but do not require them. They will therefore be returned to him.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

Political Department

Proceedings of the Madras Government.

Read again Petition, from Kasaba Doss, Draftsman under H.H. the late Nawab of the Carnatic, dated 18th April last & recorded in Proceedings of the 8th Instant.

Read the following Report from the Govt Agent at Chepauk.

(Dated 12th May, 1860. No 548)

Order thereon. 17th May 1860. No 323.

Ordered that the Memorial submitted by Kasava Doss and the Chepauk Agent's report upon it, be forwarded to the Right Honble the Secy. of State for India, with the remark that the Memorialist having received a gratuity for

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for the short term of his service under the late Nawab of the Carnatic, can have no further claim on the bounty of Govt: and that his claim to a pension for his joint services under the East India Company and the late Nawab is totally, inadmissible, as he appears to have relinquished Govt employment many years ago, and to have been afterwards entertained on the Nawab's Establishment. and the period of his services under that Govt and the circumstances under which he relinquished it are not stated.

2. He first applied to Kasmir Dom for his pension of Rs picture & came but do not remember

Kasmir Dom } 30th Jan 36
with picture & cancelled

to be given again if still alive and with pension recommended } 25th Sept 36

Rem. They will have -pro to be returned to him.

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14 April, 1841.

He is observed also that the office he last held in the Collector's Cutchery at Bellary was confirmed on his dismissal at his request, on resigning the Service.

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Directing that the
Memorial and Petition
Kasiram Doss for a Pension
and the Statement
against, after submit
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they are not required.

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