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17th September 1860.

No. 51. Read the following letter from Surgeon Major E. G. BALFOUR, Government Agent at Chepauk, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 5th September 1860, No. 1,152.

I have the honor to mention that Piari Khanum, to whom correspondences, as per margin* relates, continues to appear at the Agency, claiming support.

* 1857 7th October E. M. C., No. 859.
" 27th " G. A., " 277.
" 7th November E. M. C., " 951.

2. Paragraph 4 of my letter, No. 277 of 1857, correctly described her case and that of the entertainment of Mahomed Ibraheem under condition of giving her support. Her son's stipend of Rupees 3-8-0 per mensem there alluded to, is still current and will be so till 31st July next; and I do not think any orders as to his mother are necessary.

3. The position of Mahomed Ibraheem, however, has become greatly altered since that report. If the Honorable the Governor in Council would refer to the last name of page 3 of Order of Government, No. 152 of 17th March last, it will be observed

Number.†	Name.	Occupation.	Salary in receipt of.	Date on which service commenced.	Total Service.	Age in 1856.	Amount of pension proposed.	Reasons for recommending.
26	Mahomed Ibrahim, son of Laul Mahomed.	Havildar.	8-8-0	3rd April 1855.	1-5-4	47	4-4	Incapacitated by being of a dropsical constitution and incipient Elephantiasis.

as per margin,† that this individual has been pensioned as a diseased man of the Nabob's servants, on a stipend of Rupees 4-4-0 per mensem. I think that the recommendation made from this Office on his behalf was so under a misapprehension of his position as regards the Government.

4. In paragraph 8 of my letter, No. 277 of 1857, I had already mentioned that Mahomed Ibraheem was in possession of a pension from Government, having been pensioned from the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard. I there stated his pension at Rupees 7 per mensem, but I was misinformed on this point, his pension being Rupees 8-12 per mensem as No. 3,082, pensioned Naigue. He states that he was pensioned about 14 or 15 years ago for swelling in the left arm, which does present the appearance of incipient Elephantiasis as stated in Assistant Surgeon Duff's medical certificate. But having 14 or 15 years ago, been removed from the effective strength of the Madras Army on account of sickness; having been entertained in the Nabob's service only on the 21st April 1855, not six months prior to the Nabob's demise, I do not think that he ought to have been recommended for a second pension from Government on account of an ailment for which he was pensioned from the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard 15 years ago.

5. I beg the favor of your obtaining the Orders of the Honorable the Governor in Council on this point.

No. 52. ORDER THEREON, 17th September 1860, No. 555.

The Agent will inform Piari Khanum that her application for a separate provision cannot be complied with, and that she must look to her family for support.

2. Under the circumstances now explained, it appears that the pension of Rupees 4-4-0 sanctioned under date the 17th March last, No. 152, should not have been granted to Mahomed Ibraheem, he having served the Nawab but a very short time, and not being destitute as he is in receipt of a pension of Rupees 8-12-0 per mensem from Government. The Government resolve accordingly to cancel the pension of Rupees 4-4-0 per mensem, last granted to him.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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plication for a separate provision
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that she must look to her fami-
ly for support.

Under the circumstan-
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that the pension of Mrs. B. is dan-
gerous under date the 17th March
last. It should be paid by
the 1st of March. It is
being denied to her at a
very short time, and not being
settled as he is in receipt
of a pension of \$12.00 per month
from

from God. The God resolve con-
-sistently to demand the pension
of the last pensioner last
year him.

J. J.

J. J. Agent at Ch. Paul.
The General
Civil Auditor.

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