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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Political DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 176 Press Mis.

Dated 4 – 4 – 1861

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Political Department, 4th April 1861.

No. 1. Read the following letter from W. T. BLAIR, Esq., Sub-Collector of North Arcot in charge of Stipend Pay Office, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Vellore, 4th March 1861, No. 43.

Paragraph 1. With reference to the Proceedings of the Madras Government and the Order passed thereon, dated 28th February 1861, No. 131, paragraph 1, I have the honor to state that money allowances to the extent reported in my letter to your address of the 19th ultimo, No. 35, were sanctioned by Government for the Tomb of Bukshee Begum in accordance with the recommendation of the Committee assembled at Vellore in 1834. This fact appears to have been omitted to be mentioned in the letter of the Officer Commanding Vellore, dated 3rd July 1855, No. 100.

2. With respect to Moonavur Begum's own allowances alluded to in para. 3 of the Order, I have the honor to state that agreeably to paragraph 13 of Exrtact from the Minutes of Consultation under date 31st October 1834, No. 204, they will be continued for one year after her demise for the performance of her Fatiahs.

No. 2. ORDER THEREON, 4th April 1861, No. 176.

Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 31st October 1834, *No.* 204.

The Government cannot discover from the Orders passed on the Committee's report in 1834, that any allowances were sanctioned for the Tomb of Bukshee Begum. But even if a money grant was then authorized for the purpose, it is time now that it should cease altogether under the Orders of the late Honorable Court of Directors conveyed in their Political Despatch, dated 30th April, No. 3 of 1856, paragraph 75. The grant must therefore be resumed.

2. With respect to Moonavur Begum's allowances, they will, under the last paragraph of the Orders of the 31st October 1834, No. 204, be continued for the performance of her Fatiahs for the period of one year from the date of her demise, and then cease altogether.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

Political Department

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Read the following
letter from the Sub Collector
in charge of the Stipend
Pay Office at Vellore.

(Dated 4th March 1861. Recd)

Rdes thereon 4th April 1861 No 176.

Ordr. of Court dated
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No 8 of 1856 - para 15. The
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J.P.

To the Sub Collr in charge
of the Stipend Pay Office at Vellore
Civil Auditor.

Desp 4-3-61.

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Ordering the resumption of the allowances paid for the lives of Bukshee Begum, & the continuance of those of the Moonavir Begum, for only a year —

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