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No. 434 of 1862.

Major R. S. Wilson, Government Agent at Chepauk, has the honor, by Order of Government, to forward for the inspection of Her Highness the Nabob Khyre-oo-Nissa Begum, a list of the servants of the late Dowager Begum Enayet-oo-Nissa, which has been prepared in this Office and submitted to Government with a recommendation that its amount should be separated from Her Highness' stipend, and paid direct from this Office to the parties named in it. The list is forwarded that Her Highness may pass on it any remarks that Her Highness may please to make. The list will then be again forwarded to Government for final orders.

2. The Agent is ordered to request that Her Highness will be pleased to favor him with these remarks as early as possible, and to inform Her Highness that unless they are received within 10 days, it will be considered that Her Highness does not wish to furnish any.

3. The Agent is further desired to inform Her Highness that Government has under consideration the claims of a number of the servants of the late Nabob, who ought to have been included in the List furnished to Government by Her Highness in 1857, but who were not included in it. These persons now request that their stipends also may be separated from that of Her Highness, and it is possible that Government may grant their request, but as some time will be required to decide this point, and as Her Highness' stipend has already been suspended for a very long time, which cannot but have caused Her Highness much inconvenience, Government does not wish to delay the issue of Her Highness' stipend any longer; and has therefore directed the Agent to pass it, with arrears from the date of its suspension, and to issue to Her Highness on account, Rupees 6,000 per mensem, retaining in deposit the sum of Rupees 3,350 per mensem until the claims abovementioned shall have been investigated. If Her Highness therefore will send her Vakeel, the Agent will pay to him the sum of Rupees 72,000, which is the amount of Her Highness' stipend from 1st September 1861 to 31st August 1862, less the sum of Rupees 40,200, the amount ordered to be retained in deposit. Her Highness, however, will please to bear in mind that from the above amount of Rupees 72,000, the sum of Rupees 4,722 has to be deducted on account of the repairs of the Wallaja Bagh.

4. The sum retained in deposit covers both the amount due to the late Dowager Begum's servants, as shown in the accompanying list, and the amount claimed by the Nabob's servants omitted from the list of 1857.

5. As it may be expected that the arrangements now to be made will be final, and as it is very desirable that Her Highness should have the fullest opportunity of pointing out before they are carried out, any flaw that may exist in them, the Agent begs to suggest to Her Highness the expediency of sending some fit and competent person to this Office, to obtain information as to the manner in which the lists have been prepared. The documents on which this Office has relied in preparing them are producible, and if Her Highness is pleased to adopt the suggestion, the fullest information will be given.

(Signed) R. S. WILSON, Major,
Government Agent, Chepauk.

GOVERNMENT AGENT'S OFFICE,
16th September 1862.

(True Copy.)
(Signed) R. S. WILSON, Major,
Government Agent, Chepauk.

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MADRAS, *25th September* 1862.

Her Highness Khyre-oo-Nissa Begum presents her compliments to Major R. S. Wilson Bahadoor, Government Agent at Chepauk, and begs to acknowledge the receipt of his communication of the 16th instant, No. 434, forwarding for her inspection and remarks a list of the servants of the late Ennayut-oo-Nissa Begum, stated to have been prepared in the Agency Office and submitted to Government with a recommendation, that its amount should be separated from Her Highness' stipend and paid direct from that Office to the parties named in it.

2. Her Highness deeply regrets that any necessity should have existed for Major Wilson making such a proposition to the Government, for having already suffered great troubles and

distress, and the loss of her credit in consequence of the suspension of her stipend for a full twelve months, the measure recommended to Government would only tend to involve her in greater difficulties and reduce her means of maintaining herself with dignity and comfort, by depriving her of the services of persons who now form Her Highness' own household establishment.

3. Her Highness begs to represent that in June 1858, the supervision of the late Ennayut-oo-Nissa Begum's servants was transferred to her by the Dewan Madar-ool-Omrah, who had the control and payment of these servants from the time of His Highness the late Nabob's death in 1855, that Her Highness had no separate establishment of her own, and that she had the services of the late Dowager Begum's servants, and none other, in the management of her household affairs. If therefore these servants are removed from her control, and paid separately by the Agent, Her Highness will be obliged to entertain other servants in their stead, and will thereby be subjected to a heavy additional expense.

4. Her Highness has now to inform Major Wilson that she has appointed Madar-ool-Omrah Bahadoor, the late Dewan, to undertake the management of the dependants and servants of her late mother-in-law as he formerly did under the orders of her late husband, a copy of which is enclosed. The said Bahadoor has required of Her Highness two stipulations before consenting to take the charge of her affairs, namely, 1st, that Her Highness shall not contract any debt whatever, and secondly, that she shall give full authority to the said Bahadoor to pay the salaries of the old servants and the arrears due to the persons of the Devadhi. To these conditions, Her Highness has agreed; and having full confidence in the good counsel and uprightness of her late husband's old and faithful servant, she begs to assure the Government that she will be guided by his advice for the future in these matters.

5. Her Highness begs to acquaint Major Wilson, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, that the list prepared in his Office and sent for her remarks, is not a correct one, and contains many erroneous entries. As it will take some time to refer to her accounts and point out the several mistakes, and as sufficient time is not allowed her for the purpose by the Order of Government, she requests that she may be permitted to consult the late Dewan Madar-ool-Omrah, to whom she has now entrusted the management of her affairs, and have a correct list prepared.

6. Her Highness trusts that both Major Wilson and the Government will consider the arrangements made by her for the conduct of her affairs to be satisfactory, and that His Excellency the Governor in Council will be pleased to authorize the balance of her stipend, Rupees 3,350 per mensem, which has been retained in deposit, being also disbursed to Her Highness on the full assurance of herself and Madar-ool-Omrah that all just claims for salary and arrears of wages will be satisfied and that there will be no further cause of complaint from the servants of the late Dowager Begum.

To Major R. S. Wilson, Government Agent at Chepauk.

(COPY.)

Translation of the late Nabob's order.

To Madar Oomra Bahadoor, Madarul Moham of the Derbar.

By order of His Highness, I have the honor to inform you that His Highness placing full confidence on the integrity and honesty of Meer Emamuddin Ali Khan Bahadoor in the performance of the duties entrusted him has appointed him Khansaman of the Devadhi of Mahal-i-Khas. But owing to his inexperience and want of proper attention, the affairs of Mahal-i-Khas are left in disorder, therefore His Highness' orders that the said Meer Emam Ali Khan Bahadoor, Khansaman of the said Devadhi should transact all the affairs connected to the Devadhi, viz., disbursement of the allowances to the servants, &c, and performance of the cere monie through your means, and you have been appointed as Nazir or Supervisor merely with a view of your having the concern with the affairs of the Devadhi to satisfy or liquidate the debts of the late Begum Sahiba since her demise. The main object in appointing you on the said post that the dependants and servants of the late Begum Sahiba should be protected in like manner as

they were supported during her life-time and in any respect they may not be ruined, for His Highness does not like to see them in the distress position. Therefore His Highness, continued the full allowances of the late Begum Sahiba on the name of Mahal-i-Khas. I hope you will from this day act according to His Highness' desire. I further beg to inform you that the affairs of the Devadhi in no way have connected with those of the Derbar, but His Highness has appointed you as Supervisor merely for the purpose above alluded to.

(Signed) MOORTUZA,
Private Counsellor.

Dated 24th Rubularel 1277, *Hijri.*

(True Copies.)

(Signed) R. S. WILSON, Major,
Government Agent, Chepauk.

No. 35. ORDER THEREON, 20th October 1862, No. 420.

The Agent will inform Her Highness Khyre-oo-Nissa Begum that the Government cannot accede to the proposed arrangement that the Dewan shall have charge of her late mother-in-law's dependants. The Dewan is too far advanced in age for such a charge, and were it otherwise, the Government could have no confidence that Her Highness would for any length of time adhere to the arrangement if it were to be made.

2. The Begum, in her communication to the Agent, states that the list of her mother-in-law's servants prepared in the Agency Office, is not a correct list and contains many erroneous entries, but she has specified none—and merely says that it will take some time to refer to her accounts and point out the several mistakes. The Government cannot permit further delay and evasion. The Begum was called on months ago for a list of the servants and dependants of Her Highness Enayet-oo-Nissa Begum, and it has been only on her refusal to furnish it, that the Agent has been obliged to prepare one. That submitted by Major Wilson will therefore be confirmed and acted on. The persons mentioned in it will draw separately the sums set against their respective names, and their stipends, as well as those of the 7 already dead, will lapse on their demise.

3. It will be understood, however, that if Her Highness should at any time hereafter be able to point out any parties who have been improperly included in the list, her representations will be duly attended to. It must also be understood that if all or any of the persons borne on the list have hitherto been bound to serve on the Begum's establishment, they must still render the accustomed service, or their stipends will be stopped.

4. The Agent will send Her Highness again the list of the servants of the Nabob, who are supposed to have been omitted from the list of 1857, with full explanation of the grounds on which the list has been drawn up and the reasons for believing the previous list defective—and he must warn the Begum that unless she makes her remarks upon it within six weeks from the date of receipt, the Government will act for themselves and without further reference to her.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Political Department,
20th October 1862.

No. 35. Read the following letter from Major R. S. WILSON, Government Agent at Chepauk, and Paymaster of Carnatic Stipends; to the Honorable T. PYCROFT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 3rd October 1862, No. 419.

As directed in Government Order, No. 367, dated 15th ultimo, I have the honor to forward herewith, list of the servants of the late Ennayet-oo-Nissa Begum, and list of the servants of the late Nabob of the Carnatic who were omitted from the list of 1857.

2. The first of these two documents has been submitted, as directed, for the remarks of Her Highness Khyre-oo-Nissa Begum. I enclose a copy of my letter to Her Highness on the subject, and of Her Highness' reply.

List of the Servants of Her Highness the late Nabob Enayet-oo-Nissa Begum, (as they stood on the day of the Nabob's death), whose pay was made chargeable on the allowance assigned to Her Highness Nabob Khyre-oo-Nissa Begum.

No.	Names of Recipients.	Occupation.	Monthly Salary. RS.	A.	P.	Remarks.
1	Etebar Jung Bahadoor... ...	Meer-i-Saman	100	0	0	Dead.
2	Syed Jawar Ally Khan Bahadoor...	Moonshee... ...	40	0	0	Dead.
3	Meer Gholam Mohideen Hoossain.	.....	50	0	0	
4	Shurf-oo-Dowlah...	.....	50	0	0	
5	Moozaffer Hoossain...	Darogah of Begum Bagh...	15	0	0	Dead.
6	Manick Chund...	Mooshriff of Gardens and Department. ...	14	0	0	
7	Hakeem Gholam Mahomed, son of Hakeem Hadakut Ally Khan. ...	.....	20	0	0	
8	Hakeem Gholam Mahomed Khan, son-in-law of Hakeem Mohtamim-oo-Dowlah Bahadoor. ..	.....	30	0	0	
9	Hakeem Gholam Jeelany Khan. ...	.....	30	0	0	
10	Hajee Gholam Mahomed Khan Bahadoor...	Head Darogah of Gardens...	60	0	0	
11	Kader Hoossain...	Darogah of Mahomed Bagh.	15	0	0	
12	Mahomed Muckdoom	Darogah of Coach Godowns...	15	0	0	Dead.
13	Mahomed Ibrahim...	Do. of Mahomed Bagh.	10	0	0	
14	Mohedeen Hoossain Juddee... ...	Do. of Moortooza Bagh.	10	0	0	
15	Ahmed Hoossain...	Physician... ...	14	0	0	Dead.
16	Mahomed Bauker...	.....	7	0	0	Dead.
17	Ram Sahoy Coopoo Lal... ...	.....	7	0	0	
18	Hajee Syed Mahomed Ghouse. ...	Neeaz...	11	0	0	
19	Sulder Hoossain...	Moovazun of Wallajah Bagh...	5	0	0	
20	Benket Lall...	.....	5	0	0	
21	Sashachellum...	Head Goller.. ...	10	0	0	
22	Rungen Lal...	Naib Mooshriff... ...	7	0	0	Dead.
23	Meer Moeyen-oo-Deen... ...	Daroody...	7	0	0	
24	Syed Mohi-oo-Deen... ..	do.	5	0	0	
25	Vencatasamy Naidoo, *alias* Barthy Naidoo...	Tahvildar...	17	8	0	
26	Mahomed Hoosman...	Daroody...	5	0	0	
27	Syed Ahmud...	do...	7	0	0	
28	Syed Mahomed Hoossain... ...	Market Darogah... ...	7	0	0	
29	Abdool Kader...	Daroody...	5	0	0	
30	Syed Hoossain...	do...	5	0	0	
31	Gholam Russool...	do...	5	0	0	
32	Authoon...	Tutoress... ...	15	0	0	
33	Pearee Khanum...	Mogalanee... ...	20	0	0	
34	Ameer Bee...	do...	7	0	0	
35	Ammetha Bee...	do...	7	0	0	
36	Khyroo Bee...	do...	7	0	0	
37	Chand Bee...	Mogulany...	7	0	0	
38	Lalloo Dayah...	Nurse...	14	0	0	
39	Kader Dayah...	do...	14	0	0	
40	Annaujee...	do...	14	0	0	
41	Sooltan Dayah...	do...	5	0	0	
		Carried over...	698	8	0	

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No.	Names of Recipients.	Occupation.	Monthly Salary. RS.	A.	P.	Remarks.
		Brought over...	698	8	0	
42	Mamah Hoossain	Female Servant... ...	3	8	0	
43	Mungah...	Do. Bearer...	3	8	0	
44	Venkan... ...	do...	3	8	0	
45	Lutchmee...	do...	7	0	0	
46	Nunnee... ...	Songstress...	7	0	0	
47	Budkoo...	do...	7	0	0	
48	Mooshathx... ...	do...	7	0	0	
49	Runnzeee	do...	7	0	0	
50	Nathud...	do...	15	0	0	
51	Moorad Ally... ...	.....	10	0	0	
52	Khader Beg... ...	.....	10	0	0	
53	Mahomed Beg... ...	.....	5	0	0	
54	Seordeum... ...	Market Conicopoly. ...	4	0	0	
55	Veerasawmy... ...	Mundy do... ...	4	0	0	
56	Narrainsawmy... ...	Market do... ...	10	0	0	
57	Abdool Rahman	Surgeon... ...	8	12	0	
58	Shaik Mohi-ood-Deen...	Waterman...	4	0	0	
59	Ramasamy	Shepherd... ...	11	0	0	
60	Venkatesa... ...	Bricklayer Maistry... ...	5	0	0	
61	Shaik Ahmed	Washerman...	5	0	0	
62	Mahomed Causim... ...	do... ...	7	0	0	
63	Munnah Boye... ...	Washerwoman... ...	8	12	0	
64	Sheik Ally	Havildar of Gardens....	5	0	0	
65	Sheik Hoossain... ...	Orderly...	5	0	0	
66	Gholam Mohi-oo-Deen...	do...	5	0	0	
67	Shaik Habeeb... ...	do	5	0	0	
68	Mahomed Suttar... ...	do...	5	0	0	
69	Meer Roshun Ally... ...	do...	5	0	0	
70	Syed Kossim	do...	7	0	0	
71	Mahomed Hoossain	Jemadar of Gardens. ...	10	0	0	
72	Ahmud Ally... ...	do... ...	7	0	0	
73	Mahomed Eusof... ...	Orderly...	5	0	0	
74	Mahomed Soolaman...	do...	5	0	0	
75	Balack Doss... ...	do...	5	0	0	
76	Shaik Madar... ...	do..	5	0	0	
77	Abdool Gulloor... ...	do...	5	0	0	
78	Shumsoodeen... ...	do...	5	0	0	
79	Sheik Imam... ...	do...	7	0	0	
80	Shaik Ahmed... ...	do...	5	0	0	
81	Mahomed Ghouse... ...	do...	5	0	0	
82	Shaik Hoossain... ...	do...	5	0	0	
83	Gholam Hoossain	do...	5	0	0	
84	Khader Hoossain... ...	do...	5	0	0	
85	Abdool Rahman.. ...	do..	5	0	0	
86	Shaik Emam... ...	Carpet Spreader... ...	5	0	0	
87	Hoossain Shareef... ...	Tender...	5	0	0	
88	Chundra...	Mace Bearer... ..	5	0	0	
89	Shaik Hoossain... ...	.....	5	0	0	
90	Mustan Ally... ...	Lamp-lighter... ...	5	0	0	
91	Rungiah...	do..	5	0	0	
92	Govindoo...	do...	5	0	0	
93	Sreenevass...	do...	5	0	0	
94	Gopaldoo...					
		Carried over...	1,019	0	0	

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		Brought over...	1,019	0	0	
96	Raumanjee...	Lamp-lighter...	3	0	0	
97	Soma...	do...	3	0	0	
98	Govindoo...	Head Torch-bearer.	5	0	0	
99	Neelah...	Torch Bearer...	4	0	0	
100	Mahomed Jamal...	do...	4	0	0	
101	Shaik Hoossain...	Head Cart Driver...	5	0	0	
102	Veerasamy...	Cart Driver...	5	0	0	
103	Syed Munjoon...	do...	5	0	0	
104	Shaik Boodeen...	do...	5	0	0	
105	Mahomed Oosman...	do...	6	0	0	
106	Abdool Kareem...	Orderly...	5	0	0	
107	Vencatachellum...	Cart Driver...	5	0	0	
108	Gooroovah...	do...	5	0	0	
109	Ramiah Charry...	Coachman...	8	12	0	
110	Mahomed Raza...	Waterpandalman ..	5	0	0	
111	Syedah Bee...	Coachman...	8	12	0	
112	Zarah Bee...	Mogullanee...	7	0	0	
113	Beesahiba Bee...	do...	7	0	0	
114	Kader Bee...	do...	7	0	0	
115	Balapershad...	Her Highness' Cook....	4	0	0	
116	Seevaram...	Conicopillay...	5	0	0	
117	Gholam Mahomed...	Gold-smith...	5	0	0	
118	Veenaiagum...	Tassel-man...	5	0	0	
119	Mahomed Hayath...	Bricklayer Maistry.	7	0	0	
120	Gholam Moorthooza...	Orderly...	5	0	0	
121	Shaik Davood...	Jemadar...	10	0	0	
122	Shaik Madar...	Orderly...	5	0	0	
123	Sabapathy...	do...	5	0	0	
124	Rujjun Lal...	Gold-smith...	5	0	0	
125	Abbass Ally...	Accountant...	70	0	0	
126	Budr-oo-Nissa...	.....	7	0	0	
127	Fazillah...	.....	3	8	0	
		.....	10	0	0	
		Total Rupees...	1,269	0	0	

GOVERNMENT AGENT'S OFFICE,
10*th September* 1862.

(Signed) R. S. WILSON,
Government Agent Chepauk.

N. B.—Casualties, viz.—

No. 1	Rupees	100	0 0
„ 2	„	40	0 0
„ 5	„	15	0 0
„ 12	„	15	0 0
„ 15	„	14	0 0
„ 16	„	7	0 0
„ 22	„	7	0 0
	Rupees...	198	0 0

Political Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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To the Govt Agent
Fr. M
with the list referred to in para 4
Chief Paymaster (with a
copy of the List referred to in para 2)
Fort St. George No - 1st Genl. C.

dated 20th

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PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT,

Dated 20 October 1862

Regarding the
Servants of the late
Engineer Nepean
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