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Political DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Political Department,
4th May 1863.*

No. 1. To the Colonial Secretary Colombo, dated Fort Saint George, 4th May 1863,
No. 130.

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2. In this Presidency the holders of petty Carnatic and Tanjore stipends are encouraged to seek commutation, and the bonus is paid to them under the sanction of the Government, on the recommendation of the Agents at Chepauk or Tanjore respectively. The limitations prescribed in each case will be found in the accompanying Proceedings, dated 12th December 1859, No. 723, and 20th April 1860, No. 242. The former of these papers also contains a table of the life annuity rates at which the pensions are convertible.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. McMootry.

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