

Political (1895) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 233

Dated 13th Apr. 1895.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

PETITION

Informing petitioner Mahammad Beg that the Government declines to interfere with the action of the Collector of North Arcot in the matter of the appointment of a Superintendent for the tomb at Tottapallam, Vellore.

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From

Mahomed Baiy Salih

Murrisundra Jank

Bengaluru

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Endorsement 425-2-95 no 382

Referred to the collector of North Arcot for report.

Frederick Rice

Chief Secretary.



Date 5-2-95

Recd 7-2-95

Regd 8-2-95

Subject

Regn! That the charge of looking after the tomb of Bakshi Begum may be entrusted to him & that he may be granted the portion of land surrounding the said tomb, with the proceeds of which he may carry on his duty.

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WITH REPLY.

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Document of 22-2-83 No. 382

referred to the Commission of Enquiry for report.

Chief Secretary

Secretary to the Government

Madras

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Report that the charge of
land after the tomb of
Bakshi Begum may be
entrusted to him & that
he may be allowed the
portion of land reserved
for the tomb with the ground
of which he had custody or
possession.

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The Right Honorable
His Excellency
The Governor in Council
Fort Saint George

The humble petition of Mahomed
Baig Sahib son of the late Ahmed
Baig Sahib Bahadur a relative of His
Highness Tipu Sultan - Residing
near Churrisindra Tank Bangalore
Tollone -

Most respectfully Sheweth,

That your humble petitioner defer-
entially begs to submit his appeal for your
Lordship's favorable consideration, with the
hope that his humble request will meet with
your Lordship's approval and sanction -

That your petitioner begs to state,
that on the 21st December 1893, the petitioner
having submitted his petition to the Collector
of Chittoor praying, that he may be granted
with the superintendence of the Tomb of Bakshi
Begum and the Guam Land measuring 9
Cawnies surrounding the Tomb - The petitioner's
claim was enquired into by the Tahsildar of
Tollone on both sides of the question, and the
petitioner's declaration was sent to the Collector
of the District to substantiate the fact of his claim.
The petitioner led to believe that his petition
has been sent to your Lordship for sanction. It
is now one year since he submitted his petition
he regret very much to say, that the matter
still remains undecided in his favor -

Has the
report
not recd here

The petitioner is the grandson of
Fathmacamm Begum and he is justly entitled
to claim the allowance for the Tomb of Bakshi
Begum who is buried in the same Tomb

G.O.

with Fathmacannu Begum and the both are
the wives of His Highness Hyder Ali Khan
Bahdur. It is true that the late Syed Hussullah
shah Radiri was superintending the Tomb for
many years, but the petitioner seeing no reason
why the family of the late Radiri should claim
for the allowance who are in no way connected
with the family of the Sultans. The petitioner
is the rightful claimant for the allowance
of the Tomb of Bukshi Begum being the
grandson son of Fathmacannu Begum. The
petitioner has presumed to say that the allowance
and ceremony of the Tomb of Fathmacannu
Begum having been discontinued, the
poor petitioner is quite helpless he most
earnestly beg of your Lordship will be
graciously pleased to sanction on the name
of the petitioner the allowance being allowed
for the Tomb of Bukshi Begum, and likewise
he may be granted with the remaining 9.
Cawnies of Nam Land surrounding the
Tomb as applied for in his petition ad-
dressed to the collector, for the purpose
of cultivating the said Land, and by which
means he will be able to perform the usual
ceremony and he will look after all the Tomb
with the greatest care. For which act of re-
siding kindness will always be remembered
with the highest gratitude as in duty bound
ever.

Tellore }
S. Helmar }
1895 }
Mohamed Beg
Relative of His Highness
Tippoo Sultan

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on payments
of Tax.

From

THE COLLECTOR,
North Arcot.

To

Chief
THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT
COMMISSIONERS OF LAND REVENUE,
Pol: Department

No. of enclosures. one

Letter, dated 18th March 1895.
Di. No. 1129 of 1894
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Recd 20/3 SUBJECT,

Communicating copy of
Sub collector's letter reporting
on the petitions of Mahamad
Beg & others applying for
the place of
the Superintendent of Tomb at
Tolapattin

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
20 MAR. 1895

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Where in the 80 it
Dec 1852?
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21/3/95

374:18.6.92
40:17.1.93
772:31.12.92

C.S.
Min C. No 170 & 387

Order d/13th April 1895 No 233.
Petitioner will be informed
that the Govt. declines to interfere
with the action of the Gov. of
N. Arcot.

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5/4/95

Petitioner Cal
Gov. N. Arcot (21)

Official memo
Pointing out to Col
that submitted
not commenced
the form should have
been used 10
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No. 1129 of 1894.
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North Arcot Sub COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
Camp Vellore 31st December 1894.

FROM

D. Cowie Esquire
of Sub Collector AND DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, of
North Arcot

TO

THE Collector
North Arcot

SIR,

Referring to the margin:

ally noted references, I have the honor to
report as follows:—

2. There is a tomb at Totkapalayam in
Vellore Taluk in which the remains of the
late Bakshi Begam one of the wives of
His Highness The Nizam Hyder Ali Khan
Bahadur are buried, and for its
maintenance, an extent of 11 Canals has
been assigned as Duam. One Sayed Fazarada
Saib was in enjoyment of the Duam
lands as a Superintendent of the tomb,
and used to perform Fataha Ceremonies to

Enty 269 1894-1-54
1667 12-6-94
1283 17-5-12-94
Reply 4116 27-25-11-94

He died on the 4th December 1893.

And the marginally named 3 persons
Severally apply for the Vacancy and
request that the land be registered in
their names.

1 Syed Nader Vali
2 Mulla Hasim
3 Mahamad Beg
3 Mulla Hasim Ali Khan

Settlement

3. Of these 3 applicants, the first
is the eldest son of the deceased and the
2^d is the Superintendent of the tomb of
the late Fathimakhannam Begum another
wife of the talab.

4. The 2^d and 3^d applicants claim
relationship to the talab through his
wife and daughter respectively and
state that the 1st applicant is no relation
at all and that he has no claim either
to the vacant office or to the lands. They
add that the 1st applicant's father
was only a paid servant of the tomb,
but produced no records to support this
statement. The 1st applicant's father
is Superintendent of the tomb.

admittedly for 30 years up to the
date of his death and enjoyed the
Luum lands.

5. For each of the tombs of
Fathimakhannam Begum referred to in
paras 3 and 4 and Bacha Begum, the principal
wife of His Highness Zippu Sultan, a
monthly allowance of Rs 50 was paid as
Fathia allowances and the government
resumed these allowances at the close of
the calendar year 1892, Vide G.O. dated
18.6.92, No. 374, Pol; the government observed
that the Fathia &c ceremonies performed at
these tombs were Mustapha or Meritonious;
that the State had in no way been
concerned in the performance of such
ceremonies, and that such services should be
performed by the persons interested at
their own expense.

6. For the reasons above set forth

The Government called for a report
 on the subject of the plot of land
 assigned to Bakshi Begam's tomb with
 a view to decide whether or not to
 continue the endowment. The Vellore
 Tahsildar states in his aqz, dated
 2.10.94, No. 41, that the report about the
 Duam was already sent to the Dy Collector
 in charge of the Treasury. This officer
 has addressed about it, and he says,
 in his letter, dated 29th November last,
 No. 4048, that the Government has not
 passed final orders in regard to the
 Duam in question. As for the registry of
 the land, no action can be taken now
 pending final orders of the Government.
 Hence I may refer you to your office
 letter, dated 26th February last, No. 945
 of 1894.

Whether the Government resumes
 the Duam or not I think that the 2^d and

land. The land has been in possession
 of the 1st applicant's family for the last
 30 years, and if they wish to disturb their
 long enjoyment, the 2^d and 3^d applicants
 should go to a civil Court if they think
 that they have superior claims.

8. As Government has already remarked
 in the G.O. above referred to that the
 persons interested should perform
 the services, I am of opinion that the
 Government has nothing to do with the
 appointment of the Superintendent

9. The Vellore Tahsildar's aqz & the
 connected papers accompanying

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For of Sub Collector

(True copy)

Communicated to The Chief
 Secretary to Government, Political Depart.



Memorandum. No. 904

24-4-95

Read the following

The Collector of North Arcot

is informed, with reference to his endorsement dated 18th March 1895 on the Sub-Collector's letter from the Sub-Collector No. 1294, reporting with regard to the ~~fact~~ ^{is irregular} of one Bakshi Begum, one of the names of Hyder Ali, that he should not have used the expression "Communicated to the Chief Secretary to Government" but ^{is irregular} Submitted to the Chief Secretary to Government — the latter being the usual form.

(By Order)

Dotacamund }
April 1895

CS. 22-4-95

Under Secretary

To

The Collector of North Arcot.

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dated 25-2-95 No. 382 on petition from Mahamad Beg Saib (herein returned). The petitioner has been informed that he should seek redress in the Civil Court if he thinks that his claims are superior to those of Syed Hyder.

North Arcot Collecting office
Chittoor 18th March 1895

By collector

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