

Political (1895) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 330

Dated 20th May 1895

INDEXED.

[Despatch Abstract.]

APPLICATION FOR PAPERS.

Furnishing, with remarks, to Her Highness Aparupamba Bai Sahiba of  
Tanjore copies of certain G.Os.

BACK PAPERS.

FURTHER PAPERS.

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NOTE FOR THE UNDER SECRETARY.

No memorial from Aparanah  
Ben Sahel of 20 July 1889 can  
be traced in the Reed Regis.  
I have put up all ~~etc~~ con-  
nected papers of 88-91. re-  
her memorials to S of S, India  
etc. Pl see the places  
marked in p.v.s 68: 22-29  
& 125-26: 5-3-90.

The fool of India & order of Nov  
1889 cannot be traced in  
the Register nor in Happey's  
letter to the Rev. of Decr 1889.

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L.R.V.  
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5. I have written  
examine  
Tables of 188, 190  
but was found no  
reference to  
papers (3)  
at 1851  
and  
7/575



I got your letter from London  
about His Late Highness. I am glad  
to hear you are well and hope  
you will recover his Highness's health.  
I am very much interested in you.

"Highness" என்னுடைய நெருங்கிய நண்பர்  
உயிர்தவறல் மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் 1889 ஆம்  
ஆண்டு நவம்பர் 22 - அன்று இறந்தார் 99 வயது.  
1. அது உயிர்தவறல் மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார்  
உயிர்தவறல் மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் 2.  
நினைவு 12 - 572 நினைவு மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் 2.  
நினைவு மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் Her Late Highness  
மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார்  
மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் 20 - உயிர்தவறல் மென்மையாக  
இருக்கிறார் மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் 3.  
மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார்  
மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் 573 - நினைவு மென்மையாக  
இருக்கிறார் 4. மென்மையாக இருக்கிறார் 4 (நினைவு) இருக்கிறார்  
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Accepted

29/4/95

Vakil for Petitioner

26 April 1895

To

The Chief Secretary  
to the Government of  
Fort Saint George  
Madras.

The Humble petition of H. N. Sr.  
Venkoba Raj Sahib, Senior Dancer of  
the Late H. H. Raja Sivaji, Tanjore  
Palace.

As the following documents are required  
in connection with certain proceedings  
in the District Court of Tanjore and in  
the High Court of Judicature at Madras.

The petitioner prays that she may  
be granted Certified Copies of the said  
documents:—

1. Government Order dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February  
1889 No 99. Political Department  
relating to the title of "Highness"
2. Government Order dated 12<sup>th</sup> November  
1889. No 572, Political Department relating

to.

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To the Same Subject.

3. Memorial to Government by the late  
H. H. Sparupamba Boji Sahel dated  
20<sup>th</sup> July 1889.

4. Order of the Government of India  
No 573 dated 8<sup>th</sup> November 1889.

5. Letter from W. A. Happell Esq. Agt.  
Government Agent Tanjore to H. H. Sparupamba Boji Sahel Palace Tanjore  
dated 11<sup>th</sup> December 1889.

I. Jivaji.

Vakil for Petitioner

26<sup>th</sup> April 1895

CURRENT No. 576



Petition.

H. N. M. Umamba Baiji  
Sahab, Senior Ramee,  
Palace, Tanjore

by J. Jivaji

Dated 26<sup>th</sup> }  
Recd - 29<sup>th</sup> } April 1895  
Regd - 30<sup>th</sup> }  
Vakil, High Court

Enclosure Vakalat

Praying for certified copies  
of certain documents.

It is further ordered that all the  
papers are printed - CS

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Political DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated

189 , No.

Again G.O., dated

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Current No. 576

of 1895, dated 26 April from H. N. M. Umamba Bhai Sahab.

Current No.

of 189 , dated

from

ORDER. d/20<sup>th</sup> May 1895 No. 330

\* For Order

as to whether copies of the G.Os  
may be granted to the memorialist -  
They contain G. of J. letters &  
Petitioner has no right  
to them

I don't see any harm in giving  
them. No. 99 of 1889 is  
inside No. 572 of 1889.  
The paper is not to be sent with  
reference to the question with  
the Revenue who wrote "Madras"

I don't see any  
objection to the G.O's being  
given - and a copy of the  
para 3 quoted in No. 572  
of 1889.

to  
17 May

Copies of G.Os dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February and  
12<sup>th</sup> November 1889, Nos. 99 and 572, Political  
Department, will be furnished to the  
and a para 3 of G.O. letter of 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 1889  
No. 3746-I will be furnished

2. The memorial dated 20<sup>th</sup> July '89 from  
Her Late Highness Aparupamba Bhai Sahab  
does not appear to have been received by  
Govt. Neither the order of the Govt. of India  
dated 8<sup>th</sup> November 1889, No. 573 and the letter  
dated 11<sup>th</sup> Decr '89 from Mr. Haffell to Her  
Late Highness Aparupamba Bhai Sahab  
can be traced in the records of the  
Office. Secretariat

From Order

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H. N. M. Umamba Bhai Sahab (Q. 10)

DESPATCHED

With copy of G.O. 99-  
22. 2. 89 (G. of J. letter - 2  
+ Order in full)

Printed + 780. 572  
12. 11. 89

(G. of J. letter para 3 only  
+ Order in full)

thru her Vakalat

M. S.

Application for  
Papers

28/11/89  
This  
CS  
from order

12TH NOVEMBER 1889, No. 572, POLITICAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers:—

G.O., dated 22nd February 1889, No. 99, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Passing orders on letter from the Government of India regarding the ruling Chiefs who will be designated by the style of *Highness*.

Letter from the Government of India, Foreign Department, dated 16th August 1889, No. 3258-I.

READ—also the following paper:—

From H. S. BARNES, Esq., Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Simla, 2nd September 1889, No. 3476-I.

I am directed to refer to the circular No. 573-I., dated the 8th February 1889, from this department, communicating the decision of the Government of India in regard to the official use of the title of "*Highness*" in addressing Native Chiefs and others.

2. Experience has shown the Government of India that the meaning attached by it to the word "*principal*" in paragraph 3, of the circular is liable to be misunderstood. I am therefore to explain that the expression was intended to refer to all lawful and recognised wives and widows, and to request that the following may be substituted for the paragraph in question:—

"3. Further, as a matter of courtesy, the lawful and recognised wives and widows of all who bear or have borne the title of '*Highness*,' may also be addressed by that title."

ORDER—dated 12th November 1889, No. 572, Political.

In supersession of paragraph 3 of G.O., dated 22nd February 1889, No. 99, it is noted that the ladies whose cases fall under the third paragraph of the letter from the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 573-I, dated 8th idem, are the Nawab Begam Sahiba, widow of His Highness the Nawab of the Carnatic; the surviving widows of His Highness the Raja of Tanjore; and Janaki Bai Sahiba, junior widow of His Highness the Raja of Pudukóta.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,  
Chief Secretary.

To the Political Agent for Pudukóta.  
„ Government Agent, Tanjore.  
„ Departments of Government.

Exd. A. Raitt.

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G.O., 12th November 1889, No. 572.

NOVEMBER.

### Native Chiefs.

Passing orders on Government of India letter defining a certain expression used in the circular quoted on the subject of the official use of the title of *Highness* in addressing — and others.

22ND FEBRUARY 1889, No. 99, POLITICAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From W. J. CUNNINGHAM, Esq., Under Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Fort William, 8th February 1889, No. 573-I.

In my letter, No. 1767-I., dated the 8th May 1888, I informed you that the Governor-General in Council was of opinion that some rule might conveniently be laid down in order to distinguish clearly the Native Chiefs to whom the title of "Highness" should be accorded, and that generally the practice of the Government of India was to confine the use of the title to ruling chiefs having salutes of ten guns or more.

2. In that letter I enquired whether His Excellency the Governor would wish for very special and strong reasons to recommend the continuance of the title to any chief or individual who did not enjoy the privilege of a salute of at least ten guns. The replies of the several Local Governments and of the officers who were similarly addressed having been received and considered, I am now to say that the Governor-General in Council is pleased to decide that, for the future, the privilege of being addressed by the title of "Highness" shall be restricted to ruling chiefs who are entitled to a salute of not less than ten guns, whether permanent or personal, and to the noblemen and ladies, not coming within this category, whose names are given in the subjoined list. In the case of the latter the concession is only personal, and is not to be extended to their successors unless for special reasons His Excellency in Council shall otherwise order.

3. Further, as a matter of courtesy, the principal wives and widows of all who bear or have borne the title of "Highness" may also be addressed by that title.

ENCLOSURE.

List.

(a) In Madras—

1. Prince Azim Jah Intizam-ul-Mulk, of Arcot.
2. Rani Lakshmi Bai, c.l., Senior Rani of Travancore.
3. The Senior Rani of Cochin.

(b) In Bombay—

1. Agha Sultan Muhammad Shah.
  2. Maharana Narayandeeji Ramdeoiji, Raja of Dharampur.
  3. Mir Hasan Ali Khan,
  4. Mir Abdul Husain Khan,
  5. Mir Shah Nawaz Khan,
  6. Mir Nur Muhammad Khan,
  7. Mir Fateh Khan,
- Mir Inam Baksh Khan, } Family of the Sind Amirs.  
Mir Ali Madad Khan, }
- Mir Inam Baksh Khan, } Amirs of Sind.  
Mir Ali Madad Khan, }

(c) In the North-Western Provinces—

1. Maharaja Ishwari Prasad Narayan Singh, of Benares, G.C.S.I.

(d) Abroad—

1. Maharaja Dalip Singh, G.C.S.I., late of the Punjab.

ORDER—dated 22nd February 1889, No. 99, Political.

Communicated to the Political officers concerned and to Departments of Government.

2. The ruling chiefs in this Presidency who will, as formerly, be designated by the style of *Highness*, are the Maharaja of Travancore and the Rajas of Cochin and Pudukóta.

3. The ladies whose cases fall under the third paragraph are the Nawab Begam Sahiba, widow of His Highness the Nawab of the Carnatic, and Kamakshi Amba Bhai Sahiba, senior widow of His Highness the Raja of Tanjore.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,  
*Chief Secretary.*

To the Resident in Travancore and Cochin.  
„ Political Agent for Pudukóta.  
„ Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.  
„ Government Agent, Tanjore.  
„ Departments of Government.

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G.O., 22nd February 1889, No. 99.

FEBRUARY.

### Native Chiefs.

Passing orders on letter from the Government of India regarding the ruling chiefs who will be designated by the style of *Highness*.

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When examined \_\_\_\_\_  
When signed \_\_\_\_\_

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READ AGAIN G.O., No.  
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DATED

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ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

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