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Political (1896) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 288-289

DATED 4th May 1896

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[Despatch Abstract.]

DUTCH RECORDS.

Informing the Government of India that the Revd.Mr. Heyligers has expressed his willingness to undertake the work of examining and reporting upon the----and diaries received from the Bombay Secretariat for a remuneration of Rs. 10 per volume.

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From

Lieut. A. E. M. Ley Cigoro
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No.

Dated 27th April 1896

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SUBJECT.

Stating that he is willing to undertake the work of Deciphering Records from Bombay for a remuneration of Rs: ten per Volume.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

To the Chief Secy. to Govt. Madras

28 APR, 1896

Sir,

With reference to the Dutch records from Bombay I have the honour to reply that I am willing to undertake the work for a remuneration of Rs. ten per volume.

Availing myself of this opportunity to apologise for delaying my answer so long, I beg to be.
Sir.

Your most obedt servt
A. J. M. Muthuveeren

Political Dept

Order No 288 dd 4th May 1896
This The Govt of India will be addressed.

No 289.
To The Revd. Heyligers (W) Desp 9/5/96. Letter — G

The Secy to the Govt of India
Home Dept
(Public)
Desp 11/5/96.

Sir,

Gr. 766 19.11.95 Pol. B

Agreeably to the request preferred in para 2 of Mr. Thornton's letter No. 1858 dd 4th November last, I am directed to state that the Revd. W. Heyligers. to whom the records were forwarded, is willing to undertake the work of examining and reporting upon them for a remuneration of Rs to per volume.

has expressed his willingness to

The Dutch records & diaries received from the Bombay Secretariat

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Ref. No. 165/A

Resident's Office

Trivandrum 22nd February 1896.

To

The Dewan of Travancore

Sir—

Referring to your letter No. a 1322 of the 7th August 1895, I have the honor to inform you that the Accountant General, Madras, considers that such of your Tahsildars as may be required to pay British Pensioners should be placed exactly in the position of British Treasury officers in respect of such payments. At his instance the Madras Government desires me to ask you to agree to his proposals which are:—

(1) That the Tahsildars concerned be furnished with copies of collectors' halves of Permanent pay orders.

(2) That they be then requested to identify and pay the pensioners directly they present their receipts, noting the payments on the reverse of the copies of Permanent pay orders furnished, as well as of the pensioners' half of those orders which the pensioners will produce before them. The pensioners' marks of identification will be found on the copies of the collector's halves of Permanent pay orders.

(3) That the Tahsildars be instructed to make payments only on printed receipt forms to be supplied

supplied from this office and to be filled up and produced in person by the pensioners.

(4) That should they be unable to go in person the Tahsildars be asked to see that the receipts are accompanied by Life Certificates granted by a responsible officer such as a Magistrate or Apothecary, that they are endorsed over to the messengers who present them for payment and that the latter's receipts are taken thereon.

(5) That in making payments the income tax due on the amounts of pensions which will be noted on the Permanent Pay orders be deducted and only the net amount disbursed.

(6) That directly after making payments the Tahsildars be ordered to forward the receipts to the Huzoor Office for recovering the amounts from my Treasury.

2. Before making the first payment, the Tahsildars should obtain on the copies of the Permanent Pay orders with them, specimen signatures of the Pensioners. As soon as a Permanent Pay order becomes full of Notes of Payment the Pensioner's half should be obtained from the Pensioner and forwarded to my Treasury with the copy furnished from here for renewal.

3. I shall be obliged if you will kindly let me know at your earliest convenience whether you are willing to agree to the procedure suggested by the Madras Government and whether you are of opinion that the system of payment proposed by it can be efficiently carried out by your subordinates. As already observed in my letter No.a. 1177 of the 27th July 1895, the Mysore Government has undertaken a similar procedure and since the British Pensions paid from my Treasury are spent in the state, the Madras Government thinks that the state may fairly be asked to accept the arrangement proposed.

I have &c

sd/- J. Thomson

Resident

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Trevandrum 12th March 1896

No. a. 469.

From

The Dewan of Travancore

To

The British Resident
in Travancore & Cochin

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter Ref on c No $\frac{165}{A}$ of '96 dated 22nd ultimo, and to inform you that the system obtaining in regard to the payment of pensions in this state is almost similar to that in the British Territory. As suggested by the Madras Government I shall be happy to arrange to pay the British Pensioners according to the rules proposed by the Accountant General, Madras and quoted in your letter under reply. On the receipt of your reply together with copies of Collector's halves of Permanent Pay orders, I shall issue the necessary instructions in the matter

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397 Residents Office

Reference No $\frac{277}{A}$ of '96 Trivandrum 18th March 1896

From

J. Thomson Esquire

1st Resident in Travancore & Cochin

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St George

Sir

With reference to G.O. No 109 Political dated 18th ultimo, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of my letter to the Dewan of Travancore Reference No $\frac{165}{A}$ of the 22nd Idem and of his reply No A.469 of the 12th Instant and to enquire whether Government approves of the arrangement now proposed for the payment of the British Pensioners resident in Travancore, directly by the Subordinates of the Durbar.

I have the honor to be

Sir

your most obedient servant

J Thomson

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From

The British Resident in
Travancore and
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To

The Chief Secretary to
Government
Fort St. George

Dated 18th March 1896
Despatched 19th do
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CHIEF SECRETARY
22 MAR. 1896
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Pensioners

Enquires whether Government approves of the proposed payments of pensions to ——— resident in Travancore directly by the Subordinates of the Circars.

109: 13.2.96.
438: 8.7.95.

Hon'ble Mr Bliss
H.E. the Governor

Order. see revised draft
1st/4/5/96

The arrangement proposed is approved

2. The Resident will be requested to convey the acknowledgments of the Govt to the Darbar for the readiness with which it has accepted the arrangement proposed. 6.4.96

S.R. 8/4/6

It will be seen that the Darbar has readily agreed to our proposals. This may be acknowledged & I have added a para. 8/4/96

I should add that thumb prints should be taken as well as signatures, as is now done in the Regs dept — I don't see why this should not be done in all pension cases. The A.G. should be consulted & the Regs Dept. make

Yours sincerely
The Resident in Travancore
Acctt Genl. (a)

WS 10/4/96

Vide G.O. 2467 Judl 28.11.95 & Regs manual part up 1874

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PR. DEPARTMENT.

[G. 24.]
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Papers to be read in proceedings:—

Again G.O, dated 189 , No.
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Current No. 397 of 1895, dated 15/3, from Resident T.&C.
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ORDER. No 290 of 4th May 1896.

Perhaps it will be better not to raise the thumb print question in regard to Travancore until we have introduced it here
WS 27/4/96

Yours sincerely Thumbs print proves. 2+4.
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30.4.96

Mr
* although the system is called that of finger prints it appears that in practice the print of the right thumb only is taken. LD

The proposed arrangement is approved.

2. The Resident will be furnished with a copy of G.O.No.2467, Judicial, dated 25th November '95 and will request the Darbar to arrange, if possible, for the identification of pensioners by thumb ~~prints~~ Registration, as now is the practice in the ~~Revenue~~ Department.

3. The Resident will be requested to convey to the Darbar the acknowledgments of ~~the~~ Government ~~to the Darbar for~~ of the readiness with which it has accepted the arrangement proposed. LD 4/5/96.

4. The question of the general introduction ~~into the Presidency~~ of the system of identifying pensioners by means of finger* prints will be considered in the Pension Department.

A2A 27.4.96 C.S. 20.4.96 LD 21/4/96.

To

The Resident in Travancore & Cochin
" ~~Pension Department~~
Yours sincerely 9/5/96
ref. to W.S's note P. T. O.

Note

A revised draft embodying the Honorable Member's note is submitted. It is submitted for consideration whether the suggestion to the Darbar in para 2 of the revised draft may not await the ~~financial~~ final orders on the proposed introduction into the Presidency of the system of identifying pensioners by finger marks (vide para 8 of the draft).

20.4.96. I do not see why the second draft should not go out. There can be no doubt, as will be apparent from experiments (I made one some time ago) as to the usefulness of the system. There is no need I submit to wait for a general order.

21/4/96.

A beginning has already been made in the S.D.A. Dept also with good results

A.A 22.4.96.

Payment of pensions in Travancore

The Hon'ble W. Bliss C.S.I. H.S. the Governor

The Secy Pension Dept. for favour of comments.

Note for the Secy.

Para 4 of the G.O. is unnecessary because the Pension Department is already considering the question; the subject has been under consideration for months & the delay in issuing final orders is due to the compilation of information as to the officers submitting pension applications, & paying pensions, to all of whom instructions must be issued. It has already been decided to adopt the system, & it is only the details of the subject which require to be settled.

LD 25.4.96

Very well. Issue as within.

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