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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers:—

G.O., No. 372, Judicial, dated 13th February 1888.
" Nos. 1491–92, Judicial, dated 13th July 1888.
" No. 476, Political, dated 21st July 1893.

G.O., No. 124, Political, dated 21st February 1896.

ABSTRACT.—*Petition*—Informing G. Appala Raju Bhupati, son of Golgonda Sanyasi Bhupati, that his request for a continuation of the maintenance he received until he attained his majority is inadmissible.

G.O., No. 77, Political, dated 2nd February 1897.

ABSTRACT.—Sanctioning a grant of Rs. 800 for the marriage expenses of Narasayyamma, daughter of the Barani, widow of the late (Golgonda pensioner) Sanyasi Bhupati, and stating that her present allowance will cease as soon as payment of this sum has been made.

READ—also the following paper:—

From W. O. HORNE, Esq., Acting Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam District, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 1st April 1898, R.C. No. 313.

I have the honour to submit copy of a petition from G. Appala Raju Bhupati, son of Golgonda Sanyasi Bhupati, who died in 1886. This petitioner was allowed Rs. 6–4–0 per mensem by Government until attaining majority and Rs. 5 for education expenses (*vide* G.Os., No. 1491, Judicial, dated 13th July 1888, and No. 372, Judicial, dated 13th February 1888).

2. Petitioner's allowance was stopped on his coming of age in the year 1896, and he then lived on the Rs. 6–4–0 per mensem allowed to his sister, but she having married he has now no means. He is unable to earn a livelihood not only because he is physically very weak, but also because the custom of the country forbids him to work, though not to beg. He is, as he describes himself, a feeble creature; and although logically there is no ground on which the continuance of his allowance of Rs. 6–4–0 per mensem can be recommended, I venture to suggest that it be done as a charity, since it is quite certain that neither physically nor intellectually can the petitioner ever support himself.

Endorsement.

Transferred to the Political Department.

22*nd April* 1898.

(Signed) A. R. KNAPP,
Acting Under Secretary.

ORDER—No. 326, Political, dated 12th May 1898.

In consideration of the facts stated in paragraph 2 of the foregoing letter from the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to grant G. Appala Raju Bhupati a compassionate life-grant of Rs. 6–4–0 per mensem with effect from the 6th March 1898, the date of his petition. No claims to a continuation of this grant on the death of Appala Raju Bhupati will be recognized.

(True Extract.)

A. T. ARUNDEL,
Chief Secretary.

To the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam.
" Accountant-General.

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Note Petitioners case was once before rejected: please see G.O. 124 Pol dy 21st Feb'y 96. C

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To
The Political Dept.

SUBJECT.

Submitting copy of a petition from G. Appalaraju Bhupati, a Political pensioner, and recommending that a monthly allowance of Rs 6-4-0 may be granted to him as a charity.

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To

The Collector and Agent to the Governor,
Vizagapatam.

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Most honored Sir,

I. G. Appalaraju, Sonq the late Golgonda Sanyasi Bhupati garu, most respectfully beg to bring the following few lines into your honors kind consideration.

1. The late, (my father) Sanyasi Bhupatigaru was an Ex-Zamindar of Golgonda and was in the enjoyment of a Mokhasa which yielded him about Rs 1000 a year.

That on his death the Government were pleased

80 2954 Jud 2-11-86 A ✓ to grant money allowances to his family viz:—

80 61-2 & 13-1-87 Jud D ✓ 187 wife — Rs 300 a year

" 240-1 & 5-2-87 " H ✓ Do daughter - 100 a year

Birance wife and her 2 children - Rs 150 a year,

resulting in a saving to Government of more than Rs 400 a year then, but now the Government is not paying the last 2 allowances there is a saving of Rs 700 a year to the Government.

2. On the death of my mother the Bi-rance of Golgonda Sanyasi Bhupatigaru the maintenance allowance of 12½ rupees used to be paid to her was continued

80 1491 Jud & 13-7-86 F ✓ and the allowance was being regularly paid to

also

476 Jud & 21-7-93 E ✓ myself and my sister (beside the educational

80 372 Jud & 13-2-88 allowance of Rupees 5 granted to me by Government

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till I attained my majority).

3. After my allowance has been discontinued, my sister was allowed an allowance of Rs.6-4-0 till her marriage. Her allowance was also discontinued immediately after the celebration of her marriage which was performed on the donation of Rs 800.-.- Kindly granted by the Government. Now I have no concern of her and no need of asking any favor to Government on account of her as she has gone to her mother-in-law's house.

4. As regards my case, my sufferings for want of food and raiment are indescribable in as much as I have no other source of income and as I am not holding any appointment to keep me up. I beg to state that my case is extraordinarily pitiable one in as much as I am deprived of the allowances granted to me in the same manner in which my father, mother etc and certain others of the same status were allowed to enjoy the favor of Government throughout their life-time while I alone was unfairly and unjustly granted an allowance for a limited period.

Moreover, these allowances were used to be paid hereditarily to every one, and subsequently the Government were pleased to pay them up to their life-time only, but in my case even that sort of justice has not been given on account of my misfortunes.

5. I further beg to state that I am the only male soul living in the family of Golgonda Samyasi Bhupati garu, and it is not justifiable to your honor's benign Government to cancel both my maintenance and the educational allowances.

The allowance granted on account of my education should have been withdrawn on my attaining majority and the remaining maintenance allowance should have been continued till life-time as in the case of many others of my rank, but instead of that the small allowance granted to me for life was cancelled on an insignificant ground that an educational allowance was given me for a few years in addition to the permanent one. The combined result of these is that I am turned out to be a pauper-helpless on all sides.

6. I beg to add that I am a feeble weak-minded boy who is unable either to work hard or to pass any examination to enable me to get a footing anywhere to support myself or undertake some mechanical work involving labor and pain.

7. As I am under your honor's protection it is your interest to bring me forward in life and encourage me by a special concession on the ground that my late father's lands were resumed by a Government; but in contrary your honor has deprived me of allowances and rendered me an orphan destitute.

8. I therefore humbly beg that your honor

may lee graciously pleased to recommend me to the Government to continue the original grant of 12-8-0 which is the only source of income, without which I am starving in these famine days in consideration of the difficulties I am put to on account of the cessation of the grant. I beg early orders may lee obtained to resume the allowance so that I may not lee inconvenienced ley starvation as the famine greatly presses upon me, and which favor I will remember with deep sense of gratitude till the last moments of life.

9. Under these circumstances I implore your honor's mercy that my pitiable case may lee reconsidered with a charitable feeling to continue my maintenance allowance as it is done to others of my stamp; as otherwise I shall lecome involved in serious troubles, difficulties and miseries, the extent of which will lee letter imagined than described.

For which act of kindness and charity I shall as in duty bound ever pray.

I beg to remain with respect
Most Honored Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Vizagapatam
6th March 1878

(Signed) Gudepu Appalaraju

(True copy) P Govindarao
For Agent to the Governor

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In a letter from the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, to the Chief Secry: to the Government - Judicial Department, R.C. No. 313 dated, 1 - April 1898.

Enclosure No. 1

Subject.

Copy of the petition from G. Appala-raju Bhupati, a Political pensioner.

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SUBJECT.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

~~THE HON'BLE SIR HENRY BLISS, K.C.I.E.~~

~~THE HON'BLE MR. GROSE, C.I.E.~~

To the Hon. Sir H. Bliss for concurrence

Petition from late Golconda Pensioner, Appala Raju Bhupati

FOR ORDERS.

Attention is solicited to paragraphs 47-59 of the note attached to G.O.No.30 ~~Judicial~~ Political, d/17th Jan. 1891, which gives the history of Golconda pensioner Sanyasi Bhupati

2. As stated in paragraphs 54-56 of that note Sanyasi Bhupati died in 1886 and a sum of Rs.150 per annum was assigned to his barani widow Chandramma (concubine) for the support of herself and her two children.

3. Chandramma died on the 28th of May 1888 and in G.O.No.1491 Judl., d/13th July 1888, the Govt. decided to continue the allowance of Rs.150 per annum to her two children viz. a son (the present petitioner) and an unmarried daughter, Narasayyamma, on the condition that the allowance should be withdrawn on the son's attaining the age of eighteen and the daughter marrying. In G.O.No.372 Judl., d/13th Feb: 1888, Rs.5 per mensem was granted for the

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the schooling fee of Appala Raju and in paragraph 2 of G.O.No.476 Poll., d/ 21st July 1893, the decision as regards the termination of the allowances to Appala Raju and Narasayyamma on the former attaining the age of eighteen and the latter marrying was repeated, provision being made for the contingency of the majority of Appala Raju preceding the marriage of his sister. In paragraph 3 of that order it was stated that this decision would be strictly enforced and the Agent to the Governor in Vizagapatam was directed to warn the pensioners accordingly.

4. In 1896 Appala Raju applied for a reconsideration of this order, which was refused in G.O.No.124 Poll., d/21st Feb. 1896.

5. In G.O.No.77 Poll., d/2nd Feb. 1897, a marriage allowance of Rs.800 was sanctioned to Narasayyamma, the sister of Appala Raju

6. With the present current the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, forwards a copy of a petition from Appala Raju in which he again asks that the stipend of Rs.6/4 which lapsed on his attaining his majority may be continued to him. The Govt. Agent recommends that although there is no logical reason why the petitioner should be allowed the continuance of his pension, the allowance may be granted to him as an act of charity as he is unable to earn his own livelihood being physically very weak and being prevented from working by the custom of the country. The Govt Agent apparently now views the case of the petitioner differently from what he did in January 1896, for it will be seen from his proceedings No.30, d/ 16th January 1896 (before flag C in G.O.No.124 Poll., d/21st Feb. 1896) that he then told the petitioner that as he was reported by the Dt. Medical and Sanitary Officer to be free from any disease, no recommendation could be made for the continuance of the allowance formerly granted to him.

7. It is submitted that the compliance with the petitioner's present request would create an undesirable precedent. The matter has been considered by Govt. on more than one occasion and although the petitioner is not in good circumstances, it is to be remembered that he is not actually debarred from working.

Orders are solicited.

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I am inclined to agree with the Agent to the Governor. When Govt. gave its former decision it is to be presumed that it was thought that the young man would be able to work for his living. It appears now that he comes to this, and indeed one cannot expect to many descendants of his to become considerable zamindars, to work as a labourer or in a menial capacity. If we do not continue the pension, the petitioner will become a beggar, and this would be

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The Agent to the Governor,
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