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ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 822

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Informing Ramasamy Nalavadai of Tanjore that his request that he may be granted some months allowance from the lapsed stipend of his late sister M. Chinna Dharma Boi Ammal is inadmissible.

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Political (1898) Department

CURRENT NO. 1372

FROM

RAMASAMY NALAVADAI,
Residing in Door No. 17,
Dattojiappa Lane,
TANJORE FORT.

TO

HIS EXCELLENCY,
THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL,
MADRAS.

Dated 24th
Despatched 24th October 1893
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No. 2316. Dated 28th October 1893

Referred to the Government Agent, Tanjore, for report.

G. Shirley
Chief Secretary

Civil 27.X.93

TO BE RETURNED WITH REPLY.

ENCLOSURE : (A TO H)

SUBJECT.

Praying for sanction as a special act of favour the grant of such monthly allowance as may be deemed proper.

Enclosure A.

TANJORE GOVERNMENT AGENT'S OFFICE.
NEGAPATAM 13th JULY 1871.

No. 100.
From

W. M. CADELL ESQUIRE,
OFFG. GOVERNMENT AGENT,
TANJORE.

To

M. CHINNA DARMU BOYEE AMMAL,
MANAGALAVILASAM.

Madam,

With reference to your letters marginally noted I have the honor to state that I have no objection to your appointing your brother Ramasawmy Nalavadi as your agent.

29th JUNE 1871
5th JULY 1871.

I have the honor to be,
Madam,
Your most obedient Servant,
(Signed) W. M. CADELL,
Offig. Government Agent.

Enclosure B.

To

WINTERBOTHAM ESQUIRE,
GOVERNMENT AGENT,
TANJORE.

From

M. CHINNA DARMU BOYEE AMMAL,
MUNGLAVILASAM PALACE,
TANJORE.

Respected Sir.

Arji written by me on the belief that my life will become extinct as I have been suffering from Rheumatism for the last 2 years. I have been fostering one Appena alias Krishnasamy Bhoslai for the last 27 years, having bought him when he was a baby with his navel string on. I have been protecting him till now ; besides I have been supporting my brother Ramasami Nalavadai and his family and children till now. There is none but myself to protect these two persons. It is therefore requested to recommend them to Government for some allowance being settled upon them after my demise.

I solemnly declare that I have given them (Krishnasamy Bhoslai and Ramasamy Nalavadai) no property of substantial means. My brother is aged and is a family man while Krishnasamy Bhoslai is also a family man and unable to earn his livelihood owing to the severe disease he is suffering from.

I therefore earnestly request you with a belief that you will any how find some means toward the protection of these two persons. It did not strike to me to do any other thing than to appeal to you. I further repeat again and again that I have no other means.

Tanjore.
26th February 1894.

(Signed) DARMU BOYEE AMMA.

(A true translation as near as possible from the Maharatah language.)

Enclosure B1.

Tanjore, 26th February 1894.

From

JUNIOR DARMU BOYEE AMMAL,
MUNGALAVILASAM,
TANJORE PALACE.

To

WINTERBOTHAM ESQUIRE,
COLLECTOR AND GOVERNMENT AGENT.
TANJORE.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that I have suffering for a long time from rheumatism now it seems to me that I shall live no longer. So I took the liberty of writing a few lines hoping that would be successful.

I brought up one Appana alias Krishnasamy Bhoslai from his cradle for 27 years and protected him up to this date. I further protected the family of my own brother Ramasamy Nalavadi. The former though he is 27 years old is not in a position to be employed anywhere since he is suffering from a formenting disease, and the latter is too old to earn his bread.

I can solemnly declare that I have neither left to them any property nor have they their own to live on.

I therefore request that your honor will be good enough to recommend both of them to the Government to render them kind help as to enable them to maintain their large families.

For this act of charity I shall ever pray for your long life and prosperity.

(Signed) DARMU BOYEE.

Enclosure C.

To.

THE GOVERNMENT AGENT TANJORE.

The humble petition of Ramasawmy Nalavadi residing No. 17 Dathajeeappa lane Fort, Tanjore.

Respectfully sheweth.

Most Honored Sir,

That the petitioner begs to inform your honor that he is the brother of Madustri Chinna Durmu Boyee Ammal, Junior widow, Mangalavilas, Tanjore Palace.

That the petitioner and his sister lost their parents when very young. That from the time H. H. Maharaja took his sister into the palace the petitioner was being supported by her. He was brought up and educated under the care of his sister. She got him married and he has now 3 male children and 2 female children. The petitioner's whole family was being protected by his sister. His sitter breathed her last on 26th February 1894. On the same day some hours before her death she wrote 1st letter to Government Agent through Sircle on the 25th February 1894 and 2nd letter directly to the Government Agent on the 26th February 1894 requesting him to recommend the petitioner to Government for his familiy's future maintenance. In the letter she solemnly declares that the petitioner is left pennyless in the world.

Now the petitioner is 50 years old; he has little children to be brought up and educated although he is now very much troubled having to support a large family, yet he is in full of hopes that the generous Government will be kindly pleased to support the petitioner's family as they had been supporting through his sister Madustri Darmmu Boyee Ammal.

He therefore most humbly begs that your honor will be kind enough to recommend the petitioner and his distressed family to the government and get for them some assistance from its (Government's) hands.

For this act of kindness and charity, the petitioner shall ever pray.

He begs to remain,
Respected Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant,

12th November 1894.

(Signed) RAMASAWMY NALAVADI.

Enclosure D.

No 27.

Memo.

With reference to his petition dated 12th November 1894 Ramasawmy Nalavadai is informed under instruction from the Government Agent that he (Government Agent) cannot do any thing for him.

Sircle's Office
Tanjore,
Despatched 1st February 1895.

(Signed) K. GOVINDA ROW,
Sirele.

Enclosure E.

To

G. STOKES ESQUIRE,
GOVERNMENT AGENT
TANJORE.

The humble petition of Ramasamy Nalavadi, brother of Chinna Darmu Boyee Ammal one of the ladies of the late Rajah's Mungalavilas, Tanjore.

Honored ir,

With due deference I beg to submit the following facts for your honor's kind and generous consideration.

1. That the said Darmu Boyee Ammal my sister was espoused by the late Rajah for his Seraglio when she was 5 years old, that up to her 18th year she was under the auspices of the Rajah, that after Rajah's demise Her Majesty's Government who succeeded him undertook to support her by giving her a monthly allowance of Rs. 150. It was no doubt intended for the maintenance of herself and her kins and which She enjoyed for about 39 years up to 1894 when in her 57th year she departed this life committing me and my family to the care of the then Political Agent.

2. That my parents having died while I was in my infancy the ouns of bringing me up lay on my sister the said Darmu Boyee Ammal, that she had no issue, that she supported me and my family as long as she lived, that I was 50 years old at the time of her death, that I am now 52 years old that she did not pay attention towards giving me good education to enable me to earn my bread and that she got me married to make me more miserable; for I have a large family looking for sustenance from me while I have been rendered incapable of maintaining myself.

3. That had my sister died in my youth I would have been then compelled by necessity to acquire education which would have afforded me a means of livelihood and would not have been placed in a position to seek to others for help, that my efforts to help myself were of no avail and that now I cannot but lay myself at the mercy of and beseech your honor for aid which to lend me I am fully confident your honor would not refuse; for I am aware of that feeling which is so prevelent in the mind of every Englishman that one ought not to b.t a man when he is down.

4. That I beg to state that my sister instead of leaving me any estate left me to the care of the Government Agent our patron writing to him while on death bed in her letter of the 26th February 1894 in matter of giving me a helping hand and that the Government have also been gracious enough to lay down a lure as follows "when the relative in the 1st degree was a female, only a life pension to such as might be proved to have been dependant on her was to be given" Vide letter from Government of India dated 12th February 1862.

5. That under these circumstances I humb'y beg of you to lay my case before the Government of Madras and represent it,in such a way as to awaken their simpathy on my behalf and thus to arrange to have my grievances redressed by settling on me some maintenance allownnce which, if it only answers the purpose of satisfying the cravings of hunger I will thankfully accept.

With my good wishes to your honor.

17 Dathajiappa's Lane
Fort Tanjore
13th February 1896.

I am. honored sir,
Your mosst Obedient Servant,
(Signed) RAMASAMY NALAVADY.

The Government of Madras have recommended that the relations and dependants of the late Rajah be treated with liberality and consideration in their despatch dated 22nd November 1855.

Enclosure F.

Memo.

No. 104.

With reference to his petition dated 13th February 1896, Ramasawmy Nalavady is informed under instructions from the Government Agent Tanjore that his prayers having been rejected already by the Government agent in his orders No, 27 dated 1—2—95 it cannot be reopened.

Tanjore
Sirkle's Office,
18th September 1896.

(Signed) K. GOVINDA ROW,
Sirkele.

Enclosure G.

To

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR,
MADRAS,

The humble petition of Ramasamy Nalavady brother of Chinna Darumn Boyee Ammal one of the ladies of the late Rajah, Mungalavilasum Tanjore.

Most respectfully sheweth.

1. That the petitioner who is the brother of the late Chinna Darumu Boyee Ammal one of the ladies of the late Rajah's Mungalavilsum Tanjore had been for 24 years agent to his sister and that his sister allowed him Rs 15 per month besides allowing him lodging, feeding, clothing and supplying him with the necessary servants &c.

2. That the said Darumu Boyee Ammal sister of the petitioner had been favoured by Her Majesty's Government with a monthly allowance of Rs. 150. which was no doubt intended for the maintenance of herself and her kins. She supported the petitioner and his family and one Appena *alias* Klishnasawmy whom she brought up from his infancy.

3. That a day or two before his sister's death she wrote letters to Government Agent in Tanjore and to the Sirkele begging of them to recommend the petitioner and the said Appenna *alias* Kristnasami Bhoslai for a monthly subsistence allowance as both were solely dependent on her for their mantenance and were unable to earn their livelihood on account of their delicate state of health.

4. That the said Appenna *alias* Kristnasamy Bhoslai has been favored with an allowance in the shape of provisions worth Rs. 15 per mensem but the petitioner thongh of near a kin and was her Agent besides, has been left unprovided.

5. That the petitioner is still unable to work owing to the above cause.

6. The petitioner most humbly begs to bring to the notice of Your Excellency that in their G. O. dated 22nd Noveber 1855, the Government have notified that the relations and dependents of the late Raja shall be treated with liberality and consideration.

7. That the petitioner having no means whatever to depend upon most humbly and respectfully begs that under the circumstances Your Excellency may be graciously pleased to take his distressed and deplorable state into favourable consideration and grant him a small monthly allowance or make a concession similar to the one made to Kristnasami Bhoslai above mentioned.

8. For which act of generosity and charity the petitioner shall as in duty bound ever pray.

17 Datajiappa's Lane
Fort Tanjore
14th May 1898

Your Excellency's most obedient,
and humble Servant.
(Signeb) RAMASAWMY NALAVADI

Euclosure H.

Proceedings of the Madras Government Political Department.
Read the following petition.

From Ramasami Nalavadai brother of Chinna Darmu Boyee Ammal one of the ladies of the late Rajah's Mungalavilasm Tanjore dated 14th May 1898.

Order R. No. 156 dated 3rd June 1898.

B

The petition will be rejected under the following rule.

The Government will not receive a petition on any matter, unless it shall appear that the petitioner has first applied to the local authority, and also to the Board of Revenue or other controlling authority, where such exists.

The petition addressed to such local and controlling authorities, or copies of them, and the answers or orders of those authorities respectively, if any shall have been passed, must be annexed te the petition addressed to Government.

(Trne extract.)

To the Petitioner

(Signed) F. G. ROBERT,
For Chief Secretary.

1898
Jr. Dept.
Enclosure No. 1
To
G. No 1372

CURRENT No. 1372
CHIEF SECRETARY
25 OCT 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

To

His Excellency the Governor in Council, *MADRAS.*

The humble Memorial of Ramasamy Nalavadai, residing in Door No. 17, Datajiappa Lane, Tanjore Fort, Respectfully Sheweth.

May it please your Excellency.

That your Excellency's Memorialist is the brother of the late Madustri Chinna Darumu Boyee Ammal of the Seraglio of the Mungalavelasam Palace, Tanjore, that ever since she was admitted into the Rajah's harem, your Excellency's Memorialist shared the bounties of the lady, that he was appointed as her Agent with the sanction and approval of the Government Agent and that he enjoyed the confidence of his sister in that capacity until her death. (vide Enclosure A).

2. That the day previous to her demise, Madustri Chinna Darumu Boyee Ammal petitioned to the Collector and Government Agent through the Sirkle for some compassionate allowance being settled on him, (Vide Translation-Enclosure B.), that she repeated her request even in her last moments as will be seen from the enclosure B1, where she accentuated the helpless condition your Excellency's Memorialist was in, and these requests of hers evoked no response from the Government Agent.

3. That your Excellency's Memorialist thereupon ventured to send in a petition to the Government Agent on 12th November 1894 soliciting succour from Government (Vide Enclosure C), that in reply to this petition your Excellency's Memorialist was informed that the Government Agent could not do any thing for him (Vide Enclosure D), that your Excellency's Memorialist again renewed his application on 13th February 1896 (Vide Enclosure E) which elicited reply, Enclosure F, in which the same order was repeated.

4. That your Excellency's Memorialist as a last resort appealed to your Excellency's mercy for help (vide enclosure G); and that it pleased your Excellency's Government to issue the order Enclosure H., in obedience to which, he now submits herewith copies of previous correspondence in the matter.

5. That your Excellency's Memorialist most respectfully begs to submit that, as a member of the Royal family, he now finds his present position a peculiarly distressing one and that he looks up earnestly for support to the kindness and clemency of your Excellency, the chosen representative of the noble and generous British Government.

6. That there is no lack of funds from which to contribute some allowance towards the support of your Excellency's Memorialist, as large amounts have become lapsed to Government from time to time on the death of Royal pensioners.

7. That your Excellency's Memorialist most humbly prays that your Excellency will take into consideration the peculiarly distressing situation in which he now finds himself and sanction as a special act of favour the grant of such monthly allowance as your Excellency may deem proper and thus save him from otherwise a miserable end.

The petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.
Your Excellency's humble Memorialist.

24th October 1898.

A. Ramasami Nalavadai
V.

Political (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 1467

CHIEF SECRETARY
20 NOV. 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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21/11/98

From

The Government Agent
Tanjore

Order

No. 110

Dated 18th November 1898

Received 20 " "

Registered 21 " "

Enclosures Pol Cons 1372 Vide endos.

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SUBJECT.

Reporting that the claim of Ramasami Valavadai for the grant of a pension from the lapsed pension of his sister, a Mangalavilas lady, is inadmissible.

BACK PAPERS.

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CURRENT No 1466

Tanjore Government Agency
13th November 1898.
Despatched 18th November 1898

No 110

From

J. Twigg Esquire
Government Agent,
Tanjore

To The Chief Secretary to Government,
Political Department
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to Government Endorsement No 2316 dated 28th October 1898, I have the honour to report that the petitioner — Ramasami Nalavadai is the brother of late Mr. Chinna Dharmoo Boi Ammal of Mankala-Vilas, who was in receipt of a monthly pension of Rs 150 a month. He, in his present petition, requests for the grant of a monthly pension to him from the lapsed pension of his sister.

No 62 in List A appended to G.O No 705 5.12.59

2.

2. As the pension granted to the above said lady is not heritable under para 15 of Government Order No. 705 dated 5th December 1859, the petitioner's claim to any portion of that pension is inadmissible.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

Hanumanta Rau
15/5/98

By For Government Agent.

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[G. / 25 A / 500—9-8-98.]

Political DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 1461.

SUBJECT.

Report of Govt. Agent, Tanjo
on petition of Rama Sami Nai
vadai, brother of late stipendia
ry Chinna Dharma Boi Amma

FOR ORDERS.

This petition, addressed to His Excellency the Govr. in Council, pra
for an allowance from the lapsed
stipend of petitioner's sister Chinn
Dharma Boi. The Govt. Agent a
Tanjore reports that the latter enj
ed a monthly pension of Rs 150/
which is non-heritable & that the
request of petitioner is, in conse-
quence, in-admissable.

2 This pension was granted to
In Chinna Dharma Boi as a
member of the Seraglio of the late
Raja Sivaji of Tanjore in para 1
of GO No 705 dy 5th December 185
Her name appears as No 62 of
Mr Phillips' list A referred to in
para 12 of the same GO. In par
15 it is ordered as follows — "

"should be distinctly stated to them
(the persons composing the major
portion of list A including No 62)
"that their pension will on no ac
"be continued on lapse, wholly or
"in part."

3 Under these circumstances,
it is submitted, the petitioner is
absolutely without claim on Govt
& may be informed that his request
is inadmissable.

A Draft order is put up herewith
for approval.

24/11/98. C.M.S. 25.11.98

28/11/98.

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1,000—11-10-98.

Political DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 1372 From ~~the~~ Ramasami Nalavadai, No ——, dated 24th Dec 1898.

„ 1461 „ „ Govt Agent Tanjore, „ 110, „ 18th Nov 1898.

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Order No 8220/30-11-98

The petitioner will be informed that his request is inadmissible.

Cmb 25.XI.98

28/11/98.

To Ramasami Nalavadai -
No 17 Datajiappa Lane -
Tanjore Fort.
- S. A Tanjore.

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