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OCTOBER.

Carnatic Stipends.

Passing orders on the proposals of the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, for the distribution of a portion of the stipend of the late Sulṭán Aḥmad Sáḥib amongst his heirs and dependants.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

From Captain R. F. R. FORMBY, I.S.C., Acting Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chepâk, 30th August 1899, No. 349.

I have the honour to report the demise on 9th July 1899 of Carnatic stipendiary, No. 6-A, Sultán Aḥmad Ṣáḥib. The deceased was in the enjoyment of a monthly stipend of Rs. 138–14–2 under G.O., No. 190, dated 5th July 1867, and leaves the following heirs and dependants :—

1. Táj-ud-dín Aḥmad	Nikah son	by No. 3.
2. Haidar Husain	" " widow.	
3. Ṣábit-un-nisá	" Illegitimate widow.	
4. Ṭipú Bí	" daughter	by No. 4.
5. Núr-un-nisá	" "	
6. Aḥmad-un-nisá	" Dependant.	Children of Nos. 3 and 4 by their former husbands.
7. ʻAbd-ur-raḥím (aged 35 years)	"	
8. Ghulám Maḥmúd (aged 30 years)	"	
9. Karím Bí (aged 30 years—a widow)	"	

2. The deceased submitted a list of his heirs and dependants to this office on 1st December 1884 and 7th May 1888 in which he gives the above nine names, the first six as his heirs and the last three as his dependants. Nos. 3 and 4 are shown by him as his nikahi wives, whereas on enquiry I learn that both being sisters, the nikah of the 2nd, viz., No. 4, was void under the Muhammadan Law; also Ṭipú Bí herself declares that she was not legally married to the deceased but craves that she and her two daughters may not be deprived of their shares. She is a sickly old woman suffering with acute asthma and of her two daughters, No. 5 is married to a person who is unemployed and in indigent circumstances and has a son; the other daughter, No. 6, is unmarried. I have, therefore, in allotting shares to the family of the deceased, treated them as chief dependants of the late Sultán Aḥmad Ṣáḥib similarly to the illegitimate children of the late Sultán Bakhsh and Dílair Jang whose cases were disposed of by G.Os., Nos. 696, 697 and 777, Political, dated 29th October and 28th November 1888, respectively, by which the illegitimate daughters of both the above persons were treated as dependants and allotted shares equal to half of the nikahi daughters.

3. The stipend drawn by the late Sultán Aḥmad Ṣáḥib is returned "continuable" —*vide* serial No. 60, appendix A, Part I, to G.O., No. 135, Political, dated 1st March 1897, page 4. I beg therefore to recommend a continuation of Rs. 92–9–6 being two-thirds of the lapsing stipend to be apportioned as follows according to Lord Clive's scale approved of by G.O., No. 778, Political, dated 29th November 1888 :—

	Shares.	Per mensem. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Táj-ud-dín Aḥmad	2	26	8	0
2. Haidar Husain	2	26	8	0
3. Ṣábit-un-nisá	1	13	4	0
4. Ṭipú Bí	½	6	10	0
5. Núr-un-nisá	½	6	10	0
6. Aḥmad-un-nisá	½	2	2	6
7. Abd-ur-raḥím		2	2	6
8. Ghulám Maḥmúd		2	2	6
9. Karím Bí				
Total	6½	92	9	6

4. With the exception of the shares of Nos. 7 and 8 the rest will be paid in the shape of monthly stipends under clause (*b*), paragraph I of G.O., No. 359, Political, dated 22nd May 1885, and under G.O., No. 422, Political, dated 29th June 1895. The shares of Nos. 7 and 8 will be capitalized and paid off. These two men are in the prime of life and do nothing but go about as faqírs and do not seem fitting objects of charity in any way. A statement showing the amount of bonuses payable to them will, as usual, be submitted through the Accountant-General, Madras, together with their age and health certificates, after the disposal by Government of my present report.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 707, POLITICAL, DATED 19TH OCTOBER 1899.

Letter from the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends. No. 349, dated 30th August 1899.

NOTE.

The Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, submits proposals for the continuation of a portion of the stipend of the late Sultán Aḥmad Ṣáḥib * who, as a Carnatic (1801) stipendiary, was in receipt of a pension of Rs. 138-14-2 per mensem. This pension is returned "continuable."

* Serial No. 210 in Quinquennial list.

thus

2. It seems that in 1884, and again in 1888, the deceased submitted to the Paymaster's office lists of his "heirs and dependants"; the latter list has been adopted by the Paymaster as a basis for distribution. The list consists of—

A nikahi widow and two sons. †
A concubine and two illegitimate daughters. ‡
Three dependants. §

† Nos. 1—3 in Paymaster's list.
‡ Nos. 4—6 do.
§ Nos. 7—9 do.

3. The proposals of the Paymaster as regards the shares of the nikahi widow and the sons respectively (Nos. 1—3) are in accordance with standing orders and may, it is submitted, be approved.

Vide scale in G.O., No. 778, Political, dated 29th November 1888.

4. The illegitimate relatives, however, are debarred by G.O., No. 149, Political, dated 27th June 1882, from any "*share*" in the stipend, though it is open to Government to make them a compassionate grant as "dependants." The Paymaster proposes to provide for them as such and to give them a "half share" each quoting, as a precedent, the cases of the illegitimate children of the late Sultán Bakhsh and Dilár Jang in 1888. It should be pointed out, however, that in the former precedent, a case of peculiar intricacy was involved and the case was decided, not by giving "shares" but by grant, by arbitrary amounts, of Rs. 5 or Rs. 2 to each according to the believed status of the dependants. In the second precedent quoted (Dilár Jang) a concubine and her three children received arbitrary amounts of Rs. 2 per mensem each; no "shares" of any sort being allotted. The "half shares" now proposed by the Paymaster for Nos. 4—6 represent the amounts which would be continuable to nikahi grand-children under the prescribed scale and involve the grant of a total pension of Rs. 19-14-0 per mensem to a mere concubine and her two daughters.

G.O., No. 696, Political, dated 29th October 1888.
G.O., No. 777, Political, dated 28th November 1888.

No "share" should, I submit, be given to a concubine: but I think a compassionate grant may well be made. There is little difference between a nikahi wife and a concubine, though there is a difference, which might be marked by making the compassionate grant, say Rs. 19 against Rs. 19-14-0, the nikahi "share."

(Intld.) G.S.
27-9-99.

It is submitted that this a more liberal allowance than is at all necessary and also that whatever is granted should be granted as an "arbitrary amount" and not be in any way a recognition of any right of people of their status to "share" in a Government pension. Thus undesirable and awkward precedents may be avoided. It is submitted that an arbitrary amount of Rs. 5 for life to each of these three persons would be a sufficiently generous grant, this being the largest amount so granted in either of the precedents quoted by the Paymaster.

Nos. 4—6.

5. In the case of Nos. 7 and 8 the Paymaster has assigned to each, as dependants, an arbitrary grant of Rs. 2-2-6 each, to be commuted and paid off. The Paymaster states at the same time that these two men are in the prime of life and do nothing but go about as fakirs and are "not fit objects of charity in any way." Under such circumstances there is no call on Government, it is submitted, to grant them any bonus whatever, as, not only do grants to dependants rest entirely on the pleasure of

See paragraph 4 of the Paymaster's letter.

Government, but it positively appears that they are not "dependants" at all, being "fakirs." The Paymaster's recommendation of them as dependants seems to rest entirely on the fact that they were included among the "heirs" of the deceased in 1888, in which year the latter filed a list of his heirs in the Paymaster's office.

Paragraph 2 of the Paymaster's letter. See also paragraph 2 of this note.

6. The last name in the list is Karím Bí who is a widow, 30 years of age, and a "dependant." The Paymaster proposes for her Rs. 2–2–6. There appears no reason, however, why she should fare worse than the concubine and her children especially as she was herself a child of either the nikahi widow or the concubine (it is not said which) by earlier husbands than the deceased. It is submitted, therefore, that it would be only equitable to treat her the same as Nos. 4—6 and give her an arbitrary grant of Rs. 5 per mensem for life.

She seems not to be a dependant of the deceased but of the deceased wife or concubine, and I think therefore that Rs. 5 is ample.

(Intld.) G.S.
27–9–99.

7. If these proposals should be approved, the distribution of two-thirds of the stipend (Rs. 100–14–2) of the deceased would stand as follows:—

			Rs.	A.	P.
	1.	Táj-ud-dín Ahmad (nikahi son), 2 shares	29	0	7
	2.	Haidar Husain (do.), 2 shares	29	0	7
	3.	Šábit-un-nisá (nikahi widow), 1 share	14	8	3
	4.	Tipú Bí (dependant)	5	0	0
Rs. 6–5–4 each = Rs. 19.	5.	Núr-un-nisá (dependant)	5	0	0
	6.	Ahmad-un-nisá (do.)	5	0	0
	7.	Karim Bí (do.)	5	0	0
		Total ..	92	9	5

(Intld.) G.S.
27–7–99.

8. It is submitted that these amounts may, if approved, be expressly stated to be "for life * only" and thus claims by future descendants, if they should ever be made, can be easily dealt with. In the case of Nos. 7—8 it may be stated, to avoid further correspondence, that Government declines to recognise them as being dependants of the deceased.

* Sultán Ahmad was fourth in descent from the original grantee—*vide* No. 252 on page 7 of G.O., No. 359, Political, dated 22nd May 1885, and Colonel Bayne's list of 1885 meditated all fifth descent pensions as being treated as non-continuable.

(Intld.) C.M.S.
27–9–99.

(Intld.) F.W.G.
25–9–99.

(Intld.) C.M.S.
27–9–99.

(Intld.) G.S.
27–9–99.

Note by H.E. the Governor.

The proposal is sanctioned as set forth in paragraphs 7 and 8 of this note.

(Intld.) A.E.H.
2–10–99.

Note for H.E. the Governor—

As I am not certain of His Excellency's intention with reference to the disposal of this paper, which involves a principle as regards the grant of compassionate allowances, I re-submit the file with the following remarks.

The pension in question here is of the 1801 class and the recognised rule in the case of these pensions is to continue not more than two-thirds * amongst those who have been dependant on the stipend. It has been decided that Nos. 4—6 and 9 in the Paymaster's list should be treated as dependants on the stipend and that they should be given arbitrary compassionate

* Rs. 92–9–5.
Issue this order.

(Intld.) G.S.
16–10–99.

grants. These compassionate grants will therefore have to be deducted from the two-thirds portion of the stipend and the remainder of this portion divided according to Lord Clive's scale between the nikahi offspring Nos. 1—3 in the Paymaster's list. The result, therefore, of increasing these compassionate grants will be to decrease the money shares of the nikahi offspring. As will be observed from the draft order below, the share of each nikahi son will, under the proposal to raise the arbitrary grants from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6–5–4 each in the cases of Nos. 4—6, be reduced from Rs. 29–0–7 as originally suggested in the office-note to Rs. 27–7–0 and of the nikahi daughter from Rs. 14–8–3 to Rs. 13–11–6. These amounts are, however, larger than those originally proposed by the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.

(Intld.) G.S.
6–10–99.

Note by H. E. the Governor.

I think the Chief Secretary's modification is preferable. It would, I think, work out as follows:—

		Rs.	A.	P.
No. 1—2 shares		27	7	0
„ 2—2 „		27	7	0
„ 3—1 share		13	11	6
„ 4—compassionate allowance		6	5	4
„ 5 „ „		6	5	4
„ 6 „ „		6	5	4
„ 9 „ „		5	0	0
	Total ..	92	9	6

(Intld.) A.E.H.
14–10–99.

Order—No. 707, Political, dated 19th October 1899.

The Paymaster's proposal to continue two-thirds of the stipend of the late Sultán Aḥmad Sáḥib to his dependants is approved. The Government declines, however, to recognise either Abd-ur-rahím or Ghulám Mahmúd as having any claim to the portion of the stipend continued.

The division of two-thirds of the stipend will be made as follows:—

	Shares.	Per mensem. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Táj-ud-dín Aḥmad	2	27	7	0
2. Haidar Husain	2	27	7	0
3. Sábit-un-nisá	1	13	11	6
4. Tipú Bí	Compassionate grants.	6	5	4
5. Núr-un-nisá		6	5	4
6. Aḥmad-un-nisá		6	5	4
7. Karím Bí		5	0	0
Total ..		92	9	6

2. The foregoing grants are life grants and will not be continued after the death of the holders.

(True Extract.)

G. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

To the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.
„ Accountant-General.

Exd. A. F. Eccleston.

Political (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 1159

CHIEF SECRETARY
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

From The Asg: Paymaster Carnatic Stipends Chepauk

Order

No. 349 of 1899

Dated 30th August 1899.

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Enclosures Nil.

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SUBJECT.

Reports the demise of Carnatic Stipendiary No. 6 Ct. Sultan Ahmed Sahib and recommends a confirmation of the two thirds of his stipend amongst his heirs and dependants.

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No 349 of 1899.

Paymaster Carnatic Stipends
Office Chepak 30th August 1899.

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From

Captain R. F. R. Fomby I. S. C.
Ag. Paymaster Carnatic Stipends
Chepak

To,

The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honour to report the demise on
9th July 1899 of Carnatic Stipendiary No 64, Sultan
Ahmad Sahib. The deceased was in the enjoyment
a monthly Stipend of Rs 138-14-2 under G.O. No 190 da
5th July 1867, and leaves the following heirs and dependan

1. Taj.nd.din ahmad . . . . Nikah wife } By No 3.
2. Haidar Hosain . . . . . do do }
3. Sabitha.nn.nisa . . . . . do widow
4. Jafan Bi . . . . . Illegitimate widow
5. Nur.nn.nisa . . . . . do. daughter } By No
6. Ahmad.nn.nisa . . . . . do do }
7. Abdur.rahim (Aged 35 years) dependant } children No 37. their for
8. Ghulam Mahmud (Aged 30 years) do
9. Karim Bi. (Aged 30 years - a widow) do

2. The deceased submitted a list of his heirs
and dependants to this office on 1st December 1884 an

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7th May 1888 in which he gives the above 9 names, the first 6 as his heirs and the last 3 as his dependants. Nos 3 & 4 are shown by him as his Nikahi wives, whereas on Enquiry I learn that both being Sisters, the nikah of the 2nd viz. No 4 was void under the Mohammadan Law; also Zipu Bi herself declares that she was not legally married to the deceased but craves that she and her 2 daughters may not be deprived of their shares. She is a sickly old woman suffering with acute asthma and of her 2 daughters No 5 is married to a person who is unemployed and in indigent circumstances and has a Son; the other daughter No 6 is unmarried. I have therefore, in allotting shares to the family of the deceased, treated them as chief dependants of the late Sultan Ahmad Sahib similarly to the illegitimate children of the late Sultan Bakhsh and Sikander Jang whose cases were disposed of by Gos Nos 697 and 777 dated 29th October and 28th November 1888 "Political" respectively, by which the illegitimate daughters of both the above persons were treated as dependants and allotted shares equal to half of the nikahi daughters.

The Stipend drawn by the late Sultan Ahmad Sahib is returned "Continuable" vide Serial No, appendix A, Part I to Gos No 135 dated 1st March 1889 "Political" Page 4. I beg therefore to recommend continuation of the 92:9:6 being two-thirds of the existing Stipend to be apportioned as follows according to Lord Clives Scale approved of by Gos No 778 dated 28th November 1888 "Political".

1. Taj-ud-din Ahmad	2. Shares	—	Rs 26-8-0
2. Haidar Husain	2. do	—	Rs 26-8-0
3. Sabith-un-nisa	1. do	—	Rs 13-4-0
4. Zipu Bi	½ do	—	Rs 6-10-0
5. Nur-un-nisa	½ do	—	Rs 6-10-0
6. Ahmad-un-nisa	½ do	—	Rs 6-10-0
7. Abdur-rahim	—	—	Rs 2-2-6
8. Ghulam Muhammad	—	—	Rs 2-2-6
9. Karim Bi	—	—	Rs 2-2-6
Total	6½ Shares	—	Rs 92-9-6

4. With the exception of the shares of Nos 7 & 8 the rest will be paid in the Shape of monthly Stipends under clause (b) para I of Gos No 359 dated 22nd May 1885 "Political" and No 422 dated 29th June 1895 "Political". The shares of Nos 7 & 8 will be capitalized and paid off. These two men are in the prime of life and do nothing but go about as Fagirs and do not seem fitting objects of charity in any way. A Statement showing the amounts of bonuses payable to them will, as usual, be submitted through the Accountant General, Madras, together with their age and health certificates after the disposal by Government of my present report.

I have the honour to be
Sir
your most obedient Servant

R. H. Tomby Capt
Ag: Paymaster Carnatic
Stipendiary Chiefs

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Continuation of a lapsed Stipend (Carnatic)

Notes connected with Go. No 707, Poll dt 19-10-99

C. No. 1159 From the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, No. 549, dated 30th Aug. 1899.

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Note.

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Serial No 210 in Gen'l list —

The Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, submits proposals for the continuation of a portion of the stipend of the late Sultan Ahmad Sahib who, as a Carnatic (1801) Stipendiary, was in receipt of a pension of R. 158-14-3 per mensem. This pension is returned "continuable."

2. It seems that in 1884, and again in 1888, the deceased submitted to the Paymaster's office lists of his "heirs and dependants"; the latter list has been adopted by the Paymaster as a basis for distribution. The list consists of -

(Nos. 1 - 3 in Paymaster's list in current.) --- A Nikahi widow and two sons;

(Nos. 4 - 6 -do- -do-) --- A concubine and two illegitimate daughters;

(Nos. 7 - 9 -do- -do-) --- Three dependants;

3. The proposals of the Paymaster as regards the shares of the Nikahi widow and the sons respectively (Nos. 1 - 3) are in accordance with standing orders

X (Vide scale in G.O. 773, Poll. dated 29th Novr. 1888.)

and

and may, it is submitted be approved.

4. The illegitimate relatives, however, are debarred by G.O. No. 149, Poll., dated 27th June 1883 from any "share" in the stipend, though it is open to Govt. to make them a compassionate grant as "dependants". The Paymaster proposes to provide for them as such and to give them a "½ share" each quoting, as a precedent, the cases of the illegitimate children of the late sultan Bakhsh and Deler Jang in 1888. It should be pointed out, however, that in the former precedent a case of peculiar intricacy was involved and the case was decided, not by giving "shares" but by grant by of arbitrary amounts, of Rs. 5 or Rs. 2 to each according to the believed status of the dependants. In the second precedent quoted (Deler Jang) a concubine and her three children received arbitrary amounts of Rs. 2 per mensem each; no "shares" of any sort being allotted. The "½ shares" now proposed by the Paymaster for Nos. 4-6 represent the amounts which would be continuable to Nikahi grand-children under the prescribed scale and involve the grant of a total pension of Rs. 19-14-0 per mensem to a mere concubine and her two daughters. It is submitted that this a more liberal allowance than is at all necessary and also that whatever is granted should be granted as an "arbitrary amount" and not be in any way a recognition of any right of people of their status to "share" in a Govt. pension. Thus undesirable

and

Gov 699 Pol dy 29-10-88.
" 777 " " 28-11-88.

In "these" Nos I submit to pension to a concubine: but I think a compassionate grant may well be made. There is little difference between a Nikahi wife and a concubine. Though there is a difference which might be marked by making the compassionate grant say Rs. 19-0-0 & not 19-14-0 the Nikahi "share"

W.S.J.

Nos. 4–6

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See also para 2 of this note –

and awkward precedents may be avoided. It is submitted that an arbitrary amount of Rs. 5 for life to each of these three persons would be a sufficiently generous grant, this being the largest amount so granted in either of the precedents quoted by the Paymaster.

5. In the case of Nos. 7 & 8 the Paymaster has assigned to each, as dependants, an arbitrary grant of Rs. 2-8-6 each, to be commuted and paid off. The Paymaster states at the same time that these two men are in the prime of life and do nothing but go about as Fakirs and are "not fit objects of charity in any way". Under such circumstances there is no call on Govt., it is submitted, to grant them any bonus whatever, as, not only do grants to dependants rest entirely on the pleasure of Govt but it positively appears that they are not "dependants" at all – being "fakirs." The Paymaster's recommendation of them as dependants seems to rest entirely on the fact that they were included among the "heirs" of the deceased in 1888 in which year the latter filed a list of his heirs in the Paymaster's office.

6. The last name in the list is Karim Bi who is a widow of 50 years of age and a "dependant". The Paymaster proposes for her Rs. 2-8-6. There appears no reason, however, why she should fare worse than the concubine and her children especially as she was herself a child of either the Nikahi widow or the con-

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(it is not said which) by earlier husbands than the deceased. It is submitted therefore, that it would be only equitable to treat her the same as Nos. 4 - 6 and give her an arbitrary grant of Rs. 5 per mensem for life.

7. If these proposals should be approved the distribution of two thirds of the stipend (Rs. 92-14-2) of the deceased would stand as follows:-

(See para 1 of ct)

The Imam not to be a dependant of the deceased but of the deceased wife or concubine. and I think therefore that this is ample.

27.9.99.

		Rs.	As.	Ps.	
1.	Taj-ud-din Ahmad — Ns. - 2 shares — — —	29	0	7	✓
2.	Haidar Hussain — Ns. - 2 shares — — —	29	0	7	✓
3.	Sabith-un-nisa — Nw. - 1 share — — —	14	8	8	✓
4.	Tipu Bi — — — Dependant — — — — —	5	0	0	✓
5	Nur-un-nisa — — — — -do- — — — — — —	5	0	0	= 6. 5. 4
6.	Ahmad-un-nisa — — — — -do- — — — — —	5	0	0	19th. Each.
7.	Karim Bi — — — — — -do- — — — — —	5	0	0	
	Total	92	9	5	

27.9.99.

8. It is submitted that these amounts may, if approved, be expressly stated to be "for life only" and thus claims by future descendants, if they should ever be made, can be easily dealt with. In the case of Nos. 7 - 8 it may be stated, to avoid further correspondence, that Govt. declines to recognise them as being dependants of the deceased.

H.W.G. 25/9/99 Civil 27.9.99

Draft Order submd.

H.W.G. 14.X.99

* Sultan Ahmad Baksh was fourth in descent from the original grantee - vide No. 252 on p. 76 S.D. No. 359. Pol & 22.5.55 & Col. Bayne's List of 1855 mediated all Stipends as being declared as non-continuable

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The proposal is mentioned in ref forth in paras. 7 and 8 of this Note.

H.S.H. 2.10.99

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Note for H.E. the Governor.

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As I am not certain of H.E.'s intentions with reference to the disposal of this paper, which involves a principle as regards the grant of compassionate allowances, I resubmit the file with the following remarks.

The pension in question here is of the 1801 class and the recognised rule in the case of these pensions is to continue not more than two-thirds amongst those who have been dependant on the stipend. It has been decided that Nos. 4 - 6 and 9 in the Paymaster's list should be treated as dependants on the stipend and that they should be given arbitrary compassionate grants. These compassionate grants will therefore have to be deducted from the two-thirds portion of the stipend and the reminder of this portion divided according to Lord Clive's scale, between the nikahi offspring Nos. 1 - 5 in the Paymaster's list. The result, therefore, of increasing these compassionate grants will be to decrease the money shares of the nikahi offspring. As will be observed from the draft order below, under the proposal to raise the arbitrary grants from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6-5-4 Each in the cases of Nos. 4 - 6 the share of each nikahi son will be reduced from Rs. 29-0-7 as originally suggested in the office note to Rs. 27-7-0 and of the nikahi daughter from Rs. 14-8-8 to

Rs. 92-9-5. Issue the order

I think the Chief Sec's modification is preferable. It would, I think, work out as follows:-

No. 1 - 2 shares —	Rs. 27. 7. 0
No. 2. " —	27. 7. 0
No. 3 - 1 share —	13. 11. 6
No. 4 (Imam's wife)	6. 5. 4
No. 5 " " —	6. 5. 4
No. 6 " " —	6. 5. 4
No. 9 " "	5. 0. 0
Total	Rs. 92. 9. 6

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R. 13-11-6. These amounts are however, larger than those originally proposed by the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.

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Political DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 1159 From the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends No. 349, dated 30 - 8 - 1899

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Note

Please see my order issue thereon in separate Note attached.

MR 5/10

Order No 707 dy 19.10.99
P.S.

The Paymaster's proposal to continue two thirds of the stipend of the late Sultan Ahmad Sahib to his dependants is approved.

The Govt declines, however, to recognise either Abdur-rahim or Ghulam Mahmud as having any claim to the portion of the stipend continued.

The division of two thirds of the stipend will be made as follows

1	Saif-ud-din Ahmad	2 shares	Rs 27-7-0
2	Haidar Hussain	2 shares	27-7-0
3	Sabitha um nisa	1 share	13-11-6
4	Jeppu Bi	Compassionate Grant	6-5-4
5	Nur-un-nisa		6-5-4
6	Ahmad-un-nisa		6-5-4
	Karim Bi		5-0-2
			Rs 92-9-6

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8 | 3 = 2-10-6
3 | 3 = 11-6

Note for the CS

In the note the CS has bracketed together Nos 5.6.7 for Rs 6-5-4 each. It is believed that the intention was to have bracketed Nos 4.5.6, leaving No 7 with Rs 5-0-0 only. (Vide CS's note agg para 6)

Nos 1.2.3 get only Rs 26-8-0 + Rs 13-4-0 by the Paymaster's division. These are raised, in the note, to Rs 29-0-7 + Rs 14-8-3 in the note to make up the two thirds as per custom. They are now reduced to Rs 27-7-0 + 13-11-5 in Dft Order for same purpose. This understanding of CS's intention is obtained for approval.

HE has approved of paras 7 & 8 of the note which are followed.

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2. The foregoing grants are for life only and will not be continued after the death of the present holders, respectively.

F.W.G. 4/10/99 Chief 6/

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