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Public DEPARTMENT.

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21-9-36

No. 90. Read the following letter from the Conservator of Forests, to the Secretary to the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department, Fort Saint George; dated Ootacamund, 6th January 1866, No. 1533.

I lately arrived at Pollachy, soon after the demise of Native Surgeon S. B. Kanagaroyen, and am desirous of bringing his case, through you, to the notice of Government.

2. Pollachy Taluq is the garden of Coimbatore; in it are several large Zemindaries. The Cusbah village is the nearest healthy point to the Annamallay Hills, all the villages in the basin or shadow of the Hills being notoriously unhealthy.

3. The people largely aided by the Zemindars, soon after the appointment of Kanagaroyen in 1857, raised a subscription and built a Hospital, which was completed in 1859-60. The funds, mainly obtained from the Native Community, amounted to 25,000 Rupees, of which, I believe, 14,000 Rupees remain invested in Government Security, for the maintenance of the Hospital.

4. The salary of Native Surgeon Kanagaroyen, 100 Rupees, and of the Native Dresser, have been paid by Government. The cost of the building, the diet of the in-patients, and of part of the stock of medicine were defrayed by local subscription.

5. The Hospital is a great benefit to the neighbourhood, especially to the feverish villages around the base of the Annamallays, and to the Forest employes (as noted in the Forest Reports) who obtain advice and medicine, without the necessity of visiting Coimbatore. All the good that has been done is mainly owing to the late Surgeon Kanagaroyen, who was a Native of Tanjore, and a Graduate of the Medical College. He died suddenly on the 1st ultimo, in the prime of life, leaving a widow and four children unprovided for.

6. I apprehend that the circumstances are not such as to warrant the expectation of a pension to the widow; but, on your recommendation, Government might perhaps give a donation to supplement the fund at present being raised by subscription in the District, by a Committee of native friends of the deceased, to be invested in Government Security by Mr. Grant, Collector of Coimbatore, for the benefit of the family.

7. As a former teacher in the Medical College, who has watched the career of those who have passed under his observation, and having in this case had peculiar opportunities of seeing the work of Kanagaroyen, I deem it a duty to submit this statement for your consideration. The statistics of the Pollachy Hospital give evidence of the work done, but, I believe, that the unseen influence for good amongst their countrymen of such men as Kanagaroyen, in Coimbatore, and of the late Francis Appavoo, in Madras, is not easily estimated.

8. I trust that a suitable successor may be found to supply the vacancy. Before despatching this letter I submit it to Mr. Grant, for any observation.

MEMORANDUM.

It is with pleasure that I endorse the sentiments expressed by Dr. Cleghorn, in the accompanying letter, in favor of the late Native Surgeon Kanagaroyen. The success of the Pollachy Hospital is mainly due to his exertions. His courtesy and kindness to all, rich and poor, who came to him for Medical advice, won their esteem, and his success in their treatment ensured their confidence. The liberal subscriptions contributed by the inhabitants of Oodamulpetta and Pollachy Taluqs, for the support of the Hospital, testify to the high opinion entertained by them of the Native Surgeon and the Institution over which he presided.

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2. He might have made money, had he been more anxious about his private interests than the general good to be diffused through the medium of the Hospital. He died a poor man, in the prime of life, leaving a widow and several children, whose case, I trust, will receive the favorable consideration of Government.

OOTACAMUND,

8th January 1866.

(Signed) P. GRANT,
Collector.

No. 13.

MEMORANDUM.

The undersigned has the honor to forward, for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Governor in Council, this recommendation of the Conservator of Forests, supported by the Collector of Coimbatore, for the munificence of Government to be displayed towards the family of a valuable public servant, who died leaving no means of support for them, and to add his recommendation that a gratuity be added by Government to the Fund being collected for the above purpose.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
12th January 1866.

(Signed) R. COLE,
Principal Insp. Genl., Medl. Dept.

Transferred to the Public Department, with the remarks of the Members of Government.

23rd January 1866.

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Acting Under Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

No. 91.

ORDER THEREON, 29th January 1866, No. 86.

The Governor in Council will take into consideration the case of the family of the late S. B. Kanagaroyen, on being informed, by the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department, of the period of the deceased Native Surgeon's public service, and, by the Collector, of the amount of the contributions likely to be raised, or actually raised, to form a fund for the support of his family.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department.
,, Collector of Coimbatore.

Sd. J. H. Burns.

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Colacacumond?
8th January 1862

R. Hunt
Collector

It would be proper, I think, to contribute
to the Fund &c. is said to be in prospect of re-
hydration; but, I think the Govt. are ignorant of
the sum which has been raised, or actually raised,
and nothing is known as to the period of the
late natural suspension & public service, it is
difficult to determine the amount to be

contributed - I would ask for & await inform-
on these points. I meanwhile leave the Collector to
ascertain what is the disposition of the Govt.

Yes. This should be done in the Ad-
min. Dept. as suggested by

Mr. Sim. These papers may be
found in the 1st Dept. J. J.

gm (W)

to Mr
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For Order

If put are
disposed to make
any grant, I think
it had better be
done in the Public
Dept. It is not
desirable to be
opening for con-
sideration in the
Forest Dept. which
after all is too
lately the smallest
of all affected by
the Disfranchising
Bill

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From
The Conservator of Forests,

To The Secretary Principal
Inspector General
Medical Department
Fort Saint George

Dated 6th
Received 18th
Dec 24 } January 1866

No. 1533.
No 80 . Enclosure No. 1

Adverting to the Services of
the late Major General
Hannaford and proposing
that Government be soli-
cited to grant a donation
to his family.

1866

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Wm. H. George
12th Jan'y 1866.

Robt. H. H.
Principal Inspectoral
Medical Department

Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Recd the following letter
from the (Governor of Travancore).
(Dated 6th January 1866. 12.1583)

Order thereon 29 January 1866. 12.85

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Transposed to the
Public Dept. with
the remarks of the Secy.
Genl. of Govt.
J. H. D. L.
At a meeting of the Govt.
Public Dept.

To the Collector of Travancore, Secy. Dept. } despatched
" Collector of Coimbatore —

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No. 88.

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

FD No 142-277-4307

Dated 29 January 1881.

*The, being of denuncing
the late Walter Duggan
Kavanaugh called for
preparing to contributing
towards the support of
his family.*