

Public (1897) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 1163

DATED 3-9-97

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Informing Mrs. Murphy, ~~Pa~~ of Pallavara
that her husband has not appeared
to Claim his pension since April 96
& when he claims its payment
the deductions ordered for her
maintenance will be duly made.

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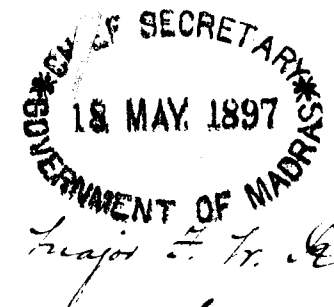
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Public (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 1880



From

Majr. F. Cornilly B.S.O.
Military Secretary
to H.E. the Governor.

Order

No. 51

Transferred to the Controller
Military Accounts.

Form. 100/18/97.

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26/5/97.

Dated 14 May 1897.

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SUBJECT.

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note to be subd. to U.S. There were
before in final also

Transferring a petition dated
13 May 1897, from Mrs. A. Murphy,
praying that her husband may be
enforced to give her the maintenance
ordered by the Court.

2. His Excellency the Governor hopes,
if it may be found possible to do
something for this woman.

F. Cornilly Majr.
Military Secretary

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Public (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 1880



From

The Military Secretary to
H.E. the Governor

ENDORSEMENT *N: 116973 June 1897*
Order

Transferred to the Controller,
Military Accounts.

No. 1

Francis
For Chief Secretary.

Dated 17th
Received 18th
Registered 19th

MAY 1897.

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SUBJECT.

Transferring a petition dated
13th May 1897 from Mrs. M.A. Murphy praying
that her husband may be enforced to give
her the maintenance decreed by the Court.
2. H.E. the Governor hopes it may
be found possible to do something for this
woman.

(Signed) F. Romilly Major
Military Secretary.

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CURRENT.

To His Excellency Sir Arthur Herbert Harcourt, G.C.S.I.
G.C.I.R.
Governor-in-Council of the
Presidency of Fort St. George and its
dependencies

The Humble petition of Mrs M. A. Murphy.

Humbly Sheweth,

I. That your Excellency's petitioner is the ^{wife} ~~mother~~ of
E. D. Murphy of your Excellency's bands.

II. That soon after he was pensioned he ill-
treated and left petitioner.

III. That by direction of the Civil Court Pense
Murphy who went to Bombay leaving petitioner
behind in Madras paid her Rs 100/- out of his
pension for about a year, which was
remitted by the pension authorities who
stopped that sum from Pense Murphy's
pension.

IV. That subsequently the remittance
ceased on Pense Murphy leaving Bombay
for St Thomas's Mount.

V. That for want of support petitioner
took service and remained in such service
for about a year during which period
she never troubled her husband for her
support, but on losing employment owing
to the departure of her ~~employment~~
employer for England she was compelled
to

to her of the sum of Rupees (10) Ten decreed by the Court.

XIII. Petitioner would crave to add that she is the daughter of Corporal T. O'Kelly of the First Madras Fusiliers who died at Cawnpore during the Indian Mutiny, also that her former husband was a Private in the 84th Foot, whose name was T. Sullivan & who also served in the Indian Mutiny.

XIV. That Petitioner is left quite destitute with four helpless children, three of whom are those of the late Pte Sullivan and one, the last, of Pemsimer Murphy.

XV. In these circumstances Petitioner craves your Excellency's help in the matter of directing a regular payment to her of her support for which act of grace your humble petition will as in duty bound ever pray.

M. A. Murphy

Pallavaram
Veterans Line.
13th May 1897.

to seek the help of the Court again in order to have her husband's property restored to her. That Petitioner is a widow and has four children, three of whom are the children of her late husband, T. Sullivan, and one is the child of Pemsimer Murphy. That Petitioner is left quite destitute and has no means of support. That Petitioner craves your Excellency's help in the matter of directing a regular payment to her of her support for which act of grace your humble petition will as in duty bound ever pray.

Public (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 3088

From

The Controller of Military Accounts

No. 8/570

Order

Dated 14 Aug. 97

Received 18. " "

Registered 18. " "

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SUBJECT.

*Submitting copies of
correspondence relative to
petition of Mrs. M. A. Murphy
praying that her husband
may be enforced to give her
the maintenance decreed by the
Court.*

*Ref. Are there no papers
about this? where is the
orig. of the writ out 1880?*

Put up Re 22/1/97

BACK PAPERS.

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No. 4/114

From

The Controller of Military Accounts,
Madras Command,

To

The Colonial Treasurer, Brisbane,
Australia

Madras, the 19 of December 1896.

Sir, I have the honor to forward the original warrant for payment in Homebush Hackay, Queensland, of the pension of pensioned Private E. D. Murphy, late of His Excellency the Governor's Band, Madras, from 1st April 1896 at one shilling per diem deducting the amount of ^(a) The equivalent of Rupiahs 1000. maintenance sanctioned for Mrs. M. A. Murphy wife of the pensioner, which is to be permitted to her at Pallavaram through the Pension Paymaster, Pallavaram and Saint Thomas Mount, by means of a postal money order at the pensioner's cost.

No. 1615

2. A specimen signature of the pensioner
cut from his pension bill is affixed to the original
warrant.

I have to
Sof. G. W. Sawyer Lieut. Colonel,
Controller of Military accounts.

(true copy)

[Signature]

Office of Controller of mil. accounts
Madras Command
Madras, the 14 August 1897 }
Superintendent, Central Branch.
Dy. Examiner,
[Signature]

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From

The Controller of Military Accounts,
Madras Command,

To

The Colonial Treasurer, Brisbane,
Australia.

Madras, the 12th of June 1897.

Sir,

In forwarding the accompanying correspondence

of the 11th inst. dated 19th December 1896 from the Chief Secretary to the Government of New South Wales, I have the honor to
enquire the action taken
on my letter of 4/11/94 dated 19th December 1896 - copy
attached for ready reference.

I have to

Sof. J. Sawyer, Lieut. Colonel
for Controller of Military accounts.

(true copy)

[Signature]

Office of Controller of mil. accounts, }
Madras Command, }
Madras, the 14 August 1897 }
Superintendent, Central Branch.
Dy. Examiner,
[Signature]

No. 9/570.

From

The Controller of Military Accounts,
Madras Command,

To

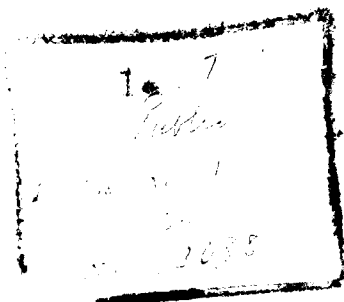
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Public Department, Madras.

Madras, the 14th of August 1897.

Sir,

With reference to your indorsement No. - 1169
dated 3rd June 1897, on petition
dated 13th May 1897, from Mrs. M. A. Murphy,
praying for the payment by her husband of the
maintenance allowance decreed by the court, I have
the honor to forward herewith letter No. 46 dated
15th July 1897, from the Colonial Treasurer, Brisbane,
together with copies of this
office letters noted in the
margin to which it is a reply.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
W. J. R. Rint: Colonel,
for Controller of Military Accounts.



From
The Controller of Military Accounts
Madras Command.

To
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Public Department, Madras.

No 570

Dated 14 August 1892.

Relative to petition of
15th May 1891, from Mrs M. A
Murphy, praying that her
husband may be enforced to give
the maintenance decreed by the court.

G.O. Mils No 4854. S 4.
August 1892.

Note for Under Secretary

The Military Secy
to S & C the Governor transfers
a petition from Mrs Murphy
praying that her husband may
be enforced to give her the maintenance
decreed by the Court.

2. Private & 1st Class
Musician Murphy was transferred
to the Pension Establishment from
1st August 1892 and was per-
mitted to reside and draw
his pension at Bombay.

3. Mrs Murphy represents
that after her husband was
pensioned he ill-treated her
and left her without making
any provision for her maintenance.
Upon this she filed a suit in
a civil court and obtained
a decree against him for her
maintenance.

4. In pursuance of this
order Pensioner Murphy paid
her Rs 10. for about a year
and this sum was remitted to
her by the Pension Dept. This
remittance ceased on Pensioner
Murphy leaving Bombay for

Saint Thomas Murphy.

Mr. Murphy again sought the assistance of the Comptroller and enforced payment. This time the payment was made to her only for a few months & that she had to go to the Comptroller every month for the payment of her maintenance allowance.

It appears that Pensioner Murphy has gone to Australia leaving her and her children in a destitute condition.

Mr. Murphy complains that she has not received any support from her husband for the last one year and a half although she has repeatedly applied to the Pension Office for help in the matter.

Pensioner Murphy draws his pension under the rules applicable to European soldiers. In accordance with Chapter 18. Para 97. of the Irish Army Code he should have applied to the Controller of Irish Army for

for transfer before proceeding to Australia. It does not appear that he had ~~properly~~ obtained the requisite permission. Had he done so the Account Dept. would have carried out the provisions contained in the para above referred to.

It is therefore proposed that the petition may be transferred to the Controller of Irish Army for necessary action.


26/5/97.

Para 148. Regulations for
Irish Payments & Pensions.

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NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

It appears that the
Controller has already
had petitions from
Mr. Murphy, and has
taken steps under Cl. 18.
Sec 97 of the Military
Act Code to have a
pension made for her

AK.

26/5/07

Ref.

(1) What are "Chelsea" pensions?

(2) Is Murphy one?

(3) If I must have a copy of the Revised List of names.

Love, H. J.

- (1.) Chelsea Pensions are
 soldiers enlisted and attached
 for the British Army and
 whose pensions are regulated
 by the Chelsea Board.
- (2) No. A local pensioner
 pensioner

Specimens under the order of
the Local Govt.
(3) Copy put up.
26/5/97

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don't like it J
it appears that the
person from Apr. 1st 1896
has to be paid in
Australia. The letter at
G shows that no
person has been drawn
in the colony.

no return necessary paper to be
26/5/97

Mr. A. J. ...
The Com. A.
9 = Cl. 1890 13.50
with enclosure
26/5/97

NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

Please see case 1880 below.
Mr. Murphy's ~~letter~~ petition
has sent to the Controller of
Ind. Accounts for disposal.
He however returns the
papers with correspondence
showing that the husband
Murphy has not drawn
any pension since April 1st
1896. Under the circumstances
it does not appear that
can be done for the woman.
Her husband may be dead;
in any case it is showing
impossible for the pension
authorities to pay any part
of his pension until he
appears. Submitted that
Mr. Murphy (may be told)
that her husband has
not appeared to claim his
pension since April 1896, ^{but} (1896)
that when he does claim
it the deduction ordered
for her maintenance will
be duly made.

AK. 31/8/97. 3/9/97

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CURRENT No.

ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

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STATEMENT WITH DITTO

PAPERS NOT FILED UP, BRING MRANT FOR DESPATCH
 IN ORIGINAL.

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- B = Not to be copied.
- P = Copy abstract only.
- Q = Copy heading only.