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No. 23. Read the following letter from Captain J. G. RUSSELL, Officiating Agent to the Governor of Fort Saint George at Kurnool; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Kurnool 7th November 1857, No. 30.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to report the demise on the 9th October 1857 of Mahaboob Meean, a Yeomiahdar on this establishment, who received a yearly allowance of Rupees 195-0-0, or Rupees 16-4-0 a month.

		Age.
*1	*Aashabeebee mother of the deceased*	75
2	*Fatmabeebee wife of the do.*	30
3	*Mahaboob Bee daughter of the do. unmarried*	7
4	*Hoossain Saib brother of the do.*	50
5	*Hummud Saib 1st son of the do.*	30
6	*Gows Saib 2d son of the do.*	25
7	*Syed Dawood 3d son of the do.*	19
8	*Syed Mahamood 4th son of the do.*	9

2. The late Yeomiahdar has left a very large family* who depended solely on this pension for their support, and are thus suddenly left destitute.

3. Although fully aware that grants of this nature for which no particular duty is performed are an encouragement to idleness, still the sudden withdrawal of such means of existence leave the family of recipient at his death in the greatest distress, and respectfully submit this case as one of that class and beg to solicit the liberal consideration of Government, in allowing for the maintenance of the whole family a continuance of 8 Rupees per mensem in the name of the eldest son.

Ordered in consequence that the following letter be despatched.

No. 24. From H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George; to CECIL BEADON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India; dated 26th November 1857, No. 1226.

SIR,

Para. 1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to report for the information and orders of the Government of India, the death, on the 9th October last, of a Yeomiahdar of the Kurnool territory, named Mahaboob Meean, who was on the receipt of a Yeomiah allowance of Rupees 195 per annum, or Rupees 16-4 per mensem.

2. The Officiating Agent at Kurnool reports that the late Yeomiahdar has a very large family,* who depended solely on this pension for their support, and are thus suddenly left destitute. He adds, "although fully aware that grants of this nature, for which no particular duty is performed, are an encouragement to idleness, still the sudden withdrawal of such means of existence, leave the family of the recipient, at his death, in the greatest distress;" he therefore submits this case as one calling for the liberal consideration of Government on that ground, and recommends the continuance of a reduced pension of 8 Rupees per mensem, out of the lapsed allowance, to the eldest son of the deceased, for the maintenance of the whole family.

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3. The Yeomiah in question is one of the many allowances granted by the late Nawab of Kurnool and his ancestors, and continued on the assumption of the country by the British Government. In his letter of the 4th February 1843, the Commissioner, reporting on allowances of this description, was of opinion that they should be regarded as life grants, and discontinued as the recipients die off, unless there were special circumstances to lead to a continuance. The Governor in Council regards the facts mentioned by the Officiating Agent, that a large family is entirely dependent on this allowance, and would be reduced to great suffering if it were wholly discontinued, worthy of consideration, and he is therefore disposed, in support of the Agent's proposition, to recommend to the Government of India that a reduced allowance of Rupees 8 per mensem, or Rupees 96 per annum, may be continued to Hummud Shah for the support of the family from the date of his father's demise.

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To Cecil Beadon, Esquire

Secretary to the Government

of India.

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a reduced pension of 8 Rs.
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6	Gowo Sahb 2nd son of the Dr.	25
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To
The Secretary to the
Govt. of India

Dated 26th Nov. 57

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Reporting the death of one Inahabood Mean Zeemahdar of the Kurnool territory and recommending that a reduced allowance of Rs 96 per annum may be continued to his eldest son Named Fail for the support of the family from the date of his father's demise

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