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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 498 Press
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Dated 4-3- 1861.

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No. 54. Read the following letter from G. S. FORBES, Esq., Collector of Ganjam, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chetterpúr, 23rd February 1861, No. 57 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to lay before the Government the case of one "Bowoory Sivanaiko," a bandyman, whose thigh was broken in January last year, while he was employed with his cart in the transport of the 43rd Regiment from Russellcondah to Cuttack. The circumstances which are as follows, seem to me to constitute a claim for compensation on behalf of this man for the injuries he has sustained. On the high road to Cuttack just before the Bengal frontier is reached, an abrupt descent occurs which, though since improved, is still dangerous for loaded carts ; when the Regiment passed this spot in January 1860, several accidents occurred in spite of every exertion to prevent them.

2. The individual I have named had his thigh bone broken and was carried into Hospital at Berhampore, he seems to have left the Hospital too soon, and is now a cripple for life. The Government are aware of all the difficulties connected with the provision of transport for troops, and have always expressed their desire to mitigate the hardships attendant on the system we are compelled to follow ; on these grounds, and also because the sufferer has under any circumstances a title to the benevolence of Government in whose service he received his injuries, I strongly recommend that he be allowed a sum of 3 Rupees monthly to aid him in maintaining himself so long as he lives.

No. 55. ORDER THEREON, 4th March 1861, No. 498.

1. The Collector is requested to report whether the bandyman referred to in this letter was pressed, or came forward voluntarily for the service mentioned.

2. An early reply is requested.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

No. 80

From

Assistant Surgeon G. H. Alexander M. D.
D. D. 5th Regiment M. N. I.

To

The Collector & Magistrate
of Gangam

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 15
February 1861 regarding the case of a bandy man
named "Bawoorre Sivanaikoo". I have the honor
to state that the letter No. 197 therein alluded to
& dated 9th of July last never reached me.

The bandy man "Bawoorre Sivanaikoo"
alluded to was received into Hospital with fra-
-cture of the right thigh bone, where he remained
for a short time, but insisted on leaving for his
own Village before a cure was effected.

There is now permanent shortening of the
limb which probably would not have resu-
had he allowed himself the full benefit of
treatment

I have &c &c &c

(Signed) G. H. Alexander M.
Assistant Surgeon

/ True Copy /

S O Rice

Collector

Enclosures

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th inst. enclosing Post Office Money Order for Fifty Dollars, in favor of the Treasurer of the Sacramento Benevolent Association, and to inform you that the same has been duly credited to the account of the Association.

I am, Sir,

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

[illegible]

Assistant Treasurer U.S.

Sacramento, Feby 11th 1861.

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Assistant Treasurer U.S.

Sacramento, Feby 11th 1861.

From the Collr of Customs
Dublin
To the Chief Secretary
Dublin Castle
Dublin 23rd July 1803.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith a Letter from Mr. Thos. Boyle of Ballyfarnan, Co. Roscommon, dated the 18th Inst. addressed to the Board, requesting that a Bounty Bond for Impressed Seamen may be transmitted to him for the purpose of being executed by Mr. Patrick Kelly of Ballyfarnan aforesaid, who has entered into the Service of Government.

I am, Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servant
Wm. St. George
Collr

Received 25th July 1803.
Dept of State
Dublin Castle
Answered 27th July 1803.

No 498.

The Collr is requested to report whether the Boy mentioned in this Letter was pressed, or came forward voluntarily for the Service mentioned.

2.— An early reply is requested.—

By Order
Wm. St. George
4th March 1801.
Collr of Customs.