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Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
30th May 1862.

No. 545. Read again Petition No. 3,150 of 1861 from Sri Sundra Náráyana Gajapati Deo, son of the late Fowjeedár of Purlakimidy, Ganjam District, praying for a grant of a portion of his late father's pension with the undisbursed amount allotted to his deceased mother.

Read also the following Endorsement of the Board of Revenue, dated 1st May 1862, No. 614.

Read the following report by Endorsement on Petition No. 3,150 of 1861.

The Collector has the honor to state that the pension of the Petitioner's mother is not in deposit, it had never been drawn or charged in the accounts in consequence of her not having applied for it. A sum of Rupees 132-13-8 being her pension from the 1st April 1855, the date following that on which the Petitioner's father died to 4th February 1857, the date on which his mother died at 6 Rupees per mensem is due to him, but it cannot now be disbursed to the Petitioner without the special sanction of Government in consequence of the long period during which it has remained undrawn.

Ganjam District,
Collector's Cutcherry, Rumbah,
14th April 1862.

(Signed) G. S. FORBES, *Collector.*

Forwarded to Government with reference to the Collector's Endorsement, dated 14th April 1862, which supplies the information called for in the Government Endorsement, dated 5th December 1861.

By order,
(Signed) R. A. DALYELL, *Sub-Secretary.*

No. 546. ORDER THEREON, 30th May 1862, No. 1,199.

Ex. Min. Cons. 13th September 1855, No. 1,041.

1. A pension of 6 Rupees per mensem was allotted to the Pettioner's mother on the death of her husband, but it was never drawn.

2. The arrears up to the date of her death, from 1st April 1855 to 4th February 1857, amount to Rupees 132-13-8.

Under date 20th August 1855, No. 3,254.

3. The Supreme Government in the Resolution that granted a pension to the Petitioner's mother, specifically refused to sanction its reversion to her son.

4. The Petitioner's request for a continuance of the grant is therefore inadmissible, but the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the disbursement to him of the arrears of his mother's pension, amounting to Rupees 132-13-8.

5. A copy of this order will be sent to the Petitioner for his information.

(Signed) P. P. HUTCHINS,
Acting Deputy Secretary to Government.

Nº 3153 of 1861.

To

The Right Honorable the Governor
in Council of Fort St. George

The humble Petition of Sree Soonder a Tarrain
Gazapati Deo Son of Sree Pralaparoora Gazapati
a Tarrain Deo late Zemindar of Purlakemidy in the
Ganjam District —

Humbly Sheweth,

That your Petitioners father was a descendant
of the Purlakemedy Family and was enjoying a monthly allowance
of 60 Rs. as Sanctioned by Government in their Extract Minutes
of Consultation of the 26th April 1845; that his father went with
his family (Petitioner & his Mother) to Salour a Zemindary of the
Vizagapatam District and there died in March 1855; that the Head
of Police of Salour reported the case to the Governor's Agent of
Vizagapatam and further that the deceased left a Son (Petitioner) and
wife; that the Petitioner's mother then proceeding to Berhampore
with Petitioner, addressed many petitions at different times to the
late acting Collector Mr. W. Knox praying that the monthly allow-
-ance of 60 Rs. enjoyed by her husband might be continued to her for
the support of herself and petitioner, that no reply having been given
by Mr. W. Knox to those petitions, petitioner's mother suffered
much inconvenience for food and raiment and she also died at
Berhampore in February 1857 leaving the Petitioner in distress and quite
unprovided for, that Petitioner has reported this case to the Collector

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Mr. Knox and prayed that the allowance enjoyed by his father might be continued to him, that no reply having been given by Mr. Knox even to this address and petitioner being a boy suffering much inconvenience for the common necessaries of life, his aunt who was Puttamahadevie of the Kanaka Zemindar in the Cuttack District took care of him and maintained him for some time; that she also has died now; that petitioner being a Member of a Zemindar's family and subjected to a much deplorable condition, has come to Chatterpore about 8 months ago and addressed several petitions to the present Collector, but no justice was done by him; that Government will observe from the endorsements granted by the present Collector that his grounds for denying any allowance to the petitioner were that the petitioner put forth his claim to the allowance so long after his mother's death; but these grounds the Government may probably consider to be quite absurd by a reference to the explanation above given by Petitioner concerning his legal that the petitioner therefore begs that the following circumstances may be considered and justice done to him in commiseration of his distressed condition, as in the event of Government denying him likewise any allowance for his support, he must consider himself quite helpless and die of hunger —

"This is not a new concession to the petitioner as he has "a right to receive the allowance in virtue of his being a member "of the Purlakimedy Zemindar's family — Petitioner has likewise

That a great disorder took place in the Collector's Cutcherry here, the details of which are as follows —

"Taking the advantage of the absence of the petitioner's "father at Saloor with his family and of his death which occurred there, "his 3 brothers (Uncles of petitioner) represented to the late Collector "Mr. W. Knox that the petitioner's father had no issue and that "the allowance enjoyed by him should be devided among them — "Mr. Knox without making any enquiry into the truth of their "statement or making a reference to the orders issued by Government "on the subject, merely reduced the allowance to 300 Rs. & devided "the same among his 3 Uncles, their mother and petitioner's mother "at 6 Rs. each per mensem — petitioner's 3 Uncles and their mother "having been enjoying their shares accordingly — but the share "allowed to the support of the petitioner's mother amounting to "about 500 Rs. at 6 Rs. per mensem is still in deposit in the "Collector's Treasury here — Moreover while the petitioner's father "father was alive, his 3 younger brothers put forth each a claim "to a share in the monthly allowance of the petitioner's father "but the latter said that if they would like to share with him "other property which they possessed he would give them shares "in his allowance — they did not like to do so but complained "to the then Collector Mr. Onslow, who referred the case for the "consideration and orders of Government — The Government "observed that they saw no reasons to deviate from their "of 26th April 1845 in any degree and that if they would do so

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it would encourage illegal claims on the part of other members to the allowance - this order of Government was communicated to Mr Enslow by the late Commissioner N. C. in his Secret Proceedings of 1st October 1852 in replay to the reference made by the Collector to Government on the subject -

While this was the case, the present Collector without making any enquiry regarding the claim of this petitioner to the allowance enjoyed by his father - merely gave endorsement denying any allowance to the petitioner for his support - the Government are well aware that the members of a zemindary family are not fit to live in any other manner - nor is this a claim on the Government money - While the Petitioner's 3 uncles are enjoying some allowance from the funds of the Purlakemedy Estate, the Government may consider whether it is consistent with justice that the petitioner was entirely denied allowance for his support -

The petitioner therefore most humbly craves that the Government may be graciously pleased to take the petitioner's prayer into their favorable consideration and after making a reference to their order above quoted issue orders to the Collector to continue to the petitioner the monthly allowance enjoyed by his father, or at least the share allotted to the support of his mother

mother by Mr. W. Knox together with the money now in deposit with the Collector on that account - For this act of Charity Your humble Petitioner shall as in duty bound ever pray

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To
The Right Honorable
the Governor in Council of
Fort St George

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Forwarded to the Board of Revenue with reference to the assertion of Petitioner that his late Mother's share of his father's allowance was never disbursed to her, but that a sum on this account amounting to Rs-500 is now in deposit in the Collector's Treasury-

The Petitioner's request for a continuation of his Mother's pension is under the orders of the Government of India 15. M.L. 13 Sept 1855- V 1041 / inadmissible.

Fort St George
5 December 1861.

By order
G Thomas
Dy Sec to Gov-

C.B. Plowden Esq
Collector &c
24 Pgs

Barron
Asst Sec

Rec'd 1862 April 10

N° 3150 of 1861-

From Flag Officer Commanding Naval Forces Charleston

Date 5th Dec 1861

Transmits Copy of Letter from Lieut Commanding Naval Forces Port Royal

Date 1st March 1862

Subject Requesting that the Steamer Vixen may be placed at the disposal of the Senior Officer at Port Royal

Answered 6th March 1862 No 1194 - 35 Letters

Navy Dept Nov 5th 1861

Sir

I transmit herewith a Letter of this date from Lieutenant Commanding Charles H. Davis, in charge of the Bureau of Navigation, requesting that the Steamer Vixen may be placed at the disposal of the Senior Officer at Port Royal.

Respectfully Your Obt Servt

Gideon Welles

Secretary of the Navy

Flag Officer S. F. Du Pont

Port Royal S. Carolina

No 4/62

Board No 6th of 1862

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Forwarded to Government with reference to the Collector's Endorsement dated 14th April 1862 which supplies the information called for in the Court Endorsement dated 5th December 1861.

By order

A Dudley

Secretary

Flag Officer

Senior Naval Force

1st May 1862.

For Petn No 2100 of 1861.

Please see Collr Patpur, with ref

Please see Collr's Endt on Petn No 3150 of 1861 & the papers put up.

Petition 3150 of 61

Memo — 14

Petitioner's father, who enjoyed a pension of Rs 60 per mensem, died 31st March/55.- E. M.C. 13 Sept/55, No 1041, granted "half his pension "to his mother, widow, & 3 brothers, "to be divided into Equal shares, each "share to lapse finally on the death "of the recipient". The widow never claimed her pension, and died 4 Feb.y 57. Her son, the petitioner, claims it in arrear. The Collector reports that her pension from 1 April 55 to 4 Feb.y 57 amounts to Rs 132-13-8, & that this sum, tho' not in deposit, for it has never been charged in the accounts, is nevertheless due to petitioner. The special sanction of Govern.t is necessary for its disbursement in consequence of the long period during wh.h it has

remained undrawn."

Petitioner states that his mother received no reply to her application for a pension, & was in ignorance that it had been granted. He himself was a boy at the time of his mother's death & seems still to be under the charge of his aunt. His exact age is not known.

for orders —

Thaxter — JHS

Pet. The pt. originally recommended that the petitioner's pension should on her death pass to Petr. for life. But the Supreme Ct. disallowed this. Petr. therefore can't get the pension. The arrears might perhaps be given as a favor. The rule is that a pension undrawn for 4 years lapses

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but pet. can claim exceptions in special cases — one arrears they claim & could the same power. It is possible, though not very probable that his mother knew nothing of the grant —

J H S.

Grant the arrears

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W 1199 30th May 1862

Read again Petition No 5150 of 1861 from Sri Sundara Narayana Gajapati Deo son of the late Zemindar of Purlakimidy, Ganjam District -

Praying for a grant of a portion of his late father's pension with the undisbursed amount allotted to his deceased Mother

Read also Endorsement of the Bd of Rev: on the above -

(here enter 1 May 1862)

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S. in C. 13th Sept. 1853 - No 1041

Minute dated 20th August 1856, No 3254

pension amounting to
Rs 132-13-8-

5. a copy of this order will be sent to the petitioner for his information.

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Revenue 1862 Deptt.
Pro: of Govt for May.

No 1199.

Pro: of the Madras Govt
Dy 30th May 1862

Passing orders on
Petition from Sri Sundra
Narayana Gajapatee Deo
of Ganjam Distt, praying
for a grant of a portion of
his late father's pension
with the undisbursed
amount allotted to his
mother.

No 545 & 546.

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