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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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4th April 1862.*

No. 72. Read the following letter from Mrs. C. E. HAVELOCK, to T. PYCROFT, Esq.,
Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Ootacamund, 18th March 1862 :—

SIR,

I beg you will lay before the Government the following statement, for their consideration. I receive all my income from England, consisting of a pension and the interest of a few thousand pounds in the 3 per cents., which is taxed in London before it is remitted to the chief Agent Oriental Bank Corporation, Madras; also by the said remittance and in drawing again in Ootacamund I frequently lose considerably; I therefore earnestly beg to request; that I may be relieved from the payment of the double Income Tax, especially as the holders of Indian Securities have been granted this indulgence. I beg also to state that although my third son has obtained a Commission, I in consequence lose his pension of £20 a year, and his pay being only £95 a year I am obliged to allow him £50 in addition. I have now also increased expenses on account of my youngest son, whom I must shortly send to England to finish his education, I therefore trust that in consideration of their father, uncle and three other relatives having lost their lives in defence of this country, the boon I request may be conceded; though the amount that the tax on my income contributes to Government is a mere nothing in comparison, still it is a considerable reduction to my small income, and induces me to entreat that the Government will release me from its payment in future, and refund the sums I have already paid.

No. 73. ORDER THEREON, 4th April 1862, No. 750.

The Government regret that the Law does not enable them to comply with Mrs. Havelock's request.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

Centacumund March 18th 1862.

Sir,

I beg you will lay before the Government the following statement for their consideration -
I receive all my Income, from England consisting of a Pension and the Interest of a few thousand pounds in the 3 per cents which is paid in London, before it is remitted to the Chief Agent Oriental Bank Corporation Madras, also by the said remittance and in drawing again in Centacumund I frequently lose considerably; I therefore earnestly beg to request that I may be relieved from the payment of the double Income Tax especially as the holders of Indian Securities have been granted this indulgence. I beg also to state that at the age of my third son has obtained a commission. In consequence, lose his Pension of £2. a year, & his pay being only £52. a year I am obliged to allow him £2 in addition. I have now also increased expenses on account of my youngest son, whom I must shortly send to England to finish his education. I therefore trust that in consideration of their Father Uncle and three other relatives having lost their lives in defence of this Country, the boon I request may be conceded, that the amount that the son on my Income, contributes to Government is a mere nothing in comparison, still it is a considerable reduction to my small Income, and induces me to entreat that the Government will release me from its payment in future, & refund the sums I have already paid.

Yours M^{ty} & Graciously I remain
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Yours faithfully
Chief Secretary. Thomas M^{ty} & Graciously
C. M^{ty} & Graciously.

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Frank W. George
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My dear Mr. Ward

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