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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2201 — Press ~~Mis.~~

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Dated 4 December ~~19~~ 1863

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No. 75. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 10th November 1863, No. 7,155 :—

Read the following letter from J. FRASER, Esq., Acting Collector of North Arcot, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Chittoor, 24th October 1863, No. 213.

SIR,

1. With reference to the Proceedings of Government dated 12th February 1862, No. 282, and Board's Proceedings dated 14th idem, No. 1,066, I have the honor to state, for the information of the Board, that one of the female pensioners, who left their pensions undrawn for four years, appears to have been informed of the Order of Government, that without more satisfactory explanation of the cause of their not producing life certificates for so long a period, their arrears cannot be sanctioned. She in reply stated that her pension was held under suspension with others under the orders of the authorities.

In 1862.

2. On referring to the records of this Office for information on the subject, it appears that orders were issued to the Tahsildars in 1856, intimating with reference to the orders of the Board of Revenue, that exemption from personal appearance was to be confined to females of rank and good birth, of whom a list was required to be furnished, and that all females who could appear must do so at periodical musters. It is therefore probable that these females having proceeded to Madras and not appeared for muster nor produced life certificates for four years and upwards their pensions were not paid.

3. Under the recent orders of Government the Pensioners have since been mustered by the Sub-Collector at Vellore through Miss Fay, and as the Register kept in this Office does not contain the description of one of the females referred to by Government, the Deputy Collector at Madras was written to to ascertain whether she was the proper person, who in reply stated that she proved satisfactorily her indentity by witnesses.

4. As the females are in Madras any further information which the Board may require can be got through the Deputy Collector in charge of the Madras Treasury. None can be furnished from here.

As per accompanying Statement.

5. Under the circumstances abovementioned I recommend that the payment of arrears and the continuance of pension in future may be sanctioned.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

STATEMENT *of arrears of Pension due to the undermentioned Dahet Inámdars in the District of North Arcot.*

Number.	Names of the Pensioners.	Amount of Pension per annum.	Date of grant and authority.	Nature of the grant.	Period for which arrears are due.	Total amount of arrears.	Explanation of the cause of suspension of payment.
71	KathnaBegum of the village of Pothra in Polur Talook	60 8 0	13th June 1851.	In lieu of Dahet Inám.	From 3rd Kist of Fusly 1265 to 1st Kist of Fusly 1273, or from January 1856 to September 1863 468 14 0 Deduct pension for 11 days in Fusly 1265 ... 1 13 4		
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62	FathmaBegum of Poolimadoo in Vellore Talook.	30 0 0	Do.	Do.	From 3rd Kist of Fusly 1263, to 1st Kist of Fusly 1273, or from January 1854 to September 1863 292 8 0 Deduct pension for 11 days in Fusly 1265 ... 0 14 8	269 1 4 291 9 4	
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CHITTOOR, 24*th October* 1863.

(Signed) J. FRASER, *Acting Collector.*

Presuming from paragraph 3 of the above letter that the identity of two of the Pensioners referred to has been proved to the satisfaction of the Sub-Collector, and that the Deputy Collector at Madras has identified the third, the Board resolve, with reference to the Order quoted by the Collector, to re-submit the case to Government with the Board's recommendation that payment of the arrears (amounting to Rupees 1,027-11-4) be sanctioned, and that the pensions be continued for the future.

No. 76. ORDER THEREON, 4th December 1863, No. 2,201.

1. The Government do not consider that the Collector's letter now submitted contains the explanation required. It is evident that the arrears have accrued through the pensioners' contumacy, and the Government therefore decline to sanction the disbursement of the sum mentioned by the Board.

2. On identity being satisfactorily proved, not merely presumed, the Governor in Council will have no objection to the allowances being revived.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ Civil Paymaster.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Revenue Department

No. 2201.

Proceedings of the Madras Government,
dated the 24th December 1863.

Read the following
Proceedings of the Board of Revenue,
dated 10th November 1863.
No. 7,155.

Submitting with recommendation letter from the Collector of North Arcot requesting to sanction the payment of arrears due to certain Dabet Inamdars.

1. The Government
do not feel called upon to
Collector's request.

2. Allowance required.

3. Should not the
arrears due to certain Dabet
Inamdars be paid.

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By order of the Governor in Council,
(Signed) W. H. Harrison
Secretary to Government.

To
The Board of Revenue.

Pro 13th February 62 Nos 241-242

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No. 2757.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 10th November 1863.
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Read 2201 & 2757 Dec

No. 7,155.

Submitting with recommendation letter from the Collector of North Arcot requesting to sanction the payment of arrears of pension due to certain Dabet Inamdars.

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G. O. 12 February 1862 Nos. 239-
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Pro. of the Board of Revenue
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