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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th March 1863.*

No. 177. Read the following Petition from Veerasawmy Moodellyar, son of the late Soobaroy Moodellyar, Poligar of Assanoor, in the Talook of Yelvanassoor, South Arcot, to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, &c. &c. &c., Fort Saint George, dated Assanoor, 17th February 1863.

MOST HUMBLY SHEWETH,

With reference to the Endorsement bearing No. 3,623 of 1860-61, dated 11th January 1861, given on the Petitioner's Appeal of the 30th November 1860, by the Deputy Secretary to Government of Fort Saint George, your helpless petitioner begs to submit in duplicate a Memorial to the Right Honorable Secretary to the State of India, London, as well as a copy thereof for the Record of the Government, with a request that the first may be submitted to the authority with your Lordship's Councils favorable recommendation on account of the innocent creature here undersigned for which act of justice your petitioner will ever pray for the auspicious Government's long life and prosperity.

P. S.—Petitioner begs that the favor of reply to this memorial may be sent to the care of M. Appasawmy Moodellyar, door No. 30, Condalier Street, Black Town, Peddoo Naick Pettah, Madras.

No. 178. ORDER THEREON, 17th March 1863, No. 531.

The Memorialist should furnish the original Endorsements passed in his case by the several authorities whom he has addressed on the subject of his present appeal. He should also forward two copies of each of such documents in addition to the original. The Memorial cannot be dispatched to its destination till these are received.

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

To The Right Honble Secretary to the State of India

London

The Honble Minister of Secretaries
son of late Soobah of Moudellum Ballah
in the District of Melanassan South Arc

Most respectfully sheweth,

With all marks of respect and submission
your Petitioner humbly begs to inform your Lordship that
his father himself and large family received him as
well as two Concubines were protected by the small income
granted by the Government after their arrival to India
for the just protection of the Hindu subjects but now
unfortunately the Government alienated them
from their protection as follows that with regard to the
undermentioned reasons your Petitioner first made
an Application to the Collector of South Arc of which
his deplorable report regarding the income supported
by your Petitioner like father Soobah of Moudellum
On this an endorsement was passed by him
negatively in consequence whereof your Petitioner
was induced to address Government in the English
tongue that his prayer might receive a favorable con-
sideration whereupon the Secretary pleased to pass an
Order or Endorsement thus "15th of 1861 Petitioner
informed that his request is inadvisable the Secretary
11 January 1861 No order signed C. J. Master Secy to Govt of India

Your poor Petitioner finding no other hope left but
to appeal to your Lordship begins to recapitulate thus
2. That the Grant was in the family of your Petitioner since
the reign of the Emperor Kanishka in conduct towards Govt
was not unworthy of the spirit of which your Petitioner
takes the liberty of enclosing the copies of a notice to
which your Petitioner's father received for services rendered
to the Emperor and for his services his Village
3. That your Petitioner's ancestors were the Ancient
Pallagers of the District and were in the enjoyment
of a land Revenue of 20 Villages of which Channoor is
one this number is derived from the Mahomedan Govt
but in the usurpation of the territory by the British their
Village were reduced to 10 and a money grant of Rs 100
was given in lieu which was enjoyed by your
Petitioner's father till his death which occurred
in 1800 who died at the age of 60 years
4. That it is for the continuance of this grant to your helpless
Petitioner as has been stated the Government has already
said
5. Your poor Petitioner has to represent here to your
Lordship that there are so many instances in which
the Government have refused their bounty to successful
soldiers your Petitioner continues to hope that a liberal
grant will be made out to him
6. That your Petitioner without going further would pre-
sent to the case of the Ancient Pallagers of District
in the very distant the Government they enjoyed
land was originally granted to them in the same
manner as that of your Petitioner's father
and they are still enjoying the the ancient Grant

have dismissed years ago (Your poor Petitioner's case
is not dissimilar to them except perhaps in this that their
world prospects are infinitely superior to those of your
Petitioner and your poor Petitioner can hardly believe that
the Government ever distinguished themselves in any part
of their service in the same degree of consideration
would regard a case of your poor Petitioner differently
and make an ungenerous distinction in his case. Besides
your poor Petitioner would observe not however
for the purpose of framing an Argument
thereon that the Grant was in lieu of property
which might be considered thrown away and which
if it had remained to them might have descended
from life to life increasing in value with every
descent
7. Under the circumstances represented thus
to your Lordship your poor and helpless Petitioner
humbly and most respectfully prays that orders
may be passed for the continuance to him of the
Grant viz Rs 100. Annually for the main-
tenance of his family enabled him after the demise
of his father and who are solely depending the single
hand who is now helpless and who was run profits
by Government up to the time of the dismissal
of father who left no sufficient property for the
common necessities of life - In this British Govt
men of the Pallagers nor high family of the Hindu
suffered any less better in like manner your
poor

[Faint handwritten notes at the bottom of the page, possibly "Linnæus"]

I certify that schoolbook supplies were delivered
 during our stay at the place and that everything
 was supplied without measure up to the school and
 the other occasionally which is very common case
 since for some years to visit on strange people
 through although requested to do so.

A. C. Brown 10th Aug 1922
 Secy of the Lumber Mission

3rd. *Anthurus* *Pinnatifidus*
is second from the neck of
the bird always; always.

5. and do hereby certify that the within is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears in the records of the said Court.

Witness my hand and seal of office at the City of New York this 10th day of November 1885.

1 signed J. M. Smith

6. The Board of this Paper hereby certify that the within is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears in the records of the said Court.

Witness my hand and seal of office at the City of New York this 10th day of November 1885.

1 signed J. M. Smith

myself on the men of my Regiment.

Archamoon
15 March 1839

Signed C. W. Brown
25th Reg. to I.
In charge of the West Regiment

Archamoon 15 March 1839

The bearer P. K. G. has been very attentive in furnishing the men of my detachment with all the comforts they could require.

Signed C. W. Brown
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innumerable testimonials already in the possession
of the head man of the Village Soobah. I have left
for his attention and ability to travellers.

Appearance of Mr. Bullen, C.
in front of the house
19
Signed W. Bullen
95 Reg. Rd.

At Clonmel December 11 1849 20
Soobah of the Village having
acted for a character this is to certify that he has
received us all the assistance we required during
our stay at the Bungalow and at the end and
obliging old man. Signed R. Lindsay
of Bullen

There is to certify that Soobah of the Village
of Clonmel did during the short time he remained
in the village show me the greatest attention
and almost unbounded obliging person and shall
be most happy to meet him again.
Signed W. Bullen
21

Soobah of the Village of Clonmel
was very useful to me in procuring supplies
during my short stay and I am thus to him
as a most obliging person.
Signed W. Bullen
22

Appearance of Mr. Bullen, C.
in front of the house
23
Signed W. Bullen
95 Reg. Rd.

24
I add this to the many testimonials of Soobah of
the village having been very active and obliging
during my stay.

25
Appearance of Mr. Bullen, C.
in front of the house
26
Signed W. Bullen
95 Reg. Rd.

The Soobah of the Village of Clonmel
has been very useful to me in procuring supplies
during my stay and I am thus to him
as a most obliging person.
Signed W. Bullen
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Signed W. Bullen
95 Reg. Rd.

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Signed W. Bullen
95 Reg. Rd.

The bearer here by name Apunoo Palluag
 Toobah, Moodellyg, having requested me to give him
 a certificate to Charles. I have much pleasure
 in so doing as I have found him very attentive
 and obliging in every way for my self and my
 detachment whilst here. *Signed* J. S. P.
 Apunoo April 1841. 5 P.M.

Toobah Moodellyg
 The bearer of this having requested me to give
 him a certificate. I have only to say that during
 the short time I saw him he seemed a very attentive
 sort of man. *Signed* J. S. P.
 Apunoo 30 Nov 45.

The bearer Toobah Moodellyg, Palat of Apunoo
 was very attentive and civil during my stay at this
 place and seems very anxious to assist me in my
 business. *Signed* J. S. P.
 Nov 45.

The bearer of this Palluag Toobah Palat
 of Abukoon was very attentive to me during the
 day that I remained in his village. *Signed* J. S. P.
 21 March 1836. 5 P.M.

Abukoon January 27 - 1836
 This is to certify that the Head man of this
 village has been exceedingly attentive on all
 occasions but especially to the looking after the
 names of the European soldiers that have been
 in of Abukoon from the day of the 1st of January
 to the 27th of January. The names are as under
 and will be shown and put up on
 the post of Abukoon under the name of
 the soldiers. *Signed* J. S. P.
 27 Jan 36.

34 Toobah Moodellyg Palluag of Abukoon having
 requested to add any testimonials of his esteem
 and to his numerous collection I can only say
 that he quite deserves every one of them.
Signed J. S. P.
 15 Feb 41

35 Toobah Moodellyg having requested me to give
 him a few lines and so much pleasure my horse
 being tired he lent me his Pony to ride on
 so as to enable me to join my Regiment also
 I had only to mention the things wanted and they
 came immediately. *Signed* J. S. P.
 29 April 1841.

36 The bearer of this Toobah Moodellyg Palat
 of the Village was very attentive to
 his power. *Signed* J. S. P.
 14 March 1836. 5 P.M.

37 I have seen the numerous certificates
 the bearer is in possession of and I must say
 that I am not with more attention and more
 say a future more desirous to serve a traveller
 than he is. *Signed* J. S. P.
 15 Feb 41

38 Toobah Moodellyg of Apunoo was very attentive to
 during my short stay here. *Signed* J. S. P.
 Apunoo 24 April 1841.

39 Toobah Moodellyg of Abukoon

to be a kind and obliging old man and as he sets
much value on Testimonials I have written this
as a Token of his kind attention to me.

Signed J. L. Ladd

Surgeon

Lookiah Moodellay shows in his
corps the brilliant light of his powerful countenance
on my arrival at Affanoo and after a few minutes
conversation as to the quality of the water at this
place and sundry other observations Moodellay requests
a "charakter" showing me at the same time many
such documents written as the result of a
similar lengthy acquaintance in my language
of their Authors & of course constituting any
note to his collection and states that for any
man to be so kind to the Company he must be a perfect
Paragon of perfection but not having had
any previous proof of his being unimpaired
I must suspend it for the present. He is very
attentive however to travellers halting at
the Burgholm.

Signed J. L. Ladd

The Master of this the Affanoo Pallage
Lookiah Moodellay was very kind and
waiting to me when passing thro Affanoo
on my way.

Signed J. L. Ladd

20th Dec 1839

42

particular attentive more so than any other
most with in the Madras Establishment and deserve
every encouragement. / Signed J. M. Scott.
Archiver Nov 26 - 1835. Agent Surgeon

43

In adding another certificate of character
to the many testimonials of willing and obliging
on the part of Lookiah Moodellay Pallage towards
all travellers thro this Village I am aware that it
cannot obtain for him a greater degree of respect
than he already receives from Gentlemen and
Souldiers this from a conviction that too
much encouragement cannot be thrown
away upon a man who seems to think
no harm of being spared in the Avon
of the wishes of all way farres. I therefore have
great pleasure in subscribing this my opinion
as regards his conduct towards myself and
repeals.

Signed J. M. Scott
Madras City

Affanoo
July 25 - 1839

(True Copy)

[Signature]

Copy sent to the L. Council
27th June 1863

W. J. W. W.

No 954 of 1863. Vancouver
30th March 1863

The Right Hon^{ble} Governor in Council
Hon^{ble} Sec^y Hon^{ble} Treas^r
Fort Vancouver

The humble Memorial of Thomas
Woodell son of late Thomas
Woodell Esq^r of Vancouver
in the Salish of the Indian people
South West of

Most humbly sheweth,

That pursuant to the order of the
Council of the 13th & 14th of April 1863

most respectfully begs to enclose 2 Original
Instruments passed in his case by the Council
of South West and Government whom he has
accepted on the subject of his appeal refers
to in the above order and also to submit
two copies of each of the documents and
prays that your Lordship's Council will
convenient to recommend to the Authority
in order to extend their bounty to the undersigned

W. J. W. W.

1892-1893

Ms. 534.

The Memorialist
should forward the original
endorsements passed in his
case by the General Assembly
- to whom he has a claim
on the subject of his pre-
- sent appeal. He should
also forward two copies of
each of said documents
in addition to the original.
The Memorial cannot be
dispatched to its destination
- until there are ac-
- cuses.

Wm. L. George }
170- March 1863 }
Copy to Secretary of State, Oct 1863

Copy to Secretary of State, Oct 1863

No. 11 July 1846 No. 12-13.

Copy in a Letter to Engr
2/22 - Lane No 58 of 1863

Rev = 1863 O/O
Pro: of Govt for Mar
H. 157.

From
Verasamy, Moody
son of late chod
-roy Moody. Palla:
-gar of Ansanoor
in the Talug, Yel:
-van usoor & A.

Dated 17th 3 July
Received 21st 1863.

From Verasamy Moody son
of late Soobrayan Moody
Police of Ansanoor in the
Talug of Yelvanusoor, Jan
created 130 March 1861 1862

Requesting that the
recompensing memorial
in triplicate may
be submitted to the
Right Honorable the
Secretary of State for
India.

W. S. S. - 17 March
W. S. S. - 17 March

No 177 & 178.