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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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No. 399. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 14th October 1865, No. 6,532.

Read the following Tabular Report from the Collector of Nellore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 12th September 1865, on a lapsed Yeomiah in the Nellore District :—

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
23rd November 1865.

No. 401. No. 2,869.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

Miscellaneous.

1. I am directed to submit, for the favorable consideration of the Government of India, the enclosed Proceedings of the Board of Revenue,* in which they recommend that a pension of Rupees 15 per mensem, which has lapsed by the death of Buddi Bi, a niece of the late Jaghiredar of Udayagiri, should be continued to her two surviving daughters, Bademasahiba Bibi, and Masahiba Bibi.

* 14th October 1865, No. 6,532.

2. The Collector reports that these ladies are aged and destitute widows, and that one of them is blind, and this Government are of opinion that the circumstances of these descendants of the late Jaghiredar are such as call for the continuance in their favor of the allowance drawn by their late mother.

3. The continuation of a pension in the same family and under similar circumstances was sanctioned in your letter, No. 2,104, of the 24th April last.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Column 8 of Tabular Report.—Recommendation of the Collector, and the grounds on which it is made.

1. Buddibi *alias* Chandbi, who was in the monthly receipt of Rupees 15 under the Order of the Government of India, dated 11th January 1841, died on the 5th November 1864, leaving behind her two daughters and a grandson by another daughter, who died previously.

2. The said Buddibi was the daughter of Sitti Sahiba, sister to the late Jaghiredar of Udayagiri, referred to in paragraphs 10 and 53 of Mr. Stonehouse's Report, dated 24th August 1810, No. 49.

3. On the 30th June 1864, the said Buddibi presented a Petition, No. 115, to the Collector, representing that her grandson and his wife had proceeded to Hyderabad to seek the means of livelihood; that her two surviving daughters were putting up with her having no other means of subsistence; that the pension of fifteen Rupees allowed by Government was scarcely adequate to meet the expenses of her family, and the restoration of Kondayapalem, a village in the Udayagiri Talook, which had been granted to her as Inám during the time of the Jaghiredars, would give her the requisite means.

4. The Petition was referred to the Udayagiri Tahsildar, for report, on the 12th July 1864.

5. Takeed dated 3rd November 1864, No. 21, was issued to the Record-keeper, directing him to send up the record bearing on the subject, and his reply, dated 23rd December 1864, was received whilst on the Jummahbundy tour.

6. And Buddibi dying, as already stated on the 5th November, her two surviving daughters presented a Petition to the Tahsildar on the 6th, requesting that their mother's pension might be renewed in their names, and the Tahsildar reported thereon on the 21th November 1864.

7. No steps were taken on the Tahsildar's report, as information had been called for from the Record-keeper in respect to Kondayapalem; and this information having since been received, and no further steps appearing necessary in that matter. As regards the renewal of the lapsed pension, it appears that the two surviving daughters are widows destitute of the means of living, that the elder of the two has lost her eye-sight, and the grandson and his family being absent at Hyderabad, in the opinion of the Tahsildar the pension should be continued to the two daughters.

8. In the case of Syed Karimilla, a member of the Udayagiri Jaghiredar's family, the India Government have lately sanctioned* the continuance of the allowance during the life-time of his heirs; and in consideration of the indigent circumstances of the applicant in this case, the Collector begs to recommend that the pension of Buddibi be similarly continued to her two surviving daughters jointly, for their lives, and sanction be given to disburse to them the sum of Rupees 117-8-0, being arrears due from 6th November 1864, up to 31st August last.

* 28th April 1865, No. 2,104, communicated with the Government Order, dated 12th May 1865, No. 1,000.

9. As regards the delay, it has to be observed that the Record-keeper's Urzi was only received during the busy time of Jummahbundy, when nothing could be done at the time; and delayed thus, other business has prevented till now the submission of the requisite details.

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1. Resolved that the foregoing Tabular Statement be submitted for the consideration and orders of Government.

2. The circumstances under which subsistence pensions were granted to the members of the family of the late Jaghiredar of Udayagiri having been detailed in the Board's recent Proceedings, dated 10th February 1865, No. 768, the Board consider it sufficient to refer Government to those Proceedings for an account of the origin of the pension of fifteen Rupees per month now reported on by the Collector of Nellore, and which is entered as No. 16 in the Collector's Statement printed in those Proceedings.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 23rd November 1865.

3. In consideration of the destitute condition of the two daughters, (Bademasahebabibi, aged sixty years, and Masahebabibi, aged fifty-six years,) left by the deceased, the Board support the Collector's recommendation, that the pension in full, with arrears from the 6th November 1864, (the day following that on which she died,) be paid to her two daughters above named, the pensions to continue until the death of the last survivor of them.

4. The delay on the part of the Collector in submitting this case for orders, is explained to have been caused by press of other business. The Board hope that Mr. Dykes will do his best in future to dispose of such cases within three months of the date of lapse.

No. 400. ORDER THEREON, 23rd November 1865, No. 2,868.

Miscellaneous.

The Government are of opinion that the delay in Mr. Dykes' Office from 24th November 1864 to 12th September 1865, in applying for orders on the case of these aged, destitute descendants of a fallen native nobleman was most cruel and utterly inexcusable, and that the reason assigned for it in paragraph 9 of the Collector's remarks is altogether insufficient and futile.

Ordered that the following letter be despatched:—

(Here enter No. 2,869, dated 23rd November 1865.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 6,532.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 14th October 1865

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N.-2868.

23d November/65

Read Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 14th Octr 1865 N°1532.

The Govt are of opinion that the delay in submitting the Record-keeper's Urzi from 24th Novr to 12th Decr 65 in consequence of the case of these aged destitute widows not having been noticed at the Jummabundy tour, is sufficiently explained by the reason assigned for it in para 2 of the Board's Remarks, and that the recommendation is altogether sufficient & suitable.

Ordered that the following letter be despatched

N°2869

From Secr to Govt Fort St George

To Secr to Govt India

Financial Dept.

14th to the Board of Revenue Dated 24th Novr
1 to the Govt of India

Sir,

I am directed to submit for favourable consideration of the Govt of India the inclosed proceedings of the Board of Revenue, in which they recommend that a pension of Rs 15 per mensem which

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2. The Collector reports that these ladies are aged & destitute widows & that one of them is blind. and this circumstance of their descendants

3. The continuation of a pension on the same family under similar circumstances was sanctioned in your letter, No 2104, of the 24th April last.

J.S.

10.11.65

WD

I respectfully beg somewhere thanks that Mrs Godfrey agree with the Board of Revenue that the circumstances of these descendants of the late Jaghirdar are such as call for the continuance in their favor of the allowance drawn by their mother.

WDM

* are of opinion that the circumstances of the late Jaghirdar's family are such as to call for the continuance in their favor of the allowance drawn by their mother.

Should it be considered necessary to add any remarks on the merits of the case, I would submit that the pensions be continued for one year only, as a precautionary measure, and that the Collector be directed to report whether any extra work is done by the pensioners, and if so, what extra work is done, and how compensated, stating whether the extra work is done by the pensioners themselves or by others employed by them, and stating also whether any and what other pensions are drawn by members of the family. If no extra work is done by the pensioners themselves, and nothing indicates that any portion of the pensions is paid to others employed by them, I would suggest that the pensions be discontinued on the death of the present pensioners. I have been two unfortunate women descendants of a chief once powerful, but reduced to absolute poverty. She admitted to be without means, & her pleas seem to be such as to merit a whole year's pension. Such destitute persons seem to me deserving of some consideration.

WDM JP 7 April 1865

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Revenue 1865 Deptt.
Pro: of Govt for Nov.

No 2868.

Pro: of the Madras Govt.
Dy 23d Nov. 1865.

Expressing a opinion that the delay in the Office in applying for orders on the cases of certain Expired Grants of Villages was most erroneous and utterly inexcusable.

No 2869

To
The Secy: to the Govt. of India
Fin. Deptt.
Dy 23d Nov. 1865

Recommending the sanction of Rs 15 per mensem which has lapsed by the death of Buddi Bi niece of the late Zaghire, dar of Udayasherry, be continued to her two surviving daughters.