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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Read the following papers:—

No. 212. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th March 1867, No. 1,366.

Read the following paper from the Collector of Tinnevelly, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 28th January 1867, No. 61.

Statement shewing the amount of arrears due to the undermentioned Inamdar, paid by deduction from the Chuttrum surplus revenue, in the District of Tinnevelly.

Number of Certificate.	Name of the Pensioner.	Amount of pension, &c., per annum.	Date of Government authority.	Nature of the grant.	Period for which arrears are due.	Total amount of arrears.	Explanation of the cause of the suspension of payment.	Remarks of the Board of Revenue.	Orders of Government.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.			
43	Kadir Sahib.	37 1 10	24th June and 21st October 1851.	Life-grant.	12th October 1840, to 8th August 1858.	661 9 1	This Yeomiah was originally granted by Etbarkhan, and stands entered in Mr. Cotton's Register of Chuttrum Yeomiahs in No. 43, in the name of Shekh Nattadu, the original grantee. Subsequently it was sanctioned in the name of Kadir Sahib, Mohinddin Bibi, and Kulusin Bibi, son and daughters of the above Shekh Nattadu; *vide* Proceedings of the Madras		
	Mohinddin Bibi. Kulusin Bibi.	37 1 10			12th October 1840, to 14th May 1855.	541 7 5			
					15th May 1855, to 31st Dec. 1866, at the rate of Rs. 18-8-11 per annum.	215 12 5			
						1,418 12 11			

Government, dated 24th June and 21st October 1851; the first of these died on the 8th August 1858, and the last on the 14th May 1855, the only survivor, Mohinddin Bibi, sister of the above parties, now appears and claims the arrears due to her brother and sister up to the dates of their demise, and to herself up to 31st December 1866, and requests the continuance of her allowance during her life.

The claimant states she has lived with the family of the Nabob of Madras, and attributes her long delay in making her claim to her inability to obtain leave to appear.

She is sixty years of age, and her identity and heirship to the deceased partners in the Inam have been established.

The Collector requests sanction for the payment of the arrears of Rupees 1,418-12-11, and for the continuance of the grant of Rupees 18-8-11 during the life-time of Mohinddin Bibi.

Before submitting the foregoing Statement to Government, the Board of Revenue desire further information from the Collector. They observe that the Chuttram funds of the Tinnevelly District were reviewed in 1851, and that on the 24th June of that year, in their Proceedings, the Government passed orders respecting their distribution. *Lists* A. and B. had been submitted to them of persons who were entitled to support from the funds; and respecting these individuals, amongst whom are the names in the above Statement, the Government in paragraph 6 of the Proceedings remark, "In regard to the Yeomiahs hitherto paid out of the Chuttram "funds, amounting to Rupees 1,113-0-4 *per annum*, the Government direct "that they be continued to the present incumbents according to the reduced rates "specified in the Statements A. and B. prepared by the Board." From this extract it would seem probable that up to the date of the Proceedings the above individuals Kadir Sahib, Mohinddin Bibi, and Kulsin Bibi had been drawing their allowances which were for maintenance as it ought here to be observed, and that whatever has since happened, arrears of these allowances can only have accumulated since 1851, and not since 1840, as set forth in the above Statement. The Collector should explain clearly this point, and report whether any, and if so, what payment of allowances was made to the pensioners under the Proceedings of Government, to which attention is now drawn. The Board note further that in their Order, No. 203, dated 28th July 1861, Revenue Department, the Government refer to their rule that allowances remaining undrawn for more than two years shall be held to be lapsed, and they wish a Notification to this effect to be entered on each allowance certificate. The Board wish to know whether these instructions have been carried out in the Tinnevelly District.

No. 213. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th June 1867, No. 3,960

Read again the paper from the Collector of Tinnevelly, recorded in Board's Proceedings, dated 5th March 1867, No. 1,366.

Read also the following letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 27th May 1867, No. 279.

1. In reply to the Board's Proceedings of the 5th March 1867, No. 1,366, I have the honour to explain that the Yeomiah due to the applicant was not drawn in Fusly 1258, (A. D. 1848,) and it is stated in the list of Yeomiahs sent to Board on the 4th August 1856, that this Yeomiah has not been drawn from 12th October of Fusly 1250, (A. D. 1840), this statement was accepted and was printed by the Board in 1860. The same remark has been continued in all subsequent lists.

Vide Statement A. of Government Proceedings, No. 621, dated 24th June 1851.

2. The instructions contained in the Government Order, dated 28th January 1861, No. 203, referred to by the Board in the concluding part of their Proceedings under reply, were not communicated to these Yeomiahdars, as they were absent from this district.

3. The claimant, Mohinddin Bibi, has waived the privileges of her class, and appeared before the Treasury Deputy Collector in person, and satisfactorily established her identity; I, therefore, request sanction may be obtained for the

it of the arrears due to her, and for the continuance of the grant specified Statement, dated 28th January 1867, No. 61.

Submitted to Government for their instructions.

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She states that the reason she has not applied before, and that the allowave been in abeyance for nearly twenty-seven years, is that she has been in ice of the Nabob of Madras, and has not been able to obtain leave to appear.

The Board consider these are unsatisfactory excuses; but they presume not any reasonable doubt of her identity. The arrears are stated by the or to be Rupees 1,418-12-11.

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4. ORDER THEREON, 13th July 1867, No. 1,558.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government cannot admit the claims of Mohinddin Bibi to the arrears left unclaimed by her deceased brother and sister.

The Collector is authorized to pay her the arrears of her own share of 18-8-11 yearly, and to continue the allowance for her life.

He will report the exact amount of arrears needing sanction.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

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countant General.

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No. 3,960.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 27th June 1867.

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3. The arrears of their allowances from October 1840 are now applied for by the surviving Yeomiahdar, Mohiedin Bibi, as well as of her own allowance, and she wishes that the latter, amounting to Rupees 28-8-11 per annum, may be continued to her during her life.

4. She states that the reason she has not applied before, and that the allowances have been in abeyance for nearly 27 years, is that she has been in the service of the Nabob of Madras, and has not been able to obtain leave to appear.

5. The Board consider these are unsatisfactory excuses; but they presume there is not any reasonable doubt of her identity. The arrears are stated by the Collector to be Rupees 1,418-12-11.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

H. Cockburn

Sub-Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,

with copy of Board's Proceedings, dated 5th March 1867, No. 1,366

Copy to the Collector of Tinnevelly.

Rxd. J. Wright.

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No. 1677.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 27th June 1867.

No. 3,960.

Submitting to Government for their instructions letter from Collector of Tinnevelly regarding certain Yeomiah allowances in District and passing remarks on subject.