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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2633 Press / ~~Mis.~~

235-38
Dated 15-10- 1868.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
15th October 1868.

Read the following papers :—

No. 235. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th August 1868, No. 5,737.

Read again Board's Proceedings, dated 24th January 1868, No. 590.

Read also the following letter from the Acting Collector of the Madras District, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydapet, 4th July 1868, No. 227.

1. I have the honor, with reference to the Board's Proceedings, dated 24th January 1868, No. 590, to state that the Cazi of Mylapore has, on the 23rd June 1868, produced before me the Marriage Register of his Division, and has pointed out the entry showing the marriage between Rohullah Shah and Haleema Beebee, father and mother of Khadratullah Shah.

2. Copy of a statement given on oath by the Cazi is also enclosed. The Board will perceive that, according to the statement, the marriage of Rohullah Shah with Haleema Beebee was in all respects valid, and that Khadratullah Shah is sole heir to his father.

3. Under these circumstances, I recommend that the pension, if continued, be granted to Khadratullah Shah.

4. The Deputy Collector of Madras had previously been called on to report on this case, and reported in favor of another member of the family.

5. He had rejected the claim of Khadratullah Shah on the ground that the Cazi had failed to appear before him and produce the Register as required, and that he therefore distrusted the truth of the extract.

6. The Cazi's statement and Register, if accepted as correct, (and I see no reason to doubt them,) appears to place the matter beyond dispute.

7. As regards the second paragraph of the Proceedings, I beg to state that it appears from the Yeomiah Lists kept in the Deputy Collector's Office that the grant was for the performance of Asar-i-Shereff, that is, for the custody of certain relics and for the maintenance of the family, and that Syed Khaja Modeen is in possession of the Asar-i-Shereff, and keeps up the service.

8. But a reference to the extract which accompanied a letter from the Collector of North Arcot to the Board, dated 29th June 1854, shows that the grant was for the prolongation and prosperity of Government. It is, however, stated in the letter that the original Sunnud is not forthcoming.

9. I beg to forward two Statements, one exhibiting the arrears due to Rohullah Shah up to the date of his death, and the other the sum due to Khadratullah Shah from the date of his father's death up to the end of May last.

Enclosures Nos. 1 and 2.—Petitions.

Enclosure No. 3.

Abstract.—Statement on oath given by Cazi of Mylapore

Enclosure No. 4.

Abstract.—Statement showing particulars of the case of Khrdratullah Shah, the Nieka son of the deceased Rohullah Shah.

Khaja Modeen Sahib, [illegible]

relic and denies the legitimacy of Khadratullah Shah. Under these circumstances, the Government resolve to allow Khadratullah Shah a period of six months to establish his right to succeed as heir to the estate of his late father. In the meantime, the allowance paid to the custodian of the relic, and the arrears, will be held in deposit.

2. The Board of Revenue will be requested to communicate this decision to the parties concerned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Petitions Nos. 1752, 1828, 1938, 1951, and 3013 of 1868
,, the Accountant General.
,, the Persian and Hindustani Translator to Government.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Khaja Moodeen Sahib, Cuddapah

Govt. of Madras.

REVENUE.

To THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated October, 15th.

Recd. Encl.

G. O., 15th October 1868, No. 2,633.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd September 1868, No. 2447.

OCTOBER.

Nos. 235-238.

Service Yeomiah in Madras District.—Khadratullah Shah allowed a period of six months to establish his right to succeed as heir to the estate of his late father.

Board's Rec. 1st Dept. 16th Oct. 1868.

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No 2503.

No 3005.

It may not seem desirable that the Govt should now confirm the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue recorded above relative to the payment of an allowance of Rs 60 with accumulated arrears to Khadratullah Shah, (who claims as the) son of Rohullah Shah, the late holder of the allowance, as by them in their letters from the Chepauk Agents second letter recorded above, that the late holder of the allowance deputed the Asan-i-Shereff during his life-time, with his nephew Khaja Moodeen Sahib, who

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Mr Bd with petition Nos 1732, 1823, 1913, 1951 and 2013 of 1868 & Bo general cases
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6 —— Accountant
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