Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,

12th July 1871.

No. 123. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 28th June 1871, No. 2,603 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of South Arcot, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cuddalore, 11th May 1871, No. 132.

I HAVE the honour to forward for the orders of the Board copy of a letter from my Deputy-Collector on general duties, in which he raises the question whether the Resolution of the Government of India, No. 423, dated 20th January last, bars the promotion to appointments in the pension grades of persons more than 25 years old, already in the public service, but who hold posts, service in which does not count for pension.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From C. SREE BALIAH, Deputy-Collector, General Duties, to the Collector of South Arcot, dated Trikalore, 8th May 1871, No. 156.

I HAVE the honour respectfully to request instructions on the following point in connection with the Resolution of the Government of India, No. 423, dated 20th January 1871, published in page 30 of the District Gazette, dated 18th February 1871, prohibiting the entertainment into Government service of men aged more than 25 years.

2. Does the order refer to men already in service, but who are in grades not eligible for pensionary allowance ? For instance, a Dufterbund gets 7 Rs., can he be promoted, notwithstanding that he is now more than 25 years old ?

3. If the order is interpreted as prohibiting the promotion, I believe it would not refer to appointments of 10 Rs. salary or less. Thus, a Dufterbund may be taken in irrespective of his age.

4. The primary object of the order seems to have been to restrict "an undue liability in respect of pensionary allowance;" and I believe the restriction as to age was intended only for appointments of more than 10 Rs. salary.

5. There is a Tappal Gumastah on 7 Rs. only that has applied for promotion to 15 Rs., and this has led to the present reference.

THE Board resolve to refer for the orders of Government the question whether the Resolution of the Government of India, dated the 20th January 1871, bars the promotion of men serving in grades which do not qualify for pension to grades which do qualify for pension.

No. 124. ORDER THEREON, 12th July 1871, No. 1,199.

Miscellaneous.

THERE appears to be nothing in the Resolution of the Government of India to bar the promotion of such men; but men so promoted will be liable to the reduced pension contemplated by that Resolution, in the event of their being ultimately removed from the service as superannuated on their attaining a particular age.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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From Board

Dated 28/6/71 No 2603

FOR ORDERS.

The Govt of India ruled last, accordingly, no advantages under the Income Tax are to men over 25 years of age, still to be allowed.

The Rule must apply to Pensions and Gratuities for Commissariat Service but the Govt of India make no distinction.

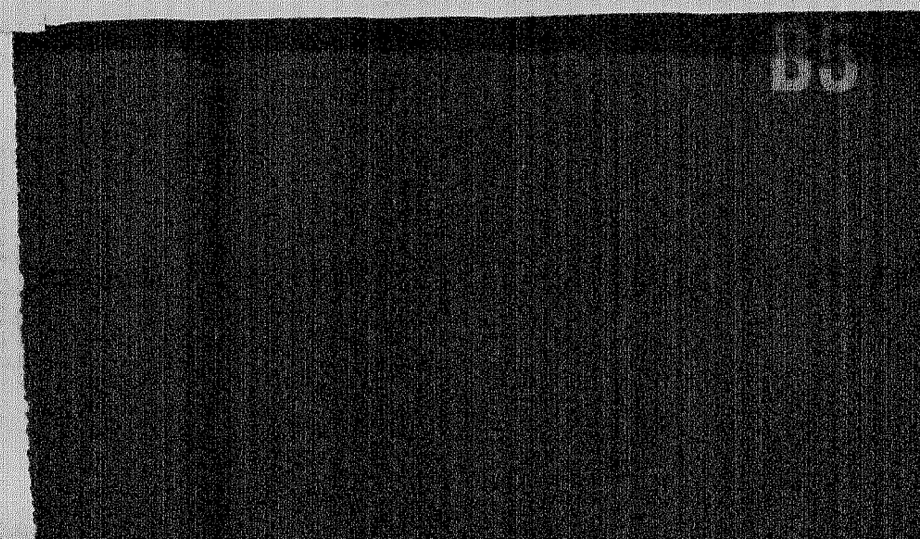
They have said nothing simply nothing about having promotion of men over 25 from Non Pensionary to Pensionary Grades. They assume only Set Pension in respect of Service until the Extraordinary Grades.

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