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Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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No. 65. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th September 1867, No. 6,052.

Read the following paper from the Collector of North Arcot, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Chittoor, 24th July 1867 :—

Statement of lapsed Service Yeomiah recommended for renewal in the district of North Arcot.

No.	Talook and village, extent and value of the entire Inam.	When and by whom granted; name of the original grantee; Sunnuds and other documents in support of the grant.	Nature of the grant, charity or service; if service, nature of the duty prescribed by the grant.	Name of the last holder; date of his decease; and the relationship in which he stood to the original grantee.	Share enjoyed by the deceased, and that held by the other members.	Family left by the deceased, name and age of the parties, their circumstances, and the means of subsistence possessed by them.	Remarks.
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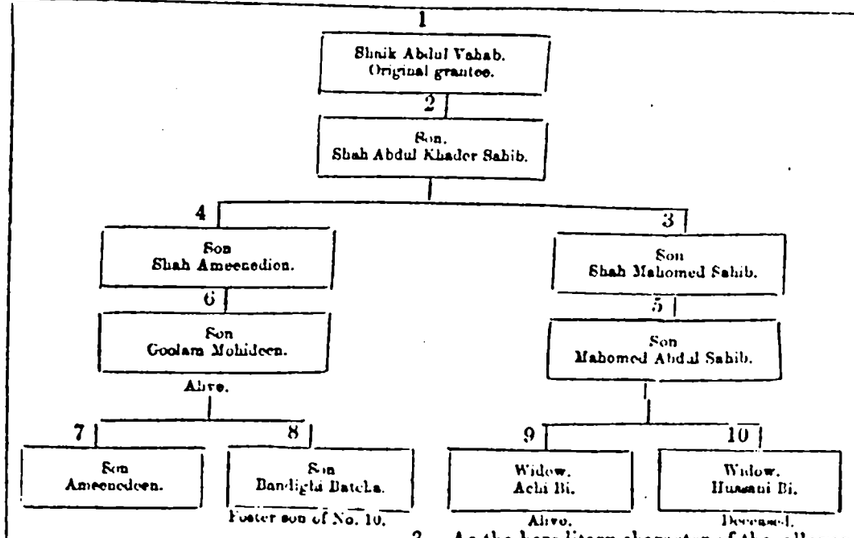
27	A portion of the ready-money allowance granted in lieu of the Dehat Inam of Punji village, in Wallajah talook, at Rs. 99-1-4 per annum.	Granted by the Nabob Saudut Otta Khan to Shaik Abdul Vahab on the 22nd Shaval to Joloor.	For subsistence. Hereditary.	Hussani Bi, died 11th June 1866, widow of great-grandson of the original grantee.	One half of the entire allowance of Rupees 198-2-9.	Died without issue. The heirs existing are: 1, Achi Bi, another widow of the deceased, and who enjoys the other half of the allowance; 2, Goolam Mohideen, first cousin (father's brother's son) to the husband of the deceased; 3, Aminudeen; and 4, Bandighi Batcha, son of the above Goolam Mohideen. An annual allowance of Rs. 26 is enjoyed by Goolam Mohideen as Punji Dehat Inam Pensioner. He possesses no other means of subsistence.	1. Achi Bi, No. 28, and Hussani Bi, No. 27, widows of Mahomed Abdul Shah, a Dehat Inam Pensioner, were in receipt of an annual allowance of Rupees 48 each, sanctioned by the Government of India, under date the 25th November 1848, No. 1,043, being a portion of the annual allowance of Rupees 198-2-9 enjoyed by their late husband. It having, however, subsequently transpired that this allowance was a grant made in lieu of a share enjoyed by

Column 8.—(Continued.)



this family in the Dehat Inam village of Punji, the hereditary character of which had been already established, and that the reduction in 1848 had been made under a misapprehension as to its nature, the Government in their Order, dated 16th August 1865, No. 1,904, admitted the claims of these two widows to the full amount of the allowance enjoyed by their late husband, and sanctioned its continuance. The allowance has ever since been disbursed to each of the two widows in equal proportions.

2. Of these two, Hussani Bi, No. 27, died on the 11th June 1866, and her moiety, namely, Rs. 99-4-1, is claimed by Bandighi, No. 4 in Column 7, who is stated to be the foster son of the deceased widow, besides being her husband's first cousin's son, as will be seen from the genealogical tree in the margin. The surviving widow and the other members of the family consent to this arrangement. The widow Achi Bi at the same time claims that, in the event of Government declining to sanction the continuance of this half share in the name of Bandighi Batcha, it should be renewed in her name.

Extract Minutes of Consultation, dated 19th July 1855, No. 873.

3. As the hereditary character of the allowance under report has been fully recognised in the Orders of Government quoted in the margin, and the present claimant is a lineal descendent of the original grantee in the male line, the Collector begs to recommend that the half share enjoyed by the deceased widow may be continued to Bandighi Batcha, and the arrears,* amounting to Rupees 107-5-5, paid to him.

* From 1st June 1866 to 30th June 1867, at Rupees 99-4-1 per annum.

4. The records of this case originally received from the Tahsildar of Wallajah talook were found defective in some essential points, and a further inquiry became necessary. The parties appeared before the Deputy Collector on the 21st ultimo, on which date the inquiry was finally closed.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
3rd October 1867

1. Submitted to Government, with the Board's recommendation that the allowance should be registered in the name of Goolam Mohideen, who appears to be the nearest surviving heir of the original grantee, and that the arrears now due should be paid to him.

2. The Collector recommends that the pension should be granted to Bandighi Batcha, a son of Goolam Mohideen, because he is a "foster son" of the deceased, and because the other members of the family consent to its being so disposed of; but the allowance is of a strictly hereditary character, and if no mistake had been made, it should have gone to Goolam Mohideen (or his father if then surviving,) when Mahomed Abdul Sahib died.

No. 66. ORDER THEREON, 3rd October 1867, No. 2,311.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government observe that in their Order of 16th August 1865, it was directed that the full allowance drawn by their deceased husband should be paid to the widows Achi Bi and Hussain Bi. The sub-division appears to have been a private arrangement, and the whole allowance of Rupees 108-2-9 should now be paid to the survivor Achi Bi.

2. On her death it will come to be considered to whom this allowance shall then be continued as the representative of Mahomed Abdul Sahib. At present Ghulam Mohidin appears to be next heir.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
" the Accountant General.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

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Copy of a Minute
of the Court of Directors
dated the 16th
Augt 1760. Ordered that the
allowance drawn by their
Secretary Mr Charles Stuart
for the Office of Secretary
& Secretary to the Committee
of Correspondence & Secrecy
be continued at the rate
allowance of £100 p. ann. each
from the first of the Quarter
which first

with power to the Committee
of Correspondence & Secrecy
to continue or discontinue
the Allowance of Mr Stuart
as they shall see occasion
Extract from the Minutes of the Court of
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Charles Stuart Esqr
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 20*th September* 1867.
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No 6,052.

Submitting statement of a lapsed service Yeomiah in North Arcot district, and recommending that the allowance be registered in the name of Goolam Mohideen and that the arrears now due should be paid to him.

Read 29-8-67

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