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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
5th December 1867.*

No. 82. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 14th November 1867, No. 7,431 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of North Arcot, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Chittoor, 18th October 1867, No. 298.

1. Agreeably to instructions contained in the Board's Circular Order, No. XXXV. of 1866, dated 24th September 1866, I have the honor to submit a statement shewing the cases remaining undisposed of under that Order.

2. The number of pensioners to whom the Order is applicable is thirty-one. Of these sixteen have, as required, changed their Vakeels in conformity with the terms of the Order. The remaining fifteen, whose names are comprised in the statement, have not yet complied with the Order, although ample time was allowed to them for the purpose of effecting the requisite arrangement.

3. Nos. 1 to 6 in the statement live at Arcot, and express their inability to find Vakeels and Certifiers, who have a personal interest in the stipends they draw. Nos. 7 to 9 also live at Arcot, and state that they will appoint certifiers from among Military pensioners, but request that they may, meanwhile, be permitted to retain their present Vakeels. Nos. 10 and 11 reside in a village near Gudiathum, and state that they are unable to find fresh Vakeels and Certifiers. As, with one exception, there is not a single Yeomiahdar, either in the Talook of Arcot or that of Gudiathum, who has a personal interest in the allowance which he draws, I beg to recommend that the request of these eleven pensioners may be complied with.

4. No. 12 resides at Trichinopoly, and No. 13 at Madras. They have been informed, through their Vakeels, of the Board's orders requiring a change in the existing system, but they have not as yet responded to the call. No. 14 resides at Salem, and has reported that she is sick, and her allowance is in arrears for more than two years.

5. The other Yeomiahdar, No. 15, is reported to be at Madras; but as the exact place of her residence is not known, and her Vakeel has not appeared at this Office for the last twenty months, her allowance also is in arrears.

6. In all these fifteen cases the payment of the allowance from April last was stopped; but I have now instructed the Deputy Collector in charge of Treasury to disburse the arrears due to the first eleven Yeomiahdars and Inamdars up to last month. The allowance from this month will be stopped, pending the receipt of the orders of the Board and Government on the subject.

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Statement of Yeomiah, &c., cases in which a change of Vakeels has not been effected under the Board's Circular Order, No. XXXV. of 1866.

Consecutive Number.	Nature of the Grant.	No. of the Pension.	Names.	Amount.	Remarks.
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1	Yeomiah Pensions.	554	Bee Sahiba Beebee alias Beegam..	23 4 4	
2	Do.	603	Shumshoo Beebee.	42 0 0	
3	Dehat Inam Pension.	68	Karimoonnissa ...	13 4 0	Recommended to be allowed to retain their present Vakeels and Certifiers, for reasons given in the accompanying letter.
4	Do.	66	Fatma Begum ...	13 4 0	
5	Do.	67	Fatma Beebee ...	13 4 0	
6	Do.	9	Hoossain Beebee.	21 0 0	
7	Yeomiah Pension.	571	Saram Beebee ...	177 0 0	
8	Do.	534	Jahara Beebee ...	70 12 10	These four pensioners have neither appointed fresh Vakeels, nor assigned any reasons for being allowed to retain their present Vakeels and Certifiers.
9	Jahaghir Pension	2	Navoz Beebee ...	108 0 0	
10	Yeomiah Pension.	24	Hayath Beebee ...	67 6 10	
11	Do.	24	Shahajath Beebee ...	67 6 10	
12	Do.	605	Jannat Beebee ...	126 5 8	
13	Do.	544	Shorafoonnissa Katherenissa ...	60 0 0	
14	Dehat Inam Pension	21	Jayanub Shasha ..	26 0 0	
15	Do.	16	Badee Beebee ...	43 0 0	

- Submitted for the orders of Government.
- Under the circumstances detailed in paragraph 3 of the Collector's letter, the Board consider that the rules, which require Gosha women to draw their allowances through pensioners having a personal interest in their pensions, may be relaxed in favor of the eleven individuals referred to.

No. 83. ORDER THEREON, 5th December 1867, No. 2,896.

Miscellaneous.

1. In their Order dated 18th August 1866, No. 2,132, Government directed that, in future, the existence of Gosha pensioners should be certified by persons who have a direct personal interest in the stipends they receive.

2. The Board now submit a report from the Collector of North Arcot, from which it appears that of the thirty-one pensioners to whom the above Order is applicable, sixteen only have complied with its terms, although ample time has been allowed them for the purpose of effecting the necessary arrangement.

3. The Collector, however, recommends that eleven of the pensioners, who have failed to comply with the Order, be permitted to retain their present Vakeels, on the ground that they are unable to find any others who have a personal interest in the stipend they draw. The Board support the Collector's recommendation.

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5th December 1867.*

4. Two pensioners, Nos. 605 and Jannat Bibi and Shorafonissa Rattinissa. 544, have taken no notice of the Order, which was duly communicated to them through their Vakeels. One pensioner reports herself sick at Salem, and the other, No. 16, is said to live at Madras, but her exact residence is unknown, and her Vakeel has not appeared before the Collector for the last twenty months.

5. Government sanction the relaxation of the rule, which requires Gosha women to draw their allowances through pensioners having a direct personal interest in their pensions, in favor of the eleven individuals recommended by the Collector and the Board, but desire the Collector of North Arcot to ascertain and report what prevents Nos. 1 to 9 from producing Certifiers from among Military pensioners, in the manner proposed by Nos. 10 and 11.

6. The three pensioners, Nos. 605, 544 and 21, will be allowed a further period of (6) six months, in which to make the necessary arrangements, and they will be informed that failure to comply with the above Order within that period will entail forfeiture of allowance.

7. The Collector of North Arcot will be directed to institute inquiries as to the existence and residence of Badi Bibi, who does not appear to have been heard of for nearly two years.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

No. 8,126.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 17th December 1867.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 5th December 1867, No. 2,896,
Revenue Department:—

ABSTRACT.—Sanctioning the relaxation of the rule, which requires Gosha women to draw their allowances through pensioners having a direct personal interest in their pensions, in favour of the eleven individuals recommended by the Collector of North Arcot, and directing him to report what prevents Nos. 1 to 9 from producing certifiers from among Military Pensioners.

1. Communicated to the Collector.
2. The report called for in paragraph 5, and the result of the inquiries instituted in accordance with paragraph 7 should be communicated to the Board, as soon as possible.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Sub-Secretary.

To the Collector of North Arcot.

Exd. J. Wright.

Pro. B. O. B. dated
14th Nov. 1867 No 3156.

No. 2896.

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of the 31 pensioners to whom the
above order is applicable, 16 only
have complied with its terms, al-
though ample time has been
allowed them for the purpose
of effecting the necessary arrange-
ment.

The Collector, however, recommends that 11 of the Pensioners who have failed to comply with the order, be permitted to retain their present Vakeels on the ground that they are unable to find any others who have a personal interest in the stipend they draw. The Board support the Coll's recommendation.

Two Pensioners nos 605 Jannat Bibi & 544 have taken no notice of the order which was duly communicated to them through their Vakeels. Shorafomissa Rattimissa

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I decline the J. of M. Arcot to ascertain & report what prevents Nos. 1 to 9 from producing certificates from among military Pensioners in the manner proposed by Nos 10 and 11.

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The three pensioners nos 605 544 & 21 will be allowed a further period of 6 (six) months in which to make the necessary arrangements, but they will be informed that failure to comply with the above order within that period will entail forfeiture of allowance.

The Coll. of h. Arcot will be directed to institute enquiries as to the existence & residence of Badi Bibi, who does not appear to have been heard of for nearly two years.

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