

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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16-17

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To The Honorable the Court of Directors
of the East India Company

The humble Memorial of
Setharoyles Brahmey Accountant
and Manager in the Office of
the Official Assignee of the
Court for the Relief of
Insolvent Debtors at Madras

Sheweth

1 That on the 1st February 1827 your
Memorialist was appointed as a Writer in the
Government Establishment of the Superintendent
of Prisons at Madras and continued in office
to 31st January 1828—

2 That in consequence of ill health, he was
compelled to resign his employment on which a
second Captain Robert Short the then Superin-
tendent of Prisons gave your Memorialist an
interesting letter to Captain & Messrs Gordon
Messrs & Partners at Wallajahabad to which

Yallah your Memorialist resorted for the restoration of his health and continued unemployed in any Government Establishment till the year 1828.

3. That on the opening of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Madras in March 1829 your Memorialist was appointed Clerk, Writer and Accountant in the then Common Assignee's Office by Judge Esquire the then former one Assignee and has since continued in the same Office now designated the Official Assignee.

4. That from a representation made in 1830 by the Honorable the Judges of His Majesty's Supreme Court at Madras to the Government of Madras your Memorialist's salary was increased to Rupees 35 and paid by Government and a further augmentation was made in 1839 to Rupees 42.

5. That from the opening of the Insolvency Court your Memorialist had very important duties to discharge with a very limited establishment to assist him. He had to attend Office at a very early hour in the morning and business

it would take in the evening in order that no arrears of business should accrue. The number of Insolvent Estates from March 1829 to the introduction of the new Act in August 1848 were 618 and since its introduction vizt from 1st September 1848 to 31st April 1851 were 977 making in aggregate 1595 Estates. The zeal and integrity with which your Memorialist has discharged the arduous and onerous duties entrusted to him by strict attention and attention to business has gained the approbation of your Memorialist's several employers as will be seen from the enclosed original testimonials from 1st to 7.

The original testimonials from 1st to 7 are enclosed in the original copy of the Memorial.

6. That your Memorialist's increasing attention to business with a small Establishment has been the chief cause of his sight being impaired by a Cataract independent of his rather badly infirmities and growing old age, which has led him for further action since he has served the Honorable Company 36 years 29 years and 4 months of which has been in the Insolvency Court alone. Your Memorialist's constitution is breaking down and in order to relieve one burden

he submitted his case to Government thro' the
 Head of his Office the Official Secretary on
 the 30th April last and in a short Minutes of
 Consultation dated 15th May last it being the
 Right Honourable the Governor in Council has
 been pleased to declare that your Memorialist
 is not entitled to any pensionary provisions from
 the State. The Government must be guided
 by the rules laid down, and they are unable to
 make any exception in the present instance.

That the Uncovenanted Service
 Pension Rules do not provide for servants of your
 Memorialist's description but your Memorialist
 has continued under the impression that though
 immediately connected with the Supreme Court
 of Judicature, his service & emoluments were
 rendered to Government from the circumstances of
 being paid by them and the salary as far as
 your Memorialist is aware, not being controlled
 by any Compact between the British Government
 and the East India Company. Your
 Memorialist's case is similarly circumstanced

to that of Venkata Rao a Member of the Revenue
 Office in this City, and who was also declared by
 the Madras Government ineligible for Pension
 because he did not come under the Pension
 rules, but in memorializing your Honourable
 Court it was pleased to give his case favourably
 and grant on him a Superannuation Pension
 and which he is at present enjoying.

8. That your Memorialist has but a
 period of 8 months longer to serve to complete
 his 30 years Service -

9. That in conclusion your Memorialist
 humbly prays that he may be permitted to
 retire from the Service from the date of the
 receipt of your Honourable Court's despatch
 to the Madras Government granting to your
 Memorialist his prayer. The accompanying
 Medical Certificate from Dr. Paul Surgeon
 of the First Division will satisfy your
 Honourable Court of your Memorialist's
 bodily infirmities and thereby infirmities

*The original is forwarded
 with the original copy
 of the Memorial*

See which out of either you
 & Remondet is in duty bound -

Madras }
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1 July 1858 }

No. 1

Madras September 19th 1822.

This is to Certify that the Bearer hereof
Sobasayloo Praming was employed as a
Writer in the office of the Superintendent of
Pensions from the 1st February 1817 during
which period he has been regular and attentive
to his duties - and has on all occasions
behaved himself with propriety and to my
entire satisfaction -

I Marshall
Lieut. Colonel

Attest
15th Jan 1823

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15th Jan 1823

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No 2
My dear Mr. Putford

I send you a letter
named ^{Robert} Robert, who will answer your
inquiries; he has been
employed in my office
in the Pension department
for some years; and
has behaved very well;
his health is bad

and he is therefore
desirous of changing
to Wallagatad
Yonassun
D. H. Short

30. January
1823

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of Seabrighter Braum was
by me appointed in March 1829
Head-writer and accountant in
the Common Prisoners Office, & in
August 1834 Interpreter in the
Prisoners Office, Supreme Court,
both which situations he still
holds. I consider him to
be an industrious, honest
and respectable man, &
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For kind Mrs. Lislemon
on the eve of my departure
for England.

Yours
Madras
January 1841

N^o 4

Madras. 24 May. 1842.

I certify that J. Perbaroyles
has been employed in the Office
of Commissionary of the Court for
Relief of Insolvent Debtors since
its establishment and that he is
trustworthy and faithful in the
management of the Office the same
and the facts, and I recommend
to the attention of any gentleman
in want of an intelligent and
honest native to interpret
and manage the business of an
Office at the Presidency or any country
Charles M. M. M.

Mexico 16th April 1888

I hereby certify that Sr. Coobarzalos Rini
has been in the office of the Official Agent
for eight years during the time I held the
office of Official Agent the man was in my
office and during that period perfectly
satisfactory and honest and
in my opinion a deserving public
servant.

Wm. A. Rini

3 N. 7
Sadrat Chief Clerks Office at Sadrat 1858.

This is to certify that during the ^{Aug 22 to Aug 23} season months I was
official assignee of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent
Debtors at Sadrat. V. Soharogloo Braming the
accountant and manager of that office performed his
duties to my entire satisfaction and approval.
I am further able to state that ever since my
appointment to my present office there has frequent
opportunities of observing V. Soharogloo Braming
in the discharge of his official duties and consider
him fully deserving of every due consideration the
Government may deem fit to bestow upon him.
Wm. Donaldson
Chief Clerk of the Court at Sadrat

N. 8

This is to Certify that by
Seth Boyles Brammington employed as head
Clerk in the Office of the Official Assignee
of the Insolvent Court for several years
has on several occasions appeared before
me when passing the Official Assignee's half
yearly Schedules, has given me much assistance
and shown his knowledge of the duties of
his Office and the Accounts

Wm. H. Wood

Masters Office

29th June 1858.

G. Sotaboyloo, Accountant in the Official
Resignation Office having applied to me for a
Certificate on which to ground an application
to Government for Pension.

I do hereby Certify that G. Sotaboyloo
Accountant in the Official Resignation Office
appears to me to be permanently disqualified
for the further performance of his duties and
that no relaxation from duty or judicious
treatment is likely to improve his incapaci-
city, it being the result of old age impair-
ed vision from incipient Cataract in both
eyes and deafness.

Madras
27th May, 1888 }

J. H. Paul
Surgeon Major

To
The Chief Secretary to Government
of Port Saint George
1st July 1858

Sir,
With reference to Extract from minutes of Council
dated 10th last at N^o 159. I have the honor to forward to you
a memorial to the Honorable the Court of Directors
in duplicate from Mr. Sebastian's Prammings Manager
of my Office praying that a Pension may be granted
to him in consideration of his long and faithful public
services in this Office.

In my letter to you of the 30th April last I have
fully borne testimony to Sebastian's qualifications
and it will be needless for me to reiterate it again.
I solicit that the Right Honorable the Governor in
Council will be pleased in forwarding the memorial
to support the prayer of the memorialist as his case
is a hard one and one that deserves their best
consideration. Should the prayer of the Memorialist
meet with the patronage of the Honorable Court
I beg to suggest that he be permitted to retire from
the Service from the date of the receipt of their
Despatch at Madras.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant
[Signature]
Official Secretary

Madras
1st July 1858

Dr. A. D. & Co. 13th July
at 15th of 1858

The Secretary
at 15th of 1858

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