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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 462.

FROM

R. A. DALYELL, ESQ.,
Acting Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I am directed by the Right Honourable the Governor in Council to forward, for the favourable consideration and orders of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, the accompanying copy of Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Pension Department, dated 27th September 1869, No. 331, and to request, under the circumstances therein set forth, the sanction of the Government of India to the grant of a pension of Rupees 6-8-0 to Mînâchi Sundaram Pillai.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
5th October 1869.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Actg. Secy. to Govt.

Proceedings of Government, Pension Department.

Read the following papers:—

From the Civil and Session Judge of Madura.
(Here enter 1st May 1869.)

Report of the Examiner of Claims.
(Here enter 7th August 1869, No. 835.)

Order, 27th September 1869, *No.* 331.

The foregoing application for pension is submitted on behalf of Mînâchi Sundaram Pillai who, when Head Gumasta of the District Munsif's Court at Sivaganga in the Madura district, was thrown out of employ on the 31st December 1864, in consequence of the abolition of the Court. He had been in the service of Government continuously from the 22nd June 1836 till the date above-mentioned, a period of 28 years, 6 months, and 9 days; but, after deduction of the service passed in ineligible grades, his net service qualifying for pension amounts to 14 years, 10 months, and 29 days, or one month and one day short of what would entitle him to claim a one-third pension. It appears, however, that in 1847, the applicant acted as Head Gumasta of the Court, and drew the full pay of that office, Rupees 14, for 2 months and 12 days; and was then confirmed in the appointment, which he held for 8 years, 3 months, and 9 days. The period during which the applicant held the acting appointment has been deducted by the Examiner of Claims, but if it be included, the period of eligible service would be 15 years, 1 month, and 11 days. The applicant's character is stated to have been good.

2. It is explained that the applicant, expecting to be re-employed, preferred no claim for pension till November 1867, when he was directed by the then Civil Judge (contrary to rule) to produce a medical certificate; and that no further claim was made till April 1869. Hence the delay which has occurred.

3. The Government resolve to pass to Mînâchi Sundaram Pillai a gratuity of Rupees 240 to which, it is reported, he is eligible under the new rules; and direct that, under the circumstances of the case, and considering the shortness of the period wanting to complete his service for pension, application be made to the Government of India for sanction for his admission, as a special case, to a pension of Rupees 6-8-0 per mensem, being one-third of his salary for the last five years of his service, with effect from the date of his first application.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Under Secy. to Govt.

Exd. J. Wright.

1869.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From
The Acting Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George.

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated 5th October 1869.

Read.

No. 462.
Enclosure.

OCTOBER
Nos. 7-8.

Requesting sanction to the grant of a pension of Rupees 6-8-0 per mensem to Minâchi Sundaram Pillai, late Head Gumasta of the District Munsif's Court at Sivaganga, Madura district.

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(True Extract.)

Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Civil and Session Judge of Madura.
,, Collector of Madura.
,, Examiner of Claims.
,, Accountant General.
,, Financial Department.

Ed. J. Wright.

Fin. Dept. Letter dated 8th Oct. 1869.

Govt. of Madras

PENSION.

From

THE CIVIL AND SESSION JUDGE OF MADURA,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated September, 27th.

Read.

G. O., 27th September 1869 No. 331.

SEPTEMBER.

No. 462.

Granting a gratuity of Rupees 240 to Meenakshi Sundaram Pillay, late Head Gumasta of the Sivagunga District Munsif's Court, and intimating that, as a special case, a recommendation for the grant to him of a pension of Rupees 6-8-0 will be made to the Government of India.

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Fin. Department

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No. 462.

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The Secretary to the Government of India.

Fin. Department

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Fort St. George
5th Octr. 1869.

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To

The Secretary to the
Government of

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Dated 186 .

1869.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

From

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George,

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated Oct. 5. 1869.
Recd.

No. 462
Enclosure.

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Requesting sanction to the grant of a pension of Rs. 6-8- per mensem to Meenâchi Sundaram Pillay late Head Goomastà of the Dt. Moonsiff's Court at Swaziunga, Madura Dt.