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Government of Madras

Public Works DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
25th February 1873.*

No. 566. Read the following letter from the District Engineer, Madura, to the Acting Under Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madura, 28th January 1873, No. 4,654 —

As requested in your letter No 156, dated 22nd instant, I have the honour to forward, herewith, the records connected with Moothiah Pillay's case, at the close of which will be found my memorandum No. 3,886, dated 25th October 1872, finally disposing of the same.

2 I earnestly trust that, with this apparent re-opening of the case, it may be possible to do something for this well-deserving old man who, I may add, is still eking out his livelihood as Kungany on the Madura Palace Works.

No. 567. ORDER THEREON, 25th February 1873, No. 609.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 53.

His Excellency the Governor in Council observes that the petitioner's case, though deserving of consideration, cannot be brought within the scope of the " Civil Pension Code " he accordingly resolves that a compassionate allowance of 4 Rupees a month be granted to him.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Madura.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Pension Department.
To P. Moothiah Pillay.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

No 654

District Engineer's Office
Madura 28 January 1873

From

Vicil Colonel A. A. Roberts R.E.
District Engineer, Madura

To

Captain C. V. Smith R.E.

Adj. Under Secretary to Government
D.V.W.

Sir,

As requested in your letter, No 156, dated 22nd instant, I have the honor to forward herewith the records connected with Moothiah Pillay's case, at the close of which will be found my Memo. No 3886, dated 25th October 1872, finally disposing of the same.

Enclosures-2
Letter No 2852
dated 24th Sept 1872
with Govt. docket
thereon.
Petition from
Moothiah
Pillay dated
1st July 1872.

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add is still eking out his livelihood
as Rungary on the Madura Polau
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I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedt^l servant,

Henry Roberts Sent. Col. R.E.
District Engineer, Madura

the Quarter Master General, asking that
Officer whether Kootha Pillay's services
were of a permanent character, and
whether the same can be verified from
the records in his office, in order to enable
me to submit to Government, on the peti-
tioners' behalf an application for gratuity.

In reply to my letter Colonel Haulett
informed me that Kootha Pillay did
not serve in his office, "and that clerks
employed in the Divisional Quarter
Master General's Office are paid out
of the contract allowance, and are not
borne on the establishment paid by
Government."

3. Under these circumstances, I
was compelled to refrain from moving
further in the matter.

4. As this poor old man appeared,
however, to be in very distressed circum-
stances

stances, owing to his inability to earn
a livelihood, I have given him employ-
ment of a light nature on the Madras
Palace works, as "Kungary," to superintend
the Chittab - a situation which he is quite
qualified to hold, and in which he is
very attentive to his duties. He receives
four annas per diem -

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours most Obedt Servt

Piercy Roberts Esq. Lieut. Col.

Superintd. Engineer S. E.

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Dec 1872

Mr. J. M. Smith

Transferred to the
Office of the
Division of
General
Affairs.

Collected
Reports
of the
Division of
General
Affairs.

Mr. J. M. Smith

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Reference to his petition to Government,
dated 4th July and 11th August 1872, that
he had held only temporary appointments,
and, he is not eligible for a permanent
graduated position should
regard this reply as final.

Adm
25th Oct 1872

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Dec 1872

Act. No. 2852 dated
24th Sept^r 1892 with
Govt. docket thereon

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the petition of the British India Steam Navigation Co. for a license to operate in the British India Steam Navigation Co. and to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the Board of Trade for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
 Yours, Sir, very respectfully,
 J. H. P.

present in battle of Shannetan 1848 to 1842 and also in
Hamminger Goodrich and Co's business 1848 to 1849.
under Lord Gough's 1848 and was engaged in
Petitioner has up to present date acquired a Petition
of 1848. Papers respecting a bill for the Government
from 1848 to 1849 and was engaged in
will protect your poor Petitioner's interest
among many others and hold under your written Control
in this free Government.

4th July 1872
And with Love ship poor Relations
I shall be in duty bound ever from
Albion. Rellay (late)
Writer in the Journal Post Office
at Haidcutty. Sindigul & alig
Mawra. Dunder. Matras
Residence.

Public Works Department

The Hon. Secy
 U.S. Dept. of State
 Washington, D.C.
 Dear Sir:
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th inst. in relation to the above matter.

Sir,
 In reply to your petition dated the 25th, 1870,
 praying for a pension, I have the honor to inform you
 that the Office of Pensions to your application
 dated the 25th, 1870, in which you
 were informed that your application
 under the name of J. W. in the Executive
 Engineer's Department, and Application
 for pension or gratuity should be addressed
 to that Department.
 I have the honor to be,
 Sir, your obedient servant,
 J. W.

Dear Sir,

James E. P. Rogers
Director General of the C. & O. R.R.

(True Copy)
 B. J. H. H. H. H.
 the Water in the fountain (B. J. H. H.)

Public Works Department,

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Quia letter
from the Sup^r Hygienist
8th St. dated 24th Sept^r
1872 v. l. 2852

To The Adj. Genl. Secy,
of Govt. O. H. D.

no. 4698/72.

Reunion from R.
Moothera Pillay

Scandinavia

The High Commission
the Governor in Council

Walter in the Paulsah Post Office
at Nadeully, Sindigud Taluq
Madrassa Durratunnas
Residence

P. M. 1872 Depart.
No. 3797.

From.

P. Mootish Pilley.
Lali unilic in the
Post office.

dated 4th July 1872.
Recd of 5th July.

P. M. 4405/72.

Praying
for a gratuity.

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Letter from the Dist
Engineer Madras to
the Asst. Secy
to Govt. P.W. & R. 4654
dated 28th January 1873

P. W. 667/73.
In 11-5668/25 July 73.

Decision from the
Executive P.W. dated
4th July 1872

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Public Works Department
No. 609
Proceedings of the Madras Government
Read the following

From The District Engineer
Madras } P. E. No. 4654 of 28th Jan 73

His Excellency
the Governor in Council
observed that the petition of
the case though deserving
of consideration, cannot
be brought within the
scope of the "Civil Per-
sion Code", he accordingly
resolves that a Compassion
allowance of Rs 100
be granted
to

to him.

CC

W.M.

To the Secretary General
of the
Pension Board

of the
Pension Board

the Pension Department

Dec 28/73.

Circulated for orders.

The note by the
Director General of the
Post office in India
gives a full summary
of the petitioner's case.
In his petition to this
Government it was not
stated in what part of
the Presidency the pe-
titioner had been
employed in the De-
partment Public
Works, but as it was
observed that the
Postal Department
mentioned the fact of
his having been so
employed, the Director

General was addressed
on the subject and
requested to intimate
on what grounds the
statement was made.

That officer replied
that the man's services
in the D.P. Co. could
not be verified by the
Postal Department
from the petition
addressed to the Governor
General in Council
and the certificates
thereto annexed. Inasmuch
he was employed in the
Madura District Coll.
Roberts has ascertained
that the man's services
in the Quarter Master
General's Department
in this Presidency do

not entitle him to a
pension. His services
in the D.P. Co. were also
of a temporary character.
All the rest of the man's
service has been spent
in the Bombay and
Bengal Presidencies. It
will be observed that
out of 24 appointments,
aggregating 29 and odd
years, extending over
42 years, only 9 have
been for periods exceeding
one year, only 2 for more
than 3 years. His em-
ployment in the D.P. Co.
appears from the first
to have been, as it is
now, with a view to
give him subsistence.
His statements would

P. S. July 1873. Q. 7.