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MILITARY DEPARTMENT, 6TH JULY 1892, No. 4208.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Pensions.

Read the following paper:—

No. 63. From Colonel S. LEIGH-HUNT, Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions, to Brigadier-General H. R. HOPE, Secretary to Government, Military Department; dated Fort St. George, 8th June 1892, No. 1267.

I have the honour to submit my Inspection Report for 1891-92 on 24 Pension offices.

2. It will be observed that the following stations included in the report have lately been placed in charge of officers appointed to the department, under the provisions of G.O., No. 5683, dated 14th October 1891:—

Vellore and Chittoor	...	...	...	...	Mr. W. Gibbs.
Vizagapatam and Anakapalle	...	...	...	...	} Captain T. C. Sherwood.
Vizianagrum	...	...	...	...	
Chicacole	...	...	...	...	

3. The distribution in previous years of printed copies of the annual inspection reports of the Superintendent to all out-station Pension offices has gradually resulted in the adoption of one uniform system of keeping books and records in all Departmental offices, and has, besides, afforded valuable assistance to officers newly placed in charge of Pension offices. I would request, therefore, that this office may be furnished with 120 copies of the order that Government may be pleased to pass on the accompanying report.

Report on the Inspection of Pension and Family Payment Offices, Madras

Station inspected and number of Pensioners and Family Certificate Holders.	Officer in charge.	Date of inspection.	BOOKS MAINTAINED IN PENSION OFFICES AGREEABLY TO PARA. 133, PENSION 5TH SEPTEMBER			
			1 Register of Pensioners.	2 Muster Roll and Abstract Book, Rice Bills, Batta, &c., Form No. 9.	3 Acquittance Roll (Book), Form No. 10.	4 Monthly Returns Book (in which is to be included the Annual Returns), also Register of Passports and Last Pay Certificates, Forms Nos. 13 and 11.
<i>Ootacamund.</i> Number of pensioners. 29 Number of family certificate holders. 6 Total ... 35	Mr. A. M. Jones, Deputy Collector.	20th July 1891.	...	Book kept in correct form and up to date.	Acquittance Roll discontinued. Entries correctly made on Pension certificates.	In correct form ...
<i>Arcot.</i> Number of pensioners. 390 Number of family certificate holders. 138 Total ... 528	Colonel Kelly, Unattached List, Pension Department.	20th Aug. 1891.	...	Do.	Acquittance Roll discontinued.	Do.
<i>Arni.</i> Number of pensioners. 375 Number of family certificate holders. 83 Total ... 458	Do.	Do.	...	Do.	Do.	Do.
<i>Salem District.</i> Number of pensioners. 604 Number of family certificate holders. 198 Total ... 802	M.R.Ry. Sooria-moorti Pillay Avergal, Deputy Collector.	21st Aug. 1891.	...	Book neatly kept. Pointed out that when a pensioner is not paid in any particular month, the letters P.N.D. should be entered against his name in the Muster Roll.	Do.	Do.
<i>Coimbatore.</i> Number of pensioners. 167 Number of family certificate holders. 20 Total ... 187	M.R.Ry. H. Subroya Aiyar Avergal, Deputy Collector.	24th Aug. 1891.	...	Book kept in correct form.	Acquittance Roll discontinued. Pension certificates correctly entered.	Books carefully maintained and written up to date.

Presidency, by the Superintendent of Pensions during the year 1891-92.

CODE, AND SUPERINTENDENT'S CIRCULAR No. 4 * OF BER 1887.			BOOKS MAINTAINED IN FAMILY PAYMENT OFFICES AGREEABLY TO PARA. 165, FAMILY PAYMENT CODE.		Remarks.
5 Casualty Book, Form No. 12.	6 Letter Book and Circular File.	7 * Native Military Pensioners' Employment Register.	1 Register of Family Payment with Acquittance Rolls, Form No. 22.	2 Accounts Current with the Superintendent, Register of Transfer Receipts, Form No. 23, and Monthly Reports of non-payment of Certificates.	
In correct form. Book neatly kept.	Letter Book neatly kept. Circulars duly filed.	Register carefully maintained. Number employed 16.	Correct ...	Accounts Current carefully and correctly kept. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form.	Office generally in good order. The climate generally deters Natives from offering themselves as candidates for employment.
In correct form.	Letter Book neatly kept.	Register carefully maintained. Number employed 37.	Do. ...	Do.	Office generally in good order. The percentage of employed pensioners is not so good as it ought to be, considering the facilities offered for employment on the Madras Railway, &c. Cash chest checked and found correct.
Do.	Do.	Register carefully maintained. Number employed 19.	Do. ...	Do.	Office generally in good order. Percentage of employed pensioners very small. Cash chest checked and found correct.
Book neatly kept, but it is pointed out that the practice of the officer initialling items before the amounts have been actually paid to the people entitled to receive them is irregular and one open to grave abuse, and this practice is ordered to be discontinued.	Do.	Register neatly kept, but the names of all fit candidates for employment should be entered in this register as far as column headed "Where willing to be employed" — vide Pension Office Circular No. 1 of 28th January 1889. Number employed 103.	Do. ...	Do.	Office generally in good order. The employment scheme is receiving a fair amount of attention.
In correct form.	Letter Book neatly kept. Circulars duly filed.	Register correctly and carefully kept. Number employed 60.	Do. ...	Accounts Current duly kept up. Register of Transfer Receipts neatly kept and in correct form.	Office generally in good order. Books neatly bound and carefully maintained. Officer in Charge reports that the majority of the pensioners here are old and decrepit, and that he could obtain employment for a good number of physically fit men. He is directed to app'y to the Head-quarter Office for the transfer of men to his station as employment may become available.

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			Register of Pensioners.	Muster Roll and Abstract Book, Rice Bills, Batta, &c., Form No. 9.	Acquittance Roll (Book), Form No. 10.	Monthly Returns Book (in which is to be included the Annual Returns), also Register of Passports and Last Pay Certificates, Forms Nos. 13 and 14.
<i>Mangalore.</i>						
Number of pensioners. 111	Mr. P. F. Fernandez, Treasury Deputy Collector.	28th, 29th, 30th and 31st Oct. 1891.	...	Book kept in correct form.	Acquittance Roll discontinued.	Books carefully maintained and written up to date.
Number of family certificate holders. 28					Pension certificates correctly entered.	
Total ... 139						
Of the above number of pensioners 35 are of the Bombay Army, who for the most part draw the pensions in the taluk treasuries.						
<i>Malabar District—</i>						
<i>Calicut.</i>						
Number of pensioners. 72	Mr. E. G. Ricketts, Deputy Collector.	3rd and 4th Nov. 1891.	...	Do. ...	Do. ..	Do. ...
Number of family certificate holders. 4						
Total ... 76						
<i>Cannanore.</i>						
Number of pensioners. 130	Do. ...	Do. ...	...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...
Number of family certificate holders. 50						
Total ... 183						
<i>Vellore.</i>						
Number of pensioners. 2,345	Mr. W. Gibbs, Pension Department.	7th Nov. 1891.	...	Do. ...	Acquittance Roll discontinued. Some of the Pension certificates are much damaged; as they are calculated to last for 6 years, more care should be taken with them.	Do. ...
Number of family certificate holders. 760						
Total ... 3,105						
<i>Chittoor.</i>						
Number of pensioners. 185	Do. ...	Do. ...	...	Do. ...	Acquittance Roll discontinued.	Do. ...
Number of family certificate holders. 30						
Total ... 215						

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CODE, AND SUPERINTENDENT'S CIRCULAR No. 4 * OF DEE 1887.			BOOKS MAINTAINED IN FAMILY PAYMENT OFFICES AGREEABLY TO PARA. 165, FAMILY PAYMENT CODE.		Remarks.
5 Casualty Book, Form No. 12.	6 Letter Book and Circular File.	7 * Native Military Pensioners' Employment Register.	1 Register of Family Payment with Acquittance Rolls, Form No. 22.	2 Accounts Current with the Superintendent, Register of Transfer Receipts, Form No. 23, and Monthly Reports of non-payment of Certificates.	
In correct form.	Letters and Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 12.	Correct ...	Accounts Current duly kept up. Register of Transfer Receipts neatly kept and in correct form.	Office generally in good order. Pensioners who can speak Canarese or Malayalam are in great request. No pensioners are employed in any of the Government offices, and the authorities do not appear to interest themselves in the success of the employment scheme.
Do. ...	Letter Book neatly kept. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 22.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Office generally in good order. No pensioners are employed in either Revenue or Judicial offices.
Do. ...	Letter Book neatly kept.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 14.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. do.
In correct form. Book carefully kept.	Letter Book neatly kept. Circulars duly filed. Superintendent's Circulars should be kept separate from those of the Pay Department.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 220.	Do. ...	Accounts Current duly kept up.	Office generally in good order. Cash chest checked and found correct.
In correct form.	Letter Book neatly kept. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 26.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. do.

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<i>Madura District.</i> Number of pensioners. 566 Number of family certificate holders. 73 Total ... 639	M.R.Ry. E. Srinivasa Chari Avergal, Deputy Collector in Charge, Treasury.	9th Dec. 1891.	...	Book kept in correct form.	Acquittance Roll discontinued. Pension certificates correctly entered.	Books carefully maintained and written up to date.
<i>Trichinopoly.</i> Number of pensioners. 1,433 Number of family certificate holders. 142 Total ... 1,575	M.R.Ry. V. Rajagopaula Chari Avergal, Deputy Collector in Charge, Treasury.	10th and 11th Dec. 1891.	...	Book kept in correct form. There appear to have been some erasures.	Do. ...	These books are in correct form, but are not so neatly written up as they might be.
<i>Trichinopoly District.</i> Number of pensioners. 40 Number of family certificate holders. 3 Total ... 43	Do. ...	Do. ...	...	Book kept in correct form.	Do. ...	Books carefully maintained and up to date.
<i>Tanjore District.</i> Number of pensioners. 762 Number of family certificate holders. 51 Total ... 813	M.R.Ry. C. Venugopal Pillai Avergal, Deputy Collector.	12th and 13th Dec. 1891.	...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...
<i>Cuddalore.</i> Number of pensioners. 406 Number of family certificate holders. 51 Total ... 457	M.R.Ry. T. Rangaswami Rao Garu, Deputy Collector.	14th Dec. 1891.	...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...
<i>Visagapatam and Anakapalle.</i> Number of pensioners. 2,216 Number of family certificate holders. 512 Total ... 2,728	Captain T. O. Sherwood (Retired List), Pension Department.	19th Dec. 1891 and 2nd and 4th Jan. 1892.	...	Do. ...	Acquittance Roll (Books) discontinued. Pension certificates correctly entered.	Books carefully maintained and written up to date.

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CODE, AND SUPERINTENDENT'S CIRCULAR No. 4 * OF FEB. 1887.			BOOKS MAINTAINED IN FAMILY PAYMENT OFFICES AGREEABLY TO PARA. 165, FAMILY PAYMENT CODE.		Remarks.
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In correct form.	Letters and Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 79.	Correct ...	Accounts Current duly kept up. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form.	This office generally is in good order, but the employment scheme has made little, if any, progress during the last 4 years. In 1887 the number employed was 78. Out of hundreds of peons employed in Revenue and Judicial offices at head-quarters and in the mofussil, only 2 are military pensioners. I inferred from the manner of the Officer in Charge when the subject of employment was broached, that he was not in favour of the employment of military pensioners, especially in a Revenue office.
In correct form. This book should be more carefully kept.	Letter Book up to date. Circulars duly filed.	Registers duly maintained. Number employed 145.	Do. ...	Accounts Current duly kept up. Register of Transfer Receipts should be kept more carefully.	This office is only in fairly good order. The books generally are maintained in correct form, but the entries are in many cases carelessly made, and there are many corrections and erasures. The office requires more careful supervision, but as the Officer in Charge reports that he is fully occupied with his other duties, it would be well to appoint a departmental officer.
In correct form.	Letters and Circulars duly filed.	Registers duly maintained. Number employed 15.	Do. ...	Accounts Current correct. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form.	This office generally is in good order.
Do. ...	Do. ... Letter Book up to date. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 120.	Do. ...	Do. ...	This office generally is in very good order. The records are carefully and neatly kept.
In correct form. The entries in this book should only be initialled after the money has been paid.	Do. ...	Register duly maintained. Number employed 38.	Do. ...	Do. ...	This office generally is in good order. There are 15 candidates for employment. Can no employment be found for them in any of the Revenue offices?
In correct form.	Letter Book neatly written. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 138.	Do. ...	Accounts Current correct. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form, but the book should be kept with more care, entries regarding receipt of clasp and medals not being clearly intelligible.	This office generally is in good order. Pensioners should be invited to register their names as candidates for employment (<i>vide</i> Superintendent's Circular No. 1 of 28th January 1889) and such registered candidates should have priority of claim for employment. Cash chest checked and found correct.

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<i>Chicacole.</i> Number of 1,712 pensioners. Number of 376 family certificate holders. Total ... 2,088	Captain T. C. Sherwood (Retired List), Pension Department.	5th and 6th Jan. 1892.	...	Book kept in correct form.	Acquittance Roll (Book) discontinued. Pension certificates correctly entered.	Books carefully maintained and written up to date.
<i>Vizianagrum.</i> Number of 1,025 pensioners. Number of 292 family certificate holders. Total ... 1,317	Do. ...	7th and 8th Jan. 1892.	...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...
<i>Vizagapatam District.</i> Number of 40 pensioners. Number of 5 family certificate holders. Total ... 45	M.R.Ry. J. Kotalingum Naidu Garu, Deputy Collector.	9th Jan. 1892.	...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...
<i>Bangalore.</i> Number of 2,215 pensioners. Number of 1,053 family certificate holders. Total ... 3,268	Major J. Greator (Retired List), Pension Department.	27th Jan. 1892.	...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...
<i>French Rocks.</i> Number of 141 pensioners. Number of 10 family certificate holders. Total ... 151	Mr. Mahomed Ali Sahib, Sub-Divisional officer.	28th Jan. 1892.	...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...
<i>Mysore.</i> Number of 180 pensioners. Number of 10 family certificate holders. Total ... 190	M.R.Ry. N. Narasimengar Avergal, Assistant Commissioner.	29th and 30th Jan. 1892.	...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...

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Book in correct form, but it appears that payments have been made without the officer's initials being obtained at the time. This is very irregular and likely to lead to fraud.	Letter Book most carefully kept. Reference in letters to names that should appear in margin, but no such names entered. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 46.	Correct ...	Accounts Current correct. Register of Transfer Receipts most carefully kept.	This office is <i>not</i> generally in good order. The Letter Book has been most carelessly kept; and in the Register of Remittance Transfer Receipts several irregularities were pointed out to the Officer in Charge. The work in this office is slack as compared with the two other offices under charge of Captain Sherwood, and his attention has been drawn to the fact.
In correct form.	Letter book neatly kept. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 68.	Do. ...	Accounts Current correct. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form.	This office generally is in good order. The same remarks as made (Vizagapatam Office) with reference to employment (candidates for) apply also to this office. Cash chest checked and found correct.
Do. ...	Letters and Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. The names of candidates for employment should be entered in this register. Number employed 30.	Do. ...	Do. ...	This office generally is in very good order. Records neatly and carefully kept. The percentage of pensioners employed is the best in the Presidency and most creditable to both the Officer in Charge and the Pension Office clerk.
Do. ...	Letter neatly kept. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 248.	Do. ...	Do. ...	This office generally is in good order. Cash chest checked and found correct.
Do. ...	Letters and Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 10.	Pointed out that in this register the amount actually paid each month <i>plus</i> rice money should be shown.	Accounts Current correct. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form.	This office generally is in good order. Mr. Mahomed Ali promises to give the employment scheme his careful attention.
In correct form. Every entry should be initialled by the Officer in Charge.	Do. ...	Register duly maintained. Number employed 18.	Correct ...	Accounts Current correct. In Register of Transfer Receipts all entries should on completion be initialled by the Officer in Charge.	This office generally is in good order. The Reserve Police about to be organized offers a good field for the employment of pensioners. Several pensioners are employed in the Body Guard of His Highness the Maharajah of Mysore. The clerk keeps the records very neatly.

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<i>Mercara.</i>						
Number of pensioners. 48	Rev. G. Richter	1st, 2nd and 3rd Feb. 1892	...	Book kept in correct form.	Acquittance Roll (Book) discontinued. Pension certificates correctly entered.	Book carefully maintained and written up to date.
Number of family certificate holders. 2	In charge of Pensioners.					
Total ... 50						
<i>Hassan District.</i>						
Number of pensioners. 23	M.R.Ry. V. Srinivasa Charlu	6th Feb. 1892.	...	Do.	Acquittance Roll (Book) discontinued. Pension certificates correctly entered. Pension certificates should not be kept folded, as it causes the paper to split.	Do.
Number of family certificate holders. —	Garu, Assistant Commissioner.					
Total ... 23						
<i>Tumkur District.</i>						
Number of pensioners. 138	M.R.Ry. A. Ravavendra Rao	8th and 9th Feb. 1892.	...	Do.	Do.	Do.
Number of family certificate holders. 3	Garu, Treasury Assistant Commissioner.					
Total ... 141						

FORT ST. GEORGE,
8th June 1892.

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In correct form.	Letter Book neatly written. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 17.	Correct ...	Accounts Current correct. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form.	This office is in very good order. The local Police force is to be reorganized which will be a good opportunity for candidates for employment; also able-bodied pensioners are wanted to replace the miserably weak and inefficient body of men employed as Jail warders. The Police get from Rs. 8 to 10 and Jail warders Rs. 8 and 9 per mensem.
Do.	Letters and Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 3.	Do. ...	Accounts Current no transactions. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form.	This office generally is in good order. The Officer in Charge points out that the pensioners here are old and past work, but that employment could be found for a few able-bodied men. He is directed to apply for men as required for employment to Officer in Charge of Pensioners, Bangalore.
In correct form. The directions given at last inspection about initialling entries have been duly complied with.	Letter Book neatly written, but true copy of Officer's signature should be entered at the bottom of each letter. Circulars duly filed.	Register duly maintained. Number employed 2.	Do. ...	Accounts Current correct. Register of Transfer Receipts in correct form, but pointed out that this book is not intended for remittances received from the Superintendent of Family Payments.	This office generally is in fairly good order. In the matter of employment it is noted that in December 1888 there were 5 pensioners employed and instead of a gradual increase as at other stations the number has now dwindled down to 2. It is to be regretted the officer in charge does not give the subject more careful attention, for, there are plenty of candidates for employment. Rice compensation for December 1891—Rs. 3-11-9—is very high.

(Signed) S. LEIGH-HUNT, Colonel,
Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions.

No. 64.

ORDER THEREON, 6th July 1892, No. 4208.

With his letter above recorded the Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions, Madras, submits his report on 24 Pension offices inspected by him during the year 1891-92.

2. The Government notes with satisfaction that, with a few exceptions, the several books and registers have been correctly and carefully maintained.

3. It is observed that, in some of the districts and stations inspected, the scheme for the employment of Native Military pensioners languishes for want of co-operation on the part of the Civil authorities. The Government attaches much importance to this scheme and trusts that endeavours will be made by all concerned to give it furtherance.

4. With reference to the Superintendent's remarks in regard to the necessity for appointing a Departmental officer to the charge of the Pension office at Trichinopoly, it is observed that Colonel Sewell was appointed as Pension Paymaster of that station in G.O.G. No. 87 of 1892 and orders have been recently issued for the appointment of Mr. Penticoss in his stead, Colonel Sewell having been nominated to succeed Colonel Leigh-Hunt as Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions, Madras.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent of Pensions.

- ” Adjutant-General.
- ” Controller of Military Accounts.
- ” Public Department.
- ” Revenue Department.
- ” Public Works Department.