

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

DEPARTMENT

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Madras

16TH MAY 1883, No. 419, PENSION.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From the Master Attendant, Madras, dated 9th February 1883, No. 1155.

Certificate and report from the Accountant-General, to the Under Secretary to Government, Pension Department, dated Fort St. George, 13th April 1883, No. A.D.J.-15.

Certified that, should Government be pleased to admit the period of service claimed in the affidavit of the applicant on the strength of the evidence afforded by the testimony of contemporary *employés*, qualifying service will be proved for thirty-six years, eleven months, and twenty-one days. Otherwise such service will amount to twenty-six years, eleven months, and twenty-one days. But before determining the amount of retiring allowance admissible for the above period of service, the question whether the applicant's service extending over a period of fourteen years and twenty days rendered in the appointment of Head Flag Signaller, from 2nd December 1868 to 21st December 1882, should be regarded as pensionable on the inferior or superior scale needs to be settled. The appointment is not included in either of the two lists printed under Sections 89 and 90 of the Civil Pension Code. On inquiry the Port Officer, Cochin, states that the duties of a Head Flag Signaller are almost the same as a signallman employed in a Light-house, which is an appointment pensionable on the superior scale (*vide* Rule I, Section 90, of the Code), and that they require a knowledge of reading and writing. Should Government be pleased, with reference to this explanation, to treat the applicant's service as Head Flag Signaller as pensionable on the superior scale, he may be granted an invalid gratuity not exceeding Rs. 180, equal to twelve months' pay, under Sections 102 and 109 (a) of the Civil Pension Code. Otherwise the grant of a pension or gratuity will have to be determined with reference to Section 117 of the Code, and it will be chargeable to Port Funds.

2. The proposal by the Marine Department for the grant of a pension of Rs. 7-8-0 per mensem is due to reckoning towards pension on the superior scale the entire period of the applicant's service, which is not correct.

ORDER—dated 16th May 1883, No. 419, Pension.

Under Sections 102, 117 (b), and 118 of the Civil Pension Code (5th Edition), the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Bapoo, late Head Flag Signaller, Marine Establishment, Cochin, an invalid pension of Rs. (4) four

per mensem, payable at Cochin from 22nd December 1882, in consideration of his qualifying inferior and superior service of thirty-six years, eleven months, and twenty-one days.

(True Extract.)

J. D. REES,
Acting Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Accountant-General, with Register
" Master Attendant, Madras.
" Collector of Malabar.

PENSION.

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G.O., 16th May 1883, No. 419.

MAY.

Pension.

Granting an invalid — of Rs. 4 per mensem to Bapoo, late Head Flag Signaller, Marine Establishment, Cochin.

1. Name of Applicant.

2. Father's Name.

3. Race, Sex and Caste.

4. Residence showing Village and Pergunnah.

5. Present or last employment, including name of establishment

6. Date of beginning of service

7. Date of ending of service.

8. Length of service, including interruptions, $\mathcal{L}$

of which superior

interior

non-qualifying and interruptions

9. Class of pensioner to which applied for, and cause of application.

10. [Average] emolument or pay,

11. Proposed revision.

12. Proposed gratuity.

13. Date from which pension to commence.

14. Place of payment.

15. Date of Applicant's birth by Christian era, ⁺

16. Height.

17. Marks.

18. Date.

* If the application is for a compensation pension or gratuity, the nature of the charge of establishment which has given rise to the claim should be fully stated.

+ (If not known exactly, must be stated on the best information or estimate.)

SIGNATURE OF HEAD OF OFFICE

REMARKS BY HEAD OF OFFICE.

1. As to character and past conduct of Applicant. *Very good*

2. Explanation of any suspension or degradation. *Nil*

3. Regarding any gratuity or pension already received by Applicant. See Chapter XX *Nil*

4. Explanation under Section 79, Rule 1, so far as the Head of the Office can give it. *175*

5. Any other remarks.

6. Specific opinion of Head of Office whether the service claimed is established and should be admitted or not. (See Rule 6 under Section 24.) *Yes*

CERTIFICATE AND REPORT OF ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

Service should be admitted

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W. H. H. H.
SIGNATURE
W. H. H. H.

Certified that should Government be pleased to admit the period of service claimed on the application of the applicant on the strength of the evidence afforded by the testimony of accompanying employees, qualifying service will be proved for 36 years 11 months and 21 days. Otherwise, such service will amount to 26 years 11 months and 21 days. But before determining the amount of retiring allowance admissible for the above period of service, the question whether the applicant's service extending over a period of 16 years and 20 days rendered in the appointment of Head Magistrate from 23 December 1868 to 21 December 1882 should be regarded as pensionable on the Superior or Superior Grade needs to be settled. The appointment is not included in either of the two lists printed under sections 89 and 90 of the Civil Pension Code. On enquiring the Comd Officer, Cochin, states that the duties of a Head Magistrate are almost the same as a Magistrate, employed in a District House, which is an appointment of pensionable rank in the Superior Grade (vide para 1 Section 90 of the Code), and that they require a knowledge of reading and writing. Should Government be pleased with reference to these explanations to treat the applicant's service as Head Magistrate, as pensionable on the Superior Grade, he may be granted pension liability not exceeding Rs. 180 equal to 12 months pay under sections 102 and 103 of the Civil Pension Code. Otherwise the grant of a pension or gratuity will have to be determined with reference to section 117 of the Code, and it will be chargeable to Post Office.

The proposal by the Marine Department for the grant of a pension of Rs. 7.8 per mensem as due to retiring towards pension on the Superior Grade the entire period of the applicant's service which is not correct.

Post Office House

Acting Comd Officer

13 April 1883

The Under Secretary to Government

W. H. H. H.
Accountant General

Pension 1880 receipt
No 431

Application for Pension or Gratuity

Date of application 8th January 1883

Name of applicant Captn

Last appointment Major & Paymaster General

Class of pension or gratuity

Amount of pension sanctioned

Amount of gratuity sanctioned

Date of commencement

Date of sanction

Made order 4/3/83

Received by the Accountant General, Madras
194d.
1880
The Accountant General, Madras
To the Cash Office
Cochin Malabar
The Master Attendant, Madras.
Sir, In reply to your letter No 1012

12 November 1882 which you
ask for particulars of the service
of five or six years for a period
extending over 10 years, I have the
honor to state that I have no doc-
uments available for such work. Re-
cords are kept at the time ap-
plications are made for pension
and I have no doubt that I have to be

C. J. Mulhens
Off. Sec. General
of Acc. General

N. 27

C. J. Mulhens
Office

January 1883

W. J. Mulhens
Per. Sec.

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I certify that to the best of my recollection
Bepco, who is personally known to me, was doing
duty as light and flag surgeon from the times of Mr. [unclear]
and Captain Waster, late Master Utter and being about
forty years.

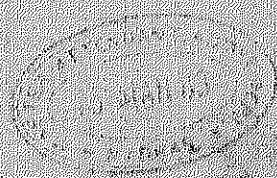
Cochin 8th January
1863.

J. H. Wetherill

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Navy DEPARTMENT.

To be returned with reply

Fort Saint George,
Accountant-General's Office,
5th March 1883.



No. ADK
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From
W. H. Clouston Esq.
ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To
THE Master Attendant
Madras

Vide your application for pension
on behalf of Bapoo late a Head Flag
Signaller, Marine Department, Cochin.

The undersigned has the honor
to enquire as follows:-

1. What is the country or house name
of the applicant.
2. On what grounds the applicant
served as Flag Signal on pay of
Rs. 100 a month from 1st May 1865
to 1st December 1868 as treated as
Superior.
3. Whether the nature of the duties
of a Head Flag Signaller in the
Cochin Port Office requires a
knowledge of reading and writing
so as to prepare the service and
rendered in it as well as for
pension on the Superior Scale.

If so, please quote a precedent in
admitting the applicant's services
superior.

If the applicant's services from
1st January 1886 to 1st December 1888 and from
2nd December 1888 to 21st December 1889 he
regarded as superior, he would be entitled
to a gratuity equal to 6 months pay of
the latter period of service alone he held
as superior, he would be entitled to a
gratuity equal to 12 months pay only.
Please explain how you have considered
the applicant as entitled to a pension of \$1000
a month.

The Medical Certificate received
returned is not in the form provided
by the Civil Pension Code. Please therefore
forward a revised certificate.

Further the applicant's name is traceable in the Annual
Returns of May from 1845 to 1856. His service
for those years cannot therefore be verified.
If however the period of service claimed
by the applicant, it must be established by af-
firmative and evidence of contemporary employment.
Rule 5, Sec. 127 of the Civil Pension Code.

W. W. Clark

Asst. Master Attendant
Administrative Department
Navy

No 912

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT
Navy, Marine Office,

21st March 1883.

No 2693.

MEMORANDUM

From
THE MASTER ATTENDANT,
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT,
Navy.

To
THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.

REFERENCE.

This No 2693 dated 5th
179 instant herewith return-
ed.

Has the honor to
forward the replies of
the Port Officer, Cochran,
to the queries contained
in the above Memo
respecting the pension
application.

List of Quereis contained in the Account-
tants General's letter of the 2nd 1863 dated 5 March 1863
British Department, and Replier's thereto.

Quereis

Replier's

1. What is the Country or house name of the Applicant?
 1. The house name of applicant is Muttakaparam-
bil, situated in Native
Cochin.

2. On what grounds the ap-
plicant's service as Flag
signal on pay of Rs 10.00
a month from 1st May 1863
to 1st December 1863 is treated
as superior

2. Flag Signalman not be-
ing included in the list
of servants given in Sec-
tions 89 and 90 of the Civil
Service Code, and the duties
of a Flag Signaller be-
ing almost the same
as a Signalman employed
in a light house, (vide
Rule 1, Section 90, Civil
Service Code) his service
on Rs 10 per month from
1st May 1863 to 1st December
1863 was treated as su-
perior.

3. Whether the nature of
the duties of a Head Flag
Signalman in the Indian
Post Office requires a know-
ledge of reading and writing
3. The duties of a Head
Flag Signaller require a know-
ledge of reading and writing
I regret I am
unable

Knowledge of reading and writing so as to regard the services rendered in it as qualifying for pension on the Superior scale. If so, please quote a precedent for admitting the Applicant's service as Superior.

If the applicant's services from 1st January 1866 to 2nd December 1868 and from 2nd December 1868 to 2nd December 1882 he regard the same as a height as Superior, he would be entitled to a gratuity equal to 6 months pay. If the latter period of service alone he treated as Superior, he would be entitled to a gratuity equal to 12 months pay only. Please explain how you have considered the Applicant as entitled to a pension of Rs 800 per month.

unable to quote a precedent so as to admit of the Applicant's service as superior.

Cochin Marine Office

13 March 1883

Port Officer

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Affidavit taken at Cochin this 13th of March 1883 of Mudan Khan employed as Duffadar of the Sub Court of Cochin.

I Mudan Khan residing in Maunraparambo situated in British Cochin do Solemnly and Sincerely declare to the best of my knowledge and recollection, Pucker Pappoo was employed as Flag Signaller at Cochin, about 38 or 39 years ago and was in employ up to nearly the end of last year.

Signed in my presence
Mudan Khan Port Officer

Rank	1st Class
Post	Flag Signaller
Name	Pucker Pappoo
Residence	Cochin
Caste	Malabar
Age	38 or 39

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Ag. David taken at Cochin Nov 1st
day of March 1883 of Mudattiparam-
bil Onsep Mackee lately employed
as peon in the Cochin Sea Customs House
and now a Prisoner. -

I Onsep Mackee residing in Mud-
attiparambil situated in Portuguese Co-
chin do Solemnly and Sincerely declare
that to the best of my knowledge and
recollection Packer Moraes was employed
as Flag Signaller at Cochin about
38 years ago. -

Signed in my presence. *W. H. P.*
Port Off.

Onsep Mackee

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Affidavit of Pucker Bapoo late
Head Flag Signaller of Cochin, taken
at Cochin this 13th day of March 1883. -

I, Pucker Bapoo (late Head Flag Signaller of Cochin) residing in Muthi Ka-
parambil situated in Native Cochin,
do solemnly and sincerely declare that
I was employed as Flag Signaller at Co-
chin from the year 1845 up to 31st Decr
1855, and I make this solemn de-
claration conscientiously believing it
to be true. -

Signed in my presence W. H. Jones
Pucker Bapoo Port of

where

Certified that I have carefully examined I Bapoo, son of Puckoo Bapoo, a Malay Signaller in the Cochin Marine Office. His age is by his own statement 52 years and by appearance about the same. I consider I Bapoo to be completely and permanently incapacitated for further service in the Department to which he belongs in consequence of a fracture of one of the bones of his right foot. His incapacity does not appear to me to have been caused by irregular or intemperate habits.

Cochin

21st Decr. 1852

K. M. A. B. Brigadier Surgeon
Civil Surgeon

Certified that I have carefully
 examined Baboo, Flag Signaller of Cochin Port.
 His age is by his own statement 52 years and
 by appearance about the same. I consider Baboo
 unfit for the active duties of a Flag Signaller
 as he had a fracture of one of the bones of his
 right foot about 4 months ago.

Cochran
21st Decemr
1882

W. A. M. Surgeon. Brigade Surgeon.
Civil Surgeon.

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THE ENTRIES IN THESE COLUMNS ARE TO BE REATTESTED EVERY FIVE YEARS: EACH ATTESTATION SHOULD BE CAREFULLY RULED OFF AND DATE MAY BE CERTAINLY SHOWN.

FATHER'S		Date of birth.	Age.	Exact Height.	Personal marks for identification.	Date of Entry.	Signature of Officer.	Signature and designation of the head of the office.
Name.	Residence.							
<i>James</i>	<i>London</i>	<i>1840</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>5 ft 4 in</i>	<i>Scar under the right breast and scars on the right shoulder to nail inside fingers of right hand.</i>	<i>1893</i>	<i>(Signature)</i>	<i>S. McHardy</i>
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Name of appointment.	Nature, i.e., whether substantive or acting, permanent or temporary.	Substantive appointment, if the new appointment be acting only.	Pay.	Acting allowance.	Date of appointment.	Signature of Officer.

Signalman Permanent

1875 (2)

Service could not be verified by records of the

Office. Permanent General Order was issued in the subject. This is only a copy of the original.

Co. Chief

11th December 1880

W. J. P. [Signature]

Flag Lascars Permanent

4 " 1st Jan 1856

Flag Lascar - do

7 " 1st Oct 1856 (3)

do - do

10 " 1st May 1863

Head Flag Signaller - do

15 " 1st Dec 1868

No Office records to show the applicant's service from 1845 to 31st December 1865. Cannot state the cause of the non-existence of same.

Co. Chief.
25th January 1883

W. J. P. [Signature]
Port Officer

8	9	10	11	12
Character of Officer.	Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.	Date of termination of appointment.	Reason of termination e. g., transfer, promotion, return of permanent incumbent.	Signature and designation of immediate head of the Office.

No entry need be made in this Column except when there is any thing either good or bad to be recorded. Suspensions should be noted here when the order of suspension is passed.

Good.

See entry
from a
10th 11.78

Privilege Leave for (45) forty-five days from this day.

Co. Chief,
30th August 1882

Port Officer

Extension of Privilege Leave for (45) forty-five days from this date.

Co. Chief,
11th October 1882

Port Officer

Returned to duty this day

Co. Chief,
28th November 1882

Port Officer

(very good)

W. J. P. [Signature]
Port Officer

Very good
Port Officer

W. J. P. [Signature]
Port Officer

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Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.	Date of termination of appointment.	Reason of termination e.g., transfer, promotion, return of permanent incumbent.	Signature and designation of immediate head of the Office.

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Transit to Accountant General

Administrative Department.

MADRAS,

No. 1155

Marine Office,

9th February, 1883.

From

J. B. Marshall Esquire.

J. H. TAYLOR, Esq., LIUT., R.N.R.,

Deputy Master Attendant, in Charge,
Administrative Department,
Madras,

To

The Honorable G. G. Marshall.

Chief Secretary to Government,

Marine Department,

Fort Saint George.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward the accompanying application for pension on behalf of Rapoo, late Flag Signaller at Cochin. He claims service from the year 1805, but no records of the services of the establishment exist in the Port Office of Cochin prior to 1856, and the present Port Officer is unable to explain the cause. He applied in the year 1880 to the Accountant General for particulars of the services of his establishment, but was informed in reply

* Vide Copy of letter from the Accountant General's Office to Port Officer, Cochin, dated 23 November 1880, attached to pension application. That there were no clerks available for such work, and services were verified at the time applications came for pension. The man's Service Book shows his service from 1st January 1806 to 21st December 1882, which amounts to 76 years, 11 months and 20 days. This qualifies him for half

SERVICE BOOK	
Name.	Rapoo
Grade or Rank.	Flag Signaller
Residence.	Cochin
FATHER'S Name.	Arakal City
Residence.	Cochin
Date of birth.	1806

In A. 1881.

half pension of Papes ($7\frac{1}{2}$) seven and a half per annum. The immediate cause of his having been rendered unfit for service was a fall from a ladder while on duty, by which the foot was fractured, from which he never perfectly recovered. His conduct during his long service was very good, and I beg to recommend that he may be granted the pension of Papes ($7\frac{1}{2}$) seven and a half to which he is entitled. The amount will be debited to Port Trust.

I have the honor to be

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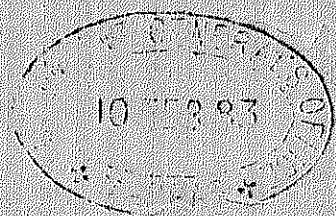
Yours most Obedient Servant

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Deposited at the Boston Athenaeum

Dr. Lange

Administrative Department



Madras (1853) DEPARTMENT.

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From

THE MASTER ATTENDANT,

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT,

To

Madras,

THE CHIEF SECY. TO GOVERNMENT,

MARINE DEPARTMENT,

Fort St. George.

No. 1155

Dated

Received

9 February 1883

No.

Subject.

Recommending a
pension of $7\frac{1}{2}$ Rupees
to Rapoo late Head
Flag Signaller of
Cochin.

all

N^o. 143

From

The Post Officer

To

Cochin

The Master Attendant,

Administrative Department

Madras

Sir,

I have the honor with reference
to your Memo. N^o. 1004 of the 2nd
Instant to submit herewith the
Pension papers of Rapoo, Flag
Signaller with the necessary
alterations made therein.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedient
Servant

W. H. P.
Post Officer

Pension no: 421

FOR ORDERS.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

The duties of Beach Flag Squaller require a knowledge of grading furniture. The Post Office knows but but compared with other posts undoubtedly "inferior" it would be thought that of a Flag Squaller was not superior.

At any rate not to salt his office at the expense of his pocket it is suggested that a Rs. 4/- pension be paid.

Rs. 4/-

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Proceedings of the Madras Government.

Read the following papers:—

From the Master & Assistant Madras District Judge
Accountant-General, dated 13th April 1902

ORDER THEREON, 14th May 1902

Under Sections 112, 113, 114 of the Civil Pension Code (5th Edition), the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Beach Flag Squaller a pension of Rs. 4/- per annum

payable at Cochin from 22nd December 1902 in consideration of his qualifying service of 11 years, 11 months and 21 days.

To the Accountant-General, with Register.

Master & Assistant Madras District Judge
Collector of Malabar
Sd/- 11/5/02

Govt. of (1883) Madras.

PENSION.

To

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

&c. &c. &c.

Dated 16th May 1883

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Reed.

G.O., 16th May 83 No 419

Granting an annual pension

of Rs 100 per mensem to

Saper at P. and S. by

signature of same to be

done.

16th May 1883

(dist from order)

1883