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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 243 Press ~~Mis.~~

Dated 19-3- 1884.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

G.O., dated 17th January 1884, No. 142 W., Public Works.

Read—letter from the President, Local Fund boards, Tanjore, No. 2502, dated 20th December 1883.

Order—dated 17th January 1884, No. 142 W., Public Works.

The petitioner will be informed that no guarantee of re-employment in the Public Works department can be held out to him.

2. His application for a compensation pension for previous service under Government will be considered and disposed of in the Pension department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. BOWEN, Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Pension department, with papers in original,
including service register and reports thereon.
„ President, Local Fund boards, Tanjore.

ORDER—dated 19th March 1884, No. 243, Pension.

The Government decline to grant any retiring allowance to Tholasingam Pillai in addition to his salary in the Local Fund department. The case * of Thanacoty Pillai referred to by the applicant is not analogous to his own. In that case Thanacoty Pillai was granted a pension, as his salary when transferred to Local Fund board was less than the amount he drew prior to his transfer, in accordance with paragraph 3 of G.O., 16th February 1881, No. 193.

(True Extract.)

E. S. LAFFAN,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Public Works department,
with copy of G.O., 16th February 1881, No. 193.
„ President, Local Fund boards, Tanjore.

Exd. J. Wright.

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* G.O., 30th May 1883, No. 467.

Gobt. of {1884} Madras.

PENSION.

Issued

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 19th March 1884, No. 243.

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Retiring Allowance.

Declining to grant any — to V. Tholasingam Pillai, Local Fund overseer, Tanjore, for certain reasons.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT MADRAS

No. 100

Official Me randum.

Fort St. George

Dated the 25th October 1881.

With reference to the undersigned's Endorsement dated 8th October 1881 No. 89 the Examiner of Public Works Accounts is requested to be good enough to return to this office with the least practicable delay the application for retiring allowance on behalf of T. Tolasungum Pillay late Sub-overseer Tanjore District.

Sd/ J A Davies

Acting Under Secretary

To

The Examiner of Public Works Accounts

To

His Excellency the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George,

MADRAS.

The humble Memorial of V. THOLASILINGAM PILLAY, *Local Fund Overseer under Tanjore Board.*

SHEWETH,

1. That Memorialist begs to state that he entered in the Department of Public Works in 1854 in Tinnevelly as an apprentice, a school having then been established under Government Orders in the Civil Engineers Office of all the Divisions, in the absence of an institution, as the present Engineering College, with a view to train up systematically subordinates of all descriptions and to effect efficient agency in the Department by replacing the untrained subordinates then existed.

2. That Memorialist acquired requisite knowledge and became a competent subordinate both in the office and the field. He was appointed in 1856 as a Writer and Estimate Maker and obtained the good character as "attentive, willing and hard working." In 1858 he was transferred to Madras Garrison Engineers Office and bears a testimonial as "intelligent and a person acquainted with the system of accounts."

Testimonial A.
Do. B.

3. That Memorialist was in 1861 promoted as an Accountant and conducted himself so well as to obtain a certificate for being "hard working, obedient and willing person."

Testimonial C.

4. That Memorialist was in 1862 invited to the Mysore territory where he was appointed as Draughtsman and Sub-Overseer 1st class 1st grade, and the testimonial he obtained then shows his competency as Surveyor and Draughtsman. In 1863 he was appointed as District Surveyor, his pay increased from Rs. 60 to Rs. 100. The testimonial he then obtained speaks highly of his usefulness. He was also recommended to Amildarship (Tahsildarship) by the Deputy Superintendent Captain F. J. Cumming who had been "excessively pleased by his (Memorialist) diligence, accuracy and activity."

Testimonial E.
Testimonial F. and G.
Do. H. I. and J.

5. That Memorialist was again in 1869 appointed in Tanjore as Local Fund Overseer and bears testimonial to be so competent as to be recommended exemption from the prescribed examination and made an imperial Overseer. The recorded opinion of the officer, he was placed under, is that "he knows a great deal more than many overseers in the Department" and "he understands his work and of late has done his work very well."

Testimonial K. L.

6. That Memorialist was in 1874 appointed as 1st class 1st grade Sub-Overseer and possesses satisfactory testimonials.

Testimonial N. O. and P.

7. That Memorialist's service including his apprenticeship amounts to about 26 years in the Department of Public Works.

8. That Memorialist was in 1880 transferred to the Local Fund Board of Tanjore as an Overseer and this transfer intercepts his prospects for the following reasons, viz.

1stly. It is not clear whether the service under the Board will entitle him to pension as per the Government Order Pension Department, No. 1198, dated 11th November 1881.

2ndly. Even if he be entitled to pension, he cannot expect a better one than that calculated on Rs. 60 only; his present pay, because there is no chance of promotion or increase of pay in common course.

3rdly. He is deprived of the claim of being promoted to upper Subordinate grade as ruled for, *that a 1st grade Sub-Overseer who works up his time and becomes eligible may claim for promotion in upper Subordinate grade.* He cannot now expect such opportunity under the Board as in the Department of Public Works in which he was more than once recommended for exemption of examination.

9. That Memorialist begs to observe that his knowledge of Engineering, pertaining to Subordinate grade, being practically thought by competent Engineers,* his long actual practice and experience added, supplies the systematically acquired knowledge, and consequently equalizes his acquisition to that of the passed candidates, if not surpasses in some instances, as it is the recorded opinion of the officers as quoted above.

* Coll. R. A. Robert.
,, G. M. Payne.
,, R. F. Oakes.

10. That Memorialist begs to urge his case as he is only 48 years of age and there is before him a long time to retire from the service, if God spares his life. He is physically sound in health and retains his energy and when he retires from his present service he cannot expect a pension of more than Rs. 30 inspite of his long and faithful service, by want of due consideration of his claim as that of several lower subordinates taught in the apprentice school as himself. They are promoted to Sub-Engineership and Taluq Overseership in the D. P. W. as in the Revenue and Judicial Departments many were promoted to the highest appointments in consideration of long service and practical knowledge, *they having been in the service before 1859 as ruled for.*

11. That Memorialist begs more particularly to observe that common ameens and maistries far more inferior both in qualification and service, are created Taluq Overseers, being exempted from passing the prescribed examination, only on the value of the determined recommendation of officers, while the claim of Memorialist was overlooked the recommendation towards his promotion, although founded on his tried qualifications, having been left simply to its own course, without being vehemently pressed on as ought to do in a special case as that of Memorialist. The recommendation Memorialist begs to instance is of Colonel R. A. Robert R. E. Superintending Engineer made to Government in 1874, requesting to exempt Memorialist from examination, having appointed him as Acting Taluq Overseer in anticipation of the Government's confirmation, but this recommendation was left in abeyance, and ~~our~~ the Memorialist discouraged.

12. That Memorialist begs to submit that the reason of the period of his apprenticeship not being reckoned to his service, is no more than that the salary was within Rs. 10. That the service rendered was prior to such limitation was made and that the pay then granted was equal to double the amount, in comparison to stipends now-a-days paid to similar apprentices or puplis as in the Medical and other Departments, was not taken into consideration. The Engineering apprentice was actuated to serve not for the pay, but purposely to acquire knowledge, as the pittance could not cover the entire expense to be defrayed. The apprentice was required to attend the office as regularly as highly paid Clerks &c. and to work in the field with the Engineer in his inspection to reduce theory into practice; and moreover, the apprentice was very often deputed to superintend execution of works. Consequently he was obliged to travel with the Engineers or otherwise and incur the expenses which would be far more than that he drew and he had therefore to spend the requisite fund from his own pocket as apprentice-fee, and to make himself appreciated and useful and to keep up his respectability. Hence is the reason why the apprentices were in general of well-to-do men and good families. The career of an apprentice properly summed up and well weighed is equal to that of a Sub-

Overseer, at least, of the 3rd grade on receipt of Rs. 15 with the travelling allowance. Under these circumstances Memorialist begs to submit and prays that his service as an apprentice should be allowed as to be entitled to pension.

13. That Memorialist begs to submit that his present footing under the Local Fund Board is precarious. Appointments and promotions are made at random, without reference to service and qualification being made, as in case of several outsiders, such as Railway dismissed or resigned station masters, &c. with no engineering qualifications are employed under the Board, superceeding the well founded claims of the Overseers transferred from the Department of Public Works. Dismissals are made with no explanations received from the accused: neither is there an appeal to Government which, I fear, will not interfere with the decision of the Board; while the grivances of the subordinates in the Department of Public Works and other Government Departments, are heard, and inquired into, redressed even against the decision of the Government. Memorialist, after serving the Government for a long time is now handed over to the Board and assigned him to serve the Board with apprehension of protection if injured and of regaining the fruit of his well earned service, the pension, as recommended by Col. J. Beatty R. E. Superintending Engineer in a letter. No. 2076, dated 12th January 1881, as the Government will notwithstanding, I sadly think, be ready to withhold the pension, although redress is not in its sphere.

14. That Memorialist begs to state that upper subordinates, clerks and accountants thrown out, are allowed with the privilege of being employed under the Board and of receiving the alloted pay thereof besides the pension. Memorialist is at a loss to understand why he was denied of the same privilege, the works done by an upper subordinate (Taluq Overseer) being the same as done by himself. He had very often the charge of both imperial and local works in the entire Taluq and always in part inpar with the Taluq Overseer.

15. That Memorialist begs to represent that his qualification and conduct were approved of and his promotion recommended to higher subordinate grade by the undermentioned Royal Engineers &c.

Colonel E. Lewford Mysore Chief Engineer invited him to take up appointment in that Province and promoted him from Rs. 60 to Rs. 100 as that officer was well satisfied with Memorialist's abilities as well in Mysore as in Madras where he was the Southern circle officer.

Colonel R. A. Robert Superintending Engineer recommended him to upper Subordinate grade as alluded to in para 11, fully knowing his qualifications and conduct from the time of his apprenticeship.

Colonel R. F. Oakes Superintending Engineer appreciated his good service and gave him gradual promotions.

Colonel J O. Hasted Superintending Engineer promised Memorialist's promotion to upper Subordinate grade in Docket No. 868 dated 21st March 1870 as he deserves it.

Colonel J, Carpendale late Principal of Civil Engineering College and Offg Chief Engineer in Mysore, *as well as Colonel R H. Sankey the present Chief Engigeer* and late Assistant Chief Engineer in Mysore, selected Memorialist from several applicants to the appointment of District Surveyor as "his qualification, in all cases being such as should ensure satisfaction."

16. That Memorialist humbly begs to pray the Government will graciously be pleased to indemnify the loss of a part of his service as apprentice and writer for reasons adduced and to promote him to the upper subordinate grade as recommended, however weak may be his voice, in consideration of his long service, good conduct, and requisite qualifications established by the recorded opinion of several Royal Engineers of highest standing as shown above. He prays to allow him his apprentice service which with his present service under Local Fund Board will, of course, entitle him to half pension and to permit him to retain his present appointment and pay with such pension to be granted him or to exempt him from passing the prescribed examination with the same wonted justice, the government shown to the several under subordinates, as the request is not a noval breach of rules. Without either of such securities his anxiety will be very great and hazardous regarding the subsistance of his future livelihood, the pension, which

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was dearly acquired through out a long and faithful service of gradual promotions from apprenticeship.

17. That Memorialist begs to state his readiness to be tested of his practical qualification either through the Engineering College or the Superintending Engineers, if necessary, and augment his claim established by the enclosed testimonials.

18. That Memorialist most humbly begs to solicit the Government will be pleased to promote him to Taluq Overseership as such arrangement is more feasible to the Government and advantageous to Memorialist than any arrangement can be made for his pension with retention, as prayed for, of his present appointment under the Local Fund Board which is not under the Government's direct control.

And Memorialist shall ever feel bound to pray.

V. Tholasilingampillay

Local Fund Overseer
in charge of Arrindanghy Section
Puttucotay Taluq
Tanjore Circle.

ARRINDANGHY,
17th *March* 1882.

Inc No 502

FROM

V. THOLASILINGAM PILLAY,

LOCAL FUND OVERSEER

Tanjore Board.

TO

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Madras.

One Enclosure

Dated / *Received* 17 } *March* 1882.

States his service in detail from his apprenticeship and his service was appreciated as in the enclosed testimonials, represents his claim for half pension for reasons alluded to, and prays on the claim shewn to promote him to Taluq Overseership.

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17th March

Arantanghy

Most honored Sir,

I respectfully beg to inform your honor that I have this day submitted a Memorial through yourself setting forth my Claims to half pension or to be promoted to Taluq overseership—.

I need not dwell here much regarding my usefulness and deserving qualities as your honor is well aware of them—.

In the opportunity I was on leave I had the honor to wait on your honor at Madras: but I was not able to lay before your honor all my grievances as intended as your precious moments were not to be occupied so much there as my Case require and Consequently I prompted to send in the Memorial from which your honor will learn more satisfactorily and fully than I Could be able to relate them personally—.

If your honor thinks that my Claim is well grounded and my request is feasible I most earnestly entreat your honor to interfere in the Matter and do me what I request or otherwise do me what your honor thinks will do me good now and in my old age, as if this opportunity in which you are the Chief of the D.P.W. be slipt, I can not expect others Can do me what I want. This being my last and only alternative, I beg to request your honor will be pleased to exert a little and see me successful—.

I am given to understand that it i

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provided for in the rules; that if a 1st Class Suboverseer works up his time of five years he could be raised to Talug Overseership, and having been appointed as a first Class 1st Grade Sub-overseer in 1863 in Mysore from which time I am employed Local Fund Overseer, 1st Class Suboverseer and even Acting talug overseer in Tanjore, my Claims to Talug overseership is not ungrounded. If you, most honored Sir, do not have Compassion on me and bring forward my Claims, I Know I have to lose all hope of being redressed—

Hoping your honor will Kindly be pleased to Comply with my request—.

With respectful Salams—.
I beg to remain
Honored Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servant.
V. Tholasilingam Pillay
Local Fund Overseer
Incharge of Arantanghy section
Tanjore District.

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In No 502

17th March 1882
Arantanghy.

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To

The Chief Engineer
of the Department of Public Works.
Madras..

Sir,

With profound respect, I beg to Submit the Accompanying Memorial to The Government as my appeal praying for bestowing on me half pension or to promote me to Talug Overseership on the grounds therein alluded to and request you will be pleased to Support my Case that I may be Crowned with Success—

(2) I beg to Submit you will Come to recollection when you peruse the Memorial at least my Career in Mysore where I was selected amongst Candidates and promoted to Surveyorship and my pay increased from Rs 60 to Rs 100— Materially by your Kind appreciations—.

(3) Captain Cumming then Deputy Superintendent of the Cuddoor District in Mysore has strongly recommended me for Amildarship which appointment

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would have been bestowed on me, had I been there a little longer; but the promise of Colonel Oakes of an appointment in Tanjore near my home having been appreciable to my domestic circumstances I availed myself of the opportunity and got the appointment in D. P. W. in Tanjore—

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Recd: 22 March

(4) I beg therefore to request you will be kind enough to lay my Memorial before the Governor in Council—

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As the Superintending Engineer will, I think, not interfere with the servant of the Local Fund Board nor the President knows much of me and my passed career in the Department of Public Works to be disposed of to transmit and support my Memorial to the Government, I thought it prudent to submit it direct through yourself—.

I respectfully beg to Remain
Sir
Your most obedt Servant

V. Tholasilingam pillay
Local Fund Overseer
In Charge of
Arantanghy Section
Tanjore District

Inct No 502

ENCLOSURE
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EXAMINER D.P.W.

[Exr. Wks. Form No. 445.]

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. A/R dated April 1882.

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Statement of the verified Services of V. Tholasingam Pillay Late Subovr 1 Grade Tanjore District

Born on the 188 .

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.			Period not reckoned as Service.			Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y.	M.	D.	Y.	M.	D.		
Tinnevelly Civil Engineer's office Maistry	7		1 April/54	31 May/55								Not verified from the audit registers of this office and even if verified, will not count for pension & gratuity vide sections 61 & 89 Civil Pension Code—
Apprentice 2nd Assistant Civil Engineer's office Tinnevelly	7		1 June/55	28 Feby/56								
Writer District Engineer's (Tinnevelly) office—	15		29 Feby/56	1 March/57								Not verified from the audit registers of this office—
Writer & Estimator Sub Engineer's office Tinnevelly	25		2 March/57	30 April/58								
Do— Garrison Engineer's office	25		1 May/58	30 April/60								Verified from the audit registers of this office. The reason of termination of appointment is not known.
Accountant District Engineer's (Tanjore) office	30		1 May/60	30 April/61								
Accountant 6 Range Tanjore—	40		1 May/61	25 Novr/62								

Statement of the verified Services of V. Kholasingam Pillay

(Continued).

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay. Rs.	Acting Allowance. Rs.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service. Y. M. D.	Period not reckoned as Service. Y. M. D.	Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
Out of Employ			26 Novr/62	9 Decr/62				
Temporary Sub-overseer 1 Grade Chief Engineer's Office Mysore	60		10 Decr/62	28 Feby/63				Not verified from the records of the office of the Examiner P. W. Accounts Mysore & even if verified will not qualify for pension or gratuity vide sections 69 & 70 Civil Pension code
Acting Draftsman Executive Engineer North division Mysore		60	1 March/63	30 April/63				
- Do - Do -		60	1 May/63	31 Augt/63				Verified from the records of the office of the Examiner P. W. accounts Mysore but will not count for pension or gratuity for reasons explained above.
District Surveyor Deputy Superintendent's office Mysore	60		1 Septr/63	27 Augt/65				Verified from the record of the office of the Examiner P. W. accounts Mysore
Leave on Medical Certificate on substitute			28 Augt/65	27 Novr/65				
District Surveyor Shimoga	60		28 Novr/65	12 Decr/65				
- Do - District Superintendent's office	100		13 Decr/65	11 Augt/67				

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[Ex. Wks. Form No. 145.]

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. A/B dated 188 .

Statement of the verified Services of V. Kholasingam Pillay (continued)

Born on the 188 .

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay. Rs.	Acting Allowance. Rs.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service. Y. M. D.	Period not reckoned as Service. Y. M. D.	Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
Leave on half pay	50		12 Augt/67	11 Novr/67				Verified from the records of the office of the Examiner P. W. Accounts Mysore
District Surveyor Shimoga District Superintendent's office	100		12 Novr/67	13 Decr/67				
- Do - Cuddalore District Superintendent's office	100		14 Decr/67	22 Decr/68				
On Transit			23 Decr/68	3 Jany/69				
Local Fund overseer Tanjore	60		4 Jany/69	31 Decr/72				Verified from the audit registers of this office
- Do - Trichinopoly	60		1 Jany/73	20 May/73				
- Do - Tanjore	60		21 May/73	31 Decr/74				
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		1 Jany/75	3 Septr/75				
Under Suspension			4 Septr/75	15 Octr/75				

Statement of the verified Services of *V. Tholasingam Pillay*

(Continued).

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of begining.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.	Period not reckoned as Service.	Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y. M. D.	Y. M. D.		
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		16 Oct/75	1 June/76				Verified from the audit registers of this office.
Absent without leave			2 June/76	2 June/76				
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		3 June/76	16 June/76				
Leave on Private affairs	30		17 June/76	16 Decr/76				
Sub Overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		17 Decr/76	21 April/77				
Leave without pay			22 April/77	9 May/77				
Sub Overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		10 May/77	18 May/77				
Leave without pay			19 May/77	22 June/77				
Sub Overseer 1 Grade Tanjore.	60		23 June/77	30 June/77				
No pay drawn reason not known			1 July/77	2 July/77				
Sub Overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		3 July/77	17 July/78				

[Ext. Wks. Form No. 445.]

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. A/B, dated 188 .

Statement of the verified Services of *V. Tholasingam Pillay (continued)*

Born on the 188 .

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of begining.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.	Period not reckoned as Service.	Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y. M. D.	Y. M. D.		
Sick Leave	30		18 July/78	31 July/78				Verified from the Audit registers of this office V. Tholasingam Pillay was transferred to Local Fund Board along with Local Fund Works, with Effect from 1 January 1880.
Leave without pay			1 Augt/78	31 Oct/78				
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		1 Novr/78	15 April/79				
Absent without leave			16 April/79	17 April/79				
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore			18 April/79	31 Decr/79				

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Examiner P. W. Accounts.

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SECRETARY.

Chepauk, 23rd March 188

OFFICE NOTE. No 36.

R. No 1213 of 24/3/82

To
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Letter from V. Molasilingam Pillay of 17 March 1882.

Please furnish a statement of petitioners qualifying service for pension.

22.3.82

D. W.

No 56 of 20th April 1882
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The original papers in connection with the services of Tholasingam Pillay were returned on the 26th October 1881 to Government in the Pension Department

Forwarded

Regd 22.4.82

No 956 C of 27-4-82

Forwarded to the Pension department with request that the papers referred to by the Examiner P.W. Accts may be furnished for reference.

Return requested

(By order)

Lt. Col. R.E.

Ag. Under Secy to Govt. P.W.D.

Department on a requisition received from that Department. In the absence of these papers it is not possible for this Office to furnish a complete statement of his qualifying service for Pension.

2. A statement of Tholasingam Pillay's services so far as can be verified from the Audit Registers of this Office is however enclosed.

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[Form No. 445.]

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. A/R, dated May 1882.

Statement of the verified Services of V. Tholasilingam Pillay late Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore District

Born on the 9th September 1832 as per entry in Service book

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service. Y.	M.	D.	Period not reckoned as Service. Y.	M.	D.	Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.										
Apprentice Civil Engineer's office Tinnevelly	7		1st April/54	31st May/55				1	2		Transfer	Not verified from the Audit registers of this office owing to the omission therefrom of the names of incumbents, and even if verified will not count for pension or gratuity with reference to the rules contained in Sections 61, 63 & 89 Civil Pension Code
Do - Do. 2nd assistant Civil Engineer's office Tinnevelly	7		1st June/55	28th Feby/56				.	8	28	Appointment	
Writer District Engineer's office Tinnevelly	15		29th Feby/56	8th Septr/56				.	6	10		Not verified from either the records of this office or from those of the Divisional and Circle offices and even if verified will not count for pension as service rendered before the age of 22. Vide Section 63 of Civil Pension Code.
Carried over								2	5	8		

Statement of the verified Services of V. Tholasilingam Pillay

(Continued).

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.			Period not reckoned as Service.			Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y.	M.	D.	Y.	M.	D.		
			Brought forward					2	5	8		
Writer District Engineer's office Tinnevelly	15		9th Septr/56	1 March/57				-	5	23	Promotion	Not verified from Either the audit registers of this office or from those of the Divisional and Circle offices owing to the omission from the former of the names of incumbents and to want of records in the latter. The appointment however appear in the registers and if the services of the applicant for the period can be supported by an affidavit together with such further collateral evidence as may be procurable vide Section 127 Rules 5 and 6 Civil Pension Code, they will count as pensionable but please see remarks against the next Entry.
Writer and Estimator Sub Engineer's office Tinnevelly	25		2 March/57	30th April/58				1	1	29	Transfer	

[Wks. Form No. 115.]

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. A/R, dated May 1882.

Statement of the verified Services of V. Tholasilingam Pillay (Continued)

Born on the 188 .

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.			Period not reckoned as Service.			Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y.	M.	D.	Y.	M.	D.		
Writer & Estimator Garrison Engineer's office Madras	25		1 May/58	30 April/60				2	-	-	Promotion	Verified from the audit registers of this office and found correct. The applicant resigned his appointment on the 25th November 1862 to take up the appointment of Temporary Sub overseer at Rs 60 per mensem in the Chief Engineer's office Mysore This resignation vitiates all his previous services vide Section 97 Civil Pension Code –
Assistant District Engineer's office Tanjore	30		1 May/60	30th April/61				1	-	-	Promotion	
Do – Do	40		1 May/61	25 Novr/62				1	6	25	Resignation	
No pay drawn on transit			26 Novr/62	9th Decr/62				.	.	14		Not verified from the records of the Examiner P. W. Accounts Mysore and even if verified will not count for pension
Temporary Sub overseer 1st class 1 Grade Chief Engineer's office Mysore	60		10 Decr/62	28 Feby/63				.	2	21		

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Statement of the verified Services of V. Tholasilingam Pillay

(Continued).

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.	Period not reckoned as Service.	Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y. M. D.	Y. M. D.		
Acting Draftsman Executive Engineer's office Nothern Division Mysore		60	1 March/63	30 April/63		- 2 -		and gratuity as service rendered in temporary and acting appointments vide Sections 60 & 70 Civil Pension Code -
Do — Do		60	1 May/63	31 Augt/63		- 4 -	Transferred to another substantive appointment	Verified from the records of the office of the Examiner Public Works Accounts Mysore but will not count for pension & gratuity as service rendered in acting appointment vide Section 70 Civil Pension Code
District Surveyor Deputy Superintendent's office	60		1 Septr/63	27 Augt/65		1 11 27	Leave	
Leave on Medical Certificate on Substantive District Surveyor			28 Augt/65	27 Novr/65		- 3 -	Return to duty	Verified from the records of the office of the Examiner Public Works accounts Mysore and found correct
Deputy Superintendent's office	60		28 Novr/65	12 Decr/65		- - 15	Promoted	

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. A/B, dated May 1882.

Statement of the verified Services of V. Tholasilingam Pillay (Continued)

Born on the 188 .

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.	Period not reckoned as Service.	Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y. M. D.	Y. M. D.		
Surveyor Shimoga District Superintendents' office	100		13 Decr/65	11 Augt/67		1 7 29	Leave	Correct the applicant resigned his appointment under the Mysore Government to take up an appointment as Sub overseer Tanjore Public Works Department on 22nd December 1868
Leave on half pay	50		12 Augt/67	11 Novr/67		- 3 -	Return to duty	
Surveyor Shimoga District Superintendents' office	100		12 Novr/67	13 Decr/67		- 1 2	Transfer	
District Surveyor Cuddalore District Superintendent's office	100		14 Decr/67	22 Decr/68		1 - 9	Resignation to take up an appointment of Sub overseer Tanjore	Service treated as non-qualifying on account of absence without leave in June 1876 and April 1879.
No pay drawn on Transit			23 Decr/68	3 Jany/69		- - 11		
Local Fund overseer Tanjore	60		4 Jany/69	31 Decr/72		3 11 27	Transfer	Verified from the audit registers of this and found correct —
Do - Trichinopoly	60		1 Jany/73	20 May/73		- 4 20	- Do -	

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Statement of the verified Services of V. Tholasilingam Pillay

(Continued).

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.			Period not reckoned as Service.			Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y.	M.	D.	Y.	M.	D.		
Do – Tanjore	60		21 May/73	31 Decr/74				1	7	10	Change of Designation of appointment	The applicant was under Suspension from 4th September 1875 to 15 October 1875 on account of carelessness and neglecting to Check his Subordinates muster &c. Vide remarks against Entry No 2 on the 5th page of the pension application. His absence without leave on the 2nd June 1876 & 16th to 17 April 1879 has vitiated all his former service prior to 17th April 1879 under Section 96 of the Civil Pension Code. The applicant's services were transferred for
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore –	60		1 Jany/75	3 Septr/75				-	8	3	Suspension	
Under Suspension			4 Septr/75	15 Octr/75				-	1	12	Relief from Suspension	
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		16 Octr/75	1 June/76				-	7	16	absence without leave	
Absent without leave			2 June/76	2 June/76				-	-	1	Return to duty	
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		3 June/76	16 June/76				-	-	14	Leave	
Leave on private affairs	30		17 June/76	16 Decr/76				-	6	-	Return to duty	
Do – Do –	60		17 Decr/76	21 April/77				-	4	5	Leave	
Leave without pay			22 April/77	9 May/77				-	-	18	Return to duty	
Do – Do –	60		10 May/77	18 May/77				-	-	9	Leave	
Leave without pay			19 May/77	22 June/77				-	1	4	Return to duty	
Do – Do –	60		23 June/77	30 June/77				-	-	8		
(No pay drawn reason not known)			1 July/77	2 July/77				-	-	2		
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		3 July/77	17 July/78				1	-	15	Leave	

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. A/R, dated May 1882.

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Born on the 188 .

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	Rs.	Rs.			Y.	M.	D.	Y.	M.	D.		
			Brought forward					24	3	17		
Sick Leave	30		18 July/78	31 July/78				-	-	13	Leave	Employment under Local Fund Board with effect from 1st January 1880 on the same pay (Rs 60 per mensem) as that drawn by him while attached to the Public Works Department.
Leave without pay			1 Augt/78	31 Octr/78				-	3	-	Return to duty	
Sub overseer 1 Grade Tanjore	60		1 Novr/78	15 April/79				-	5	15	absence without leave	
Absent without leave			16 April/79	17 April/79				-	-	2	Return to duty	
Sub overseer 1st Grade Tanjore	60		18 April/79	31 Decr/79	-	8	13				Transfer to Local Fund not to Local Fund Boards	
			Total Service		-	8	13	25	-	17		

From the above it will be observed that the applicant has rendered a qualifying superior service of only 8 months and 13 days which does not entitle him to any gratuity with reference to Section 14 of the Civil Pension Code –

Statement of the verified Services of

(Continued).

Establishment and Appointment.	Pay.	Acting Allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as Service.	Period not reckoned as Service.	Reason of termination.	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
	Rs.	Rs.			Y. M. D.	Y. M. D.		

2. Should Government be pleased to commute the two periods of the applicants' absence without leave into leave without allowances under the ruling contained in Section 93 Rule 7 of the Civil Pension Code he will then have rendered a qualifying Superior Service of 14 years 8 months and 27 days, and will become entitled to a Compensation gratuity not exceeding Rs 720 equal to 12 months' emoluments at Rs 60 per mensem under Sections 100 and 109 (a) of the Civil Pension Code. The Confidential Medical Report on the normal prospects of the applicants' life prescribed in Section 99 Rule 3 of the Civil Pension Code must be obtained before Sanction to any gratuity is applied for on retirement

3. Should Government be further pleased to recommend the Condonation of the deficiency of 3 months and 3 days in the applicants' qualifying Service under the ruling contained in Section 120 of the Civil Pension Code, then with the Sanction of the Government of India, a Compensation pension not Exceeding Rs 20 per mensem equal to one third of average Emoluments at Rs 60 per mensem will be admissible under Sections 100 and 109 (b) of the Civil Pension Code

4. As however the applicant was transferred to the Local Fund Board with effect from

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[Exr. Wks. Form No. 445.]

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. A/R, dated May 1882.

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	Rs.	Rs.			Y. M. D.	Y. M. D.		

from 1st January 1880 on the same pay (Rs 60 per mensem) which he was on receipt of while attached to the Public Works Department, no retiring allowance of any kind is admissible at present with reference to G. O Pension Department No 193 dated 16th February 1881 (Copy attached) - The applicants' request to be allowed to draw his pension in addition to his present pay of appointment (para 16 of memorial) is inadmissible - Vide Section 177 Civil Pension Code -

5. Attention is drawn to Superintending Engineers' letter to Chief Engineer Public Works Department No 2076 T.9 dated 12 January 1881 and Executive Engineer Tanjore letter to Superintending Engineer No 3739 dated 22 November 1880.

J. C. Gordon

Examiner P. W. Accounts

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No 149 D/23/5/82.

TO [illegible]. Recd 25/5/82 Enc: 8.

HEREWITH A COMPLETE STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES OF V. THOLASILINGUM PILLAI LATE SUB OVERSEER IST. GRADE TANJORE, WITH THE NECESSARY REMARKS, OF THIS OFFICE.

C.

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Regd No 105 of 1st [illegible]

GOVT. OF MADRAS. } 1882. { P. W. DEPT.

SECRETARY.

Chepauk, 10th May 1882.

OFFICE NOTE. No 615 D

To

C

Your Office Note No 56 dated 20th April 1882.

2 Herewith the papers retd by the Pension Department

3 Please complete the Statement of petitioners qualifying service and favour me with your remarks as to his actual position with reference to the Claims put forward in his Memorial.

9.5.82

Dy. J.

My L. No 56 [illegible]

P.T.O.

G.O. No. 1198 d/ 11th Nov /81

P. W. C. No. 2938

Pension (1881.) Dept 6

Public Works Department.

No. 502

No. 956. C
Dated 27-4-82
Despatched
Received 1 May/82.
— „ — 3d May 82
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No. 48

The original papers in connection with the services of V. Tholasilingum Pillai are herewith transmitted as requested.

Ootacamund
6th May 1882

Sd. [illegible] Secy.
for Ag. Under Secretary.

To
the Public Works Dept.
with papers.

SUBJECT.

Requesting to be furnished with ~~the~~ original papers in connection with ~~the~~ the services of Tholasilingum Pillay.

G.O. No. 243a/19-3-84

O.L. 50/5

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No. 1423 W

Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 7th June 1882

Read the following:—

Petn. from V. Tholasilingum Pilly d/ 17th March 1882.
Office Note from the Dept. Ctt. D.S. No. 56 d/ 20th Apr. 1882.
From the Pension Dept. „ „ 48 d/ 6th May 1882.
Office Note from the Dept. Ctt. „ „ 149 d/ 23d „ —

Petitioner is informed that his claim to pension cannot now be considered as he is at present employed under a Local Fund Board. It may hereafter be resubmitted in the event of his being thrown out of employment.

2. There is no vacancy in the Public Works Department to which he could be appointed and

promise

and numerous applications
from duly qualified
men have already been
registered.

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30.5.82

~~Att~~

1/6/82

No. 1423 Wd/7th June/82

In No. 56..4

To the Petitioner

Desp'td 8/6/82
Entd in R Register

Copy 3075

To

His Excellency the Governor in
Council Fort Saint George.

The humble Memorial of V. Tho=
=lasilingam Pillay Local Fund
Overseer under Tanjore Board.

Most Respectfully sheweth.

That with profound respect the Memorialist begs to state that he was transferred to the Local Fund Board from the Imperial Department of Public works in 1880 which has been prejudicial to his interests both in the way of promotion and pension after a Continuous service of about 29 years, as he had represented in his Memorials dated 17 March and 17th August 1882.

That the Government was kindly pleased to inform the Memorialist that in their Memorandum No. 1140 D dated the 28th September 1882, his application for employment in the D. P. W. has been duly received and registered.

That the Memorialist with the ardent hope of realizing the

promise

promise of Government Continues to hold his appointment under the Local Fund Board with due integrity.

That the memorialist waits with sanguine hope that the Government will transfer him to D. P. W. in the next opportunity as he does not know what would become of him by arrangements which may be made by the Local Fund Board according as its circumstances may alter

That the memorialists pay Rs 60 was reduced to Rs 50 from the first January 1883 by a reorganization and he has been again raised to his former position from the 1st September 1883 after a long struggle, and he is still fighting for a personal allowance of Rs 10 to be retrospectively paid him as the loss of that sum (Rs 10) from his pay will affect his pension and occasion a long unnecessary Correspondence and trouble as it will be perceived in the Enclosure A.

That the memorialist in laying before your Excellency the above precedents in regard to unforeseen and undeserved curtailment, though for a short time, in

his

his pay begs to submit that he is led to fear the Consequences of service under the Local Fund Board with whose arrangements the Government seldom seem to interfere - arrangements affecting not only salary but also pension.

That had he been retained in D. P. W. or transferred to it, he would not only have not been visited with the reduction but also in all probability have been promoted to higher appointments by this time in Consideration of his long honest, zealous work in the D. P. W.

That under these circumstances the memorialist begs to solicit the Government will graciously be pleased to transfer him to D. P. W. as early as practicable and as a special case, and deliver him out of the strong apprehensions under which he now labors regarding his well-earned pension which is the only reliance for maintenance of himself and family in his old age and which is in fact the support of all honest men or to grant him his pension for the same reason and with the same privileges with which Local Fund Overseer Thanakodi Pillay of Udiarpolium Talug, Trichinopoly, also transferred from D. P. W. has been pensioned; so that the memorialist may with easy mind hold his appointment under Local Fund Board as the above named official does.

Rd No 1143/83

That hoping your Excellency will grant this prayer, the memorialist as in duty bound, shall ever pray.

Tanjore
11 Novr 83

V. Tholasilingam Pillay
Local Fund Overseer
Tanjore

A.

Endorsement No. 476 dated 9 July 1883.

Returned to V. Sholasilingam Pillay with the remark that he should have submitted his application through his Official Superior.

2. — The question Raised in his application should be submitted for the orders of the Government through the Accountant General Madras at the time of his retirement Vide section 135 of the Civil Pension code.

(Sd) D. C. Gordon
Examiner P. W. Accounts
Madras.

(True Copy)

V. Tholasilingam Pillay
L. F. overseer T. Dy

11-11-83

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LOCAL FUND TANJORE

No. 1713 Tanjore Local Fund Engineer's Office, Tanjore 13th December 1883.

From

The Local Fund Engineer
Tanjore Circle

To

The President
Local Fund Board
Tanjore

Sir,

I have the honour to forward herewith for disposal an application to Government received from Overseer Cholasilingam Pillai.

2. Cholasilingam prays that he be either retransferred to the D. P. W or granted a pension with which he hopes to continue in Local Fund Service; and he quotes a precedent in support of his latter request. He believes that

L. F. Board. Tanjore

that his service Register is now in the Pension Department of the Government Office and states that it underwent the necessary verification by the Superintending Engineer after he had been transferred to Local Funds from D. P. W.

I have &c

(Signed) A. W. Hunter
L. F. Engineer
Tanjore.

No 2502 (True Copy)

Submitted for the orders of Government.

J. S. Pennington
President

Vallam
20th December 1883

President L. F. Boa

No. 133 d/19. 1. 81.
" 363 D d/23. 3. 82
" 1423 W d/7. 6 82
" 1715 W d/8. 7 82
" 2183 W d/3. 9 81.

P.W.C. No. 11431

1883.

P.W.D. Department.

From
The President
Local Fund Board
Tanjore
To No. 142 W d/17th Jany/84
The ~~Chief~~ Secretary
to Government
P.W.D.
Madras

Dated 20th } December
Received 22 } 1883

No. 2502

Enclosure one 2

Submitting for orders of Government the application received from Nolasilingam Pillai Overseer Tanjore Taluq

In No. [illegible]

Recd 7/1 R 11/1

Read the following papers:—
[illegible] 17 Jan. 84, No. 142 W, Pub. Works.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

~~UNDER date the~~

READ the following letter

From the President, Local Fund Board, Tanjore,
No. 2502 dated 20th December 1883.

Order thereon No. 142 W d/17th January 1884

The petitioner will be informed that no guarantee of re-employment in the Public Works Deptt. can be held out to him.

2. His application for a compensation pension for previous service under Government will be considered, and disposed of in the Pension Department.

(True Extract)

C. Unwin. Major R. E.
Under Secy. to Govt. P. W. Deptt.

To
The Pension Department, with papers in origl., including Service-Register and reports thereon.
President L. F. Board. Tanjore.

Exd [illegible]

1884.

Public Works Department.

No. 56

No. 142 W.
Dated 17th Jany 1884.
Despatched
Received

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19 JAN 84

Cml. W.

SUBJECT.

Compensation pension to Overseer Tholasingam Pellai.

With order No. 243 of 84

Pension DEPARTMENT,

C- No. 56 of 84

~~From~~

Pros. of Govt. P. W. Departt. d/17 Jany/84 No. 142 W.

FOR ORDERS.

Very good - Then I suppose his present service under the L. F. Board goes on counting for pension.
H. G.
18/3

There is a difference between this case and that cited by the Hon: Member. Mr. Harrington retired under the Special Resolution - Govt. of India - of 31st July 1879 No. 2079. His and all other such cases are governed by Sectn. 177 A. and G.O. 21st July 1882 No. 637. But the present applicant did not retire. He was transferred to Local Fund Service

Service on equal pay and his case is governed by G.O. 16th February 1881 No 193, which is put up and to which reference is solicited.

G.P.

H.D.

Note for the [illegible] [illegible]

FOR ORDERS.

Dept G.O. [illegible]

17-3-84
18-3-84

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Pension Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

Proceedings of Govt. Public Works Department dated 17th January 1884 No. 142 W.

Order thereon 19 March/84 No. 243.

The Government decline to grant any retiring allowance to Tholasingam Pillai in addition to his salary in the Local Fund Department. The *case of Thanacoty Pillai referred to by the applicant is not ~~parallel~~ analogous to his own. In that case Thanacoty Pillai was granted a pension as his salary when transferred to Local Fund Board was less than the amount he drew prior to his transfer, in accordance with para 3 of G.O. 16th Feby 1881 No. 193.

*G.O. 30th May 1883 No. 467.

The applicant drew Rs. 60 in the P.W.D and receives the same now from the Local Fund Board.

But why does this preclude him from receiving the pension he earned for service in the P.W.D. This matter was fought out [illegible] in the case of Mr W. S. [illegible] [illegible] Engineer [illegible] [illegible] who [illegible] his pension + his pay from Local Fund Bd.

To the Public Works Department with copy of G.O. 16th Feby. 81 No. 193.

" President Local Fund Boards Tanjore ~~with original service book~~

T.W.G.

vide G.O. No 160 d/24/2/83

8/11/84

15/3/82

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PRESS.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. DATED 19 March/84

No. 243.

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Ms. 14[illegible]

First copy sent to Press.

Returned for signature.

Despatched in print.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Retiring allowance.

Declining to grant any — to V. Tholasilingam Pillai, Local Fund Overseer Tanjore for certain reasons.