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Pension DEPARTMENT.

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Dated <u>15</u> <u>7</u>	<u>1884.</u>

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To
His Excellency the Right Honorable
Governor in Council North Borneo
George.

The humble representation of Maich
ra Venkata Ramam late Shroff of
Thalayagiri Talug, Kallone District

your petitioner entered the
Government service on 6th September 1847
as 2nd Shroff of Kallone Talug, and ever
since discharged his official duties
with the utmost care and satisfaction
to his superiors, the last appointment
your petitioner held being that
Shroff of Thalayagiri. On the 19th
October 1883 your petitioner was
ordered by his immediate superiors
to deliver over charge to his successor
and retire on pension. Your petitioner
in so doing had the fullest confidence
that having served the Government for
more than 36 years, he well and lawfully
was entitled to a monthly pension
20 years and who was ready for employment.

viz Rs 7½. But when submitting Petitioner's application for pension to the Accountant General, he has been told that he is recommended to 1/3 pension viz Rs 5 counting his services on the superior scale, a few months being wanting to entitle him to a half pension. Your petitioner now leaves with the greatest concern that the Accountant General has taken objection to counting his services in the superior scale and that therefore he is recommended to a pension only Rs 4 in the inferior scale. Your petitioner leaves that there is an order that the services of all Shroffs who were in public service before 1856 (month and date not known) should be counted on superior scale. Concerning my lords who must be appointed and served of a person in my position who has served government 36 years as Shroff in 3 grades viz 2nd Shroff below Taluk on Rs 10 and Shroff of the Taluk on Rs 12 do of Woodhuggery

on Rs 15, a post by name and character, but which carries with it great responsibility and which requires thorough vigilance and circumspection, if, at the end of his services when he thinks his past labours will be rewarded with a liberal pension from Government he is told that his past services are after all countable in the inferior scale and that he is entitled to only Rs 4 pension, while the last of the appointments he held carried with it a salary of Rs 15. That the post of Shroff is only no means a title that of a gumasta is recognized by Government in many ways, one of these being the raising the security firdiashah by them. One Numbor of the Shroff of Angoli on Rs 15 for many years whose services are less than mine has got a pension. When I applied for pension I was under the impression that my case would be also such as noted of the above individual. Besides I was at that time surrounded by the calamity arising to the death of my son who was 20 years old and who was ready for employment.

Under these circumstances, and as the
petitioner has to live upon the Government
pension with a family consisting of more
than 10 souls, he most earnestly prays
that your Excellency in Council
will show mercy towards your poor
petitioner, and grant him half
pension ~~or~~ viz Rs. 7½ as he has a
son-in-law of 36 years as Shroff

Petitioner begs to remain
your Excellency most obedient
and Loyal servant

Thacherla Vaata Rangam
late Shroff of Chodagiri Taluk
Mylapore District

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[9] Pense (1884) Dept.

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From

K. Venkatarangum

Late shroff

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Nellore

End. 15- July 1884 N^o 657.

The ~~petition~~ Govt are
made & comply with
the request of the petitioner
who has been granted
the pension which
he is entitled under
the rules. all

Note.

It is true he entered
the service prior to
22 May 56. but as
his pay did not
exceed Rs 10 until
Sept. 1857 he cannot
claim superior pension
under S. 94. C.P.C.
6th Edn. all

No.

Dated 30 May 1884

Received 9 June

Enclosures

SUBJECT.

Prays to grant him
a 1/2 pay pension of Rs 7 1/2
per mensem in lieu of
Rs 4/only recommended
for him by the Account-
ant General.

The exception in favour of
shroffs in the service in 1856
applies only to those who were
drawing Rs 15 at that date.

H.C.

10/10/85-7-84

With Enclosure