

Pension (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 540

Notes connected with No. 6181
13-8-97

The Hon^{ble} Mr. Grose C.E.

From the Collector of Tanjore
Means
For the A.G.

Read C.N. 464 + 540.

I am not sure the order
referred to was right. It
might easily happen that
the full had a pension was
a pensioner might not be
under the Act. I am there?
out at the trial. I am there?
any other paper about this.
From 6/7/97

The Accountant General,

Order

The amount of pension irregularly drawn by

Singaravala Pillai will be written off as irrecoverable

2. With reference to the last paragraph of the
Collector's letter read above, his attention will be drawn
to para 2 of S.O. 798 Pension, 16th Sep^r 1892, in
which it was decided that it is unnecessary to direct
Magistrates & Sessions Judges to furnish the Treasury
officers with a copy of their judgment whenever they
convict any pensioner of an offence.

Flag at
Dated 29th June '97
Received 30th June '97
Registered 30th June 1897.
Enclosures . 2

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SUBJECT.

Stating that the sanction asked
for by the collector of Tanjore for the
writing off of the amount of pension
irregularly drawn by Singaravala
Pillai may be accorded
and that it is necessary to direct
Magistrates and Sessions judges
to furnish the Treasury officers with
a copy of their judgment whenever
they convict any pensioner of an offence.

Sec^y
2-7-97 Note. A pensioner's pension was cancelled on
stating. When his matter came to the
notice of the T.D.C. he stopped payment of
the pension & the collector reports the
matter for the order
of Govt. who with drew
the pension from the
date of coming in of
the offence (May 1897). Sanction
is now requested to write off the amount disbursed
previous to the stoppage & subsequent to the
Commission of the offence. The question of ordering
all magistrates to communicate such cases to the
T.D.C. is also raised but that was settled in S.O. 798.
The pension irregularly drawn amounts to Rs. 9-4-5. The collector
requests that the amount may be written off as irrecoverable,
and the A.G. says that sanction may be given. Hence draft
order for approval.

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5-7-97

C.S. 7-97



BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Accountant-General's Office,

No. $\frac{222}{208}$

29 June 1897.

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From

J. C. Harrison Esq.,

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL TO THE

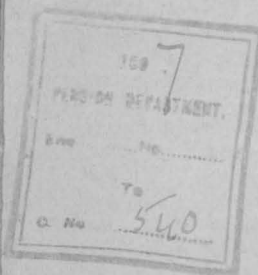
To

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

THE Secretary to Government
Pension Department.

SIR,

In reply to your endorsement No 30, dated the 14th of June 1897, referring to me for remarks letter No 175, dated the 20 May '97 from the Collector of Tanjore, in which he requests the sanction of Government to write off as unrecoverable the amount of pension irregularly drawn by ex pensioner Singara Velu Pillai from 22nd July to 30 September '95 amounting to Rs 9/4/8 at Rs 4 a month, I have the honour to state that, in the circumstances stated by the Collector the sanction asked for may be accorded under the last sentence of paragraph 5 of the Resolution of the Government of India No 998 dated the 2 March '96, Finance and Commerce Department, which applies



in G.O. 160
11-3-96
Fin.
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applies also to pensioners.

With reference to the last paragraph of the Collector's letter under reference, I have the honour to invite attention to paragraph 2 of Government Order No 798 Pension, dated 6 Sept 92, in which it was decided that it is unnecessary to direct Magistrates and Sessions judges to furnish the Treasury Officers with a copy of their judgment whenever they convict any pensioner of an offence.

The endorsement under reply and its enclosures are herewith returned.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt servant,

A. Hamilton
Off Accountant General

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D. 1,000-20-2-96.

Should Magistrates & Judges be ordered to report to the Treasury Officer when a pensioner is convicted in their Court?

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

C No. 540

From the Act Seal

Circular.

Dated

189 .

The Hon Mr C. W. C. D.

FOR ORDERS.

The prisoner may not mention the fact that he is a pensioner, but the fact may come out in evidence & get some ~~ref~~ (if of no importance) may not be noted in the Calendar. Think it should be ordered that if the Mag or Judge who convicts a man knows that he is a pensioner the fact should be reported.

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17/7/97

I should say this would be the best plan

BS

24/7/97

A.H. 26.7.97

With reference to the note on the docket of C No 540. The original Ex. referred to is put up flapped C. D. At every trial a prisoner's "profession" is asked & the Calendar statement sent to every magistrate & judge to the District magistrate contains a column to show what the man's profession is. Accordingly it seems to have been thought that information as to whether a convicted prisoner is a pensioner or not comes & should be ascertained by the Collector from the file of calendar statements submitted & sent to the subordinate magistrates & the Sessions.

So no - P -
D.C. 15 July 1900
12/20/7/97

Judge.

But it still remains true as
H.M. remarks that the fact
that the prisoner was a pauper
might not come out at the
trial even ^{though} enquiries
are made as to his profession.

But it does not appear that the
H.M. wishes to impose on
every magistrate & Judge
the duty of enquiring in the
case of each & every prisoner
whether or not he or she is a
pauper.

As pointed out in the
letter to the G.O. quoted if
the fact that the man is
prisoner is a pauper
comes out at the trial
that information will be
embodied in the Calendar
Statements ^{with} & available in
the District Office. If it
does not then no remedy is
apparent save an order
to all magistrates & judges
to make the particular enquiry
in each & every case.

It is submitted that
such an order is unnecessary...

FOR ORDERS.

The information is wanted only
in such grave cases where
the prisoner should be stopped
as a consequence of conviction.
In such cases the sentence
is almost certain to be one
of imprisonment & that for
some considerable period
under a consequence the
Treasury Office is almost
certain to hear of the
matter by the prisoner
asking for his pauper
from jail - as in the
present case.

As ~~the~~ prisoners cannot
be stopped during trial
and as, after conviction,
prisoners are stopped with
effect from the date of
sentence it seems impossible
to avoid the risk of losing
the amount of pauper drain
between the date of sentence
& the date of conviction -
as in the present case.

Wm
13.7.87

H.M.S. for

There are no other papers. I
am not quite clear to what

now it is the H. L. appeal.
I will submit that the existing
and the main thing.

Play. D.

11/12/17

Secy
D. L.

To the Collector of Tanjore
the Def.
To the Jndl Dept for
Communicate to all
Magts & Sessions Judges.

Read Am to 500

Read again G.O. No 798 Pension
dated 6 Sep 1892

Order, 13 Aug. 1897 No. 618.

The amount of pension
irregularly drawn by Singaravelu
Pillai will be written off
as unrecoverable.

2. On reconsideration

H.E. the Genl resolves to

Cancel para 2 of G.O.

No 798 Pension of 6 Sep 1892

& to direct that all
Magistrates & Sessions
Judges shall, in cases
where they convict

~~any person~~ an accused person
and, ^{where} it appears that

such accused ^{person} is a Govt
employee, ~~send~~ ^{intimate the fact with} a copy
of the judgment to

the Collector of the
District

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W. L.
28.7.97

Pension (1897) Department.

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No. 1011, PUBLIC, 29TH JULY 1897.



GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper:—

G.O., No. 992, Public, dated 11th September 1896.

ABSTRACT.—Issuing certain instructions for arranging files under the flat-file system of record-keeping.

ORDER—No. 1011, Public, dated 29th July 1897.

The following will be substituted for paragraph 5 of the Government order read above:—

Books should never be placed *inside* the flap of a case. Those of foolscap size should be placed underneath the case tied with a separate tape, and those of smaller size than foolscap at the top of the file *outside* the flaps and tied with the tape belonging to the case.

(True Extract.)

[Signature]
Chief Secretary.

To all Departments of the Secretariat.

Pension ✓