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Headmaster

J. J. J.
 Collector

Enclosure No 2

In a letter from
the Collector of
Bellary dated 7th
April 1859 No 20.

Age Certificate.

Ch Com 17th February 1859, No 630. 75

From C. Pelly, Esq. Collector of Bellary

To J. D. Sim Esquire Secretary to the Bd of Rev. ^{dated Ramandroog 17th February 1859 No 12}
I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of Petition No 365
of 1858, from Venkatapatiah Innooshee of the Sub Collector
of this District, dated 17th December 1858, with its accompani-
ments; on which I am directed to make an early report.
In reply I have the honor to forward copies of two letters
from the Sub Collector No 91 of 17th July 1858, and No 20 of
the 4th Instant; in which he explains the reasons why
he was obliged to dispense with the services of Venkata-
patiah. I may add that I am of the same opinion as
Mr Collett, that Venkatapatiah is not competent to per-
form, with any satisfaction, the duties of a Innooshee.

Enc. 1

From C. Collett, Esq. Sub Collector of Bellary

To C. Pelly, Esq. Collector of Bellary

Sir dated Anantapoot, 7th July 1858, No 91

I have the honor to forward herewith an application
from the sub-Division Revenue Innooshee Venkatapatiah for
a pension, I have directed him to proceed at once to Bellary
in order that he may undergo the necessary medical exami-
nation. It will be seen that this Officer has been in the
public service for more than 38 years, and I consider him to
be now quite incapacitated by age for his present post of
Innooshee.

2 He has no longer the mental or bodily strength necessary for the performance of the work that properly falls to his charge. I have therefore been forced to relieve him of an important part of his work, which I should otherwise require him to perform. It is also necessary that he should be able to travel about a good deal. It will be a serious hindrance to the work of this Office should this old servant be required to continue any longer to attempt to perform his present duties. I would therefore suggest that, if the necessary medical certificate is granted, he should be allowed leave of absence for 3 or 4 months till his pension may be sanctioned.

3 The person I should wish to select to succeed him would be Sheva Ramappah at present employed on Rupees 50 per mensem in the Office of the additional Sub Collector, but as the pay of his permanent appointment is only Rupees 18 per mensem, he would probably be ready to accept the permanent appointment of Moonshee in this Office.

Enc. 2

From C. Collett Esq^r Sub Collector of Bellary
To C. Pelly Esq^r Collector of Bellary.

Dated Bangalore 14th February 1859 A. 20

In reply to your letter of the 27th ultimo A. 27.
(received today) I have the honor to return the

petition to the Board of Revenue presented by my late Moonshee Venkatapathiah, and to state that I have little to add to my letter of the 7th July last as to why I considered him incapacitated for his duty. It does not as you are aware require many days trial to test the efficiency of a Moonshee, but I tested him with special care. I tried him for instance with several Inam cases, and he quite failed, so with papers of any length or intricacy it was impossible to get through the work with him, except at much sacrifice of time. Instead therefore of giving him the work that belonged to him, I soon saw that I must throw the heaviest part of it upon one or two Moonshees in the office, unless I intended to waste an hour or two every day.

2 I intimated my opinion to him that considering the length of his service he had better resign and apply for his pension. So far from making any difficulty about the matter, I was somewhat surprised at his ready acquiescence. He resigned on the 6th July, but I allowed him to draw his pay till the end of that month. Within that period I intimated that he should proceed to Bellary, and undergo the medical examination. He did no work after the 6th July, but he managed to delay so much that he was not examined till the 6th.

September

September, meanwhile I could not do without a
Droonshee. In his resignation he admits, I believe,
that he is unable any longer to act as Droonshee,
the language is entirely his own. I do not recollect
that he ever asked me to put him into any other situation.

3 In the two months after he left off work,
he seems to have changed his mind, and when he appeared
before the Garrison Surgeon, seems to have stated that
he was capable and willing to do his work. This may
have influenced that officer in the opinion he gave.
Any how with all respect for that Officer, I may
be permitted to observe, that he furnished the late
Saudpinty Tahsildar with even a stronger certi-
ficate, and that old servant has just been admitted
to a pension on account of his incapacity for age.
My late Droonshee may in ordinary conversation appear
to have the use of his faculties, and have no special
infirmity as blindness or palsy, but I venture to say
that it is impossible for any one to do work with
him for several days without being satisfied
that he has become incapacitated by age for active work.

4 His age according to the public records
will, I believe be found to be about 60. He has,
I dare say, been in his time sufficiently active and
efficient; though as he has dwelt on his services,
it may be remarked that he was once a Sheristadar

on 40 Rupees per mensem, but (about 1852) I believe,
for I have no account at hand, was degraded to
to Pesheership on 20 Rupees. I very much regret
the opinion the Medical Officer has formed, but
I could not conscientiously recommend his being
placed in any such situation as that of a Tahsil-
Sheristadar. The duty of a Goomasta he might
perhaps succeed in performing with the aid
of his son or other young Umedwar - but this is
not a desirable arrangement. But an opportunity may
perhaps shortly occur for compensating him for the
loss of his pension, if the Medical Officer should hold
the same opinion as before. I have lately reported
to you the inefficiency of a Goomasta in my office
named Raghoonath Row. Should his place
become vacant, a change might be made of
a Goomastaship of 14 Rupees or $17\frac{1}{2}$ Rupees per
mensem might be given to the son of my late
Droonshee. I do not know much of the young
man, but as he has served as a Umedwar, he
would probably succeed. The family would
thus probably be eventually the gainers. When
I recommended my late Droonshee for a pension,
I held out to him no hope (as he would
seem to say), of, in addition, giving his son
some situation, for I cannot say that I think

the so doing is all desirable when a pension is
given.

No 744

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
dated 28th February 1859

Read letter from the Collector of Bellary dated 17th Feb^y 1859.

(In Com 17th February 1859, A. 630)

The Board are of opinion that sufficient reason is
shewn in the above correspondence for considering
the Sub Collector's late Moonshie Venkatapatiah to
be unfit from infirmities of age for further employ
in the Public Service, and under these circumstances
resolve to direct the Collector to submit in the usual
form an application for the pension to which by
length of service he may be entitled, with reference
to the correspondence that has passed and notwith-
standing the absence of a medical certificate.

(A true Extract)

(Signed) J. V. Lushington

Sub Secretary

To

C. Pelly Esq^r

Collector of Bellary / True copies /

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Collection

N^o 20

Bellary District Collector's Office
Rumandrog 7th April 1859.

From
C. Pelly Esq^r
Collector of
Bellary
To
T. Pycroft Esq^r
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir
With reference to the Extract from
the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated
28th February last, N^o 744, I have the honor
to submit a register prepared according to the
prescribed form of 30th May 1855 for a Super-
annuation Pension for Penekapathiah late
Inamdar in the Sub Collector's Office.

2
A Certificate as to his age given by
the Head Sheristadar of the Department
is herewith sent, & I do not consider that his
Pension need be conditional.

3
Penekapathiah has served the
Government for a period of 38 years & months
& 26 days, which has been verified by the
records

Enclosure N^o 3

In a letter from the
Collector of Bellary
dated 7th April 1859
N^o 20.

Copies of correspondence
once referred to
in the letter.

records of my Office as follows.

As No. 3000 Extra Goomastah from ^{14th} No. 11 th November 1819 to 30 th April 1829	4 th M. S. R.	9 - 6 - 18
As No. 3000 Goomastah from 1 st May 1829 to 30 th September 1830		1 - 5 - 20
As S ^r . A ^r . from 1 st October 1830 to 21 st February 1847		16 - 4 - 21 - 18
As No. 3000 Moanshee from 22 nd February 1847 to 11 th July 1850		3 - 4 - 18 - 30
As Sheristadar of Raidroog Talook from 12 th July 1850 to 5 th November 1851		1 - 3 - 25 - 40
As Peshkar of Bellary Talook from 7 th November 1851 to 30 th June 1853		1 - 7 - 24 - 20
As Sheristadar of Gadakee Talook from 1 st July 1853 to 31 st January 1854		4 - 7 - 4 - 30
As A ^r . of Codecondah Talook from 1 st to 5 th February 1854		4 - 4 - 5 - 30
As Moanshee in the Sub Collector's Office from 6 th February 1854 to 31 st July 1858		4 - 5 - 23 - 30
		<u>38 - 8 - 26.</u>

5 Venkatapatiah has served the Government for the above period with credit generally, & is now worn out & has not that physical and mental fitness required for the performance of

B. B.

his duties. Venkatapatiah, as already reported in the correspondence alluded to in the order of the Board of Revenue referred to at the beginning of this letter, Copy of which is enclosed, failed to obtain a Medical Certificate, and on this account the application is made as a special case. The average salary per Mensem calculated on the last 5 years of his service amounts to Rupees 30 - 0 - 0 and I beg to recommend that a Superannuation Pension equal to one half of the same, being Rupees 15 - 0 - 0 per Mensem, may be granted to Venkatapatiah from 1st August 1858 he having retired on the 31st July.

I have the honor to be

Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant
P. Lacey
Collector

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from 1859
No 186

The Collector
of Bellary
To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

Dated 7th April 1859
Recd 13th April

No 20
With 3 Enclosures
No 1st

Submitting a Register
for the communication
Division for the State
Patent State Revenue
of Sub Collector's Office
It recommending that a
Division of 1859 for being
may be granted as a free.
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X 1859 1859 1859 1859

Referred to the Civil Auditor for the usual
verification.

Fort Saint George, L. D. D. D.
13th April 1859. Depy. Secy. to Government.

To

The Civil Auditor.

D. J. 13/4/59.

Recd. 14/4/59. E. L. D.
20/5.

L. D. D.
Ag. C. A.

Register of an Application for a Superannuation Pension from the Establishment of the Collector of Bellary preferred under the rules passed by Government under date the 15th May 1851.

Name of the person by whom the Pension is applied for, with the Name of his father.	Number on the Establishment.	Identification of the Applicant's Person.	Size.		Age of Applicant at the time of Application.			Religion, Caste or Tribe.	Where Residing.			Present Employment.	Total period of Service.		Applicants Service continuous or not.	How long un-employed, and under what circumstances.
			Feet.	Inches.	Years.	Months.	Days.		Province.	Purganah.	Village.		Years.	Months.		
Venkatapathiah son of Rama Chenchappaiah.		Bamboos Colour, Oval face, long nose, slight marks of small pox on the face. has a brand mark on the right wrist in line with the thumb - no other marks of identification.	5	7	38	"	"	Smarttha Bramin	Bellary	Pengondah Taluk	Nagalapood	Inomshie in the Sub Collectors Cutcherry	38	8	Continuous.	None
The Head Sheristadar has given a Certificate of the age of this individual.																
Date of Application to Government.	Average Salary or authorized Official allowances per mensem for the five years preceding the date of Application.	Salary or authorized Official allowance per mensem at the time of Application.	Abstract of the grounds of Application.		Remarks by the Head of Office.		Proposed amount of Pension per mensem.	Treasury at which the party if pensioned, wishes to draw his Pension.	Order of Government.							
1859 March 27 th	Rs. 30 - - -	Rs. 30 - - -	Worn out by old age.		Venkatapathiah has served the Government for upwards of 38 years & throughout this period of service he conducted himself to the best of his abilities. The Collector begs to recommend that a superannuation Pension of Rs. 15 per mensem or equal to half of his last 5 years salary may be granted as a special case from 1 st August 1858.		Rs. 15 - - -	Pengondah Taluk Treasury								

Bellary Collector's Office,
 7th April 1859.
 Exd. *Br. Blane*
 Head Accountant.

Reevy
 Collector.

3rd Sept.

General Department.

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N^o 242.

Report of the Civil Auditor.

The Acting Civil Auditor has the honor to report, that the authorized Official allowance drawn by Vencatapatiah, late a Moonshee in the Sub Collector's Office in the Bellary Collectorate, for the last five years of his Service, has been Rupees 30-00 per mensem; and that his continuous Service under the Government extends over a period of 38 Years 8 Months and 18 days; Viz: from 14th November 1819 to 31st July 1858. —

Fort Saint George.
Civil Auditor's Office,
21st April 1859. —

J. Langford
Acting Civil Auditor.

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

Civil Pension Dept.

ENCLOSURE No. 1

In a letter from the Collector of
Bellary, dated 7th April 1859.
No. 20

REGISTER OF AN APPLICATION FOR A SUPER-
ANNUATION PENSION FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT
OF THE COLLECTOR OF BELLARY.

C 24 of 1859
12 5 May

Resolved on the service of
Venkatapatiah late Munsif
in the Civil Court Office in the
Bellary Collectorate,

N^o
N^o

Dated 21st April 1859
No 2207

Civil Pension 1859

The Secy / Secretary to Govt

For

The Civil Auditor

From

No 207

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Public Department

No 136
Proceedings of the Madras Govt
Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Dated 6th May 1859.

Read the following Papers

From the Collector of Bellary

Forwarding an application
for a Superannuation Pension
on behalf of Venkatapatiah late
Munsif of the Sub Collector's Office
of Bellary -

Civil Auditor's Report ——— 21st April 1859.

Wg
Wg
Wg

Resolved that a Super-

Age.	Period of Service.	Average Sala- ry for the last five years of Service.	Abstract of the grounds of application
Y ^s . M ^s . D ^s .	Y ^s . M ^s . D ^s .	R. S. P.	None out by old Age
53 - - -	30 - 0 - 18	30 - - -	

annuation Pension of Rupees
Fifteen per Mensem be
granted to Venkatapatiah
and

1/2 Pension - Rs 15

2250

and that a Certificate be issued
making the same payable from
the 1st August 1858 the date
from which he ceased to be em-
ployed.

L. F.

Secy. Secretary to Gov^{ts}

To The Collector of Bellary Dec^r 6/5/59 with
original & copy Certificate.

The Civil Auditor Dec^r 6/5/59 with copy - do
Received & Entered & Returned 9th May 1859

Public Department

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H. L.

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Public Department

No 150

Exact Minutes of
Consultation.

Dated 6 May 1859 --

Granting a Super-
annuation Pension of $\$1000$
($\$300$) Five
to Wm. T. L. L. L.

on the Establishment of Medical
College of Belton
No. of Certificate 1859