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Government of Madras.

Revision DEPARTMENT.

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No 125

Madura Dadumpully 8th July 185

From T. Clarke Esquire
Collector of Madura

To J. D. Sim Esquire
Secretary to the Board of Rev^{e}
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

1 I have the honor, in compliance with the orders[×] of the Board, to submit an application for a superannuation pension from Ram Row my Head Sheristadar.

× No 1286, dated 9th april 859.

Vp

2. There has been some delay in submitting this application in consequence of the difficulty I have had in obtaining the necessary certificates of Ram Row's service from the different Offices in which he has been employed.

3 The Settlement of this District has been completed, but the Accounts connected with the Report are under preparation

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and I shall be glad of the services of Ram Row till the enquiries into the debts of the Zemindar of Shevagungah and the arrears outstanding in that Estate, have been completed -

4 Under these circumstances I trust the Board will not object to Ram Row's remaining in the service till these enquiries have been completed -

Madura
Dodumputty
8th July 1859

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.

R Clarke
Collector -

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Origl to Govt & Proto
Madura 16 Aug. 1859

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No 3440.

1859 Department.

From
The Collector of
Madura.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George.

In Care

Dated 8th
Recd 14th } July 1859.

In Care 147 No 125
Ch 38 15 Testimonials
Enclosures (2)

For [illegible]

Submitting a Tabular
application for Super-
annuation Pension
to Ram Row Head
Sheristadar of his District
with reference to Extract
Proceedings from the Bd of Revl.
Dated 9th April 1859, No 1286.
× Fifteen

Fifteen original Testimonials
Taken for transmission to Home
Govt. Vide letter from Rama
Row late Head Sheristadar
of Madura
6th Augt 1860. [illegible]
Overseer in the Home Branch
of the Rev. Dept.

Nos 2 & 15 Wanting

brought by Balasubramanian [illegible]

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List of Service of T. Ram Row Head Sherestadar in the District of Madura

Where	Employment	Pay ₱ Mensem			Period	Actual Service			Without Employ			Remarks
		Rs.	as.	p.		Years	M.	D.	Years	M.	D.	
Bhoovanagherry Talook in South Arcot....	Goomastah....	10.	8.	..	From 1st Septr. 1818 to the end of Feby. 1820...	1	6	..				
Salem	Sayer Goomastah....	21.	..	..	.. 1st March 1820 to 30th September 1821....	1	7	..				
	Hoozoor .. Do.....	21.	..	..	.. 1st October 1821 to 24th Do. 1822....	..	11	24				
	Treasury .. Do....	21.	..	..	.. 25th September 1822 to 30th April 1823..	..	7	6				
	Hd. Goomastah in the Sub Dn.	35	..	..	.. 1st May 1823 to 31st March 1829....	5	11	..				
					.. 1st April to 10th May 1829......	..	..	..	..	1	10	This period was occupied in preparation and journey.
Tinnevelly	Sub Division Sherestadar	175.	..	..	.. 11th May 1829 to 31st October 1833...	4	5	21				
	Naib Sherestadar in the Collector's Office....	175	..	..	.. 1st November 1833 to end of Feby. 1834..	..	4	..				
	Acting Head Sherestadar	280	..	..	.. 1st March 1834 to 8th January 1835.	..	10	8				
	Sub Division Sherestadar	175	..	..	9th January 1835 to 10th August 1837...	2.	7.	2				
					.. 11th Augt. 1837 to 22d October 1837..	.	..	..	..	2	12	Travelling via Neelagheries (whither he had proceeded on leave on private affairs) to Madras to take up the Actg. appointment in the Board's Office.
Revenue Board..	Naib Sherestadar...	250	..	..	.. 23d October 1837 to 15th May 1840..	2	6	22				
Tinnevelly..	Sub Dvn. Sherestadar	175	..	..	.. 16th May 1840 to 5th December 1845.	5	6	20				
	"	"	"	"	.. 6th to 9th December 1845......	..	..	..	..	..	4	
Nellore	Head Sherestadar....	280	..	..	.. 10th December 1845 to 29th July 1847..	1	7	19				
Madura.	.....Do......	280	..	..	.. 30th July 1847 to 31st January 1850..	2	6	1.				
	.....Do......	437	8	..	.. 1st February 1850 to 20th March 1852	2	1	20				
	.....Do......	525	..	..	.. 21st March 1852 to 20th Do. 1857...	5	..	..				
	.....Do......	700	..	..	.. 21st Do. 1857 to 30th June 1859....	2	3	9.				
						40	6	2	..	3	26	

Madura 8th July 1859

E. E.

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Collector

1859 Department

No. 2 Enclosure in a letter

From

The Collector of

Madura

To The Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St George

Dated 8th July 1859.

Received

List of Service of

T. Ram Row Head

Sherestadar in the

District of Madura

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In No 3440 of 1859

Register of Application for a Superannuation Pension from the Establishment of the Collectorate of Madura preferred under the Rules passed by Government under date the 30th May 1855

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	Size		Age of applicant at the time of Application			Religion Caste or Tribe	Where residing			Present Employment	Total period of Service		Applicant's Service Continuous or not	How long Unemployed and under what Circumstance
			Feet	Inches	Years	Months	Days		Province	Pergunnah	Village		Years	Months		
Ram Row son of Govind Row	1	A Scar on the right side, a little above the left ankle— A slightly depressed scar on the inside of the right thigh— Bamboo Color	5.	5.	60	„	„	Marattah Bramin Vistnoo Sect	Madura District	Madoolum Talook	Madura Town	Head Sheristadar of the Collectors Office	40	6. Days 2	Continuous	

Register of Application for a Superannuation pension from the Establishment of the Collectorate of Madura preferred under the Rules passed by Government under date the 30th May 1855

Age of applicant

Proposed Amount of pension p Mensem & date from which to Commence	Treasury at which the party, if pensioned wishes to draw his pension	Orders of Government
Rs as p		
350 " " Vide para 3 of Collectors letter No 125 dated 8th July 1859	Madura Clarke Collector	
Madura Dadumpatty 8th July 1859		
Eld Clk		

Orig'l Pro. 9 July 1859

1859 Department
No. 1 Enclosure in a letter
From the Collector of Madura
To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George
Dated 8th
Recd 3 July 1859

Register of Application for deferred commutation pension of Ram Row, Head Sheristadar of this District
Sub No. [illegible] of 1859
[illegible] 14th July 1859

To

J. Clarke Esquire
Collector of Madura

Respected Sir

1 I have perused the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 9th April 1859, Copy of which you were kind enough to favor me with; directing, under instructions of Government, to obtain and submit applications for pension from the Sheristadars of the Districts noted in the margin.*

* South Arcot
Kurnool
Malabar
Madura

2 On 20th March 1857 I having completed the period of 20 years of my Service, as Head Sheristadar, the Government were pleased to accord me from the 21st Idem the maximum rate of salary of the Head Sheristadar Rs 700 a Month. Should I continue in Service till 20th March 1862, I would have then a pension of 350 Rs a Month conferred upon me for life, under the pension Rules now in force - but as it is the pleasure of Government that I should now retire, & as it would also be conducive to my health, I beg to express my readyness to take pension in compliance with their wish.

3 In reference to the indulgences, with which the Government have hitherto condescended to distinguish the Services of the many Head Sheristadars, I think it incumbent upon me, in

Application for pension
from T. Ram Row
Head Sheristadar
in the District of
Madura

With 15 Enclosures

Letter No. 3440 of 1859
In Con. 14 July

No. 3205.

Proceedings of the **Board of Revenue**, dated 16th August 1859.

Read letter from the Collector of Madura, dated 8th July 1859, No. 125.

(In Con. 14th July 1859, No. 3440.)

The Board resolve to submit the above application to Government with their recommendation that a pension of Rupees 350 or more than he is entitled to under the rules may be granted to Ram Row, in consideration of his past services. The Board have always entertained a good opinion of Ram Row as an useful, zealous and faithful officer, but they do not consider his claims such as to warrant their proposing a pension for three generations.

2. The Collector will report without delay how long the duties mentioned in para. 3 of his letter are likely to occupy Ram Row.

(A true Extract.)

Secretary.

To

J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.
Copy to Collector of Madura.

Public ~~Separate~~
1859 Depart.
Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue.
Dated 16th Augt. 1859.
Despd. 22 " —
Recd. 22nd " "
E. 1 (Os. letter) No. 444

No. 3205.

Submitting an application from the Collr. of Madura for a pension for his Head Sheristadar Ram Row and recommending that he may be allowed to retire on a pension of Rupees 350 in consideration of his past Services.

Pub. D.

With an Order

Referred to the Civil Auditor for the usual verification.

Fort Saint George, 24th August 1859. } L. Bracken
Depy. Secy. to Government.

To
The Civil Auditor. Recd. 24/8/59 – 27/8th.

Recd. 25/8/59 & Retd.
LLL.
C. A.

No. 592. Genl. Dep.

Report of the Civil Auditor.

The Civil Auditor has the honor to report, that the authorized Official allowance drawn by Rama Row, the Head Sheristadar of the Madura Collectorate, for the last five years of his Service, averaged Rs 604-12-6 permensem; and that his Service under the Government, extends over a period of 40 years 6 months & 6 days; Vizt: from 1st September 1818 to 31st March 1829, from 11th May 1829 to 10th August 1827, from 23d October 1827 to 5th December 1845, & from 10th December 1845 to 30th June 1859.

Civil Auditor's Office
Fort Saint George
27th August 1859

H. Dunsmure
Civil Auditor.

To,

The Chief Secretary to
Government,
Civil Pension Department

Separate
Public 1859 Despt.
No. 433

From
The Civil Auditor

Dated 27th August } 1859
Rd. 27th Do. } 1859

Reporting on the service of Ram Row late Head Sheristadar on the Establishment of the Collector of Madura.

Separate Public Dept

No. 10. U.R.

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Read Pro: of the Board of Rev: submitting an applic[n] from the Coll[r] of Madras for Sup[n] pension in behalf of Râm Râo the Sheristadar — } Here with D[d] 16 August 1859

Civil Auditor's Report dated 27[th] Aug[t] 1859 — } ~~[illegible]~~ 27 August 1859

Order thereon dated 5 September 1859 No. 294

1. Râm Râo's ~~[illegible]~~ service extends over a period of 40 years and 6 months, during the last 14 of which he has held the post of Head Sheristadar —

Calculated on the

average salary of the last 5 years, the pension to which he is entitled under the rules is Rs 302/4 p.m., but considering that his transfer to the pension list is not of his own seeking but has been ordered as expedient on public grounds, the Govt. look upon the case as an exceptional one and resolve to grant him a pension of Rs. 350 p.m. as recommended by the Board of Revenue. He would, it appears, have been entitled to retire on this rate of pension had he been permitted to retain his appointment for a further period of 2 1/2 years.

The Bd of Revenue will be requested to report from what date the pension is to be made payable —

J.P.

To
The Board of Revenue. Pro: dd 5/9/59.
The Civil Auditor dd 14/11/59.

Recd 16 ... Recd 16th–11–59

Memorandum.

With reference to the Memorandum of the 8th Instant, from the Deputy Secretary to Government, the undersigned has the honor to request that the Pension Register therein alluded to may be sent, as it was not received with the Memorandum -

By Order.
E Hudleston
Ag Secretary.

Revenue Bd Office,
Fort St George,
11th October, 1859 -

To
L. Forbes Esq.
Deputy Secretary to
Government.

C. Burton

Separate
Public 1859 Sept
No 294
Pro: of Govt
dated 5 Septr 1859 -

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Separate Pub: 1859 Sept:

Memo:

From
The Ag. Secretary
to the Board of Rev.

To The Deputy Secretary
to Government

Dated 11th
Desp.
Recd 12th } October 1859.

Requesting with reference to the Memo: of the 8th Instant that the Pension Register therein alluded to may be sent.—

[illegible]

No. 4589.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 9th November 1859.

Read letter from the Collector of Madura, dated 28th October 1859, No. 209, returning the register of application for a superannuation pension to Ram Row, his head Sheristadar, after making the required alteration.

(In Con. 3rd November 1859, No. 5447.)

Ordered that the register returned with the above letter be re-transmitted to the Deputy Secretary to Government, with reference to his memorandum, dated 8th ultimo, the necessary addition having been made to it by the Collector, Mr. Grant.

In Con. 15th October 1859.

(A true Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To

W. C. SIM, Esq., Deputy Secretary to Government, R. D.
Copy to Collector of Madura.

Exd. J. Wright.

Separate
Public 1837 Dept

No. 536

Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

Dated 9th }
Despd 11th } Nov.r 1837
Recd 12th }
E.1.-O.q

No. 4589.

Returning with the required alteration made in it, the register of application for a Superannuation pension to Ram Row Head Sheristadar of Madura.—

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Accepted pensioners - Ins 37

In making arrangements for the appoint.t of the Dep.y Coll.rs the Gov.t ordered 4 Sheristadars to be transferred to the pension list as being old & worn out.

Ram Rao, Hd. Sher.y Madura was one of them. He encloses 16 Testimonials, expresses his unwillingness to retire and asks for a pension for 3 lives.

He has drawn 700 Rs. p.m.

for more than 2 years but, on the average of the last 5 years, is only entitled to 302 Rs. pension.

The Board recommend 350 Rs. / for a single life of course.

The question whether he can be allowed to remain in his present post until the Settlement of Shivaganga Accounts are completed, as recommended by the Colln., will I suppose be disposed of by ~~[illegible]~~ in the Revenue Dept. on the Board sending up the further information ~~they~~ ~~were~~ called for –

L. F.

No. 3941.

From

W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

To

T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government.

SIR,

In Con. 5th Sept. 1859, No. 4426. With reference to paragraph 2 of the proceedings of Government, dated 5th September 1859, Public Department, No. 294, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to state that in consequence of the release from the custody of the Court of Wards and transfer to its proprietor of the important estate of Shevagungah in the course of October, it will not be convenient to the Collector to relieve Ram Row, his Head Serishtadar, from duty before the end of this month, and to request, therefore, that his pension may be made payable from 1st November 1859.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Fort St. George,
1st October 1859.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Hudleston

Acting Secretary.

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Separate
Public 1858 Dept
No. 484

From
The Ag Secretary to the
Board of Rev.

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

No. 360

Dated 1st }
Desp. 4th } October 1859.
Recd 5th }

No. 3941

Requesting for the reasons within mentioned that the pension of Ram Row, the Head Sheristadar of Madura may be made payable from 1st November 1859.

With an Order
No. 360

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L.W. 15.11.59.

× No. 2308

No. 360

Ordered accordingly that a certificate be issued making the Pension of Ram Row payable from the 1st November 1859.

Fort St. George
7th October 1859 }

JP
Dy: Secy: to Govt.

To

The Board of Revenue Recd 14/11/59 with original & copy certificate
&
Civil Auditor - Recd 14/11/59 with copy of do. & Pro: of Govt. No. 2294
Rec. Ent & Retd 16/11/59

Ad. C. A.