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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	43	Press Mis.
Dated 30—1—1860.		

Not to be folded or roughly handled

This is to Certify that the bearer hereof Meegada veeranah has served as English writer under my Superintendance for sometime during which period he conducted himself to my entire satisfaction.

Superintending Engineers Office
Northern Division Masulipatam
31st January 1826

A. Ross Captn.
Acting Supt Engr
N.D.

This is to Certify that the bearer hereof M. Veeranah has been in my Office as English writer from the time of my arrival at this place; during which period I found him a strictly attentive to his duty & he has acted to my entire satisfaction. —

Lieut. Actg. Sup. Engr.

Superintending Engineers Office
Northern Division
Masulipatam 1 June 1826

Vizag: 18 May 1835

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Veeranah,

I expect to be at Rajahmundry on Monday the 25th inst. and wish either you or Surwuryow to be ready to meet me so if you are at Samulcottah go to Rajahmundry.

Yours

J A Bell

Received 3rd Sept. 1837-

Veeranah-

Tell me how many bricks were made by the prisoners for the new jail buildings at Rajahmundry, you have allowed only 23 Rs as the value of them. Explain this fully-

Ingeram Yrs J A Bell
28 August

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To Veeranah Bricklayer
Maistry
J H Bell
K. N. D. Watadah

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To, Megada Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry – Engr. Deptt.
at
Rajahmundry –

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Masulipatam }
10th August 1835 }

J H Bell

To

Meegada Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry Engr. Dept.
at
Rajahmundry

Post paid

Recd
10 Aug 1835

To

Meegada Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry
at
Rajahmundry

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Masulipatam
3rd August 1835.

J H Bell

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Masulipatam
30th June 1835

J A Bell

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Received 27 April 1835

To, M, Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry
Engineer's Dept
Rajahmundry

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Masulipatam
24th April 1835

J A Bell
Supg. Engineer N. 2

P.S.

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J A Bell
Supg. Engr. N. 2

To, M: Veeranah Bricklayer.
Engineers Departt.
Ellore

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Masulipatam
20th January 1835.

J A Bell
Supt. Engineer N. 2

Honored Sir
Please to sign this [illegible]
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at Ellore, who required fo

…rs Office at Masulipatam
d/ 17 June 1863 with 3 Encls
…ly 1863 No 221

Ellore

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Acting Civil Engr.
in charge of workshop D.

To,
Megodah Veeramah
Bricklayer Maistry
Engrs Dept.

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Masulipatam
9th October 1835

J A Bell
Supt Engr N. D.

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To Post Paid

Megadah Veeranah

Bricklayer Maisty

Engrs. Depts.

Rajahmundry

9 October 1835

To M. Veeranah

Bricklayer Maisty Engrs. Depts.

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8th Novr. 1837.

J. H. Bell

Lieut. Engineer

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9th Novr 1837

13th Novr 1837

To,

Service

Mr. Veeraniah
Bricklayer Maistry
J A Bell Engineers Department
Masulipatam
Sub. Engineer N.D. ~~Ellore~~

MASULIPATAM
POST FREE

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To,

Mr. Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry &c. &c.

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Veeravapram
th Novr 1837-

J A Bell
Sub. Engineer N.D.

4th [illegible] 1887

Sub: Engrs Office N.D. "Service"

To, Meegadah Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry
Engrs Dept
at Ellore at Ellore
or ~~Rajahmundry~~

J A Bell
Sub: Engr N.D. ~~[illegible]~~

ELLORE
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To, M Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry
Watavah

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9th October 1837.

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Supt [illegible]

"Service"

To,
R. Veeramah
Bricklayer Maistry
Engineer's Dept.
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Received 23rd Sept. 1837.

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Service

Veeranah

Bricklayer Maistry

Watadah

J.H. Bell
S.E.N.D.

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To. Megudah Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry Engineer Department
at Watadah

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J.H. Bell
Supg Engineer N D.

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Masulipatam
30th May 1837

J.H. Bell
Sub Engineer N.D.

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Engineer Department

Service

To M. Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry Engr Deptt
at
Ellore

J A Bell
Acting Civil Engr

17 Aug 1838

To,
M. Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry Engr Deptt
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J A Bell
Acting Civil Engr
in charge of work

Nattair
8th August 1838

Engineer Department On Service

To
M. Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry Engr Dept
Ellore.

J H Bell
acting Civil Engineer

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To
M. Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry Engineer Dept.
Ellore

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J H Bell
acting Civil Engr
in charge of works N. D.

Waltair
31 June 1838

Post Paid
MASULIPATAM
POST PAID

To
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Maggadah Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry
Engineer's Depart.
Rajahmundry.

30th May 1837

To M. Veeranah
Bricklayer Maistry Engr. Depart.

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Waltair
26th July 1838

Acting Civil Engr.
in charge of works &c.

Engineer Department

Service

To M. Veeranah

Bricklayer Maistry Engr. Dept.

at Guntoor

Acting Civil Engineer

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To M: Veeranah

Bricklayer Maistry

Engineers Departt.

Guntoor

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Masulipatam

4th Septr 1838.

Acting Civil Engr.

in charge of works N.D.

To,

M Veeran

Brick[layer] Maistry Engg. Deptt.

Guntoor

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Acting Civil Engineer

in charge of works &c.

Kottai

6th August 1838

TO Genl No 76

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Engineer Department

Received

To Mr. [illegible]

[illegible]

Acting Chief Engineer

Washington 3d April 1843

The holder of this certificate [illegible] has been employed by me in that capacity for 2½ years in drawing up Estimates for the Expenses of Public Buildings at this Station. I have great satisfaction in certifying that he has shown himself a very intelligent and skilful Contractor. He has invariably done his work well and I can strongly recommend him to my Successor in Charge of Public Works. I think the Estimates he drew up are as moderate as they can be.

W. [illegible] Capt.
Fort Washington

The Bearer Venumah served as Contractor for the repair of public buildings during the 3 years that I was Fort Adjt. He appears to be ready at work & gave satisfaction

[illegible] Capt
Lt

Masulipatam
29th Jany 1846

I have had every reason to be satisfied with Veeranah the contractor for Public buildings &c. — others have at times offered to do the work cheaper and have been on trial been found wanting — Besides none of them know anything about the work they take in hand which he does from having been many years attached to the Engineer's Department.

W. H. Welch Capt
Fort Adjutant.

Masulipatam
30th Nov 1847

I Certify the Bearer Veranah during the time I was in charge of the Public Buildings &c. I found him willing and anxious to please, and that I have no fault to find with him. I have always found him quiet and well behaved

E. Pereira Captn
Act Ft Adjt

Masulipatam
26 Nov 1847

I have known the above Veerumah Government Maistry & builder intimately during the time I was in charge of Government Buildings at this Station and I believe to be strictly honest as well as a clever & industrious man.

H. A. Marshall Captn
Acty Staff officer
in charge of Govt Buildgs

Masulipatam
31 Decr 1850.

Verannah Bricklayer Maistry has executed several works whilst I held the appointment of Fort Adjutant here and I believe him to be the very best mason, in his way, that could have been employed.

Masulipatam
23rd December 1857.

J. G. Stewart Major
42nd Regt.

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Overseer Nimblegar Naidu has executed all the repairs &c to Public Buildings as also private works urgently. He perfectly understands the making out of Estimates &c and I consider him the best man to [illegible] attendance both for the Public & Private works what he has executed under my superintendence for the last three years nearly

Masulipatam
28 Dec 1857

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The Bearer Veerummah has been employed by me for the Repairs of Military Buildgs at Masulipatam I have found him, up to work agreeably to the Engineers Regulations: and attention to his Work..

Masulipatam
June 6th
1853

A Holman Captn
Fort Adjt

Having had Charge of the Public Buildings at Masulipatam for some time & superintended extensive repairs to many of the Govt. Buildings in the Fort & Pettah – I feel a pleasure in certifying to the satisfaction afforded by the manner in which Veeranah the Mestree of the Dept. performed the work entrusted to him – he thoroughly understands all details in the preparation of Estimates having served for many Years in the Dept. of the Chief Engineer of N.D. (when it existed) and is a most assistance in pre stimals required

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Lieutenant Martin has made out the estimates for the repairs of Public Buildings since I have been Fort Adjt. here and has given me satisfaction.

G Moore Capt.
Fort Adjt.

Masulipatam
28 March /58.

To Cml Gr. 76 / 7 [illegible] 28/53

To,

Captain F. Crewe

Fort Adjutant and Staff Officer in Charge of
Military Buildings at Masulipatam.-

The humble representation of Megada Veranah
Maistry your Servant.-

Honored Sir,

With due respect and Submission Petitioner most respectfully begs leave to represent, that he Served as English Conicopoly from 1808 on the late Superintending Engineers Establishment in the Fort & executed Some repairs & New Works &ca. at Ellore. Rajahmundry. and Samulcotta &ca. but the Superintending Engineers Department having been abolished in 1838 Petitioners Setuation was discontinued that Mr. J. H. Bell the then Superintending Engineer Northern Division promised to provide him with a Setuation after Speaking to the chief Engineer at Madras.-

The repairs of Public Military Buildings having been transfurred to the Fort Adjutant Captain Mitchell the then Fort Adjutant found that Petitioner and his son Lutchmiah can prepare Plans & Estimates &ca. and employed him and his son Lutchmiah to carry on the repairs &ca. Petitioner Continued in the employment upto this time attending the Office regularly and thereby maintained their numerous family.-

But the repairs of Public Military Buildings having Now been transfurred to the civil Engineer.-

Your Petitioner now prays that your honor after perusing the

Testimonials &c. Granted him by Several Gentlemen will be pleased to recommend Petitioner and his son to Captain O. W. S. Chamber civil Engineer Kristna District to provide them with situations in his Department..

For which act of kindness your Petitioner as in duty Bound shall ever pray..

Masulipatam
29 December 1857

Megada Veeranah
Maistry

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for public Works - he is
a very sensible person
& completely understands
all kinds of Bricklayer
& Carpenters Work -

G. Foster - Bt Major
1st Asst in Charge of
Public Buildings

Masulipatam
16 Jan 55

No. 2

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To, The Chief Engineer
in the Depart. of Public Works.
Fort St. George.

Sir,

to be returned.

1 Petition.
12 Testimonials.
21 Hookooms.

In forwarding documents* as per Margin, I have the honor to bring to your notice, the unfortunate circumstances in which Meegada Veeranah Maistry is now placed owing to the transfer of the Public Buildings at this Station to the charge of the Department of which you are the Chief.

2 The Petitioner has been employed in various ways in the execution of Public Works commencing so far back as 1808 and from the various testimonials he produces has apparently always given Satisfaction. He is now completely thrown out of employment, and I consequently beg to bring him to your notice in the hope that you may either be able to find him some employment or else to submit the case to Government, with a view to his being granted some small Pension.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
M Munro Brigadier
Commanding Masulipatam

Masulipatam:
4th January, 1858.

From Distt. Engr. Kistna Div.
Masulipatam 21st Jany/58
No. 6778

To Govt. No. 7670 Nov. 26/59

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No. 12066

1/3530/58

In letter of 21st Jany/58
Brigadier Commanding
Masulipatam

Brings to notice the Services of Maistry Meegada Veeranah and begs that he may be provided with an Employment or recommended to Government for a Small Pension

With 2 Packets of papers

Masulipatam 4th January 1858
Recd 11 Do

C.A.C.

No. 6778.

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Encls. out

1 L. & 2 Packets of Enc. to be returned.

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Resolved to forward, in original, the foregoing letter from the Brigadier Comdg. Masulipatam, and the whole of its enclosures, to the District Engr. in Charge of the Kistnah Division, with a request that he will, if possible, find employment for Meegada Maistry, formerly of the establishment attached to Military Buildings at Masulipatam, or failing to be able to do so, that he will ~~report~~ state the case & and favor the Chief Engineer with his opinion of the fitness of the Maistry for the Pension sought.

Copy also to Offg. Engr. Madras

G.A.C. Captn.
18th Jany/58
Ag. Supt. Engr. N.C.

21 Jany/58

No. 6778
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To
The Dist. Eng. [illegible]
& Copy to
O[illegible] Masulipatam
Dated 27
Despd 21 } Jany/58.

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Forwards documents with a request that an employment may be found for Meeg ada [illegible] formerly attached to the [illegible] at Masulipatam

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No I

Memo

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Mugada Veeranah Coniecopoly Employed in the Superintending Engineers Department at Masulipatam from 1808 to 1820 being 13 years

Do. ———— Do. ———— Do. – in the Extra Establishment for preparing Valuation Estimates of the Public Builings in the Northern Division at Masulipatam from 1821 to August 1829 being 8 years & 8 months

Do. Bricklayer Maistry — Do. – in the Superintending Engineers Department Northern Division at Masulipatam from September 1829 to 30th September 1838 being 9 years & 1 month

} Payat 14 Rs. per month

Total of years 30 & Months 9

Masulipatam
29th June 1858 }

M. Veeranah
Maistry

20 Gpt No 7670 Novr 26/57

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No. II

Memo.

Megada Veerannah Bricklayer Maistry Employed under the Staff Officer in Charge of Public Buildings at Masulipatam from October 1838 to October 1839 ——— being 1 year & 1 Month

Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from December 1839 to June 1841 being 1 year & 7 Months
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from August 1841 to September 1841 being ——— 2 Months
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from November 1841 to September 1842 being ——— 11 Months
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from November 1842 to February 1843 being ——— 4 Months
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from April 1843 to July 1844 being 1 year & 4 Months
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from September 1844 to September 1849 being 5 years & 1 Month
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from November 1849 to December 1849 being ——— 2 Months
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from April 1850 to August 1850 being ——— 5 Months
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from December 1850 to June 1851 – being ——— 7 Months
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from 23rd July 1851 to 13th Septr. 1851 being ——— 1 Month & 22 days
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from 14th February 1852 to 15th March 1852 being ——— 1 Month
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from April 1852 ——— being ——— 1 Month
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from 5th May 1852 to 19th August 1852 being ——— 3 Months & 15 days
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from 6th October 1852 to 22nd November 1853 being 1 year 1 Month & 17 days
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from 31st January 1854 to 30th November 1854 being ——— 10 Month & 1 day
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from 5th January 1855 to 30th May 1856 being 1 year 4 Months & 26 days
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from 8th September 1856 to 3rd January 1857 being ——— 3 Months & 26 days
Do. ——— Do. ——— Do. — from 16th May 1857 to 8th July 1857 being ——— 1 Month & 24 days

Total of years 16 and days 10

M Veerannah
Maistry

Masulipatam
29th June 1858

To Govt No 767 a Nav 26/67

Veeranah

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Vizianagram
9th Octr 1837

Bell

No 152

To,
The Chief Engineer
in the D.P. Works,
Madras.

Sir,

With regard to your Resolution No 6778 of the 21st Ultimo, I do myself the honor of reporting for your information that the Maistry alluded to is 75 years of age, and therefore no longer qualified for the active duties of his calling.

2. The documents noted in the margin are herewith returned.

1 Letter
1 Petition
2 Packets of testimonials & Hookums.

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

Bezorah
8th February 1858.

Rb. Chambell
Ag. District Engr. West Dn.

Pr. to O/C. Masulipatam
19 Feby/58 No. 7489.
To Govt. No 7670 Novr 26/59

No. 13530 1

From
The Ag. Dist. Engineer
Kist. Do.
To The Chief Engineer
D.P.W.
Dated 8th } February
Recd. 13 do } 1858.

Ed.

Reporting that Maistry M. Veeranah is 75 years of age and therefore no longer qualified for the Active duties of his calling. Returning enclosures which accompanied Chief Engr's Resolution No 6778 of the 21st January 1858. –

C.A.O.

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No. 7489

Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer in the Department of Public Works.

Under date the 19th February 1858.

Read the following letter from the Ag. Dist. Eng. Kistnah Do.

Hd. No. 152 d/ 8th Feby/58

Resolved to forward a copy of the foregoing letter from the Ag. Dist. Engineer Kistnah Do. No 152 of the 8th Inst. to the Offg. Comg. Masulipatam with reference to his letter No 2 of the 4th Jany/58 and to request him to inform the Chief Engr of the date on which Maistry Meegada Veeranah was permanently employed on the Establt in charge of Mily Buildings in Masulipatam and the amount of his monthly salary, during the time he was so engaged.

Exd.
18 Feb

C.A.O. Captn.

18 Feb/58

Ag Supt Engr N. C.

From Brigadier Commanding
Masulipatam d/12th July/58-
No 3726-
To Govt No 7670 Novr 26/59

13530
No 7489

To
The Offr Commg
Masulipatam
Dated 19 } Feby/58.
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Enquires of the date
on which Maistry M.
Veeranah was permanently
employed on the Establt
in charge of Mily Bgs in
Masulipatam & the amt
of his monthly salary
during that time

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No. 359

To,
The Chief Engineer
in the Department of Public Works
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Proceedings of your Department No 7489 dated 19th Feby last I have the honor to forward a Statement No I of the Services of Maistry Megada Veeranah prepared by himself, and which is believed to be correct, but as there are no records at this Station to verify the same, it will therefore be necessary to have it compared with those of your Office if any, to ascertain the correctness of the periods stated of his permanent employment, and the amount of Salary drawn during that time —

2 I beg also to forward Statement No II shewing the different periods he was employed as a Maistry on daily pay under the several Staff Officers who were in charge of the Military Buildings at this Station.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant,
A W Lawrence Brigadier
Commanding Masulipatam

Masulipatam:
12th July 1858-

Pro. to Off Masulipatam
27th July /58 No. 2248.
To Govt No. 7670 Nov 26/57

No. 3726

No. 359

Brigadier Commanding
Masulipatam

Forwards 2 Statements of
Service of Maistry Meegada
Veeranah with reference to the
Extract from the Proceedings of
the Chief Engineer in the Depart-
ment of Public Works No. 7489
dated 19th February 1858 –

In Do. 27th July /58

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Masulipatam 12th July 1858 –
Recd 17 Do.

W.P.

Ed 17/7/58

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Read the following letter
from the Off Commanding
Masulipatam

H.E. No. 359 of 12 July /58

Resolved with reference
to the foregoing letter
No. 359 of the 12 Instant
to request the Off Comg
Masulipatam ~~will~~ to be
so good as to transmit
to the Central Office a
superannuation Pension
Return and other
particulars required
by the Pension Rules
for Maistry M. Veeranah,
who is reported by the
Div Eng of the K. Da
to be no longer [illegible]
qualified for active
employment in
consequence of old Age.

W.H. Captn
26 Jul /58
Ag Supdt Engr N.C.

27th July 1858

From Offg Comm Masulipatam
Sept/59 To 9797
To Govt No 7670 Nov 26/59

3726
No 2248.

Central Office of Pub: Works
Proceedings

To
The Officer Commanding
Masulipatam

Dated 27 July 1858.-
Dsp 527. (2)

Requests to submit a Superannuation Pension Return & all other particulars reqd by the Pension Rules for Maistry M. Veeranah, who is reported to be unfit for further Service.-

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Examination of Meegadah Veerannah, son
of Paupiah, of the Jungum caste, croſs mar
religion, aged above 74 years, by profes
-sion a Maistry and an inhabitant
of the Fort of Masulipatam

I shall give my deposition in Telloog

I was entertained as a Conicopoly i
the Department of the Superintending
Engineer for the Northern Division on
the 1st January 1808, and served in tha
capacity to the end of August 1829.

After that I served in the same
Department as Bricklayer Maistry from
1st September 1829, to the end of Septembe
1838- in both those capacities I receiv
ed a salary of 14 Rupees per month. af
that, the Office of Engineer having bee
abolished and the Public Buildings
placed in charge of the Fort Adjutant,
I was under him as Maistry from
October 1838 to July 1857- during that
time, I received pay at 13-15-& 20
Rupees

Rupees per mensem, during the interval I was without employment for about one year and half - the works of the Department having been transferred to the Engineers in the year 1857, I was left without employment, and have never been employed from that time.

I have heard this deposition read over to me; it is correct.

(Signed) Meegoda Veeramah

Solemnly affirmed before me in open Court this 10th day of September 1859

(Signed) J. I. Minchin
Ag Civil & Session Judge

(True Translation)

James Innes Minchin
Ag Civil & Session Judge

To Govt No 7620 Nov 26/59

True translation
L. L. D'Saram
Ks.

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Solemnly affirmed before me in Open Court this 10th day of September 1859

Correction

J Mirkin

Civil & Session Judge

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To

The Officer Commanding
Masulipatam

No 357

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To

The Chief Engineer
Department Public Works
Fort Saint George

Sir

With reference to the Extract from your Proceedings No 2248 dated 27th July 1858, I have the honor to forward a Superannuation Pension Return for Maistry Veeranah accompanied by an Affidavit of his services taken by the Acting Civil and Session Judge at this station.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
C. V. Hughes Colonel
Commanding Masulipatam

Masulipatam
30th September 1857

Regd No 7670 Dated 6/57

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L. D. Pearse
Esqr

To O C Mas: No 6268 dte 18/59
To Govt No 7670 Nov 26/59

No 357

Officer Commanding
Masulipatam

Forwards a Superannuation Pension Return for Maistry Veeranah accompanied by an Affidavit of his services –

J. H. B.
7.10.59

Masulipatam 30th Septr 1859.
Recd 6 Oct:

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No 6268

To

The Officer Commanding
Masulipatam

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter, No 357, d/ 30 Septr/59 with its accompaniments, I have the honor to state that it is indispensable that the documents forwarded by you should be accompanied by the "usual Medical Certificate by a European Officer in the Service of Govt", which is only dispensed with when application for Pension is made on the ground of "good service – i.e. 35 years uninterrupted service." – & it is observed that the party on whose behalf the application is preferred has not served for that period. –

(Signed) J. H. Bell Lt Col
Chief Engineer

Sectn 23 para 224. Clause 3 – (a) – of Pension Rules
J. H. B.
16.10.59

18 Oct/59

From the Offg Commander
Masulipatam d/12 Novr /59
No. 12477

To Govt No. 7670 Novr 26/59

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No 6268.

To

Offr Commg Masulipatam

Dated 18 Oct /59
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Requests to be furnished with a Medical Certificate of Maistry Veeranah's incapacity for further employment

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This is to certify that Meegadah Veeranah, Government Maistry at present employed in the Dist Adjutants' Department is old & worn out & unfit for further duty. —

W. Hunter M.D.
Garrison Surgeon.

Masulipatam
11th November
1859.

No. 618

To, The Chief Engineer
in the Department of Public Works
Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 6268 of the 18th Ultimo, I have the honor to forward a Medical Certificate for Maistry Meegada Veeranah, in support of his claim to a Pension.

I have, the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant,
C: V. Skyles Colonel.
Commanding Masulipatam.

Masulipatam.
12th November
1859.

To Genl No 7670 Nov 26/59

Infy. No 7670 Nov 26/59

No 1347

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Officer Commanding

Masulipatam

Forwards a Medical Certificate for Maistry Meegada Veeranah in support of his Claim to Pension

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D. J. J. 26. Novr/59

Masulipatam 12th Novr 1859
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Register of an application for a Superannuation Pension from the Establishment of the Late Superintending Engineer Northern Division preferred under the rules passed by Government under date 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 Applicants 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 Employed and under what Circumstance	Date of Application to Government	Average salary or authorized Official allowances per mensem for the 5 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 of Pensioner wishes to draw his pension	Orders of Government
			Feet	Inches	Years	Months	Days		Province	Pergunnah	Village		Years	Months										
Megadah Veeranah Fathers name Megada Paupiah	2	Short and emaciated — a black wart on the left jaw	5	3/4	74	4	2	Seevamathum Jungum Cast	Fort of Masulipatam	"	"	None	30	9	Continuous from 1st January 1808 to 30th September 1838	Unemployed since 1838, but occasionally was employed under the several Staff Officers in Charge of the Public Buildings at Masulipatam as Maistry to superintend the execution of Public Works.	X To be filled in	14 Rupees upto 30th September 1838	None	Being old and worn out	X To be filled in	(7) Seven Rupees	Masulipatam.	

Masulipatam
29th August 1859

J. V. Hughes Colonel
Commanding Masulipatam

To Govt No 7676 Nov 26/57

Ind No 57/[illegible]

Register of an application
for a Superannuation Pension
from the Establishment of the
late Superintending Engineer
Northern Division preferred
under the rules passed by
Government under date 15th
May 1851 –

No. 7670

Central Office of P. W.
Fort Saint George
26th November 1859

From The Chief Engineer

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Pensions

Enclo: 18.

1 Lettr. from Offr. Commg. Masulapatam d/14th January/58 No. 2 with 7 Packets of Papers
1 Lettr. to Distt. Engr. Kistna d/21st January/58 No. 6778
1 Lettr. from Distt. Engr. Kistna d/8th Febry./58 No. 152 with 1 Enc.
1 Lettr. to Offr. Commg. d/19th Febry./58 No. 7489
1 Lettr. from Do. - d/12th July/58 No. 359 with 2 Encs.
1 Lettr. to Do. - d/27th July/58 No. 2248
1 Lettr. from Do. - d/30th July/59 No. 357 with 3 Encs.
1 Lettr. to Do. d/18th Octr./59 No. 6268
1 Lettr. from Do. - d/12th Novbr./59 No. 618 with 1 Enc.

Sir

On the 4th January 1858 the Officer Commanding Masulipatam brought to notice that in Consequence of the transfer of the Public Works at that station to the Charge of the Engineer Department, a M. Verana maistry, who was employed since the year 1808 in various ways in the execution of Public Works, was thrown out of employment. He represented the hardship which was thus entailed on that individual and recommended either his re-employment or the grant of a small Pension in Consideration of his past Services. The District Engineer Kistnah Division was accordingly requested to find employment for him, but that Officer reported, that being 75 years old he

was no longer qualified for active duty.
It became necessary, therefore, to call
for the usual Register of Application
for Pension and the prescribed medical
Certificate, which I do myself the honor
to forward herewith, together with an
affidavit of his services, taken by the
Acting Civil and Session Judge at
Masulipatam, from which it will
be observed that Verana has served
the Government continuously for a
period of 30 years 9 Months.-

2 Under the foregoing Circumstances
I beg that the Government will be pleased
to sanction the grant of a Superannua=
=tion Pension of Rupees 7 per mensem to
the above individual.-

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obt. Servant
J H Bell Lieutt. Coll.
Chief Engineer

Major
Dy: Chief Engr. N.C.

Ex. Gray

Separate Pub 1859 Departt.

No. 571

From

The Chief Engineer D. P. W.

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt.

Dated 26th } Novebr. /59
Recd. 28th }

No. 7670

Recommending for Pension M. Verana Maistry who was thrown out of employment by the transfer of the P. W. at Masulipatam to the Engineer Department.

A. D. W. 107

With an order

Referred to the Military Auditor General for the usual verification.

Fort Saint George, }
29th Novr. 1859. } Depy. Secy. to Government

with 15 Enclosures

To the Military Auditor General dd 29/11/59.

Receiving 30th Novr. /59

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MEMORANDUM.

etter from the Chief
Engineer to the Chief
Secretary to Govern-
ment dated 26th Nov 1859
No 7670, with 15 Enclosures

The Military Auditor General has the honor to return the papers, as per margin, which were forwarded for Verification on the 29th November last and to state that the Abstracts of the Paymaster Masulipatam have been carefully examined, and that the name of M. Veerana Maisty in the Engineers Department at Masulipatam appears therein as described in the annexed Memorandum.

G. G. Smith Lieut Col.

Military Auditor General.

Fort St. George, }
24th Jany 1860. }

To

The Dy Secretary to Government,

Public Department.

MEMORANDUM of the services of M. Veerana Maistry in the Engineer's Deptt: at Masulipatam

	Period of services Verified by the records of the Military Auditor General's Office.			Period of Services claimed but which Cannot be verified by the records of the Military Aud. Genl. Office		
	Years.	M.	D.	Years.	M.	D.
As Conicopoly from 1st October 1807 to 31st January 1821 at Rs. 14 per Month	13	4	"	"	"	"
From 1st February to 30th June 1821 name does not appear	"	"	"	"	5	"
Extra Establishment from 1st July 1821 to 31st March 1822 at Rs. 14 per Month	"	9	"	"	"	"
As do from 1st April to 31st October 1822. name does not appear	"	"	"	"	7	"
As Carpenter Maistry in the Permanent Establishment from 1st November 1822 to 31st August 1823 at Rs. 14 per Month	"	10	"	"	"	"
From 1st September 1823 to 20th April 1825 name does not appear	"	"	"	1	8	"
1 Bricklayer Maistry in the Extra Establishment from 1st May to 17th August 1825 at Rs. 14 per Month	"	3	17	"	"	"
As do from 18th August 1825 to 31st July 1829 name does not appear	"	"	"	3	11	14
1 Bricklayer Maistry in the Permanent Establishment from 1st August 1829 to 30th September 1838 at Rs. 14 per Month	9	2	"	"	"	"
From 1st October 1838 to 3d July 1857 name does not appear	"	"	"	18	9	3
Total period of Service	24	4	17	25	4	17

Lieut Coll
Military Aud. Genl

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Pro: of the Madras Govt.
Read the following

From the Chief Engineer } dated 26th March 1859

From the Military Auditor General } dated 24th Jany 1860

Order thereon dated 30 Jany 1860 No. 43.

1. The Applicant in the present case, named Viranna, has not held a permanent post since 1837, and has not been in public employ at all since 1857. The Govt. observe that, under the rules the grant of pension to persons after they have finally quitted the service, is expressly prohibited, & that,

Last application for pension for him was made in Jany 1858. see letter of Brigadier dated Jany 21/58. He has been constantly trying either for employment or pension ever since he left the [illegible] office — W.H.A.

Separate
Public 1860 Departt
No. 49

From
The Military Audr General

Dated 24th } January 1860
Recd. 26th }

Reporting on the Service of Veeranah Maistry on the Establishment of the Civil Engineer at Masulipatam.

S. C. W. 107/60

as no special grounds
are put forward in
the case, they cannot
do otherwise than
disallow the claim.

2. Application will
be made for a gratuity
equal to 6 months
pay.

L. G.

Petit claims 30 years Service & gives affidavit
to that effect (Civ. Cod. Man. III. p 141.) of
this 24 years are verified by the Mil.
Aud. Genl.

To
The Chief Engineer P. W. Dept. 30/1/60.

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the Services as [illegible]
his affidavit commencing in 1821 -
We have on his sep. separate service
from the M A G's report which
shows that there have been served
breaks in it - & that part of it
was on the estab^t as a [illegible]

There are breaks constantly with no explanation whatever, but
he has 20 yrs. 8 m. service in Permanent Estab. by the Mil. Aud. Genl's
report - 22 - 4 altogether -

W. H. C.

Vide Pros: 27th March 1860
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Dated 30 Jany 1860.

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