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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 97

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Fort St. George 4th April 1850.

This is to certify that John Scott has filled the Situation of Draughtsman of this Office during the whole period of 5 Years that I have been Superintending Engineer of the Presidency Division and I strongly recommend him to the kind notice of my Successor - I consider Mr Scott to be a most excellent Public Servant. He is highly intelligent, faultless in conduct, and ever ready to make himself generally useful.

W. M. D. S. S. S.
W. M. D. S. S. S.
J. P. D. S. S. S.

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Civil Architects Office 6th May 1888

On my retirement from this Department
I feel it my official duty to record the satisfactory manner in which Mr. J. Scott Head Draughtsman of this Department has performed his duties. He is a very superior Draughtsman, well ground in the knowledge of Architecture and designing Buildings &c.
He is a steady, zealous and trustworthy man and highly deserving of further promotion and I have much pleasure in recording the great satisfaction he has given during the period of 8 years which he has been under my orders.

W. H. Atkinson
Lt Colonel C. A.

Colonel H. W. Hitchins
District Engineer, Presidency

Sir,

I beg most respectfully to bring to your notice that as I am beginning to feel the infirmities consequent to old age fast coming on me, I find I cannot any longer hold my situation in the office, and in resigning it to avail myself of the boon which Government are so liberally granting their superannuated servants.

I was entertained as a draughtsman apprentice in the Superintending Engineer's Office in 1819 by Major De Havilland and from that time up to the present my services to Government make in all 42 years. Altho' I can produce no testimonials except the three enclosed, consecutively to bear out the period of my services I am confident when the fact of my having from grade to grade come up to the head draughtsman's post in the Department will be a sufficient proof that I had merited the approval of my employers. I have no doubt that you too who have been at the head of this Office for these three years past can testify to this my statement.

Under these circumstances I beg you will be kindly pleased to recommend my case to the kind consideration of Government and obtain for me a pension by which I may be enabled to support myself for the remainder of my days.

I beg to remain
Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant
John Scott.

Recd Jan 17 1820
Presidency District
Engineer's Office
18th January 1820

Mr. John Scott, Draughtsman
in the District Engineer's Office, Resi-
dency, having applied to me for a
Certificate on which to ground an
application to Government for Pension.

I do hereby certify that I
have carefully examined this indivi-
dual and find that he is suffering
from general debility and "Catarrh"
in both eyes, which render him per-
fectly unqualified for any further
effective service, and I do declare
that in my opinion, there is no reasonable
expectation of improvement from
relaxation from duty, or from Medical
treatment, and to the best of my belief
this disqualification has not been oc-
casioned by intemperance or any
other irregular habits.

Madras }
11th January 1862. } William D.S.
Surgeon Major, 2^d District

Recd
7th Jan
1862

June 40.

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Register of an application for Superannuation Pension from the Establishment of the Presidency District Engineer's Department prepared 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 applicant person		Size.		Age of Applicant at the time of application.		where residing		Total period of service		Applicant's Service continuous or not.	How long unemployed and under what circumstances.	Date of application to Government.	Average salary or authorized official allowances for pension for the period preceding the date of application.	Salary or authorized official allowance for pension at the time of application.	Abstract of the grounds of application.	Remarks by the Head of Office.	Proposed amount of Pension for pension and date from which to commence	Treasury at which the party if pensioned wishes to draw his pension.	Orders of Government.					
Feet	Inches.	Years.	Months.	Days.	Religion, Cast or tribe.	Province	Pargannah.	Village.	Present employment.	Years.	Months.																
Mr John Scott. son of Mr Roberts Scott.		9	Bald Head and a mole on the right brow.		5.	7.	56.	"	15.	Protestant. East Indian.	"	"	"	St John.	Head Qr of Coman.	42.	2 1/2	"	Continued.	"	20 th January 1862.	90. " " 90. " "	General Debility and Cataract in both eyes.	Unfit for further active service.	Rs. A. P. 145-0-0 To com. mence from the 31 st Jan ^y 1862.	Madras.	

Presy Dist Engr's Office
Madras.
20th January 1862

I do hereby certify that from enquiries and personal appearance the age of the applicant herein named appears to the best of my judgment to be correct.

J. J. F. Kealy
M^r. Manager

J. W. H. S. Lieut. Col.
District Engineer Presy.

Enclosure in letter
to the Chief Secretary to
Government dated 20th
January 1862.

Extract of Official Register of the undermentioned Subordinate attached to the Presidency District Engineer's Department
Mr. John Scott. Age when first entertained 13. Years 10. Months.

Establishment	Date	Appointment	Salary	Period of Service in each appointment		
				Years	Months	Days
1	2.	3.	4.	5.		
Superintg. Engrs. Depart. Presy. Dur.	16 th Novr 1819.	Apprentice	19. 4. "	8.	6.	15.
D.	1 st June 1828.	Draftsman	21. " "	4.	6.	"
D.	1 st Decr 1832.	D.	25. " "	2.	1.	"
D.	1 st Jan'y 1835.	D.	45. " "	3.	2.	"
D.	1 st March 1838.	D.	50. " "	2.	"	"
D.	1 st March 1840.	D.	55. " "	16.	6.	9.
D.	10 th Sept. 1856.	H. D.	90. " "	"	"	"
For the year 1859.						
Civil Architects Depart.	"	D.	90. " "	3.	3.	21.
For the year 1860.						
Presy. Dist. Engrs. Depart.	"	D.	90. " "	1.	"	"
For the year 1861.						
D.	"	D.	90. " "	1.	"	"
For the year 1862.						
Total period of service from 16 th Novr 1819 to 30 th Jan'y 1862.				42.	2.	15.

Presy. Dist. Engrs. Office
Madras.
20th January 1862.

Remarks regarding promotions, severe and formal reprimands and all special commendations or marks of approbation.

A public servant of rare worth and abilities as a Draftsman, not to be surpassed, I should say in Southern India. He was trained under Colonel De Haviland to whom he served his Apprenticeship and has been ever since in this office. He is getting old now & is deserving of every consideration.

Signed H. W. Mitchins. Captain
Civil Architect, Presy.

Mr. Scott is anxious for his pension & few men will have so well earned it. He has only a short time to entitle him to half his salary and I am now looking out for a fitting successor which it is difficult to find for the salary.

Signed H. W. Mitchins Captain
Dist. Engineer Presy.

I have only to repeat what I have previously recorded for the years 1859 and 1860. in Mr. Scott's favor.

Signed H. W. Mitchins Lieut. Col.
Dist. Engineer Presy.

True Extract
H. W. Mitchins Lieut. Col.
Dist. Engineer Presy.

From The District Engineer
Presidency.

To The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

Sir

I have the honor to forward
an application from Mr. John Scott Head
Draughtsman of this Office for a
Superannuation pension accompanied by
the required Medical Certificate and
Register.

2. The applicant has been
employed in the late Superintending
Engineers, Civil Architects, and the
present Presidency District Engineer's
Departments for a period of 42 Years
during which time he has conducted himself
to the entire satisfaction of his employers
as will be seen from the accompanying
creditable testimonials, and being able
myself to bear testimony to his good conduct
whilst under me up to this date I would
beg to recommend him as an individual
well deserving the liberality of Government.

Mr.

Mr. Scott was entertained
as a bound draughtsman apprentice for 7 years
in the late Superintending Engineer's Office
in 1819. by Major De Havilland including
which his services are in all 42 years, and
his present pay being 90 Rupees I beg earnestly
yet respectfully to recommend that a pension
equal to half of his pay or Rupees 45-
per mensem may be granted to him from
the 31st Instant.

4 His duties have required considerable
talent & knowledge of building and the peculiar
nature of them during such a long period
of 42⁺ years may have in a great measure
led to his present, if not premature, debility
and defective vision. —

* Continuous
service

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedt. Servt.

Wm. A. Smith

District Engineer Pres^{no}

Pres^{no} Dist Engr's Office
Madras
20th January 1862.

CIVIL PAY MASTER'S OFFICE:

General Department.

FORT SAINT GEORGE 7th February 1862.

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REPORT OF THE CIVIL PAY MASTER

on Government Order of the 21st January — 1862.

The Civil Pay Master has the honor to report that the authorized official allowance drawn by
Mr. John Scott — late Head Draughtsman on
the Establishment of the Pres^y District Eng^y's Office has been for the last 5 years
of his service, Rs. 40 — 0 — 0 per mensem, and that his service, qualifying for pension, extends
over a continuous period of 5 years 9 months and 11 days; Viz.

From 1st May 1856 to 31st January 1862.

His service prior to May 1856 was in the Military
Department, and cannot be verified from the Records
of this Office —

He is entitled to a salary of *Rs. 40-0-0*
per mensem.
Civil Pay Master.

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

Civil Pension Department.

C. S. G.

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7th Feb

From 1856 to 1862
Mr. John Scott
Head Draughtsman
on the Establishment of the Pres^y District Eng^y's Office
Rs. 40-0-0 per mensem
over a continuous period of 5 years 9 months and 11 days
From 1st May 1856 to 31st January 1862.

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Head Draughtsman
on the Establishment of the Pres^y District Eng^y's Office
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over a continuous period of 5 years 9 months and 11 days
From 1st May 1856 to 31st January 1862.

Referred to the Civil Auditor for the usual verification.

Fort Saint George,

21st January 1862

To The Civil Auditor.

Referred to the Military Auditor General for the usual verification.

Fort Saint George,

10th February 1862

To

The Military Auditor General.

Controller of M^{il}. Finance. Dec 10/2

MEMORANDUM.

*Letter from the District Engineer
transmitted to the
Chief Secretary
to Government
dated 20 January
1862.*

The Controller of Military Finance has the honor to return the papers, as per margin, which were forwarded for Verification on the 10th February 1862 and to state that the Abstracts of the *Presidency District Engineer* have been carefully examined, and that the name of *Mr. John Scott Head Draughtsman in the Presidency District Engineer's Office* appears therein as described in the annexed Memorandum.

Office of Contr. Mily. Finance }
Fort St. George, }
19th March 1862.

Lieut.-Col.,

Controller of Military Finance,

To
Deputy.
The Secretary to Government,
Public Department

London 1862 Department.

From
H. B.
The Civil Pay Master

To
The Chief Secretary to Government.

Dated 7th February 1862
Received 10th February 1862

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Verifies the service of *Mr. John Scott*
late *Head Draughtsman* on the
Establishment of *Presidency District Engineer*
and reports that he is entitled to a
of _____ salary.

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MEMORANDUM of the services of *M^r. John Scott Head Draughtsman*
in the District Engineers Office at Madras.

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	Period of services verified by the records of the Controller of Military Finance Office.		
	Years.	M.	D.
<i>As Writer from 16th November 1819 to 31st May 1825 at</i> <i>Rupies 19-11-0 per Month</i>	8	6	15
<i>As 2^d Draughtsman from 1st June 1825 to 30th November</i> <i>1832 at Rupies 21-0-0 per Month</i>	4	6	"
<i>As do from 1st December 1832 to 31st March 1833 at</i> <i>Rupies 25-0-0 per Month</i>	"	4	"
<i>As do from 1st April 1833 to 31st December 1834</i> <i>No Acquittance Rell</i>	1	9	"
<i>As 1st Draughtsman from 1st January 1835 to</i> <i>28th February 1838 at Rs 45-0-0 per Month</i>	3	2	"
<i>As do from 1st March 1838 to 28th February 1840</i> <i>at Rupies 50-0-0 per Month</i>	2	"	"
<i>As do from 1st March 1840 to 30th April 1856 at</i> <i>Rupies 55-0-0 per Month</i>	16	2	"
<i>Total period of Service</i>	36	5	15

John Scott Head Lieut. Col.
Controller of Military Finance.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

No. 91

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Dated 25th March 1862

Read the following Papers :

From
The District Engineer Presidency
Forwarding Application
for Pension on behalf of Mr.
John Scott Head Draughts

/ Here enter 20th January 1862

Report of the Civil Paymaster — 7th February —
Report of the Controller of Military — 19th March —
Finance

Resolved that a Superannuation Pension of

Rupees 45. Forty five Rupees
mensem be granted to Mr John Scott.
and that a Certificate* be issued
making the same payable from the 31st January

Age.	Period of Service.	Average Salary for the last five years of Service.	Abstract of the Grounds of application.
Ys. Ms. Ds.	Ys. Ms. Ds.	Rs. A. P.	
56-11-15	42-2-15	90-0-0	Cataract in both eyes.

* No. 2748

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1862 Department
From
The Conty of the Ordnance
To the Dy. Secy to Govt
Public Works
Dated 19th March 1862
Recd 21st
Enclosure
Verified the services of
John Scott Head & was
Draughtsman in the
Office of the Presidency
District Engineer.

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1862, the date from which he ceased to be employed.

A. S. Milledr
A. S. Secretary to Government.

[Signature]

To { *Mr. District Engineer Presidency - Des. 26/3 with Orig^l & copy Certificate*
The Civil Auditor Paymaster - Des. 26/3 with copy Certificate

207 Rel. 28-3-62
[Signature]
O.C.P.

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SEPARATE

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of Government.

Dated 25th March 1862

up to 31 January

Granting a Supranumation Pension

of Rupees 45-0-0 per Annum

to Mr. John Smith, M.A. (Superannuation)

on the Establishment of the District

Superannuation

No. of Certificate. 2748

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