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To the Chief Secretary to the Govt of India Civil Department Fort William

Enclosure A.

Original

Statement of the Services of Augustus Meneaud 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman ending 31st August 1855

(Signed) A. S. Waugh
Lieutenant Colonel
Surveyor General of India

Dated Surveyor General's Field Office Dehra Dhoon 12th April 1859.

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Statement of the Services of Augustus Menaud Sub. Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman Surveyor Generals Department. Ending 31st August 1855

Age when first entertained 16 years.

Establishment	Date.	Appointment	Salary.		Period of Service in each Appointment. Years.	Months.	Days.	Remarks regarding punishments, severe and formal rebukes, and all special commendations or marks of approbation.
1	2	3	4		5			6
Establishment of the Surveyor General of India Madras Presidency	17th August 1823	Apprenticed to Government Madras Residency from 17th August 1823 to 17th August 1828	Rs 21	As "	5	"	"	Served in the Establishment of the Surveyor General of India Madras Presidency, as Apprentice and 3rd Class Sub Assistant Surveyor from 17th August 1823 to the date of the abolition of the Deputy Surveyor Generals office on the 1st September 1833, and was re-admitted in the Surveyor Generals Department, as 3rd Class Sub: Assistant Surveyor, without prejudice to former Seniority at the Special recommendation of Colonel G. Everest, late Surveyor General of India submitting a Memorial from Mr. Menaud dated 9th August 1830. No 71 dated Dhera Dhoon 2nd November 1830. to the Secretary to the Government of India Military Department and the Resolution of the Governor General of India in Council sanctioning the appointment was communicated to the Surveyor General in letter from the Assistant Secretary to Government Military Department dated Council Chamber Fort William 3rd February 1840.
	18th August 1828	Sub. Asst. Surveyor 3rd Class from 18th August 1828 to 1st September 1833 Including Lascar Allowance. *	* 132	6	5	"	13	
	1st June 1840	Sub. Asst Surveyor 3rd Class from 1st June 1840 to 31st May 1846 Including Lascar Allowance. *	* 132	6	6	"	"	
	1st June 1846	Sub. Asst Surveyor 2nd Class from 1st June 1846 to 31st May 1849 Including Lascar Allowance. *	* 162	8	3	"	"	
A	1st June 1849	Sub Asst Surveyor 1st Class from 1st June 1849 to 31st December 1853 Including Lascar Allowance. *	* 202	10	4	7	"	Has been very favorably reported upon as to his uniformly exemplary good conduct and the zeal and ability with which he performed his duties while Serving on the Surveys of the Southern Districts, and on the Malaprary and Coimbatore Survey in the Official letters and reports of Captains J. Buckle Colony Engineers, and other Superintending Officers of Surveys under whom he Served, and is also favorably reported upon in the Official communications of the Surveyor General and Deputy Surveyor General of India, when he was transferred at his own request from the Surveyor Generals Residency Office Calcutta to the Chief Engineers Office S. F. F. Madras.
Presidency Office of the Surveyor General of India Calcutta	1st January 1854	Compiler and Draftsman in the Office of the Surveyor General at Calcutta from 1st January 1854 to 31st August 1855	130	"	1	8	"	
Total period of Service in the Surveyor Generals Department ending 31st August 1855					25	3	13	

Surveyor Generals Field Office.
Dhera Dhoon 12th April 1856

R. Scott Waugh Lt Colonel
Surveyor General of India

Calcutta 14th May. 1855.

To,

Lieutenant Colonel C. E. Faber
Chief Engineer D. P. W.
in charge late Deputy Surveyor General's Office
Madras

Sir,

1. I beg leave, (with the kind permission of my Superiors,) most respectfully to submit for your benevolent consideration, the following circumstances, in support of my anxious wish to return to the Presidency of Fort Saint George, to serve as a transferred additional Draftsman in the Office under your orders, and I humbly trust, a reference to my immediate Superior, Captain H. L. Thuillier, Deputy Surveyor General, in charge Surveyor General's Office Calcutta, will plead in my behalf, as to my conduct, and attention to my duties.

2. I was apprenticed to the Government of Madras, as a Surveyor and Draftsman, in the Department of the Surveyor General of India, and up to the conclusion of the Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey in 1853, had served as a Topographical Surveyor, in the succeeding grades of 3rd, 2nd, and 1st Class, for a period of more than 23 years, when, in consequence of ill health, being no longer able to perform the active duties of a Field Surveyor, I petitioned to be pensioned, but as the period of my service did not extend to 30 years, I was entitled to only one third of my Salary, and in consequence, the Surveyor General of India most kindly recommended my case to Government, and I

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was appointed to the situation I now hold on 130 Rupees per. Mensem, from the 1st January 1854.— I beg to add, that during my Service as a Surveyor, I was employed first, on the Surveys of the Province of Malabar, and the District of Madura, under the late Major W. S. Ward; subsequently on the Survey of the Salem District, under Captain J. Campbell, late Assistant Surveyor General, and on the completion of that Survey, I was placed under the orders of Captain J. Ouchterlony, Engineers, late Superintendent of the Neilgherry, and Coimbatore Survey, from the year 1845. to 1853.— I beg to append extracts from copies of letters, that Captain Ouchterlony was pleased to record in my favor, during a period of 9. years that I had the happiness to serve under that Gentleman.

3. Owing to a distressing chronic head-ache which has afflicted my Wife for several years past, without any hope of relief, and which prevents the possibility of her removal from Madras, I parted from my Family in April last year, to join the Surveyor General's Office at Calcutta.

4. I am unable to meet the expences of two Establish=ments; for the support of my Family at Madras, and that of myself in Calcutta. I have five young children, whose future welfare requires my being present with them, and my Solicitude to rejoin my Family upon this account is very great; I therefore beg to express a hope that you will be pleased to give my respectful prayer your Paternal Support, by recommending to Government, that I may be transferred, as an additional Draftsman to your Office, and I trust to make myself useful, both in the

the execution of Topographical Maps in the Office of the late Deputy Surveyor General under your orders, and also in any branch of the Drawing Department which you may be pleased to employ me upon, as far as my humble Knowledge will enable me to perform.

5. Should you be pleased to permit me to serve under your orders, you will confer upon an humble and obedient individual in the service, the happiness and benefit of being enabled to return to his Family, and I beg to assure you, that I shall ever make it my pride, and my duty, by attention and perseverance in the performance of my duties, to continue to deserve the support and kindness that I have always experienced from my Honorable Masters, during a period of 25 years service.

I beg to remain &c.

(signed) Augustus Meneaud

1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman

Surveyor General's Department Topographical Branch.

Extracts from copies of correspondence &c. connected with the Services of Augustus Meneaud 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor, and Draftsman, Surveyor General's Department. Topographical Branch.

Survey Office Ootacamund Neilgherries 4th July 1845.

To,

Lieutenant Colonel A. S. Waugh
Surveyor General of India
Field Office, Dehra Dhoon

Sir,

I

1. I have the honor to forward herewith, copy of a letter addressed to me by 3rd Class Sub Assistant Surveyor A. Meneaud attached to this Survey, upon the subject of his promotion.

2. His case has been so fully entered into by Mr. Sub Assistant Surveyor C. R. Mac Mahon, in a letter addressed to you, under date the 12th July 1844. that it is unnecessary for me to enter into any further detail regarding it, and I will therefore confine myself to a strong recommendation in his favor, based upon his conduct since the time of his joining my Department here.

3. This, it gives me great pleasure to state has been uniformly exemplary, while at the same time, the ability which he has displayed, in the execution of such field, and Draftsman's work as I have given him to do, enables me to state, that he is fully equal to the discharge of any of the duties, which the Subordinates of a Survey are called upon to undertake.

4. I have invariably found Mr. Meneaud a most Zealous and willing person, and consider him a very useful addition to the Department placed under my orders on these Hills.

5. Under these circumstances, I trust you will be pleased to recommend him for promotion, to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, with such date for his entrance into the next higher grade, as the fact of his having now served more than 2. years beyond the regulated period, as referred to, in Mr. Mac Mahon's letter of the 12th July 1844 may seem to authorize.

I have the honor &c.

(Signed) J. Auchterlony Engineers

Survey Office Kotergherry Neilgherries 15th June 1846.

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To,

Lieutenant Colonel A. S. Waugh
Surveyor General of India
Field Office Dehra Dhoon

Sir,

1. I have to request your reference to my letter of the 4th July 1845 recommending Mr. A. Meneaud Sub assistant Surveyor for promotion.

2. During the Field season of this year Mr. Meneaud's conduct has been exemplary, and his attention to his duty, and exertions to perform all that has been allotted to him, great. The field work which he has produced, is inferior both in style of execution and quantity, to none completed this season, by any of the subordinates attached to this Survey (always excepting the Senior, Mr. C. R. Mac Mahon, whose superior merits, I have already had the honor to bring to your notice) and I have no hesitation in saying, that I consider him fully as efficient for the general duties of a Survey, as either Mr. Summers, or Mr. Claudius.

3. Both these two Assistants are in the 1st Class, receiving Rupees 204 per: Mensem, while Mr. Meneaud still remains in the 3rd Class, and receives only Rupees 134.

I have the honor &c.

(Signed) J. Auchterlony Captain
Superintendent Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey

Note. Sub Assistant Surveyor A. Meneaud was promoted from 3rd to 2nd Class Sub Assistant, from 1st June 1846.

To, Survey Office Kotergherry Neilgherries, 20th June 1849.

Lieutenant Colonel A. S. Waugh.
Surveyor General of India
Field Office Dehra Dhoon

Sir,

Sir,

1. Soliciting your reference to your letter No 89 of 7th September 1849. I have the honor to bring to your notice, that Sub Assistant Surveyor, Mr. A. Meneaud, completed on the 1st of the current Month, a period of Service of 3 years in the 2nd Class, and as the conduct of Mr. Meneaud, has, during that time, and indeed since he first joined my Department, been most praiseworthy and exemplary, I trust you will deem it fit to recommend his promotion to the Senior grade.

2 A Statement of Mr. Meneaud's Services is Submitted herewith.

I have the honor &c

(Signed) J. Auchterlony Captain

Superintendent Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey

Note. Sub Assistant Surveyor A. Meneaud was promoted from 2nd to 1st Class Sub Assistant, from 1st June 1849.

Extract from Survey Report.

Survey Office, Ootacamund, Neilgherries. 20th February 1853.

To,

Lieutenant Colonel A. S. Waugh
Surveyor General of India
Field Office Dehra Dhoon

Sir,

Para 4. I regret to have to bring to your notice, that the breaking up of this Survey, will deprive the Department of the really valuable services of 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor Mr. A. Meneaud, who unable from decay of constitution, to undertake the journey to Cuttack, now begs to be permitted to retire from the Service, having received from the Senior Medical Officer of this Station, an ample certificate of incapacity. Being empowered by your Sanction, to keep Mr. Meneaud employed on Office duties exclusively, myself, and the other Assistants would, (had the Survey been continued) have been enabled to keep the field much longer than would otherwise been ventured on, Satisfied that the Mapping could not have fallen into arrears, and thus I could have rendered available to the Department the services of this useful Surveyor, which will now be irremediably lost; Mr. Meneaud's papers, accompanied by my own willing testimony, as to his exemplary conduct, and his most Zealous and faithful discharge of his duties, will be forwarded in due course.

I have the honor &c

(Signed) J. Auchterlony Captain

Superintendent Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey

Extract from Final Report on the Neilgherry Survey.

Survey Office Ootacamund Neilgherries 9th May 1853.

To,

Lieutenant Colonel A. S. Waugh
Surveyor General of India
Field Office Dehra Dhoon

Sir.

Para 2. I have so frequently enlarged on the merits of Mr. Meneaud, that I should not now venture to trouble you with a repitition of my Sentiments, but, that by again recording them here, I may save the time of your Establishment in avoiding the necessity for reference to past correspondance

3. I therefore beg permission most earnestly to recommend his case for the favorable consideration of Government, on the grounds of his invariably excellent conduct, during the period in which he has been attached to the Department under my charge, and of the debilitated condition into which his health has fallen, in consequence of a Severe injury received on duty, and of the premature old age which has come upon him. Although often suffering Severe bodily pain from these causes, I have rarely found Mr. Meneaud absent from his duty, and his fidelity, undeviating correctness of behaviour, strict attention to orders, and Zeal in their execution, entitle him to the warmest support which I can venture to give to his prayer for a Pension.

I have the honor &c.a

(Signed) J. Auchterlony Captain

Superintendent Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey.

Ootacamund Neilgherries 30th August 1853

To,

Captain J. Auchterlony

Civil Engineer 5th Division

late Superintendent Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey

Sir,

1. I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, together with the dispatch No. 62. of 4th July 1853, from the Surveyor General of India, which you were kindly pleased to permit me to peruse, and with reference to Para 2. I beg most respectfully, and in humble obedience to the generous and kind wishes of the Surveyor General, to submit, that notwithstanding the State of my health, incapacitates me from executing the active field duties of a Surveyor, I am most willing to perform the duties of a Draftsman in the Surveyor General's Office at Calcutta, and to exert my last best endeavours to perform my duties to the best of my knowledge to merit the approbation and good will of my Superiors.—

I will not presume to take up your valuable time further, than respectfully to beg, that in addition to so much kindness I have experienced from you, that you will be pleased to recommend me to the favorable notice of the Surveyor General, and I beg to add, that I cannot sufficiently express my gratitude and thankfulness for the Paternal kindness of the Surveyor General towards me, which I will always make it my duty and pride to deserve, by unceasingly persevereing in the same course of respectful obedience to orders, and strict attention to my duties, which for so many years I had the happiness to maintain, while serving under your orders.

I beg leave to remain &c.a

(Signed) A. Meneaud

Sub Assistant Surveyor 1st Class

Civil Engineer's Office 5th Division Cuddalore 8th September 1853

To

Lieutenant Colonel A. S. Waugh.

Surveyor General of India

Field Office Dehra Dhoon

Sir,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 62. of 4th July last, and to forward the accompanying letter from Sub Assistant Surveyor 1st Class Mr. A. Meneaud written

written in reply to a communication addressed to him by me, in which I strongly recommended him to take advantage of the opening you had so kindly tendered to him, and it affords me much pleasure to find, that he appreciates your good will and accepts the offer of service as a Draftsman.

2 I feel satisfied both yourself, and the Surveyor General will have every reason to be satisfied with the arrangement, as in addition to his merits, as a most Zealous, attentive, and well conducted Subordinate, all Men and boats of qualifications as a Draftsman, of no ordinary stamp.

I have the honor &c.

(Signed) J: Buckleterlony Captain
Civil Engineer 5th Division

Cotamarmund Neilgherries 1st January 1854

To,

Captain H: L: Thuillier
Deputy Surveyor General
Calcutta

Sir,

1. I beg leave with the greatest respect to inform you, that I have this day received the orders of the Surveyor General of India (through Captain J: Buckleterlony Civil Engineer 5th Division, and late Superintendent Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey, respecting my appointment and transfer as a Draftsman in your Office at Calcutta, and considering myself under your immediate orders, I beg to take the liberty of soliciting that it may be your pleasure to permit me to arrange and settle my affairs &c. at this Station, and to commence my journey to Madras via Bangalore on the 6th Proximo.

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2. Circumstances which I cannot avoid, inducing me to leave my Wife and Children at Madras, and to proceed alone to Calcutta, I beg to beseech of you to grant me the indulgence of four weeks leave at Madras, from the date of my arrival there, in order that I may be enabled to make arrangements for the provision of my Family before parting from them. I beg to express a hope that you will be pleased to view this my humble request with your benevolent consideration, and most respectfully begging to be favor'd with a reply.

I beg leave to remain &c.

(Signed) A: Menecaud
Surveyor and Draftsman
Surveyor General's Department

Surveyor General's Presidency Office Calcutta 23rd July 1855.

No. 188

To,

Lieutenant Colonel A: S: Waugh
Surveyor General of India
Field Office Dehra Dhoon

Sir,

1. In forwarding the annexed copy of a letter No. 147. of the 10th current from Lieutenant Colonel C: E: Faber, Chief Engineer Madras, and correspondence connected therewith, in Original, I have to beg the favor of your instructions regarding Mr. A: Menecaud's transfer from your Presidency Office, to that of the Chief Engineer at Madras.

2. I beg to recommend Mr. Menecaud's application to your favorable notice; he is a most deserving Public Servant.

Servant, but it will be necessary to supply his place in the Office, for the loss of a Compiler would be much felt in our Drawing Department, especially as great difficulty is experienced in procuring properly qualified young Men to learn compilers work, as already sanctioned by Government.

I have the honor &c.

(Signed) H: L: Thuillier Captain
Deputy Surveyor General
in charge Surveyor General's Presidency Office.

Surveyor General's Presidency Office Calcutta 1st August 1855.

No 267.

To

Lieutenant Colonel C: E: Faber.
Chief Engineer D. P. W.
Madras.

Sir

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt, by return Steamer, of your letter No: 147 dated the 10th Ultimo, with its enclosures, requesting me to direct Mr A: Meneaud Draftsman of this Office, to proceed forthwith to Madras, with a view to his employment in your Office, on copies of the Survey of the Neilgherry Hills.

2. In reply I beg to state, that Mr Meneaud being employed on the establishment of the Surveyor General of India, of whose Office, I, as a Deputy have only charge, it had been my duty to refer the correspondence to the Head of the Department, whose Head Quarters are at Dehra Dhoon, and to seek his orders for the transfer of one of his Draftsmen, before I could authorize such a step.

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3. It affords me much pleasure, to testify as I do most cordially, of Mr Meneaud's conduct and qualifications during the time he has been employed in this Office, as an old and trustworthy Surveyor, and Servant of the Government, he is entitled to every consideration and indulgence, and I have no doubt Colonel Waugh will readily accord his sanction to the removal of the Assistant, to Madras, since it is for his own convenience and benefit, and on receiving the commands of the Surveyor General, I assure you no time will be lost in complying with your request.

I have the honor &c.

(Signed) H: L: Thuillier Captain
Deputy Surveyor General
in charge Surveyor General's Presidency Office

Surveyor General's Field Office Dehra Dhoon 8th August 1855.

No: 42

To,

Captain H: L: Thuillier
Deputy Surveyor General
in charge Surveyor General's Presidency Office
Calcutta

Sir,

1. In acknowledgement of your letter No 188 of 23rd Ultimo, I have the honor to state, that as I always entertained a favorable opinion of Mr Meneaud's long and meritorious services, as a Topographical Surveyor, I recommended his transfer from the Neilgherry

Nilgherry Survey, to the Drawing branch of my Presidency Office where I am glad to learn he has conducted himself to your entire satisfaction. As Calcutta does not appear to suit Mr. Menecaud, on account of the seperation it involves from his Family, he obtained permission to apply to the Chief Engineer Fort Saint George for employment. That functionary has accordingly moved the Madras Government, and obtained the necessary authority for Mr. Menecaud's entertainment.

2. Having every reason to think well with yourself of Mr. Menecaud, I have no objections whatever to your request in his behalf, and accordingly authorize your carrying out the arrangement of his transfer.

I have the honor &c.
(Signed) A. S. Waugh Lt. Colonel
Surveyor General of India.

Surveyor General's Presidency Office Calcutta. 22nd August 1855.

To,

Lieutenant Colonel C. E. Faber
Chief Engineer D. P. W.
Fort Saint George

Sir,

1. In continuation of my letter No. 267. of 1st instant, I have the honor now to forward for your information, copy of a letter (No. 42. dated 8th August 1855) from the Surveyor General of India, authorising me to carry out the arrangement of the transfer of Mr. A. Menecaud Draftsman to your Office. Mr. Menecaud will accordingly leave Calcutta for Madras by the Steamer of the 8th Proximo, and I have much pleasure in soliciting your attention to the favorable opinion held by Colonel Waugh of the long and meritorious Services of this Assistant as a Topographical Surveyor, the precise nature of which will be found detailed in the accompanying Statement.

I have the honor &c.
(Signed) H. L. Thuillier Captain
Deputy Surveyor General
in charge Surveyor General's Presidency Office

(true copies from extracts of Correspondence &c.)

Augustus Menecaud
Head Draftsman
Government Litho: Press Department. D. P. W.
late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman
Surveyor General's Department Topographical Branch.

This certifies, that Mr A. Meneaud, formerly 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor on the Neilgherry Survey under Captain Buchterlony, was latterly employed as a Compiler and Draftsman in the Office of the Surveyor General of India at Calcutta, for a period of one year and eight Months, from January 1854 to the end of August 1855. During the time he served under my Superintendence I found him exemplary in his conduct, willing and diligent in the discharge of his duties. I trust his assiduity to his profession, will secure him fitting promotion from his Superiors.

(Signed) J. Graham
Assist Surveyor and Chief Draftsman
Surveyor General's Presidency Office

Surveyor General's Office
Calcutta 4th September 1855

(a true copy) Augustus Meneaud.
Head Draftsman
Government Litho: Press Department D.P.W.
late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman
Surveyor General's Department Topographical Branch

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To the Chief Secretary to Govt. Military Dept
Fort William
No 1378 Pay Bundles 9 Jany 12

Enclosure B.*
Copy of
Contracts from copied of correspondence &c connected with the Services and conduct of Augustus Meneaud late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman Surveyor General's Department

Copy of Statement 1852

* With Statement of Services marked C ending 31st August 1855. Dated Surveyor Generals Presidency Office Calcutta 1st September 1855 annexed.

Ind. Off. Rec. Dept.

To the Chief Secy to Govt Punjab
Civil Pay Master 6 June/62 No 1370

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Enclosure **D.**

Copy of
Certificate granted to
Augustus Meneaud
Compiler and Draftsman
by the late Mr. J. Graham
Chief Draftsman
Surveyor General's
Presidency Office
Dated Calcutta
4th September. 1855.

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Copy of

Extract from the Records of the Surveyor General's Presidency Office Calcutta.

Statement of the Services of Augustus Meneaud 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman, in the Surveyor General's Department, ending 31st August 1855

Name	Age Years	Age Months	Description and period of previous Service	Date and description of present employment	Total period of Service ending 31st August 1855. Yrs.	Mos.	Days.	Married or unmarried	Total present Salary R	A	P	Remarks.
Meneaud	48	1	As Apprentice and Sub Assistant Surveyor in the successive grades of 3rd 2nd and 1st Class for a period of 23 Years 7 Months and 13 Days ending 31st December 1853	Draftsman in the Surveyor General's Presidency Office Calcutta from 1st January 1854	25	3	13	Married	130	"	"	Was Apprenticed as Topographical Surveyor to the Government of Fort Saint George, in the Department of the Surveyor General of India, and was employed on the Surveys of the Province of Malabar, the Districts of Madura, and Salem, and on the Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey. Was appointed to do duty as Draftsman in consequence of the termination of the Nulgherry and Coimbatore Survey, at the recommendation of the Surveyor General of India, in his Presidency Office Calcutta, with the Sanction of the Supreme Government, from the 1st January 1854. Transferred as Draftsman at his own request to the late Deputy Surveyor General's Department in charge of the Chief Engineer at Madras, from the 1st September 1855. with the Sanction of the Surveyor General of India and of Government of Madras.

(a true extract. Signed) H: L: Thuillier Captain
Deputy Surveyor General of India
in charge Surveyor General's Presidency Office

Surveyor General's Presidency Office
Calcutta 1st September 1855

(a true copy) Augustus Meneaud
Head Draftsman
Government Litho: Press Department L.P.W.
late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman
Surveyor General's Department Topographical Branch

Encl/No 2 to No 4.

I have much pleasure in certifying to the assiduity, steadiness and zeal with which Mr. A. Meneaud has invariably performed his duties during 1½ year that I have been in the Central Office D. P. W.

Mr. Meneaud has on two occasions acted as the Superintendent and Manager of the Lithographic Press, and I have always understood that he gave complete satisfaction.

Madras
10th March 1862

H. W. Rawlins. Major,
Asst. to the Chief Engineer.

To The Principal Secretary to the Govt. of India
Civil Pay Branch
Fort William

Enclosure C.
Copy of
Statement of the services of
Augustus Meneaud
late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor
and Draftsman
ending 31st August 1855.
Dated Surveyor General's
Presidency Office Calcutta
the 1st September 1855.

From Brevet Major H. W. Rawlins
Captain No. 6 Sappers
Deputy Surveyor General
to Lieutenant Colonel C. Faber
Chief Engineer D. P. W.
Dated Surveyor General's
Presidency Office Calcutta
22nd August 1855.

Enc. Last letter in enclosure B
Fort William

Government Lithographic Press Department.
Chief Engineer's Office, Madras 25th March, 1862.

I have much pleasure in certifying that W. F. Menecaud Head Draftsman, has served under my immediate superintendance from February 1857 to the present time. His attendance during the whole of the above period has been most regular, and his attention to his duties most praiseworthy, while his conduct throughout has been uniformly exemplary.

On two several occasions he conducted my duties very creditably, during my absence on Privilege and Sick leave, and I gladly avail myself of the favorable opportunity thus afforded me of respectfully recommending his claims to the kind and liberal consideration of the Chief Engineer.

J. Dunphy Superintendant and Manager
Litho: Press Department, D. P. W.

To the Chief Engineer & Secretary to Govt. Civil Pay Branches of June 1862

Enclosure F.

Certificate granted by Major H. W. Rawlins Assistant to the Chief Engineer D. P. W. to Augustus Menecaud Head Draftsman Litho: Press Department D. P. W. late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman Establishment of the Surveyor General of India dated Madras 10th March 1862

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To the Chief Secr. to Govt. Mad.
thro Civil Pay Master 6 June/62
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Certificate granted by
Mr. J. Dumphy
Superintendent and Manager.
Litho: Press Depart. D. P. W.
to Augustus Meneaud
Head Draftsman
Litho: Press Depart. D. P. W.
late 1st Class Sub. Assistant
Surveyor and Draftsman
Establishment of the
Surveyor General of India
dated Madras 24th March 1862.

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Jul/62 No 644.

Statement of the Services of Augustus Meneaud, late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman. Surveyor General's Department Topographical Branch (Service under the Government of Bengal) ending 31st August 1855.
Compiler and Draftsman in the late Deputy Surveyor General's Establishment, and subsequently in the Lithographic Press Department of the Chief Engineers Office D.P.W. (Service under the Government of Madras.)
from 1st September 1855 to 30th April 1862

Establishment	Date	Appointment	Salary	Period of Service in each Appointment			Remarks regarding punishments severe and formal, reprimands, and all special commendations or marks of approbation.
				Years	Months	Days	
1	2	3	4	5			6
Period of Service as Surveyor and Draftsman in the Surveyor General's Establishment, ending 31st August 1855. as per: copy of Statement of Services (enclosure marked A. in Memorial) dated Surveyor General's Field Office Dehra Dhoon 12th April 1850			Rs				
			"	25	3	13	
Establishment of the late Deputy Surveyor General in charge of the Chief Engineer D.P.W Madras.	1st September 1855	Compiler and Draftsman from 1st September 1855. to 7th February 1857.	130	1	5	7	Copy of Remarks inserted by Colonel C. E. Faber, late Chief Engineers D.P.W. in the Departmental Book of the Services of the Employé in the Lithographic Press Department Chief Engineers Office Madras. Dated 13th April 1859.
Government Litho Press Department Chief Engineers Office D.P.W. Madras.	8th February 1857	Compiler and 3rd Draftsman Litho: Press Department Chief Engineers Office D.P.W. from 8th February 1857. to 30th April 1860.	130	3	2	21	"I was induced to apply to the Surveyor General of India for Mr. Meneaud's Services in the Deputy Surveyor General's Office Madras, and since September 1855, I have constantly been in contact with this skilled and experienced Draftsman, and can only briefly say, that his expertness, assiduity, and exemplary conduct, leave me with nothing to desire." (Signed) C. E. Faber. Colonel Chief Engineer D.P.W.
	1st May 1860	Compiler and 2nd Draftsman from 1st May 1860. to 31st July 1860	150	"	3	"	
	1st August 1860	Acting Head Draftsman from 1st August 1860 to 31st January 1861.	170	"	6	"	
	1st February 1861.	Head Draftsman from 1st February 1861 to 30th April 1862	160	1	3	"	
Total period of Service ending 30th April 1862				31	11	11	

(a true Statement)

Augustus Meneaud
Head Draftsman
Government Litho: Press Department. D.P.W.

Govt. Litho: Press Depart. D.P.W.
Madras 1st May 1862

late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman
Surveyor General's Department Topographical Branch

To the Chief Engineer's Office
Civil Pay Abstract for June 1370

Enclosure E.

Statement of the Services of
Augustus Menaud
Head Draftsman
Litho. Prest. Depart. D. P. W.
late 1st Class Sub-Assistant
Surveyor and Draftsman
Surveyor General's Department
Topographical Branch
ending 30th April 1862

Dated Litho. Prest. Depart.
D. P. W. Madras
1st May 1862

Recd 2nd May 1862
File No 21
(File No see Cir.)

Memo

The undersigned begs to submit the accompanying Memorial and Enclosures from Mr. Menaud, for the kind consideration of the Chief Engineer—

He begs very strongly to recommend Mr. Menaud as a most deserving Servant of Government—Mr. Menaud petitions to be permitted to retire on Pension in consequence of seriously impaired vision and debilitated state of health, which disqualifies him for the performance of his duties—He has served for 25 years as a Surveyor, and for above six years as a Compiler and Draftsman—

Chepauk
10 May 62

J. D. Umphly.
Supt. Lith. Dept.
C.O. of Public Works.

To the Chief Secretary to Govt thro the Civil Pay Masters 6 June/62 No 370

Memo

from Drawsby.
Supt. Litho Estt
C.O. of Public Works.

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Madras 10th May 1862.

To,

Colonel W. H. Horsley
Chief Engineer D. P. W.
Madras

The humble Memorial of
Augustus Meneaud
Head Draftsman
Government Lithographic Press Department D. P. W.
late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman
Surveyor General's Department Topographical Branch

Most respectfully showeth

1. That your Memorialist having served as a Surveyor and Draftsman, in the Department of the Surveyor General of India, and such service belonging as it did to the Government of Bengal, he begs permission most respectfully to submit a few statements connected with the two periods embracing his service, namely from 17th August 1823, to 1st September 1833, being 10 years and 13 days, and from 1st June 1840, to 31st August 1855 being 15 years and 3 Months, showing a total period of 25 years 3 Months, and 13 days, as specified in the enclosed copy of Statement of Service marked A, which he received from the

the Surveyor General of India in April 1859.

2. Your Memorialist was permitted at his own request, with the consent of the Surveyor General (and under unavoidable circumstances, as detailed in the annexed copies of extracts of correspondence marked B) while serving in the Surveyor General's Presidency Office at Calcutta, to proceed and place himself under the orders of Colonel C: C: Taber late Chief Engineer of the Madras Presidency, which transfer was sanctioned by the Government of Madras from the 1st September 1855, and in which position your Memorialist has continued to serve, he being now Head Draftsman of the Lithographic Press Department D. P. W. on a Salary of 160 Rupees per: Mensem.

3. Your Memorialist at the time of the abo=-litim of the late Deputy Surveyor General's Department at Madras, was employed in that Office, having been called down from the Survey party to which he belonged, to assist in the compilation and drawing of Maps then under execu=-tion, and he was in consequence of the discontinuance of that Department as a permanent Establishment, thrown out of employ without any gratuity being allowed to him, he having been personally assured by Captain D. Montgomerie, the late Deputy Surveyor General, that, the 10 years service he had rendered up to the time of the abolition of his Department, would be added to such period of service as your Memorialist might be entitled to at any future time when readmitted in the Department of the Surveyor General of India.

4. Your Memorialist begs to state that, for the past 3. years his health had been constantly declining from nervous weakness and debility, brought on by frequent attacks of Jungle fever which he contracted while in the execution

execution of his duties in the field as a Topographical Surveyor, and his Eye sight which has been on the decline from the year 1851 has latterly become much worse, without any hope of relief or improvement, and from these causes, your Memorialist feeling unable to execute his duties with the same degree of efficiency, and to render the same satisfaction to his Kind Superiors; your Memorialist most humbly prays that he may be permitted to retire from service, and he earnstly and respectfully solicits that, it may be the gracious pleasure of His Excellency The Honorable The Governor in Council (through your kind support and recommendation, of the conduct and merits of your Memorialist) to bestow on your Memorialist the grant of a Special good service Pension of 125 Rupees per: Mensem, for his past laborious services in the field of Survey, in which he had attained the rank of a First Class Surveyor in the Department of the Surveyor General of India, and in consideration of his having also attained to the first position of Head Draftsman in the Government Litho=-graphic Press Department under your orders.

5. Your Memorialist being sensible that, Government have reserved to themselves the prerogative of bestowing upon those of their Servants, who may have made themselves deserving of reward and special consideration, for meritorious services and exemplary good conduct, the grant of Special good service Pensions, irrespective of the Pension Regulations, with the sanction of the Government of India, and confirmation of the Right Honorable The Secretary of State for India, and as moreover he has suffered severely in his health from dangerous attacks of Jungle fever, con=-tracted while out on Survey duty, in the Forest hill ranges of Wynad, in the District of Malabar between Manantoddy, and the western frontiers of the Mysore and Coorg Territories, and along the bases of the unhealthy Forest regions forming the Ghauts leading up to

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the Neilgherry and Koondah Mountains — from which causes he has been brought to his present premature Old age, and debilitated state of health together with dificiency of sight — Your Memorial= =ist under the above circumstances, has in deep anxiety, and strong hopes of deserving the Charitable consideration of his Honorable Masters, ventured to ask for the amount of 125 Rupees to be fixed as his Pension, bestowed by a Paternal Government (upon a faithful and deserving Servant) ever prepared to reward the humblest Individual in the Service who may be deserving of special consideration.

6. Your Memorialist further begs prayerfully to solicit that, as the 25 years service detailed in the Statement (Enclosure marked A) from the Surveyor General of India, properly belongs to the Government of Bengal, it may be the pleasure of His Excellency The Honorable The Governor in Council to recommend and forward this humble Memorial and Enclosures for the generous and benevolent consideration of The Right Honorable The Governor General of India in Council, and your Memorialist feels a happy conviction and assurance, that his respectful prayer will be considered favorably, and that the boon he so imploringly asks for, will be granted.—

7. Your Memorialist begs very submissively to insert the following sentiments of approbation expressed in his behalf, by the late Superintendent of the Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey, in an Official communication Paras 2. and 3. from that Officer to the Surveyor General of India, dated Survey Office Ootacamund Neilgherries 9th May 1853.

Para 2. "I have so frequently enlarged on the merits"
"of Mr. Meneaud, that I should not now venture to trouble"
"you with a repitition of my sentiments, but that by again recording
"them here, I may save the time of your Establishment, in avoiding the
"necessity for reference to past correspondence."

Para 3. "I therefore beg permission most earnestly to recommen
"his case for the favorable consideration of Government on the ground o
"his invariably excellent conduct during the period in which he has been
"attached to the Department under my charge, and of the debilitated
"condition into which his health has fallen in consequence of a severe
"injury received on duty, and of the premature Old age which has come
"upon him. Although often suffering severe bodily pain from
"these causes, I have rarely found Mr Meneaud absent from his
"duty, and his fidelity, undeviating correctness of behaviour, strict
"attention to orders, and Zeal in their execution, entitle him to the
"warmest support which I can venture to give to his Prayer
"for a Pension (Signed) J. Buchterlony Captain, Superintendent Neil
"gherry and Coimbatore Survey."

8. Your Memorialist begs to enclose and submit for the consideration of Government, copies of documents &c. marked from **A.** to **H.** connected with his Services, and he avails himself of this opportunity to further pray that it may be the gracious pleasure of His Excellency The Honorable The Governor in Council, to grant to an Old and faithful Servant the indulgence of a favor, by passing an order that, your Memorialist may be (pending the decision of Government upon the question of the special good Service Pension Solicited by him) permitted to continue in his present Situa= =tion of Head Draftsman in the Lithographic Press Department D. P. W., and that the date of his retirement from Service on Pension be fixed from the 1st of the Month, succeeding that in which the final orders of Government may be received in the Office of the Chief Engineer D. P. W.

In

9. In conclusion, your Memorialist as a most humble Individual in the Service of Government, leaves his case in the hands of His Excellency The Honorable The Governor in Council, and in the hands of The Right Honorable The Governor General of India in Council, in the full hope and assurance that his submissive prayer will be granted, upon the consideration that, during the whole period of service rendered by him, he always diligently persevered to deserve the approbation and good will of all the Superiors under whom he had served, by constantly striving to execute all his duties in strict obedience to orders, both in the field of Survey, and at Head Quarters, with Zeal and attention.

And your Memorialist as in duty bound, shall ever pray.

Augustus Meneaud
Head Draftsman
Government Lithographic Press Department D. P. W.
late 1st Class Sub Assistant Surveyor and Draftsman
Surveyor General's Department Topographical Branch.

To J. Paul Esqre. 24 May/62
2963.
The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Through the Civil Auditor
26 June 1862 No 371.

Memorial from
Augustus Meneaud
Head Draftsman
Government Lithographic Press
Department D.P.W. late 1st
Class Sub Assistant Surveyor
and Draftsman. Establishment
of the Surveyor General of India
No. D.P.W. 3782/62

Colonel W. H. Horsley
Chief Engineer D.P.W.
Cross No 502 dt 1862.
Dated Madras 30th May 1862
Received 12 — June
9 Encs

Enclosures 8 marked from A to H.

Prays that a special good Service Pension of 125 Rupees per Mensem be bestowed on him on the ground of his having attained to the Rank of a 1st Class Surveyor and Draftsman, in the Surveyor General's Department, and of Fwd 5/62 No 624 Head Draftsman in the Litho: Press Department D.P.W; and Solicits that it may be the pleasure of His Excellency The Honorable The Governor in Council to recommend and forward his Memorial and enclosures for the Consideration of The Right Honorable The Governor General of India in Council.

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Enclosure in a letter from the
Chief Engineer D. P. W.
the Acting Chief Secretary
to Government through the
Civil Paymaster Fort St George
dated 6th June 1862 No 376

Recd 10th June 1862
No 3252

Register of an Application
for Superannuation Pension
from the Establishment of the
Chief Engineer's Office prepared
under the Rules passed by Govern-
ment under date 15th May 1857

Filed herewith.

Register of an Application for Superannuation Pension from the Establishment of the *Chief Engineer's Office* prepared under the Rules passed by Government under date 15th May 1851. 49

Name of the Person by whom the Pension is applied for, with name of his Father.	No. on the Establishment.	Identification of Applicant's person.	Size. Feet.	Size. Inches.	Age of Applicant at the time of application. Years.	Months.	Days.	Religion, Caste, or Tribe.	Where residing. Province.	Pergannah.	Village.	Present Employment.	Total period of Service. Years.	Months.	Applicant's service continuous or not.	How long unemployed, and under what circumstances.	Date of Application to Government.	Average salary or authorized official allowance 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 and date from which to commence.	Treasury at which the party if pensioned wishes to draw his pension.	Orders of Government.
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Central Office of Public Works
Chepauk 6th June 1862

Lt. Col. Menezes Lieut. Colonel
Chief Engineer P. W. D.

N°278

Report of the Civil Paymaster.

Service of Applicant as certified by Civil Paymaster.	Average of salary for the last 5 Years.	Remarks.
Yrs. Ms. Ds.	Rs. A. P.	
32 — 0 — 0	140 - 11 - 10.	From 17th August 1823 to 31st August 1833, and " — 1st June 1840 to 15th May 1862 — For the interval between August 1833 and June 1840 Mr. Meneaud was out of employ consequent upon the abolition of the Department in which he served. — He is eligible to a pension equal to a moiety of his average salary.

Civil Paymaster's Office,
Fort Saint George,
17th June 1862.

To The Chief Secretary to Govt
Civil Pension Dept.

Civil Paymaster.

N° 418 G

~~Order of Government.~~

Fort William
Financial Department
The 16 September 1862

Returned to the Civil Paymaster, Madras with a request that he will be good enough to state on what Authority the period of Mr A. Meneaud's Apprenticeship, from 17th August 1823 to 17th August 1828 has been included by him in the above Report —

Undersecretary to the Govt of India.

Public Works Department
Pay Statement
No 25 & 26

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No. 593. FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

FROM

T. PYCROFT, Esq.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I am directed by the Governor in Council to submit for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, the accompaning copy of a letter from the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, forwarding a Memorial from Mr. Augustus Meneaud, Head Draftsman in the Lithographic Department of the Central Office, praying to be permitted to retire from the Service on a special pension of Rupees 125 per mensem.

Dated 6th June 1862, No. 1,370, (with enclosures).

2. The total period of Mr. Meneaud's service is 32 years, of which more than 25 years are certified as having been passed in the Department of the Surveyor General of India. As regards this portion of his service, very favorable testimony is borne to Mr. Meneaud's "uniformly exemplary good conduct, and the zeal and "ability with which he performed his duties, while serving on the Surveys of the Southern Dis-"tricts, and on the Neilgherry and Coimbatore Survey." During the latter period of his service or from September 1855, Mr. Meneaud was employed in the Department of the Chief Engineer at this Presidency.

As per Statement furnished by Lieutenant Colonel Waugh, Surveyor General of India, 12th April 1859.

3. In submitting the application, the Chief Engineer strongly recommends that, in consideration of the laborious and trying nature of the duties Mr. Meneaud had to perform for many years in the field when engaged on the Topographical Survey in Malabar, which has resulted in premature old age and debilitated state of health, as also impaired vision, a special pension of Rupees 125 per mensem may be granted to him.

4. As the greater part of Mr. Meneaud's service was under the Surveyor General of India, I am desired to refer his Memorial and the Chief Engineer's recommendation in his behalf for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council.

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

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
11th August 1862.

Chief Secretary.

From Lieutenant Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Chief Engineer, D. P. W.; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, through the Civil Paymaster, Fort Saint George, dated Chepauk, 6th June 1862, No. 1,370.

Pension.

I have the honor to submit for the favorable consideration of Government, the accompanying Memorial from Mr. Augustus Meneaud, Head Draftsman in the Lithographic Department of the Central Office, praying to be permitted to retire from the Service on a special pension of Rupees 125 per mensem, on the grounds that he is suffering from seriously impaired eyesight, which disqualifies him for the performance of his duties in the Department.

Enclosures 12.
1 Memorial with 8 enclosures.
1 Statement signed by Colonel Waugh, dated 12th April 1859.
1 Medical Certificate.
1 Register of application for Pension.

2. Mr. Meneaud commenced his service in the Surveyor General's Department in August 1823, and with the exception of a break of 6 years and 8 months was so employed until the 31st August 1855, when he was transferred to the establishment of the Deputy Surveyor General, then in charge of the Chief Engineer, Madras. In February 1857, this establishment was amalgamated with that of the Lithographic Press attached to the Central Office Public Works, and since then Mr. Meneaud has continued to be employed first as Compiler and Draftsman and latterly as Head Draftsman up to the present time.

3. From the accompanying statement of services furnished by the Surveyor General of India, Mr. Meneaud appears to have been employed on that Officer's establishment for upwards of 25 years, viz :—

Dated 12th April 1859.

Vide Statement, dated 12th April 1859, signed by Colonel Waugh.

			Years.	M.	D.
Establishment of the Surveyor General of India, Madras Presidency.	As an Apprentice,	from 17th August 1823, to the 17th August 1828.....	5	0	0
	Do. Sub-Assistant Revenue Surveyor.	From 18th August 1828, to the 1st September 1833.	5	0	13
	Do. do.	From 1st June 1840, to the 31st December 1853.	7	7	0
Presidency Office of the Surveyor General of India, Calcutta.	As a Compiler and Draftsman.	From 1st January 1854, to the 31st August 1855.....	1	8	0
		Total...	25	3	13

4. To this should be added the period which Mr. Meneaud has since served under the orders of the Chief Engineer, Madras, viz., from 1st September 1855 to 15th May 1862, and the total length of service will then be 31 years, 11¾ months. According to the rules Mr. Meneaud is therefore entitled to one half (Rupees 70-8-8) of his monthly salary, calculated on an average of five* years previous to the date of application for pension; for although, as a rule, the service to entitle an Uncovenanted Servant to the benefit of the Pension Rules is required to be continuous, yet as Mr. Meneaud was thrown out of employ from the 1st September 1833 to the 1st June 1840 by the abolition of his Office, he is, under the orders noted in the margin, permitted to count towards pension the whole period of his service without reference to its being continuous.

* 35¼ months at Rupees 150 per month.
3 ,, at ,, 150 ,,
6 ,, at ,, 170 ,,
15½ ,, at ,, 160 ,,
Average Salary ,, 144-1-5.
Moiety of do. ,, 70-8-8.

Paragraph 113, Chapter III, of the Civil Auditor's Manual.

5. As above stated, the pension which Mr, Meneaud can claim for his length of service is one-half of his monthly salary calculated on an average of the amount drawn during the last five years, Mr. Meneaud, however, prays to be allowed a special pension of Rupees 125, or Rupees 54-7-4 in excess of that to which he is actually entitled to under the Rules, and considering the laborious and trying nature of the duties he had to perform for many years in the field when engaged on the Topographical Survey in Malabar, resulting, as he himself describes it, in "premature old age, and debilitated state of health, together with deficiency of sight," and that he has at all times given the utmost satisfaction to every Officer under whom he has served, I strongly recommend that his application may be acceded to, and that a special pension of Rupees 125 per mensem may be granted to him from the date of the Orders of Government sanctioning the same.

6. The prescribed Medical Certificate and Register of application for pension are herewith forwarded, the period of service entered in the latter has been compiled from the records of this Office.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, dated 6th November 1862, No. 957G.

Read the undermentioned papers relative to an application from the Government of Madras for the grant of a special pension of Rupees 125 per mensem to Mr. Meneaud, Head Draftsman in the Lithographic Department of the Central Office, Department Public Works:—

Endorsement from the Public Works Department, No. 3,352, dated 30th August last, and its accompaniments.

Ditto to the Civil Paymaster, Madras, No. 418 g, dated 16th September 1862.

Memorandum from the Civil Paymaster, No. 471, dated 2nd ultimo.

Resolution.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is of opinion that, under the circumstances, a larger pension cannot be granted to Mr. Meneaud than that prescribed by the Rules, viz., a superannuation pension equal to half of his average monthly salary for the last five years of his service. Such a pension, amounting to Rupees 70-8-0 per mensem, His Excellency in Council is now pleased to sanction.

Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Public Works Department, for information, and for the issue of the necessary orders, and that the documents received from that Department be returned.

Ordered, further, that a copy of the above Resolution, with a copy of Mr. Meneaud's pension register, be sent to the undermentioned Officers, for information and guidance :—

The Auditor General of India.
,, Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, Madras.
,, Civil Paymaster, Madras.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) E. DRUMMOND,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 4,570.

Copy forwarded to the Government of Madras, with reference to its No. 593 of 11th August last, the original enclosures of which are returned.

Fort William,
Public Works Department,
The 25th November 1862.

(Signed) J. G. MEDLEY, Major, R. E.,
Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Order thereon, 13th December 1862, No. 873.

Communicated to the Civil Pension Department in view to the necessary Certificate being issued from that Department, and also to the Public Works Department, in reference to the Chief Engineer's letter, dated 6th June 1862, No. 1,370.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Civil Pension Department.
,, Public Works Department,
(with eleven enclosures returned.)

Exd. T. McMoobry.

Central Office of P. Works.

No 5013

Chelsea 13th January 1863.

Memorandum.

In reply to the Memorandum from the Acting Deputy Secretary to Government No 1 dated 6th January 1863, the Chief Engineer has the honor to request that it may be considered that Mr A. Menemd Head Draftsman Lithographic Department was removed from the Effective Establishment on the 1st January 1863, as he has not attended to his duties since that date.

Colonel R.E.
Chief Engineer D.P.W.

To,
P.P. Hutchins Esqre
Acting Deputy Secretary
to Government - Pension Department.
Fort Saint George.

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(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Civil Pension Department.
" Public Works Department,
(with eleven enclosures returned.)

Exd. T. McMootry.

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Pension 1862 (Depart

No 605

Proceedings of Government
Pens. Dept No 873
dd 13th
Rd 15th December 1862

Communicating the
Sanction of a pension from the
Court of India to Mr Menezes
late Draftsman in the Combat
Office of Ft. St. Madras.

With an Order

Rg

Order thereon 16th January 1863. Rg.

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Ordered that a certificate
be issued accordingly, making
the Pension payable from the
date on which Mr Menezes
ceased to be borne on the
effective Establishment,

Recd 17/1

To the Chief Engineer &c. &c. &c. with Reg Certificate
The Accountant General &c &c &c with Copy &c
The Civil Paymaster &c &c &c with Copy &c
Entd Pen Reg 19 163

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