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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 30 ~~Press~~ Mis.

Dated 3 2 1863

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From
Mr. A. J. Ottmann
Sub Engineer H.O.

To
Major J. C. Anderson
District Engineer H.O.

Sir,

I beg leave to submit this my Application for a Superannuation Pension, and to request that you will be pleased to submit the same for the favorable consideration of Government.—

Enclosed is a list of my Services and Copies of Testimonials+ which I have received from the different Officers under whom I have had the honor to serve.—

+ 6 Testimonials.

From the list of my Services it will be seen that at the Age of 15 years I was bound Apprentice Seven years on the

Inspector

Inspector Generals Establishment from 1st July 1823.- 4 years and 7 Months of which I passed in School and the remainder in the Field, and that my total period of Service inclusive of the time of my Apprenticeship is nearly 39 Years.-

It appears from the Rules x for the Survey Department that a period of Apprenticeship can be allowed to Count as Service after the Age of 18 years so that Counting my Service from that Age it will Amount to nearly 36 years;- for the last 5 years and 7 Months of which I have held the appointment of Sub Engineer 2nd Class on a Salary of 300 Rs per Mensem.-

x Page 25 of the Civil [illegible] Rules

Feeling that my health is getting affected by the laborious nature of my duties, I am anxious to avail myself of the opportunity which my length of service gives me to retire

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on a Pension of half my present Salary without a Medical Certificate and respectfully solicit that you will kindly obtain the boon for me and beg to remain.-

Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant

A. J. D'Hermann
Sub Engr. K. D.

Masulipatam
12th July 1862.

J. Anderson Major
District Engineer K.D.

To Chief Secy to Govt thro the Civil Paymaster [illegible]

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Enclosure in a
letter from the
Dist Engineer K D
to the Depy Chief
Engineer N C D P W
No 36 dated 26th
July 1862.

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2. Name Adolphus Felix Ottmann Age 15 years when first entertained

CIVIL PAYMASTER 7 NO 62

Establishment	Date	Appointment	Salary		Period of Service in each appointment			Remarks
					Years	Months	Days	
Inspector General.	31st July 1821	Apprentice	.	.	4	7	"	
" "	1st March 1828.	Sub Asst Surveyor	30	"	2	5	"	
Tank Department.	1st August 1830.	Asst Surveyor 3rd Class	65	"	6	"	"	
Department Public Works.	1st August 1836.	Do 2d Class	100	"	9	"	"	
	1st August 1845	Revenue Surveyor	140	"	11	5	"	
Do	1st January 1857.	Sub Engineer 2d Class	300	"	5	6	26.	
		Total -			38	11	26.	
	Deduct service of apprenticeship before the attainment of the proper age viz 18 years. disallowed Vide Page 95 of the Civil Absentee rules -				3	"	"	
					35	11	26.	up to 26th July 1862.

(True Extract) [illegible] Engr

Dist Civil Engineer Northern

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To Chief Secy to Govt thro' the Chief Engineer
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Enclosure in a letter
from the District Engineer
Kistna to the Deputy
Chief Engineer N.C.
No. 36 dated 26th
July 1862.

No 36

Kistna District Engineer's
Office, Camp Masulipatam
26th July 1862

From
Major J. C. Anderson R.E.
District Engineer Kistna

To
Lieut. Colonel S. O. E. Ludlow R.E.
Deputy Chief Engineer
N.C.D.W.
Chepauk.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward for the favorable consideration and orders of Government, Mr. Sub Engineer Clemann's application for superannuation pension together with a statement supplying there information required in the prescribed form.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most obedt Servt.
J C Anderson Major R.E.
District Engineer Kistna.

Extract from "Civil Absentee Rules" dated 1849. page 95. Head "Pensions to Revenue Surveyors."

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From the Govt. of India 26th November 1847. No. 2058. Fin. Dep.

2. But most recent instructions received from the Government of India. the view of pensions to Revenue Surveyors is to be regulated in future by the Rules generally applicable to Officers of the uncovenanted service, with the understanding however that a period of Apprenticeship can not be allowed to count as service till after the age of 18 years.

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(True Extract)

J. W. Morrison Major R.E.
District Engineer Kistna.

Dengs Kristnah No. 280
of 16th August /62
To Chief Secy. to Govt. thro' the Civil Paymaster [illegible] for [illegible]

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No. 245

From
The District Engineer
Kistna
To The Depy. Chief Engr.
N. C. D. W.

dated 26th July 1862

Recd. [illegible]

No. 26 Enclosures
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Forwards Mr. Sub [illegible] Ottmann's applica[illegible] for superannuation pension together with the requisite documen[illegible] for the favorable con:sideration & orders of Government.

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Enclosure in a letter
from the Dep'y Engineer
[illegible] to the Dy Chief
Engineer R D & P W D
No 948 / 18 Dec 1862

CIVIL ENGINEERS OFFICE
7 Oct 1862

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I, John Felix Oatmann solemnly swear that the following is a true and correct list of my service in Government employ.—

From 31st July 1828 to 28th February 1838 as an Apprentice in the Inspector General's Office			4	7	
From 1st March 1838 to 31st July 1830 as Sub Asst. Revenue Surveyor	20		3	6	
From 1st August 1830 to 31st July 1836 as Asst. Revenue Surveyor 3rd Class	Appx 65		6		
From 1st August 1836 to 31st July 1845 as Asst. Revenue Surveyor 2nd Class	Appx 100		9		
From 1st August 1845 to 31st December 1856 as Revenue Surveyor	140		11	5	
From 1st January 1857 to 11 October 1862 as Sub Engineer 2nd Class	300		5	9	11
Total Service			29	9	11

J. F. Oatmann
Sub Engr. R. D.

Solemnly affirmed before me at Penuconda this 11th day of October 1862.

V. Venkatachellum
Deputy Magistrate

No 94 Kistna District Engineer's
Office - Bezwarah
18th October 1862.

From
Major J. C. Anderson R.E.
District Engineer Kistna

To
Lieut Colonel S. C. Ludlow R.E.
Deputy Chief Engineer
N C D P W

Sir,

Referring to your Memo No $\frac{\text{Kr 250}}{288}$ dated 16th August last on the subject of an application for pension on the part of Mr Sub Engineer A. F. Ottmann, I have the honor to forward a declaration of his service & attested by a Magistrate as prescribed in para 141 Chapter III of the Civil Auditor's Manual, there being no records in this office to support the same -

2 With reference to your enquiry as to what part of the Civil Auditor's Manual rules that the period of a service as an apprentice counts towards pension, I have the honor to furnish

To Chief Secy to Govt thro the Civil Paymaster
6 Nov 62

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Enclosure in a letter from the Dist Engineer Kistna to the Dy Chief Engineer N C D P W, No 94 d/ 18 Oct 1862 you with a Copy of an Extract of a publication entitled "the Civil Absentee Rules" dated 1849, from which it would appear that the period of apprenticeship after the age of 18 years is allowed to count as service—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed Servt
J. W. [illegible]
Major R.E.
District Engineer Victoria.

C.K.K.

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The Actg. [illegible]
[illegible]
To the Depy Chief [illegible]
N. D. P. W.
Dated 18th October 1862
Recd [illegible]
No 24
Inclosures 2

Forwarding further information called for on the subject of Mr Sub Engineer Ottmann's application for pension

To Chief [illegible] Northern Circle [illegible]
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No 4040

Central Office of P. Works
Chepauk 6th November 1862.

Pension.

From,
Colonel W. J. Birdwood, R. E.
Chief Engineer D. P. W.

To,
A. J. Arbuthnot Esquire,
Chief Secretary to Government
through the Officiating Civil Paymaster

7 NO 1862 CIVIL PAYMASTER'S OFFICE

Sir,

Accompaniments 8
1 Original letter No
d/26 July 62
with accompaniments
2 Do Do No 24
d/18 October 62
with accompaniments

I have the honor to submit for the favorable consideration and orders of Government the accompanying papers from the Deputy Chief Engineer Northern Circle relative to an application made by Mr Sub Engineer A. F. Ottmann for the grant of a Superannuation Pension on the grounds of "good service".

2. Mr Ottmann entered the Public service as an Apprentice on the Establishment of the Inspector General Survey Department on the 31st July 1823. In March 1830, he was promoted

Vide letter to Government from the Board of Revenue No 84 d/26th Feby/43.

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promoted to the rank of Surveyor in which capacity he continued to serve until January 1857 when he was appointed to his present post of Sub Engineer 3rd Class. It will thus be seen that his services have been continuous and that they extend over a period of 39 years. From this, however, should be deducted, 3 years, which he served as an Apprentice before attaining the age of 18 years.

3. Mr. Ottmann's statement of Services is borne out by the records of this Office and as Major Anderson under whom Mr. Ottmann has been for some time employe reports that his conduct has been satisfactory, I beg to request that in accordance with the recommendation contained in the accompanying Register a Good service Pension of Rupees 150, being one half of the average salary, Rupees 300, drawn by him during the last five years may be granted to Mr. Sub Engineer A. F. Ottman of the Kistnah District from the date on which he may be relieved from his duties in the Public Works Department.

4. Copies of Testimonials granted to Mr. Ottmann by some of the Officers under whom he has been from time to time employed are herewith forwarded for the information of Government.

Central Office of P.W.
Chepauk 6th November /62.

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

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

To,
A. J. Arbuthnot Esquire,
Chief Secretary to Government
through the Officiating Civil Paymaster

Compd. [illegible]

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From, No. 27
The Chief Engineer D.P.W.
To The Chief Secretary to Government
through the Offl Civil Paymaster
Dated 6th November 1862
Recd 22 January 1863 Enc 8
No. 4040

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Recommending for favorable consideration & orders of Govt. papers from the Dy Chief Engineer N.C. relative to an application made by Sub Engineer A. F. Ottmann for the grant of a Superannuation Pension on the grounds of good service.

Central Office of P. Works

No. 5533

From Colonel W. J. Birdwood R.E.
Chief Engineer D.P.W.

To A. J. Arbuthnot Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government

Sir

Agreeably to the Proceedings of Government No. 30 dated 3d instant, I have the honor to recommend, that Mr Sub Engineer A. F. Ottmann of the Kistnah District be removed from the Effective Establishment of the P.W.D. on the 1st March 1863, within which time arrangements can be made for his being relieved, in a regular manner, of the charge at present entrusted to him

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
Colonel R.E.
Chief Engineer D.P.W.

Chepauk
7 February 1863.

Pension Certificate
issued accordingly
2nd March/63—

Pension 1863 Depmt
from No. 64
The Chief Engr. D.P.W.
To The Chief Secy to
Govt.

Dated 9 } Feby/63
Recd 10 }
No. 5533

Informs that
Mr. Sub. Engr. Ottman
has been directed
to be removed from
the Effective Estabt.
on the 1st March/63.

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Pension Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

From
The Chief Engineer D.P.W. } Here enter 6th November 1862/
to the Civil Paymaster }
Report of the Civil Paymaster — 21st January 1863/

Order thereon 3rd February 1863. No. 30.

Under the terms of the Notification of the 21st July 1834 and in consideration of his long and faithful service, the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Mr. A.T. Ottman a Good Service Pension of Rs. 150 - - per mensem, equal to half his salary during the last 5 years.—

The Chief Engineer will report the date on which Mr. Ottman may be removed from the effective Establishment in view to the issue of a Pension Certificate.—

(True Extract)

W. Hutchins
Ag (Dy) Secy to Govt.

To
The Chief Engineer D.P.W.

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Chief Secy to Govt 9 Feby/63
No. 5533.
By Ch Engr 9 Feby/63
No 5534.
Chief Secy to Govt 9 March/63
No. 6039.
Dy Chf Eng 12 March/63
No. 6040

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No. 1179

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT,

No 70

Dated 3rd Feby/63

Read 4th Feby/63

Confers a good service pension of Rs 150 per mensem on Sub Engr Oatman from the date on which he ceased to draw his salary, the Special [illegible]

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No. 6039 Central Office of P.W.

From
Colonel W. J. N. Birdwood R.E.
Chief Engineer D.P.W.

To
A. J. Arbuthnot Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government
Pension Department.

Sir,

Agreeably to the request contained in your Memorandum No 18 of the 4th March 1863, I have the honor to return herewith the Proceedings of Government therein adverted to, conferring a good service pension of Rupees 150 per mensem on Sub Engineer Oatman of the Kistna District. The Deputy Chief Engineer Northern Circle has been called upon to return the Copy forwarded to him, and also requested to instruct the District Engineer not

not to relieve Mr Ottman of
his charge in the P. W. Department,
until further orders from this
Office.

Have the honor to be
Sir,
our most Obed Servant.

Chepauk
9th March 1863 } Col R.E.
Chief Engineer D.P.W.

Pension 1863 Departt
From
The Chief Engr D.P.W.
To The Chief Secy to Govt
Pen: Deptt.
Dated 9th } March 1863
Recd }
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No 6039
Returns the Pro
of Govt granting Mr
Sub Engr Ottman
a good service pension
and informs that
the D.E. Kistna
has been instructed
not to remove him
from the Deptt

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No. 2127.

From E. H. LUSHINGTON, Esquire,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Financial Department;

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Madras.

Fort William, Council Chamber, the 21st May 1863.

Financial Department.

Sir,

In reply to your letter, No. 153, dated 5th March 1863, I am directed to inform you that His Honor the President in Council is pleased to allow, in consideration of his long and faithful service of upwards of 36 years, a "good service" pension of Rupees 150 a month to Mr. A. F. Ottman, a Sub-Engineer in the Public Works Department, Kistna District. The pension to commence from the date on which he ceased to be borne on the establishment.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Secretary to the Government of India.

To Civil Pay Master, Madras, } with copies of Pension Register.
„ Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, Madras, }

[Exd. N. C. Coer.]

No. 667.

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From,

Captain H. L. Prendergast R.E.

Asst. Supt. Engineer 4th Division

To,

W. H. Kerr Esqre.

Deputy Secretary to Government

Pension Department

Pension

Sir,

I have the honor to return the accompanying paper, which I conclude has been forwarded to this Office by mistake, and to suggest that it be sent to the Secretary to Government Public Works Department for communication to the Superintending Engine 2nd Division, under whose orders Mr. Sub Engineer Ottman is (I believe) employed in the Kistnah District.-

Superintending Engineer's Office
4th Division
Madras 16th June 1863

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

H L Prendergast Captain R.E.

Asst. Supt. Engr. 4th D

August 1863 Despt

From No 289

The Supt. of Engg. 2nd Dn

To

The Deputy Secretary
to Government
Pension Department

Dated 16th }
Recd 17th } June 1863

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Returns the Papers regarding the grant of Pension to the Sub Engineer Ottman in the Kistna District and suggests that it be sent to Superintending Engineer 2nd Division

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No. 212

FROM E. H. LUSHINGTON, ESQUIR

SECRETARY TO T ...MENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT;

TO THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, MADRAS.

Fort William, Council Chamber, the 21st May 1863.

Financial Department.

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I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Yo... most obedient servant,

E. H. Lushington

Secr... to the Government of India.

To Civil Pay Master, Madras, } with copies of Pension Register.
„ Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, Madras, }

[Exd. N. C. Coer.]

Pension 1863 Dept

No 274

The Secy to Govt of India Fin^l Dept No 2127

21st May } 1863.
12th June }

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No 466

Sanctioning a "good service" pension of Rs 150 a month to Mr A. F. Ottman Engr in the P.W. Dept. to commence the date on which ceases to be borne on eff.

Filed an Order No 166

Vide O No 235.

Resolved in [illegible] the foregoing Resolution [illegible] service Pension of Rs 150 per mensem be conferred on Mr A. F. Ottman, a Sub Engineer in the D. P. W. Hutra District -

The Superintending Engineer 2d Division will report the date on which Mr Ottman may be removed from the effective Establishment in view to the issue of a Pension Certificate -

To the Civil Paymaster [illegible] 15765
The Superintending Engineer 2d Division
Dy Secy to Govt

Entered & returned