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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

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Adjutant General's Office

This is to certify that P. Moonesawmy Aides
employed as a Clerk in my Office from 1st March
till 1st April 1859 when he resigned & at his own
request having obtained a situation in the Pay Office
Rangoon.

During the above period his conduct and
character were very satisfactory.

Signed / H. G. Woods Lieut Col
Adjutant General of the Army
1st August 1859

I have much pleasure in certifying
that during the period I conducted the duties of
Deputy Assistant Adjutant General of the Army
Moonesawmy Clerk in the Department, conducted
the various duties allotted him very satisfactorily
having under my immediate observation, he was at all
times most respectful and he has my best wishes
for his further advancement as a steady willing man
I commend him to the notice of those under
whose orders he may hereafter serve.

Madras
31st August 1852.

Signed / A. Richardson Capt

Rangoon 10 January

Certified that P. Moonesawmy
Kaidoo served under my special or
subordinate Clerk in the Office of the Adjutant
General of the Madras Army for some months
in the year 1858 and was always very attentive
and careful in the performance of his duty.

Signed: T. N. Smith Major
Adjutant General

I have known P. Moonesawmy Kaidoo
for some time, and he has served as a Clerk
in this Office since 1 May 1861. He is
believe a man of very high character and he has
several testimonials from other Officers, he is
a very good Clerk and very attentive to his duties.
I can recommend him highly.

Signed: Nathaniel
Rangoon
11 November 1861

P. Moonesawmy Kaidoo									
Establishment	Date of Appointment	Appointment	Salary	Period of Service in each appointment	Remarks regarding merits and demerits and all special commendations or marks of approbation	Page 7			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
					A well behaved man and fully qualified for his duties as Assistant Paymaster				
					Signed: J. J. Greenlaw Paymaster P.D.				
					Pay Office Rangoon				
					11 August 1861				
					P. Moonesawmy Kaidoo was very willing, steady and attentive to his duties. He was also a very good Clerk. He leaves the Office with an unexceptionable character.				
					Solely on Reduction of Establishment				
					Signed: J. J. Greenlaw Paymaster P.D.				
					Pay Office Rangoon				
					11 August 1861				

Established 1842

Ordance

Office

Langdon

27 July 1861 J. C. Clark

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Conc

Personal Pardon

2^d May 1864

Signed by C. D. Maddeford Captain
Commissary of Ordnance Regt
C. D. Maddeford

Company of Ordnance Regt Dr

Report of the Controller Military Accounts.

Service qualifying for Pension.			Average of salary for the last 5 years.			Remarks.
Years.	Months.	Days.	Rs.	A.	P.	
24	10	22	60	5	4	The Services of B. Mooneswamy Naidoo, late a Clerk in the Pay Office Rangoon, have been verified from the records of this Office, viz: from 1 March 1841 to 30 September 1866, latter the date on which his appointment was abolished. <i>Yrs 25-7-</i> Deduct - The period of leave other than Privilege leave from 1 July to 30 September 1866, viz from 23 April to 30 September 1866 <i>" 8-8</i> No other deductions <i>" - 8</i> <i>Period Counting for Pension 24-10-22</i> He appears entitled to a Pension of $\frac{2}{3}$ of the average salary for the last 5 years of his service under New Pension Rules, but he is recommended by the Paymaster Rangoon to $\frac{1}{2}$ Pension, as his appointment was abolished owing to the reduction of the Pay Office, and as his service falls short by only 38 days of the full period of 25 years.

The following documents are herewith forwarded.

- 1 Letter of Paymaster Rangoon, dated 17 September 1866, p. 747
- 1 Register of Applications
- 1 Copy of Certificate

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER, MILITARY ACCOUNTS,

Fort Saint George,

10 December 1866.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government.

Civil Pension Department.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT.

The Hon. Colver
Controller, Military Accounts.

From
The Controller, Military Accounts,
Fort Saint George,
Department.
To
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George.

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Dated 10th December 1866.
Received 12th

Reporting to
an application for Superannuation
Pension for B. Mooneswamy Naidoo late
Clerk
borne on the
establishment of the Adjutant General, Pay Master
Pay Master

O. No. 15

Contract returned on the 15th
Jan 1867 11/16

Register of an Application for Superannuation Pension from the Establishment of the *Paymaster Benj. F. Keaton* Adjutant General preferred under the Amended Revised Pension Rules published under date the 3rd May 1864.

1 Name of Pensioner, Sect or Caste, Residence.	2 Present employment.	3 Total period of Service.			4 How long unemployed and under what circumstances, and under what authority reinstated.	5 Personal Identification.			6 Age of applicant at the time of application.			7 Average salary during the last 5 years, proposed amount of pension, place of payment, and date from which to commence.			8 Abstract of the grounds of application.	9 Remarks by the Head of the Office on the past character and conduct of the applicant.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Height.	Feet.	Inches.	Years.	Months.	Days.	Rs.	A.	P.		
<i>P. Moonesawmy Aideoo</i> <i>Jentoo Caste</i> <i>Chintalapettah</i>	<i>Clerk</i> <i>"Rangoon Pay Office"</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>7</i>		<i>Service Continuous</i>	<i>Brown Colour</i> <i>Faint small pore marks on face</i> <i>Has a hole on the posterior aspect of left shoulder</i>						<i>Average salary during the last 5 years - 60 1 "</i> <i>Proposed amount of Pension</i> <i>Place of payment Madras.</i> <i>Date from which Pension to commence 1st October 1866</i>			<i>On reduction of the Pay Office Rangoon consequent on the transfer of the accounts of British Troops to the Military Accountant.</i>	<i>Steady and willing man; hears excellent character</i>

Statement of total period of Service.

Statement of Leave during the whole period of Service other than Privilege and Preparation leave.

Establishment.	Appointment.	Salary.		Date of appointment.	Period of Service in each appointment.			Remarks.	Date of leave.	Period of leave in each year.		
		Rs.	A. P.		Years.	Months.	Days.					
Madras Adjutant General's Office	Clerk	10.	8	from 1 st March 1841 to 31 st February 1845	3.	11.	8			7	20	2
"	"	15.	"	from 1 st February 1845 to 10 th September 1846	1.	7.	10			"	3	"
"	"	17.	"	from 19 th September 1846 to 30 th June 1848	1.	9.	12	For better prospects sought appointment in the "Rangoon Pay Office."	from 1 st July to 30 th September 1856.	"	5	8
"	"	17.	8	from 1 st July 1848 to 30 th April 1852	3.	10.	"					
"	"	25	"	from 1 st May 1852 to 31 st October 1856	6.	6.	"					
"Rangoon Pay Office	Assistant Accountant	50	"	from 1 st December 1856 to 23 rd July 1861	4.	8.	26	On account of reduction of establishment got transferred to the "Rangoon Arsenal."	10 leave taken			
"Rangoon Arsenal	Second Clerk	70	"	from 24 th July 1861 to 31 st April 1864	2.	9.	7	He returned to "Rangoon Pay Office" at his own choice	do.			
"Rangoon Pay Office	Clerk	50	"	from 1 st May 1864 to 22 nd April 1866	2.	5.	2	Sick leave for 6 months obtained to proceed to Madras from 23 rd April 1866.	Sick leave from 23 rd April to 30 th September 1866	"	5	8
					Total period of Service			25	7	"		
					Deduct leave of Absence			"	8	8		
					Net period of Service...			24	10	22		

To
The Right Honorable Lord Napier
the Governor in Council
Fort Saint George 98

The humble Memorial of
B. Moonesawmy Naidoo
Clerk in the Rangoon Pay Office

Most humbly sheweth,

That your Lordship's Memorialist most respectfully begs to submit his peculiarly hard Case with the view, that it may be favorably considered.—

2 In the Year 1841, Memorialist was first entertained as a Clerk in the Adjutant General's Office Fort Saint George, In 1858 he was taken into Pay Office at Rangoon on salary of Rupees 50 per mensem, from thence, in 1861 he was transferred to the Arsenal Office at that Station on salary of Rupees 70 and in 1862, he was re-transferred to the Pay Office there, by Captain Magrath the then Paymaster on salary of Rupees 50 with promises of promotion on first opportunity, which were not realized, that Officer having left India for Europe on Sick Certificate. The climate of Rangoon not agreeing with Memorialist's wife and 2 Sons, they were taken ill and departed this life, on which occasion, he incurred considerable debt for medical attendance and other charges.— His two surviving daughters are now still under medical treatment at Madras.—

3 Memorialist further submits, that himself having

having been also taken ill, he obtained Sick leave from Colonel Greenlaw Paymaster at Rangoon and returned to Madras in April 1866 and while under medical treatment here, that Gentleman sent your Lordship's Memorialist a Memorandum stating "that Memorialist has been recommended for Pension in consequence of the Reduction in the Pay Office Establishment and it is not therefore necessary for him to come back to Rangoon on the expiration of his leave, but to await at Madras the result of the Application for Pension". This is certainly a fatal blast of your Memorialist's future prospects, for, were it for this, the Memorialist who has now recovered his health, would have resumed charge of his duties and raised himself to increased emoluments, by zealous and industrious discharge of his duties. Restored as he is to his usual health, the happiness of serving Government some years longer, and eventually, entitling himself to a competent pension, besides, liquidating the debt contracted at Rangoon is entirely denied him. —

4 Your Lordship's Memorialist most respectfully again submits that although he has served Government above 25 Years, he apprehends that, that period will fall short of 1 Month & 8 days on account of leave obtained while on service at Burmah, to complete 25 Years to entitle him to a moiety of his salary. He would have served this period and more, if it

it was not on account of the Reduction in the Establishment. No blame whatever is attributable to his Conduct, Copies of Testimonials of his Character are herein enclosed and the letter of his Employer accompanying his Pension papers will, he doubts not, prove it. —

5 Under the above circumstances, the Memorialist throws himself at your Lordship's mercy and Requests that the Government would consider him as having served full 25 Years, by allowing him 38 days and confer upon him half Pension which would amount to 30 Rupees, otherwise he would be granted Rs. 20 for want of 38 days only, your Lordship's Memorialist not having had the advantage of any privilege leave during the whole period of his service. During the time he was in connection with the Adjutant General's Office at Madras, he proceeded to Neilgherry Hills on duty and subsequently to Foreign Service at Rangoon; this present Reduction of the Establishment occurred at the instance of Government only —

He humbly solicits that, the liberality of Government will be extended* to him and that the Charitable Government will not deprive him of his 10 Rupees per month on account of a deficiency of 38 days only to complete a service of 25 Years. This grant by Government though small, but just and will be considerable benefit to the Memorialist and will enable him to support himself and family (consisting 5 souls in number) in the present time of distress. —

* As in the instances annexed to this Memorial.

For

For which act of benevolence your Lordships
Memorialist and his family will ever feel grateful during
the whole period of their lives.—

Madras. }
6th December 1866 }

B. Moonesawmy Naidoo
Clerk Rangoon Pay Office

Instances

1st Shroff Balagoroonatha Chetty of the General
Treasury Office was granted half Pay Pension in 1862 although
he had 10 Months wanting to complete his 30 Years service
under old Rules.—

2nd Witer Narraim Chetty of the Accountant General's
Office was granted half Pay Pension in October 1866 while
he had some days wanting to complete his 25 Years service
under present Rules.—

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To
The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Honored Sir,

In forwarding the enclosed Memorial
to the address of the Right Honorable the Governor in
Council through your blessed hands, I beg most
Respectfully to solicit, that, your honor will be graciously
pleased to submit the same with your kind support, in
order that the boon therein sought may be granted, in
consideration of my having served for a period of 25 Years
with a good Character and proceeded on Foreign Service
at Rangoon with my family and returned to Madras
with a loss of 3 principal Members Viz^t Wife & 2 Sons.

For which act of humanity and Charity
I and my poor surviving daughters will pray as
in duty bound for your honor's prosperity and longevity.

I beg to remain,
Honored Sir,
Your most Obed^t & faithful Servant,

Madras. }
6th December 1866 }

B. Moonesawmy Naidoo
Clerk Rangoon Pay Office

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
14th March 1867.*

No. 48. Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort William, 12th February 1867, No. 870.

Pensions and Gratuities.

In reply to your letter, dated 22nd January 1867, No. 31, I am directed to state that the Governor General in Council is pleased to confirm the sanction given by the Government of Madras to the grant of a half-pay pension, as a special case, to B. Moonesawmy Naidoo, late a Clerk in the Paymaster's Office, Rangoon.

No. 49.

ORDER THEREON, 14th March 1867, No. 126.

Communicated to the Civil Pension Department, with reference to the Proceedings in that Department dated 12th January last, No. 15.

(True Extract).

A. J. ARBUTHNOT.

Chief Secretary.

To the Civil Pension Department.

Exd. J. Tulloh.

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Pension 1866 Department

From
B. Moonesawmy Naidoo
Clerk Rangoon Pay Office

To
The Honble A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government

at Fort Saint George

Dated 6 December
Received 10th Dec 1866

Following the favor of sub-
mitting the enclosed Memorial to the
Right Honble the Governor in Council
with his kind sanction, with a view
to his being granted half pay Pension,
in consideration of the reduction in
the Pay Office and his continuous
good conduct & other circumstances
has been sanctioned.

A. J. A. 15

Pension Department

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To The Secretary to the Government of India
Financial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor in Council to request that you will submit the following pension case for the confirmation of the Govt of India.

B. Mooneerawmy Nados late a Clerk in the Pay Office Rangoon was thrown ^{out} of employ, consequent on the transfer of the accounts of British Troops to the Military Accountant. His total period of service qualifying for pension ^{amounts to} was 24 years 6 months and 22 days, on the date of abolition of the office which he held, and in thirty eight days more he

I forward further
information of this
case to the Govt in
C. The enclosed
copy of the Proceeds
of the Pension Com.
in the Pension Dept.

he would have been fully
entitled to the pension now
proposed.

3 Moonesawmy Naidoo
has borne, generally, a high
character for ability and
good conduct, and the
Right Honourable the Governor
would overlook the slight
defect in his claim, especi-
ally as the cause of that
defect was beyond the
control of the Pensioner, and
would grant him the
pension of Rs. 30, to which
he would have been
entitled had he completed
his 25 years service...

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*After the
 winding up of his
 letter & the
 fact of his
 having submitted
 his papers for
 inspection*

Pension Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers:-

From B. Moonesawmy Naidoo } *Here enter 6th Dec^r 1866*
 Clerk Rangoon Pay Office. }
 From the Paymaster Pegu Circle (— 17th Sept^r 66 No. 747)
 Report of the Controller of } *— 10th Dec^r 66 D*
 Military Accounts }

Order thereon 12th January 1867 No. 215

The service of B. Moonesawmy Naidoo late a clerk in the Paymaster's Office Rangoon, counting towards pension amounts to 24 years 10 months and 22 days, thus falling short by 38 days of the 25 years' service which would entitle him to a pension equal to half his average salary for the last 5 years. 2
 Seeing that his service falls short of the period qualifying for half pension by

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to short a period and adverting
to the good character of the
applicant whose case is
strongly recommended by his
superior for favorable considera-
tion and to the fact that
the applicant's service has
been brought to close by a
reduction of Establishment
the Right Honble the Governor
in Council is pleased to
grant to Moonesawmy Naidoo

a monthly pension of Rs. 30-
equal to a moiety of his
average salary for the
last five years, payable
at Madras from the
1st October 1866, subject
to confirmation by the
Govt of India.

Ordered that the foregoing be communicated to the Finl Dept
whence it will be transmitted to the Govt of India for Confirmation:-

J.B.

To the Paymaster Genl Circle
To the Controller of Military Accts with Register for entry
Financial Department

Decr-1/67

Pembroke 1867. Department.

No 13-

J. R. H. 141.
PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

Dated 13th January 1867.
[Signature]