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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 152	Press ~~Mis.~~
Dated 12-5-	1867.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
28th April 1869.*

Read again Proceedings of Government, Pension Department, dated 18th February 1869, No. 77.
No. 67. Read also the following letter from the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort William, 31st March 1869, No. 1848.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 117, dated 4th March 1869, submitting, for confirmation by the Government of India, a copy of the Proceedings of the Government of Fort Saint George, sanctioning, as a special case, the grant of a superannuation pension equal to one-third of pay, or Rupees 15 a month, to Padi Ponnambalam Moodelliar, late Nazir in the Small Cause Court at Masulipatam.

2. It appears from the Resolution of the Government of Fort Saint George, No. 77, dated 18th February 1869, that under the impression that Padi Ponnambalam Moodelliar's title to pension was void by reason only of the break in his service from 1851 to 1856, which under the rules would not permit of the grant to him of the benefit of the prior period of his employment under Government, the local Government has, in consideration of certain special features of the case, overlooked the defect, and admitted him to the pension, which, in the opinion of that Government, would have been otherwise eligible to him.

3. I am, however, to remark that the break noticed above does not constitute the only defect in Padi Ponnambalam Moodelliar's title to pension. In 1848-49 there occurred another break in his service, which, as it was caused by resignation of office, and extended to a period exceeding twelve months, entails a forfeiture of service antecedent to it. So that the removal of the defect caused by the break, from 1851 to 1856, would not in any way improve Padi Ponnambalam Moodelliar's position in regard to the Pension Rules, for the service which in that case would be admissible to him would yet fall short of 15 years by more than two years as shown in the margin, thereby entitling him not to a pension but to a gratuity of twelve months' pay.

	YRS.	M.	D.
From 16th March 1849 to 30th April 1851...	2	1	15
Do. 16th May 1857 to 30th June 1868	11	1	15
Deduct period of absence on leave.....	0	3	12
	13	10	3
	12	11	13

4. For the reasons stated above, the Governor General in Council requests that the Government of Fort Saint George will revise the grant made in favour of Padi Ponnambalam Moodelliar.

Ordered that a copy of the above letter be furnished to the Accountant General, Madras.

ORDER THEREON, 28th April 1869, No. 206.
No. 68.

The Government of India having objected that the pension of 15 Rupees per mensem, granted to Padi Ponnambalam Moodelliar in G. O., 18th February 1869, No. 77, cannot be allowed under the rules, as the applicant's service prior to his resignation in 1848 cannot be counted towards pension, the Governor in Council directs that the G. O. abovementioned be considered as cancelled.

2. Under the revised Pension and Gratuity Rules, Padi Ponnambalam Moodelliar is entitled to a gratuity of 12 months' pay, or Rupees 540, which is hereby granted to him. The Accountant General will recover from the gratuity now sanctioned all sums paid under the authority of G. O., No. 77, dated 18th February 1869.

(True Extract).

[Signature]

Chief Secretary.

To the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Masulipatam.
" Collector of the Kistna District.
" Examiner of Claims.
" Accountant General.
" Pension Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

[Signature]

Govt. of Madras

PENSION.

Dated May, 12th.

Recd.

G. O., 12th May 1869, No. 152.

Exd.

MAY.

Recording the Proceedings of Government
Financial Department, granting a gratuity
Rupees 540 to P. Ponnambalam Moodelliar,
Nazir in the Small Cause Court at Masulipatam
in lieu of the pension previously sanctioned.

From 15th Feb 1869 No 277

Court of 1869 *Penkman*

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Prod. FINANCIAL. *Penkman*

To *Penkman*

THE JUDGE OF THE COURT

OR SMALL CAUSES,

Miscellaneous

Sec. Sec. Sec.

Dated April, 28th.

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G.O., 28th April 1869, No. 206.

APRIL.
Nos. 67-68.

Granting a gratuity of Rupees 500 to P.
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(Signed) R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

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H. E. STOKES,
Actg. Under Secy. to Govt.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.