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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

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Dated

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1869.

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N^o 157 Coonoor June 28th 1869.

From Colonel L. Campbell R. E. 10
Mint Master.

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

Sir I have the honor to forward
an Application for pension for
Mr. Joseph Drake Superintendent
of the Silver Mintage & Refining
Room who is thrown out of
employment by the abolition
of the Mint.

2. Mr. Drake's service amounts to
twenty three years and five months
of which one year was before he
was twenty two years of age, leaving
twenty two years and five months
service for pension entitling him
to Rs 66-10-8 a month.

3. He was Acting Deputy Superintendent
on first joining the Mint from
1st June 1846 to 31st Dec. 1850.
in a full vacancy, in regard to
which service, and with respect
to all other Acting employment
of Mint servants, I beg to
explain that it appears to have
been customary with Colonel
J. I. Smith while Mint Master
to make all appointments
"Acting" at first, and it does

not appear to have been the practice
at that time when a man was
confirmed in an appointment to
declare it to have retrospective effect,
or that there was any rule of
the kind in existence then.

4. Mr. Drake has addressed to me
a petition praying that he may
be granted a pension equal in
amount to half his salary in
consideration of the great anxiety
entailed by, and the responsibility
attaching to, his duty; and because
it is very prejudicial to health,
and that his constitution is at
a comparatively early period of
life seriously undermined.

5. The duties of his office are certainly
attended with serious pecuniary
responsibility, and necessarily great
anxiety, and at times are
most prejudicial to health; and
as Mr. Drake's service is not
far short of the period entitling
to half pay pension, which but
for the sudden abolition of the
mint he would in due course
have earned, and as he is in

my opinion entitled to earn much,
if any addition to his pension in
any other sphere, I venture to recommend
this case as a special one for the
consideration of Government.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours most obed^t. servant

H. G. D. Dale
Mint Master.

My dear
Abel Smith

Statement of total period of Service.

Establishment.	Post.	PAY.			PERIOD.				Accountant General or Controller of Military Accounts Remarks.
		Rs.	A.	P.	From	To	Yrs.	Ms.	
	Act. Deputy Superintendent Establishment	25	"	"	1 st Jan. 1846	30 th Sept. 1846	9	"	The records of this Office show that applicant has been acting in the 2 periods.
	do. do.	35	"	"	1 st Oct. 1846	31 st Dec. 1850	4	3	
Melting	Deputy Supt. do.	40	"	"	1 st Jan. 1851	26 th Sept. 1855	4	8	26
and	Act. Supt. do.	140	"	"	27 th Sept. 1855	28 th Feb. 1856	5	4	Deducted from the records of this Office
Refining Rooms	Supt. do.	140	"	"	1 st March 1856	6 th Sept. 1863	7	6	6
	do. do.	200	"	"	7 th Sept. 1863	31 st May 1869	5	8	24
Total.....							23	5	"
							Years. Months. Days.		
Deduct service before 22 years of age							9 19		
Deduct service not in Pension grades							" "		
Deduct leave							" 9 19		
Net period of Service.....							22	4	11

*Approved
C. J. Claims*

Explanation of Column 8 with quotations of orders of reinstatement.				Explanation of any degradation.			
None				None			
Detail of leave on half pay and full stoppage of pay.				Remarks by the head of the Office on past character and conduct of the applicant throughout the service.			
From	To	Yrs.	Ms.	Yrs.	Ms.	Yrs.	Ms.
None				<i>Mr. Duantes Doucet has always been very satisfactory and his character very respectable. He has been most efficiently discharged.</i> <i>Y. J. M. Dale</i> District Master			
Total of leave...							
<i>Boonoo</i> OFFICE, } The 28th day of June 1869.							
No. 102 REPORT OF THE Examiner of Claims							
Service qualifying for pension is proved for a total period of...				Years. Months. Days.			
				18- 5- "			
In the last 5 years of his service the average pay of the applicant's permanent post was ...				Rs. A. P.			
				200 - - -			
Applicant is eligible to a pension of Rupees 66-8- per mensem, equal to one third of his average salary during the last 5 years, under Clause 9 Section of the Revised Pension Rules.							
<i>It will be observed that no Medical Certificate is submitted in support of the District Master's statement regarding the effect of Applicant's duties upon his health.</i> <i>W. J. M. Dale</i> Examiner of Claims							

Fort Saint George
Account General's Office,
29th September 1869.

To
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Civil Pension Department.

C. J. P.

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PENSION 1869 DEPARTMENT.

From the *Commissioner of Customs*
Fort Saint George.

To the Chief Secretary to Government,
Civil Pension Department

Dated 20th September
Received *for October* 1869

Enclosures.

Verifies the service

of Joseph Quarte-
late Superintendent -

borne on the establishment of the
Madras Mount.

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PENSION 1869 DEPARTMENT.

From the *Mount Madras*

To the Accountant General & Comptroller
of Military Accounts

Dated 28th June 1869
Received

Register of an appli-

cation for Superannuation Pension in beha-
vour of Joseph Quarte-
late Superintendent

borne on the establishment of the
Melting and Refining Room
of the *Madras Mount*

With an order for

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT *11th December 1869*

Under Section 9 of the Indian Civil Service Act, 1857, the Government are pleased to grant to Mr. Joseph Quarte, late Superintendent of the Madras Mount, a pension of Rs 88.00 per annum, with effect from the 1st June 1869.

2. The Government do not see any reason for treating Mr. Quarte's case specially, as proposed by the late Mr. Quarte in his letter.

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To the *Mount Madras*
in *cheque for Rs 88.00*
With the order for entry