2. Date of repair. 6-6-
3. Initials of Referencer.

M.R.O. 1—82,400—22-11-80.

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 371 Press Mis.

Dated 10 – 8 – 1870

Not to be folded or roughly handled

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Pension Department, 10*th August* 1870.

Read the following papers :—

From the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, dated 19th and 23rd May 1870, No. 38.
Report of the Examiner of Claims, dated 26th July 1870, No. 928.
Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated 28th July 1870, No. 894.

ORDER THEREON, 10th August 1870, No. 371.

Mr. J. Smith served as a Warrant Officer in the Bombay Marine for ten years up to the 13th January 1867, when he completed the period necessary to entitle him to a pension of *2s. 6d.* per diem to which he was admitted by the Government of Bombay. Mr. Smith was then serving under the Executive Engineer of the Neilgherries. His pay was Rupees 250 per mensem fixed salary, besides certain allowances denominated steam money, extra time allowance, house-rent, ration, and apprentice money.

2. Mr. Smith continued to be employed as a Mechanical Engineer on the Lawrence Asylum Works, from the 13th January 1867 till the 31st March 1870, when his services were dispensed with on reduction of establishment. During this period, amounting to three years, two months, and nineteen days, he was serving under the Uncovenanted Civil Service Rules, and is entitled to gratuity. He continued to receive salary and allowances at the same rates as when serving as a Marine Warrant Officer, but did not draw the pension which had been granted for that service. The Accountant-General reports that the gratuity should be calculated on the fixed salary only, the fluctuating items being excluded.

3. The Government, however, are of opinion that the extra time allowance and steam money should be treated as salary, and that for the purpose of calculating the amount of the gratuity, the procedure laid down in the Resolution of the Government of India, 28th June 1869, No. 1428, Financial Department, as regards section writers should be followed.

4. From the Memorandum of the Controller of Public Works Accounts, No. 894, dated 28th July 1870, it appears that, during the last six months of his service, Mr. Smith drew, under the heads above referred to, Rupees 182-13-0 per mensem, and this sum being added to his fixed salary, the amount on which the gratuity is to be calculated is Rupees 432-13-0. He is, therefore, entitled to a gratuity of Rupees 1298-7-0 which is sanctioned.

5. These proceedings will be reported to the Government of India. ([illegible])

(True Extract.)

Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.
,, Accountant-General.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Public Works Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

Two spare copies.

Govt. of 1870 Madras.

PENSION.

To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
7th Division,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated August, 10th.
Recd. Encl.

G. O., 10th August 1870, No. 371.

AUGUST.

Granting a gratuity of Rupees 1298-7-0 to Mr J. Smith, late Mechanical Engineer of the Lawrence Asylum Works at Ootacamund.

To
The Superintendent Pensions
Military Department

Sir.

With reference to G.O. dated 4th June 1870 No 1,389 - I respectfully beg to solicit that you may be pleased to expedite the settlement of the Pension and Gratuity therein referred to, as I am extremely anxious to take my departure for England as soon as possible having already been detained here since the 31st March last at considerable expense and inconvenience.

I beg to remain
Sir
Your most obedient & humble Servt
J. Smith
1st Class Mechanical Engineer

Ootacamund
12th June 1870

Pension 1870 Departt

No. 708

From

Mr. J. Smith
1st Class Mechanical Engr.
Ootacamund

Dated 12th
Received 14th } June 1870

No. ..

Requests to expedite the settlement of his pension and gratuity referred to in G. O. dated 4 June 1870

Pension Office
Fort St. George
14th June 1870

Transferred to the Secretary to Government Department Public Works for disposal.

H. Mitchell Major
Ag. Supt. of Pensions

Pens: In No. 596/70

No 11

Pension 1870 Depar

Pension 1870 Departt.

No. 596.

Transferred to the ~~Military~~ Financial Department with reference to the orders in the Pension Dept. dated 30 May 1870, No 225

Col A.L.

Secretary to Govt.

Ft. St. George
1st June 1870
20th " — Recd.

~~Public Works~~ Financial 1870 Department

No. 2333

From

The Supdt. of Pensions
Fort Saint George

Dated 14th June } 1870
Received 16th do.

Rs 23 Esq 260.

Transferring letter from Mr. J. Smith, Mechanical Engineer, Ootacamund, requesting the early settlement of his pension & gratuity referred to in G.O. dated 4th June 1870 —

Keep with Pro 28 June 70

With an order

From

Mr J. Smith
1st Class Mechanical Engineer

To

The Superintendent
Pension department, Madras

Sir

Adverting to Para 3 of G.O. No. 1159 of 2nd May 1870, D.P.W. I most respectfully solicit that (as I intend to leave for England on the 28th inst.) you may be pleased to to expedite the grant of my pension papers to enable me to draw my pension in England from the date (agreeably to G.O. above quoted) the Government dispensed with my Services viz 31st March 1870.

Ootacamund
18th May 1870

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obt. Servant
J. Smith
1st Class Mechanical Engineer

Pension Departt.

ension Department.

No. 511 Fort Saint George
Pension Office
20th May 1870.

Transferred to the Secretary to Government Public Works Department

H. Wild Major
Ag. Superintendent of Pensions

Transferred to the Pension Deptt.

Coll. R.E.
Secy to Govt. P.W.D.

Fort St. George
23d May 1870

Pension 1870 Departt.
P.W. 1869 - Deptt:
No. 2009

From
Mr. I. Smith
1st class Mechanical Engineer Ootacamund

Dated 18th } May 1870
Recd 20th }
Recd 21st

U.O. No. 219 3 of 1870
No.

Requests to expedite the grant of his pension papers to enable him to draw his pension in England -

Transferred

Accountant General's Office,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
21st July 1870.

No. 907

OFFICIAL MEMO.

With reference to Official Memo from the Under Secretary to Government dated 14th Instant No 37. Pension Department, the undersigned has the honor to state that the gratuity case of Mr. G. Smith, will be submitted to Government with this Office report thereon, as soon as a reply from the Controller of Public Works Accounts to a reference from this Department, is received.

F. Luhington
Accountant General ~~Examiner of Claims.~~

To
The Under Secretary to Govt.
Pension departt.

ension 1870 Depart

No. 736.

From
The Accountant General

Dated 21st
Recd 22 } July 1870.

States that the gratuity case of Mr. J Smith will be submitted to Govt with his report thereon as soon as a reply from the Controller of P.W. Accts to a reference is received.

O. No. 371.
10th Augt 1870

No. 894

Memorandum.

As requested in Memo: No. 38, dated 28th Instant, the undersigned has the honor to subjoin a Statement of the allowances under all heads, other than those marginally noted, drawn by Mr. J. Smith, late Mechanical Engineer, during the last six months of his service.—

House rent –
Ration money.
Apprentice allowance.

	October 1869	November 1869	December 1869	January 1870	February 1870.	March 1870
Steam allowance 26 days @ Rs. 2	52	52	52	52	52	52
Additional do. for extra hours equivalent to 13 working days @ Rs. 2	26	26	26	26	26	26
Additional Pay for Extra hours	104 13/16	104 13/16	104 13/16	104 13/16	104 13/16	104 13/16

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Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts,
Madras 28th July 1870 }

S. Hood
Controller of P.W. Accounts.

To,
The Under Secretary to Government
Pension Department

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Pens 1870 Depart

No. 772.

From,
The Controller of P.W. Accounts

To,
The Under Secretary
to Government
Pension Department,
Fort St. George

Dated 28th
Recd 29th } July 1870.

No. 894

Subjoining a memo: showing the allowances, under all heads, drawn by Mr. Smith late a Mechanical Engineer, from October 1869 to March 1870.

O-No. 2371

See concluding portion of para 3 of G O - 2d May/70

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REGISTER OF AN APPLICATION FOR GRATUITY UNDER PENSION RULES, PUBLISHED UNDER DATE 3RD MAY 1864, FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE P. W. Departt., Nrilgherry Range OF Nrilgherry District

			Years.	Months.	Days.
1	Full name of the Person by whom the Gratuity is applied for.	John Smith			
2	Present post … … … …	Mechanical Engineer, Lawrence Asylum Works			
3	Date of commencement of service…	13th January 1867.			
4	Date of retirement ~~of~~ from service …	31st March 1870.			
5*	Abstract of the grounds of application.	~~1. Injured while in the execution of public duty.~~ ~~2. Inability to serve longer.~~ 3. Reduction of Establishment. Vide G.O. No. 813 of 18th Mch 1870 P.W.D.			
6*	How long unemployed, and under what circumstances.	~~1. Resigned the service from to~~ ~~2.† Reduction of Establishment from to~~ ~~3. Suspended from to~~ ~~4. Dismissed for misconduct from to~~			
7	Total of service before 22 years of age … … … … … … … … … … … …				
8	Total of service not in Pension grades .. … … … … … … … … … …				
9	Total of leave other than privilege and preparatory leave … … … …				
	Grand Total… … …				
10	Total period counted as service… … … … … … … … … … … …		3.	2.	19.
11‡	Age of the applicant at the time of this application… … … … … … …		36 years.		
			Rs.	A.	P.
12	Salary per mensem at the time of application … … … … … … … …		523	13	0.
13	Proposed amount of Gratuity … … … … … … … …				

* N. B.—The reason of the applicant's retirement and of his being unemployed for the periods given being left, the other grounds of retirement and reasons of break in employment should be erased with red ink.

† It is hereby certified that no gratuity was drawn by the applicant on reduction of Establishment in the year.
It is certified that gratuity having been granted was refunded to the amount of Rs. As. P.
Order sanctioning payment of gratuity was
Amount of gratuity granted was Rs. As. P.
Refund of gratuity was credited to the account for the month of 186 .

‡ I do hereby certify, that to the best of my belief the applicant's age above stated is correct.

W. Hansworth Lt. Colonel
Cg. Supg. Engineer 7th Dn.

Statement of total period of Service.

Establishment.	Post.	Pay. Rs.	A.	P.	Period. From	To	Yrs.	Ms.	Ds.	Accountant General or Controller of Military Account's Remarks.
Public Works Dept. of Nilgherry Range of Nilgherry District	Mechanical Engineer	523	13	"	13th Jan: 1867	31st March 1870	3	2	19	Verified from the records of the Controller of Public Works Accounts and this service can reckon for gratuity. Vide Letter of the Controller of Public Works Accounts dated 13th July 1870 No 378 herewith accompanies. F. Lushington Accountant General.
						Total......	3	2	19	

	Years.	Months.	Day
Deduct service before 22 years of age	"	"	"
Deduct service not in pension grades	"	"	"
Deduct leave	"	"	"
Net period of Service......	3	2	19

Explanation of Column 6 with quotations of orders of reinstatement.	Explanation of any degradation.
—— None ——	—— None ——

Detail of leave on half pay and full stoppage of pay.

From	To	Yrs.	Ms.	Ds.
—— None ——				
	Total of leave...	"	"	"

Remarks by the Head of the Office on past character and conduct of the applicant throughout the service.

During the period of upwards of five years that Mr John Smith has served under my orders his character has been unexceptionable; he is an exceedingly intelligent, steady, hard working officer and has performed his professional duties as Mechanical Engineer with zeal and ability and conducted himself to my entire satisfaction ——

Supg. Engineer's Office, 7th Divn
The 19th May 1870,
Camp [illegible]

W. Nasmyth Lt. Colonel
Acting Superintending Engr.

No. 928
REPORT OF THE Accountant General

Service qualifying for pension is proved for a total period of... ... ... Years. 3 - Months. 2 - Days. 9

Applicant is eligible to a gratuity of Rupees 750 equal to 3 — months' salary under ~~Clause~~ —— Section 9 of the Revised Pension Rules. As it appears from the letter of the Controller of Public Works Accounts dated 22d July 1870 No 681 that the extra allowance drawn by the applicant were on account of Steam money Extra pay for extra works & working beyond the ordinary Factory hours, House rent for Rations money &c. the whole of these allowances have been excluded as inadmissible under the rules and his gratuity has accordingly been calculated upon his salary of Rs 250 only.

Fort St. George
Acctt Genl's Office,
26th July 1870.

F. Lushington
Accountant General

To
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Civil Pension Department.

PENSION 1870, DEPARTMENT.

No 760

From the Examiner of Claims
Fort Saint George,

To the Chief Secretary to Government,
Civil Pension Department.

No 928

Dated 26th } July 1870.
Received 27th }

Enclosures

Verifies the service
of Mr John Smith
late Mechanical Engineer
borne on the establishment of the P. W.
Depart. 7th Division—

Pens. Ln No. 493/70.
O. No. 371

PENSION 186 , DEPARTMENT.

From the Superintending Engr
7th Dn [illegible]

To the Accountant General ~~or Controller~~
~~of Military Accounts~~.

Dated 19th } May 1870.
Received }

R/No 2049/70

Register of an application for Gratuity in behalf
of Mr John Smith
late Mechanical Engineer
borne on the establishment of the Public
Works Department of
the 7th Division

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT.

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To

The Executive Engineer
Neilgherry Range

Sir,

With reference to G. O. No. 1.159 of 2nd May 1870, and the endorsements thereon, I most respectfully solicit, that, the following points connected with my case, may be brought to the notice of Govt., with the view, of obtaining for me a Special Gratuity, of 12 month's pay.

2. That after nearly 14 years hard work and continuous Service in India, during the best part of my lifetime, I was unexpectedly dismissed from the Service on the 31st march last, at 7 days notice, for no fault or failing of my own, and under circumstances over which, I had no control, and suddenly deprived of an income, averaging Rs. 547. a month,

3. That the usual gratuity to which I may be entitled under the uncovenanted Service Rules, for the period I have served subsequent to the term of Service qualifying me for a pension of 2/6 a day, ~~for the [illegible]~~ is but a small compensation for the immediate loss, sustained by the sudden and unexpected deprivation of my appointment,

4. Having had the honor to serve for the last five and a half years, under the immediate notice, and supervision, of the present Actg. Supdg. Engineer of the 7th Division, I humbly request that, that officer may be pleased, to support this my application, by forcibly recommending

the Same to Government.

5. Regarding Para 4 of the G. O. under reference, I beg that, Govt. may be informed, that it is my intention to proceed to England, by the last Steamer of this month leaving Bombay, and would therefore respectfully Solicit. that my Passage money. Gratuity. and Pension papers may be granted (Allowing me to draw my Pension in England) with as little delay as possible.

I have the honor to be.
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant.
J. Smith
1st Class Mech. Engineer

Cantonment
14th May 1870

In a letter from the
Supg Engineer to the
Secretary to Govt
No 38 of 23d May

Pd 2049/70

Mr J. Smith's letter
14th May 1870 to
6 months P.C.
to notice the
taken under which
he is entitled for

Recd No 4493/70.

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No. 78
Supg. Engineer's Office,
7th Division
Camp Rawany, 11th July 1870

From,
Lt Col. W. Farewell
Ag. Supg. Engineer, 7th Dn

To,
The Examiner
of Claims,
Madras-

Sir,

Enclosures 2-

In returning the Gratuity Roll of Mr Mechanical Engineer J. Smith, I have the honor to state that I consider his ~~or~~ age as entered in the above Roll, viz, 36 years, to be correct-

2. Mr Smith was paid during the time he was attached to the Lawrence Asylum Works on regular Passed Abstracts in Pub. Works Depart.-

Accountant General's Office
Recd 14 7 1870
Ansd

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt Servant
W Farewell Lt Col.
Ag. Supg. Eng. 7th Dn

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From,
The Supdg Engr. 7th Dn
To The Examiner of Claims
Madras
No 78
Dated 11th } July 1870
Recd

Enclosures 2

States that he considers Mr Mechanical Engr. J Smith's age of 36 years as entered to be Correct — and that he was paid on regular Passed Abstracts

Pens. L No 760/70

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1. Register of Application for Mechanical Engineer Mr. Smith d/19th May/70

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PENSION REPORT DEPARTMENT.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
The 6th July 1870.

To
The Superintending Engineer 7th Divis

The Undersigned has the honor to return the papers connected with the Pension........ Gratuity........ ~~Compassionate Allowance.~~ } case noted in the Margin, received with letter Memo. to the address of the Supdg Engr. D.P.W. Dept.
date 23rd May/70 No. 38 — for want of Nos. 5 & 39

It is particularly requested that an EARLY reply may be sent, and that this Memo. be re-transmitted.

H. Donald
Examiner of Claims.

1. Detail, with dates, of local posts. } Vide paras. 133-134-135 and 141, of chapter III of the
2. ,, ,, of pay. } Civil Auditor's Manual.
3. ,, of leaves enjoyed other than Privilege or preparatory, during the whole period of Service, vide Government Notification, published at page 540, 2nd Volume of the Gazette for 1863.
4. Full name in item 1 of the Register of application.
5. Certificate of age attested by Head of Department.
6. ,, that alleged services from to are proved from the records.
7. ,, of past character, vide page 99, 2nd Volume of the Official Gazette for 1862.
8. Explanation of apparent breaks.
9. ,, ,, degradation.
10. Insertion of desired place of payment.
11. Printed form of application for under the new Rules published at page 631, of the 2nd Volume of the Gazette for 1866.
12. Printed form of application for gratuity under the old Rules, which can be had from the Superintendent of Stationery.
13. One Register (printed) of all applications for gratuity should be sent to this Department, as required under the recent Orders of Government, instead of the separate manuscript Registers for each individual, herewith returned.
14. Insertion in item 15 of the Register of all descriptive marks agreeably to Notification published at page 802, of 2nd Volume of the Gazette for 1866.
15. Insertion in the Leave Statement, of the period of absence with loss of full and half pay, respectively, during the period of
16. Insertion (in red ink) in the detailed Statement of service, of the period during which the applicant without employ by
17. Insertion in of the Register, of the proposed amount of Gratuity
18. Information as to whether the applicant received any gratuity for past service in consequence of the abolition of his Office on the if so, a Copy of the order sanctioning such gratuity must be furnished.
19. For deletion of Remarks at foot of the Register, if the applicant did not receive any gratuity.
For the deletion of grounds of retirement, &c., other than those required under N. B. at foot of the Register.
Discharge Certificate from the Superintendent of Police shewing the period of the applicant's employment in the new Police, and why his services were dispensed with.

22. Testimonials of character or Certificates given to applicant by the Head of an Office, or, (in the absence of such Certificates,) an affidavit signed before a Magistrate, in support of the applicant's service from to which cannot be proved from the Official records.

23. Explanation of the cause of delay in submission of application until when the applicant appears from the statement of service to have ceased to do duty on the

24. Explanation why the applicant was retained in Government service from to when the Medical Certificate was dated vide Govrrnment Notification, published at pages 603 and 473, 1st and 2nd Volumes, respectively of the Official Gazette for 1866.

25. Explanation why the applicant was recommended in of the Register, for a gratuity of Rupees equal to months salary, when he is eligible to the gratuity of Rupees equal to months salary under the

Vide Inspector General's Circular No. 1517, dated 25th April 1868, Indian Medical Department.

Recd. Lr. 76/70

26. Medical Certificate in prescribed form shewing the applicant's inability to serve longer.
    - *a.* Vide Government Notifications, published at page 740 and 632, Volume 1 of Gazette for 1858 and 1863, respectively.
    - *b.* Agreeably to the Orders of Government, dated 14th June 1866, No. 224, as the applicant's service exclusive of the periods

      amounts to
    - *c.* Vide Government Notification, published at page 705, 1st Volume, and page 450, 2nd Volume of the Official Gazette for 1865 and 1866, respectively.

27. Explanation why Medical Certificate is dated after the applicant ceased to do duty, instead of on, or before, his retirement from Government service.

28. Transmission of the true Copy of the order of

29. Translation of the orders of under which the applicant as the cause of should be shewn in this Office report to Government.

30. Explanation as to whether the applicant applied for during his life, if so, when he applied, and when he died.

31. Explanation as to whether the applicant's heirs applied for the arrears of due to the applicant up to the date of decease, together with date of application for

32. Insertion in the 1st and 2nd sides of the Register, of the correct periods of years

as pencilled, instead of years.

33. Insertion in the Register of application as to whether the applicant for Compassionate allowance has been employed since the date of the abolition of Office in , and whether holds any employment at present.

34. English Translation of affidavit to be given, on the back of the same (herewith returned,) so as to enable this Department to report its tenor to Government.

35. Signature of the applicant, to be affixed at foot of affidavit in

36. Transmission of the Printed Memo, from this Department dated as required therein, as the cannot be disposed of without it.

37. Insertion in Clause 3 of item No. 7 in the 1st side of the Register, of the date, and No. of the Order of Government, under which the applicant was thrown out of employ by reduction of Establishment.

38. For deletion of the applicant's service of years before 22 years of age in item No. 9 of the 1st side, and at foot of the 2nd side of the Register, as the entire service rendered by up to

are required to be shown in the case of Compassionate allowance.

39. Information from what source the Applicant was paid during the time he was attached to the Lawrence Asylum works –

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No. 378

From
The Controller of P. W. Accounts

To
The Examiner
of Claims

Your Docket No. 863. A
dated 6th July 1870.

		Net pay	Allowances	Total
13th to 31st Jany 1867 at	,,	250	321-13-6	571-13-6
Febry	,,	250	302-2-,,	552-2-,,
March	,,	250	311-13-,,	561-13-,,
April	,,	250	305-2-8	555-2-8
May	,,	250	321-13-6	571-13-6
June	,,	250	305-2-8	555-2-8
July	,,	250	321-13-6	571-13-6
Augst	,,	250	321-13-6	571-13-6
Septr	,,	250	305-2-8	555-2-8
Octr	,,	250	321-13-6	571-13-6
Novr	,,	250	318-12-,,	568-12-,,
Decr	,,	250	289-4-6	539-4-6
Jany	1868	250	317-5-6	567-5-6
Febry	,,	250	300-1-5	550-1-5
March	,,	250	298-13-5	548-13-5
April	,,	250	292-10-8	542-10-8
May	,,	250	296-13-,,	546-13-,,
June	,,	250	302-5-4	552-5-4
July	,,	250	308-5-8	558-5-8
Augst	,,	250	298-13-,,	548-13-,,
Septr	,,	250	289-5-4	539-5-4
Octr	,,	250	321-5-6	571-5-6
Novr	,,	250	292-10-8	542-10-8
Decr	,,	250	298-13-,,	548-13-,,
Jany	1869	250	298-13-,,	548-13-,,
Febry	,,	250	291-2-,,	541-2-,,
March	,,	250	298-13-,,	548-13-,,
April	,,	250	302-5-4	552-5-4
May	,,	250	302-5-4	552-5-4
June	,,	250	296-5-4	546-5-4
July	,,	250	294-12-6	544-12-6
Augst	,,	250	285-13-,,	535-13-,,
Septr	,,	250	285-13-,,	535-13-,,
Octr	,,	250	285-13-,,	535-13-,,
Novr	,,	250	285-13-,,	535-13-,,
Decr	,,	250	273-13-,,	523-13-,,
Jany	1870	250	271-13-,,	521-13-,,
Febry	,,	250	272-13-,,	522-13-,,
March	,,	250	273-13-	523-13-,,

Mr. J. Smith, late Mechanical Engineer in the Neilgherry Range, was in the continuous employ of Government from the 13th January 1867 to the 31st March 1870, and he appears from the Salary Registers of this Office to have drawn during that period the Salary and allowances noted in the margin. This

Service

1870 Deptt

&c

From
The Controller of P.W. Accounts

To
The Examiner of Claims

Dated 13 } July 1870
Recd. }
No. 378

Services of Mr. J. Smith late Mechanical Engineer in the Neilgherry Range.

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Pens. L. No. 760/70

Office of the Controller of P.W. Accounts
Madras 13th July 1870

J. Wood
Controller of P.W. Accounts

Ansd 7 1870

Office of the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
Madras, 22d July 1870.

Official Memo:

No. 681

Your Official Memo: No. 908, dated 21st Instant.

The undersigned has the honor to furnish in the margin the information required regarding the nature of the extra allowances drawn by Mr. J. Smith in addition to his net salary of Rs. 250 per mensem while employed on the works at Wellington, and to invite the attention of the Accountant General to the orders of Government in the Public Works Department Nos. 1659 and 180, dated 8th July 1859 and 19th January 1865, respectively, in accordance with which, the allowances in question were passed by this Office.

Steam money at Rs. 2 per day
Extra pay for working beyond the ordinary Factory hours at the rate of Rs. 250 per month for 6 extra working hours per day
Extra steam money for Do. Do. Do. Rs. 2 per day
House rent at Rs. 25 per mensem
Ration money at Rs. 26 Do.
Allowance for 3 apprentices at 8 annas for working day for each apprentice.

Communicated to the Accountant General by Government.

J. L.

The rate of Ration money (Rs. 26 per mensem) passed to Mr. Smith, was that entered in the

Accountant General's Office
Received
Ansd 7 1870

D. G.

the Last Pay Certificate granted to
him by the authorities at Bombay
on his transfer to this Presidency.

S. Hodg

Controller of P. W. Accounts

To,
The Accountant General
Fort St George

Exmd

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W Carsmith Lieut Col.
Ag. Supg. Eng. 7th Dn

the Last Pay Certificate granted to

From
The Controller of
P.W. Accounts
Madras.
To
The Accountant Genl.
Fort St. George

Dated 22d
Recd. 9 July 1870.
No. 681

Furnishing the nature of allowances drawn by Mr. J. Smith.

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Pens. Lr. No. 760/70.

No. 38

Supg. Engineer's Office
7th Division,
Coimbatore 23d May/70

From,
Lieut Colonel W. Farwell
Dy Supg. Engineer,
7th Dn.

To,
The Secretary to Govt.
P.W. Deptt.,
Madras.

Sir,

Enclosures
1 Application for Gratuity.
2. Mr Smith's letter No. - of 14th May 1870.

With reference to G.O. No. 1159 dated 2d May 1870, I have the honor to submit the prescribed form for the Grant of a Gratuity to Mr. John Smith, 1st Class Mechanical Engineer attached to the Lawrence Asylum, together with a letter from him on the subject, for the favorable Consideration of Government. In this form the proposed amount of Gratuity has been left blank.

2, Mr Smith Completed the Service which entitles him to pension under his Covenant, on the 13th of January 1867. And has served on the Lawrence Asylum Works uninterruptedly from that date till the 31st March 1870, when under orders of Govt. his Services were dispensed with.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedt Servt.
W. Farwell Lieut Col.

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Pension Department

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letters from the

Ag. Superintending Engineer 7th Divn. / H.E. 19th and 23rd May 1870. No. 38. /
Report of the Examiner of Claims / -"- 26th July /70. No. 928 /
Controller of P.W. Accounts / -"- 28th -"- -"- No. 894 /

Order thereon Ootacamund
10. August /70. No. 371.

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Mr. J. Smith, served as a Warrant Officer in the Bombay Marine for ten years up to the 13th January 1867, when he completed the period necessary to entitle him to a pension of 2/6d per diem to which he was admitted by the Govt. of Bombay. Mr. Smith was then serving under the Executive Engineer of the Neilgherries. His

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this remark in last para:

Pension Dept.
1870
From No. 2149
The Ag. Supg. Engineer 7th Division
No. 493.
To The Secretary to Govt.
P.W.D.
Madras

No. 38
Dated 23rd May/70
Recd 2nd June 1870.
Enclosures 2
Submits the prescribed form for the grant of gratuity to Mr. J. Smith, 1st Class Mechanical Engineer attached to the Lawrence Asylum Works. — P. No. 371
Trans. Dept. 1870

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Transferred to the Pension Department with reference to the order in that Department dated 30th May 1870 No. 225.

Charles A. [illegible]
Secy. to Govt. P.W.D.

Fort St. George
31st May 1870

To
The Pension Department –

Accountant General's Office
Recd 6 6 1870
Ansd

Referred to the Accountant General for the usual verification.

Fort Saint George,
3rd June 1870.

Charles Maclean
Ag. Under Secy. to Government.

To
The Accountant General.

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Accountant General's Office
Recd 6 6 1870
Ansd

His pay was Rs 250 per mensem fixed salary, besides certain allowances denominated steam money, extra time allowance, house rent ration and apprentice money.

2 Mr Smith continued to be employed as a Mechanical Engineer on the Lawrence Asylum Works, from the 13th January 1867 till the 31st March 1870, when his services were dispensed with on reduction of establishment. During this period, amounting to y m d 3-2-19 he was serving under the U.C.S. Rules and is entitled to gratuity. He continued to ~~draw~~ receive salary and allowances at the same rates as when serving as a Marine Warrant Officer & but did not draw the pension which had been granted for that service. The Accountant General reports that the gratuity should be calculated on the fixed salary only, the fluctuating items being excluded.

3 The Government however are of opinion that the extra time allowance and steam money should be treated as salary, and that for the purpose of calculating the amount of the gratuity, the procedure laid down in the resolution of the Govt of India 28th June 1869, N 1428, Financial Departmen as regards Section write should be followed.

4 From the Memorandu of the Controller of Public Works Accounts, No 894 dated

dated 28th July 1870. it appears that during the last six months of his service Mr Smith drew, under the heads above referred to, Rs ~~104~~ 182-13-0 per mensem, and this sum being added to his fixed salary, the amount on which the gratuity is to be calculated is Rs ~~354~~ 432-13-0. He is therefore entitled to a gratuity of Rs ~~1064-7-0~~ 1298-7-0 which is sanctioned.

5. These proceedings will be reported to the Govt. of India.

H.S.B.

The orders may go out
Rs 1298-7-0 is the correct
sum

H.S.B

I am not sure that I clearly understand the Controller's memorandum but it appears to me from its wording that Mr Smith is entitled to a larger sum than that named in this para. In the preceding para it is said that certain allowance & steam money should be treated as salary. Now the Rs 104-13 does not seem to include the Rs 52 of steam allowance & the other item of Rs 26. Is not Mr Smith entitled to count his salary for gratuity at Rs 250 + 52 + 26 + 104-13 = 432-13 ? AJA.

To
The Ag. Supdt. Engineer of [illegible] Divn
" Accountant General
" Controller of P. W. Accounts
" P. W. Department

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Pen: 1st March 1867 No. 89
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Govt. of {1870} Madras.

Pension

~~F. No. 377 of 1873 &~~
F. No. 564 of 1873

To
The Supg Engineer
7th Division.

Dated August 10th } 1870, No 371
Recd.

~~Nos.~~

Granting a gratuity of Rs 1298-7-0 to Mr J. Smith late Mechanical Engineer of the Lawrence Asylum Works at Ootacamund

Mr Smith is most anxious to return to England

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