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Pension DEPARTMENT.

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FROM

THE HON. R. S. ELLIS, C.P.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I am directed to transmit, for the favourable consideration and orders of the Government of India, the marginally-noted Proceedings, recommending the grant to Aratlakatla Venkiah of an inferior pension of Rupees (4) four per mensem in lieu of a gratuity of Rupees 90, under the circumstances stated therein.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

FORT ST. GEORGE,
16th October 1872.

*Acting Under Secy. to Govt.,
for Chief Secretary.*

Proceedings of Government, Pension Department.

Read the following papers:—

From the Acting Collector of Ganjam, dated 25th July 1872.

„ Officiating Deputy Accountant-General, dated 26th September 1872,
No. 57.

ORDER THEREON, 16th October 1872, No. 756.

Application is made for the grant of an inferior pension to Aratlakatla Venkiah, late Head Shroff, Chicacole Taluq, Ganjam, whose total service amounts to thirty-seven years, nine months, and eighteen days. Of this period, however, the first two years, eleven months, and twenty-three days was passed on the establishment of an estate under the management of the Court of Wards, and does not reckon as service towards pension; the applicant's *qualifying* service, therefore, amounts to only thirty-four years, nine months, and twenty-five days, and his claim is reduced to one of gratuity equal to six months' pay, viz., Rupees 90.

2. The Acting Collector is in error in supposing that the applicant is entitled to reckon service on the estate establishment under the rules. A reference to G. O., 28th May 1856, No. 202, Public Department, in which the practice of allowing service on zemindary estates to reckon towards pension originated, shows that such service was never admitted except in the case of public servants *already on the permanent establishment* and transferred from it to an estate establishment. In the present case employment under the Court of Wards was the commencement of service.

3. As, however, the applicant's service falls short by so brief an interval (two months and five days) of the period which would entitle him to an inferior pension, His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves to submit his case for the favourable consideration of the Government of India with the view to the grant of an invalid pension of Rupees 4 on the inferior scale under Section 63 (c) of the Civil Pension Code, and, pending their decision, to sanction payment of the gratuity of Rupees 90, to which Venkiah is entitled under the rules, by monthly instalments of Rupees 4 with effect from the date of retirement, 19th September 1871.

(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

1872.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George,
To
The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated 16th October 1872.

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Enclosure.

Transmitting, for favourable consideration and orders, Proceedings of Government recommending the grant of an invalid pension of Rupees 4 a month to A. Venkiah, late Head Shroff of Chicacole Taluq, Ganjam District.

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Fort St. George
16th Oct. 1872

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Dated 16 *October* 1872.

*Transmitting for favorable
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of our island's position of 1872, a
note to J. P. New York date
the 8th of October.
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