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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	832	Press Mis.
Dated	9-12-	1872

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I, William Haus Blacker Sub Regimen serving in
the Salem Range do solemnly declare
that besides the periods of leave which may be
proved by official records, I have had sick leave
for fourteen months between the years 1842 and
1854 in two periods of 8 months and six months.
I cannot give the dates of these leaves because
I speak only from memory and have no notes
or record from which to find the dates.
I cannot be sure as to the actual period of sick
leave but I believe that the periods which I have
given are correct within a little more or
a little less. The other periods of leave
and breaks of service which are shown in my
application for pension may be verified by
official records.

Wm. Haus Blacker
Salem, 30th July 1872. Sub Regimen
Salem Range
The above affidavit was solemnly declared before
10th
or 11th

rec on the above date.

H. G. Kuor

Assistant Magistrate

Recd by Mr. Kuor
20 Aug 1872 No. 3904
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Superintg. Engin^r Office 5th Divⁿ
Camp Bangalore 14th August 1872.

From,

The Superintg. Engineer
5th Division D.D.

To,
The Examiner of Claims
Fort St. George,
Madras.

Sir,

Enclosures 2.

1 Application
for Pension.

1 Affidavit.

I have the honor to forward
an Application for Pension from
Sub Engineer Mr. W. H. Blacker
accompanied by an affidavit.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obt. servt.

Accountant General's Office
Recd 16 8 1872
Ans'd

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E A Mrd Col. R.

Superintg. Engineer
5th Divⁿ.

Return for medical
Certificate & for submission
to the Board who will communicate
to me the result he wants me to do.

No 202

No

Supy. Engin's Office 5th Divⁿ
Camp Salem 17th Augt 1872

From

The Superintending Engineer
5th Division

To

The Deputy Sectt General,
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 20th of August No 3,904, I have the honor to inform you that Mr. W. H. Blacker went to Trichinopoly for the purpose of obtaining a Medical Certificate in the prescribed form but the Deputy Inspector General did not furnish him with a Certificate considering that his case had been already decided, Mr. Blacker having been placed on the pension establishment vide Fort St George Gazette page 1480.

2. I have now as requested in your letter, forwarded Mr. Blacker's Application for Pension to the Controller Public

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From
The Deputy Engineer
5th Division

To
The Engineer
of Trains,
Fort St. George

Dated 14th 3 August 1872

No 173
Enclosed 2.

Forwarded an Application
for Pension from
Sub Engineer Mr
W. H. Blacker -

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Public Works Accounts for check of
his serving and for retransmission to
your Office.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant.

E A Mord Coll, A.C.
Supy. Engineer, 5th Division

Accountant General's Office
Recd 19 9 1892
Ans'd

PA

From
The Supy Engrs
5th Div

To The Dy. Acctt. Genl.
Madras.

Dated 17th }
Recd: } Sept: 17/2
N^o 202

Intimating that
Mr. Blacker's Appli-
cation for Pension to
the Controller P. W.
Accounts has been
forwarded.

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Office of the Controller of
P. W. Accounts.
Fort Saint George, 26th September
1872

From,

The Controller of P. W. Accounts

To,

The Accountant General,
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward

Enclosures 2.

1. Application
for Pension.
1. Affidavit

Mr. Blacker's application for pension,
which was received from the Superintending
Engineer of the 5th Division, for the verifi-
cation of Mr. Blacker's service, and for
re-transmission to you direct. —

2. On reference to the records of
this Office, the services of Mr. Blacker as
noted in the subjoined statement can be
verified. —

3. During the period of his services
as below, Mr. Blacker was absent from duty on sick leave
with a moiety of pay, from 22nd November
1867 to 21st February 1868 and from 1st June
to 15th August 1869, a period of 4 months
and 15 days. —

Services

Services of Mr. W. H. Blacker.

From 1st June to 31st December 1856. Assistant Revenue Surveyor. 143-12-0
 1st January 1857 to 30th April 1862. Supervisor 1st Grade. 200--"--
 1st May 1862 to 16th November 1863 acting sub engineer 3rd Grade on full pay 250--"--
 17th November 1863 to 13th June 1864. Supervisor 1st Grade 200--"--
 14th June 1864 to 30th -- 1865 acting sub engineer 3rd Grade 225--"--
 1st July 1865 to 28th August 1872 sub engineer 3rd Grade 250--"--

I have the honor to be
 Sir,
 Your most Obedient Servant

Accountant General's Office
 Recd 27 9 18 62
 Ans'd

S. Hoell

Controller of D. W. Accounts.

W. H. Blacker

To be returned with reply
on reverse

AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
8th October 1872.

FROM
THE DEPUTY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS.

TO
THE Superintending Engineer
5 Division.

See. Vide your office letter No. 202 dated 17 Sept.
last in connection with the application for
pension on behalf of Mr. Maccher.

With reference to the statement
in the above letter that the Deputy
Inspector General would not furnish Mr.
Maccher with a Medical Certificate of
unfitness, on the plea that his case had
already been decided he having been placed
on the Pension Establishment, the Under-
signed has the honor to state that ~~this~~
~~circumstance~~ does not in any way prevent
a Medical officer from certifying to
his unfitness for further ~~effective~~ ^{medical certificate}
service, and that ~~to be~~ ^{as in the}
form prescribed in a. or b. to section 51.
(as the case may be) and d. Rule I to sec
50 of the Civil Pension Code is indispens-
ble. Please furnish explanation on
following points.

What was the cause of applicant's degradation
from the office of Asst Surveyor 2^d Class & that
of Sub Asst Surveyor, and forward copies of
orders in connection with the degradation
and restoration on appeal to his former
rank and pay. and please give the dates of
beginning and termination of service in the
Office in which he was degraded -
Why is the remark "restored on appeal"
entered in the Column for remarks opposite
to

From
The Controller of
P. & M. Accounts
To
The Accountant General
Madrass.

Dated 26th { September 1872
Decd:

No 844

Forwarding Mr. Blackfield
Application for Pension &
verifying his services in
the Department.

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DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, MAINE.

No.

FROM

THE DEPUTY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MAINE.

TO

Dated 8th October 1922
Recd. 10 } (No. of Answer)
Ans'd. }

SUBJECT.

Calling for 84 Blankets
on certain basis in a
connection with the appli-
cation of the Discharge
Fund for Prisoners, and
may that a similar con-
sideration be provided for
in the provision in the
in which provided in the

to the last item but one in the Service Register.
was the applicant under suspension &c.
during that period.

Please furnish a copy of G.O. No 3.
Dated 4 January/64 -

An early reply is solicited.

Donald
By Accountant General

Mr. Blacker states that he does not possess
the documents to afford the information called
for. He can only state from memory that the cause
of his degradation was an imputation of carelessness
in conducting a line of levels when in the Godavari
Division which led to some mistake. The work however
referred to was in a part of the District where he was
scarcely ever employed & that on his appeal to the Board of
Revenue, he has reason to believe his restoration was mainly
effected. The remarks in the Service Register "Restored on Ap-
-peal" he states does not refer to any suspension but that
he was merely required to revert from Actg. Sub-Engineer on full
to Supervisor 1st grade. This was on a representation made by
Colonel Hemery but that after rendering full explanation
that Officer he obtained his Actg. Appointment & on ap-
-pealing personally to Colonel Orr was shortly after confirmed
that grade.

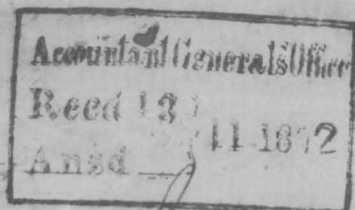
Supg Engr's Office 5th
Punjab 5th Novr. 1872

EU and Col R.E.
Supg Engineer, 5th Div.

Enclosure

1 Medical Certificate

1 copy of G.O. No 3 dated 4 January/64



P. R.

Public Works Department.
Proceedings of the Madras Government
Read the following from
the Superintending Engineer 3rd
Division.

Requests to be informed if the
appointment of Mr. Super-
visor Blacker to act as
Sub Engineer is cancelled
by the promotions published
in the Fort Saint George
Gazette page 878, the Controll.
-or having disallowed pay
as Sub-Engineer to Mr.
Blacker from that date.

Here enter 21st Decem-
ber 1863, No 239.

Order thereon 4th January/64. No 3.

The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division will be informed
that the promotions referred to in
this letter cancel the appointment
of Mr. Blacker to act as Sub
Engineer 3rd Class.
In the Superintending En-
gineer's report dated 1st October
1863

1863, Mr. Blacker was reported
to be "wanting in energy of late
and to require occasional stir-
ring up."

(True Extract.)

Signed Charles A. Orr, Lt. Col.
Secretary to Govt. O.W.D.

(True Copy.)

Bellamy
19 August
1870

William Lincoln
Executive Engineer
for Suptg Engineer 3rd Div.

We, the undersigned Presi-
dent and Members of a Special
Medical Invaliding Committee,
assembled at Philadelphia this
the 1st day of September 1872
by order of the Brigadier General
Commanding Southern District
do hereby certify, that, we have
carefully examined Mr. W. B.
Blacker, late Sub Engineer
of the Department of Public Works,
and are of opinion, that, he
is unfit for further service,
from premature decay and
infirmity, the result of disease,
not, in our opinion, attributable
to any intemperance or
other irregular habits.

W. J. Huston
Lieut. General
Adj. Gen. of the Army

President

Arthur S. Coke
Surgeon Major
Garrison Surgeon Philadelphia

Edw. Mearns M.D.
Assistant Surgeon
26th Regt. N. I.

Members

Special Medical Invaliding Committee

APPLICATION FOR { PENSION
GRATUITY.

1. Name of Applicant. *William Hans Blacker*

2. Father's name. *Henry Blacker*

3. Sect or Caste. *Eurasian*

4. Residence. *Salem*

5. Present or last employment. *Sub. Engineer 3rd Grade*

6. Date of beginning of service *16th August 1842*

7. Date of end of service *16th August 1872*

	Y.	M.	D.
8. Length of service including breaks	...	...	...
of which superior	...	...	...
inferior	...	...	...
non-qualifying and breaks	...	...	...

9. Class of {pension } applied for, and cause of application* } *Superannuation Pension, from inability to serve long - w. also vide G.O. No. 568, 11th March 1872*

10. [Average] emoluments or pay. *Rs. 250 - 4 - 0*

11. Proposed pension. *Rs. 125 - 0 - 0*

12. Proposed gratuity. *Rs. 125 - 0 - 0*

13. Date from which to commence. *17th August 1872*

14. Place of payment. *Madras*

15. Age of Applicant on this date. *49 years 10th months 29 days on the above date, viz. 17th August 1872*

16. Height. *Five feet 6 inches*

17. Marks. *Has been tattooed with the monogram W.H.B on the right fore-arm.*

18. Date. *Supg. Engr's Office 2nd Aug Camp Bangalore 14th Aug 1872*

*If the application is for a compensation pension or gratuity, the nature of the change of establishment which has given rise to the claim should be fully stated.

E A Ford *Ch. Bt.*
Superintg. Engineer
SIGNATURE OF THE HEAD OF OFFICE.

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HISTORY OF THE SERVICE (SHOWING BREAKS) OF Mr. W. H. Blacker, Sub Engineer 3 rd grade S.D.W.											
Establishment.	Appointment.	Pay.		Acting allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of end.	Period reckoned as service.		Remarks.	How verified.	Remarks by Accountant-General.
		RS.	A. P.				Y.	M.			
Board of Revenue S.D.W.	Sub. Eng. 1st class	103	88	RS.	16 th August 1862	1865			Passed a Certificate on Examination for the S.D.W. age on institution of 1865 - 1867 pay Rs. 30 - 11 - 10. Not pay - 65 - 11 - 10.	72 832 879 Dec/72	Appointee of the first period of service thought verified to count for pension being before 22 years of age - verified partly from the records of this office and partly from those of the Controller of Public Works accounts. Applicant does not appear to have drawn any acting allowance during the last 5 years of his service. Applicant's qualifications satisfactory. deducting period of service before 22 years of age & leave is approx - 26 - 4 - 27 and not 24 26 1/2 - 11 - 10. As seen by the Superintending Engineer.
	2 nd Class	141	4		1866	1867			Not pay - 100 - 11 - 10.		
	Sub. Eng. 1st class	103	88		1867	1868			Not pay - 100 - 11 - 10.		
	Superior 1st Grade	200		Not pay	1868	1869	2	8	Not pay on appeal		
	Sub. Eng. 1st class	200		Not pay	1869	1870	5	3	Service as Minor years 2-1-2, which time 14 months		
	Superior 1st Grade	200		Not pay	1870	1871	1	2	Not pay on full pay		
	Sub. Eng. 1st class	200		Not pay	1871	1872	6	9	Not pay on full pay		
	Superior 1st Grade	200		Not pay	1872	1873	6	9	Not pay on full pay		
	Sub. Eng. 1st class	200		Not pay	1873	1874	6	9	Not pay on full pay		
	Superior 1st Grade	200		Not pay	1874	1875	6	9	Not pay on full pay		
Total period of {superior} service... {inferior}							26	4	3	7	11

S.D.W. 832 879

REMARKS BY HEAD OF OFFICE.

- As to character and past conduct of Applicant.
- Explanation of any suspension or degradation.
- Regarding any gratuity or pension already received by Applicant. See Chapter XX.
- Explanation under Section 47, Rule 1, so far as the Head of the Office can give it.
- Any other remarks.

During the time Mr. Blacker has been in the Salem District he has not given satisfaction. While employed as a Surveyor, the amount of work done by him was considered insufficient and since he has been employed on General duties under a Range Officer, he is reported as not having exerted himself.

E. A. Ford Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer, S.D.W.
SIGNATURE

CERTIFICATE AND REPORT OF ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

CERTIFIED that (subject to the remarks below recorded) qualifying service in {inferior} grades has been duly proved for 26 years 4 months and 24 days; and that an Invalid {pension} not exceeding Rs. 125 - - - per mensem, is admissible under Section 50 (C) of the Civil Pension Code. The calculations have been duly verified. The Applicant according to the Statement of the Controller of Public Works accounts appears to have drawn pay up to 28th August last and not up to 16th June as entered in the 1st Side of the Register, hence his pension should commence from 16th June and not from 14th August, as entered opposite 14th 13 in the Register of Appointments. The cause of Applicant's degradation has been explained by the Superintending Engineer in his reply to objection memo: dated 8th October last herewith accompanying. -
For the Secretary to Government Pension Department -
E. A. Ford Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer, S.D.W.
SIGNATURE

To the Secretary to Government Pension Department -

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**PENSION OR
GRATUITY**

20th July 1892

William Hans Blacker

Sub Engineer 3^d Grade

Superior and a few London

Amount of gratuity sanctioned.

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The

cas 5th Division Dec. 9/12/
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Order thereon 9th Dec^r 1872. Passes.

Under Section 19 & 26 (c) of the
Civil Pension Code His Excellency
the Governor in Council is pleased
to grant to Mr. William Blacker late
Sub Engineer 3rd Grade S. Division
an invalid pension of Rs 125.00
per mensem equal to a moiety
of his salary for the last 5 years
payable at Madras from the
29th August 1872

29th August 1872

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