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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	<u>299</u>	Press Mis.
Dated	<u>5-6-</u>	<u>1873.</u>

Not to be folded or roughly handled

To

His Excellency the Right
Honble Thomas Geo. Baring
Baron Northbrook Viceroy
and Governor General of India
in Council
Calcutta

The humble Memorial of Subhan
Venkatswamy late Inspector & Book-
binder of the Pay Office Hyderabad
Circle Secunderabad

Most humbly sheweth-

That your Excellency's Memo-
rialist served the British Government in the
late Pay Office of the Hyderabad Circle for a
period of 22 years 3 months and 14 days and
the Madras Government without taking
into consideration his claims for pension
awarded a gratuity of Rs. 84/- equal to six months
pay in the Proceedings of that Government
No. 405 of 16th May 1872 of which a copy is
appended-

Your

Your Excellency's Memorialist
petitioned the Madras Government re-
-presenting his claims for pension but that
Government summarily refused in their
Order No. 734 of October 1873. to reconsider
their first order on the subject without
assigning any reason - Considering your
Excellency as the proper authority to seek
for redress when that has been denied him
by the Government of Madras, your Excy's
Memorialist has no other alternative left
to him than to submit to your Excellency's
mercy his humble appeal with the hope
that your Excellency will be pleased to bestow
your Excellency's kind & generous con-
-sideration in the prayer herein contained -

Your Excellency's Memorialist
is entitled to pension in accordance with
the rule of 1869, under which your petitioner
is fully aware several other Mootchees
were pensioned - This ruling was in force
up to the time when the above Office was
abolished, and just at a moment when the
Civil Pension Code, under which Mootchees
were debarred from enjoying pensionary
allowance

allowance, came into force.

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The Madras Government having
to act in accordance with orders passed
by the Government of India refused
to place the services of your Excellency's
Memorialist in the class of servants quali-
fying for pension, but as your Excellency's
Memorialist is fully aware that this sudden
appearance of the new ruling was not
intended to have a detrimental effect in
classes of servants who have all the while
entertained the fullest hope of being
remunerated for their long and faithful
service and without the least shadow
of doubt of his ever being so summarily
deprived of the indulgence which is granted
by a generous and paternal Government,
Your Excellency's Memorialist humbly
begs that his claims may be taken into
consideration more especially on the
following grounds

1st. Because Mootchees were
pensioned in the Madras Presidency
in accordance with Government M. G.

Order

Order No 228 of the 4th August 1869 vide
Fort St. George Gazette as per margin.

2nd Because your Excellency's Memorialist
cannot be justified in being deprived of his
right just because the Civil Pension Code does
not authorize.

3rd Because your petitioner's services
were dispensed with by the Government themselves
and that too just when your Petitioner's claims
to Pension were being about to be laid before them.

4th Because your petitioner not only
served as Mootchee but also served in the capacity
of Book Binder drawing in that account a
salary of Rs. 14 and performing both duties
and thereby entitled to Pension. The fact
of your Excellency's Memorialist having
performed both duties can best be verified
by Col. Fraser, Presidency Paymaster Madras
and by the salary drawn by your Excellency's
Memorialist which is more than an ordinary
Mootchee can be entitled.

5th Further under section 39, any
person drawing a salary of above Rs. 10 is
to be considered to come under the denomination
of persons eligible for pension and your

Order thereon 4th
August 1869 No 228

His Excellency
the Governor in
Council is of opinion
that Mootchees who
it is observed
usually perform
book binding
work in the Office
to which they are
attached are within
the scope of
the despatch of the
Secretary of State

8729 January
1869 No. 123 received
in proceedings
of this Department
of 6th April 1869
No. 123, and are
eligible to pension
if permanently
employed & in
receipt of pay
above 10 Rupees
per mensem.

By order of His
Excellency the
Governor in Council.
Signed, R. S. Ellis
Chief Secretary

Excellency's Memorialist being a professional
bookbinder, having bound all the Pay
Office records from the last 22 years, is
legally entitled to pension and humbly
begs that his prayer will meet with due
consideration.

Your Excellency's Memorialist
has faithfully served the British Govern-
ment for a period of nearly 22 years with
the perfect hope that his services will at
last be compensated by pension in order
to enjoy the fruits of his labor in the evening
of his life - your petitioner to his great
disappointment has been placed in a sad
predicament as his prayer to be pensioner has
not been taken into consideration by the
Madras Government more especially
at a period when your humble petitioner,
after devoting the whole tenure of his service
to Government is left in a barren desert,
wherein he can do no further service.

Should your Excellency be
not so gracious as to hear your Excellency's
Memorialist's representations, he will certainly
be reduced to such extreme want and
poverty.

poverty as to beg for his bread from door to door; after having spent the best and active period of his life under your Excellency's Government.

For the favorable consideration and justice of your Excellency's Memorialist's case he shall as in duty bound ever pray.

Secunderabad } R. S. Venkatswamy
30th March 1873 }

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Enclosing
Registrar Financial Department

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To,

The Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras

Financial Deptt Sir,

With reference to the accompanying copy of a Memorial from S. Venkatswamy late Moochee and Book-binder of the Pay Office, Hyderabad Circle Secunderabad, appealing against the decision of the Government of Madras refusing to sanction the grant to him of a pension, I am directed to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, you will be good enough to inform the appellant that his claim to pension is inadmissible.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

J. Barrow

Offs Under Secy to the Govt of India

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The 17th May 1873 }

Nov: 7th & October 1892 & 1931

John J. Deane
H. J. Deane
H. J. Deane
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Dec 24 17:18

No. 430. No. 324.

Respectfully
Inform J. Deane
Late Deane and both
of the Bay Office
which is under
that in claim
is under

With an order No. 999

Post
C. J. Deane
Commenced to J. Deane
Accordingly.

To J. Deane
Dec 23 17:18