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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension **DEPARTMENT.**

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Dated 3-11-1873.

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PENSION DEPARTMENT.

No. 562.

FROM

THE HON. W. HUDLESTON,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I am directed to submit the following case for the favourable consideration of the Government of India under the provisions of Section 75 of the Pension Code.

2. Trichinopoly Abdul Cawder was employed as a Peon in the Police and Bazaar Department on the 1st May 1833, and states that he was continuously employed until the 31st January 1873.

3. His service from the 1st May 1833 to the 1st March 1841 has been verified, but his name cannot be found in the records from that time until the 1st October 1863, after which there is no doubt of his having served until the 31st January 1873.

4. Though Abdul Cawder's service from 1841 to 1863 is not to be traced in the records, there is good reason to believe that it was really continuous as he has produced the following testimonials from Officers holding the post of Commandant on the Nilgiris:—

(1.) From Major Gunning, dated 1st June 1844, certifying to his having served him as Peon for nearly four years.

(2.) From Major Hall, dated 18th April 1850, to the effect that Abdul Cawder was a Peon on the establishment of the Officer Commanding the Hills for the two years he held that post.

(3.) From Lieutenant-Colonel Babington, dated 17th April 1854, to the effect that Abdul Cawder had been for many years one of the "House Peons" to the Officer Commanding the Nilgiris.

(4.) From Lieutenant-Colonel Cameron, without date, to the effect that Abdul Cawder was an "Orderly Peon" during the time he held the command.

(5.) From Lieutenant-Colonel Pritchard, Commanding Nilgiris, dated 30th June 1859, to the effect that Abdul Cawder served under him as an Orderly Peon.

5. Under the circumstances above stated His Excellency the Governor in Council is satisfied that Abdul Cawder spent a period of close upon forty years in the service of Government, of which the gratuity of Rupees 24, to which he is entitled under a strict application of the rules, would be a very inadequate recognition, and recommends accordingly that he be admitted, as a special case, to a pension of Rupees 4 per mensem, to which he would have been entitled if his services had been verified in the usual manner.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

OOTACAMUND,
3rd November 1873.

Chief Secretary.

Exd. A. S. Brodgers.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George,

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated 3rd November 1873.

Read.

No. 562.

Enclosure.

Recommending the grant, as a special case, of a pension of Rupees 4 per mensem to Trichinopoly Abdul Cawder, late Peon in the Joint Magistrate's Office, Ootacamund.

Read

Military Department

No. 2543.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultati
Under date the 1st July, 1841.

Read the following letter

To

The Secretary to Government
Military Departmen

Sir,

With reference to G. O. G. dated 2nd February last, abolishing Ootacamund as a Military Bazar Station & to the Minutes of Consultation under date 17th of May 1841. directing the Superintendence of the Abkaree Contract on the Neilgherries & be transferred to the Civil Authorities agreeably

agreeably to existing Regulations. I have the honor to solicit the instructions of Government how I am to draw the pay in future of the Military Establishment of Police &ca attached to the Cantonment at Ootacamund, the same having hitherto been paid out of the proceeds of the Abkaree Contract, and the Clothing consisting of Cloth for one Coat each yearly to the Cutwal 2 Duffadars and 20 Peons furnished on Indent by the Commissary General.—

The Military Establishment consists as follows.—

1 Writer ————	Rupees 42	pr Month
1. Cutwall ————	" 42	pr Do
2. Duffadars, at Rs 10½ each ..	21 ——	Do
20 Peons, at 6 Rs each ————	120 ——	Do

Ootacamund —
22nd June 1841

(Sigd) J. Gunning, Captn
Staff Officer Neilgherries.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be transferred to the Revenue Department.—

(Signed) J. A. Steel, Lt Col
Secretary to Govt.

Compd
Thos. Fonseca.

No. 26425

Recd. 22d. July 1841 at 10 o'C A.M.
Entd & Retd. at 4 o'C P.M.

J. C. M
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No. 8144

Extract Mins Cons:
in the Military Dept.
Dated 17th
Recd 3rd July, 1841.

Transferring to this Dept. a letter from the Staff Officer on the Neilgherries requesting to know how he is to draw the pay &c of the Poly: Police Establt. at Ootacamund in consequence of the superintendence of the Hills having been transferred to the Civil Authorities.

With an Order

No 977

Ordered, that the foregoing Extract be communicated to the Board of Revr., who will issue the necessary instructions to the Collector of Malabar to make arrangements for the payment of the Police Establishment attached to the Cantonment at Ootacamund.

The Clothing for the Establishment will continue to be furnished on Indent by the Commissary General, as heretofore.

W.S.

Fort St. George,
17 July 1841.

M. Lewis
Chief Secretary.

To the Bd. of Revr. Dispd. 17
Military Depto. 97
Acct. Genl. Entd. 21 July } Dr. Secy. to Govt.
Civil Aud. Recd. 19th July 1841 at 4 o'C P.M.
Entd & Retd. 21st Do. at 1 o'C Do.

Recd 5 PM 17.
Ent. & Retd. 5 PM 19th July 1841

Secretary

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OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

Pension Department.

No. 22 MADRAS

Dated 26 August 1873

Received

Of The Under Secretary to Government, Public, &c., Department is directed with reference to the enclosed application for compassionate allowance, to request the Controller of Military Accounts to state whether any trace can be found in the records of his Office of the service of Abdool Cawder in the appointments specified in the testimonials produced by him. The previous enquiry seems to have been limited to the service described in the

the register of applicatn.

In the event of any service being proved, information is requested as to whether it qualifies for pension –

(By Order)

(Signed) J. Stewart

Ag Under Secy

To

The Controller of Military Accounts.

No. A

From

The Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St. George,

To

The Under Secretary to Government
Pension Department.

Sir,

In returning the documents received with your [illegible] of the 26th ultimo No. 22, I have the honor to inform you that, the records of this Office have been carefully examined with a view to verify the services of Abdool Cawder in the appointments specified in the Testimonials produced, but such services are not traceable therein.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

OFFICE OF CONTR. OF MILY. ACCOUNTS,
Fort Saint George,
18th September, 1873.

W. Leech Colonel
Conducting duties of Controller of Military Accounts.

Pension 1873 Department.
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From
The Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St. George,

To
The Under Secretary
to Government
Pension Department

No. A

Dated 18 September
Received 1873.

Enclosures 14

Endorsement.

Informs that the services of Abdool Cawder in the Testimonials produced are not traceable

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No 87

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I do hereby certify that I have carefully examined Abdool Cawder Peon in the Joint Magistrate's office Ootacamund that his age is, by his own statement 73 years and by appearance about 70 years and that I find him to be unfit for further Service from old age and infirmity and not, in my opinion, attributable to intemperance or other irregular habits

Jn. Pearl Surgeon
Med. officer in charge
Civil Dispensary
Ootacamund

Ootacamund
21st October 1872

Countersigned
Offg: Commissioner

Copies of Testimonials

Abdool Caudir has served under me as a personal Peon for nearly four years having previously held that post in the Choultry at Ootacamund since the first Establishment of the Bazar and I can recommend as a very honest active and willing servant in every respect - He is also a very useful and intelligent house or waiting servant

Ootacamund }
1st June 1844 }

(Sgd) J Gunning Major
late on the Neilgherries

This is to Certify that Peon Abdool Cauder attached to the Establishment of the Officer Commanding the Hills conducted himself to my satisfaction during the 2 years I held the command

Ootacamund
April 18. 1850

(Sgd) H. Hall Major
49th Regt

"Abdool Khader" has been many years one of the "House Peons" to the Officer Commanding Neilgherries - During the two years he has been such to me, his conduct has been excellent
He is a very good man

Ootacamund
April 17. 1854

(Sgd) C. Babington
Lt Col. Late Commandant
Neilgherries

Fort St. George

Bm. dal Cat 75/73.

Ootacamund
1st November 1857

The bearer Abdool Khader, was one of the Orderly Peons attached to the Office of Commandant, during the period I held the Command of the Hills, in the course of which time I found him attentive, and intelligent in the discharge of his duties

(Sgd) G. S. Cameron Lt Col
Commdt & J. Magte
Neilgherries

Peon Abdul Khader served as Orderly Peon under me, and I always found him very attentive to his duties

Ootacamund }
30th June 1859 }

(Sgd) H. Pritchard Lt Col
Commandg Neilgherries

The Bearer by name "Abdool Cauder" was in my service for six months, during which time he gave me satisfaction.

Conoor }
7th January 1861 }

(Sgd) G. A. Geach
Captn Bombay Army

(True Copies)

Asst Commissioner

Pen: Cert 35/73.

Replies

1. It was thought that the Offices of the Asst Collector and Special Asst Collector at Ootacamund were both one and the same. The Office Copy of the Register is altered however agreeably to the Memo under reply

2. Although the Application of the Actg Joint Magistrate on behalf of the Applicant, was received in October 1872, the substitute for the Head Accountant (who was absent on privilege leave) being little experienced in the duties, retained the papers till the Head Accountant had joined his appointment. Abdool Cauder was consequently detained in Employment by the Joint Magistrate till the Application was sent away

3. He is a short but thin looking man, with long gray beard without a single tooth. Complexion dark-brown, has a mole on the left side and a slight scar on the head inclining towards the left side

Accountant General's Office
Recd 17 2 1873
Ansd

Commissioner's Office }
Ootacamund }
15th February 1873 }

Asst Commissioner

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To The Offg Depy Accountant General
Fort St. George

Audit Department. To be returned with reply on reverse

No.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
7 February 1873.

From The Dy Accountant General
to the Government of Madras,

To The Controller of Military Accounts.
Madras.

Sir, The Undersigned has the hon
to request that the Controller will be
good enough to inform him whether
the service of Abdool Cauder from
1 Aug/33 to 30 Sept/53 as shewn
in the accompanying register can
be verified from the records of his
office if so to state.

1. whether such service reckons for pension.
2. Whether the applicant obtained any leave that does not reckon for pension.

An early reply is solicited.

W. Donald
Offg Dy Accountant Genl.

Recd the 8th/2/73

No. 1023. Memorandum

As requested in Memorandum from the Officiating Deputy Accountant General, dated 7th February 1873, the Acting Controller of Military Accounts has the honor to inform the Accountant General that the services of Abdool Cauder have been verified from the records of this Office as Peon in the Military Police and Bazaar Establishment at Ootacamund from 1st May 1833 to 14th March 1841, the latter being the date on which he was discharged.—

2. His services before and after the above dates are not traceable in the records either of this or of the Commissariat Examiner's Office—

3. The above service can be reckoned for the Inferior Invalid Pension, and during that period the Peon obtained no leave.—

Office of Contr. Mily Accts
Fort St. George, 15th March 1873

Parker Colonel
For Contr. of Mily Accounts

To The Accountant General.

Accountant General's Office
Recd 17/3/1873
Ansd __

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Recd 9-2-73.

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To be returned with reply on reverse

Audit Department.

~~No.~~

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
24th March 1873.

From The Dy Accountant General
to the Government of Madras,

To The Controller of Military Accounts
Madras—

~~Sir,~~

With reference to the statement of the Controller in memo: No. 1023. of the 15 instant, that the applicant Trichinopoly Abdool Cauder was discharged on the 14th March/41. the Undersigned has the honor to enquire whether his discharge from service was owing to ~~any~~ reduction of Establishment, or to any fault on his part, and to request to be informed in what year subsequent to 1841. the Police & Bazar Departt which was a Military Establishment abolished.

If the above Departt existed till September 1863. please inform whether there were peons in that Estabt. on a pay of Rs. 6-10-8. per mensem each. The application & copies of testimonials given to the applicant by different officials are herewith sent for reference & retransmission.

An early reply is solicited—

Donald
Offg Dy Accountant Genl.

No. 60.

Office of Contr. Mily. Accounts
Fort St. George, 22d. April 1873.

From The Ag. Controller of Military Accounts.
To The Accountant General

Sir,

With reference to your Deputy's Memorandum of the 24th. Ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that, Peon Abdool Cauder of the Military Police and Bazaar Establishment at Ootacamund was discharged on the 14th., and in his place another Peon was appointed on the 15th. March 1841; but the cause is not shewn in the records of this Office.

2d. The above Establishment disappeared from the accounts of the Commissariat Department from 16th. August 1860 up to which date, a Peon was paid at Rupees 6 per Mensem.—

3. The documents received with the above Memorandum are herewith returned.—

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

H. B. Munro ... Lieut. Col.
Ag. Controller of Military Accounts.

Rcd. 6/5/73.

Accountant General's Office
Recd 23 4 1873
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Accdt. Department. To be returned with reply in reverse

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Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
26th April 1873.

From The Dy. Accountant General

to the Government of Madras,

To The Commissioner of the Neilgherries.

~~Sir,~~

With reference to the statement of the Controller of Military Accounts, that the Applicant, (Trichinopoly Abdul Cauder) was discharged from the Police & Bazar Deptt. on the 14th March/41. and his place was filled up by another man the Undersigned has the honor to enquire

1. What was the cause of applicant's discharge from service on the 14th March/41.?
2. In what Establishment the Applicant ~~has~~ served subsequent to that date?
3. Whether such Establishment was a permanent or temporary one?.

The Police & Bazar Deptt. in which the Applicant is shewn in the Register of application to have served from 1 March/41 to Septr./53, does not appear, but two Establish-ments

Establishments one under the designation of Joint Magistrate, and the other Cutcherry Establishment at Ootacamund appears in the Annual returns only of 1 May 1843 & Subsequent years up to 1860. and not to any later date. with a staff of peons on 5 Rs each in the former and 6 Rs each in the latter Establishment besides others.

The two letters from the Controller of Military Accounts Nos 1023 & 60. dated 15 March & 22 April 1873 respectively are herewith forwarded for perusal and return.

An early reply is solicited.

W. Donald
Offg. Dy. Accountant Genl.

Recd. Rev. Dept. 4/5/73

Abdool Cawder has served under me as [illegible] Sentinel Peon for nearly four years having previously held that post in the Chuttry at Ootacamund since the first establishment of the Bazaar. & I can recommend as a very honest, active & willing servant in every respect. he is also a very useful & intelligent house or waiting servant.

Ootacamund
June 1844

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late [illegible]

To be returned with reply on reverse

Audit DEPARTMENT.

~~No.~~

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Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
29 May 1873.

FROM THE Dy ACCOUNTANT GENERAL

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

TO THE Commissioner of Neilgherries -

~~Sir,~~ With reference to the Statement in letter No. 5 of 30 January last, that Trichinopoly Abdul Cauder's service from 1st March/41. to 30 Novr/55, and from 1 January/57 to 30 Septr/63 only, is not traceable owing to the records for that period not being forthcoming, and that the rest is traceable; the Undersigned has the honor to request, that the Commissioner will be good enough to forward Copies of Pay abstracts (from 1 December/55 to 31 Decr/56) in which the Applicant's name appears as peon on Rs 6-10-8 per mensem, & to enquire whether the Police & Bazar Deptt. existed till 30 Septr/63, & if ~~it~~ did under the Control of what Deptt it was from 17 Augt/60 the date from which it disappeared in the Accounts of the Commissariat Deptt..

R W Rodrick
Dy Accountt Genl

Recd. on 17/5/73

To be returned with reply on reverse

Audt. DEPARIMENT.

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Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
7 February 1873.

FROM THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

TO THE Offg. Commissioner of
Neilgherries.

Sir, Vide yr. office application for pension on behalf of Abdool Cauder.

The Undersigned has the honor to request explanation on the following points.

1. Why was the applicant shown in the History of Service to have served as a peon in the Special Asstt. Collr. and Joint Magistrates office Ooty from 1 October /63 . . while from bills & the nominal roll of peons &c. as they stood on the 1 May /66. he appears to have been a peon from the above date to April /66. in the office of Asstt. Collr. Ootacamund, and from 1 May /66 only to Sept. /68. in the office of Special Asstt. Collr. . .

2. For what reason was the applicant retained in service till 31 Ultimo, while he was certified by the Surgeon to be unfit for further service on the 21 October last –

3. Please give some more descriptive marks of the person of the applicant as the one given is insufficient for a satisfactory identification of the man. In the absence of any more marks a full description of the applicants appearance should be given –

An early reply is solicited.

W. Donald

Offg. Dy. Accountt. Genl.

Pre Cul No. 425/73

Commissioners Office
Ootacamund 11th July 1873

No. 40

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From.

The Assistant Commissioner
Nilgiris

To

The Deputy Accountant General
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

With reference to your Memos dated 29 May and 26 June 1873 I have the honor to inform you that the entry in the Register of application, for compassionate allowance on behalf of Abdool Cauder from 1st December 1855 to 31st December 1856 as Peon on Rs 6. 10. 8 was by mistake taken from the Copy of a military abstract, in which appears the name Abdool Cauder. I request therefore you will be good enough to strike the entry off the above Register

Whether the Police and Bazaar Department existed till 30th Septr. 1863, this Office is unable to tell.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obt. Servant
[illegible] B. [illegible]
Assistant Commissioner

Accountant General's Office
Recd 14/7.1873
Ansd ___

1872.

No. 40

Date— 11th July 1873

Commissioner's Office
Ootacamund.

To

Depy. Acctt. Genl
Fort St George

Enclosures. 1
Abdool Cauder.

SUBJECT.

Furnishing Explanation regarding Abdool Cauder's Register of application for Compassionate allowance & requesting that the entry inserted in it by mistake be struck off the Register.

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Pro. Cu. No 47 15/7/73

No 5

Commissioner's Office
Ootacamund 30 January 1873

From
The Offg Commissioner
Neilgherries
To
The Accountant General
Fort St George

Sir

I have the honor to enclose a Register of Application for Compassionate allowance to Inchenopoly Abdool Cauder Peon of the Ootacamund Joint Magistrate's Office and to request you will be good enough to forward the same for the favorable consideration of Government considering his long services. His services from 1st March /41 to 30th November /55 and from 1st January /57 to 30th September /63 cannot be traced, the records for those periods not being found here but from the enclosed copies of Testimonials held by him he appears to have continuously served from 1st August /33

Although

Although the Medical Certificate was obtained by him in October, he is holding his appointment still and will cease to do duty on the 1st February /73

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
A. B. Grigg
Offg. Commissioner

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Accountant General's Office
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1872.

No. 5

Date— 30 January 1873

Commissioner's Office
Ootacamund.

To

Accountant Genl.
Fort St. George

Enclosures. 4

Compassionate Allowance

SUBJECT.

Forwarding a Register of Application for compassionate allowance to [illegible] Abdool Cauder Peon of the Ootacamund Joint Magistrate's Court &c.

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Pen. See No. 475/73

No. 69.

I Edward Lewis Hankin, Joint Magistrate of Ootacamund, do hereby certify that to the best of my belief peon 'Abdool Cauder' hitherto attached to the Joint Magistrate's Court, is incapacitated by old age and infirmity, from the further performance of his duties and that it is necessary to remove him from the service of Government.

His conduct has been good and I consider him deserving of the indulgent consideration of Government.

Joint Magte's Court
Ootacamund
21st October 1872

E. L. Hankin
Joint Magistrate

A. B. Grigg
Offg. Commissioner

Commissioners Office
Ootacamund 23 May 1873

No 28

From

The Asst Commissioner
Neilgiris

To

The Dy Accountant General
Fort St George

Sir

With reference to your letter d/26 ultimo and 2 Enclosures I have the honor to inform you that the dismissal of peon Trichinopoly Abdul Cauder referred to therein cannot be ascertained at this Office, the records for those periods not being forthcoming.

I have already stated in the Service Register sent with my letter No 5 of 30 January 1873 that his services from 1st March /41 to 30 November /55 cannot be verified for want of records.

I enclose a Testimonial (in original)x granted to the Applicant, for your perusal from which it will be observed that he was employed in 1841. On enquiring the Applicant, states that some years ago (he is unable to give the exact date) he went on sick leave to Trichinopoly and overstayed his leave, when a substitute was appointed in his place and that after 3 months

x (to be returned)

Pn: Lr No 4 7/5/73

3 months he resumed his appointment

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servant
A. B.
Asst Commissioner

Accountant General's Office
Recd 26 5 1873
Ansd ___

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1872.

No. 28
Date— 23d May 1873

Commissioner's Office,
Ootacamund.

To
Dy Acct General
Fort St George

Enclosures. 4
Abdool Cawder

SUBJECT.

Informing that the dismissal of Peon Trichinopoly Abdool Cawder referred to cannot be ascertained from this Office records

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Pen: Ltr No 47 5/73.
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Pension Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Offg Commissioner Nilagherries, dated 30th January 1873 & from the Dy Accountant General dated 18th July 1873 No 35.

Order thereon,

Under Sections 49 & 63 (a) of the Civil Pension Code, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Trichinopoly Abdool Cawder, late peon, Ootacamund Joint Magistrates' Establishment, an invalid gratuity of Rs (24) twenty four, equal to three months salary, to which he is entitled for his qualifying inferior service of 9 yrs & 4 days Commencing

X There is a very poor [illegible] of 10 years service, however — uninterrupted — & is now a special concession.
JDS

Reckoning [illegible] of one third [illegible] Count [illegible] a invalid pension [illegible] 24 X from 1st October 1863 to 31st January 1873.

2 Abdool Cawder's service prior to the 14th March 1841 was forfeited by his discharge on that date & the alleged subsequent service before the 1st October 1863 is not traceable in the records. The nature of the employment alluded to in the testimonials produced, is by no means clear, & they cannot be accepted as satisfactory proof of service qualifying for pension.

I consider that the man is eligible for 1841 — He has been employed ever since tho' thro' no fault of his service prior to 1863 is not traceable & he sh'd have the full benefit —

13/10

To
The Commr of Nilgherry Hills.
Accountant General

Gratuity to Abdul Cawder
late Peon, Offg. Jt. Magte's office

Govt. of 187 } Madras.

To

Dated } 187 , No.
Recd. }

Nos.

Despd 10/11/73

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Pension Department.

No. 562

To

The Secretary to the Government
of India,
Financial Department.

Sir,

I am directed to submit the following case for the favourable consideration of the Government of India under the provisions of Section 75 of the Pension Code

Trichinopoly Abdul Cawder was employed as a peon in the Police and Bazar Department on the 1st. May 1833, and states that he was continuously employed until the 31st. January 1873.

His service from the 1st. May 1833 to the 1st.

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1st March 1841 has been verified, but his name cannot be found in the records from that time until the 1st October 1863 after which, there is no doubt of his having served until the 31st January 1873

Though Abdul Cawder's service from 1841 to 1863 is not to be traced on the records, there is good reason to believe that it was really continuous as he has produced the following testimonials from Officers holding the post of Commandant on the Nilgiris

1) "From Major Gunning dated 1st June 1844 certifying to his having served him as peon for nearly four years

2/ "From Major Hall dated 18th April 1850 to the effect that Abdul Cawder was a peon on the establishment of the Officer Commanding the Hills for the 2 years he held that post.

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5/ From Lt. Col. Pritchard Commanding Nilgiris dated

dated 30th June 1859, to the effect that Abdul Cawder served under him as an orderly peon.—

Under the circumstances above stated, His Excellency the Governor in Council is satisfied that Abdul Cawder spent a period of close upon 40 years in the service of Government, of which the gratuity of Rs. 24 to which he is entitled under a strict application of the rules would be a very inadequate recognition, and accordingly recommends that he be admitted, as a special case, to a pension of Rs. 4. per mensem, to which he would have been entitled, if his services had been verified in the usual manner.

Ootacamund
3rd November 1873

10 [illegible]
to Collector [illegible]

~~1873~~ Pension Department.

F. No. 75/14
No. 50 of 74

No. 562.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of India
Financial Department.

Dated 3rd November 1873.

Recommending the grant as a special case of a pension of Rupees 4 per mensem to Trichinopoly Abdool Cauder late peon in the Joint Magistrates Office Ootacamund.

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