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Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Pension Department,
27th November 1873.*

Read the following papers :—

From the Collector of South Arcot.	(Here enter 9th May 1873.)
Report of the Deputy Accountant-General.	(„ 24th June „ No. 13.)
Petition from Subbánáyaken, late Duffa- dar on the establishment of the Collec- tor of South Arcot.	„ 21st May „ „ 1375.)
Report from the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.	} („ 10th Nov. „ „ 427.)

ORDER THEREON, 27th November 1873, No. 599.

The application for an invalid pension for B. Subba Naidu, submitted by the Collector of South Arcot, is supported by a medical certificate signed by the Civil Surgeon of Cuddalore to the effect that Subba Naidu is “ unfit for further service on account of old age and defective vision not likely to be remedied by medical treatment, and which renders him unable to discharge the active as well as sedentary duties of his appointment.” A petition, however, having been received from Subba Naidu denying that his vision was defective, he was directed to present himself before the Superintendent of the Eye Infirmary for examination ; and, as that officer now reports that he finds him to be labouring under no defect of vision in either eye, the Government are unable to comply with the application for the grant of invalid pension.

2. The Collector of South Arcot will restore Subba Naidu to his post on receipt of this order.

3. The Civil Surgeon's certificate and that of the medical officer in charge of the Eye Infirmary will be communicated to the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, who will call upon Dr. Wilson to justify the opinion he has recorded ; the result to be reported.

(True Extract.)

Acting Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Collector of South Arcot.

„ Accountant-General.
„ Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department,
„ B. Subba Naidu.

Exd. J. Wright.

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The Secretary to Government
Pension Department.
Madras.

The humble petition of Subbarayan
late Jansdar of the establishment of the
Collector of South Arcot.

Respectfully sheweth.

That your petitioner in the year 1826
was appointed as a Magistrate's Peon on a salary of 5 Rupees
by Mr West, then Collector of South Arcot and having always
borne a good name for activity and efficiency was made
Cultural of Cuddalore, and subsequently promoted to be Jansdar
of the above Collectorate on Rupees 16 which post your Petitioner
has filled, he humbly trusts, with credit, for the last 10 years.

That your Petitioner, has in course of
his employment rendered good services to the State in detecting
frauds and apprehending criminals and holds certificates
of good character from the several gentlemen under whom he
has served. During the time that Gang robberies were rife
in the Virudhachalam and Kalakoonchi talooks, he did a
much towards putting a stop to them, and thereby earned
the approbation of Messrs Mc Donnell and Baumburg.

Respectfully,
Jns. West
Sd/- Superint. C. S. Department

Govt. of 1873 Madras

PENSION.

To

THE COLLECTOR OF SOUTH ARCOT,
&c., &c.,

Dated November, 27th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 27th November 1873, No. 599.

NOVEMBER.

Directing the Collector of South Arcot
to forward to the post of Duffell
as he is pronounced to be fit for further service
and calling upon the medical officer to justify his
opinion he has recorded.

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the joint Magistrates in charge of that part of the District.

But that from some cause unknown to your petitioners, the present acting Collector has been pleased to require him to take his furlough, that he appeared before the Civil Surgeon of the District, who after ~~examination~~ examination pronounced him to be still fit for service, but that upon petitioners being again sent to the Medical Officer by the Collector, the former being perhaps unwilling to disoblige the latter, took a somewhat hasty view of your petition case, and said that his eye sight was failing. That on these grounds petitioners has been recommended for furlough and that his papers are now before the Accountant General for submission to Government.

That petitioners believes himself to be of sound constitution, with eye sight equal to that of any one of similar age, and to be likewise capable of serving the Government in his former post for some years to come.

That under these circumstances ~~and~~ petitioners requests that he may be sent before a Medical Committee with a view to his state of health and eye sight, and again examined into and that on their report if favorable he be reinstated in his former post.

Finally your petitioners would represent that from his long acquaintance with the District, its various camping grounds ~~and~~, he gave satisfaction to ~~the~~ Government.

owing to his activity and subsequently promoted to the post of Jamadar which he has filled with credit for the last 10 years; that he rendered good service to the State by detecting frauds and apprehending criminals and holds certificates of good character from several gentlemen; that for some unknown cause the M^g Collector required him to take pension; that he appeared before the Zillah Surgeon who pronounced him to be still fit for service, but that upon his being sent again

Government of Madras,
Public DEPARTMENT.

Petition No. 1375 of 1873.

From Subbanayakan

Occupation, late Jamadar on the establishment of the Collector of Village.

Talook.

District. South Arcot. now at Madras.

Dated 21st } May 1873.
Received 28th }

Enclosures.

Abstract.

States that in 1826 he was appointed as a Magistrate from on 5 Rs by Mr. Dent late Collector; that he was made Custodian of Buddalore

Recd 26. May 73.

Subbanayakan

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S. Robert Wilson M. D.

Surgeon & Civil Surgeon Buddalore, do hereby
Certify that I have carefully examined
Soobanaidoo Duffadar of the Collector's
South Arcot that his age by his own state-
ment 51 years and by appearance ^{are}
58 years, and that I find him to be
unfit for further service on account of
age and defective vision, not likely to be
remedied, by medical treatment, and
renders him unable to discharge the
active, as well as sedentary duties
of his appointment. For the best
my judgment the cause of dispo-
sition is not the result of
- perance, or other irregular habits

Buddalore
29th April
1873

A. Wilson M. D. Surgeon
Civil Surgeon.

Med. Surg. M. D. Webb Asst. Superint. C. S. S. S. S. S.

No 115.

Madras Eye Infirmary
5th November 1873.

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From Surgeon C. J. Brockman
Actg. Superint. Eye Infirmary
To The Deputy Surgeon General
Indian Med. Department
Madras

Sir—
In reference to the Proceedings of Government
* herewith submitted in the Petition Department and the order therein
dated 1st Sept. 1873. forwarded under cover of your
Office Memorandum No. 103.34. dated 30th Sept. 1873
I have the honor to inform you that I have care-
fully examined the Petitioner Sohanay and
late Senadar on the Establishment of the
Collector of South Arcot, and find him to be
laboring under no defect of vision in either
eye.

2— He is able to read the smallest test type
unaided by glasses at the regulated distance
and to decipher the Minutiae of the eyes at
the regulated distance. — By oblique illumina-
tion as well as an Ophthalmoscopic examina-
tion no defect can be detected other than an
incipient discoloration of the lenses of the
eyes which however can in no manner pre-
vent his discharging his duties.

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

Madras 6th Nov. 1873
C. J. Brockman
Deputy Surgeon General
Med. Dept. No. 103.34
Actg. Superint. Eye Infirmary

Office No. 115
Nov. 1873

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ruffians & Gang robbers,
in the days when Wilson
& I were Young Magistrates,
and Laabak Raich our right
hand man. Kindly have
a look at his case, and if
it would be perhaps fair, if
Gardner his confederate
Master said what he thought.
It seems to me that Laabak
Raich has work in him
for some time to come, &
that his sight is by no means
deficient for his age.
Excuse my babbling &c
but as the old fellow

was the best man in his time that
we had in the district, and as he
didn't make a heavy charge
sentenced for the value of his former
good deeds to say nothing for him -
Complacently

Geo. B. B. B.

My dear Starnock

You had better send the
man to the Eye Infirmary. That
the question of defective vision
may be cleared up one way or
other - If he can get a certificate
from the eye man that his eyes
are good. I think we should keep
in his place if he is otherwise fit

Yours truly

W. S. Starnock

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8/2/28.