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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 110 Press/Mis.

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No. 1161 District Engineers Office Godavery
Dowlaiswaram 15th July 1873.
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From
The District Engineer
Godavery

To
The Accountant General
Fort Saint George

Enclosures Sep.
1 Application
1 Medical Certificate
4 Copies of characters

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith an application for invalid Pension on behalf of Gudivada Setharamaswamy lately a first Class Delta Superintendent on the Conservancy Establishment of this District, accompanied by a Medical Certificate of unfitness for further service, granted by the Acting Zillah Surgeon of Rajamundry.

2. From the History of Service on the second page of the application, it will be observed that G. Setharamaswamy had served the Government continuously for a period of 26 years, 2 months and 3 days during

which time he held for 2 years 8 months & 3 days posts not qualifying for pension.

3. This latter service will no doubt disqualify G. Setharamaswamy for the half pension he is recommended for, but I beg to submit that as there is only a small deficiency of one year and 6 months to make up for the prescribed period viz: 25 years, and as the non-qualifying service more than compensates the deficiency I trust, that, as a special case, you will be good enough to recommend that the Government deal liberally towards an old and faithful servant of theirs whose general good conduct is testified to by the many officers he has been under as will be seen from the copies of testimonials &ca enclosed.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant.
Lieutt Col. R.E.
District Engineer Godavery

Accountant General's Office
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From
The District Engineer
Godavery
To
The Accountant General
Fort Saint George
Dated 15th July 1873.
Recd
No 1161
Enclosures 6.
Forwards an Application for invalid Pension on behalf of G. Sitaramasawmy Naidu Lately a 1st Class Delta Superintendent on the Conservancy Establishment of the District.

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I Alfred Eugenius Dalgairns Acting Civil Surgeon of Rajahmundry do hereby Certify that G. Sitharamaswamy 1st Class Delta Superintendent, Departmt Public Works Godavery District has been under treatment for five months, for General Debility; and that he is not likely to derive permanent benefit from further treatment, or from change of air. He is, in my opinion, unfit for further service; and to the best of my judgment, such disqualification is not the result of intemperance or other irregular habits.

Rajahmundry
26th June 1873

Alfred E. Dalgairns
Attesting Surgeon
Actg Civil Surgeon

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My dear Seetaramaswamy Naidoo

Mr Fisher having issued me Hookum in return to my Address, that he appointed you as an English writer to prepare Accounts &c in my Office. I wish you will attend here early in the Morning tomorrow requesting the same to our Master Captain Orr and getting his permission on the Subject

Do not make any delay in doing so. because there is great quantity of business to be performed

14th February
1849

I remain
Yours truly
(Signed) B Ramadoss
Ancient Hd. Gumastoo

(True copy)
N.H.
Supr 9/4/73

Dd. No. 22. 11/4/74

Pen. Sub. No. 53 of /74

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The bearer G. Seetaramaswamy has been employed under me as Engineer writer for nearly 5 years. He is an intelligent and useful man and I believe will bear comparision with any writer in the Department; I am obliged to leave him on my being removed to the Western Division

Nidadavole
28th July 1854 (Signed) F. J. Mobely Lt. R.E.
1st Asst. C. Engr. G.D.

(True copy)
M. A. Ellis
Supr. 9/4/73.

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3/132/73
5/12/11/73

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Official Memo

The Board of Revenue, having directed, that all the Establishments of Officers who have left the Division be either dismissed or apportioned amongst the Officers who remain and are unprovided with the full Establishment allowed them. The Civil Engineer begs to inform Captain J. F. Stoddard, that he has placed G. Seetaramaswamy on his Establishment as a writer and requests that his pay accordingly be drawn in his next Abstract

Camp Dowlaiswaram }
28th June 1855 }
(Signed) F. H. Rundall Captain
Engr. G. D.

(true copy)
J. H. Ellis
Lpr 9/4/73

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I have great pleasure in bearing my testimony to the excellent character ~~found~~ borne by G. Seetaramaswamy Naidoo. He has been under me for 5 years, first as Head writer and subsequently as Delta Supdt. in both Capacities he has acquitted himself to my entire satisfaction. I have no hesitation in stating that I believe him to be one of the very few natives in the Public Service distinguished for probity

He has done the Government good Service as Delta Superintendent having frequently detected and exposed concealed irrigation and he is well deserving of promotion in this or any other Government Department

Amalapur.
18th September/69 } (Signed) J. F. Stoddard

(true copy)
F. W. A. Ellis
Supr
9/4/73

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C Office of the Controller of P. W. Accounts

No. 390 Fort Saint George 23d August 1873

To be returned with reply on reverse.

AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

~~No.~~

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
25 July 1873.

FROM THE DEPUTY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

TO THE Controller of Public Works Accounts
Madras.

VIDE ~~your Office~~ application for Pension on behalf of Gudivada Seetharamasawmy late 1st Class Delta Supdt. Godavery Dist:

The undersigned has the honor to request ~~explanation on the following~~ that the ~~points~~:—Controller will be good enough to inform him whether the services of the above mentioned individual as detailed in the accompanying application (to be retd).

1. can be verified from his records?
2. Whether such service reckons for pension on the superior scale? If so under what orders of Govt.?
3. Whether the applicant obtained any leave that does not count for pension?

V. H. Goodrich
Dy. Accountt. Genl.

Services cannot be verified for the following periods.

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The Acct. Genl. Madras, of Aug/73 No.

P.W. ACCTS. CONTROLLER'S OFFICE
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No. 4159

From
The Acctt. Genl.
Madras
No. —

Dated 25th } July 1873
Recd. 26th }

Requests to know if the services of Gudivada Sitaramasawmy can be verified in the Controller's Office.

Reply No. 55 ... 4

C Office of the Controller of
P. W. Accounts
No. 390 Fort Saint George 23d August 1873

Memo.

To
The Accountant General
Madras

Enclosures 2
1 Deputy Accountant General's Memo: dated 25 July 1873 with its enclosure.

In returning the application for pension of Gudivada Seetharamasawmy 1st Class Delta Superintendent in the Godavery District, received with the Deputy Accountant General's Memo of the 25th Ultimo, herewith returned, the undersigned has the honor to state that from the records of this Office the services of that individual can be verified for the following periods only.

From 1st May 1858 to 31st March 1864.
From 1st April 1864 to 30th July 1873.

As Delta Superintendent in the Godavery District on a Salary of Rupees 70 per Mensem.

2- Gudivada Seetharamasawmy's Services cannot be verified for the following periods.

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There are no registers on the records of this Office for this period

From 26th April 1847 to 30th April 1856.

Seetharamasawmy's name does not appear in the Registers for this period, but pay was passed to a writer on Captain Stoddard's Office Establishment at the rate of Rupees 35 per Mensem.

From 1st May 1856 to 30th April 1857.

For this period also no entry of Seetharamasawmy's name has been made in the Registers which moreover shew that no pay at the rate of Rupees 70 per Mensem was passed to a Delta Superintendent in the Godavery District.

From 1st May 1857 to 30th April 1858

The salaries of the Conservancy Establishment in the Godavery District for this period are entered in the lump sum as passed for adjustment by the Public Works Department, the payment having been made by the Revenue Dex=partment.

From 1st April 1864 to 31st March 1865.

x Deputy Collector R. Jagannatham.

3- During the periods for which Seetharamasawmy's services can be verified, he had the leave noted in the margin which does not count as service towards pension.

Sick leave on half pay from 8th June to 30th November 1872.

Entered in Reg:

Reg: No 553

4- The services of Seetharamasawmy reckon for pension on the Superior Scale under the Orders of Government communicated in G. O. No 924 dated 21st March 1868.

5- Adverting to the date (1st July 1873) entered in the Register of Application as that from which the pension is to be granted to Seetharamasawmy, the undersigned has the honor to state that full pay has been drawn on his account for that month by the Range Officer under whom he has been employed. An explanation of the circumstances under which the pay has been drawn has been called for and will be communicated in due course.

Accountant General's Office
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Offg: Controller of P. W. Accounts.

To
The Accountant General
Madras

Dated 23 } August 1873
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Enclosures 2

Verifying the
services of Gudwada
Seetharamasawmy

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AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

No.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
25 July 1873.

FROM THE DEPUTY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

TO THE District Engineer
Godavery

VIDE your Office application for Pension — on behalf of
Gudwada Seetharamasawmy.

The undersigned has the honor to request explanation on the following points:—

1. Why is the applicant shewn in the Register of Application as having been in receipt of 35 Rs pay from 1 Jany/50, while in the annual return of 1 May/50 he appears to have been in receipt of Rs 28 only?

2. Why is the applicant shewn in the register of application simply as Maistry while he was designated as Bricklayers' Maistry in the annual returns of 1 May/50 & 51?

3. Why is the applicant shewn in the History of service to have been a writer in the Establishment of 1 Asst Engr F. J. Moberly up to 28 June/55, while from the Certificate dated 2 July/54, granted to the applicant, that officer appears to have left Godavery Dn for Kistna soon after that date, and further it does not appear from the annual return of 1 May/55, that there were any writers under the Assistant Engineers?

Godavery Dn

4. Have the services of the Applicant been verified from either the pay bills or acquittance Rolls on record in your office? If not please cause the same to be done now.

5. Why was the Applicant retained in service till 30 June/73, while he was certified by the surgeon to be unfit for further service on the 26 Idem?

6. Please send Applicant's service book entering in it all the leaves other than casual which he may have had during his entire service.

W. Broderick

No. 1996 Dy. Accountt. Genl

From
The District Engineer
Godavery.

To,
The Deputy Accountant General
to the Government of Madras.

Encl. 2.
1 original Explanations
1 Copy of Civil Engrs Memo
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Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 25th July 1873 I have the honor to offer the following Explanations.

Query 1. From the Service Register submitted to this Office by the Officer in charge of the Range in which the Applicant C. Seetharamasawmy was employed, it is observed that he was on the receipt of a salary of Rupees 15 per Mensem from 1st January 1850 to 31st March 1852 and from 1st April 1852 to 29th May 1857 on a salary of Rupees 35, so that it is presumed the entry in the annual return must be incorrect. To clear up the doubt as to the correct amount of salary drawn, it is requested that the Books of the Civil Auditor may be looked into.

Query 2. No record to shew why there was this change. A reference on this point is requested to the applicant's enclosed Original Explanations.

Query 3. It was a mistake to have shewn the applicant as writer under Assistant Engineer F. J. Moberly up to 28th June 1855, but it is evident that he was doing duty in the Civil Engineer's office after the departure of Assistant Engineer F. J. Moberly and on the 28th June /55 was transferred to Captain J. F. Stoddard. Vide Copy of Civil Engineer's Memo enclosed.

Query 4. The Services of the applicant have been verified from the Service Register above alluded to, and found to be correct.

Query 5. The Range Officer being ignorant of the rules allowed the applicant to continue in service up to the end of the Month.

The applicant's service book will follow with the particulars duly filled in

District Engr's Office Godv.
24th September 1873

J. W. Snastin Asst. Engr.
for District Engineer Godavery

Accountant General's Office
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Explanations to the points raised by the Deputy Accountant General, vide, his letter dated 25th July 1873, regarding the Service of Goodivadah Seetaramswamy retired Delta Superintendent.

1 The applicant had received a pay of Rs 35 from 1st January 1850, being as a Maistry in the Establishment of the 2nd Assistant Civil Engineer Lieutt. F. J. Moberly under the orders of the Board of Revenue then in force; but not at all 28 Rs as expressed by the Deputy Accountant General - The applicant is quite unknown, from what Office the Annual Return of 1st May 1850 had been submitted, shewing the applicant's pay was, Rs 28-0-0.

The applicant has shown in the Register as a Maistry, as he was simply designated a Maistry, in the pay bills &c.; but the post perhaps might had been termed a bricklayer

Maistry.

3 The applicant was, under the orders of the Civil Engineer, doing duty in his Office, drawing his pay as a writer in the Establishment of Lieut. T. J. Insberg, after the removal of that Officer (2nd July 1854) upto 28th June 1855 ie the date of joining Captain J. T. Stoddard, 1st Assistant Civil Engineer vide Civil Engineer's Memo (Captn F. H. Rundall) dated 28th June 1855, which plainly shews the applicant was continuing with his post upto 28th June 1855.

A Copy of that Memo is again attached to this for information.

6 An Abstract of the applicant's leaves and Service is attached to this, but he does not remember any more leaves.

J. Seetaramaswamy
Retired Delta Dept

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Official Memo.

The Board of Revenue, having directed, that all Establishments of Officer who have left the Divis be either dismissed or apportioned amongst th officers, who remain and are unprovided with full Establishment allowed them – The Civil Eng begs to inform Captain J. F. Stoddard, tha he has placed G. Sitaramswamy on his Establishment as a writer, and requests that his pay accordingly be drawn in his next abstract –

Camp Dowlaiswaram }
28th June 1855 }

(Signed) F. H. Rundall C
C. Engr Godavery Dn

(True Copy)

Sitaramaswamy
R. Delta Supt

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AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

~~No.~~

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
28th August 1873.

FROM THE DEPUTY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

TO THE Offg Controller of Public Works Accounts
Madras.

VIDE your Office ~~application for~~ Memorandum ~~on behalf of~~ No 390. dated 23d Instant.

The undersigned has the honor to request ~~explanation on the following points:~~ to be informed what was the amount of pay allowed to the Delta Supdt from 1 May 1857 to 30 April 1858, since it is stated in the above memo, that "no pay at the rate of 70 Rs. "per mensem was passed to Delta "Supdt". Please forward the Voucher or abstract of disbursements made by the Rev: Deptt. during 1864/65 upon which the amount in lump sum was adjusted by the P.W. Departt.

H Oswald
for Dy Accountt Genl.

Ansd. Madras 27th Sept/73
No 361

No 5431

From Depy Acctt. General
Madras

No —

Dated 28th } August 1873
Recd 30th }

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Requests to be informed what amount of pay was allowed to a certain Delta Supdt. from 1st May 1857 to 30th Apl/58.

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Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts,
Fort Saint George, 24 September 1873

No. 361

Memorandum.

From
The Offg: Controller of P.W. Accounts,
To,
The Accountant General,
Madras.

Enclosures 3.

1 Memo: from the Dy: Acctt. Genl. Madras dated 28th August 1873.

1 Letter from the Dy: Collector K. Jagannathan No. 385 dated 20th May 1865 and one Enclosure.

In returning the enclosed Memo: from the Deputy Accountant General Madras dated 28th August 1873, the undersigned has the honor to state that between 1st May 1857 and 30th April 1858 two Delta Superintendents appear to have been employed in the Godavery District on a monthly salary of Rupees 50 each. –

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2. The letter from the Deputy Collector Rd. Jagannathan and the abstract which accompanied it upon which the adjustment adverted to in para 2 was effected are herewith forwarded as requested_Detailed bills are not among the records of this Office.—

Accountant General's Office
Recd 25 9 1873
Ansd

Offg: Controller of P.W. Accounts.

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			FATHER'S			THE ENTRIES IN THESE COLUMNS ARE TO BE REATTESTED EVERY FIVE YEARS; EACH ATTESTATION SHOULD BE CAREFULLY RULED OFF THE DATE MAY BE CLEARLY SHOWN.								
Name of Officer.	Caste or Race.	Residence.	Name.	Residence.	Date of birth.	Age.			Exact Height.		Personal marks for identification.	Date of entry.	Signature of Officer.	Signature and designation of the head of the Office.
						Years	Ms.	Days.	Feet.	In.				
Gudevadah Sitaramaswamy	Gentoo	Amalapore	Gudevadah Veeraraghavuloo Naidu	Masulipatam	In the month of April 1822 but the exact date is unknown	51	2	"	5	6	Two apparent marks on the left leg, one on the Knee and the other 6" below it, which ~~was~~ happened by falling from ~~the~~ horse back		G. Sitaramaswamy	M. A. Ellis Exe. Engineer

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No.

From
The Offg. Controller of
P.W. Accounts
To.
The Accountant General
Madras.

Enclosures 3

Dated 24 } September 1893
Recd. }

No. 361

States that the two Delta Superintendents appear to have been employed in the Godavery District on a monthly salary of Rs 50 each.

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Salary of Rs 50 each.

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1 Name of appointment.	2 Nature, i. e., whether substantive or acting, permanent or temporary.	3 Substantive appointment, if the new appointment be acting only.	4 Pay.	5 Acting allowance.	6 Date of appointment.	7 Signature of Officer.	8 Character of Officer. *No entry need be made in this Column except when there is any thing either good or bad to be recorded. Suspensions should be noted here when the order of suspension is passed.*	9 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.	10 Date of termination of appointment	11 Reason of termination *e.g., transfer, promotion, return of permanent incumbent.*	12 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.
Interpreter to Captn C. A. Orr 1st Assistt Civil Engineer 1st Dn Annicut Deptt	Temporary	"	10	"	26th April 1844		G. Sitaramaswamy" has been employed under me as Engineer Writer for nearly 5 years. He is an intelligent and useful man and I believe will bear comparison with any writer in the Department. I am obliged to leave him on my being removed to the Kistna Division.	Signed F. J. Moberly Lieut & 1st Asst Civil Engr Godavery Dn	13th Feby 1849	Transferred to Annicut Office	
Writer in the Annicut Office	Do	"	10	"	14th Feb 1849		"		31st Decr 1849	Promoted to a permanent Maistry's post	
Maistry in the Establishment of Lieutt F. J. Moberly 2nd Assistt Civil Engineer	Permanent	"	35	"	1st Jany 1850	G. Sitaramaswamy	Doing duty in Civil Engineer's Office on the removal of Lieut F. J. Moberly to the Kistna Division.		31st March 1852	appointed as a Writer	[illegible] Sub Engineer
Writer in the Estabt of Lieutt F. J. Moberly 1st Assistt Civil Engineer	Do	"	35	"	1st April 1852		"	"	28th June 1855	Transferred to the Estabtt of Captn J. F. Stoddard 1st Assistt Civil Engr	
Writer in the Establishment of Captn J. F. Stoddard 1st Assistt Civil Engineer 1st Dn	Do	"	35	"	29th June 1855		"	"	30th April 1857	Promoted to the Delta Superintendant's post in the Conservancy Estabt	

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Delta Superintendant in the Conservancy Establishment	Permanent	"	70	"	1st May 1857	G. Seetaramaswamy	I have a great pleasure in bearing my testimony to the Excellent character borne by G. Seetharamaswamy Naidoo. He has been under me for 5 years first as Head Writer and subsequently as Delta Superintendent in both capacities he has acquainted himself to my entire satisfaction. I have no hesitation in stating that I believe him to be one of the very few natives in the Public Service distinguished for propriety. He has done the Government good service as Delta Supt. having frequently detected and exposed concealed Irrigation & he is well deserving of promotion in this or any Government Department.	(Signed) J. Mossard Captain Exe. Engr. Godavery Dn.	25th June 1873	Retired under the Medical Certificate	Ext. Eng.
							Extract from a letter to Supg. Engineer 1st Dn. from J. W. Rundall Esquire Executive Engineer 2nd Range dated 6th April 1866. × × × Delta Supt. G. Seetharamaswamy Is not altogether suited for his post. He is anxious to do well I believe but is a bad manager. He is not acquainted with building and requires looking after even regarding ordinary repairs. He has but small influence in getting men and keeping them on work.	(Signed) J. W. Rundall Executive Engineer			
							G. Seetaramaswamy Naidu Delta Supt. has a good knowledge of English can superintend Earthwork and other ordinary repairs well enough if he likes and can keep the accounts of them correctly but he should be well looked after as he is apt to be careless, especially in his measurements and is too ready to allow slowly work though he knows how it should be done.	(Signed) J. Makgill Lt Capt R.E.			
							Delta Supt. G. Seetharamaswamy has				

Salary of Rs 50 each.

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							has worked under me for about 18 months. During that time he carried out several Earthwork to my entire satisfaction. He perfectly understands the duties of his post and is to my sincere belief a good and honest man.	(Signed) Frederick Simons Executive Engr. Godavari			
							I do not think much of this man.	(Sd) J. F. Lage Ex. Engr. Godavari			
							Has done some good work in the Central Delta and tries his best to give satisfaction.	(Sd) O. Hasted Captn R.E. Ex. Engr. Godavari (Signed) H. R. Meade Captn R.E.			

SERVICE BOOK

OF

Name. G. Sitaramasawmy

Caste or Race. Gentu

Residence. Amalapore

FATHER'S

Name. G. Veeraraghava Rao

Residence. Masulipatam

Date of birth. April 1822

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Office of the Controller
of Public Works Accts:-
Madras 3rd November 1873

No. 40 Memo

From The Offg. Controller of P.W. Accts:
Madras

To The Accountant General
Madras

With reference to para 5 of this Office Memo No. 390 of the 23rd August last, the undersigned has the honor to report that salary for Seetharamasawmy Delta Superintendent for July 1873 was erroneously drawn and has since been recovered.

Accountant General's Office
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Offg. Controller of P.W. Accts:-

Secd. And. F.

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this last act of kindness of granting him the half pay pension to which he has fully served in his life time –

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. K. H. Ellis
Range Officer No 2 Range –

Gunnavaram
3rd July 1873

(True Copy)
G. Seetaramaswamy
Acting Delta Supdt
Godavery District

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AUDIT DEPARTMENT. ~~No.~~

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
1st October 1873.

FROM THE DEPUTY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

TO THE District Engineer
Godavery

VIDE your Office application for Pension on behalf of G. Seetaramaswamy.

The undersigned has the honor to request explanation on the following points:—

1. Why was the applicant shewn in the History of Service to have been Delta Supdt. on 70 Rs pay from 1 May/57 only, while from the statement of the Controller of Public Works Accounts it appears that there were no Supdts. on 70 Rs between 1 May/57 & 30 April/58 but 2 Supdts. on 50 Rs pay each? An Extract of the memo: from the Controller P.W. Accounts is herewith forwarded for perusal & return.
2. If there were only 2 Supdts. on 50 Rs each was the applicant one of the two? If not what post did he hold during the above mentioned period?
3. Have the services of the Applicant from 1 April/64 to 31 March/65 been verified from either the pay bills or Acquittance rolls? If not why? & please furnish the information called for in this office memo. of 25 July last –

J Donald
A.G. Dy. Acctt Genl.

this last act of kindness of granting him the half pay pension to which he has fully served in his life time -

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No. 3015

District Engineer's Office Godavery
Dowlaiswaram 10 January 1874.

From
The District Engineer
Godavery

To,
The Deputy Accountant General
to the Government of Madras

Sir,

Enclosure 2. I have the honor to forward herewith Replies to your queries on the reverse with reference to the application for pension on behalf of G. Seetaramaswamy

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed. Servt.
Lieut. Col. R.E.
District Engineer Godavery.

Accountant General's Office
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Replies to Memorandum dated 1st October 1873 in connection with the application for Pension on behalf of G. Seetharamaswamy.

Queries 1 & 2 — 3 Delta Superintendents on Rs. 70 each were appointed on 1st May 1857 by Captain F. H. Rundall District Engineer Godavery Division as will be seen from the enclosed Extract of the rules for the guidance of the above Subordinates circulated by that Officer under date 20th May 1857. The applicant was, one of these 3 Superintendents. Besides these there were 8 Navigation Superintendents on Rs. 50 each at that time (1st May 1857).

Query 3 — The Services of the applicant between 1st April/64 & 31st March/65 have not been verified from either the Pay Bills or Acquittance Rolls as there were no such documents in this Office, and as the records of the No. 2 Range Office, which is the one that possessed such documents, have been destroyed by a fire in April last. But this period of Service can be well traced out from the Annual Statements of 1st May 1864 and 1865 of the No. 2 Range Godavery in which he was then employed. The information called for in your Memorandum dated 25th Jany last, was furnished with this Office letter No 1996 dated 21st September 1873.

Lieutt Col R.E.
District Engineer Godavery.

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Extract from the Rules for the guidance of Delta superintendents.

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The following individuals are appointed Delta Superintendents to take effect from the 1st of May

N. Appadoo Eastern Delta
G. Seetaramaswamy Central Delta
R. Harris Western Delta
Channel superintendents and Peons.
Eastern Delta - 14
Central Delta - 14
Western Delta - 22

Camp at Dowlaiswaram
20th May 1857.
(Signed) J. H. Rundall Capt.
District Engineer Godavery Division.

(True Copy)

Lieutt Col. R.E.
District Engineer Godavery District.

Extract of a memorandum from the Controller of Public Works Accounts Fort Saint George to the Accountant General Fort Saint George. dated 24th September 1873 No. 361-

Para 1. In returning the enclosed Memo. from the Deputy Accountant General Madras dated 28 August 1873, the undersigned has the honor to state that between 1 May /57 to 30 April 1858 two Delta Superintendents appear to have been employed in the Godavery District on a monthly salary of Rs. 50. each-

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(Signed) T. Moss-.
Offg. Controller of P.W. Accts.-

(True Extract-)

D. T. [illegible]
Assistant to the Accountant Genl.

Pro. 110/74
Recd. No 53 4/1/74

Service Register

Name G. Sitaramaswamy, Delta Superintendent. Age when first Entertained 25 years

Establishment	Date	Appointment	Salary	Period of Service in Each Appt. Years	Months	Days	Remarks
1	2	3	4		5		6
Annicut Department	From 26th April 1847 to 13th Feb 1849	Interpreter to Capt. C. A. Orr 1st Assistt Civil Engr 1st Dn	10 " "	1	9	18	
Do Do	From 14th Febr to 31st Decr /49	English Writer in the Annicut Office Dowlaishwaram	10 " "	"	10	15	
Establisht of Lieutenant F. J. Moberly 2d Asst C. E. 1st Division	From 1st January 1850 to 31st March 1852	Establishment Maistry	35 " "	2	3	"	
Establisht of do do 1st Assistt Civil Engr Godavy Dn	From 1st April 1852 to 2nd July 1854	Writer	35 " "	2	3	2	
Do Do Do	From 3d July 1854 to 28th June 1855	Writer	35 " "	"	11	26	
Establisht of Capt. J. F. Stoddard 1st Assistt Civil Engr Gy Dn	From 29th June 1855 to 30th April 1857	Writer	35 " "	1	10	2	
Permanent Conservancy Establishment Godavery District	From 1st May 1857 to 1st July 1873	Delta Supertt 1st Grade	70 " "	16	2	"	
		Total Service		26	2	3	

Amalapore
16 September
1873

G. Sitaramaswamy
Ry. Delta Supdt
1st Grade

Government of Madras,

Pension DEPARTMENT.

Petition No. 2950 of 1873.

From G. Seelaramaswamy

Occupation. late Delta Superintendent of No. II or Central Delta Range

Village.

Talook.

District. Godavery at Amalapoor

Dated 7th } December 1873.
Received 12th }

Enclosures.

Abstract.

Referring to his former petition dated 16th September 1873, states that he has served in the Conservancy Establishment of the P.W.D. for a period of 26 years 2 months and 3 days of which 2 years and odd does not count; that the Range Officer and the District Engineer recommended him to Govt. for half pension

Prays that Govt. may grant him half pension.

Recd. d/- 11/10/73 No. 2342

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Madras.

The humble representation of
Gudivada Seetaramaswamy,
a Retired 1st Grade Delta Superintendent
in Gothi on Central Delta Range
Godavery District.

Most honored Sir.

I with profound respect and humble submission beg leave to state that I, having fallen accidentally to a terrible sick was under the medical treatment for about 6 months and at last unfortunately was certified by the Zilla Surgeon that I do not fit for any further service.

Up to the date of certificate (26th June 1873) I had continually served the Government in the Conservancy Establishment of the Public Works Department for a period of years 26 months 2 days 3, of which years 2 months 8 days 3 is nonqualified for pension; so there is a very small difficiency of Service of years 1 months 6 to complete the prescribed period of 25 years for half pension grant.

grant; but the above nonqualifying Service Compensates more than the difficiency.

Under the same reasons towards a poor old and unfortunate Servant, the Range Officer and the District Engineer recommended the Government through the Accountant General to admit the above nonqualifying Service as a pensionable one and to favor with half pension grant as a Special Case.

The Copies of which and that of my Service list were sent to the Private Secretary, with my petition dated 16th September 1873, for which I was answered that those papers were transfered to your honor.

I further beg to [illegible] my family are half starving for the last five months and a half in a miserable state by want of money.

Therefore I humbly solicit your kind generosity would be pity enough towards a miserable old Servant to lay out his claims, his unfortunate state at the time of reaching the point of Service in the Council and to recommend for 1/2 pension grant (when his pension papers reach the Government for disposal) as there is a very small difficiency in the Service but nonqualifying Service Compensates more than the difficiency. for this act of charity I shall be in duty bound and ever pray.

I beg to remain
most honored Sir.
Your most obedient and
humble Servant:

Amalapore
7th December
1873

G. Sitaramaswamy
Retired Delta Supdt
Godavery District

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From

The Officer in Charge
No. II Range Godavery Distt

To

The District Engineer
Godavery District

Sir,

In forwarding the accompanying papers from Delta Superintendant – G. Sitaramswamy with his application for Pension" I beg to call your attention to the period of Service qualifying for pension 23 years and 6 months, which leaves a small deficiency 1 year and 6 months from the 25 years prescribed for a half pay pension grant. You will see he has served 2 years, 8 months and 3 days, in a post not qualifying for pension, which more than compensates the deficiency.

In consideration of his long Service and general good Conduct, testified to by the many Officers he has been under, he earnestly prays you will do him the

great favor of recommending his case
to Government and obtaining for him,
this last act of kindness of granting
him the half pay pension to which he
has fully served in his lifetime.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt

Gunaram
3rd July 1873
(Signed) J. W. H. Ellis

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Encl. 3.
29/9/73.

To
The Private Secretary
to the Governor in Council
Madras

The humble representation
of Goodey 'a Sitaramswamy a
retired 1st Grade Delta Superintt
in the No. II or Central Delta
Range Godavery District

Most humbly Sheweth

I with profound respect and humble submission beg leave to state that I, in the meantime, having accidentally fallen to a terrible sick, was under the Medical treatment for about 6 months and at last was unfortunately certified by the Zillah Surgeon that I do not fit for any further service, as I cannot recover my strength again.

Upto the date of Certificate (25th June 1873 I had tinually served the Government in the Conservancy Establishment of the Public Works Department for a period of 26 years, 2 months and 3 days of which 2 years 8 months and 3 days is non qualified for pension, so there is a very small deficiency of service of 1 year and 6 months to complete the prescribed period of 25 Years for half pension grant; but the above nonqualified service compensates more than the deficiency.

Under the same reasons towards a poor, old and unfortunate servant, the Range Officer, and the District Engineer Colonel J. F. Fischer R.E. recommended the Government through the Accountant General, to admit the above nonqualifying service as a pensionable one and to favor with half pension grant, as a special Case. The Copies of which and that of my service List is herein Enclosed for your honor's information.

Therefore I humbly solicit your kind generosity would be pity Enough towards an unfortunate and old Servant, to lay out his claims, his unfortunate state at the time of reaching the point of Service and the recommendation papers of the Local Officers, in the Council and to recommend him for half pension grant, (when his pension papers, reach the Govermt for disposal) as there is a very small deficiency in the pensionable Service, but

the

the nonqualifying service Compensates more than the deficiency for this act of Charity I shall be in duty bound and ever pray

I beg to remain

Most Honored Sir

Your Most Obedient and

humble Servant.

J. Sitaramaswamy

Retired Delta Supdt 1st Grade

No 2 Range Gody District

Amalapore
16th September
1873

No. 446.

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24 Sept. 73

Transferred to the
Secy to Govt. P. W.
Dept.

Per order
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P.W.D

Recd 26 Sept/73

Gen. Lu No. 677 of/73

Pension 1873 Departt.

Government of Madras,

Pub: Works DEPARTMENT.

No. 677

Petition No. 2342 of 1873.

From G. Seetarama-
-swamy

Occupation. a retired 1st Grade Delta Supdt in the No. II or Central

Village. Delta Range

Talook.

District. Godavery at Amalapore.

Dated 16th } Septr 1873.
Received 29th }

4-Oct-

Enclosures. 3

Abstract.

Bringing to notice that the Dt Engineer has recommended to Govt through the Accountant General, to admit petr's service in nonqualifying grades, as a qualifying grade for pension as a special case and to grant him moiety of his salary as pension, submits a copy of his service list and prays that the pension as recommended by the officers may be granted to petr.

G. O. No. 110 of 1874 transferred

Transferred to the Pension Department for disposal in connection with Petitioners application for Pension which has been submitted by the District Engineer.

O. No. 110 of 74

G. W. Walker Coll R.E.
Secry to Govt. P.W.D.
11th Octr 1873

sent to Acct 7 Oct/73

No. 1161 Distt Engineer's Office Godavery
Dowlaishwaram 15th July 1873

From
The District Engineer
Godavery District

To
The Accountant General
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to forward herewith an Application for invalid Pension on behalf of Gudivada Seetaramswamy lately a first Class Delta Superintendent on the Conservancy Establishment of this District, accompanied by a Medical Certificate of unfitness for further Service, granted by the Acting Zillah Surgeon of Rajahmundry.

From the History of Service on the second page of the application, it will be observed that G. Seetaramswamy had served the Government continuously for a period of 26 years, 2 months and 3 days posts not qualifying for pension

This latter service will no doubt

disqualify G. Setaramswamy for the half pension he is recommended for, but I beg to submit that as there is only a small deficiency of 1 year and 6 months to make up for the prescribed period viz 25 years; and as the non qualifying service more than compensates the deficiency, I trust that, as a special case, you will be good enough to recommend that the Government deal liberally towards an old and faithful servant of theirs whose general good conduct is testified to by the many officers he has been under as will be seen from the copies of testimonials &ca enclosed.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) J. F. Fischer Lt Col RE
District Engineer Godavery

Ind. No 2342 of 73

Pro: Ind. No. 677 of 73

APPLICATION FOR { PENSION / GRATUITY.

1. Name of Applicant. Gudivada Sitaramaswamy
2. Father's name. Viraraghavulu Naidu
3. Sect or Caste. Gentu
4. Residence. Masulipatam (originally)
5. Present or last employment. Delta Superintendent 1st Class
6. Date of beginning of service. 26 April 1847 (not shown in Annual List)
7. Date of end of service. 30th June 1873:-

	Y. M. D.
8. Length of service including breaks	26- 2- 3
of which superior	... 23-6-
inferior	... "-"
non-qualifying and breaks	... 2-8-3

9. Class of { pension / gratuity } applied for, and cause of application*] ... Old age & general enfeeblement incapacity for active work
10. [Average] emoluments or pay. Rs 70-"-"
11. Proposed pension. Rs 35-"-". Half Pension
12. Proposed gratuity. None
13. Date from which to commence. 1st July 1873
14. Place of payment. Amalapur
15. Age of applicant on this date. Y. M. D. 51- 2- 8
16. Height. 5' 6"
17. Marks. two apparent marks on the left leg, one on the Knee & the other is 6" below it, happened falling down from the horse -
18 Date. 15th July 1873

* 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.

W. F. Fischer Lieut Col RE
(District Engineer Godavery)

SIGNATURE OF THE HEAD OF OFFICE.

HISTORY OF THE SERVICE (SHOWING BREAKS) OF Gudivada Seetaramasamy.

Establishment.	Appointment.	Pay.		Acting allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of end.	Period reckoned as service.			Period not reckoned as service.			Remarks.	How verified.	Remarks by Accountant-General.
		RS.	A. P.	RS.			Y.	M.	D.	Y.	M.	D.			
Commissariat Departmt	Interpreter to Capt n C. M. Orr Assist Engr	10	- -	"	26 April 1847	13 Feby/49	"	"	"	1	9	18			
Do	Writer in Commissariat Office	10	- -	"	14 Feby/49	31 Decr 1849	"	"	"	"	10	15			
Lt. J. J. Moberly 2 Assist Engr Establisht	Maistry	35	- -	"	1 January 1850	31 March 1852	2	3	"	"	"	"			
Do Col. Do Do	Writer	35	- -	"	1 April/52	28 June 1855	3	2	28	-	-	-			
Capt J. J. Stewart 1 Assist Engr Estt	Writer	35	- -	"	29 June/55	30 April 1857	1	10	2	"	"	"			
Permanent Conservancy Establisht	Dellaw Supdt	70	- -	"	1 May/57	30 June 1873	16	1 2	25 "	"	"	"			
Total period of { superior / inferior } service							23	6	25 "	2	8	3			

REMARKS BY HEAD OF OFFICE.

1. As to character and past conduct of Applicant. Character Good

2. Explanation of any suspension or degradation. None to my knowledge

3. Regarding any gratuity or pension already received by Applicant. See Chapter XX. None

4. Explanation under Section 47, Rule 1, so far as the Head of the Office can give it. Unfit for further service - Vide Medical Certificate attached

5. Any other remarks. None

Lieut Col R.E.
(District Engineer Godavari)

SIGNATURE.

No. 507.

CERTIFICATE AND REPORT OF ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

CERTIFIED that (~~subject to the remarks below recorded~~) qualifying service in { ~~inferior~~ / superior } grades has been duly proved for 20 years 9 months and 2 days; and that an Invalid { pension / ~~gratuity~~ } of one third of pay not exceeding Rs. 23-5-4 per mensem, is admissible under Section 56(b) of the 2nd authorized edition of the Civil Pension Code. The calculations have been duly verified. The applicant who was certified by the Surgeon to be unfit for further Service on the 26th June 1873 having been retained in Service till 30th Idem, the pay drawn therefore by him for 5 days should be recovered from the arrears of pension due to him.

The column "Date of entry" on the 1st side of the Service book remains blank. To save delay the book has not been returned for completion and appears to have been constructed subsequent to the despatch of the application for pension.

The petition of the applicant dated 7th December last praying to be recommended for half pension is herewith submitted.

Fort Saint George
Accountt. Genl's. Office
23d January 1874

Deputy Accountant General

To
The Under Secretary to Government
Pension Department.

Pension 1874 Departᵗ
No. 55

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APPLICATION FOR { PENSION ~~OR~~
{ ~~GRATUITY~~

F. W. 195

Date of application.
23ʳᵈ January 1874

Name of applicant.
G. Sitaramasawmy

Last appointment.
Delta Superintendent

Class of { pension ~~or~~
{ ~~gratuity~~

Amount of pension sanctioned.

Amount of gratuity sanctioned.

Date of commencement.

Date of sanction.

Order thereon 24ᵗʰ February 1874 No. 110.

Under Sections 49 + 56 (b) of the Civil Pension Code (2ⁿᵈ Edition) His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Gudivadu Sitaramasawmy late Delta Superintt Conservancy Estt Godavery Dist an invalid pension of Rs 28-5-4 per mensem to which he is entitled for his qualifying Superior Service of 20 yrs 9 ms + 2 days. payable from the 1st July 1873

2 The applicant will be informed by endorsement on his petition that his qualifying Superior Service amounts only to 20 yrs 9 ms + 2 days and that his request to be granted a pension equal to ½ his salary is inadmissible.—

To the ~~Dist~~ Engineer Godavery
– " – Collector of Godavery District
– " – Accountant General with register } despᵈ 24/2/74
F.W.G.

With an order No. 110

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