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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Petition DEPARTMENT.

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Dated	13-11-	1875.

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Pensions.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

No. 652.

FROM

THE HON. D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Officiating 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 favorable consideration of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

2. Mr. Henry Gibbs entered the Government service as a Clerk in the late Military Board Office, Fort St. George, on the 20th September 1837, and held that appointment until the 11th October 1854, when he was dismissed for absence without leave. This dismissal was considered by Government to have been irregular, and they would have annulled it had not Mr. Gibbs so expressed himself when appealing against it that his re-admission was considered impossible.

3. Mr. Gibbs seems to have remained without employment until 19th February 1857, when he was entertained as a Clerk of the Magazine, Rangoon, where he served until the 26th July 1875, when it became necessary to remove him from the service owing to age and infirmities, but in consequence of the break in his service in 1854 his qualifying superior service amounts only to eighteen years, five months, and eight days, and he can merely be admitted to a pension of one-third of his salary or Rupees 33-5-4 in place of the larger pension of one-half, to which his length of service would otherwise entitle him.

4. Under the peculiar circumstances attending Mr. Gibbs' dismissal, and in view of his subsequent good service, His Excellency the Governor in Council would recommend that he may be allowed to count towards pension so much of his service prior to 12th October 1854 as could be reckoned as qualifying if there had been no break.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

FORT ST. GEORGE,
13th November 1875.

Officiating Chief Secretary.

From Colonel A. STEWART, R.A., Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, to L. A. CAMPBELL, Esq., Under Secretary to Government, Civil Pension Department, dated Fort St. George, 16th August 1875, No. 168-G.

I have the honor to forward application for superannuation pension for Mr. H. Gibbs, 2nd Class Clerk, submitted to me by the Ordnance Officer, Rangoon.

- A.—Proceedings of Medical Board, with certificate attached.
 B.—Copy of letter from Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, No. 111-G, dated 26th July 1871, to Government.
 C.—Copy of Proceedings of Govt., No. 71, dated 1st March 1872, Pension Dept.
 D.—Mr. Gibbs' Service book.

2. To this application are attached papers connected with the case (marked A, B, C, and D.)

3. From these documents it will be observed that my predecessor, in his letter (marked B), brought to the notice of Government the good services rendered by Mr. Gibbs, and recommended very strongly that his former service in the Ordnance Department might be restored to him.

4. In order (marked C) in the Pension Department, Government stated that the question raised in letter (B) could not be decided until Mr. Gibbs had finally retired from the service.

5. Mr. Gibbs has now been declared by a Medical Committee to be unfit for further service (*vide* certificate marked A).

6. Under all the above circumstances, and taking into consideration Mr. Gibbs' advanced age (nearly 60), his failing health, that he has been a hard-working clerk, and afforded every satisfaction in the discharge of his duties during the past eighteen years, as shown in his service book (marked D), I beg to recommend that Government may be pleased to permit him to count his former service, and grant him, from the 27th July 1875, a pension equal to one-half of his average salary during the last five years.

APPENDIX A.

Application for Pension or Gratuity.

1. Name of applicant ... Henry Gibbs.
2. Father's name ... Henry Gibbs.
3. Sect or caste ... Eurasian.
4. Residence ... Rangoon.
5. Present or last employment ... 2nd-Class Clerk, Rangoon Magazine Office.
6. Date of beginning of service ... 19th February 1857.
7. Date of end of service ... 26th July 1875.
8. Length of service including breaks. 18 years, 5 months and 8 days.
 of which superior ... 18 ,, 5 ,, and 8 ,,
 inferior ... Nil.
 non-qualifying and breaks... Nil.
9. Class of pension applied for ... Invalid pension.
 and cause of application ... Being unfit for further service, from old age and infirmity.
10. (Average) emoluments or pay ... Rupees one hundred.
11. Proposed pension ... Rupees 50 on account of 17 years and 22 days additional service—*vide* Proceedings of Government, No. 71, dated 1st March 1872.
12. Proposed gratuity... Nil.
13. Date from which to commence ... 27th July 1875.
14. Place of payment ... Rangoon.
15. Date of applicant's birth by
 Christian era ... 9th February 1816.
16. Height ... Five feet six inches.
17. Marks ... Mole on the upper lip and pock-marked.
18. Date ... Magazine, British Burmah Division, Rangoon,
 27th July 1875.

(Signed) W. E. LOCKHART, Captain, R.A.,
 Commissary of Ord., B. B. Dn.

HISTORY of the Service (*showing breaks*) of Henry Gibbs.

Establishment.	Appoint-ment.	Pay	Acting allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of end.	Period reckoned as Service.	Period not reckoned as Service.	Remarks.	How verified.	Remarks by Controller of Military Accounts.
Military Board Office, Fort St. George.	Clerk.	Rs. 80	...	20th Sept. 1837.	11th Oct. 1854.	17 0 22	...	This service was forfeited but is to be taken into consideration when application for pension is sent in— <i>vide</i> Proceedings of Government, No. 71, dated 1st March 1872.	Verified from the records of this office at Rs. 17-8-0, 21, 30, 35, 40, 55, 75 and 80 per mensem. He was discharged on the 11th October 1854.	
Magazine, Rangoon.	Do.	100	...	19th Feb. 1857.	26th July 1875.	18 5 8	...	...	Verified.	
Total period of Superior Service ...						35 5 0				

(Signed) J. W. RIDEOUT, Lieut.-Col.,
 Conducting the duties of Controller of
 Military Accounts.

Remarks by Head of Office.

1. As to character and past conduct of applicant. Character very good. A very good and hard-working clerk, has done excellent work during his long service, but now incapacitated from old age. I strongly recommend that his former service in late Military Board Office may be taken into consideration in awarding amount of pension.
2. Explanation of any suspension or degradation. Nil.
3. Regarding any gratuity or pension already received by applicant, See Chapter XX. Nil.
4. Explanation under Section 47, Rule 1, so far as the Head of the Office can give it. Nil.
5. Any other remarks ... Nil.

(Signed) W. E. LOCKHART, Captain, R.A.,
 Commissary of Ord., B. B. Dn.

Certificate and Report of the Controller of Military Accounts.

Certified that (subject to the remarks below recorded) qualifying service in superior grades has been duly proved for eighteen years, five months, and eight days, and that an Invalid pension not exceeding Rupees 33-5-4 per mensem is admissible under Section 56 (b) of the Civil Pension Code. The calculations have been duly verified.

If the service of the above individual in the late Military Board Office, amounting to seventeen years and twenty-two days be allowed to be reckoned for pension under Proceedings of Government, Pension Department, 1st March 1872, No. 71, the total period of his service then amounts to

thirty-five years, one month, and eleven days, and he is entitled to a Retiring Pension of Rupees 50 per mensem, under Section 58 of the above Code.

	Ys.	M.	D.
The total period of service	35	6	0
Deduct the period of his service from 20th September 1837 to 8th February 1838, latter the date on which he attained the age of twenty-two years	0	4	19
	35	1	11

MEMORANDUM.

One letter of the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, dated 16th August 1875, No. 163-G, with five enclosures, is herewith forwarded.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
6th October 1875.

(Signed) J. W. RIDEOUT, Lieut.-Col.,
Conducting the duties of Controller of
Military Accounts.

To the Under Secretary to Government, Pension Department.

I, William Johnston Charlton, do hereby certify, that I have carefully examined Mr. Henry Gibbs, Clerk, Ordnance Department, Rangoon; that his age is, by his own statement, 59 years and five months, and by appearance about the same; and that I find him to be unfit for further service from old age and infirmity, not, in my opinion, attributable to intemperance or other irregular habits.

RANGOON,
24th July 1875.

(Signed) W. J. CHARLTON,
Surgeon in charge of Staff and Garrison Details.

A.

PROCEEDINGS of a Board of Medical Officers assembled Departmentally for the purpose of examining Mr. Henry Gibbs, Clerk, Ordnance Department, and reporting on his fitness or otherwise for further service.

RANGOON, 26TH JULY 1875.

President.

Deputy Surgeon-General, P. G. FITZGERALD, M.D..

Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, B. B. Division.

Members.

Surgeon P. THOMPSON, Left Wing, 4th Regiment, Native Infantry.

Surgeon R. WARDER, Right Wing, 39th Regiment, Native Infantry.

Surgeon W. J. CHARLTON, in charge of Staff and Garrison Details.

Mr. Gibbs' Medical Attendant is present.

The Board having carefully examined Mr. Gibbs confirm the certificate granted by Surgeon W. J. Charlton.

(Signed) P. G. FITZGERALD, M.D.,
Dy. Surgeon-Genl. Ind. Mdl. Dept.,
B. B. Division. } President.

(Signed) P. THOMPSON,
Surgeon, Left Wing, 4th Regt., N. I. } Members.
(Signed) R. WARDER,
Surgeon, Right Wing, 39th Regt. N. I.

1875.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From
The Offg. Chief Secretary to Govt.,
Fort St. George,
To
The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated 13th November 1875.

Issued

Recd.

No. 652.

Enclosure.

Pensions.—Recommending that a certain period of service prior to 12th October 1854 be allowed to count towards pension in the case of Mr. H. Gibbs, late Clerk in the Military Board Office, Madras.

Finance Establishment Department.
(5. Enclosure.)

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ORDNANCE OFFICE:

Fort Saint George.

18th August 1875.

No. 4/15

From

Colonel A. Stewart R.A.
Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

To

The (Under Secretary to Government)
Civil Pension Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward application for
Superannuation pension for Mr. H. Gibbs, 2nd Class Clerk,
submitted to me by the Ordnance Officer Rangoon.—

To this application are attached papers
connected with the case (marked A, B, C, and D).—

- A. Proceedings of the Board of Directors
B. Copy of letter from the Board of Directors
C. Copy of letter from the Board of Directors
D. Copy of letter from the Board of Directors

From these documents it will be seen
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to the notice of Government the good service rendered
by Mr. Gibbs, and recommended very strongly that his
former service in the Ordnance Department might
be credited to him.—

In order (marked C) in the Pension
Department, Government stated that the question
raised in letter (B) could not be decided, until Mr.
Gibbs had finally retired from the service.—

Mr. Gibbs has now been declared, by
a Medical Committee, to be unfit for further service.
(vide Certificate marked A).—

10.- (Under all the above circumstances, and taking into consideration Mr. Gibbs' advanced age, (nearly 60) his failing health, that he has been a hard-working Clerk, and afforded every satisfaction in the discharge of his duties during the past 8 years, as shown in his Service Book (marked D), I beg to recommend that Government may be pleased to permit him to continue his former service, and grant him, from the 27th July 1875, a pension equal to one half of his average salary during the last 5 years—

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,
W. Stewart Colonel Ret.
Inspector General of Ordnance
Magazines.

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do hereby Certify that I have carefully
examined Mr. Henry Gibbs, Clerk,
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and 5 months, and by appearance about
the same; and that I find him to be
unfit for further service, from old age
and infirmity, not, in my opinion,
attributable to intemperance, or other
irregular habits.

Rangoon
24th July 1875 }

W. Chaston.
Surgeon in charge of
Staff & Garrison Details

Jan. 11. No 6309/55

Pens: 1st March 1872
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Pension 1875. Dep't
From N^o 630
The Cont. of Military
Accounts A.

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Dated 6th Oct. 1875
Recd 8th

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Submitting with
his report application for
pension to Mr. Henry
Gibbs late 1st Class
Sgt. R. Rangon
Magazine Office.

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Pension No 630
1875

Proceedings of a Board of Medical Officers assembled
Departmentally for the purpose of examining W. Henry
Gibbs, Clerk, Ordnance Department, and reporting on his
fitness or otherwise for further service.

_____ Rangom 26th July 1875 _____
_____ President _____

President

Deputy Surgeon General P. G. Fitzgerald M.D.
Deputy Surgeon General Ins. Med Dept B. B. Davis

Aspy Surgeon General Ins. Med Dept B. B. Div.

Members.

Members.
 Surgeon P. Thompson Left Wing 4th Regiment U.S.
 Surgeon R. Warder Right Wing 3^d Regiment U.S.
 Surgeon W. J. Charlton, in charge of Staff & Garrison Details
 W. Gibbs' Medical Attendant is present.

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K. G. L. Gravello

Deputy Surgeon General }
Ind. Med. Dept } President
B. B. Davis }

P Thompson.
Surgeon Left Wing & Right

Rewards } Members.

Singon Right Wing Sq Reg: W.

University of New Brunswick

India Department.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government.

Read the following letters from the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazine dated 26th July 1871 No. 4th and from the Controller of Military Accounts dated 21st August 1871. B.

Order thereon 1st March 1872 No. 71.

The question raised by Mr. Gibbs, cannot be decided until he has finally retired from the Service. The usual form of application should then be sent in, on his behalf.

/ Two Extracts

Dep: H. Wellesley

Secy. Secretary to Government.

To
The Inspector Genl. of Ord. & Magazine
— Controller of Military Accounts.

No. 5536.

Two Copy. — Forwarded to the Ordnance Office. Enclosed with copy of letter from this Department No. 4th dated 26th July 1871 for information.

Dep: J. L. Barron Colonel R. S.
Inspector Genl. of Ord. & Magazine.

1 March 1872.

/ Two Copy /

Mr. Ashurst Capt. R. S.

Commissary of Ord. & Magazine

CD
Wm. Roberts

Name of Officer.		Henry Gibbs		Caste or Race.	Burmah	Residence.	Bangor	
FATHER'S		Name.		Henry Gibbs		Residence.		Glend
Date of birth.		9 th February 1816		Age.		Exact Height.		
		Years	Ms.	Days.	Feet.	In.		
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		Personal marks for identification.						
		Made on the Upper Lip & Neck-marked						
Date of Entry.		31 st March 1873						
Signature of Officer.		Henry Gibbs						
Signature and designation of the head of the Office.		Wm. Roberts (Capt. Royal Artillery) Commissary of Ordnance British Burma Division						

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THE ENTRIES IN THESE COLUMNS ARE TO BE RE-ATTESTED EVERY FIVE YEARS; EACH ATTESTATION SHOULD BE CAREFULLY RULED OFF THE DATE MAY BE CLEARLY SHOWN.

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.
Military Board Office. Chief Manager Section of part. Compiler of Military Board's Proceedings and Orders.	Substantive		Rs. 27/6		20th Sept 1857	Henry Gibbs.
Manager Section of Correspondence Department and Orders.	Substantive		Rs. 15/6			
Manager of Commissariat Department. Passing of Estimates and Accounts of Cash, also Minister of Revenue and Despatches.	Substantive		Rs. 20/-			
2nd Clerk Rangoon Journal Office.	Substantive		Rs. 12/6		19th February 1857	Henry Gibbs.
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Ordinance Establishment Department.
Through to Controller of Military Accounts.

Ordinance Office, Fort Mifflin, Pa.
26th July 1871

N^o. 15

From: Colonel J. L. Barrac P. B.
Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines

To: The Secretary to Government
Military Department.

Sir: Please the honor to inform for information of your
- mnd, that I have received a communication from the Ordnance
Office, Bangalore forwarding a letter from Mr. Henry Gibbs
and also, Clerk attached to that Magazine praying for a restoration
of service in the late Military Board Office forfeited by him
in 1854.

2. Mr. Gibbs was enlisted in the late Military Board
Office in the 20th September 1837 and dismissed the service in the
11th October 1854 for absence without leave.

3. Against this decision Mr. Gibbs appealed and
Government in their Order, vide Extract Minutes of Consultation
N^o. 954 of 27th March 1855, considered the Cause proposed
by the Secretary of Board singular, and as variance with the
rules prescribed for his guidance, and although Government
on that occasion were prepared to annul the order of the Secretary,
dismissal of Mr. Gibbs from the service, yet for the ill-judged

SERVICE BOOK

Name.	Henry Gibbs.
Caste or Race.	Christian.
Residence.	Bangalore.
FATHER'S.	
Name.	Henry Gibbs.
Residence.	Madras.
Date of birth.	9 th February 1816.

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Sentences to which he had given expression, in the concluding part of his petition, in regard to the treatment he experienced from the Secretary, they confirmed his statement from the Service.

4. On the occasion of the relief of the Bengal, by the Madras Ordnance Establishment in 1857, Mr. Gibbs states that at the instance of Colonel G. Balfour, C.B., then Deputy Member of the late Military Board, he re-entered the Service as Manager of the Magazine Rangoon, and the records in this Office, show that he was entertained in that Magazine on the 19th February of that year.

5. Since that date the whole of the Ordnance Officers under whom he has served have spoken of his character and qualifications in the highest terms as will be seen from the Extracts from Reports annexed in the margin.

6. Looking therefore to the fact, that Mr. Gibbs has for a continuous period of 14 years as above stated, given unqualified satisfaction

In 1855. By Capt. E. R. Childers } Charge. - Very good. - Is a very capable man, well qualified for his present position, and for any advancement. Has not passed the Intermediate Civil Service Examination. Does not wish to return to the Coast.
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From *The Controller of Military Accounts.*

6th Decr 1875.

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End of March 1933

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3 years. It was more
than two years for
the office of

Mr Gibbs is not upwards
of 60 years but 47 years -
his days are disordered so
he was dismissed in 1854.
His dismissal was
considered by you to have
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Mr Gibbs not so expressed
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readmission was considered
impossible. I should

Should the Judicial
Court against him or is a
recommendation to be made
to the Govt of India in his
behalf.

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Incision DEPARTMENT.

No. 152.

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To

The Secretary to the Government
of India,
Financial DEPARTMENT.

Sir,

I am directed to submit
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For Lt. George
13th Nov 1875

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Simon 1875 DEPARTMENT.

To

St. W. 9 of 76

No. 652

The Secretary to the
Government of *India*
Indian Department.

Dated 13th Dec 1875:

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*Recommendation that the
Commissioner of Revenue for
the 12th Dec 1875 be allowed to
come to London for the
case of the 11th Dec 1875
to look in the matter
of the 11th Dec 1875.*