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Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Pension Department,
26th June 1876. *No.* 388.

Pensions.

Read the following papers:—

From the Superintending Engineer, Tanjore, dated 5th May 1875, No. 562.
,, Examiner of Public Works Accounts, dated 30th May 1876, Nos. 7 & 49-P.
,, Accountant-General, dated 13th June 1876.

ORDER THEREON, 26th June 1876, No. 388.

Under Sections 49 and 56 (*b*) of the Civil Pension Code (2nd Edition), His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Mr. John Alexander Hamnett, late Supervisor, 1st Grade, Department of Public Works, Tanjore, an invalid pension of Rupees (66-10-8) sixty-six, Annas ten, and Pies eight per mensem to which he is entitled for his qualifying superior service of eighteen years, nine months, and twenty-three days. This pension will be made payable at Madras in arrears from the 10th April 1875, subject to the deduction of Rupees 307-0-6 as directed in the orders marginally quoted.

Public Works Procs., 17th Sept. 1873, No. 2301.
Do. 30th Jan. 1874, ,, 229.
Do. 28th Oct. ,, ,, 3072.

2. His service before attaining the age of twenty-two years is inadmissible under Section 12 of the above Code.

3. With reference to Superintending Engineer's recommendation for the grant of half pay pension of Rupees 100 to Mr. Hamnett, His Grace the Governor in Council sees nothing in the case to justify its being exceptionally treated.

(True Extract.)

Acting Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Accountant-General, with Register.
,, Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
,, Superintending Engineer, Tanjore.
,, Public Works Department.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

Govt. of 1876 Madras.

PENSION.

To

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,

&c. &c. &c.

Dated June, 26th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 26th June 1876, No. 388.

JUNE.

Pensions.—Granting an invalid pension of Rupees 66-10-8 per mensem to Mr. J. A. Hannett, late Supervisor, 1st Grade, in the Department of Public Works, Tanjore.

THE ENTRIES IN THESE COLUMNS ARE TO BE REATTESTED EVERY FIVE YES ; EACH ATTESTATION SHOULD BE CAREFULLY RULED OFF THE DATE MAY BE CLEARLY SHOWN.

Name of Officer.	Caste or Race.	Residence.	FATHER'S Name.	FATHER'S Residence.	Date of birth.	Age. Years	Age. Ms.	Age. Days.	Exact Height. Feet.	Exact Height. In.	Personal marks fidentification.	Date of Entry.	Signature of Officer.	Signature and designation of the head of the Office.
John Alexander Hannett	Eurasian	India	James Hannett	India	10th June 1832	42	2	″	5	4	one large scar on right hand above the wrist - one large mole on left leg on the knee - black mole in the right eye - one scar at the end of right eyebrow & one black mole on the upper lip right side -	11th July 74	J. A. Hannett	Rich J. Roberts [illegible] Supdg Engineer

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 and designation of immediate head of the Office.
Assistant ~~Marawut~~ Bricklayer Maistry 1st Assistant Civil Engineer's office 7th Division	Permanent		Rs 14		1st June 1848		Passed the Test of Assistant overseer and is in possession of certificate from Civil Engineer's College No 49 dated 4th January 1860, and test in four colloquial Languages namely Telugu, Hindustany, Canarise, and Malayalam as laid down in Government order No 2030 dated 25th August 1859 vide extract of Proceedings of the Chief Engineer Southern circle No 579 under date the 28th April 1863.	Supt. C.E. Tanjore [illegible] Lt. R.E.	~~February~~ 1849	Promotion	Supt. C.E. Tanjore [illegible] Lt. R.E.
Head ~~Marawut~~ Bricklayer Maistry Do Do	Do		35 45		Febry 1849				9th June ~~August~~ 1854	Do	
Do Do Do			45		10th June 1854				18 Augt/54	Do	
Overseer Trunk road No 5 in 7th ~~Division~~ Sub Collector's office Malabar	Do		50 50		1st August 1854				7 Decr/54 ~~August~~ 1855	Do.	
Draughtsman Wellington Barracks Ex. Engr's office	Do		75		8th Decr 1854 1st August 1855	J. A. Hamnett			31 Octr/55 9th ~~3 Feby~~ 1860	Do.	
Asst Overseer	Ag Do		~~80~~	Do 80	10th Feby ~~1st Decr~~ 1860				16 Octr/60	Confirmed	
D.P.W. Malabar Do Do Asst to Ovr & Taking measures	Do		80		17 Octr/60				6th May 1864	~~Promotion~~ Do	
Supervisor 2nd Grade Coimbatore Dt.	Do		150		7th May 1864				30 Novr/66	Transfer	
Do Vizagapatam	Do		150		1 Decr/66				~~16th March 1868~~ 19 Mar 1868	~~Do~~ acting Promotion	
Ag Supervisor 1st Grade Vizagapatam	Ag	Supervisor 2nd Grade	150	25 40	20 17th March 1868				29th July 1868	Promotion Do	
Supervisor 1st Grade Vizagapatam	Permanent		200		30th July 1868				~~December 1870~~ 31 Augt 1871	Transfer	
	Cumulative privilege leave from 27th December 1869 to 16th March 1870. Waiting for the orders of Government on certain reports made by the Supdg Engineer from December 187 to 10th July 1871										
Supervisor 1st Grade Vizagapatam District	Permanent		200		1 Sept 10th July 1871				12 Decr 1873 ~~2 September~~ 1871	Transfer	

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Supervisor 1st Grade Kistna	Permanent		200		3rd Sept 1871	S. A. Hannett		for absent Ex. Engr Offg Supg 1st Dn	13th Decr 1873	Transfer	[illegible] Tanjore
Do Tanjore Dt	Do		200		28th Decr 1874		Mr Hannett was for only a few months under my orders, & during this period he was physically incapable of conducting the duties of Range Officer.	Richard Roper Ex. Engr. Tanjore	9th April 1875	In view to being pensioned. Vide G.O. No 916 A 6th April 1875	Richd Roper Ex Engr Tanjore

Statement showing the leaves &c. of Mr J. A. Hammett Supervisor

Description of Leaves &c.	From	To	Period Reckoned as Service Y	 M	 D	 Not reckoned as Service Y	 M	 D	Remarks.
Sick leave	1st July 1859	31st August 1859	"	"	"	"	2	"	✓
Privilege leave	5th January 1866	5th February 1866	"	1	"	"	"	"	✗
Under Suspension	6th September 1866	31st October 1866	"	"	"	"	"	25	Vide G.O. No. 3045, dated 22nd September 1866. See G.O. No 3736 of 23rd Novr 1866 authorizing to pass full pay
Privilege leave	17th December 1869	16th March 1870	"	3	"	"	"	"	✗
Sick leave	11th September 1871	~~18th~~ 17 September 1871	"	"	"	"	"	~~8~~ 7	✓
Privilege leave	13th December 1873	28th January 1874	"	1	17	"	"	"	✗
Under Suspension	28th January 1874	4th February 1874	"	"	"	"	"	8	Vide G.O. No. 776, dated 20th March 1874.
Sick leave	10th November 1874	9th April 1875	"	"	"	"	5	"	✓
			"	5	17	"	~~9~~ 7	~~11~~ 15	

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W. F. Drake Lieutt Coll R.E.
Supg Engineer Tanjore

Supg Engrs Office
Tanjore 9th May 1876

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SERVICE BOOK

OF

Name. J. A. Hamnett

Caste or Race. Eurasian

Residence. India

FATHER'S.

Name. James Hamnett

Residence. India

Date of birth. 10th June 1832

Recd: No. 396 [illegible]

No. 114

Certified that I have carefully examined John Alexander Hamnett, Supervisor D. P. W. Tanjore Son of James Hamnett. His age is, by [illegible] own Statement, 4[illegible] years, and by appearance about that age. I consider John Alexander Hamnett to be completely and permanently incapacitated for further service of any kind in the Department to which he belongs ~~from~~ in consequence of general debility with failing heart's action and asthma - His incapacity does not appear to me to have been caused by irregular or intemperate habits.

Wm. Farquhar Davis
MD. FRCS
Surgeon Major
Ag. Civil Surgeon

Coimbatore
14th June, 1875

Enclosure in a letter
from the Supg Engineer
Tanjore to the Controller
of P.W. Accounts
No. 2286 dated 22nd Decr 75

Medical Certificate
producing [illegible]
[illegible] that the [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] Service

Public Works Department

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Read the following

From
The Supg: Engineer Tanjore } A.C. No. 2872 d/10th Feby: 1875
Do Do " " " 3460 " 24th March 1875
Order thereon 6th April 1875 No. 916 A.

Under the circumstances mentioned in these papers as to Mr. Supervisor Hannett's physical incapacity for the duties required of him in the Public Works Department, the Superintending Engineer will submit Mr. Hannett's pension papers at once, striking his name off the effective list, from the 10th April; to which date he is allowed 2 months additional leave on Medical Certificate.

The separate communication promised in para 3 on the subject of G.O. No. 3072, dated 28th October 1874, will be awaited.

(True Extract)
(Sigd) G. W. Walker Coll. R.E.
Secy to Government

To The Controller P.W. Accounts

(True copy)
Charles A Hufflon
Supdt. Correspondance Branch
Office of Examiner P.W. Accounts

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Superintending Engineer's Office
Tanjore 5th May 1875

From.

Lieutt. Col. R. A. Roberts R.E.
Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

To

L. Conway Gordon Esquire
Controller of P.W. Accounts
Madras

Sir

In forwarding the enclosed letter to Government No. 562 dated 5th Instant submitting an application for Pension on behalf of Supervisor Mr. J. A. Hamnett, I have the honor to inform you that, for the reasons mentioned in para 2 of the same the statement of Mr. Hamnett's Services has not been verified, and I request therefore that you will be good enough to have the Statement in question verified in your office before submitting the papers to Government

Enclosures 5
1 Letter to Govt.
1 Application for Pension
1 Service Book
1 Letter from Mr. Hamnett.
1 Copy of Zillah Surgeon's letter No. 72 dated 20th March 1875

I may mention that Mr. Hamnett's Services, from his appoint-
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=ment as Assistant Overseer in 1860 and subsequent thereto appear to be borne out by the printed Lists of Establishment published annually.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servt.

Richd. Roberts Lieut. Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

To the Accou. Genl.
Madras 27 May
75 / No 7144.

From
The Supg. Engineer
Tanjore
To
The Controller
P.W.A.
No 563
Dated 5 May 1875
Enc. 5.

Forwards letter to Govt. and its enclosures applying for pension for Supervisor Hannett.

[illegible] No 3960 [illegible]

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No 562 Superintending Engineers Office
Tanjore 5th May 1875 19

From
Lieutt. Col. R. A. Roberts R.E.
Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

To
Colonel G. W. Walker R.E.
Secretary to Government P.W.D.
Madras

Sir,

Under Section 49 of the Civil Pension Code, I have the honor to forward herewith, in the prescribed form, an application for Pension on behalf of Supervisor Mr. J. A. Hannett whose transfer to the Pension List from the 10 April 1875, was ordered in G.O. No 916 A. dated 6 April 1875.

Enclosures 4
1 Application for Pension
1 Service Book
1 Letter from Mr. Hannett
1 Copy of [illegible] to [illegible] letter No 72 dated 22 March 1875

2. Mr. Hannetts Services, which have been rendered solely in this Department, extend

extent, as per his Service Book, over a period of 26 years 10 months and 9 days in the Superior grade. Owing to the absence of Complete information as to the several Districts in which Mr. Hamnett has been employed, his Services, as given in the Service Book, have not been verified, as they should have been, by a reference to the several District Officers, if the information in question were forthcoming; and as all necessary records for verification, are, it is believed, in the office of the Controller of P.W. Accounts, that Officer, through whom this application is forwarded, has been requested to have the statement of services duly verified before submitting the papers to Government.

3. The Government having in their order quoted in para 1 above recognized Mr. Hamnett's physical incapacity for the duties of the P.W. Department, the usual Medical Certificate in support of the application is not submitted.

4. Mr. Hamnett's Service Book Contains no remarks as to his Character and past conduct, ~~[illegible]~~ and there is no information in this Office in this connection, ~~and~~ I am myself unable to enter any remarks in his favor, as during the short time that he has been under my orders in this District, he has been physically incapable of Conducting the duties of a Range Officer - I take the opportunity

however to enclose Mr. Hamnett's letter, dated 17th April 1875 in which he mentions the good service he has rendered to Government.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servt.

Percy Roberts Lieut. Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

From 23
The Supg Engineer
Tanjore
To The Secretary to
Govt. P.W.D.
No. 562
Dated 5 May 75
Recd.
Enc: 4.

Forwards an application for Pension on behalf of Supervisor Mr. Hamnett.

Suttimungalum 17/4/75

To

Colonel R. A. Roberts R. E.
Superintending Engineer 5th Dn.
Tanjore

Sir

As directed in your Memo No. 154 dated the 10th Instant at the foot of G. O. No. 916-A. dated the 6th April 1875 receive this day I beg to enclose my Service book & to request you to be kind enough to recommend me for full pension of Rs. 100 " " for the very valuable Service I have rendered Government during my Service in increasing the revenue of the Suttimungalum Taluq of the Irrigation range of the Coimbatore District to nearly 20,000 Rs. annually by extending

and

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From
Mr. Supr. S. A. Hammett
D. P. W. Tanjore
District

To
Colt. R. A. Roberts
Supdg. Engineer
Tanjore

Dated 17th
Despd
Recd 19th } April 75

Submits Service book and requests to be recommended for full pension for Service rendered to Govt. in increasing the revenue of the Suttumungalum

Rec: In No. 396 of 75

No. 72,

Tanjore 22d March 1875

From,
The Zillah Surgeon
Tanjore

To
The Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 3140 of 8th Instant, I have the honor to report that I have this day examined Supervisor Mr. Hammett with reference to para 2 of G.O. No. 19 of 6 January and that I do not think him physically fit for active out-door work in the P. W. D. He suffers from severe palpitation, in all probability due to organic disease of the Heart.

The Documents forwarded with your letter under reply are herewith returned.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. M. Houston Surgeon Major
Zillah Surgeon

(True Copy)

Richd. A. Roberts Lieut. Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer Tanjore

Enclosure in a
letter from the Supg
Engineer Tanjore to
the Secretary to Govt
No. 562. dated 5th May 75.

Copy of letter from
Zillah Surgeon
No. 72. dated 22nd March 75.

No. 639

Supg Engineer's office
Tanjore 13th May 1875.

From,
The Acting District Engineer
Tanjore

To,
The Controller of
P. W. Accounts

Sir,

With reference to G. O. No. 1045 dated 15th April 1875, on your Statement of unadjusted Miscellaneous advances for the quarter ending 31st December 1874 I have the honor to observe that as Supervisor Mr Hamnett has been ordered by Government to be placed on the Pension list, it will not be possible for this office to recover any portion of the sum due by him, inasmuch as he will not draw his pension through this office.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obdt Servt

Acting Distt Engineer
Tanjore

To the Supdg: Engr: Tanjore
of 27 May/75 No 748 D.

From
the Dist Engineer
Tanjore
To Controller
P.W.A
No 639
Dated 13 May 75
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States that it will
not be possible to ascertain
the records [illegible]
of the time due
from Mr Hammett

Recd Sl No 3407/76

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No 744

Fort St. George
Madras dated

From the Examiner P. W. Accounts
To The Accountant General
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to inform me whether the Services of Mr. J. A. Hammett, late Supervisor in the Tanjore District, from 1st. June 1848 to 30th April 1856 as noted in the accompanying application and Service register can be verified from the records of your Office and if so whether this service counts towards pension.

I have &c.
(Sigd.) L. Conway Gordon
Examiner P.W. Accounts

(True Copy)

Charles A Huggins
Supdt. Correspondence Branch
Office of Examiner P.W. Accounts

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No 748

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Fort St. George

Madras dated

From the Examiner P.W. Accounts
To The Supervising Engineer Tanjore

Sir,

With reference to para 3 of your letter to the Secretary to Government Public Works Department No. 562 of the 5th May 1875 I have the honor to request that as under Section 50 of the Civil Pension Code incapacity for service is required to be established by a Medical Certificate, a certificate in the prescribed from may be furnished as early as possible in support of the application for pension forwarded on behalf of Mr J. A. Hamnett late Supervisor in the Tanjore District.

I have &c.
(Sigd) L. Conway Gordon
Examiner P.W. Accounts

(True Copy)
Charles A Stuffton
Supdt Correspondance Branch
Office of Examiner P.W. Accounts

A.B.
25/5

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Recd. the No. 396

No. 2626

Audit DEPARTMENT.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
2nd June 1875.

FROM THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS,

TO THE Controller of Public Works Accounts

VIDE { your ~~this~~ } { ~~Proceedings~~ Office ~~Letter~~ ~~Memo~~. } No. 744 dated 27th May 1875.

THE undersigned has the honor to state that the services of Mr. J. A. Hannett late Supervisor in the Tanjore District have been borne out by the annual Returns on record in this Office as per margin.

Return of 1st May 49	Pay Rs. 14	Under	Captn. F. C. Cotton
50	35		Lieutt. R. A. Roberts
51	35		Do.
52	35		Do.
53	45		Bt. Captn. G. Selby
54	45		Captn. Do.

In the Return of 1st May '56 the appointment of "Overseer, Trunk Road No. 5" on pay of Rs. 59 per mensem does not appear in the 7th Division of Civil Engineers' Department of which Captain F. M. Francis was the Civil Engineer and Captain G. Selby the 1st Assistant Civil Engineer as noted in the Service Book.

In the Return of 1st May '56 also the appointment of Draughtsman on Rupees 75 per mensem in the Executive Engineer's Department Wellington, is not traceable. The name of

Lieutt. W. T. F. Farewell under whom Mr. Hammett is stated to have served (as per pencil entry in the Service Book) is traceable in it as 1st Assistant Civil Engineer Kistna

In all the Returns in which his name is traceable Mr. Hammett was designated as Bricklayer maistry, hence he cannot count the service as qualifying for superior pension unless it can be proved that the entry of Bricklayer maistry in them was erroneous and that he was a Maramut maistry during the period as stated in the History of his services.-

CONTRA AUDITOR
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[Cr. Wks. Form No. 2.]

No. 1079.

FROM

THE Examiner ~~CONTROLLER,~~ PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,

To

The Superintending Engineer,
Tanjore

FORT SAINT GEORGE, 12 June ~~May~~ 1875.

Vide your application for pension on behalf of Mr. J. A. Hammett, late Supervisor in the Tanjore District.

1. The undersigned has the honor to request that the Superintending Engineer Tanjore will be good enough to furnish information on the following points connected with the application for pension on behalf of Mr. J. A. Hammett, late Supervisor in the Tanjore District.

2. From the accompanying copy of memorandum from the Accountant General Madras No 2626 dated 2d June 1875, it will be seen that the services of Mr Hammett have been borne out by the annual returns on records in the Accountant General's Office in the manner noted in the margin of para 1 of the memorandum. Explanation is requested as to the cause of the differences noticed by the Accountant General. Adverting to para's 2 and 3

of the memorandum, the Superintending Engineer is requested to forward for reference any vouchers that may be in possession of the applicant to prove that he was employed during the years 1854/55 and 1855/56 in the manner specified in the application for pension and register of service herewith returned. In the audit register for 1856/57 and 1857/58 embracing the period from 1st May 1856 to 30th April 1858, draftsmen on salaries of Rs 60 and 50 per mensem are shewn to have been employed under Captain Francis. But as the designations only of the appointments have been entered in the registers it cannot be determined whether Mr Hamnett was holding one of them. No trace can be made of the applicants services from 1st September 1859 to 9th January 1860. Should no documents be forthcoming to prove the applicants service during the above periods, an affidavit should be taken from him and collateral evidence collected as required by Rule 4 Section 71. of the Civil pension Code, revised Edition of December 1873.

3. Explanation is requested as to the cause of the omission from the application for pension and the register of Service, of the two months sick leave availed of by the applicant from 1st July to 31st August 1859.

4 The audit registers of this Office shew that Mr Hamnett drew pay as Acting Supervisor 1st Grade from the 20th March 1868 and not from the 17th March 1868 as shewn in the application. He drew the acting allowance at the rate of Rs 25 per mensem and not at Rs 40. Explanation should be furnished as to the cause of the difference.

5. Referring to the last para of the Accountant General's (Madras) memorandum information is requested as to the correct designation of the appointment held by the applicant from 1848 to 1854 and the nature of the duties performed by him as Maistry.

6 In retransmitting the register of service, the Superintending Engineer is requested to have it completed by the signature of the Officer in column 7 of page 2 and 4.

7. The medical Certificates referred to in this Office letter No 748 of the 27th May 1875, should also be submitted for transmission to Government.

(Signed) L. Conway Gordon
Examiner P.W. Accounts.

(True Copy)
Charles A Hufflow Supdt.
Correspondence Branch
Examr's Office, P.W.D.

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No. 2256 - Superintending Engineer's Office
Camp Soondrapermalcovil
2d December 1875.

From,
The Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

To,
The Controller of
P.W. Accounts.
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to retransmit the Pension Papers of Mr. Hamnett late a Supervisor in this District returned with your Memo No. 10. T.J. dated 12th June last.

2. The periods of Mr. Hamnett's services which, according to the above quoted Memo, cannot be satisfactorily traced from your Office Records and those of the Accountant General's are:

From June 1848 to 1st May 1849 as Assistant Maramut Maistry.

From August 1854 to August 1855 as Overseer on Trunk Road No. 5.

From August 1855 to February 1860 as Draughtsman Wellington Barracks.

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3. The only papers in support of the above periods of services that Mr. Hamnett has been able to produce are the three following marked A.B. and C. They are herewith enclosed.

That marked A shows that Mr. Hamnett was Offered the post of Overseer on the Trunk Road No. 5.

The Statement marked B shows that Mr. Hamnett was employed as Draughtsman and Estimator in the Wellington Barracks on the 1st May 1858 and the original Certificate marked C given by the special Executive Engineer Jackatallah (Wellington) shows that Mr. Hamnett was employed under him as Draughtsman.

4. On reference to the printed Departmental List Corrected up to January 1860, it will be seen that Mr. Hamnett was on that date employed as Draughtsman in the Special Executive Engineer's Office at Jackatall and that he had been so employed from November 1856, hence the statement in your Memo under reply, that no trace can be made from the Records of your Office of Mr. Hamnett's services from the 1st September 1859 to 9th January 1860, appears to be erroneous.

5. In the absence of Complete Records relating to Mr. Hamnett's services as it was impossible to verify his services he was called upon to submit an Affidavit in support of the services which could not be verified, as required by Rule 4 Section 71 of the Civil Pension Code and the same is herewith forwarded.

6. The two months' sick leave availed of by Mr. Hamnett from 1st July to 31st August 1859 have been deducted from the period of his service and the necessary alterations have been accordingly made in the application for Pension. The mistakes in the date and pay of

Mr. Hamnett's appointment as acting Supervisor 1st Grade have also been duly corrected in the Service Book as well as in the applications for Pension.—

7. With regard to Mr. Hamnett's appointment as Maramut Maistry, he explains that he held that appointment in the Assistant Civil Engineers' Offices and that the duty he had to perform was, to follow the Assistant Engineers in their tours, to inspect and take measurements of works, to prepare Estimates, draw Plans, and take surveys and levels in addition to doing the Correspondence work; while those designated Bricklayer Maistries were employed in the Talugs under the Collectors' orders superintending bricklaying in the Construction of works: it would appear therefore that under the above explanations the period of Mr. Hamnett's services as Maramut Maistry is eligible to be reckoned towards Pension.—

8. The signature of Mr. Hamnett has been inserted in Column 7 of pages 2 and 4 of his Service Book.—

9. A medical Certificate in support of Mr. Hamnett's unfitness for further service is enclosed.—

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedient St.

A. T. Oakes Lieut. Colo. R.E.

Superintending Engineer

Tanjore

From
The Supdg Engineer
Tanjore
To The Controller
P. W. Accounts
No. 2256
Dated 2nd December 75
Received –
Encl: 7

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Recommends with fur-
-ther information
pension papers of
Mr Hammett late
Supervisor Tanjore
District –

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[Cr. Wks. Form No. 2.]

No. 76 T.S.

From
THE ~~CONTROLLER~~ Examiner,
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,

To
The Superintending Engineer Tanjore

FORT SAINT GEORGE, 25th January 1876.

Memorandum

With reference to the pension application submitted on behalf of Mr. J. A. Hammett late Supervisor 1st Grade in the Tanjore and other papers received with the Superintending Engineer's letter No. 2256 dated 2d December 1875, the undersigned has the honor to request that the Superintending Engineer will be good enough in accordance with section 71 of the Civil Pension Code to make a reference to the Superintending Engineer Coimbatore and the District Engineer Nilgiri as to whether the applicant's services as detailed in the margin can be verified from the records of their respective offices and whether the Establishment on which the applicant was employed — during

Establishment	Appt.	Pay	From	To
Chief Engrs. Dept. 7th Divn.	Maistry	Rs 40	10 June 1854	Aug 5th 1854
Exd. Engr's Dept. Wellington	Draftsman & Estimator	" 75	Aug 5th 1855	30th April 1858
Do.	Do.	" 75	1st Septr 1859	9th Jany 1860

during the periods in question was permanent or temporary.-

2. A statement should further be furnished of the leave which the applicant may have had during the above period.-

3. The applicant's services prior to the 10th June 1854 though satisfactorily verified can not under section 12 of the Civil Pension Code count as superior service towards pension inasmuch as they were rendered before the completion of his 22d year.-

4 The document marked A simply relates to the offer to Mr. Hamnett of the appointment of overseer on Trunk Road No 5 in the Malabar and no reference is made therein to the applicant having been employed in that capacity. It is suggested that a reference be made to the Collector of Malabar regarding the applicant's services as overseer under the Sub Collector of Palghat on a salary of Rupees 59 per mensem from August 1854 to August 1855 as stated in the applicant's affidavit.-

5 It is observed that according to the affidavit the applicant held the appoint-

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appointment of Draftsman and Estimator till February 1860 whereas his services as verified from the records of this office appear to have been acting assistant overseer on a salary of Rupees 80 per mensem from 10th January 1860. It is further observed from the affidavit that the applicant was absent on leave on certain occasions. The description of leave taken should, if possible be stated and the statement of the contemporary servants referred to by the applicant in his affidavit should be procured and furnished to this office for transmission to Government.-

6. According to the Registers available in this office the applicant's services have been verified as set forth in the accompanying statement. It will be seen that the applicant drew subsistence allowance under Government Order No 776 dated 20th March 1874 from 28th January to 4th February 1874 and had sick leave for 5 months from 10th November 1874. The cause of these two periods having been shewn in the History of Service as "Period reckoned as service" should be explained.-

7. The christian name of Mr. J. A. Hamnett should be given in full.-

8. It is observed from the applicant's letter to the Superintending Engineer Tanjore dated 17th April 1875 which is submitted with Superintending Engineer's letter to the Secretary to Government Public Works Department No. 362 dated 5th May 1875 that as he entered the service in the Honorable East India Company's Government he requests that he may be pensioned under the rules that were then in force; the undersigned has the honor to point out that even under those rules the applicant will not be entitled to the pension claimed (moiety of pay) as the total period of service is below 30 years. Vide clause 2d under Section 5 Appendix B. of the Civil Pension Code.-

9. The following papers are herewith returned for resubmission with the reply to this letter.-

1. Application
1. Service Register
1. Affidavit
1. Document Marked A.
1. Orgl. letter from Mr. Hammett to the Supt. Engr. Tanjore dated 17th April 1875.-
1. Statement of Service.-

(Sigd.) L. Conway Gordon
Examiner P.W. Accounts

(True Copy)
Charles A Sufflow

Recd. Lr. No. 396/76

Supdt. Correspondence Branch Office of Examiner PW. Accts.

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No. 400. Supg. Engineer's Office
Tanjore 10 March 1876

From
The Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

To
The Examiner
P. W. Accounts

Sir,

With reference to your No. 94 T J dated 7 Instant I have the honor to inform you that I am in correspondence with the various Officers from whom information is required relative to Mr. Hammetts Services but when I shall be able to submit his pension papers it is quite impossible to say, for the more information received relative to his Services the more appears to be required

2 - I should think if the

money value of the time already
spent in trying to verify his service
were estimated it would be
found to have far exceeded the
amount of his pension
if he lived to be 100

3- Mr. Hammett served in
this District for 8 months and
all that is known of him is
that he was utterly inefficien[t]
and useless and left a crop of
troubles which we are still
reaping: all information
relative to his services has
therefore to be obtained from
other Districts and this it
appears to me would be more
esily obtained directly by you
Office than at second hand
thro' mine.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
R. F. Oakes Lieutt Col R.E.
Supg Engineer Tanjore

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From
The Supdg Engineer
Tanjore
To the Examiner
P.W. Accounts
No 400
Dated 10 March 76
No.

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impossible to state
when Mr Hannett's
Pension Papers
will be sent

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No. 798

Superintg Engineer's Office
Tanjore 9th May 1876

From
The Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

To
The Examiner of
P.W. Accounts Madras

Sir,

In reference to your No. 76 T. J dated 26' January 1876, I have the honor to inform you that, on a reference made to the Superintending Engineer, Coimbatore, relative to Mr Hannett's service as Maistry from June to August 1854, that Officer was unable to verify the same: from the Records of his Office and concluded from Records shewing that Mr Hannett had been recommended for Employment on certain special works in the Malabar District that he was so employed from June to August 1854 in that District. A reference was thereupon made to the District Engineer of Malabar relative to the Service in question, but that Officer also has not been able to verify it.

2 As regards Mr. Hamnett's Service as Overseer on Trunk Road No. 5 from August 1854 to August 1855, and as Draughtsman and Estimator of the Executive Engineer's Office, Wellington from August 1855 to 9th January 1860 I enclose a letter and statement (marked F) received from the Collector of Malabar relative to the former Service, and a letter and statement (marked G) obtained from the District Engineer Nilgiris relative to the latter Service. It will be observed that the Entries in the statements do not cover the periods of Service required to be verified

3 Declarations made before the Magistrate of Coimbatore by Mr. M. Adykalam Pillay Overseer Coimbatore District, and by D. C. Ramasamy Naidu Head Accountant Coimbatore Range relative to Mr. Hamnett's Service are forwarded. The declaration of

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the third man mentioned in Mr. Hamnett's Affidavit, viz Overseer David Pillay has not been taken owing to his being very unwell and unable to move, as intimated by the Superintending Engineer Coimbatore

4 A Statement of Mr. Hamnett's Leaves &ca prepared from information obtained from the several Districts in which he served is also forwarded.

5. From the information which has now been obtained relative to Mr. Hamnett's Service a fresh "History of Service" has been prepared and is enclosed. In it, the dates as entered in the Statement prepared from the Records of Your Office furnished with Your Memo under reply have been adopted. The total period of Mr. Hamnett's qualifying Service according to the "History of Service"

now prepared amounts to Y-M-D 20-"-20
or a service entitling him only
to a pension of one third pay.

6. Mr Hammett's Christian name has been written in full in the Register of Application, as requested.

Enclosures.

1 Application
1 Service Register
1 Affidavit
1 Document marked A
1 Original letter from Mr. Hammett dated 17th April 1875
1 Original letter from Supg Engineer Coimbatore, No. 195 dated 7th March 1876 with
3 Enclosures
1 Original letter from the District Engineer Malabar, No. 35 dated 25th April 1876.
1 Original letter from Collector of Malabar with
1 Statement of Service
1 Original letter from the District Engineer, Nilgiris No. 58 dated 23rd February 1876 with
1 Statement of Service

Declaration

1 Declaration by M. R. Ady-Kalum Pillay, overseer Coimbatore District
1 Do by D. C. Ramasawmy Naidu Head accountant Coimbatore Range Office
1 Statement of Leave
1 Revised History of Service
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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Lieut Col R.E.
Superintg Engineer Tanjore

From
The Supdg Engineer
Mysore
To the Examiner of
PW A.
No 798
Dated 9 May 1876
Rd. 14/5

Returns to Mr Hammett pension papers with necessary information.

R. Lr No 3906 of

Royapooram 9th May 1876

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No 15

To
The Examiner of public works accounts
Fort St George
Madras

Sir

With reference to para 3 of your letter No 237. A. I beg to inform you that after I passed my 22nd year of my age I put in more th 18 years of Service and that there is no break in my service after the end of the year 1856.—

When Colonel R. J. Oakes sends in my papers, if you would be kind enough to look into the certificates granted to me by the Special Executive engineers of the Wellington Barracks— Captain J. A. Campbell of the 7th Lght Cavalry and Colonel Farewell no deputy Chief Engr you will find that I have more than 1 years Service and it is Continuous.—

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I am

Sir

Your most humble Servant

J. A. Hamnett

Pensioned Supervisor D.P.

Tanjore District

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J. A. H
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This is to certify that Mr John Alexander Hamnett served as Draftsman in my Establishment when I held the rank of Special Executive Engineer of Wellington from the 16th of May 1859 until the 16th of December 1859 when he was appointed to act as Overseer and in which appointment he was subsequently confirmed -

Offg Deputy Chief Engineer

Fort St George
March 3. 1876

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Royapooram 12th May 1876

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To The Examiner of public works accounts
Fort St George
Madras

Sir
The accompanying original certificate of Colonel Farewells was sent to Colonel Oakes for the verification of my services with my register and after verification for submission to you.—

It has been returned to me with an intimation that the time therein referred to is included in other statements &c and it need not be sent with the papers submitted to you on the 9th Instant. As I differ in the opinion and am under the impression that it may be wanted I enclose the document in question

I am
Sir
Your most humble Servt
J. A. Hammett
Pensioned Supervisor

No. 188 A Suttyamungalum
27th March 1854.

To
T. J. Knox Esquire
Sub Collector, Palghaut

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 22d Instant (received only yesterday) I have the honor to inform you that the person best qualified (as far as I know) for the situation of overseer on Trunk Road No. 5 is Mr. Hammett maistry in the Assist. Civil Engineer's Office.

2. Mr. Hammett has had some experience in the conduct of Public works and as far as I have had opportunities of judging has always carried them on in a satisfactory manner.

3. He is acquainted with levelling, surveying and plan-drawing and is →

conversant with Malayalum Tamil and I believe Hindustanee.

4. The pay of his present appointment is 45 Rs, but whether he would be willing to accept the appointment of overseer on a similar or perhaps slightly increased salary would I presume depend much upon whether the situation were to be considered permanent or not.

5. Mr. Hammetts integrity good conduct and willingness to make himself useful I can confidently testify.

6. I have requested Captain Selby to communicate directly with you as to whether he can conveniently dispense with the services of Mr. Hammett and whether the latter is willing to accept the appointmt. and

on what terms.

I have &c.

(Signed) C. E. Ludlow
Actg. Civil Engr. 7th Dn.

(True copy)

Supg. Engrs. Office
Coimbatore 31st July/75

A. Willieson Colonel R.E.
Supg. Engineer, Coimbatore

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Form B.

List of Uncovenanted East Indians employed in the Office of the District Engineer of Coimbatore on the 1st May 1858

1 Name	2 Age	3 Date of present appointment	4 Married or Unmarried	5 Description of Appointment	6 Salary	7 Period of former service in Govt. employ
×	×	×				Yrs. m. d.
Hammett J. A—	24	Novr. 1855	Married	Draftsman & Estimate maker	75 " "	10-10-"

Dist. Engr's Office
Jacketallah 1st May/58

(sd) P. M. Francis
District Engineer

(True Extract)

M. Wilkieson Colonel R.E.
Superintending Engr. Coimbatore

Supg. Engr's Office
Coimbatore 28th July/75

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Enclosure in a letter from the Supg. Engineer Tanjore to the Controller of Mil. Accounts — No. 2256, dated 2nd Decr. 75

Copy of letter from Ag. Civil Engineer to Sub Collector Paulghaut No. 188, dated 27 March 1854.

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Enclosure in a letter from the Supdg Engineer Tanjore to the Controller of Mil Accounts &c No. 2256, dated 2nd Decr 75

Copy of list of uncovenanted East Indians employed in the Distt Engineer's Office Coimbatore on the 1st May 1858.

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The Bearer J. Hamnett has served me for some years as Draftsman and Estimate maker — He is a man of ability, & is can get through much work when so minded —

[illegible]
1 April 1859

Wm [illegible] Capt
Special Engineer
[illegible]

No. 195

Supg Engrs office
Coimbatore 7 March
1876

From,
The Superintending Engineer
Coimbatore

To
The Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

Enclosures
1. Copies of G.Os
No 3045 of 22nd
September 1866
1 and No 3461 dd
31st October 1866
1 Statement
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Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 223 dated 17th February 1876 requesting me to verify Mr. J. A. Hammett's service as a maistry from 10th June to August 1854 I have the honor to inform you that on searching the records of the Civil Engineers Department &c. that are available in my office for the years 1854 and 1855 I find a statement, dated 22d May 1854, signed by Captain S. O. E. Ludlow, showing the names of persons, also the date when they were employed &c. on the Civil Engineers Dept. as stood on the 30th April 1854. Mr. Hammett's name is entered as shown below:—

Date of employment	Name	Employment	Amount of monthly pay
1st July 1848	J. A. Hammett	Bricklayer Maistry	45

2 In the revised list of the total strength of the D.P.W. in the 7th Dn as it stood on the 31st August 1855 dated 12th October 1855, there is no entry of Mr Hammett's name-

3 Captain S.O.E. Ludlow in his letter No 329 dated 29 June 1854 forwarding Pay abstract for the month of June 1854 requested the Collector of Coimbatore to remit, to Hammett, care of Captain Selly. at Ootacamun Rs 40, but Mr Hammetts nam was not inserted in the Pay abstract-

4 In letter No 19 dated 4th January 1854 Captain Ludlow Ag Civil Engineer 7th Dn forwarded Mr Hammett's application for employment as Sub Aſsistt Revenue Surveyor or Overseer and recommended to the Board of Revenue that Mr Hammett be appointed as Overseer as one was urgently required in the Malabar Distt to superintend the collection of materials for the Chetwye Dam but the Board in their Proceedings No 87 dated 2d February 185 stated that if Mr Hammett is required for employment at the Yennamakal Dam he should be paid out of the Estimate such an amount as the Civil Engineer may consider proper.

5 As further records to show Mr Hammett's services or the leave he obtained during the period in question are not forthcoming I conclude that he was employed from June to August 1854 on the Chetwye or Yennamakal Dam works and paid out of the Estimates for the works and the particulars can be verified only from the records connected with the works which are in the Malabar District Engineers office-

6 In compliance with Mr Hammett's personal request I have allowed him acceſs to the records and to take information available from the records in my office, and have

given him authenticated Copies of certain statements which alone he found to support the period of his service.

7 I will on hearing from the District Magistrate, direct D. C. Ramasawmy, Overseers Adykalum Pillay and David Pillay to appear before him to give their statements.

8 With reference to your letter No 295 of 26 February 1876 I have the honor to state that from the records it appears that Mr Hammett had a month's privilege leave from 5th January 1866 and that he was under suspension from 6 September 1866 to 31st October 1866 and was transferred to Vizagapatam District under G.O. No 3045 of 22d September and No 3461 of 31st October 1866. a copy of which I herewith send for your information.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant

N. Wilkinson Colonel R.E.
Supg Engineer
Coimbatore

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The Supg Engineer
Coimbatore
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Dated 7th } March 76.
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Forwards Statements of Mr Hammetts Services.—

Pro: Le No 396 of 1876

Proceedings of the Madras Government. Public Works Department, 22nd September 1866.

No 566. Read the following Memorandum from the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 14th September 1866.—

The enclosed Memorandum No 17 dated 12th September 1866, is forwarded to Government, in accordance with the endorsement thereon by the Superintending Engineer 7th Division.

No 17.

Memorandum.

Mr Supervisor Hamnett having quitted his range without leave on the 6th September, after having been told by the Superintending Engineer that leave except on medical certificate was prohibited by order of Government, and without having attended to the Superintending Engineer's Memorandum, No 15 of 30th August, which called for the transmission, by return of post, of certain papers relating to a charge of falsification of his accounts, the Superintending Engineer resolves to make use of the authority conferred on him by G. O. No 1157 of 14th April 1866, by Suspending him from the rank and pay of Supervisor from the date above mentioned till further orders.

Coonoor.
12th September 1866. } Signed/ G. W. Walker Lt Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
7th Division.

True Copy.

Submitted for the information of Government, through the Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Coonoor.
12th September 1866 } Signed/ G. W. Walker Lt Col. R.E.
Supy: Engineer
7th Division.

Order thereon, 22nd September 1866
No. 3045.

Establishment No 42.

Recorded pending the receipt of a further report.

(True Extract)
Signed/ Charles A Orr. Colonel R.E.
Secretary to Government.

(True Copy)

C Wilkieson Colonel R.E.
Supy: Engineer
Coimbatore

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Proceedings of the Madras Government Public Works Department 31st October 1866.

No. 702 — Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer 7th Division:—

Submits, for the orders of Government, certain papers, connected with the case of Mr. Hammett, alluded to in G. O. No. 3045 of 22nd September 1866 — (Here enter 24th October 1866 No. 155)

No. 703. Order thereon, 31st October 1866 No. 3461

Establishment No. 63.

1. From a perusal of the papers submitted with this letter, the Government are satisfied that, placing the most liberal interpretation on Mr. Hammett's proceedings, he has been guilty of a grave error of judgement, which his long experance in the Department should have been suffient to guard him against.

2. The Government are greatly disappointed to find that a subordinate of Mr. Hammett's standing should have allowed himself to ignore a fundamental rule of the department which requires that the accounts of Public Works officers shall represent none other than bona fide payments, and were it not for the Superintending Engineer's opinion that Mr Hammett was not actuated by any fraudulent intention in exhibiting in his progress Report for April larger expenditure on works than had actually been incurred during that month, but by a desire to convey a favorable impression of his efficiency as a Range Officer, his conduct would have merited very serious notice. Looking, however, to this circumstance, and to Mr Hammett's past services extending over a period of eighteen years, the Government are not disposed to deal severely with him on the present occasion, but, as a mark of their displeasure, they resolve to transfer him to the Vizagapatam District, with a warning that similar irregularities on his part will result in his reduction to a lower grade, if not to removal from the department.

3. Adverting to paragraph 15, the Government are of opinion that the other parties connected with the irregular transactions under notice will be sufficiently punished by transfer from their present charges with a warning that a repetition of such misconduct will

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will lead to their dismissal from the Service.

(True Extract)

Signed/ Charles A Orr Colonel R.E.
Secretary to Government.

Supg: Engr's: Endorsemt:

The Manager will instruct Mr Hammett to proceed without delay to the Vizagapatam District and will inform him that no arrears of pay can be allowed to be drawn for him or advanced to him in the 7th Dn from the 6th of September when he absented himself without leave to the date of the Government Order.

(True Copy)

A Wilkieson Colonel R.E.
Superintending Engineer
Coimbatore.

Compd. A.R.

Pro: de Sp. no. 6 Appx

Statement of leave obtained by Mr. J. A. Hamnett 93
while employed in the Coimbatore District, from the
year 1861 to 1866

Description of leave	Period	Remarks
Privilege leave ———	1 month from 5th January 1866	

Coimbatore }
6th March 1876 }

W. Wilkinson Colonel, R.E.
Supg. Engineer

No 35.- Malabar Dt. Engineer's Office
Calicut 25th April 1876.

From
The Offg: District Engineer
Malabar

To
The Supg: Engineer
Tanjore

Sir,

In reply to your letter No 414 dated 13" March last, I have the honor to state that the records of this Office and that in the Palghaut and Calicut Ranges afford no information that Mr Hamnett was employed from June to August 1854, as a Maistry, or held any other appointment in this District

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.

J W Hames
Offg District Engineer
Malabar.

To be returned with reply on reverse.

AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
2nd June 1876.

Asst to the.
FROM THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS,

TO THE Examiner of Public Works Accounts
Madras.

VIDE *your Application for* Pension *on behalf of* Mr J. A. Hammett -

THE undersigned has the honor to request to be informed whether the appointment of Estimate maker and Draftsman on 70 Rs pay in the Executive Engineers Office Wellington is traceable - in the Audit Register for 1856-57 and 1857-58 on record in the Office of the Examiner of P.W. Accounts; and to Enquire whether the name of any other person is trace-able between 1 Septr 59 & 9 January 1860 in the Audit Register of 1859-60. Since it is stated that during that period ~~[illegible]~~ applicants service is not traceable -

C. E. Crawley
Asst to the Acct Genl

To
From
The District Eng
Malabar

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Dated 25 } April 18
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States that there are no Records in his Office or in the Palghaut and Calicut Ranges to show that Mr Hammett was employed as Maistry from June to August 1854 -

Read No 906

No. 56 P.

The audit Registers of 1856/57 and 1857/58 contain no information regarding the employment of a Draftsman and Estimate maker on Rupees 75 under the Executive Engineer Wellington.

The audit Register for 1859-60 shows that Mr. Hamnett was employed as Draftsman under Captain Farewell, Executive Engineer up to 30 June 1859 when he appears to have taken two months sick leave. The Establishment appears to have been dispensed with from August 1859, as no charge on its account has been entered in the audit Register for that and the following months in 1859-60.

Fort Saint George
12th June 1876.

L. Conway-Gordon

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Service Register of Mr. J. A. Hamnett. Supervisor

Department	Post held	From	To	Total service			Salary			Remarks
				yrs	m	days	Rs	-	-	
Sub Collector's office	Overseer.	19th August 1854	7th December 1854	"	3	28	50	"	"	was appointed to act for Mr. Shelly, Trunk road overseer as per Sub Collector's Order No. 244 of the 19th August 1854. From the order No. 316 dated 7th December 1854 from the same office it appears that he resigned his post. He does not appear to have availed himself of any leave during the time of his acting appointment.

Signed P. Karunagara Menon
Tahsildar of Palghaut

(True translation)

J. P. Fiddian
Actg for Collector.

Malabar Collector's Office
Calicut 10th April 1876

To, the Superintending Engineer, Tanjore, in continuation of this Office endorsement d/31st March 1876 on copy of letter No. 250 dated 28th March 1876 from the Head Assistant Collector

From
The Collector -
Malabar,
Dated 10th
No 12 3rd April 76
Register of Service
of Mr Supervisor
J. A. Hammett.

No. 250.

Malabar Head Asstt. Collr's Office
Palghaut 28th March 1876

From,
E. J. Sewell, Esquire,
Ag. Head Assistant Collector of
Malabar.

To
W. Logan, Esquire,
Ag. Collector of Malabar,
Calicut.

Sir,

x/17th February 1876
No. 225 (herewith
returned)

As requested in your Office foot note dated 22nd February 1876 on a letter from the Superintending Engineer, Tanjore asking for a statement of the Services of Mr. Overseer Hannett, I have the honor to state that Mr. Hannett joined the Public Works Department on a salary of Rs 50 on the 19th August 1854 and left it again on December 7th 1854 - as appears from an order of the Sub-Collector, under whom the Department was then worked.

There is nothing to show whether the establishment was tem-porary

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=porary or permanent. It is to be presumed that it was the latter. He took no leave during this Service.

I have &c.
(Signed) E J Sewell
Ag. Hd. Asstt. Collector.

(True Copy)

P A Cole
Dy. for Collector.

To
The Superintending Engineer
Tanjore.

With reference to his letter dated 17th February 1876 No. 225.

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From
The Collector
Malabar

No. -

Dated 3rd April 76.

Communicate copy of a letter from the Asst. Collr. Malabar on the subject of Mr. Jo Hammett's services in the D. P. W. ~~in the year~~ 1857 &
Para No. 396 of 1876

John Hammett, age when first entertained, 22 years

Establishment	Date	Appointment	Salary			Period of Service in each appointment			Remarks regarding punishments severe and formal reprimands, and all special commendations or marks of approbation
						Y	M	D	
1	2	3	4			5			6
Executive									
Engineer	November 1855	Estimate maker and Draftsman	75	0	0	~~4~~ 3	1	15	Promoted to Acting Assistant Overseer from the 15th December 1859.
		Acting Assistant Overseer	80	0	0	0	10	2	
		Assistant Overseer				2	9	18	Do. to Asstt. Overseer on the 19 October 1860 An excellent public Servant, Wellington 15th July 1862 (Signed) W. Hammell captain a Distt. Engr. of Coimbatore Transferred to Sathimangalum Range 5th January 1863.

The above posts were on the permanent Establishment and No leave was taken by Mr. Hammett during the above period.

(True copy)

J Morant Captain R. E.
District Engineer.

District Engineer's Office
Ootacamund
23rd February 1876

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No. 58 District Engineer's Office
Ootacamund 23rd February 76

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From

The District Engineer
Neilgherries

To

The Superintending Engineer
Tanjore

Sir

With reference to your letter No. 226 of the 17th Instant, I have the honor to forward Copy of Service Register of Mr. J.A. Hammett, copied from the records of my Office, and beg in reply to the concluding part of your letter, to inform you that no leave of any kind seems to have been granted to Mr. Hammett, during the period he served in this Range.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obdt. Servt.

Recd. vide No. 396 of 76

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M. N. Adykolum Pillay, son of Nullatumby Pillay; Overseer D.P.W. Pulladum Talook Coimbatore; Caste Vellala, Christian; age about 40 years; solemnly affirmed

~~For~~ three months or about three months in 1859 ^or 1860; I can't say what months, I was employed as Surveyor under Mr Rhodes Inspector General of Jails; I then ~~saw~~ knew Mr J. A. Hammett who was employed at the Wellington Barracks D.P.W.; I don't know what post he held - From 1863 forwards I know him as Overseer & Supervisor &c, in charge of Talooks & Ranges in Coimbatore District -

M. N. Adikolum

Executed before me this
15th March, 1876.

A. W. B. Martindale
Asst. Mag. & Coll.

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From

The District Eng
Neilgheries

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Dated 23 } Febry 76
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Forwards Copy of the Service Register of Mr Hammetts and states that no leave has been granted him during the period he served in his Range.

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D. J. Ramatarky

Executed before me, 14th March 1876.

A. W. J. Martindale
Asst. Magt. & Coll.

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Declarations made
before the Magistrate
of Coimbatore - by Ady:
kalam Pillay - Overseer
and Ramasamy Naidu -
Head Accountant -
Coimbatore - relative
to Mr. Hammett's
Burial -

Deposition of J. A. Hammett late Supervisor 1st Class residing at Puttyammungalum Coimbatore District, East Indian, aged about 43 or 44, son of James Hammett. — Present occupation, none. —

I, John Alexander Hammett, solemnly affirm that I was a Marahmut Maistry in the Civil Engg. Dept. 7th Dn. from June 1848 to August 1854 — I was not a "Bricklayer Maistry" during that period — I was then appointed Overseer on Trunk Road No. 5 under the Sub Collector of Palghaut and continued in that post till August ~~1875~~ 1855 R — I was then appointed Draftsman and Estimate maker Wellington Barracks which post I held till ? Feb. 1860; after which I was appointed Assistant Overseer D.P.W. and remained in the Dept. till the 10th April 1875 — D. C. Ramaswamy Head Accountant Coimbatore Range D.P.W. knows that I was employed as Draftsman & Estimate maker at the Wellington Barracks, as he was a Clerk at that time — Adykalum Pillay Overseer Pallad Talook Coimbatore was also employed in the Dept. & may give evidence of my service — David Pillay another Overseer in Coimbatore District also knows — There was no break in my service from June 1848 to date of retirement; I was never out of employ.— I ~~take~~ have taken ? leaves of absence but don't recollect dates.—

J. A. Hammett

Given before me on oath in the English language which he understands — Read over to him & acknowledged to be correct.—

Huddleston

District Mag.te

Coimbatore
17th Nov. 1875 —

Affidavit
given by Mr Ham-
-nett

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Enclosure in a letter
from the Supg Engineer
Tanjore to the Controller
of PW Accounts No
2256 dated 2nd December 75

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rseer of the 1st Grade Tanjore District.

	Period not reckoned as Service			Remarks
.	"	8	.	Verified by the Accountant General Madras as Bricklayer Maistry also document D. It is stated by the applicant in his affidavit that he was employed as Marammut Maistry and not Bricklayer Maistry. These periods amounting to 6 years and 9 days will not count towards pension as the services were rendered before the completion of the 22d year of age.
.	5	4	9	
.		2	9	Not verified. The Supg Engineer Coimbatore states in his letter marked D that Mr. Hammett might have been paid out of the Estimates of works in Malabar on which he was employed.
,		3	20	Verified by the Collector of Malabar Vide documents marked F. It is doubtful whether Mr. Hammett held any permanent appointment prior to his being appointed as acting overseer and whether the Establishment in which he was employed as acting overseer was Permanent or Temporary. Mr. Hammett is stated to have resigned his acting appointment on the 7 December 1854.
.		10	24	Not verified. It is not known where or in what manner the applicant was employed during this period. Mr. Hammett in his affidavit states that he held the appointments of Trunk Road Overseer and Draftsman under the Sub Collector Palghat and in Wellington respectively. The former appointment he appears to have resigned on the 7th Decr 1854 Vide Document F. and the latter appointment he seems to have joined in November 1855 Vide Document (G.)
"	"	.		Verified from Audit Registers of Examiner's Office from 1st May 1858 to 30th June 1859. The Statement of Service marked G. shows Mr. Hammett's employment prior to 1st May 1858 on the permanent Establishment
"		2	,	Verified from Audit Registers of Examiner's Office. On sick leave.
"	"	"		Not verified from records of Examiner's Office. But the document marked G. shows that Mr. Hammett was employed on the permanent present establishment during this period
"	"	"		Verified from Registers of Examiner's Office. In the Statement marked G. the applicant is shown to have been promoted to acting apptd overseer's appointment on the 16th Decr/59 but does not appear to have drawn pay until 10th Jan/60

D.P.W. Coimbatore Dt	Asst. Overseer	80	"	"	"	17 October 1860	Brought over 30 June 1863	2	8		.	"	.	Verified from Registers of Examiners Office. The applicant appears according to the Registers to have been confirmed on the 17 October 1860 and not on 19 Idem as shewn in statement marked G. Verified from Audit Registers of Examiners Office..
Do ___ Do ___	Taluq Overseer Personal Allowce	60 20	" "	" .	} "	1 July 1863	6 May 1864	.	10	6	.	"	.	Verified from Audit Registers in the Examiner's Office Do Do ___ Do ___ Do ___ Do
Do ___ Do ___	Supervisor 2d Grade	150	"	"	"	7 May 1864	30 Novr. 1866	2	6	24	"	"	.	Do ___ Do ___ Do ___ Do
Do Vizagapatam ___	___ Do ___	150	"	"	"	1st Decr. 1866	19 March 1868	1	3	15	"	"	.	Do ___ Do ___ Do ___ Do
Do ___ Do ___	Asst. Supt. 1st Grade	150	"	.	25	20 March 1868	29 July 1868	"	4	20	"	"	.	Do ___ Do ___ Do ___ Do
Do ___ Do ___	Supr. 1st Grade	200	"	.	.	30 July 1868	31 Augst 1871	3	1	1	"	"	.	Do on sick leave on moiety of pay.
Do ___ Kistna	Do ___ Do ___	200	"	"	.	1st Septr. 1871	10 Septr. 1871	"	.	10	"	.	7	Do ___
						11 Septr. 1871	17 Septr. 1871	"	"	.	"	.	.	Do ___
						18 Septr. 1871	12 Decr. 1873	2	2	25	.	"	.	Do ___ Drew subsistence allowance @ Rs 50 per mensem under G.O. No. 776 dated 20 March 1874
Do ___ Do ___	Do ___ Do ___	200	"	'	"	13 Decr. 1873	27 Jany. 1874	"	1	15	"	.	8	
Do ___ Tanjore	Do ___ Do ___	200	"	"	"	28 Jany. 1874	4 Febry. 1874	"	"	.	.	.		Do ___
						5 February 1874	9 November 1874	"	9	5	"	5	"	Do ___ on sick leave on moiety of pay.
Do ___ Do ___	Do ___ Do ___	210				10 Novr. 1874	9 April 1875	.	.	.	"	.	.	
							Total –	18	9	23	8	.	16	

Fort Saint George }
30 May 1876 }

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Statement of the verified Service of Mr. J. A. Hammett late Supe

Establishment	Appointment	Pay			Acting Allowce	From	To	Period reckoned as serv	
Civil Engrs Dept 7th Dn	Bricklayer Maistry	14	"	.	.	1st June 1848	February 1849	"	.
Do — Do —	— Do —	35/45	"	.	.	Febry 1849	9th June 1854	"	.
Do — Do —	— Do —	45	"	.	.	10th June 1854	18th August 1854		
Sub Collrs office Malabar	Ag Trunk Road Overseer	50	"	"	"	19th Augst 1854	7th Decr 1854		
						8th Decr 1854	31st October 1855	"	
Ex. Engrs office Wellington	Estimate maker and Draftsman }	75	"	.	.	1st Novr 1855	30th June 1859	3	8
Do —	— Do —	75	"	.	"	1st July 1859 1st Septr 1859	31 Augst 1859 9th Janry 1860		
D.P.W. Coimbatore Dt	Asstt Overseer	"	"	.	80 —	10th Janry 1860	16th Octr 1860		9

History of the Service (shewing breaks) of Mr. John Alexander Hamnett, Supervisor 1st Grade.

Establishment	Appointment	Pay	Acting allowance	Date of beginning	Date of End	Period reckoned as Service Y	M	D	Period not reckoned as Service Y	M	D	Remarks	How verified	Remarks by the Accountant General.
Civil Engineer's Department 7th Dn	Assistant Mara:mut Maistry	14 „ „	„	1st June 1848	February 1849	„	„	„	„	8	„	Service under 22 years of age		
Do.	Head Do. Do.	45 „ „	„	February 1849	9th June 1854	„	„	„	5	4	8			
Do.	Do.	45 „ „	„	10th June 1854	August 1854	„	1	21	„	„	„	„	Cannot be verified	
Do.	Overseer Trunk Road No. 5	50 „ „	„	August 1854	August 1855	1	„	„	„	„	„	„	Verified by the Collector of Malabar for only 3 months & 20 days from the 19th August 1854 at the expiration of which period he is stated to have resigned.	
Ex. Engineer's Office Wellington	Draughtsman	75 „ „	„	August 1855	30th June 1859	3	11	„	„	„	„		Verified by the District Engineer Nilgiris from November 1855 to 15th December 1859	
	Sick leave			1st July 1859	31st August 1859	„	„	„	„	2	„			
Do.	Draughtsman	75 „ „	„	1st September 1859	9th January 1860	„	4	9	„	„	„			
D. P. W.	Ag. Assistt Overseer	80 „ „	„	10th January 1860	16th October 1860	„	9	7	„	„	„			
Do.	Assistant Overseer	80 „ „	„	17th October 1860	30th June 1863	2	8	14	„	„	„			
Do.	Talug Overseer Personal allowance	60 „ „ 20 „ „		1st July 1863	6th May 1864	„	10	6	„	„	„			
Do.	Supervisor 2nd Grade	150 „ „	„	7th May 1864	5th September 1866	2	4	„	„	„	„			
	Under Suspension			6th September 1866	31st October 1866	„	„	„	„	1	25			
Do.	Supervisor 2nd Grade	150 „ „	„	1st November 1866	19th March 1868	1	4	19	„	„	„			
Do.	Ag. Supervisor 1st Grade	150 „ „	25	20th March 1868	29th July 1868	„	4	10	„	„	„			
Do.	Supervisor 1st Grade	200 „ „	„	30th July 1868	10th September 1871	3	1	12	„	„	„			
	Sick leave on moiety of pay			11th September 1871	18th September 1871	„	„	„	„	„	7			
Do.	Supervisor 1st Grade	200 „ „	„	19th September 1871	27th January 1874	2	4	9	„	„	„			
	Under Suspension			28th January 1874	4th February 1874	„	„	„	„	„	8			
Do.	Supervisor 1st Grade	200 „ „	„	5th February 1874	9th November 1874	„	9	3	„	„	„			
	Sick leave on moiety of pay			10th November 1874	9th April 1875	„	„	„	„	5	„		on	
						20	„	20	6	9	19			

Supdg Engineer's Office
Tanjore 9th May 1876

Lieutt Col R.E.
Supdg Engineer Tanjore

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 23rd November 1866.

No. 507. Read the following Endorsement of the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 23rd November 1866, No. 2,770:—

Read the following letter from the Supervisor late in charge of No. 5 Range, Coimbatore District, to the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 23rd November 1866.

1. I beg to submit my Pay Abstract for September and October 1866, to be passed under G. O. 31st October 1866, No. 3,461.

2. I applied on the 1st September 1866 for casual leave for fifteen days, from the 6th idem, to take up my children down to Cannanore in consequence of my wife's death a few days prior only. Not having received any reply until the 5th, I anticipated no objection would be raised to the leave under the peculiar circumstances I was placed in, besides the fact that I was then myself suffering from jungle fever, which I am not yet relieved of, and reported my departure to Cannanore on the 5th September. I was not aware of my suspension until after my return to the Range, on the expiration of the period for which the leave was asked for by me. No intimation of the suspension and refusal of leave was made to me until my return to Suttimungalum, though it could have been sent on to Cannanore, and thus saved me the expense of a return journey to my Range, as also of the march I made to the Hills soon after under the orders of the Superintending Engineer, who directed me to meet him there. I trust that under the peculiar situation I was put in, and in consequence of the heavy expenses I had to incur in the marches I made, I will be allowed full salary from the 1st of September 1866, from which date I received nothing.

Submitted for the orders of Government, with reference to G. O. 15th November 1865, No. 3,422, and 22nd September 1866, No. 3,045.

(Signed) J. F. FISCHER, Captain, R. E.,
Controller of Public Works Accounts.

No. 508. ORDER THEREON, 23rd November 1866, No. 3,736.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 51.

Under the explanation afforded in this letter the Government resolve to authorize the Controller of Public Works Accounts to pass, as a special case, to Mr. Supervisor Hamnett, his full salary for the months of September and October 1866.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Controller of Public Works Accounts, with Bill.
" Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.
" Do. do. 4th. do.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, *20th March* 1874.

No. 560. Read the following letter from Major H. R. MEAD, R.E., District Engineer of Tanjore, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Tirupoondi, 17th February 1874, No. 1,051 :—

As directed in your Memorandum No. 103, I have the honour to report that Mr. Sub-Engineer Donaghue will probably be relieved from the charge of No. 5 Range in ten days or a fortnight, and therefore he should be able to join the Cuddapah District about the 1st March.

2. Mr. Hamnett joined the district on the 28th January 1874, but as he had not written to the District Engineer reporting the probable date of his arrival and requesting orders, I regret to say that it was not until the 4th February that he left Tanjore to take charge of No. 5 Range.

No. 561. ORDER THEREON, 20th March 1874, No. 776.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 33.

THE misconduct of Mr. Supervisor Hamnett in not reporting his proceedings to the officer whose district he was about to join having led to the entire waste of his time from the 28th January to the 4th February, he will draw suspension allowance only for the period in question.

2. Copy of this order to be communicated for general information.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To all District Engineers.
To the Executive Engineer, Wynaad.
,, Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Consulting Architect.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

ALL DISTRICT ENGINEERS,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated March 20th.

Recd. Encl.

G. O., 20th March 1874, No. 776.

MARCH
Nos. 560-561

Reports of arrival.—Mr. Hamnett, Supervisor, punished for neglecting to report his arrival to the District Engineer, Tanjore, and the order forwarded to members of the Public Works Department for general information.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 15th *April* 1875.

386. Read the following paper:—

Statement of Unadjusted Miscellaneous Advances of more than three Months' standing in the Accounts of Range Officers of the Madras Presidency for the Quarter ending 31st December 1874.

Amount.	To whom advanced.	For what purpose advanced.	When advanced.	Remarks by Range Officers.	Remarks by Controller.	Orders of Government.
RS. A. P.						No. 1,045, 15th April 1875. No. 387. ACCOUNT, No. 19.
		Ganjam District.				
30 0 7	Mr. P. W. Whitebread, Taluq Overseer.	Advance of pay on first appointment.	July 1874 ...	....	Rupees 30 have been recovered up to December 1874 out of the original advance of Rupees 60; a further recovery of Rupees 10 appears in the accounts for January 1875.	No remarks are called for.
257 10 11	G. Venkata Row Puntulu, Supervisor.	For salaries and travelling allowance of Kimedy Range Establishment.	Do. ...	Deputy Collector in charge of Treasury has been requested to place funds from the estate towards the adjustment of this balance.	Rupees 262-3-1 have been recovered in August 1874 out of Rupees 519-14-0, the total amount advanced.	
20 0 0	Mr. A. H. Taylor, Taluq Overseer.	Advance of pay on first appointment.	Do. ...	....	Advance fully adjusted in February 1875.	
		Vizagapatam District. Nil.				
		Godavery District.				
290 9 1	Army Clothing Department.	Value of Lascars' jackets supplied.	March 1872 ...	"Value of jackets in the District Engineer's stores will be recovered as they are issued"	Since submission of last statement no adjustment has been effected.	The attention of the District Engineer, Godavery, will be called to G. O., No. 131, dated 16th January 1875.
2,461 13 11	....	Running steamer to Dumagudiem.	May 1874 ...	"Will be adjusted in due course."	*Vide* remarks in the last statement against this item.	The outstandings on 31st March 1875 should be charged off as net expenditure during the official year 1874-75.
		Kistna District.				
30 0 0	Lance Corporal E. Tydeman, Taluq Overseer.	Advance of pay on first appointment.	July 1874 ...	"Will be recovered in three monthly instalments of Rupees 10 each."	Rupees 40 have been recovered since date of advance.	No remarks are necessary.
1 15 4	Subordinates ...	For Service Books ...	March 1873 ...	"Nothing is due from the Subordinates of this (Masulipatam) Range, and if further sum is received from other ranges the amount will be adjusted."	Since submission of last return a sum of Annas 2 and Pies 8 has been adjusted.	

Statement of Unadjusted Miscellaneous Advances of more than three Months' standing in the Accounts of Range Officers, &c.—(Continued.)

No.	Amount.	To whom advanced.	For what purpose advanced.	When advanced.	Remarks by Range Officers.	Remarks by Controller.	Orders of Government.
	RS. A. P.		*Nellore District.*				
	30 0 0	M. Ragu Moodelliar, Taluq Overseer.	Advance of pay on first appointment.	July 1874 ...	....	Out of Rupees 80 advanced in July 1874, Rupees 70 have been recovered up to February 1875.	No remarks are necessary.
			Cuddapah District.				
	0 6 8	Subordinates ...	Copies of Service Register Books.	August 1874 ...	....	*Vide* remarks in last statement. No adjustment since.	
	0 3 4	Subordinates ...	For Service Books ...	August 18 ...	....	*Vide* remarks in last statement. No adjustment since.	
			Bellary District.				
	0 8 0	To Subordinates ...	For Service Books ...	August 1872 and May 1873.	"Will be adjusted as the books are issued to new comers."	Adjusted in full as per accounts for January 1875.	
	10 0 0	Serjeant Temple...	Advance of pay on first appointment.	June 1874 ...	"Will be adjusted during the current month (January)."	Recovered in full in January 1875.	
			Kurnool District.				
	3 2 0	To Bricklayers ...	For working on sluices in the Mudiccatoor Taluq.	July 1873 ...	....	One Rupee has been adjusted since date of last return.	
	80 0 0	Mahomed Jaffer Hossain, Taluq Overseer.	Advance of pay	July 1874, September 1874.	....	Rupees 40 have been recovered since submission of last statement.	
			Presidency District.				
	2,000 0 0	Collector of Chingleput.	For the Ezarra of shell quarries.	November 1873.	"Will be adjusted after the expiration of the Ezarra of the shell quarries in the Chingleput District."	Likely to be soon adjusted, as the District Engineer has been requested to make similar arrangements in regard to this sum, as has been done in the case of the security with the Collector of Nellore.	
	20 13 0	....	Repairing the Wallajah Bridge.	February 1874.	"Will be adjusted in January 1875."	Recovered in full in January 1875.	
	5,110 0 0	Collector of Nellore.	For the Ezarra of shell quarries.	July 1874 ...	Will be adjusted after the expiration of the Ezarra of the shell quarries in the Nellore District.	Adjusted in the accounts for February by debit to Civil Department, Transfers, given Miscellaneous.	
	70 0 0	Muthuswamy Naidoo.	For Office contingencies ...	September 1874	"Will be adjusted in January 1875.	Recovered in cash during January 1875.	
	170 0 0	....	Model of the Revenue Board and Civil Engineering College in pith and Hospital Ward and Monigar Choultry and Napier School in wood.	March 1874 ...	Will be adjusted short ...	....	No remark called for with reference to G. O., Public Department, No. 290, dated 5th March 1875.

No.	Amount.	To whom advanced.	For what purpose advanced.	When advanced.	Remarks by Range Officers.	Remarks by Controller.	Orders of Government.
			Chingleput District.				
	654 0 0	Vice-President of Municipal Commission, Conjeveram.	Moiety for constructing certain old Irrigation Works connected with the Water-supply Project for the town of Conjeveram.	December 1872.	....	See remarks, &c., in the statement printed with G. O., No. 131, of 16th January 1875.	The Superintending Engineer's early attention is called to the G. O. quoted, and he will submit special report on steps taken to effect the necessary adjustment of these advances.
	5 12 6	....	Amount overpaid by Mr. Laskey, Supervisor, for repairing Thundalium Tank.	March 1874 ...	....	Unadjusted up to February 1875 ...	
	0 1 0	....	Receipt stamp purchased for cheque received from the Great Southern Railway Company cashed in the Chingleput Treasury.	September 1874.	....	Adjusted as per range accounts for February 1875.	Require no remarks.
	10 11 1	....	Amount overpaid by Mr. Supervisor J. W. Laskey for repairing Megral tank.	Do. ...	....	Adjusted as per range accounts for January 1875.	
			North Arcot District. Nil.				
			Salem District. Nil.				
			Bangalore District.				
	106 0 0	....	For purchase of pins and balls for Skittle Alley.	July 1868 ...	....	Adjustment will be made with reference to G. O., No. 415, of 13th February 1875.	
			Tanjore District.				
	307 0 6	....	Amount ordered to be recovered from Mr. Hamnet, being value of missing articles belonging to Parvatipur Cutcherry, as per G. O., No. 2,301, dated 17th September 1873.	......	Will be recovered by monthly instalments after Mr. Hamnet returns from sick leave.	....	The Superintending Engineer will recover from salary due to Mr. Hamnet on being pensioned.
	5 8 8	Subordinates ...	Value of Service Books supplied.	January 1874 ...	Will be recovered from the establishment concerned.	....	No remarks are necessary.
			Trichinopoly District. Nil.				
			Coimbatore District. Nil.				
			Neilgherry District.				
	128 4 7	To the Municipality	For materials supplied ...	May 1874 ...	Will be adjusted later in the year.	....	The District Engineer's attention is called to the subject of these advances which have been allowed to remain unadjusted longer than was proper.
	400 15 1	....	Paid for painting Breek's Memorial school.	July 1874, Aug. 1874, and September 1874.	Do. do.		
	1,862 10 8	....	For repairing Municipal roads.	Aug. and Sept. 1874.	Do. do.		
	1,129 8 11	....	For repairing bandy-stand road.	Do. ...	Do. do.		

Statement of Unadjusted Miscellaneous Advances of more than three Months' standing in the Accounts of Range Officers, &c.—(Concluded.)

No.	Amount.	To whom advanced.	For what purpose advanced.	When advanced.	Remarks by Range Officers.	Remarks by Controller.	Orders of Government.
	RS. A. P.		*Malabar District.*				
	10 0 0	....	For defending a case instituted by Mr. Malcolm.	April 1874 ...	"Expenses on account of law suits will be adjusted shortly."	Adjusted as per range accounts for February.	Call for no remarks.
	0 0 1	....	Barrack damages ...	July 1874 ...	....	....	
	96 11 6	....	Outlay on Anjeerakundy road.	September 1874.	Nil.	....	The District Engineer will report why these advances remain unadjusted.
	29 9 5	....	Outlay on road from Kadrur to Panur.	Do. ...			
	1 10 8	....	Pay of Maistry employed on Sheadam Bridge.	Do. ...			
	65 9 2	....	Outlay on road from Challot to Irukur.	Do. ...			
			South Canara District.				
	30 0 0	S. Rajanayangar, Overseer.	Advance of pay on first appointment.	July 1874 ...	Will be adjusted "by recovery of three instalments."	Rupees 30 have been recovered since the date of advance.	No remarks are called for.
			Madura District.				
	50 0 0	To a Stone-cutter.	For stones	Do. ...	Will be adjusted shortly.	....	
			Tinnevelly District.				
	20 0 0	Visvanada Ayr ...	Advance of pay	Do. ...	....	Out of Rupees 60 advanced in July 1874, Rupees 40 have been recovered.	

1st April 1875.

(Signed) T. MOSS,
Controller of Public Works Accounts.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineers, Ganjam, Vizagapatam, Kistna, Nellore, Cuddapah, Bellary,
Kurnool, Presidency, Chingleput, Malabar, Neilgherries, Tanjore.
,, Consulting Architect.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Revenue Department.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER, GANJAM,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated April 15th.

Issued

Recd. Encl.

G. O., 15th April 1875, No. 1,045.

APRIL.

Nos. 386-387

Unadjusted Miscellaneous Advances.—Passing orders on the statement submitted by the Controller of — for the quarter ended 31st December 1874.

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[Cr. Wks. Form No. 2.]

No. 49 P.

From

THE CONTROLLER,
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,

To

The Accountant General
Madras

FORT SAINT GEORGE, 30th May 1876.

Sir,

Enclosure: 33

I have the honor to forward for transmission to Government an application for the grant of an invalid pension to Mr. J. A. Hannett late Supervisor Tanjore.

2. The following are the papers that accompany the application.—

1 Service Book ✓
1 Medical Certificate ✓
1 Copy of G. O. No. 916 A. dated 6th April 1875 ✓
1 Original letter from Supg. Engr. Tanjore No. 503 d/ 5th May /75 ✓
1 Original letter to Secy. to Govt. P.W.D. from Do. No. 562 d/ 5 May /75 ✓
1 Copy of letter from Zillah Surgeon to Supg. Engr. Tanjore No. 72
dated 22d. March 1875. ✓
1 letter from Mr. Hannett dated 17th. April 1875 ✓
1 Original letter from the Supg. Engr. Tanjore No. 639 d/ 13
May 1875 ✓
1 Copy of letter to the Accountt. Genl. Madras No. 744 d/ 27th May 1875 ✓
1 —— Do. —— Do. — to Supg. Engr. Tanjore No. 748 d/ 27 May 1875 ✓
1 Origl. Memo: from the Acct. Genl. No. 2626 d/ 2d. June 1875 ✓
1 Copy of Memo. to Supg. Engr. Tanjore No. 10 T. J. dated 12th June 1875 ✓
1 Origl. letter from Supg. Engr. Tanjore No. 2256 d/ 2d. Decr. 1875 ✓
1 Copy of letter to Do. No. 76 T. J. dated 25 Jany. 1876 ✓
1 Origl. letter from Do. No. 400 dated 10 March 1876 ✓
1 — Do. —— Do. —— Do. No. 798 dated 9th May 1876. ✓

1 letter from Mr. Hammett No. 15 dated 9th May 1876 ✓
1 Do. Do. Do. No. 18 dated 12th May 1876 ✓
with a Certificate ✓
1 Document marked A. ✓
1 Do. Do. B. ✓
1 Original Certificate Do. C ✓
1 Original letter from the Supt. Engr. Coimbatore to Supt. Engr. Tanjore
No. 195 dated 7th March 1876 marked. D with 3 Enclosures ✓
1 Orig. letter No. 35 dated 25th April 1876 from Distt. Engr. Malabar
to Superintending Engineer Tanjore ____ E ✓
1 Statement and letter marked. F ✓
1 Original letter and Statement from District Engineer Nilgiri
Marked ____ G ✓ /
2 Statements of contemporary servants ____ H ✓
1. Affidavit ✓
1 Statement of Service ✓
1 Revised History of Service ✓
1. Copy of G.O. No. 3730 dated 23d November 1866. ✓
1 Copy of G.O. No. 776 dated 20th March 1874 ✓
1 Copy of G.O. No. 1045 dated 15th April 1875 ✓

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your most obedient servant

L. Conway-Gordon

Accountant General's Office
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From
The Examiner
P. W. Accounts
To
The Accountant Genl.
Madras.

No. 49 P.

Dated 30 }
Recd } May 1876.
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Forwards for transmission to Govt. an application for the grant of an invalid pension to Mr. J. A. Hamnett late Supervisor + Tanjore District

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 17th September 1873.

Read the following letters :—

No. 264. From the District Engineer, Vizagapatam, dated 8th June 1873, No. 414.

No. 265. From the same Officer, dated 6th August 1873, No. 865.

No. 266. ORDER THEREON, 17th September 1873, No. 2,301.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 27.

THE papers recorded above refer to transactions with Carpenter Musalaya who supplied certain articles for the Vizianagram and Parvatipore Cutcherries in the Vizagapatam District while Mr. Supervisor Hamnett was in charge of the works.

2. From statement I. accompanying the District Engineer's first letter, it appears that articles valued at Rupees 1,783-4-1 were ordered from the Carpenter by Overseer Spencer without any written authority from his immediate superiors, Rupees 915 was paid by the Overseer before his dismissal from the department, and Rupees 255 was subsequently paid by Mr. Supervisor Baker who had taken over charge from Mr. Hamnett, and the Carpenter claims the balance, viz., Rupees 613-4-1.

3. From statement IV. which has been received with the District Engineer's second letter, it now appears that all the articles ordered have been paid for with the following exceptions, viz :—

Materials in hand.

	RS. A. P.
One venetian door, valued at Rs. 30	30 0 0
Four iron-barred do. do. at ,, 35 each	140 0 0
Five windows, at ,, 10-8-0 ,, ...	52 8 0
Two semicircular, do. at ,, 20 ,, ...	40 0 0
	262 8 0

Materials Missing.

Six door-frames, at Rs. 10 each	60 0 0
One iron-barred door, at ,, 35	35 0 0
	95 0 0
Total amount due to Carpenter...	357 8 0

4. The District Engineer states that the doors and windows are of very inferior timber and workmanship, and that the rates given above are those that Supervisor Baker allowed in the payment made by him, and consequently such as the Carpenter must have considered fair.

5. His Excellency in Council observes with extreme displeasure the highly irregular and reprehensible conduct of Mr. Supervisor Hamnett in having permitted the order and purchase of articles for important public works under his charge by a mere subordinate. Such conduct being altogether contrary to the rules and regulations of the department, His Excellency will hold Mr. Hamnett personally responsible for all claims which Carpenter Musalaya may make for the articles supplied by him above the rate which the District Engineer considers fair

and equitable in settling his claims; and the District Engineer under whom Mr. Hamnett is at present serving will duly warn him that the most serious notice will be taken of any such irregularities in the future.

6. The District Engineer of Vizagapatam will now settle with Carpenter Musalaya for the articles which are still unpaid for at the rates mentioned above, and which appear to be fair and equitable. Any articles which the District Engineer considers unfit to be put into Government public work, should be sold by auction, and the difference, including the price of the missing articles, recovered from Mr. Supervisor Hamnett through the District Engineer, Godavery.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Vizagapatam.
" " Godavery.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER, VIZAGAPATAM.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated September 17th.

Recd. Encl.

G. O., 17th September 1873, No. 2,301.

SEPTEMBER.

Nos. 264-266

Carpenter Musalaya.—Passing orders on letters from the District Engineer, Vizagapatam, referring to transactions with Carpenter Musalaya who supplied certain articles for the Vizianagram and Parvatipore Cutcherries while Mr. Supervisor Hamnett was in charge of the works.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
30th January 1874.

No. 451. From the District Engineer, Kistna, dated 13th December 1873, No. 94.

No. 452. ORDER THEREON, 30th January 1874, No. 229.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 29.

THE explanations furnished by Mr. Supervisor Hamnett cannot be accepted as relieving him from responsibility in connection with the inferior materials ordered and accepted for the Vizianagram and Parvatipore Cutcherries between March 1869 and March 1871, when the range was in his charge, and His Excellency the Governor in Council accordingly declines to relieve him from any possible consequences of the neglect for which he was censured in G. O., No. 2,301, dated 17th September 1873.

(Tru[illegible]xtract.)

(Signed) [illegible]. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Kistna.
" " Vizagapatam.
" " Tanjore. For commmication to Mr. Hamnett.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER, KISTNA.

&c., &c., &c.

ted January 30th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O., 30th January 1874, No. 229.

JANUARY

Nos. 451-452

Mr. Supervisor Hamnett.—Declining to relieve Mr. Hamnett from the censure passed on him in G. O., No. 2,301, of 17th September 1873, in connection with the Vizianagram and Parvatipore Cutcherries.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
28th October 1874.

No. 611. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. ROBERTS, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Tanjore, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Tanjore, 7th October 1874, No. 1,370 :—

IN reference to G. O., 30th January 1874, No. 229, directing certain recoveries to be made from Mr. Supervisor Hamnett, I have the honor to report that the District Engineer, Vizagapatam, in his letter No. 1,104, dated 5th, and received 15th ultimo, (copy enclosed,) gives the amount to be recovered from Mr. Hamnett as Rupees 307-0-6.

2. On receiving this letter from me, Mr. Hamnett has, in reply in his letter, No. 186, dated 30th ultimo, made the following representation to me :—"As I am unable to pay up this sum in a lump, and as I am disinclined to borrow the sum from any one in this district and place myself under obligations to them, I request you to be kind enough to obtain permission for me to pay it up in seven monthly instalments."

3. As the sum in question to be paid up by Mr. Hamnett, viz., Rs. 307-0-6, is certainly considerable for a man in his position, I would suggest that he be allowed to make good the same by instalments of Rupees 50 per mensem.

4. In conclusion, I think it only right to call the attention of Government to the extraordinarily small prices for which the articles mentioned in Captain Hindle's letter have been sold.

No. 612. ORDER THEREON, 28th October 1874, No. 3,072.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 52.

THE money will be recovered in six monthly instalments. Lieutenant-Colonel Roberts is at liberty to enter into communication with Major Hindle on behalf of Mr. Hamnett for any explanation he may consider necessary as to the price at which the articles were sold. But meanwhile the Government loss must be recouped.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, Tanjore.
,, District Engineer, Vizagapatam.
,, Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
TANJORE,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated October 28th.

Recd. Encl.

G. O., 28th October 1874, No. 3,072.

OCTOBER.

Nos. 611 612

Supervisor Hammett.—Directing that the loss sustained by the sale of certain articles obtained for the Vizianagram and Parvatipore Cutcherries in the Vizagapatam District be recovered in six monthly instalments from Mr. Hammett.

APPLICATION FOR {PENSION ~~GRATUITY.~~

1. Name of Applicant. John Alexander J. A. Hammett-

2. Father's name. James Hammett-

3. Sect or Caste. Eurasian-

4. Residence. Satthiammungalum - in the Coimbatore District

5. Present or ~~last~~ employment. Supervisor 1st Grade. D. P. W.

6. Date of beginning of service 1st June - 1848-

7. Date of end of service 9th April - 1875-

	Y. M. D.
8. Length of service including breaks	26-10-9
of which superior	26-10-9 18-9-23
inferior	" " " 8-0-16
non-qualifying and breaks	" " "

9. Class of {pension ~~gratuity~~} applied for, and cause of application* Invalid pension under Section 49 of the Civil Pension Code -

10. [Average] emoluments or pay. Rs. 200 - " - "
66-10-8

11. Proposed pension. Rs. 100 - " - "

12. ~~Proposed gratuity~~.

13. Date from which to commence. - 10th April 1875.

14. Place of payment. Madras ~~Coimbatore District~~.

15. ~~Age of Applicant on this date.~~ Date of Applicant's birth by Christian era - 10th June 1832-

16. Height. Five Feet - Four inches.

17. Marks. [A scar in the right hand above the wrist and one at the end of right eye brow. A mole on the left knee one in the right eye and one on the upper lip right side.

18. Date. The 5 May 1875-

Richd Roberts Lt Col RE
Supg Engineer Tanjore

SIGNATURE OF THE HEAD OF OFFICE.

* 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.

HISTORY OF THE SERVICE (SHOWING BREAKS) OF Mr. J. A. Hamnett – Supervisor, 1st Grade D.P.W.
John Alexander

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~~ Examiner P. W. Accts
Chief Engr. Deptt. & Do	Bricklayer Maistry	14 . .	—	1st June 1848	Febry 1849	- . .	- 8 "	Service under		
Do Do	Do	35 & 45 . .	—	Febry 1849	9th June 1854	" . .	5 4 9	22nd year of age		
Do Do	Do	45 . .	—	10th June 1854	18th Augst 1854	" . "	. 2 9			
Sub Collr's office Malabar	Ag Trunk Road Overseer	50 . "	—	19th Augst 1854	7th Decr 1854	" . "	. 3 20			
				8th Decr 1854	31st Octr 1855	" " .	. 11 24			
Ex. Engr's office Tellicherry	Estimate Maker and Draftsman	75 " .	—	1st Novr 1855	30th June 1859	3 8 "	" . .			
				1st July 1859	31st Augst 1859	" " .	. 2 .	on sick leave		
Do Do	Do	75 " .	—	1st Septr 1859	9th Jany 1860	- 4 9	" - .			
D.P.W. Coimbatore Dist.	Ag Asst Overseer	. " .	80	10th Jany 1860	16th Octr 1860	. 9 7	" " .			
Do Do	Asst Overseer	80 . .	- . -	17th Octr 1860	30th June 1863	2 8 14	- . .			
Do Do	Taluq overseer	60 " -	} . -	1st July 1863	6th May 1864	. 10 6	- - .			
Do	Supervisor 2nd Grade	Personal allowance 20 [illegible]	- . -	7th May 1864	30th Novr 1866	2 6 22	- -			
Do Vizagapatam	Do	180 .		1st [illegible] 1866	[illegible]					

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The applicant's services from 1st June 1848 to 9th June 1854 have been classed as not counting towards pension as they were rendered prior to the completion of the 22nd year of age..

The following periods have also been classed as non-qualifying..

From 10th June 1854 to 18th August 1854
" 19th August 1854 to 7th December 1854.

As regards the first period the Superintending Engineer Coimbatore states in his letter to the Superintending Engineer Tanjore No. 195 dated 7th March 1876, that he concludes that pay was disbursed to Mr. Hamnett from the Estimates for the works in Malabar District on which he was employed. The District Engineer Malabar reports that no information on the subject is available on the records of his office..

With reference to the second period the Collector of Malabar forwards a statement showing that Mr. Hamnett was employed during the time as an Acting Trunk Road overseer. The Collector is however unable to state positively whether the statement was permanent or temporary though he presumes it was the former..

No information regarding Mr. Hamnett's services during these two periods is available on the records of the Accountant General Madras or those of the Examiner of Public Works Accounts..

No trace also can be found, on the records of the Accountant General Madras or those of the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, of Mr. Hamnett's service from 8th December 1854 to the 31st October 1855 or from the 1st November 1855 to 30th April 1858 and the 1st September 1859 to 9th Jany 1860.

The two latter periods are included in a statement of service forwarded by the District Engineer Nilgiri but no information is available regarding the first period beyond that given in Mr. Hamnett's affidavit. The latter has therefore been regarded as non-qualifying. Further correspondence regarding the applicant's services prior to the 1st Novr/55 is considered unnecessary as it will only delay still further the submission of the applicant's papers to Government and it cannot cause the applicant's pension to be increased to more than what he has now been considered eligible

The actual periods of service that have been verified from the Audit Registers of the Examiner's Office are shewn in the accompanying statement. Mr. Hamnett states in his affidavit that he was in continuous employ from June 1848 to date of retirement in /75. This statement however does not correspond with the information given in the papers herewith forwarded and according to the audit Registers of the Examiner's Office Mr. Hamnett's continuous service was from 10th January 1860 to 9th April 1875.

Under these circumstances the total period of service qualifying for pension is regarded as 18 years nths and 23 days as shewn in the revised History of Service prepared in this office.

L. Conway-Gordon

Fort St George
20th May 1876

Examiner P.W. Accounts

— d° — D° [illegible]	[illegible] Overseer	20	"	— . —	30 July 18[illegible]	[illegible]							
D° Kistna —	— D° —	20	"	— " —	1st Septr 1871	10 Septr 71	"	.	10	"	.		
					11 Septr 1871	11 [illegible] 1871	"	.	"	.	"	7	on sick leave on moiety of pay
— D° — D° —	— D° —	200	"	— " —	12 Septr 1871	12 Decr 1871	2	2	25	"	.	-	
— D° Tanjore —	— D° —	200	.	— . —	13th Decr 1873	27 Jany 1874	"	1	15	"	"	.	
					28th Jany 1874	4th Feby 1874	"	"	.	"	"	8	Drew subsistence allowance under G.O. No 776 of 20th March /74
— D° — D° —	— D° —	200	"	— . —	5th Feby 1874	9 Novr 1874	"	9	5	"	.	.	
					10 Novr 1874	9 April 1875	"	"	.	"	5	.	On sick leave on moiety of pay
Total period of uninterrupted service							18	9	23	8	"	16	

REMARKS BY HEAD OF OFFICE.

1. As to character and past conduct of Applicant. — There is no information in this office as to Applicant's character and past conduct; as he has served but for a short time under the Supdg Engr's order and as during that period he has been physically incapable of performing his duties, the undersigned is therefore unable to enter any remarks in favor of the Applicant.

2. Explanation of any suspension or degradation. See G.O. No 504 [illegible] 1866 & [illegible] 1866. See G.O. No 5[illegible] 18th [illegible] 23rd Nov 1866. — G.O. No 37 — G.O. No 776 of 20 March 1874

3. Regarding any gratuity or pension already received by Applicant. See Chapter XX.

4. Explanation under Section 47, Rule 1, so far as the Head of the Office can give it.

5. Any other remarks.

Richd Roberts Lt Col R.E.
Supg Engineer Tanjore

SIGNATURE.

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CERTIFICATE AND REPORT OF ~~ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL~~ Examiner of P.W. Accounts.

~~that~~ if the applicant's services from 1st November 1855 to 30 April 1858 & from 1st September 1857 to 9 January 1860 are accepted by Govt under the statement submitted by the Engineer Neilgherry marked G. & the applicant's affidavit

CERTIFIED that ~~(subject to the remarks below recorded)~~ qualifying service in {~~inferior~~ superior} grades has been duly proved for Eighteen years nine — months and twenty three days; and that an Invalid {pension ~~gratuity~~} not exceeding Rs. 66 — 10 — 8, is admissible under Section 56 (b) of the Civil Pension Code. The calculations have been duly verified. No medical Certificate was first submitted by the Superintending Engineer Tanjore for the reasons stated in his letter to the Secretary to Govt P.W.D. No 562 of 5th May 1875 but on a reference from this Office on the subject a certificate dated the 14 June 1875 was submitted. Under G.O. P.W.D. No 1045 of 15th April 1875, Rs 307 — 0 — 6 are to be recovered from Mr J. Hamnett on being pensioned.

Thomas Gordon
~~Accountant-General.~~
Examiner of P.W. Accounts

Countersigned —
Accountant General

Fort Saint George
30th May 1876.

Fort Saint George
Acctt Genl's Office
13 June 1876 —

To The Under Secretary to Govt
Revenue Departt —

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Pension 1876 Dept.
No. 396

APPLICATION FOR {PENSION ~~or~~ / ~~GRATUITY~~

Date of application.

Name of Applicant. Mr. J. A. Hamnett

Last appointment. Supervisor D.P.W.

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

Amount of pension sanctioned

Amount of gratuity sanctioned

Date of commencement.

Date of sanction.

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[illegible] Order No. 388

Pension Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following ~~letter~~ papers

From the Superintending Engineer Tanjore dated 5th May 1875 No. 562.

—"— Examiner of Public Works Accounts dated 30th May 1876 No. 7449 P.

—"— Accountant General dated 13th June 1876.

Order thereon 26th June 1876 No. 388

Under sections 49 and 56(b) of the Civil Pension Code (2nd Edition) His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Mr. John Alexander Hamnett late Supervisor 1st Grade Department of Public Works Tanjore an invalid pension of Rs (66-10-8) Sixty Six annas ten and pice eight per mensem to which he is entitled for

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for his qualifying superior service of 18 yrs 9 mos and 23d days. This pension will be made payable at Madras in arrears from the 10th April 1875 subject to the deduction of Rs 307-"-6 as directed in the orders marginally quoted.-

Public Works Pro: 17th Septr 1873 No 2308
—"— 30th January 1874 No 229
—"— 28th October 1874 No 3072

2 His service before attaining the age of 22 yrs is inadmissible under Section 12 of the above Code.-

3 With reference to Superintending Engineer's recommendation for the grant of half pay pension of Rs 100 to Mr Hannett, His Grace the Governor in Council sees nothing in the case to justify its being exceptionally treated.-

Pension Act

To the Accountant General with Reps
—"— Examiner of Public Works Accounts
—"— Superintending Engineer Tanjore
—"— Public Works Department

T.W.G.

desp 28/6/76

Pension to J. A. Hamm
late Supervisor Tanj

Govt. of {1876} Madras.

Pension

To The Accountant General.

Dated 26th Inst } 1876, No. 388
Recd.

Nos.

Granting an invalid pension of Rs. 66 " 10 " 8 per mensem to Mr. J. A. Hammett late Supervisor 1st Grade, in the Department of Public Works Tanjore.

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