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PENSION DEPARTMENT.

Gratuity.

No. 584.

FROM

C. G. MASTER, ESQ.,
Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for the consideration of the Governor-General in Council, the accompanying application for the grant of a compensation gratuity to Tadimati Virauz, lately a Delta Superintendent in the Godavery District.

2. The applicant's total length of service including breaks amounts to 21 years, 6 months, and 25 days, but of this only the last 4 years, 7 months, and 12 days can, strictly speaking, be reckoned as service on the superior scale, and, as it appears that his removal from his post as Delta Superintendent did not result in any saving, his claim to a compensation allowance is disputed.

3. Tadimati Virauz belonged to the fourth grade of Delta Superintendents, but in 1874 this Government in the Public Works Department resolved to abolish this grade and to have only three grades. The total number of Superintendents was not to be reduced and they were to be better paid; and, as these measures were adopted with a view to securing men of good attainments, it was ordered that none of the existing fourth-grade Superintendents were to be promoted unless fully qualified.

4. Tadimati Virauz was, it would seem, considered unequal to the work thereafter to be required from Delta Superintendents and was accordingly not promoted. He thus lost his appointment, and it is reported that he is not now fit to hold any but a subordinate post. He has been offered a place on Rupees 12 per mensem, but has refused to accept it.

5. The Governor in Council is of opinion that the case is in some respects a hard one, for, besides the loss of his appointment, the applicant, who was upwards of fifty-four years of age at the time of his removal from the service, is also unable to count seven years, five months, and sixteen days of his service through an order of dismissal which, by his re-entertainment in the Department after an interval of six months, was virtually commuted to suspension.

6. I am, therefore, to request that Tadimati Virauz may be granted the compensation gratuity of Rupees 120, to which he would unquestionably be entitled if a saving had been effected by the abolition of the grade to which he belonged.

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

From Captain R. R. E. BROCKMAN, R.E., Executive Engineer, for District Engineer, Godavery District, absent on tour, to the Controller of Public Works Accounts, Madras, dated Dowlaishweram, 17th January 1876, No. 3058.

One application in triplicate.
One service book.

I have the honor to forward herewith an application for gratuity on behalf of the late Delta Superintendent, T. Virauz, together with his service book, and to request you will be so good as to recommend him to Government in the usual course for gratuity through the Accountant-General, Madras.

From Captain L. CONWAY-GORDON, R.E., Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras, to the Accountant-General, Madras, dated Fort St. George, 16th June 1877, No. 100-P.

I have the honor to forward, for transmission to Government for orders, the accompanying papers connected with an application for gratuity submitted by the Superintending Engineer, Godavery, on behalf of Tadimati Virauz, late Delta Superintendent on the Conservancy Establishment, Godavery. The applicant's services from 19th March 1853 to 29th October 1859 do not qualify as they were rendered in non-qualifying appointments partly on a permanent and partly on a temporary establishment.

2. The applicant was out of employ from 30th October 1859 to 7th February 1860. From 8th February 1860 to 23rd July 1867 the applicant is shown, in the history of service of the application, to have held the appointment of Channel Superintendent on Rupees 12 per mensem. Of this period his services only for the periods marginally noted have been verified from the audit registers of this office. The other periods cannot be verified either from the audit registers of this office or from those of the division in which the applicant was employed, owing partly to the names of incumbents not being entered in the registers and partly to the applicant having been employed on works establishments and paid from work estimate. The applicant is stated in the application for pension to have been suspended on the 24th July 1867. On a reference from this office to the Superintending Engineer, Godavery, on this point, that officer states, in his letter, No. 83, dated 10th April 1877, that the applicant was dismissed on the 24th July 1867, but that from Captain Beckley's endorsement marked I, it would appear that the punishment of dismissal had been commuted to six months' suspension.

From 1st	May	1860 to 31st	Oct.	1860.
,, ,,	November	1861 to 5th	March	1862.
,, ,,	August	1863 to 31st	Oct.	1863.
,, ,,	April	1865 to ,,	May	1865.
,, ,,	July	1865 to 13th	Sept.	1865.
,, 27th	November	1865 to 31st	Dec.	1865.
,, 1st	October	1866 to ,,	Oct.	1866.
,, ,,	April	1867 to ,,	May	1867.

3. It seems to me, however, that the endorsement in question distinctly intimates that the applicant had been dismissed, but that no opposition would be offered to his re-employment after six months from date of dismissal. If this view of the case be correct, the applicant, on dismissal on the 24th July 1867, forfeited his previous service in accordance with Section 48 of the Civil Pension Code.

4. The applicant was unemployed from the 24th July 1867 to 31st January 1868. From the 1st February 1868 to 9th December 1869 and from 5th to 28th February 1870 he is stated to have been employed on the Imperial Petty Establishment. The break in his service from 10th December 1869 to 4th February 1870 is stated by the Superintending Engineer, Godavery, in paragraph 5 of his letter, No. 83, of the 10th April 1877, to be due to his appointment to the post of Delta Superintendent having been objected to by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, and to his previous appointment in the Petty Establishment having meanwhile been permanently filled up.

5. The applicant's service on the Petty Establishment cannot be verified from the registers of this office or from those of the division; even if verified, they could not, under G.O., No. 1403, dated 5th June 1876, be accepted to count for gratuity.

6. The question as to whether the members of the Petty Establishment can be regarded as eligible to pension under the provisions of the Civil Pension Code is still under the consideration of Government, and no final orders have up to date been passed on the subject.

7. Under the circumstances as above detailed, the applicant's service prior to 1st March 1870 are considered as not counting for gratuity.

8. The applicant's services from 1st March 1870 to 12th October 1874, amounting to 4 years, 7 months, and 12 days, have been duly verified from the audit registers of this office on the 12th October 1874. His appointment was abolished in the revision of the Conservancy Establishment (*vide* G.O., No. 1038, dated 22nd April 1874, and document marked G. I.)

9. On the abolition of his appointment of Delta Superintendent on Rupees 30 per mensem, he appears to have been offered an appointment of Lock Superintendent on Rupees 12 with reference to the arrangement recommended in paragraph 10 of the note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation printed with G.O., No. 1038, of the 22nd April 1874. The offer was, however, refused, and it rests with Government to determine whether, with reference to Section 50, Rule 3, of the Civil Pension Code, such refusal can be accepted. If it may, the applicant may be considered as eligible to a compensation gratuity not exceeding Rupees 120, equal to four months' pay, under Section 59 (A) of the Civil Pension Code.

No. 593.

Report of the Officiating Assistant Accountant-General.

The Examiner's report is countersigned with the remark that, under Section 50, Rule V, of the Civil Pension Code, a compensation gratuity does not appear admissible as it is gathered from G.O., No. 1038, dated April 22nd, 1874, that, so far from any real saving resulting, as required by that rule, from the revision of the establishment by which the applicant was thrown out of employ, there was actually an increase in the cost of the establishment so revised.

2. It is further remarked that the refusal by the applicant of the appointment of Lock Superintendent offered to him on the abolition of his own appointment (noticed in paragraph 9 of the Examiner's letter, No. 100-P, dated June 16th, 1877,) can scarcely vitiate a claim for compensation pension or gratuity, inasmuch as Section 50, Rule III, of the Civil Pension Code presupposes the possession of a compensation pension granted on the abolition of his appointment by the officer refusing proffered re-employment, nor can Rule IV of the same section, which prohibits an officer entitled to a compensation pension on the abolition of his own appointment from refusing a transfer to another appointment under proper authority be held to apply to the case of the present applicant, who was not transferred on the abolition of his own to any other appointment.

3. Tadimati Virauz was on the 12th October 1874, at the age of fifty-four years and four months, removed from the service on the reorganization of the Godavery Conservancy Establishment; and, as it appears from the certificate appended by the Superintending Engineer, Godavery, that his removal practically resulted from an order issued by the Government throwing out of employ all such of that establishment as were not fully qualified according to the standard specified by the Chief Engineer, no pension or gratuity can be admitted to him under Section 48 of the Civil Pension Code without the orders of the Government of India.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
20th August 1877.

(Signed) F. DE H. LARPENT,
Offg. Asst. Accountant-General.

To the Under Secretary to Government, Fort St. George.

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

1877.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

From
The Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George,
To
The Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Public Works Department.

Dated 25th October 1877.
Issued
Recd,

No. 584.

Enclosure.

Gratuity.—Recommending the grant of a compensation gratuity of Rs. 120 to Tadimati Virazu, lately a Delta Superintendent in the Godavery District, for reasons stated.

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

Name of Officer.	Caste or Race.	Residence.	Father's Name.	Father's Residence.	Date of birth.	Age. Years	Age. Ms.	Age. Days.	Exact Height. Feet.	Exact Height. In.	Personal marks for identification.	Date of entry.	Signature of Officer.	Signature and designation of the head of the Office.
Tadimiti Virazu	Brahmin Sivae	Vallore at present Dowlaishwaram	Tadimiti Ryalava nayde	do. Vallore	In July 1820.	55	3	5	5'	8"	A scar below the joint of left arm. A mole on the right side of breast	5th October 1875	[illegible]	G. Beatty. Major R.E. Offg. Supg. Engineer Sub Engineer [illegible]

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.
Revenue Deptt. Gumasta.	Permanent	"	10 "	"	19th/3/53	
P. W. Deptt. Gumasta	Tempy	"	10.	"	15th/5/53	
	Breaks.				30th/10/59	
Conservancy estt. Chal. Supt.	Permanent	"	12 "	"	8th/2/60	

8 Character of Officer. *No entry need be made in this Column except when there is any thing either good or bad to be recorded. Suspensions should be noted here when the order of suspension is passed.*	9 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.	10 Date of termination of appointment	11 Reason of termination *e.g., transfer, promotion, return of permanent incumbent.*	12 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.
	Sub Engineer in Charge No 2 Range	14th/5/53	Transferred to D.P.W.	Sub Engineer in Charge No 2 Range
The bearer T. Viriag has been in my Imploy as a Gumasta for one year and six months and was always very punctual and attentive to his duty. 9th September } (Sd) J Caster 1855 } Assistant overseer		29th/10/59	Works Stopped	
		7th/2/60		
		25th May 1862	Promotion	
The bearer Tadimeti Viriagu has been employed 5 years and a half as Gumasta in P.W.D. Three of which he has been under my orders. I can Confidently recommend him as an intelligent and hardworking man; and I believe him to be quite honest, he is discharged Solely in Consequence of the recent orders directing all Public Works to be Stopped Awalapur } (Sd) J Stodard 1st August/57 } Captain				

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Conservancy Channel Supt. Gumasta.	Do	"	20	"	26/5/62	

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The bearer T. Virraz has been employed under me as a Gumasta for the last 21 Months at Rs 15 per month for the last six months. I have always found him attentive to his duties honest intelligent and hardworking. He is discharged on account of the Public Works being stopped temporarily. 1st August/57 } Sd Central Delta	Sub Engineer in Charge No 2 Range			Sub Engineer in Charge No 2 Range
T. Virrazu was in my service as Gumasta for 6 months in which time he gave me satisfaction Amalapur } Sd S. C. Plummer 29th May/60				
This is to certify that Channel Superintendent by name T. Virraz has been sent to me to		12/8/65	Reduction	

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Do Channel Supt.	Do	"	12..	"	25/8/65	
Break Suspension					24/7/67	

Petty Establishment Maistry }	Temporary	"	15	"	1/2/67	
Do Supt.	do	"	20	"	1/7/68	
Break					1/12/69	

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to Superintend the Construction of a new embankment on Western Delta Main Canal in the Nidadavole Madugu extent 2 miles, he has done it well and soon and understands his work well Chetipetta 5th Feby 1867 } (Sd) R. Harris Delta Supt.	Sub Engineer in charge No 2 Range	23/7/67 31/1/68	Transferred	Sub Engineer in charge No 2 Range
Extract from a list of characters left in No. II Range Godavery by Captain H Smalli R.E. Executive Engr. S. Virrazu permanently a channel Superintendent but generally employed in higher pay on the dredging at Bobberlunka. A useful man accustomed to manage gangs of Buntadars. I believe honest and pains-taking 18th April /67. (Sd) J Gorman Asst. Engineer		30th/6/68 9th/12/69 4th/2/70	Promoted Do	

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Petty Establishment Superintendant	Temporary	–	20	–	5th/2/70		Tadimeti Verraz was employed under me in the Central Delta Range from 1860 to 1866. He was generally employed on any large earth works in progress in the Range or at Bobberlunka Superintending the dredging. I always found him manage the buntadars or Coolies employed very well. He always succeeded in getting and keeping labor and always found him useful and trustworthy. 18th June /67 (Sd) J. W. Randall Executive Engineer T. Verraz was employed on the brick kiln at Gannaram for 5 months in keeping the accounts and mustering the workmen. I always found him attentive to his work. 30th June /68 (Sd) J Gorman Asst. Engineer	Sub Engineer in charge 2nd Range	12th/3/70	Promoted	Sub Engineer in charge 2nd Range
Conservancy Delta Supt.	Permanent		30		1/3/70 13th/3/70				4th/10/72	do	

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Conservancy						
Delta Supt. 3rd grade	Do		40	"	5th/10/72	
Do do 4 grade	Do		30	"	24th/12/73	

~~Suspended from 30th October 1869 to 7th July 1860~~

Suspended from 20th July 1867 to 31st January 1868

Privilege leave for 5 weeks from 2nd September 1872

No other leaves whatever.

8 Character of Officer. *No entry need be made in this Column except when there is any thing either good or bad to be recorded. Suspensions should be noted here when the order of suspension is passed.*	9 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.	10 Date of termination of appointment	11 Reason of termination *e.g., transfer, promotion, return of permanent incumbent.*	12 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.
Just appointed; is well up to the execution and repairs of earthworks. Keeps his pit books, however in a most horrid manner, but it is to be hoped that he will turn over a new leaf in this after the warnings I have given him 15th/4/70. Sd/ F. Simon C.E.	Sub Engineer in charge Sec 2 Range			Sub Engineer in charge Sec 2 Range
I have seen very little of this man, but believe he is a useful Delta Superintendent. 7th/9/71 Sd/ J C. Hasted Captain R.E. Executive Engr		23rd/12/73	Degraded	
Reduced for incompetence and general bad work in my time.		12th/10/74	grade abolished.	
Reduced this class being abolished in the late reorganization of the Conservancy Establishment				

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No 22 9 76 Eng
No 2 7 77 Eng

SERVICE BOOK

OF

Name. Tadimeti Veeraz.

Caste or Race. Brahmin [illegible]

Residence. Vallore at present Dowleswaram

Father's Name. Tadimeti Kylasarayadu

Father's Residence. Vallore

Date of birth. On July 1820

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I an Overseer do hereby declare that what was stated above by Delta Superintendent Rangaya Naidu is true.

Date as above } (signed). Castury. Bhaskara Row
Overseer.

I Know that Thadimeti Virrazu was for some time as Channel Supt., for some time as Maistry, and for sometime as Delta Superintendent. I have been in this Range from 1853.

signed Alla Subbaroyudu
Lock Supt.

(True Translation).

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I hereby, do declare on honor that, to the best of my knowledge, Padimety Viragio, late [illegible] Supt. was employed in the Government service from 18[illegible]. I know him to be a Channel Supt. in [illegible] Conservancy Establishment in the Central [illegible] Range, from the above year up to the General reduction of the Conservancy Establishment; but he was during the above period frequently employed on other duties receiving higher Salaries from other Sources, and Subsequently he was employed as a [illegible] Establishment Supt. up to the date [illegible] appointment as a Superintt. [illegible] Padimety V[illegible] is serving any [illegible] Central Decca[illegible] ever since [illegible] in this Range [illegible]

4th June 1876

R. Rangialo
Dalu. [illegible]

N.A.E. 16/6/76

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For translation of this see paper attached

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On account of the good character this man has received from Mr. Rendell. Esq. & other officers I had intended to offer no opposition to his being re-employed in the DPW. after six months had elapsed from the date on which he was dismissed from his post of Channel Superintendent. for carelessness whereby an accident occurred and several lives were lost.

J. Buckley
Capt RE

Deal
Nov. 20th

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To

Captain J. Beckley R. E.

Superintending Engineer

1st Division

Honored Sir

Captain J. Makgill R. E. having informed me that your honor was so annoyed on me and reduced me from Employment. On my understanding the same attended your honor and layed my case for redress. Your honor by thorough consideration promised me before Sub Engineer Veeramah to favour with my post after 6 months. It is 3 months

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Range after expiration of six months already promised by your honor for which act of favour I shall ever feel obliged.

23d October 18[illegible]

I beg to remain
Sir
Your most obt & humble Svt

J. Perray late Maistry at Bobarlanka in No 2 Range.

If this man was dismissed the Depart. no officer has the power to authorize his re-employment without the previous special sanction of the Supt.

[illegible]
Major R.E.

Since I am reduced from my post I am an old servant of 15 years service in D. P. W. and obtained testimonials from several Gentlemen under whom I served. I am so poor now to maintain my numerous family — As I am told that Captain Rynes R. E. will arrive shortly to the Division and your honor is about to go to some other District I respectfully solicit your generocity to mercy me & grant my post considering as punishment to me for the past 3 months unemployed, or if not to favour me an Endorsement on [illegible] that I may be reemployed in the

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F. W. Rundall
Actg Distt Engr
Godi Distt.

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To

Hademuti Verrayu.

You are appointed from this date as Channel Superintendent and therefore you will take charge from Gopisetti Venkatachellam's Channel Supdt. and look after the works under le. Bhascal Row Sala

Overseer

Asst. D Engineer's Office
Camp Amalapore
8th February 1860
(True translation)

(Sd) J W Rundal
Asst. D Engin
Gvy Dt.

26th August /76

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To,

Sadiniti Perrayya

Pallicella Channel Gumasta

Pally Canal from Bob
-birlanka to Ramachan
-drapur Pallevella Canal
to Moskamala and the
East Bank Canal to
Vadapalli will be under
your charge and the works
concerned therewith
should be looked after
by you But you must
remain where you are
and look after the
Pallivella Canal works
untill it be finished.

and the water ~~tht~~ this
and you should visit
often inspect the
above ordered works
as you will be further
directed.

You should often
inspect the avenues &c
on the above named
Canals and charge
in your Cash Book
and pay up towards
fencing to avenues as
per Channel Supts. Station
books. you are at liberty to report
to the undersigned any negligence
on the Channel Supts. &c in looking
after the avenues in their respective
charges. * You will draw Rs 20
from this month (Sd) J W Rundall
Anantapore 26th May 1862 Agt. D Engineer

* You are informed that
21st August 1858

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Captain R.E.

Executive Engineer G. D.

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To,

Tadimity Verrayya:

You are appointed as Petty Establishment Maistry on Rs 15 per month from 1st February 1868. and you will take all the charge from Devalarayu Gurevesem who is looking after the manufactory of the bricks for Gunnawari Aqueduct tow path. and you should look after the works concerned therewith under the Control of Pasupulaty Bhuseat Row Naidoo navig

Divisional Officer

Supt.

No. 229
22 9 76
Enc

Executive Engineer's
Office Camp
Rajahmundry
27th January 1868

(Sd) J. Mitchell
Captn R.E.
Ex. Engineer G.D.4

26th August 1876.

(True Translation)

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J. Simon
Executive Engineer

Lr. No. 559/74

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To Sadimetti Veerarayoo.

You are appointed as Petty Establishment Supdt. on Rs 20 per month Sanctioned for this Range and the undersigned directs you to Carryout works properly and from the 1st of this month. your pay Rs 20 will be drawn

No 2 Range Office
Gunnawarum
9th July 1868

(Sd) F. Simon
Exe Engineer
G Dn

(True Translation)

26th August 1876

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J. Simon

Executive Engr. Gody.

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To.

Sadeeiuity [illegible] aryu

Under the or[illegible]rs of the Superintending Engineer You are appointed from 10th of this month as Balla Supdt vice D Jayaramasawmy deceased and you are directed to look after the works in lower portion of the Nayarum Talug till further orders

Executive Engineer's Office Guinnewaram 22d December 1869 } (Sd) F. Simon Exe Engineer F. Dn

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Frdk. Simon

Ex Engineer Godavary

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To.

Tadimiaty Verrangudu

Appoints to look after the works on the Eastern side of lower portion of Amalapore Taluq and therefore directed to work out under the orders of 1st Grade Delta Supt. Talahastry Bheemiah

Exe Engineers Office Gunnawaram 5th February 1876

(Sd) H Simon
Exe Engineer
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26th August 1876. (True Translation) (Divisional Officer

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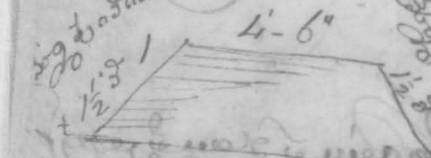

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Frederick Simon
Executive Engineer Godv.

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To.
Padisetty Veeranjee

From the recommendation of the undersigned as well as Mr Rundall's throu" the Superintending Engineer to Government. You are favoured with a Delta Supn. Post. You are appointed from 1st of this Month as 4th Grade Delta Supn. on Rs 30 though an un-passed Candidate.

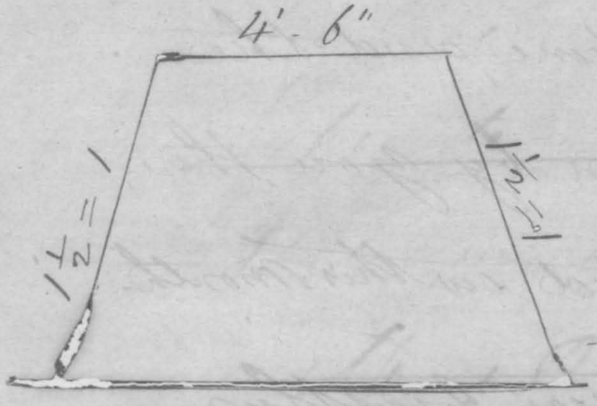
Some portion of the East Ba Canal which was hitherto under Charge of D Jayaramaswa late Delta Supn. has been ordere to be in your Charge. Its limi are from the head of Vilasa Cha which Seperates from Ainavil

Divisional officer

and the irrigation under it will be the charge of C. Bheemiah D. Supt. but not yours.

"Your head Quarters should be made at Annapore, and the works now going on by you there, should be completed in this month. As those works were firstly commenced by Bheemiah, their payments &c should be made by him, and entered in his Accounts.

Estimates for repairing Cattle Crossings on inner Bank of East Bank Canal between Arnampilly and Tiruvally should be prepared and submitted as soon as possible. The undersigned has inspected the above boundary which is in need of urgent repairs to be executed before next June, and therefore you will send Estimates at once so as to enable the undersigned to get sanction earlier.



In preparing the Estimates for raising Bank the marginal type should be attended to.

From the favourable interference of the undersigned and of Mr Rundle about you, we hope whatever faults were found with you, you will do better.

For the past experience of the undersigned you never held such high post as now and you will therefore behave well in future be trustworthy. / Sd/ J. Simon / Ex. Engr G. D.

13th March 1870

Divisional Officer

26th August 1876 (Tru Translation)

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Nº 22 9 76 ENC

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J.W.H. Ellis

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To

Tadimity Verranga D.S.
Under Notification No 2434
from the Superintending
Engineer 1st Dn. You are promoted to Ditto Supr. 3rd Grade
Vice N Gopaulakrushnamma
reduced and you are therefore
warned to improve or you
will feel the Consequence

No 2 Range Office } Sd/ J.W.H. Ellis
Gunnawarum } Supervisor
9th October 1872 } Inch. No 2 Range G Dn.

(True Translation)

Sub Engineer

26th August 1876 Incharge [illegible]

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M [illegible] Sub Engr

Such: No 2 Rank G.E.

Promoted to 5 grade

3d Established

Reduced to 4th Grade Rs

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Sadiminity Perrangoo Sd

In the reorganization of the Conservancy Establishment of this District vide Government Order 4th Grade Delta Supt. post on Rs30 are abolished. You will therefore cease to be borne on the list vide District Engineer's notification published on the 17th October 1874 in No 20 page No 189 of the District Gazette and therefore you are hereby

Superintendan

informed of the Matter

(Sd) M. Walls

22d October 1876 Sub Engineer

(True Translation)

M. Wells

26th August 1876 Sub Engineer In charge D. D. G. P.a

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Captain &c.

26th [illegible] 1857 Executive Engineer G. D.

Superintendan

No
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To

Captain J Magkill R.E.
Executive Engineer Godavery

Petition from Sadinicity Veeranyu.

I have reported to your
honor on the 9th of this month,
stating that firstly in obedience
to your honors orders. I am getting
the earth unloaded in front of
the under sluice from punts &
dredging operation at Bobberlan
Secondly. It is impossible
to tie up punts owing to the great
current of water caused by opening
the shutters of the under sluice
and thirdly to write to the Sub
Engineer in charge to close the
under sluice's shutters.

Although your honor has
not replied to me on the above
points I was continuing the work
with a great care. Also I represented
the matter to the Delta Supdt
incharge who arrived here and
requested

Superintendant

requested him to close the Shutters of the undersluice. this can be understood by his report to your honor. Although fresh ropes were used in tieing up the points and great care taken the current broke both ropes and Anchor and caused the death of the people. In this matter I did not neglect whatever.

I reported the above troubles to your honor on my past Experience from Mr. Rundall's time. that unless shutters to undersluice are put in. Some danger to the men will be happened.

I never neglected in Dredging Operation as I was looking after it for the last 3 years.

Higher authorities Excuse Servants from guilty when danger caused to cooly men in Public Works execution.

I trusted that your honor is just and thereby I should find justice as I am an old Servant, and have a big family and possess no other means to live in but through Government Employ. I therefore beg your honor to grant me justice and transfer me new to my permanent Channel Supd's station, if your honor is like to retain me here (Bobberlanka.

20th July 1867. (Sd) T. Verrayu.

Endorsement.

Informs vide Superintending Engineer's letter dated 24th of this month.

Your carelessness and negligence caused the death of the 4 wom Coolies and therefore you cannot be reinstated.

26th July 1867. (Sd) J. Makgill Captn R

(True Translation) Executive Engineer G Dt

W A Ellis

26th August 1876 Sub Engineer Incharge. C D Dn G Dt

Superintendan

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Reply to the letter from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts to the District Engineer Godavery No 169 dated 16th February 1876.

Paras in Examiner's Letter	Divisional Officers Remarks.
2	No; they have not been so verified. This discrepancy due to the want of pay abstract or Acquittance Rolls dates objected to where obtained from the applicants orders of appointment See papers "A to G"
3	No Office Copies available in this Division. affi-davits sent.
4	This man it appears was employed on other and more important duties by the Range Officers, Mr. Rundall, Captains Makgill and Smalley, Mr. Simon and better paid (Rs 20) for, from Estimates; his perma nent post of Channel Superintendant being tempo rarily held by another for periods marked "B & C" from Estimates.
5&6	Reason of his transfer was to afford him better pay and to employ him on more import-ant duties. There was practically no transfer, but this man was at any time during his other employ-ment available for his permanent post. This arrangement was made first by Mr. L.W. Rundall The cause of suspension was his misfortune to lose certain lives on a dredging operation on which he was Superintending. See papers marked "I"
+	Promoted to the petty Establishment on 20 Rs. from Conservancy on Rs 12. Break from 10th December 1869 to 4th February 1870 due to his appointment to Delta Superintendant being objected to in Correspondance by certain public servant, this appointment was cancelled and he was made a petty Establishment

Superintendant on Rs 20 See paper (E I) dated 5th February. He was finally made a 4th grade Delta Superintendant from 1st March/70 See paper (F). dated 13th March 1870

9/10 His incompetence is mainly due to old age, but no apparent infirmity. Cause of delay 1 year and ten months in the submission of this application due to the applicant's hopes for either reinstatement or for some other works, but finding he could not obtain his desires he sent in the application for gratuity.

J. W. A. Ellis

Central Delta Divn }
16 June 1876 }

Sub Engineer in charge
Central Delta Divn

No 21 4 77 ENG

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No. 1677

District Engineers Office G. Dt.
Dowlaishweram 14th Sepr. 1876

From,

The Offg. Superintending Engineer
Godavery District

To,

The Examiner of P. W. A.
Madras.

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1 Application for gratuity
1 Service Book
1 Divisional Officers reply to the Examiners remarks No 169 of 7/2/76
1 Affidavit with a Statement of Services
1 Translation of Do — Do.
1 Statement of Collateral evidence
11 Telugu Do - Do. - in marks form A & B
11 Translations of Do —

Sir

With reference to your Memorandum No. 169 G.D. of 16th February 1876 I have the honor to retransmit the application for gratuity on behalf of late Delta Superintendent T. Veeraz, with the papers noted in the margin, which is presumed, will afford you all the information required

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servant
G. Beatty Major R.E.
Offg. Superintending Engineer G. Dt.

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No 83

District Engineer's Office Gody
Camp Dowlaishweram 10th April/77

From,
The Offg. Superintending Engineer
Godavery District

To,
The Examiner of
Public Works Accounts
Madras

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 196 G. D. of 11th November 1876 returning papers regarding the gratuity of T. Virrazu late Delta Superintendent, I have the honor to furnish the following information –

2. The applicant, Virazu was dismissed on the 24th July 1867, but the punishment was, as appears from Captain Beckley's endorsement number "8" commuted to 6 months suspension; and this endorsement is the only document showing that his punishment was commuted from dismissal to suspension for 6 months. During that period of suspension he was not

employed and drew no pay -

3. The applicant was employed in the temporary establishment from 15th May 1853 up to 29th October 1859, inclusive, during which period he states that he drew full pay continuously; but there are no records by which to verify this. He was out of employ from 30th October 1859 to 7th February 1860. On 8th February 1860 he was appointed a Channel Superintendent -

4. He was suspended on the 24th July 1867 when he was channel Superintendent, and at the end of that suspension he was appointed as Maistry on the Petty Establishment on a salary of Rupees 15 from 1st February 1868, as another man had been permanently appointed in the Channel Superintendents post; from this Maistry's appointment he (Virrazu) was promoted to Rs 20 on the same Establishment -

5. The break in the applicant Virrazu's service, from 10th December 1869 to 4th February 1870

1870 was owing to his being appointed to the post of Delta Superintendent (another individual being appointed permanently to the Maistry's post); this was objected to in certain correspondence between the Controller and Superintending Engineer and eventually decided in favor of Virrazu -

6. The English translation of the statement alluded to in para 5 of your letter is herewith sent -

7. The papers received with your letter are herewith returned

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servant
E. Beatty - Major R.E.
Offg. Superintending Engr. Godvy. D

Compd. by
D.W.

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Lr No 559

To be returned with reply on reverse.

AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
28th June 1877.

FROM THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS,

TO THE District Engineer Godavery District -
Through the Examiner of Public Works Accounts
Madras -

VIDE your Application for Gratuity on behalf of T. Virany late a Delta Supdt: 4th grade -

THE undersigned has the honor to return the Service Book and the Register of appl[illegible], for your signature in the [illegible]t column of the first page in the former, and for insertion in the third page of the latter the particulars of saving caused by the abolition of the appointment owing to which the applicant was put out of Employ - Vide section 50. Rule. 5. of the Civil Pension Code. 3rd Edition -

T. Kristna Moorty.
Ag. Asst. to the Acct. Genl.

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The Service Book and the application are herewith returned with the signature of the undersigned in the last column of the 1st page of the service Book and the information about Savings entered on the 3d page of the application -

Encl 2

Beatty - Major R.E.
Offg Superintending Engineer
Godavery Dist

Dowlaishweram
28 July 1877

Accountant General's Office
Recd 6 8 1877
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Compd by D.B.

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5th June 1876 Camp
Kottapetta

Affidavite vide Rule 4 - Section 71 of the Civil Pension Code taken from late Delta Supdt Padimiety Verranju.

I served in the D. P. W as Second Supdt on Rs 12 in No 2 Range Godavery from 8th February 1866 to 26th July 1867.

I was suspended for 6 months from the above period to 31st January 1868 on one fault.

I was appointed as Petty Establishment Maistry on Rs 15 per month from 1st February to end of June 1868.

I was appointed as Petty Estt Supdt on Rs 20 per month from 1st July 1868 to end of February 1870.

I was appointed as Delta Sup from 1st March 1870 to 17th October 18 and reduced since in the Arrangement.

I heard this on reading and found it correct.

(Signed) Verrangu.

I do not know whether the rank of Patty Establishment Maistry and Superintendant is permanent or not.

I heard this on reading and found it Correct.

(Signed) Verrangu.

It was read and heard by the original man Verrangu in the Teloogoo language that he knows, he is sure of it.

This was taken by me.

(Sd) S L Narasimharao
Dy Thasildar and
3d Class Magistrate.

(True translation)

Sub Engineer
Incharge 2 D Div G Dn

26th August 1876

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27th August 1876

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Detailed Service of Tadimety Virragu in the Public Works Department.

Name	Rank	Pay	From what date to what date	Service			Remarks
				Years	Months	Days	
Tadimety Virragu.	Channel Superintendent	Rs: 12	From 8th February 1860 to 26th July/67	7	5	18	It declares that it is permanent.
			From 27th July/67 to 31st January/68 Suspension.	"	"	"	
	Petty Establishment	15	From 1st February 1868 to end of June.	"	5	"	Reported as not known whether this Service is permanent or not.
	Do. Superintendant	20	From 1st July 1868 to end of February 1870	1	7	"	
	Della Supdt.	30 40	From 1st March 1870 to 17th October 1874	4	7	17	
				14	1	5	

Camp. Kottapetta
5th June 1876

(Signed) S. L. Nrusimhan
3rd Class Sub Magistrate.

26th August 1876

J. M. A. Ellis
(True translation)

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№ 22 9 76 Enc

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 22nd April 1874.

Read the following paper :—
No. 872A.

No. 265. *Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.*

Prior to my visit to the Godavery Delta correspondence took place between the District Engineer and this office regarding the appointment of an Anicut Superintendent and the salaries of Delta Superintendents, and on more than one occasion previously the subject of the appointment of permanent Surveyors was mooted, but it was considered advisable then that provision should be made under Temporary Establishments for such work, and this has, up to the present time, been done.

2. During my recent visit opportunity was taken to discuss with the District Engineer and with the Range Officers of the Eastern and Western Deltas also the requirements of the delta as regards Conservancy Establishments, and the results are as follow :—

3. In the first place an *Anicut Superintendent* is necessary. Formerly a Sub-Engineer was in charge and had but little to do beyond what a Superintendent is now required to take up. There is a great deal of work to be done at the anicut and in its vicinity, and it would not be prudent to have this unattended to except by those whose hands are already more than fully occupied. There is so much to be done at Dowlaishweram and in its neighbourhood however, that it is necessary to guard against the Anicut Superintendent being made into a sort of Overseer available for general duties, and so it is to be understood that his employment is to be confined to the anicut and headworks, works connected with the river bed and banks within the limits of the annual charts of the bed, the lime-kilns which are close to the village of Dowlaishweram, the main canal in the Eastern Delta, and concrete experiments. He should not have charge of the quarries which might, and certainly would if properly attended to, engross far more of his time than would be right. As it will be necessary for him to keep himself well informed of, and to lay down upon the charts, all changes in the bed of the river, etc., the Superintendent should be a good Surveyor; indeed, without this qualification, he would be unable to maintain that continuous record of the work done year by year for the regulation of the river, and of the results which was ordered more than two years ago, but which so far has not been attended to. As the Superintendent's work will all lie within moderate geographical limits, it is not necessary that travelling allowance should be provided for him; but, as his duties will be important and the qualifications* required considerable, I think a salary of Rupees 120 a month is not too much to give, and I would recommend that this should be provided.

G. O., 3rd February 1871, No. 331, paragraph 5.

4. *Delta Conservancy Establishment.*—There are at present twenty-seven Superintendents, viz., eight in the Eastern, six in the Central, and thirteen in the Western Delta. In the Eastern Delta I found arrangements in force which are objectionable, inasmuch as they lose sight of the proper duties of this establishment, which are—

(1.) The charge of the canals and distribution works and of the regulating works connected with them.

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* Overseer, Surveyor, and Draughtsman.

(2.) The complete supervision of the irrigation and drainage with the prevention of all interference and the removal of all obstructions.

(3.) The supervision of the annual clearances and other repairs, and of the construction of minor masonry works and any other constructive work within their charges which will not interfere with their proper duties.

In this range the two Assistant Engineers were not cash disbursers, but two of the Delta Superintendents were so, and these men had the nominal charge of the greater part of the delta between them, the one having four of the other Superintendents, and the other two under him. The two Superintendents of the first class were thus diverted from their proper duties and made to take up the work of the permanent executive establishment. It appears to me that neither press of constructive work nor any other excuse should be accepted for the diversion of establishments from the duties for the performance of which they have been specially appointed. Each Superintendent should have his own separate charge, and should be responsible for everything connected with conservancy and regulation within it. The duties under the first and second heads above noticed involve constant inspections and, in order that Range and Sub-divisional officers may see that these are properly performed, diaries must be kept and submitted at short intervals, perhaps weekly would suffice. Hitherto it would appear that only these Superintendents who draw travelling allowance have kept and submitted such reports, and this should be seen to; the essential thing is to take care that the Superintendents do the work of their appointments thoroughly and systematically; the regulation of travelling allowance is a matter of very secondary importance, and I may here remark that the grant of travelling allowance to men of this class is a mistake; still more so the way in which the grant has been made; for only the first-class Superintendents who draw the highest pay get any, and evidently these require it the least. The appointments involve, as has been already pointed out, constant inspections; they should be held by natives, who are much better fitted for the work to be done than either Europeans or East Indians, and it is not necessary to have a special allowance when there is nothing special by which to regulate it. I beg therefore to recommend that the allowance be continued to present first-class Superintendents, but that it be discontinued to future incumbents.

5. In the Eastern Delta the present nominal charges of Superintendents will, with one exception, do very well; the Junction canal can be added to the Samulcottah canal, of which it is indeed a part, and this will reduce the number of Delta Superintendents from eight to seven, which latter will give on the average an area of about 25,000 acres of irrigation to each Superintendent.

6. In the Central Delta, the present* area of irrigation in which is about 85,000 acres, and the ultimate area expected† but little more, four Superintendents should suffice, viz., one for each of the principal canals, and one for Nagaram. I should have said five, but for the intention to provide Maistries for the river banks and the work connected with these.

G. O., No. 1,592, 18th June 1873.

Amalapur	52,466
Nagaram...	32,807
	85,273

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* 1871-72.

† Project provides for 87,251 acres.

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7. In the Western Delta the existing thirteen charges should be reduced to twelve by dividing the Nursapore canal irrigation between three instead of four Superintendents, viz., one for that on the left bank, and two for the irrigation on the right bank.

8. The number of permanent charges for Delta Superintendents will then be, in the—

Eastern Delta	7
Central do.	4
Western do.	12
Total...	23

The District Engineer's proposition to assimilate the pay of Delta Superintendents to that of Overseers on the regular executive establishment has already been negatived, but it may be advisable to consider what the pay of, and the numbers in, each class may properly be. At present the twenty-seven Superintendents are classified thus—

G. O., No. 2,538, dated 17th October 1873.

		RS.
3 of the First Class, Rs.	70	= 210
7 ,, Second ,, ,,	50	= 350
12 ,, Third ,, ,,	40	= 480
5 ,, Fourth ,, ,,	30	= 150
	Total ..	1,190

I am of opinion that the pay of the first class is ample, and I would make the differences between the pay of the first and second class and that of the second and third class equal, by raising the pay of the second class from Rupees 50 to Rupees 55; and, lastly, the fourth class may with advantage be abolished, as the pay is too low to secure for any length of time the services of men of the qualifications required, and local knowledge is essential to efficiency.

9. Although it is proposed to diminish by four the number of charges for Delta Superintendents, it is not intended to reduce their numbers, because the large amount of survey work and levelling needed yearly in connection with the river banks, etc., and for the extension and regulation of the distribution and drainage, renders it advisable that there should be some permanent Surveyors attached to the delta. It is also very advisable that when the permanent incumbents of charges are either sick or absent on leave, there should be other Superintendents available to take their places, for the charges have been made as large as is consistent with efficiency, and to double them up, even for a short time, would certainly result in the neglect of the daily requirements of both. There should still, therefore, be twenty-seven Superintendents, and I would recommend that they should be divided into three classes, as follows:—

		RS.
5 of the First Class, Rs.	70	= 350
10 ,, Second ,, ,,	55	= 550
12 ,, Third ,, ,,	40	= 480
	Total...	1,380

against Rupees 1,190 at present.

10. Some of the present Superintendents are by no means efficient. The District Engineer proposes to provide them with employment more suited to their qualifications, and, if such can be found for them, there will be no objection to this

arrangement. It would seem that in the various changes which have occurred in the last fifteen or sixteen years men have been thrown out of employment; and, in the endeavour to avoid hardship to individuals, some have been put into appointments for which they are altogether unfitted, and the statement which the District Engineer has furnished showing the age, period of service, etc., of all the Superintendents shows that the antecedents of some of them would hardly make their efficiency probable. An intelligent performance of their duties, considerable activity, and a complete knowledge of all the works in their charges must be insisted upon, and those who cannot come up to this standard must leave the Conservancy Establishment, whether other employment can be found for them or not. It should therefore be understood that the changes proposed are not for the purpose of giving promotion to men who are not worth the pay they now draw, but to add materially to the efficiency of the establishment by rewarding those who are deserving of encouragement, and by securing the services of others who will be fully equal to the duties to be performed.

11. Another appointment which I find to be greatly needed is a *Superintendent of the floating plant*, who for brevity may be called *Boat Superintendent.* He is wanted on several accounts. First, to ensure that all the floating plant in use is duly repaired and kept in good order, a matter which, notwithstanding former remarks on the state of the plant, has not received sufficient attention, as I shall have occasion, in submitting the memorandum on my tour of inspection, to point out. The out-turn of work done by the plant is materially diminished from this cause, and the wear and tear is seriously increased. Secondly, to regulate the loading of boats with materials at the lime-kilns and several stone wharfs. For want of supervision there are not only considerable delays, but the steamers, which have to take the boats across the river, are kept waiting and have to make the trips without a proper complement of boats. For the most part the Superintendent's duties would be confined to the Dowlaishweram side of the river, but it would be necessary for him to see that no unnecessary delays occurred at the Vijeshweram head on the other bank. The steamers at the close of the day's work should, if intended to be under steam the next day, be visited and examined, both as regards the state of the machinery, and to see that the firewood, etc., for the following day is duly put on board, and other requirements attended to. The boat establishment is a large one, and if it is to be successfully and economically worked, there must be great regularity and punctuality, and that attention to small matters which make so great a difference in results.

As an instance of what is required, the bucket ladders of the dredges have a screw adjustment for lengthening them when the links and link pins become worn, whereby the length of the bucket chain is considerably increased and, if not adjusted, the shoot cannot be kept close enough to receive the dredged material as it falls out of the buckets, and a proportion, sometimes considerable, of every bucket full is discharged outside instead of into the shoot.

I am somewhat in doubt as to the proper salary for this appointment, for the Superintendent should have some knowledge of machinery and be competent to detect any imperfections in the engines of the steamers and dredges, and in the machinery generally of the latter.

On the whole however I think that Rupees 75 a month should suffice, and I accordingly beg to recommend that this be sanctioned.

12. The usual establishments will shortly be required for the new surplus weir at Nundamoor.

		RS.
From 1st April 1874.	A Superintendent...	8
	A Lascar	6
	Total...	14

The District Engineer proposed three lascars, but this was probably an over-

ment can easily regulate them. For the Gummumpad lock on the Attili canal—

		RS.
From 1st July 1874.	1 Superintendent	10
	1 Lascar	6
	2 Do. at 5 Rs.	10
	Total...	26

For the Mogultur tidal lock on the Nursapur canal—

1 Superintendent	12
2 Lascars, at 6 Rs.	12
3 Do. at 5 ,, ...	15
Total...	39

13. The District Engineer has in his letter proposed an increase of Rs. 2 to the pay, Rupees 10, of the Superintendent of the head lock and sluice at Bobbalunka, the head of the Central Delta, on the ground that the duties are responsible, and that the Superintendents at the other heads get Rupees 15; the increase is reasonable and may be granted, though it did not appear to me that the present man had been particularly attentive to his work.

No. 2,382, paragraph 3.

14. In his letter, No. 2,383, of the 6th November, Colonel Fischer proposes to transfer certain fourth-class Delta Superintendents to the petty establishment as Maistries, and to use the Rupees 150 thus made available under conservancy for providing three Surveyors. For the latter part of the arrangement, I have suggested means, and while not prepared to recommend that any transfer of members of the conservancy establishment to the petty establishment, irrespective of their qualifications, should be permitted, I am of opinion that the subordinate executive establishment needs strengthening, and that it will be well to sanction the employment, from the Budget provision for petty establishment, of five Maistries for the river works in the delta, being one for the Eastern, three for the Central, and one for the Western Delta, and they would of course be available for employment on other works close at hand, as for instance on the Bank canals; while, as there are very many important masonry works in progress in the Eastern and Western Deltas, and as the great impediment to the progress of improved distribution arrangements, depending mainly on the construction of numerous small sluices, is the want of supervision, it will be of great advantage and, I think, lead to a more rapid extension of irrigation, if three Maistries be sanctioned for general duty in the Eastern, and four for the Western Delta. I consider that for first-class Maistries, of considerable experience on masonry works, a salary of Rupees 30 may be allowed, for the second class Rupees 25, and third class Rs. 20, and I would give two of the first class and five of the second class for general duty on masonry works, and five of the third class for the river works.

15. The usual tabular statement, showing the alterations of conservancy establishments proposed in this note, is enclosed, and I would recommend that the Anicut and Boat Superintendents be sanctioned as early as possible, and the changes in the classification of the Delta Superintendents from the 1st April, for which the necessary provision can be made in the budget estimates now under preparation.

16. I would also recommend that sanction should be given for the immediate employment of the fifteen Maistries, so that full advantage may be taken of the present working season.

BEZWADA, (Signed) J. MULLINS, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
6th December 1873.

Tabular Statement of the Anicut and Conservancy Establishments of the Godavery Delta as existing and as proposed.

No. and Date of Order.	Office to which the Proposition refers.	Nature of Charge.				Proposition.						Grounds of Proposition.	Local Government's recommendation.	Orders of the Government of India.		
		Present Scale.		Proposed Scale.		Permanent.		Temporary.						P. W. Department.	Financial Department.	
						Increase per Month.	Decrease per Month.	Period.	Increase per Month.	Period.	Decrease per Month.			Remarks.	Remarks	Orders.
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G. O., No. 1,549, dated 11th May 1869. ,, No. 1,712, ,, 17th July 1872. ,, No. 2,374, ,, 26th Sep. 1873.		*Anicut Establishment.* 1 Maistry, at Rs. 18 each ... 18 1 Do. at ,, 15 do. ... 15 1 Do. at ,, 12 do. ... 12 25 Lascars, at ,, 6 do. ... 150 15 Do. at ,, 5 do. ... 75 1 Writer, at ,, 15 do. ... 15 1 Gumasta at ,, 15 do. ... 15 1 Shroff, at ,, 10 do. ... 10	310	*Anicut Establishment.* 1 Maistry, at Rs. 18 each ... 18✓ 1 Do. at ,, 15 do. ... 15✓ 1 Do. at ,, 12 do. ... 12✓ 25 Lascars, at ,, 6 do. ... 150✓ 15 Do. at ,, 5 do. ... 75✓ 1 Writer, at ,, 15 do. .. 15✓ 1 Gumasta, at ,, 15 do. ... 15✓ 1 Shroff, at ,, 10 do. ... 10✓ 1 Anicut Supt., at Rs. 120 each 120✓	430	... 120	...	...	...	...	...					
		IRRIGATION ESTABLISHMENT. *No. I or Eastern Delta.* 1 Delta Supt., at Rs. 70 each ... 70 1 Do. at ,, 50 do. ... 50 4 Do. at ,, 40 do. ... 160 2 Do. at ,, 30 do. ... 60 14 Lascars, at ,, 5 do. ... 70 2 Calingulah Lascars, at Rs. 6 each... ... ... 12 1 Do. do. at Rs. 5 each... 5	427	IRRIGATION ESTABLISHMENT. *No. I or Eastern Delta.* 1 1st Class Delta Supt., at Rs. 70 each ... ... 70✓ 4 2nd do. do. at Rs. 55 each ... 220✓ 3 3rd do. do. at ,, 40 do. ... 120✓ 14 Lascars, at ,, 5 do. ... 70✓ 2 Calingulah Lascars, at Rs. 6 each ... ... 12 1 Do. do. at Rs. 5 each... 5	497	... 70	...	...	...	...	...					
		No. II or Central Delta. 2 Delta Supts., at Rs. 70 each ... 140 4 Do. at ,, 40 do. ... 160 11 Lascars, at ,, 5 do. ... 55	355	*No. II or Central Delta.* 2 1st Class Delta Supts., at Rs. 70 each ... ... 140 1 2nd do. do. at Rs. 55 each... 55 2 3rd do. do. at ,, 40 do. ... 80	275	...	... 80	...	...	...	...					
		No. III or Western Delta. 6 Delta Supts., at Rs. 50 each... 300 4 Do. at ,, 40 do. ... 160 3 Do. at ,, 30 do. ... 90 23 Lascars, at ,, 5 do. ... 115 1 Channel Peon, at ,, 6 do. ... 6 2 Do. at ,, 5 do. ... 10 1 Irrigation Writer, at Rs. 15 each... ... ... 15 1 Calingulah Lascar, at Rs. 6 each... ... .. 6 5 Do. do. at Rs. 5 each... 25 727	727	*No. III or Western Delta.* 2 1st Class Delta Supts., at Rs. 70 each ... ... 140✓ 5 2nd do. do. at Rs. 55 each... 275✓ 7 3rd do. do. at ,, 40 do. ... 280✓ 23 Lascars, at ,, 5 do. ... 115✓ 1 Channel Peon, at ,, 6 do. ... 6✓ 2 Do. at ,, 5 do. ... 10✓ 1 Irrigation Writer, at Rs. 15 each... ... 15✓ 1 Calingulah Lascar, at Rs. 6 each... ... ... 6✓ 5 Do. do. at Rs. 5 each ... 25✓ 1 Superintendent, at ,, 8 do. ... 8✓ 1 Lascar, at ,, 6 do. ... 6✓ 886	886	... 159	...	...	...	...	...					
		Ellore High Level Canal. 2 Calingulah Lascars, at Rs. 6 each .. .. 12 7 Do. do. at Rs. 5 each... 35 47	47	*Ellore High Level Canal.* 2 Calingulah Lascars, at Rs. 6 each ... ... 12 7 Do. do. at Rs. 5 each... 35 47	47	...	...	...	...	...	...					
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No. and Date of Order.	Office to which the Proposition refers.	Nature of Charge. Present Scale.		Rs.	Proposed
G. O., No. 1,549, dated 11th May 1869. ,, No. 1,712, ,, 17th July 1872. ,, No. 2,374, ,, 26th Sep. 1873.		Navigation Establishment.		Rs.	Navigation Establish
		No. I or Eastern Delta.			*No. I or Eastern Del*
		2 Lock Supts., at Rs. 15 each ...	30		2 Lock Supts., at Rs. 15 e
		5 Do. at ,, 12 do. ...	60		6 Do. at ,, 12 d
		8 Do. at ,, 10 do. ...	80		7 Do. at ,, 10 d
		4 Do. at ,, 8 do. ...	32		4 Do. at ,, 8 d
		60 Lascars, at ,, 6 do. ...	360		60 Lascars, at ,, 6 d
		22 Do. at ,, 5 do. ...	110		22 Do. at ,, 5 d
					1 Boat Superintendent
			672	672	
		No. II or Gentral Delta.			*No. II or Central Del*
		2 Lock Supts., at Rs. 12 each ...	24		2 Lock Supts., at Rs. 12 e
		3 Do. at ,, 10 do. ...	30		3 Do. at ,, 10 c
		2 Do. at ,, 8 do. ...	16		2 Do. at ,, 8 d
		21 Lascars, at ,, 6 do. ...	126		21 Lascars, at ,, 6 d
		7 Do. at ,, 5 do. ...	35		7 do. at ,, 5 c
			231	231	
		No. III or Western Delta.			*No. III or Western De*
		5 Lock Supts., at Rs. 12 each ...	60		5 Lock Supts., at Rs. 12 ea
		6 Do. at ,, 10 do. ...	60		6 Do. at ,, 10 d
		4 Do. at ,, 8 do. ...	32		4 Do. at ,, 8 d
		41 Lascars, at ,, 6 do. ...	246		41 Lascars, at ,, 6 d
		25 Do. at ,, 5 do. ...	125		25 Do. at ,, 5 d
					1 Lock Supt., at ,, 12 d
					1 Do. at ,, 10 d
					3 Lascars, at ,, 6 d
					5 Do. at ,, 5 d
			523	523	
		No. IV or Ellore Range.			*No. IV or Ellore Ran*
		1 Lock Supt., at Rs. 12 each ...	12		1 Lock Supt., at Rs. 12 eac
		4 Lascars, at ,, 6 do. ...	24		4 Lascars, at ,, 6 do.
		2 Do. at ,, 5 do. ...	10		2 Do. at ,, 5 do.
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G. O., No. 1,701, dated 29th June 1863.		*No. V or Rajahmundry Range.*			*No. V or Rajahmundry R*
		Establishment for distributing water from tanks in the Rajahmundry and Peddapur Taluqs.			Establishment for distrib water in the Rajahmundr Peddapur Taluqs.
		1 Superintendent, at Rs. 20 each.	20		1 Superintendent, at Rs. 20
		3 Do. at ,, 10 do.	30		3 Do. at ,, 10
		3 Lascars, at ,, 5 do.	15		3 Lascars, at ,, 5
		1 Peon, at ,, 5 do.	5		1 Peon, at ,, 5
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G. O., No. 2,433, dated 23rd Sep. 1871		Yelieru river water distributing establishment	24	24	Yelieru river water distrib establishment ...
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Bezwada,
6th December 1873.

ments of the Godavery Delta as existing and as proposed.—(Concluded.)

Proposition. Permanent. Increase per Month.	 Decrease per Month.	 Temporary. Period.	 Increase per Month.	 Period.	 Decrease per Month.	Grounds of Proposition.	Local Government's recommendation.	Orders of the Government of India. P. W. Department. Remarks.	 Financial Department. Remarks	 Orders.
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(Signed) J. MULLINS, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 22nd *April* 1874.

No. 266. ORDER THEREON, 22nd April 1874, No. 1,038.

IRRIGATION, No. 13.

Establishment.

IN the foregoing note the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, after a tour of inspection in the Godavery Delta, and consultation with the District and Executive Engineers, makes the following proposals for strengthening and rendering more efficient the Conservancy Establishments for Irrigation and Navigation.

(1.) The appointment of an Anicut Superintendent on a salary of Rs. 120 a month.

(2.) The appointment of a Boat Superintendent on Rupees 75 a month.

(3.) The re-arrangement of the charges of the Delta Superintendents so as to admit of four out of the twenty-seven being employed on survey duties, when not required to take the places of the incumbents of the permanent charges.

The reasons for these changes are given fully in the Chief Engineer's note, and His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to approve of them, as well as of the details of the arrangements proposed, and a copy of these Proceedings, together with the tabular statement, will be forwarded to the Government of India, with a recommendation that the appointments of Anicut Superintendent and Boat Superintendent may be sanctioned at once, and the changes in the classification of the Delta Superintendents from the 1st April. The additional establishments for the Nundamoor surplus weir and for the Gummumpad and Mogultur locks, which are under construction in the Western Delta from Loan Funds, should be sanctioned from the dates named, or from such dates as the works may be ready to be brought into use.

2. Looking to the importance of the Delta works, and being desirous of affording to the Range Officers such assistance as the means at the disposal of the Government will admit, His Excellency sanctions the immediate entertainment of twelve Maistries, as recommended by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, from the provision for Petty Establishments, viz. :—

	RS.
2 of the First Class, at	30
5 ,, Second ,, at	25
5 ,, Third ,, at	20

3. The District Engineer will be careful in making the appointments to entertain only such men as are fully qualified for the work which they are to do; the name is an index to the qualifications required, and all should be men who have had practical experience of the kind required.

Ordered also that the following letter be sent :—

(Here enter No. 1,039, dated 22nd April 1874.)

(True Extract.)

J. Mullins Lt

(Signed) ~~G. W. WALKER~~, Colonel, R.E.,

Joint *Secretary to Government.*

To the District Engineer, Godavery.
,, Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
,, Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER GODAVERY,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated April 22nd.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 22nd April 1874, No. 1,038.

APRIL.

Nos. 265-266

Establishment.—Passing orders on the proposals of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation for strengthening and rendering efficient the Conservancy Establishments for Irrigation and Navigation in the Godavery Delta.

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FROM THE EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

MADRAS.

TO THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.

MADRAS.

NO. 100. P.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 16TH. JUNE 1877.

SIR,

I HAVE THE HONOR TO FORWARD FOR TRANSMISSION TO GOVERNMENT FOR ORDERS, THE ACCOMPANYING PAPERS CONNECTED WITH AN APPLICATION FOR GRATUITY SUBMITTED BY THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER GODAVERY, ON BEHALF OF TADIMATI VIRAUZ LATE DELTA SUPERINTENDENT ON THE CONSERVANCY ESTABLISHMENT GODAVERY. THE APPLICANT'S SERVICES FROM 19TH. MARCH 1853 TO 29TH. OCTOBER 1859 DO NOT QUALIFY AS THEY WERE RENDERED IN NON-QUALIFYING APPOINTMENT, PARTLY ON A PERMANENT AND PARTLY ON A TEMPORARY ESTABLISHMENT.

2. THE APPLICANT WAS OUT OF EMPLOY FROM 30TH. OCTOBER 1859 TO 7TH. FEBRUARY 1860. FROM 8TH. FEBRUARY 1860 TO 23RD. JULY 1867 THE APPLICANT IS SHEWN, IN THE HISTORY OF SERVICE OF THE APPLICATION, TO HAVE HELD THE APPOINTMENT OF CHANNEL SUPERINTENDENT ON RS. 12 PER MENSEM. OF THIS PERIOD HIS SERVICES ONLY FOR THE PERIODS MARGINALLY NOTED

FROM 1ST. MAY 1860 TO 31ST. OCTOBER 1860. } HAVE BEEN VERIFIED FROM THE

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,, 27TH.NOV.I865 TO 3IST.DEC.I865.
,, IST.OCT.I866 TO 3IST.OCT. I866.
,, IST.APRIL I867 TO 3IST.MAY I867.

} AUDIT REGISTERS OF THIS OFFICE. THE OTHER PERIODS CANNOT BE VERIFIED EITHER FROM THE AUDIT REGISTERS OF THIS OFFICE OR FROM THOSE OF THE DIVISION IN WHICH THE APPLICANT WAS EMPLOYED, OWING PARTLY TO THE NAMES OF INCUMBENTS NOT BEING ENTERED IN THE REGISTERS AND PARTLY TO THE APPLICANT HAVING BEEN EMPLOYED ON WORKS ESTABLISHMENTS AND PAID FROM WORK ESTIMATE. THE APPLICANT IS STATED IN THE APPLICATION FOR PENSION TO HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED ON THE 24TH.JULY I867. ON A REFERENCE FROM THIS OFFICE TO THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER GODAVERY ON THIS POINT THAT OFFICER STATES, IN HIS LETTER NO.83 DATED IOTH.APRIL I877, THAT THE APPLICANT WAS DISMISSED ON THE 24TH.JULY I867, BUT THAT FROM CAPTAIN BECKLEY'S ENDORSEMENT MARKED I, IT WOULD APPEAR THAT THE PUNISHMENT OF DISMISSAL HAD BEEN COMMUTED TO 6 MONTHS' SUSPENSION.

3. IT SEEMS TO ME HOWEVER THAT THE ENDORSEMENT IN QUESTION DISTINCLY INTIMATES THAT THE APPLICANT HAD BEEN DISMISSED, BUT THAT NO OPPOSITION WOULD BE OFFERED TO HIS REEMPLOYMENT AFTER 6 MONTHS FROM DATE OF DISMISSAL. IF THIS VIEW OF THE CASE BE CORRECT THE APPLICANT, ON DISMISSAL ON THE 24TH.JULY I867, FORFEITED HIS PREVIOUS SERVICE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 48 OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE.

4. THE APPLICANT WAS UNEMPLOYED FROM THE 24TH.JULY I867 TO 3IST. JANUARY I868. FROM THE IST.FEBRUARY I868 TO 9TH.DECEMBER I869, AND FROM 5TH.TO 28TH.FEBRUARY I870, HE IS STATED TO HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED ON THE IMPERIAL PETTY ESTABLISHMENT. THE BREAK IN HIS SERVICE FROM IOTH.DECEMBER I869 TO 4TH.FEBRUARY I870 IS STATED BY THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, GODAVERY, IN PARA 5 OF HIS LETTER NO.83 OF THE IOTH.APRIL I877, TO BE DUE TO HIS APPOINTMENT TO THE POST OF DELTA SUPERINTENDENT HAVING BEEN OBJECTED TO BY THE EXAMINER, P.W. ACCOUNTS, AND TO HIS PREVIOUS APPOINTMENT IN THE PETTY ESTABLISHMENT HAVING MEANWHILE, BEING PERMANENTLY FILLED UP.

5. THE APPLICANT'S SERVICE ON THE PETTY ESTABLISHMENT CANNOT BE VERIFIED FROM THE REGISTERS OF THIS OFFICE OR FROM THOSE OF THE DIVISION, EVEN IF VERIFIED, THEY COULD NOT UNDER G.O. NO.I403 DATED 5TH.JUNE I876, BE ACCEPTED TO COUNT FOR GRATUITY.

6. THE QUESTION AS TO WHETHER THE MEMBERS OF THE PETTY ESTABLISHMENT CAN BE REGARDED AS ELIGIBLE TO PENSION UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE, IS STILL UNDER THE CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNMENT AND NO FINAL ORDERS HAVE UP TO DATE BEEN PASSED ON THE SUBJECT.

7. UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES AS ABOVE DETAILED, THE APPLICANT'S SERVICE PRIOR TO IST.MARCH I870 ARE CONSIDERED AS NOT COUNTING FOR GRATUITY.

8. THE APPLICANT'S SERVICES FROM IST.MARCH I870 TO I2TH.OCTOBER I874 AMOUNTING TO 4 YEARS 7 MONTHS AND I2 DAYS HAVE BEEN DULY VERIFIED FROM THE AUDIT REGISTERS OF THIS OFFICE. ON THE I2TH.OCTOBER I874 HIS APPOINTMENT WAS ABOLISHED IN THE REVISION OF THE CONSERVANCY ESTABLISHMENT, VIDE G.O. NO.I038 DATED 22ND.APRIL I874 AND DOCUMENT MARKED G.I.

9. ON THE ABOLITION OF HIS APPOINTMENT OF DELTA SUPERINTENDENT ON RS. [illegible] PER MENSEM HE APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN OFFERED AN APPOINTMENT OF LOCK SUPERINTENDENT ON RS.I2 WITH REFERENCE TO THE ARRANGEMENT RECOMMENDED IN PARA IO OF THE NOTE BY THE CHIEF ENGINEER FOR IRRIGATION PRINTED WITH G.O. NO.IO38 OF THE 22ND.APRIL I874. THE OFFER WAS HOWEVER REFUSED AND IT RESTS WITH GOVERNMENT TO DETERMINE WHETHER, WITH REFERENCE TO SECTION 50 RULE 3 OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE, SUCH REFUSAL CAN BE ACCEPTED. IF IT MAY, THE APPLICANT MAY BE CONSIDERED AS ELIGIBLE TO A COMPENSATION FOR GRATUITY NOT EXCEEDING RS.I20 EQUAL TO 4 MONTHS' PAY UNDER SECTION 59 (A) OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE.

IO. THE FOLLOWING PAPERS CONNECTED WITH VIRAUZ'S CASE ARE HEREWITH FORWARDED.

✓ I.APPLICATION FOR GRATUITY.

✓ I.SERVICE BOOK.

✓ I.AFFIDAVIT WITH ENGLISH TRANSLATION.

✓ I.STATEMENT OF SERVICE WITH ENGLISH TRANSLATION.

✓ 2.STATEMENTS OF CONTEMPORARY SERVANTS.

✓ II.ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS WITH ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS FOR IO OF THEM.

✓ I.COPY OF G.O. NO.IO38 DATED 22ND.APRIL I874.

✗ I.ORIGINAL LETTER FROM THE DISTRICT ENGINEER, GODAVERY NO.3058 DATED I7TH.JANUARY I876.

✓ I.COPY OF MEMO TO THE DISTRICT ENGINEER, GODAVERY NO.I69 G.D. DATED I6TH.FEBRUARY I876.

✗ I.REPLY FROM THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER, CENTRAL DELTA DIVISION DATED I6TH.JUNE I876.

✓ I.COPY OF MEMO NO.I96 G.D. DATED IITH.NOVEMBER I876.

✗ I.ORIGINAL LETTER FROM THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, GODAVERY NO.I677 DATED I4TH.SEPTEMBER I876.

✗ I.ORIGINAL LETTER FROM DO NO.83 DATED IOTH.APRIL I877.

The Examiner's report is countersigned with the remark that, under Section 50. Rule 5. of the Civil Pension Code, a Compensation Gratuity does not appear admissible as it is gathered from G.O. 1038 dated April 22d. 1874 that, so far from any real saving resulting, as required by that rule, from the revision of the establishment by which the applicant was thrown out of employ, there was actually an increase in the cost of the establishment so revised.

It is further remarked that the refusal by the applicant of the appointment of Lock Superintendent offered to him on the abolition of his own appointment (noticed in para 9 of the Examiner's letter No. 100 P. dated June 16th. 1877) can scarcely vitiate a claim for Compensation pension or Gratuity, inasmuch as Section 50. Rule 3 of the Civil Pension Code presupposes the possession of a compensation pension granted on the abolition of his appointment by the Officer refusing proffered re-employment; nor can Rule 4 of the same Section which prohibits an Officer entitled to a compensation pension on the abolition of his own appointment from refusing a transfer to another Appointment, under proper authority be held to apply to the case of the present applicant who was not transferred on the abolition of his own to any other appointment.

Tadimate Viranty was on the 12th October 1874 at the age of 54 years and 4 months removed from the service on the reorganization of the Godaveri Conservancy Establishment and as it appears from the certificate appended by the Superintending Engineer Godaveri that his removal practically resulted from an order issued by the Government throwing out of employ all such of that establishment as were not fully qualified according to the standard specified by the Chief Engineer, no pension or gratuity can be admitted to him under Section 48 of the Civil Pension Code without the orders of the Government of India.

Fort Saint George
Acct. Genl's Office
20 August 1877

Offg. Assn. Acct. General

To
No 593
The Under Secretary
to Government
Pension Department
Fort Saint George

In No 5599/77
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No. 3058

GODAVERY DISTRICT.

District ENGINEER'S OFFICE
CAMP Dowlaishweram. 17 Jany 1876.
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FROM,
THE District ENGINEER,
GODAVERY DISTRICT.

TO
The Controller of P.W. Accounts
Madras.

Sir,

ENCLO. 2
1 Application in Duplicate
1 Service Book
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I have the honor to forward herewith an Application for gratuity on behalf of the late Delta Superintendent, T. Veerazu together with his Service Book, and to request you will be so good as to recommend him to Government in the usual course for gratuity through the Accountant General Madras.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servant
Capt. R.E.
Executive Engineer
for District Engineer Godavery Dist.
absent on tour

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I HAVE, ETC. ETC.

L Conway-Gordon

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

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ENCLO. 24.

EXD. J. P.
I4-6-77.

CD. S. B.
I6-6-77.

ENCLO. NO. I.

COPY OF A LETTER FROM THE EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS, TO THE DISTRICT ENGINEER, GODAVERY. NO. I69 G.D. DATED I6TH. FEBRUARY I876.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THE HONOR TO RETURN THE ENCLOSED PAPERS CONNECTED WITH THE APPLICATION SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF TADAMATI VIRAUZ LATE DELTA SUPERINTENDENT, 4TH. GRADE GODAVERY, AND TO REQUEST THAT THE DISTRICT ENGINEER WILL BE GOOD ENOUGH TO FURNISH INFORMATION ON THE FOLLOWING POINTS.

2. WHETHER THE APPLICANT'S SERVICES DETAILED IN THE HISTORY OF SERVICE OF THE APPLICATION HAVE BEEN VERIFIED FROM PAY ABSTRACTS OR ACQUITTANCE ROLLS. THE APPLICANT'S SERVICES HAVE BEEN VERIFIED FROM THE AUDIT REGISTERS AVAILED ON RECORD IN THIS OFFICE FOR THE PERIODS SHEWN IN THE ACCOMPANYING STATEMENT. IT WILL BE SEEN THAT IN THE CASE MARGINALLY NOTED

AS PER APPLICATION.

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D. P. W. CONSERVCY.	DELTA SUPTT.	RS. 20.	I2TH. MAR. I870.	4. OCT. I872.

AS PER REGISTERS OF THIS OFFICE.

D.P.W. DELTA, RS.20 IST.MAR.I870 4.OCT.I872. } THE DATE OF BEGINNING
CONSERVCY.SUPTT.

OF THE APPLICANT'S SERVICES DOES NOT CORRESPOND WITH THAT ENTERED IN THE HISTORY OF SERVICE, AND THAT DURING THE UNDERMENTIONED PERIODS THE APPLICANT'S SERVICES CANNOT BE VERIFIED OWING TO THE ABSENCE OF CERTAIN PARTICULARS IN THE AUDIT REGISTERS.

FROM 8TH.FEBRUARY I860 TO 30TH.APRIL I860.
,, IST.NOVEMBER I860 TO 3IST.OCTOBER I86I.
,, 6TH.MARCH I862 TO 3IST.JULY I863.
,, IST.NOVEMBER I863 TO 3IST.MARCH I865.
,, IST.JUNE I865 TO 30TH.JUNE I865.
,, I4TH.SEPTEMBER I865 TO 26TH.NOVEMBER I865.
,, IST.JANUARY I866 TO 30TH.SEPTEMBER I866.
,, IST.NOVEMBER I866 TO 3IST.MARCH I867.
,, IST.JUNE I867 TO 23RD.JULY I867.
,, IST.FEBRUARY I868 TO 9TH.DECEMBER I869.
,, 5TH.FEBRUARY I870 TO 28TH.FEBRUARY I870.

3. REFERENCE SHOULD BE MADE TO OFFICE COPIES OF PAY ABSTRACTS AND ACQUITTANCE ROLLS FOR INFORMATION REGARDING THESE PERIODS AS WELL AS THOSE CONCERNING WHICH NO INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE ON THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE; AND IN THE EVENT OF ITS BEING FOUND IMPOSSIBLE TO VERIFY THE APPLICANT'S SERVICES FROM THE RECORDS AN AFFIDAVIT SHOULD BE TAKEN FROM THE APPLICANT AND SUCH COLLATERAL EVIDENCE COLLECTED AS IS REQUIRED UNDER RULE 4, SECTION 7I OF THE CIVIL PENSION CODE FOR THE APPLICANT'S CONTINUOUS EMPLOYMENT IN THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE.

4. IT SHOULD BE CLEARLY EXPLAINED UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES THE APPLICANT'S APPOINTMENT OF CHANNEL SUPERINTENDENT WAS VACANT FROM:-

IST.NOVEMBER I860 TO 30TH.NOVEMBER I860.
IST. DO I863 TO 3IST.MARCH I864.
I7 DAYS IN MAY I865.
IST.JUNE I865 TO 30TH.JUNE I865.
I865 TO 26TH.NOVEMBER I865
IST.MARCH I866 TO 30TH.JUNE I866.
IST.MARCH I867 TO 3IST.MARCH I867.

AND WHY PERSONS OTHER THAN THE APPLICANT ACTED IN HIS APPOINTMENT FROM:-

IST.DECEMBER I860 TO 3IST.OCTOBER I86I.
6TH.MARCH I862 TO 3IST.JULY I863.
IST.JULY I866 TO 30TH.SEPTEMBER I866.
IST.JUNE I867 TO 23RD.JULY I867.

5. THE SOURCE FROM WHICH THE APPLICANT WAS PAID FOR THE SEVERAL PERIODS DURING WHICH HE APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED ON OTHER DUTY AND THE REASON AS WELL AS THE CONDITIONS OF HIS TRANSFER FROM HIS PERMANENT APPOINTMENT SHOULD BE EXPLAINED.

6. THE CAUSE OF THE APPLICANT'S SUSPENSION ON THE 24TH.JULY I867, HIS TRANSFER FROM THE CONSERVANCY TO THE IMPERIAL PETTY ESTABLISHMENT IN FEBRUARY I868 AND OF THE BREAK FROM IOTH.DECEMBER I869 TO 4TH.FEBRUARY I870 SHOULD BE CLEARLY STATED.

7. THE APPLICATION SHOULD BE PREPARED AND SUBMITTED IN THE PRESCRIBED PRINTED FORM OF WHICH TWO COPIES ARE HEREWITH SENT FOR THE PURPOSE.

8. THE NAME OF DIVISION AND DISTRICT IN WHICH THE APPLICANT WAS EMPLOYED SHOULD BE ENTERED IN THE IST.COLUMN OF THE HISTORY OF SERVICE.

9. WITH REFERENCE TO THE REMARKS IN THE 3RD.PAGE OF THE APPLICATION INFORMATION IS REQUESTED AS TO WHETHER THE APPLICANT'S INCOMPETENCY IS ANY WAY DUE TO OLD AGE AND INFIRMITY.

IO.   THE CAUSE OF THE DELAY ONE YEAR AND TWO MONTHS IN THE SUBMISSION OF THE APPLICATION AFTER THE APPLICANT'S CONNECTION WITH THE DEPARTMENT CEASED, SHOULD BE EXPLAINED.

ENCLO.NO.2.

COPY OF A LETTER FROM THE EXAMINER, P.W.ACCOUNTS TO THE DISTRICT ENGINEER GODAVERY.NO.I96 G.D. DATED IITH.NOVEMBER I876.

IN RETURNING THE PAPERS CONNECTED WITH THE PENSION APPLICATION SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF T.VIRAUZ, LATE DELTA SUPERINTENDENT THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THE HONOR TO REQUEST THAT THE DISTRICT ENGINEER WILL BE GOOD ENOUGH TO FURNISH INFORMATION ON THE FOLLOWING POINTS.

I.   WHETHER THE APPLICANT WAS DISMISSED THE SERVICE ON THE 24TH.JULY I867, OR ONLY SUSPENDED. IT IS OBSERVED FROM THE ENDORSEMENT OF CAPTAIN BECKLEY, R.E. ON THE APPLICANT'S PETITION OF THE 23RD.OCTOBER I867 HEREWITH RETURNED, THAT THE APPLICANT WAS DISMISSED.

II.   IN THE PENSION APPLICATION AND SERVICE BOOK HOWEVER, THE APPLICANT IS SHEWN TO HAVE BEEN PLACED UNDER SUSPENSION ON THE 24TH.JULY I867. THE CAUSE OF THIS DIFFERENCE SHOULD BE EXPLAINED AND THE COPIES OF ORDERS FOR SUSPENSION OR DISMISSAL WITH THE ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS IF THEY ARE IN VERNACULAR SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO THIS OFFICE FOR REFERENCE.

3.   WHETHER THE APPLICANT DREW FULL PAY DURING THE ENTIRE PERIOD HE WAS PAID OUT OF ESTIMATES, AND IF NOT THE CAUSE OF THE OMISSION.

IV.   IT IS OBSERVED FROM THE CENTRAL DELTA DIVISIONAL OFFICER'S REPLY THAT THE APPLICANT WAS PROMOTED TO THE PETTY ESTABLISHMENT ON RS.20 FROM CONSERVANCY ON RS.I2'. THE ENTRIES IN THE 2ND.PAGE OF THE APPLICATION, HOWEVER SHEW THAT THE APPLICANT HELD THE MAISTRY'S APPOINTMENT ON RS.I5 ON THE PATTY ESTABLISHMENT WHEN HE WAS PROMOTED TO RS.20 ON THE SAME ESTABLISHMENT. INFORMATION SHOULD BE FURNISHED AS TO THE ACTUAL DATE ON WHICH THE APPLICANT WAS PROMOTED AND WHETHER HE WAS TRANSFERRED AT HIS OWN REQUEST FROM THE CONSERVANCY TO THE PETTY ESTABLISHMENT.

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V.   THE CAUSE OF THE BREAK IN THE APPLICANT'S SERVICE FROM IOTH.DECEMBER I869 TO 4TH.FEBRUARY I870 IS STATED BY THE CENTRAL DELTA DIVISIONAL OFFICER TO BE THE APPLICANT'S APPOINTMENT TO THE DELTA SUPERINTENDENT'S PLACE HAVING BEEN OBJECTED TO IN CERTAIN CORRESPONDENCE. EXPLANATION SHOULD BE FURNISHED AS TO WHY THE APPLICANT WAS NOT ALLOWED TO CONTINUE IN THE APPOINTMENT OF SUPERINTENDENT ON THE PETTY ESTABLISHMENT WHICH HE HELD UP TO THE 9TH. DECEMBER I869.

VI.   THE ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF THE STATEMENTS GIVEN BY THE APPLICANT'S CONTEMPORARY SERVANTS RECORDED IN TELUGU IN THE STATEMENT MARKED I. HEREWITH ENCLOSED SHOULD BE FURNISHED.

VII.   THE FOLLOWING PAPERS ARE HEREWITH RETURNED.

I.SERVICE BOOK.

I.PENSION APPLICATION.

I.CENTRAL DELTA DIVISIONal offr's REPLY DATED I6TH. JUNE I876.

II.ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS WITH ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS FOR IO OF THEM.

I.AFFIDAVIT WITH ENGLISH TRANSLATION.

I.STATEMENT OF SERVICES WITH ENGLISH TRANSLATION.

I.STATEMENT OF CONTEMPORARY SERVANTS MARKED I.

(TRUE COPIES).

Maddox

CHIEF ASST.TO EXAMINER,P.W.ACCOUNTS.

Despd 20 June /77

O.W. No 584 of 77.

C. No 584

Le No 559/1/75

APPLICATION FOR {PENSION GRATUITY.

1. Name of Applicant. Tadimaty Viranz.

2. Father's name. Tadimaty Kylasarayudu

3. Sect or Caste. Bramin, Siva

4. Residence Vellore at present Dowlaishwaram

5. Present or last employment. Delta Superintendent 4th Grade

6. Date of beginning service. 19th March 1853.

7. Date of end of service. 12th October 1874.

		Y.	M.	D.
8. Length of service including breaks	... ...	21	6	29
of which superior	... ...	14	–	6
inferior	... ...	–	–	–
non-qualifying and breaks...	... ...	7	6	24

9. Class of {pension gratuity} applied for, and cause of application* ... Under Chapter XII Section 56 a. Lost the post on abolition of the grade

10. [Average] emoluments or pay. Rs 30 at the time of abolition

11. Proposed pension. Nil

12. Proposed gratuity. For 12 months

13. Date from which to commence. Nil

14. Place of payment. Dowlaishwaram

15. Date of Applicant's birth by Christian era. § July 1820

16. Height. 5' — 8"

17. Marks. A Scar below the joint of left arm. a mole on the right side of breast.

18. Date. 11th December 1875.

W. H. Ellis

Signature of the Head of Office.

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* 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.

§ (If not known exactly, must be stated on the best information or estimate.)

HISTORY OF THE SERVICE (SHOWING BREAKS) OF Tadinati Viranz

Establishment.	Appointment.	Pay. RS.	Pay. A.	Pay. P.	Acting allowance. RS.	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 ~~Accountant General~~ Exr P.W. Accts
Revenue Depts	Gomasta	10	"	"	"	19th March 1853	14th May 1853	"	"	"	"	1	26	non Qualifying	Verified with the orders held by applicant	Vide accompanying letter No. 100 dated 16 June 77.
P.W. Department	Do	10	.	"	"	15th May 1853	29th October/59	"	.	.	6	5	15			
Break	Abolished	"	"	.	"	30th October/59	7th Febry 1860	"	"	.	"	3	9			
Conservancy	Channel Supdt	12	"	.	"	8th Febry 1860	23rd July 1867	✕ 7	5	16	7	5	16	Qualifying		
Break	Suspension	"	.	.	"	24th July 1867	31st Jany 1868	"	"	"	"	6	8	non Qualifying		
Petty Estt Imperial	Maistry	15	"	.	"	1st Febry/68	30th June/68	:	5	:	"	5	"	Qualifying See		
Do	Superintendent	20	"	.	"	1st July 1868	9th Decr/69	1	5	9	1	5	9	chapter V Section 18		
Break	"	"	"	"	.	10th Decr/69	4th Feby 1870	"	"	"	"	1	26	non Qualifying		
Petty Estt Imperial	Superintendent	20	"	"	"	5th Feby 1870	12th March 1870	"	1	8	"	"	"	See chapter		
Conservancy	Delta Do 4th Grade	30	"	"	"	1st March/70	4th Octr/72	2	6	23	"	"	.			
Do	Do 3rd Do	40	"	.	"	5th Octr/72	23rd Decr/73	1	2	19	"	"	"	V Section 18		
Do	Do 4th Do	30	.	.	"	24th Decr/73	12th Octr/74	"	9	20	.	"	.	Qualifying		
Total period of {superior / inferior} service...							....	14	"	5	7	6	24			

✕ During this time Rs 8 additional pay was given from Estimates for about 3 years from 26 May 1862 to 24 August 1864.

Fort Saint George }
20 June 1877. }

A. Long Gordon
Examiner P.W.

Pension 1877 Depts
No. 55 G

Application for {Pension or Gratuity—

Date of application. 12th August 1875

Name of Applicant. Tadineti Veranz

Last Appointment. Delta Superintendent 4th Grade

Class of {pension or gratuity

Amount of pension sanctioned. None

Amount of gratuity sanctioned.

Date of commencement.

Date of sanction.

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HISTORY OF THE SERVICE (SHOWING BREAKS) OF Sadinati Viraux

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REMARKS BY HEAD OF OFFICE.

1. As to character and past conduct. Good Charactor and Conduct worked very badly being incompetent generally

2. Explanation of any suspension or degradation. Degraded from 3d to 4th class Delta Superintendent for incompetence and general bad work

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

4. Explanation under Section 47, Rule 1, so far as the Head of the Office can give it. Lock Superintendent on 12 Rs per Month was offered to this man and refused by him.

5. Any other remarks. He is old and shaky, but although still capable of doing some kind of work, in a lower appointment which does not require out-door supervision & travelling the offer of a Lock Superintendant's post is as much as he is worth.

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Examiner of P.W. Accounts. SIGNATURE.

CERTIFICATE AND REPORT OF ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

CERTIFIED that (subject to the remarks below recorded) qualifying service in {inferior / superior} grades has been duly proved for years months days; and that a {pension / gratuity} not exceeding Rs. , is admissible under Section of the Civil Pension Code. The calculations have been duly verified.

Vide accompanying letter No 100 dated 16th June 77.

Fort Saint George
20th June 1877.

L. Conway Gordon

Examiner of P.W. Accounts
~~Accountant General.~~

MB
19.6.77

On the reorganization of the conservancy Establishment, in 1874, it was ordered that all members of that Establishment who were not fully qualified according to the standard specified by the Chief Engineer must go out of employment, whether other duty of a suitable kind could be found for them or not. Viraux being old and unfit for his post was thus thrown out of employ and another man appointed - Consequently the saving to Government cannot be estimated.

L. Beatty. Major R.E.

Offg. Superintending Engineer, Godavery

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Memo for Orders

The District Engineer Goo
very applies for the grant of a com-
pensation pension to one Tadimat
Viranz.

Several questions arise in this case

(1) On the 24th July 67 T. Veem
was dismissed (apparently by Captain
Beckley R. E.) for carelessness where
by an accident occurred and sever
lives were lost." Captain Beckley
however said he would offer
no opposition to the man's re-
employment after six months' in-
terval and as Tadmati Viranz
was again entertained in the
Public Works Department on the
1st February 68 the Officer who
submitted the application treated
him as under suspension during
the six months and 8 days he
Remained

remained without employment.

By the ruling of the Government of India marginally noted "dismissal followed by re-appointment within a brief period is equivalent to suspension." If the present applicant is treated as having been under suspension his previous service amounting to 7 years 5 months and 16 days can count for pension, but he loses this period if he is held to have been dismissed.

See in G. O 22d November 1873
No 587

Orders are requested.

Submitted that it may be treated as suspension.

(2) Tadimati Viranz was on reentertainment employed on the Imperial Petty establishment first as a Maistry (Rs 15) and subsequently as a Superintendent (Rs 20). His total service on this establishment amounting to one year - 10 months and 9 days is disallowed by the Account Departments who refer to G. O dated 5th June 1876 No 1403 as their authority. This G. O Public Works Department states that no change in existing rules is desired and as from the previous correspondence in G. O (P. W. D) dated 14th January 1876 No 70 it appears that these establishments have in Madras always been treated as temporary, it would seem that this service must be disallowed. However if the Government should be pleased to consider the applicant as having been under Suspension during the period he was out of Employ, his service on the temporary establishment might possibly be allowed to count, as within the Section quoted in the margin.

(Section 20)

"If an officer on a permanent establishment is detached on temporary duty on the understanding that when the temporary duty ceases, he will return to the permanent establishment, he continues to count service as if he had remained on the permanent establishment."

(3) For the last 4 years, 7 months and 12 days of his service Tadimati Viranz was a Delta Superintendent of the 4th Grade on the permanent Establishment. This period reckons as service for pension but unfortunately he is not, as pointed out by the Accountant General, strictly entitled to the Compensation allowance claimed for him.

This class of retiring allowance can not be granted to an officer who is discharged to make room for another better qualified; but this is what did happen to this man. His grade of 4th Class Delta Superintendents was abolished but the numbers of the Superintendents were not reduced and they were better paid.

Section 50 clause (5) down to "of the appointment"

"The discharge of one officer to make room for another better qualified is not the abolition of an appointment within the meaning of this section; the abolition must produce a real saving to Government in respect of the cost of the appointment –"

Tadimati Veranz was evidently got rid of as not equal to the work thereafter to be demanded from Delta superintendents.

(4) Lastly it is to be noted that Tadimati Veranz was offered the appointment of Lock Superintendent on Rs 12 per mensem and refused it.

See Para 10 of Note in (P.W.A.G. a 22d April 1874 No 1038 –

As his appointment had not strictly speaking been abolished the Rule given in the margin does not in the opinion of the Accountant General hold good in his case.

(Section 50, clause 4 of the Civil Pension Code)

Rule 3 applies also to the case of an officer entitled to compensation pension who upon the abolition of his own appointment is transferred to another appointment under proper authority. To such an officer a compensation pension may be simultaneously awarded, subject always to the limitation prescribed by section 97 –

It is however submitted that in the face of this refusal, there is but a poor case on which to apply to the Government of India for any indulgence to the applicant and yet without such application no retiring allowance can be granted to him. –

I wd. give the gratuity as the Examr. suggests. The case is I think a very hard one in some respects.

S.H.

Yes cannot do more

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Cos 12/11/77

Pension DEPARTMENT.

No. 584.

To

The Secretary to the Government of India,

DEPARTMENT.

Sir,

I am directed to forward for the consideration of the Governor General in Council the accompanying application for the grant of a compensation gratuity to Tadimate Viranz lately a Delta Superintendent in the Godavery District.

2 The applicant's total length of service including breaks amounts to 21 years, 6 months and 25 days, but of this only the last 4 years 7 months and 12 days can strictly speaking be reckoned as service on the superior scale, and as it appears that his removal from his post as Delta Superintendent did not result in any saving, his claim to a compensation allowance is disputed.

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3. Tadimati Viranz belonged to the 4th Grade of Delta Superintendents, but in 1874 this Government in the Public Works Department resolved to abolish this grade and to have only three grades. The total number of Superintendents was not to be reduced and they were to be better paid, and as these measures were adopted with a view to securing men of good attainments, it was ordered that none of the existing 4th Grade Superintendents were to be promoted unless fully qualified.

4 Tadimati Viranz was, it would seem, considered ~~to be~~ unequal to the work thereafter to be required from Delta Superintendents and was accordingly not promoted. He thus lost his appointment and it is reported that he is not now fit to hold any but a subordinate post. He has been offered a place on Rs 12 per mensem but has refused to accept it.

5 The Governor in Council is of opinion that the case is in some respects a hard one for besides the loss of his appointment the applicant, who was upwards of 54 years of age, at the time of his removal from the service, is also unable to count 7 years, 5 months and 16 days of his service through an order of dismissal which by his reentertainment in the Department after an interval of six months was virtually commuted to suspension.

6. I am therefore to request that Tadimati Viranz may be granted the compensation gratuity of Rs 120 to which he would unquestionably be entitled if a saving had been effected by the abolition of the grade to which he belonged.

Fort Saint George }
24th October 1877 }
Despd 6/11/77

Pens 1877 DEPARTMENT.

F. No 81 of 77

No. 584.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of
P. Works Department.

Dated 25 October 1877.

Recommending the grant of a Compensation gratuity of Rs 150 to Sadmati Virany lately a Welts Superintendent in the Godavery District for reasons stated.