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PENSION DEPARTMENT.

Gratuity.

No. 149.

FROM

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

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for the favorable consideration of the Governor-General in Council, the accompanying application for the grant of an invalid gratuity to Cunnoosawmy, lately a first-class Constable in the Tanjore Police, who was removed from the service in June 1875 on the score of insanity, which was duly testified to by the District Medical Officer who had had him under observation and treatment.

2. In April 1877 the applicant was re-enlisted by the District Superintendent as the Medical Officers were of opinion that he had regained his health, but was again removed by order of the Inspector-General, who considered his re-employment as a Police Officer to be undesirable.

3. In this view of the case His Grace the Governor in Council fully concurs and would recommend the applicant being granted a gratuity of Rupees 56 as he has served seven years, two months, and eleven days and borne a good character.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

FORT ST. GEORGE,
2nd May 1878.

Secretary to Government.

Proceedings of Government, Pension Department.

Read the following paper:—

From Colonel C. S. HEARN, Inspector-General of Police, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Accountant-General), dated Madras, 22nd February 1878, No. 795.

The case of one Cunnoosawmy, a first-class Constable of the Tanjore District Police, was referred to me in December 1875 by the Superintendent of Police for orders as to his retention in the service or discharge with stoppage of pay from the date of receipt of report of the Medical Officer by him regarding Cunnoosawmy's

state of insanity. The Superintendent was ordered to discharge the man at once, and a roll for gratuity, to which he was reported to be entitled, was required to be forwarded for submission to Government according to the provisions of G.O., No. 2025, dated 16th September 1875, Judicial Department, with a medical certificate of his incapacity for further service in the prescribed form. A roll for gratuity was received in this office (after several calls) in December 1876 without the requisite medical certificate; the explanation of delay given was the non-appearance of the man for some months together. It was returned to be submitted with the medical certificate and was never received back. On calling for it again, the Superintendent of Police replied that he re-enlisted the man on 23rd April 1877 on the recommendation of the Deputy Surgeon-General of the Southern Range without my sanction, which was necessary. When this information was ascertained, orders were again sent for the man's discharge. It is evident from the certificate of the Zillah Surgeon that Cunnoosawmy's mind was not to be entirely trusted, and, as a mad Policeman might before discovery do an infinite amount of mischief, he was struck off on the 19th October last, and the gratuity roll was ordered to be forwarded again. The Superintendent of Police has submitted a true copy of it, the original having been mislaid in his office.

2. The original report of the Constable's insanity by the medical officer and the Deputy Surgeon-General's endorsement as to fitness for service of the Constable are herewith forwarded for information.

3. As the Constable is entitled to a gratuity of Rupees 56 for his first service of seven years, two months, and eleven days, I request sanction for the same. He is stated to have borne a good character.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

No. 18.

A.

I, the undersigned, James MacDonald Houston, M.D., Zillah Surgeon of Tanjore, hereby certify that I on 25th June 1875, at the Raj Hospital, Tanjore, personally examined first-class Police Constable Cunnoosawmy, No. 845, and that the said Cunnoosawmy is a lunatic and a proper person to be taken charge of and detained under care and treatment, and that I have formed this opinion on the following grounds, namely:—

1st, *Facts indicating insanity observed by myself.*—I have heard him bawling out and singing at all or nearly all my visits to the Hospital since the 22nd instant, on which date he talked incoherently about riding on horseback through the streets, &c. This morning he is not violent, but he is incoherent on the subject of promotion, and his manner is excited and peculiar.

2nd.—*Other facts indicating insanity communicated to me by others.*—Police Constable Panchanatham No. 617 has been in charge of Cunnoosawmy since the 20th instant and has seen him dirty the cell, rub excrement over his body, and throw it at the Police. He has also seen him break the bars of the window, throw his chatties into the well, and talk incoherently and abusively.

Karcoopayee, mother of Cunnoosawmy, says he had symptoms of the same sort at his house. The attack, she says, began a month ago. She says he is violent for a day and quiet for two or three days. She has seen him throw excrement about and rub his body with it here, but not at home. She has heard him abuse people freely and complain of the presence and conduct of people who were not near him. She thinks Cunnoosawmy's symptoms have been aggravated by his detention here.

TANJORE,
27th June 1875.

(Signed) J. HOUSTON, Surgeon-Major,
Zillah Surgeon.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

No. 19.

B.

Name of patient	Police Constable Cunnoosawmy.
Sex and age	Male; twenty-five years.
Married, single, or widowed; condition of life and previous occupation.	Widower; Policeman for seven years; previously cooly.

The religious persuasion as far as known	..	Sivite.
Previous place of abode	..	Karuntatangoody.
Whether first attack	..	First attack.
Age on first attack	..	Twenty-five years.
When and where previously under care and treatment.	..	Not treated till he came to hospital.
Duration of existing attack	..	One month.
Supposed cause	..	Domestic differences about a woman kept by him.
Whether subject to epilepsy	..	Not known to be subject to epilepsy.
Whether suicidal	..	Not known to be suicidal.
Whether dangerous to others	..	Is violent and beats people. Is, therefore, during the paroxysm of excitement dangerous to others.
Whether found lunatic by inquisition or inquiry under order of Court and date of commission or order for inquisition or inquiry.	..	No.
Whether any member of patient's family has been or is affected with insanity.	..	No member of his family is known to be or to have been insane.

TANJORE,
27th June 1875.

(Signed) J. HOUSTON, Surgeon-Major,
Zillah Surgeon.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

No. 20.

C.

Disease	..	Mania.
Name	..	Cunnoosawmy.
Age	..	25 years.
Sex	..	Male.
By whom sent	..	Superintendent of Police, Tanjore.
Date of admission	..	18th June 1875.
Temperament	..	Nervous; sanguine.
Married or single	..	Widower.
Number of children	..	No children.
Occupation	..	Police Constable.
Where born and residence	..	Karuntatangoody, Tanjore.
Religion	..	Sivite.
Whether first attack and duration of present attack	..	First attack; one month.
Cause—moral or physical	..	Doubtful.

Has been treated here with fifteen-grain doses of chloral twice a day. This has not benefited him to any appreciable extent, and in point of fact he often spits his medicine out unswallowed. His general health seems to be quite good.

TANJORE,
27th June 1875.

(Signed) J. HOUSTON, Surgeon-Major,
Zillah Surgeon.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.

From Cunnoosawmy Pillay, late First-Class Constable No. 845, Tanjore District, to the Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, Southern Division, dated Trichinopoly, 8th April 1878.

I, Cunnoosawmy Pillay, late first-class Police Constable, No. 845, of the Tanjore District, beg most respectfully to bring to your honor's kind notice that I am the person whom your honor directed in September last to be placed under observation for six months and then to be certified as to the state of my mind. Accordingly Dr. O'Hara, after six months' observation, reported me quite sane and recommended to the Superintendent of Police my re-entertainment. This recommendation was not entertained by the Superintendent of Police, who still seems to think that the previous certificate of Dr. Houston certifying that I was of unsound mind is to be held good. I, therefore, most earnestly beg your honor to have compassion on my poor case and grant me a certificate or recommend me to the Superintendent of Police for my restoration.

2. I beg further to bring to your honor's gracious notice that I am now only twenty-seven years of age, and it is my faithful desire to serve Her Majesty's Government until I am disabled by infirmity or old age, and I therefore beg your honor's kind recommendation towards advancing my prospects and prosperity.

For which act of generosity and compassion I will ever pray for your honor's long life and good health.

No. 886.

As this Constable has regained health, and the Zillah Surgeon, Tanjore, having pronounced him fit for duty, the undersigned recommends his re-entertainment, as Section 98, page 53, of the Civil Pension Code, 3rd Edition, appears applicable to him.

TRICHINOPOLY,
9th April 1877.

(Signed) J. WILSON,
*Deputy Surgeon-General, In. Medl. Dept.,
Southern Division, Malabar and Canara,*

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

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PENSION DEPARTMENT.

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

Dated 2nd May 1878.

Issued

Recd.

No. 149.

Enclosure.

Gratuity.—Submitting, for favorable consideration, the case of Cunnoosawmy, late first-class Constable of Tanjore Police Force, and recommending as a special case the grant to him of an invalid gratuity of Rupees 50.

To The Deputy Surgeon General
Indian Medical Department
Southern District
Trichinopoly

Most Honored Sir,
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my restoration. —
I beg further to bring to your
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now only of 27 years of age and
it is my faithful desire to serve
Her Majesty's Government
until I am disabled by infirmity
or old age & I therefore beg your
honor's kind recommendation
towards advancing my prospects
and prosperity. —

For which act of generosity
& compassion I will ever pray
for your honor's long life & good
health. —

Mysore
8th April 1877
Kummasamy
Late 1st Class Constable
No. 845, Tanjore D.K.

No. 886
The Constable
has regained health
and the Illah has
seen him and has
given him a
letter fit for duty
the undersigned
recommends
him to be entered in
muster, as Section
98 page 53, of the
Civil Service Code
303 (1) appears
applicable to him.
W. H. S.
Superintendent
Mysore District
Police 1877.

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I the undersigned James Macdonald
Houston M.D. Gillah Surgeon of Tanjore hereby
certify that on 25th June 1875 at the Raj
Hospital Tanjore personally examined 1st
Class Police Constable Kummasamy
No. 845 and that the said Kummasamy
is a lunatic and a proper person to be taken
charge of and detained under care and
treatment and that I have formed this
opinion on the following grounds namely: —
1st Facts indicating insanity observed
by myself.

I have heard him bawling out and
singing at all or nearly all my visits to
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This morning he is not violent, but he is
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aggravated by his detention here.

Tanjore
27th June 1875 }

Houston
Surgeon Major
Lilla Surgeon

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No. 20. C.

Disease?

Mania

Name?

Gummorsawmy

Age?

25 years

Sex?

Male.

By whom sent?

Superintendent of Police
Tanjore

Date of admission?

18th June 1875

Temperament?

Nervous sanguine

Married or single?

Widower

Number of children?

No children

Occupation?

Police Constable

Where born & residence?

Annulatagaraj & Tanjore

Religion

Hindu

When first attacked?

First attack

Duration of present attack?

One month

Cause { Moral.
Physical

..... Doubtful

Has been treated here with 15
grain doses of Chloral twice a day. This has
not benefited him to any appreciable
extent and in point of fact he often spits
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general health seems to be quite good.

Tanjore
27th June 1875 }

Houston
Surgeon Major
Lilla Surgeon

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DISTRICT.
ஜில்லா.

Declaration of conditions under which the Undermentioned Police Officer elects to serve for Pension and Gratuity.

அடியிற்கண்ட போலீசு உத்தியோகஸ்தன் பிஞ்சனுக்காகவும், கிராட்டியூட்டிக்காகவும் சேவகம் செய்யும்படி கோருகிற ஷரத்துகளைக் குறித்து சொல்லும் உறுதிமொழி.

General No. ஜனரல் நம்பர்.	Rank. வகுப்பு.	Name in full. பெயர் முழுதும்.	Date of En- listment சேவகத்தில் தாக்கலான தேதி.	Date of elec- tion. கோரிக்கொண் ட தேதி.	Signature of Officer taking Declaration. உறுதி மொழியை வாங்குகிற ஆபீசருடைய கையொப்பம்.
845	1st cl.	Kummarasamy	18-4-68	4 April 1873	<i>[Signature]</i> S. P. S. S. S.

I Kummarasamy described above now serving as 1st cl. No. 845 in the Madras Police do hereby elect to serve for Pension and Gratuity under the conditions of Superannuation Fund rules.

மேற்கண்டவும், இப்போது மதராஸ் போலீசில் சேவகஞ்செய்கிறவுமாகிய கும்மாரசாமி நான் சூபர்னியூஷன் பண்டு நிபந்தனைகளின் ஷரத்துகளின் படிக்கானதும், அல்லது 1871 (ஆ) சூலைமீன் 19வ் பிஞ்சனுக்காகவும் கிராட்டியூட்டிக்காகவும் சேவகஞ்செய்ய இதினால் கோரிக்கொள்ளுகிறேன். (Sign) கும்மாரசாமி

*Here enter conditions of Superannuation Fund Rules of or under conditions laid down in G. O. I. dated 19th July 1871. (ஆ) சூலைமீன் 19வ்

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[Signature]
Major
Superintendent of Police

31 No. 19. Statement B.

Name of patient? Police Constable Cummins

Sex and age? Male 25 years

Married, single or widowed? Widower
Condition of life and previous occupation? Man for 7 years previously Coalman.

The religious persuasion as far as known? S. C.

Previous place of abode? Harrogate

Whether first attack? First attack.

Age on first attack? 25 years.

When and where previously under care and treatment? Not treated till he came to Hospital.

Duration of existing attack? One month

Supposed Cause? Domestic differences about a woman kept by him.

Whether subject to Epilepsy? Not known to be subject to Epilepsy.

Whether suicidal? Not known to be suicidal.

Whether dangerous to others? Is violent and beats people. Is therefore during the paroxysm of S. C. most dangerous to others.

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Whether found lunatic
by inquisition, or inquiring
under Order of Court,
and date of Commission
order for inquisition or
inquiring to...

No

Whether any member of this
family is known to be
has been or is affected or to have been insane
with insanity?

Tanjore
27th June 1875 }

Roostock
Surgeon Major
Dillan Surgeon

Thro the Accountant Genl.

Chief Office of the Inspector General of Police.

No. 795

Madras 22nd February 1878.

From

The Inspector General of Police,

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

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Enclosures One

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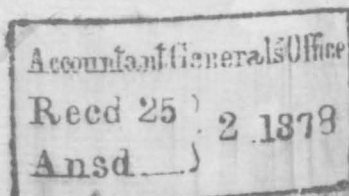
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I have the honour,
Sir,
Your most obedt. Servant,

C. M. M.

Inspector General of Police.



20th

June 1878

From

No 175

The Duke of Devon

To The Chief Secretary

to Government

St. St. George

Ad 22

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July 1878

No 795

Submits the history of the
service of Philip Constance
Cunningham of Devon &
District and his services as
the Grant of a gratuity on
the ground of invalidity
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Encl: No 1 to

In a letter from the Inspector
General of Police
dated Madras 22nd
February 1878 No 795

Gratuity application

Pension DEPARTMENT.

No. 149.

To

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J. C.

For Lt St George
D. May 1878. } Depd 17/5/78

u c. Lt St George, to follow

Cir: 25-4-78
 Rat: 1-5-78