M.R.O. 1—77,006—8-6-37.

(1) Number of pages 58

(2) Date of repair 2-1-42

(3) Initials of the Referencer G

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 1170 Press/Mis.

Dated 9-12- 1880.

Not to be folded or roughly handled

715 Encl: 13/8/75

19.8.75

1

To

The Right Honarable V. H. Hobart Esqr

Lord Hobart

Governor of Fort St George

Madras

Most Benevolent Lord.

With every Sentiment of respect and profound Submission I most humbly and respectfully beg to lay these following few lines before your Lord Ship with fervent hope that they will receive your Lordships favourable Consideration and Justice.

I was entertained as Peon on a Salary of Rs 5 per mensem in the Commissariat Department at Trichinopoly in 1829 and my Services were dispensed with after a period of 5 Years Service owing to the introduction of Pensioned Sepoys. Subsequent to the abolition of my post in the Commissariat I was taken in the Regimental Establishment of late 2d E. L. I as Peon on Rs 6 per month in which Capacity I served till June 1862. Colonel Kenny the then Commanding the Regiment promoted me to the Grade of Cutwal which was then vacant the pay of which was Rs 14 during my incumbency as Cutwal the Regiment was ordered to Dynapore and my Services were dispensed with. along with other Servants of the Establishment.

One Year after the departure of the Regiment I was taken in the

Establi

✓

Establishment of the Cantonment Joint Magistrate at Wellington where I served for upwards of 5 year as Peon & Duffadar on Rs 7 & 8 respectively and was obliged to leave it on account of severe illness.

I have as represented above served for more than 36 years with Zeal and sacrificed the flower of my age in actual laborious service under Government - the enclosed Copies of Testimonials will I am Confident speak of my Services and Conduct.

I beg also to bring to Your Lordships notice I have none that Could pity my age (which is more than 60) & protect me especially being Childless.—

Under these circumstances I humbly and earnestly request that Your Lordship will be graciously pleased to take my long services and age into consideration & favor me with Compassionate allowance so that I may be able to maintain myself & my old wife.

For which act of Your Lordship's benevolent kindness I shall ever pray as in duty bound.

I beg leave to remain
Your Lordship's
Most Obed.t & humble Servant
Moottoosawmy Pillay
of Wellington

Wellington
11th March 1875.

Government of Madras.

PETITION DEPARTMENT.

Endorsement on No. 75 of 1875.

"The Government will not receive a petition on any matter, unless it shall appear that the Petitioner has first applied to the local authority, and also to the Board or other controlling authority, where such exists. The petitions addressed to such local and controlling authorities, or copies of them, and the answers or orders of those authorities respectively, if any shall have been passed, must be annexed to the petition addressed to Government." (Revised Petition Rules, para 2.)

(By Order,)

Fort Saint George,
17th March 1875.

W. G. Turner
Ag. Under-Secretary to Government.

Recd. 21 [illegible] March

Government of Madras.

Pen DEPARTMENT.

Petition No. 1208 of 1879.

From T. Mootoosamy Pillai.

Occupation late Peon of the Joint Magte's Court at

Village

Taluk Wellington

District

Dated 12th } June 1879.
Received 26th } June 1879.

Enclosures. One

ABSTRACT.

Brings to notice that petr. served as a peon for a period of 41 years under several Military officers & lastly held the post of peon in the Joint Magte's Office, Wellington from which he was removed in 1871 on account of old age & that he heard nothing about his application for pension, though he has submitted it on the 30th June /75, thro' the Joint Magte. –

Prays for consideration & support. –

To

Lieut. Colonel C. J. Richards
Local Magistrate Wellington

Respected Sir

In enclosing the accompanying Petition to His Ex. the Governor in Council together with the endorsement I most humbly beg to request your honor will be kind enough to forward my petition with your honors recommendation to Government through the proper Channel

Wellington
31st March 1875.

I beg to remain
Respected Sir
Your Most humble Servt

+ His mark Mootoosamy Pilley

6

Trichinopoly Mootoosamy Pillay being upwards of 60 years of age is incapacitated for further active Service.

Wellington
17th September 1875.

Charles Whitehead Lieut Col
James [illegible]

Ind Bo 2237/80

7

Affidavit of Trichinopoly Mootoosawmy Pillay

I have served under Government for 30 years & 10 months. and in testimony of the above I put in Copy of testimonials given me by the Officers under whom I served.

Wellington
17. September 1875.

Applicant

Before me
Charles Richards Lt Col
Comdt Wellg

No 104

8

Memorandum.

In returning the application for Pension of Trichinopoly Moothoo-sawmy Pillay, the undersigned has the honor to request explanations on the following points.

1. The applicant must have served 35 years for an Invalid pension under section 63 (C.P.C) for a pension of Rs 4 „ 0 „ 0 whereas the application states that he only served 30 yrs + 10 Ms.

2. The Magistrate should send in a certificate of further unfitness for duty of the applicant as per Sec: 50 (C.P.C).

3. Magistrate should state whether the services of the applicant have been verified and how. if not he should obtain and send an affidavit as per rule 4 of Sec: 71. (C.P.C).

4. The applicant appears to have ceased to do duty from the 1st October 1871. It should therefore be explained why steps have not been taken up till now.

t: Magts Office
ed: July 1875

Dist: Magistrate.

ed No 2237/80

From
The Dist. Magt.
Nilgiris.

To
The Joint Magistrate
Wellington.

Dated 30th July 1879
Rs.
No 1104.
En. 6.

Memo.

Returning the pension
application of
[illegible] Moothu
for [illegible]
[illegible]

Reg 1142
[illegible] 8 79

Dis. No 2237/80

No. 174.

From

The Joint Magistrate

Wellington.

To

The District Magistrate

of Nilgiris

Wellington
Joint Magistrate's
24th July 1879.

B Forwarding other reps 9.8.79

B Have this appⁿ prepared & sent on at once with a letter — J.C.

Sir

I have the honor, referring to your letter No. 157 dated 8th July 79, to forward herewith a true copy of the letter therein called for, and to point out that the same contains an explanation of the delay in applying for pension between October 1871 and June 1875.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obdt. servant
Charles Richards Col.
Joint Magistrate.

10

No. 242.

Wellington
Joint Magte's Office.

From
17th September 75.

Lt. Col. C. J. Richards,
Joint Magistrate
Wellington.

To,
The District Magistrate
Nilgiris

Sir,

With reference to your memorandum No. 104 without date, I have the honor to forward a certificate of Trichinopoly Moottoosawmy Pillay of his incapacity for further active service, and his Affidavit.

The applicant has been sick, hence the delay, and to recommend that he may be allowed a Compassionate allowance at least 3 Rupees per mensem.

I have &c.

(Sgd) Charles J. Richards Lt. Col.
Joint Magistrate.

Ln. No. 2237/80

Affidavit of Trichinopoly Mootoosawmy Pillay. I have served under Government for 30 years and 10 months, and in testimony of the above, I put in Copy of testimonials given in by the Officers under whom I served.

/ Sgd/ Charles J. Richards. Pt: Cb

Joint Magistrate

Trichinopoly Mootoosawmy Pillay being upwards of 60 years of age is incapacitated for further active service.

/ Sgd/ Charles J. Richards. Pt: Cb.

Joint Magistrate.

/ True Copy/

Charles J Richards Cob.

Joint Magistrate

La No. 2237/80

Last Pay Certificate of T. Mootoosawmy Pillay
Late Peon of the Joint Magistrate's office
Wellington.

12

I hereby certify that from the records of the late Cantonment Magistrate of Wellington it appears that the last Pay drawn for Mootoosawmy Pillay was Rupees Eight (8) for September 1879

Wellington
15 January 1880

Joint Magistrate
Ootacamund

In charge of office of the
late Cantonment
Magistrate of
Wellington

L No. 2237/80

Copies of Testimonials of T. Mootoosawmy pillay Late peon of the Joint Magistrate's Office Wellington —

13

1 The Bearer Mootoosawmy Peon, has been, General Sir John Dalrymple's Peon for twenty two years during which time he has given great Satisfaction & Can be recommended as an attentive active Servant.

Trichinopoly
12 December 1834 }

(Signed) C. S. Dalrymple
for
General Sir J. Dalrymple —

---

2. The bearer Mootoosawmy has been a Regimental Peon in the 2. C. L. I. for the last Six years. He has asked for a Character and I have pleasure in Stating that I believe him to be very honest & trustworthy — He understands accounts & I have a very good opinion of him.

Secundrabad
23d July 1851 }

(Signed) W. Hands Major
Late Comdg. 2 C. L. I.

---

3. This is to certify that I have known the bearer Mootoosawmy for 16 years during the whole of which time he has been in Regimental employ as Peon — He is a steady, trustworthy & deserving man. & has always discharged his duties zealously —

Trichinopoly
26th Novr 1861 }

(Signed) T. Warden Major
H.M. 2d C. L. I.
T. O.

This is to certify that Chowdry Mootoosawmy has served in the bazaar establishment of the 2nd L.I. for about 17 years & during the time I commanded the Regiment I found him trustworthy & deserving and on the death of the Regimental Chowdry about 6 months ago I promoted him to that situation from peon in consequence of his good character & long service and I have much pleasure in now giving him this testimonial of his good conduct.

Trichinopoly
18th December 1862 } (Signed) T. G. C. G. Kenny, Colonel.
15th Regiment N.I.

The bearer Mootoosawmy has been peon & cutwal of the Regiment for twenty one years. I have always found a zealous & intelligent man. He has always borne an excellent character & I have much pleasure in giving him this testimonial.

Wellington.
8th January 188 } (Signed) W. G. Stell Lt Col.
Commanding 15th Regt.

/ True Copy. /

Joint Magistrate of Ootacamund.

No. 2237/80

290

16

A. D. K.
No. 562

To be returned with reply on reverse.

{ Treasury Account Department.
Pension Verification Branch.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant-General's Office,
24th ~~November~~ Decemb 1879.

From the ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, MADRAS,

To the Cantonment Magistrate
Wellington.

Vide ~~your~~ his Application for Pension ~~Gratuity~~ on behalf of Trichinopoly Muthuswami late a peon Joint Magistrate's Office Wellington.

The undersigned has the honor to enquire as follows;

(1). Why in the annual return of 1868 on record in this Office one Shekh Ibram is shewn as Dafadar on Rs 8 in lieu of the applicant.

(2) From what class of records the applicant's service was verified and by whom. The Result of the Verification should be inserted in the column "How Verified" on the 2nd page of the application herewith returned. The document should be retransmitted accompanied by a Last Pay Certificate and a copy of the Peons' List for 1869 which latter was not received in this Office.

(3) Why the applicant's Service Book was not submitted, it should be forthwith forwarded or its absence explained.

A few more personal marks to facilitate identification should be inserted on the 1st page of the application. The entry 30th "January" 1867 should be altered into "June" on the

2nd page.

The circumstances connected with the applicants removal from the Service on the 30th September 1871 as borne out by the Office records should be fully explained.

Offy Asst to Acct Genl
for Acct Genl

— Answers to Questions on the Previous Page —

D
D
1/2

No 1. — Mootoosawmy pillay was not retained as Duffadar in annual returns of 1868 because he was not so but a peon only as shown in the returns for that year —

No 2. From the records of this office I find that Mootoosawmy pillai was a process server from 1st May 67 to 6th November 68. — From that date to 30th April 1869 he is shown as a peon — From 1st May 69 to 30th December 1869 as Duffadar and from the latter date to 30th September 71 as peon. — all from acquittance Rolls —

Copy of the Peons List for 1869 + a Last pay Certificate are herewith attached:

No — 3 — There is no Service book in existence — I believe Service books were not in use for Peons in 1871. —

No record can be found why the petitioner ceased his service in September 1871.

Ad. Ge. 2d 23/1/80

Wellington
15 January 1880.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
23 JAN 80
MADRAS

Joint Magistrate of Ootacamund.
in charge of the office of the Late Cantonment Magistrate of Wellington —

RC

Forwarded to the Accountant General, Fort St George Madras with reference to Docket No. A-O.K / 562. dated 24 December 1879. Pension Verification Branch —

Joint Magistrates office, Wellington.
21 January 1880.

T. Mootoo Swamy
For Joint Magistrate
of Ootacamund.

Sec B 2237/80

RC

29°

No. A. D. K. 563

16

CONTROLLER OF MILITARY ACCOUNTS
27 DEC 79
MADRAS

To be returned with reply on reverse.

Treasury Account Department.
Pension Verification Branch.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant-General's Office,
24th December 1879.

From the ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, MADRAS,

To the Controller of Military Accounts, Madras

~~Vide your Application for Pension Gratuity on behalf of~~

Peon Commissariat Office Trichinopoly from 1st January 30 to 30 June 35 at Rs 5.
Out of employ. - 1st July 35 to 31 December '44
Peon 2nd European L. I. Bazaar Establishment 1st January 45 to 31 May 62 at Rs 6. per mensem
Kutwall - Do. from 1st June 62 to 31st January 66 at Rs 14-0-0
Out of employ from 1st February 66 to 30 June 67

The undersigned has the honor to request that the Controller of Military Accounts will be good enough to cause the Services of Trichinopoly Muthuswami (Mootoosawmy) from 1st January 1830 to 31st January 1866 as detailed in the margin to be verified from the records of his Office and the result reported to this Office together with information on the following points

(a). Whether the appointments held by the applicant were permanent and as such qualified for pension under the provisions of the Civil Pension Code

(b). Whether there were any breaks other than those specified in the above list if so, the nature of breaks should be stated

(c) Whether the Controller is now prepared to recognize a claim for any retiring allowance which may be admissible to the applicant for his services rendered prior to 1st February 1866. If so, please state the amount of such retiring allowance.

No 263

D/P

(d) The causes which led to the applicant's removal on the several occasions particularized in the above list

Offg Asst to Acctt Genl
for Acctt Genl.

No 3629.

Office of Controller of Mily Accts
Fort Saint George 11th March 1880.

From
The Controller of Mily Accounts
Fort Saint George

To
The Accountant General
Madras.

Your memo, dated 24th December 1879, No $\frac{\text{A.D.K}}{363}$.

The services of Mootoosawmy have been verified, as marginally indicated, and are, being permanent, qualified for pension, under Civil Pension Code.

Mily. Barrack Deptt. Trichinopoly
As peon from 1st Jany to 30th June 1830 at Rs 3-8-. per mensem — Yrs. — 6 —
As do from 1st July 1830 to 30th April 1836 at Rs 5 per mensem till the date on which he was discharged — 5-10-
2nd European L. I.
[illegible] April 1860 [illegible]
As peon from 1st April 1860 to 5 March 1862 at Rs 6 per mensem — 1-11-5
As Chowdry from 6th March 1862 to 3rd Jany 1866 at Rs 10 per mensem till the date on which the above regiment was embarked for Calcutta — 3-10-5.

2. The claim of the above individual for any pension for the above service cannot, however, be disposed of by this Department, as he appears to have been subsequently employed in the Civil Department.

12 MAR 80

W. Burns Lt Colonel,
Controller of Mily Accts.

290

A. D. K.
No.

Office of Contr of Military Accounts. ~~Ft. St. George~~
No. 670. 4th Decr. 1880—

17

~~From~~ The Controller of Military Accounts

To The Joint Magistrate of Coonoor
Wellington

Your letter dated 24th May 1880 No 24. enclosures, herewith returned.—

As requested the necessary remarks have been entered in the column "How verified" of the 2 page of the application of T. Mootoosawmy late peon in yr office

2. The cause of the discharge of Mootoo-Sawmy on the 30th April 1836 is not shown in the records of this office, but his services were dispensed with on the 30th Janry 1866

as the II European Light Infantry.
in which he was employed, embarked
for Calcutta

(Signd) T. W. Mayor. - Major
For Contr of Military Accounts.

(True Copy)

Joint Magte.

In G 2237/80

Controller

Cantonment [illegible]

290

18

No. $\frac{\text{A. D. K.}}{219}$

To be returned with reply on reverse.

TREASURY ACCOUNT DEPARTMENT.
Pension Verification Branch.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant-General's Office,
18th March 1880.

FROM THE **ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, MADRAS,**
TO THE Cantonment Magistrate
Wellington.

VIDE ~~your~~ his *Application for* Pension/~~Gratuity~~ *on behalf of* T. Muthuswámi, late a Peon. Joint Magistrates' office Wellington.

THE undersigned has the honor again to return the application with a request that a revised one may be sent, for the following reasons.

(a) The Applicant's services as detailed on the 2d page of the application are not correct, vide memo from the Controller of Military Accounts No 3629 dated the 11th March 1880.

(b) Under the rules in force at the time of the Applicant's retirement a Service of not less than 35 years was requisite to entitle an Inferior Servant to an Invalid Pension. The Applicant is therefore only entitled to a Gratuity and only to that provided the breaks in ~~this~~ Service were caused by the abolition of his Appointments.

(C) Affidavits and Contemporary evidence Should be procured to establish that portion of the Applicant's Services which was not verified by means of Office records, vide rule 5 Section 84 of the Civil Pension Code.

(d) The opinion of the Head of the Office as to whether the whole Service is established and should be admitted or not, required by the amended rule 6 of Section 84 of the Civil Pension Code should be entered as No 6 on the 3rd page of the Application.

(e) Copy of any Departmental Order which may be on record, to prove that the Applicant at the time of removal from the Service, was found inefficient owing to age, should be forwarded to this office.

(f) It should be distinctly stated whether the Applicant was thrown out of employ in June 1835 and January 1866 owing to the abolition of his Appointment.

E. M. Palmer
Offg Dy Acctt General
for Acctt General

CE

Forwarded to the Joint Magistrate of Ootacamund & Coonoor for disposal.

J. Prevel Lt Col
Commandant
Wellington

22-3-80
Wellington

1246
21.3.80

[illegible] 22/3/80

[illegible]

Joint Magistrate's Office
Wellington 12' June 80.

D
D

19' N 754

No. 28.

From.

The Joint Magistrate
of Coonoor

To.

The Accountant General
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No $\frac{A.D.K}{219}$ dated 18' March 1880 enclosing memo No 3629 dated 11-3-80 (herewith returned). I have the honor to forward a revised application for Gratuity on behalf of S. Muttusawmi late peon of this Office

2. Copy of docket No 670 dated 4-6-80 from the Controller of Military accounts, is herewith enclosed for your perusal.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obt Servant
H. Macartney
Joint Magistrate
of Coonoor

18 JUN. 80

In P. 2234/80

Cantonment Clerk 2869
1. 7. 80
20

No. A. D. K./425
[To be returned with reply.]

TREASURY ACCOUNT DEPARTMENT,
PENSION VERIFICATION BRANCH,

Fort Saint George,
Accountant-General's Office,
26th June 1880.
Despd 28th

FROM
THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,
MADRAS,

TO
THE Cantonment Magistrate, Wellington
~~Nilgiris~~

SIR,

WITH reference to your application for ~~pension~~ gratuity on behalf of T. Muthuswami, late a Peon, Joint Magistrates' office, Wellington.

I have the honor to inform you that the final disposal of the application is delayed for want of Nos. 9, 20 and 21 detailed below.

2. I particularly request that the required information may be supplied without delay, this letter being retransmitted for submission to Government along with the other papers connected with the case.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

F. H. Chapman
Offg. *Assistant to the Accountant-General,*
for *Accountant-General.*

---

1. House or country name of the applicant and that of his Father.

2. Insertion in the column headed "How verified," on the second page of the application herewith returned, the class of records from which the applicant's services have been verified.

3. Explanation of apparent breaks and degradation opposite to No. 2, on the third page of the application herewith returned.

4. Insertion in detail in the service book herewith returned of the several kinds of leave of absence other than privilege or casual leave enjoyed by the applicant.

5. Insertion in the service book herewith returned of the reason of termination of service on and for attestation of the entries thus made by the Head of the Office.

6. Insertion of the certificate opposite to No. 5 on the third page of the application that the applicant is inefficient owing to age or infirmity.

7. Signature of the Applicant/Head of the Office in the appropriate columns of the accompanying service book.

8. Transmission of the true copy of the correspondence in connection with the applicant's suspension/dismissal in and of a Last Pay Certificate.

× 9. Explanation of the cause of delay of nearly 8 ~~months~~ years in the submission of the application.

10. Explanation why the applicant was retained in service up to when the medical certificate declaring him to be unfit for further service was dated the

Services

11. Explanation why the applicant was removed from the service before his incapacity for further service was duly established by a certificate.

12. Explanation why the medical certificate is post-dated to the extent of days/months the applicant having ceased to do duty on

13. Information as to whether the applicant applied for his pension/gratuity during his life-time; if so, when he applied, and when he died.

14. Information as to the name of the applicant's heir entitled to receive the gratuity or the amount of arrears of pension due to him.

15. Revision of the affidavit and contemporary evidence. The evidence should contain information on the following points:—

(a.) Whether the applicant was in *permanent* employ of Government.
(b.) Whether there were any breaks in the continuity of his service and whether he was at any time absent on leave other than privilege; if so, the nature of such breaks and the duration of such leave of absence should, as far as possible, be specified.

16. Information as to whether the appointment of in which the applicant is stated to have been acting from to was *fully vacant*, and whether any person, save the applicant counted service in it during that period.

17. Information as to whether any endeavours were taken to provide a suitable appointment for the applicant, The amount of saving effected to Government by the abolition of his appointment in the Revision of Establishment should be stated.

18. Insertion of the several rates of acting allowance separately from pay.

19. A few more personal marks to facilitate identification.

20. Explanation why the applicant's name does not appear at all in the Pond list for 1868 on record in this Office. Two peons Mahommad Khan and Paumban are shown as on Rs 7.

21. Information why the applicant lost his appointment in January 1866 when the regiment in which he was employed embarked for Calcutta. If it was owing to his own unwillingness to proceed abroad, the break should be viewed as due to resignation within the meaning of Section 56 of the Civil Pension Code 4th Edition

En G.P. 2237/80

N 922

B

Joint Magistrate office
Wellington 5th July 1880.
desp'd 7th.

No. 31/1880.

From.
The Joint Magistrate of
Coonoor

To.
The Accountant General.
Fort St. George.
Madras.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. A-DK/425. dated 26th June 1880, I have the honor to to state with reference to para (9).

The applicant states he was ignorant of the fact that he is entitled to a pension or Gratuity and having heard of it in 1875 applied for the same.

With regard to para (20).

The applicant was not a peon in 1868 but was process server from May 67 to 6th Decr 68. when he made peon & was so till 30th April 1869, as shown in the Column of remarks on the second page of the application.

How can this Gratuity?
Note under sec. 35.

With regard to para (21).

It does not appear that the applicant's

Services were dispensed with owing to his unwillingness to proceed to Calcutta, vide Letter No 670. Dated 4-6-80 from the Controller of Military accounts, (Copy sent to you). and the applicant states that not only he but all the peons. Puckallies & chowdry were discharged on the embarkation of the Regiment.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obt Servant

Joint Magistrate
of Coonoor.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL MADRAS
9 JUL 80

Lr. No. 2237/80

Cantonment Clerk

No. $\frac{\text{A. D. K.}}{507}$

To be returned with reply on reverse.

TREASURY ACCOUNT DEPARTMENT.
Pension Verification Branch.

Fort Saint George,
Accountant-General's Office,
30 July 1880.

FROM THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS,
TO THE Cantonment Magistrate
Wellington

VIDE ~~your~~ *Application for* ~~*Pension*~~ *Gratuity on behalf of* Trichinopoly Muttuswami, late a Peon, Joint Magistrate's Office Wellington.

THE undersigned has the honor to observe that the periods exhibited in the History of service embodied in the application do not shew a continuous chain of service in the manner prescribed in form A of appendix to the Civil Pension Code 4th Edition and to request that

1. The missing entries should be duly supplied in the application herewith returned.
2. An affidavit should be taken from the applicant regarding his status as a Government servant during the period intervening between 30th April 1836 and 1st April 1850 and forwarded to this office along with such collateral evidence on the point as may be procurable.
3. Information may be furnished

as

6 march

as to whether the appointment of Chowdry in which the applicant was serving from 6th March 1862 to 30th January 1866 should not be viewed as temporary, since it would appear from the Cantonment Magistrate's reply to this Office objection memo ADK/425 of the 26th June last, that the applicant's status during the period was simply that of servants employed and discharged according to the vary-ing needs of the service.

4. Explanation should be furnished of the grounds on which the service as process server from May 1867 to 6th November 1868 has been considered qualifying. Vide Note under section 35 of the Code.

Chapman
Asst. to Acctt. Genl
for Acctt. Genl

Forwarded to the Joint Magistrate of Ootacamund & Coonoor for disposal.

20 August 1880
Wellington

John [illegible] Major
Commandant. Wellington

In No 223/80
B. C.

3344
2-8-80

6-9

No 1322

B

Joint Magistrate's Office
Wellington 19th August 1880.
Despd 25 Augt 1880

No 36/1880

From.
The Joint Magistrate
of Coonoor.

To.
The Accountant General.
Fort St George.
Madras.

Sir,

In reply to your memo.+ ADK/507 of the 30th July 1880., the applicant was peon in the Military Bazaar department from 1st January 1830 to 30th April 1836. when he was discharged, as he states, consequent on the Introduction of pensioned Seapoys into that department. there is a breach in his service from the latter date to the 1st April 1850. during which time he states he was unemployed. - On the 1st April 1850 he was entertained as peon in the 2nd Euro-pean Light Infantry and continued as such until he was promoted to Chowdry on the

+ herewith returned

6 March

6th March 1862 and continued in that rank until the 30th January 1866 when he was discharged, on the embarkation of the Regiment to Calcutta, along with the whole establishment -

With reference to para 3 of your memo. the latter period of service as Chowdry would naturally count as qualifying service if the service as Peon with the 2d European Light Infantry from 1st April 50 to the 6th March 62, does so, as the latter appointment is but a superior grade in the same service - From the date of discharge from the 2d European Light Infantry to the date of his entertainment as Process Server Joint Magistrate's Office Wellington there is a break of 15 months during which time he was unemployed and as his service as Process Server to the 6th November 68 a period of one year & six months is not qualifying service, that must also be deducted - On the 7th November 68 he was made Peon in the said Office & continued as Peon & Duffadar up to 30th September 71 -

He

He has therefore deducting Non-qualifying service & Breaks, a period of (25 - 0 - 4) twenty five years and four days only.

ys. m. d.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Yours most obt Servant

Jt Magistrate of
Coonoor

No

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
26 AUG 86
MADRAS

La. G. 2287/80

No. 647

B

District Magistrate's Office
Ootacamund 12 August 1879

No. 177

85

From

R. S. Benson Esquire
Ag: District Magistrate
Nilgiris

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

Through

The Accountant General
Madras

Sir

I have the honor to submit for the favorable consideration of Government, the papers noted in the margin received from the Joint Magistrate of Wellington applying for Pension to one Trichinopoly Mootooswami Pillai late peon attached to his office

1 Letter from Mootooswami Pillai to Col Richards d/31st March 75 enclosing petition with testimonials &ca to H. G. the Governor
2 Pension application.
3 Memo from the Distt: Magistrate Nilgiris to the Joint Magistrate Wellington No. 104 d/ July 75
4 Letter from the Joint Magistrate Wellington to the Distt: Magte Nilgiris No. 174 d/24 July 79.
5 Do. — do No. 242 d/17th Septr 75
6 one affedavit from Col. Richards d/17th September 75
7 one do. from the applicant

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obdt. Servant
Regd. Benson
Ag: Distt: Magistrate
Nilgiris

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
14 AUG 79
MADRAS

1880-5-10
70
1810-5-10
10 June 10

From
The Ag District Magistrate
Nilgiris
To
The Chief Secretary
to Govt.
Madras
Thro:
The Accountant General
Madras

No 177.
Dated 12th
Regd 12th } August 72
Recd
Enclosures 10.

Subject.
Pension

Forwarding certain papers received from the Joint Magistrate Wellington applying for Pension to one Trichinopoly Moottoosawmy Pillay for favorable consideration of Govt.

In No. 2237/80

APPLICATION FOR {~~PENSION.~~ GRATUITY.

1. Name of Applicant. Trichinopoly Moottoosawmy
2. Father's name. Trichinopoly Samynada Pillay
3. Sect or Caste. Vellalah.
4. Residence. Wellington.
5. Present or last employment. Peon Joint Magistrate's office Wellington
6. Date of beginning service. 1st January 1830
7. Date of end of service. 30th September 1871

	Y. M. D.
8. Length of service including breaks	41-9-"
of which superior	" " "
inferior	41-9-"
non-qualifying and breaks	15-8-8

9. Class of {pension / gratuity} applied for, and cause of application* ... Old age —
10. [Average] emoluments or pay. Rs. 7-6-5
11. Proposed pension. -
12. Proposed gratuity. (48) forty eight Rupees —
13. Date from which to commence. " — " —
14. Place of payment. Wellington. Nilgiris
15. Age of Applicant on this date. 70 years (about 10-6-10) —
16. Height. 6 feet 1. inch.
17. Marks. {a scare on the left thigh 2 on the right hip one on the lower hip —
18. Date. 10th June 1880 —

* 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.

SIGNATURE OF THE HEAD OF OFFICE.
~~Jt. Magistrate~~
of Coonoor

HISTORY OF THE SERVICE (SHOWING BREAKS) OF *T. Moottoosawmy Pillay.*

Establishment.	Appointment.	Pay. RS.	A.	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.
Military Bazaar Department.	Peon	3	8	"	"	1st January 1830	30th June 1830	"	6	" } (a)						
Do-	Do-	5	"	"	"	1—7—1830	30—4—36	5	10	"						
Unemployed—	"	"	"	"	"	1—[illegible] 36	30—3—1850	"	"	"	13	11	2	Latter the date on which he was discharged —		
2d E. L. Infantry.	Do-	6	"	"	"	1—4—1850	5—3—1862	11	11	5 } (a)				The records before April/50, were destroyed		
Do.	Chowdry	14	"	"	"	6—3.1862	30—1—1866	3	10	25 ~~6~~						
Unemployed—	"	"	"	.	.	1—2—1866	30—4—1867	.	.	.	1	3	"	Latter the date on which the Regt embarked for Calcutta (b)		
Cant Magtes office Wellington	Process Server	—	—	—	— —	1—5—1867	6—11—68								acquittance Roll annual lists h… as follows - from 1… 6th November 68 he… process server fro… to 30 April 69 as… may 69 to 31st Dec as Duffadar 1… to 30th Sept as Peon	
	~~Peon~~	7	"	"	"	~~1—5.1867~~	~~30—4—1869.~~	~~2~~	~~"~~	~~"~~						
	Peon	—	—	—	— —	7—11—68	30—4—69	-	5	24 } (c)						
Do	Duffadar	8	"	"	"	1—5—1869.	31—12—1869.	"	8	"						
Do.	Peon.	8	"	"		1—1—1870	30—9—1871	1	9	"						
Total period of ~~superior~~ inferior service …						…		25	6	~~4~~ 24	16	8	8			

(a) Verified from the records of the office of the Controller of Military Accounts vide his reply to this office memo No. $\frac{A\,\&\,K}{563}$ dated 24th December 1879.

(b) Non-qualifying being service paid from fees — vide note under Section 35 of the Civil Pension Code.

(c) Verified from the records of the Cantonment Magistrates office Wellington; and the verification confirmed by the Annual returns on record in this office.

REMARKS BY HEAD OF OFFICE.

1. As to character and past conduct of Applicant. Character good with regard to conduct the applicant is in possession of several characters from Commandants & officers of the late 2d European L. I. from which he appears to have borne a very good character.

2. Explanation of any suspension or degradation. None.

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. Overage unfit for further active service

5. Any other remarks.

6. Appears to be established

H Cummins
~~Signature.~~ Ct Magistrate of Coonoor

No $\frac{A\,\&\,J}{1222}$

CERTIFICATE AND REPORT OF ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

Certified that (subject to the remarks below recorded) qualifying service in {inferior ~~superior~~} in the combined Military & Civil departts grades has been duly proved for 25 years — months and 24 days; and that an Invalid {pension gratuity} not exceeding Rs. 48 – " equal to 6 months pay is admissible under ~~Section~~ the Old Pension Rules ~~of the Civil Pension Code~~. The calculations have been duly verified

It will be seen from the History of service that there are two long breaks in the continuity of the applicant's service, the one extending over a period of 13 years & 11 months viz. from 1st May 36 to 31 March/50 and the other 1 year & 3 months from 1st February/66 to 30th April/67. The cause of the first break is not traceable from the records but the second is owing to the embarkation for Calcutta of the Regiment in which the applicant was employed as Chowdry on pay of Rs 14-" " per mensem. The applicant however states that the cause of the first break was consequent upon the introduction of the system of employing pensioned sepoys in the Military Bazar departments whereupon he was removed from the public service, should Government be pleased to accept this explanation the applicant's qualifying service will amount as stated above to more than 25 years. Otherwise his service will amount to 18 years 8 months and 24 days only entitling him to a gratuity equal to 5 months pay.

The great delay in the submission of this application is explained by the Cantonment Magistrate Wellington in his reply to this office memo No. $\frac{A\,\&\,K}{425}$ dated the 26th June/80, and the further delay in the disposal of the case in this office is due to repeated references having had to be made to the Cantonment Magistrate in respect to the verification of the applicant's earlier services in the Military department.

In accordance with Rule 3 A, under Section 87, the attention of Government is respectfully solicited to Section 22 of the Code.

C Hall
Offg Asstt to the Accountt General
for Accountt General

Fort Saint George,
Acctt Genls Office,
9th October 1880.

To
The Under Secretary to Government
Pension Department.

11-10 80

Pension 1880 Depts
31 M
No. 2237

CONTROLLER OF MIL

Application for {Pension ~~or~~ {~~Gratuity~~

Date of Application.

Name of Applicant.
T. Moottoosawmy

Last Appointment.
Peon

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

Amount of pension sanctioned.

Amount of gratuity sanctioned.

Date of commencement.

Date of sanction.

With order 1170

Pension Department.

28

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following ~~letter~~ papers

Petition from T. Mootoosawmy Pillay dated 12th June 1879.
From the Ag District Magistrate Nilgiris dated 12th Augt 1879 No. 177
– " – Offg Assistt Accountant General dated 9th October 1880 No. 429/1222

Order thereon 3rd November 1880 No. 1170.

Under the ~~old~~ Draft Civil Pension ~~[illegible]~~ Code of 1871 His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Trichinopoly Moothoosawmy late Peon Joint Magistrates Office Wellington an invalid gratuity of Rs (42) Forty two or Six months pay in consideration of his qualifying inferior service of 25 years & 24 days.

To the Accountant General with Regr.
– " – District Magistrate Nilgeries
– " – ~~Collector~~ Commissioner of Nilgeries.
– T.M.G. To the Petitioner Despatch

Desp 9-12-80

16 C

Govt. of {1880} Madras.

To The Accountt Genl

Dated 24th Decr 1880 No. 1170
Recd. 9th

Nos.

Gratuity. Granting an invalid gratuity of Rs 42 to T. Moothoosawmy late Peon Joint Magistrate's Office Wellington -

Gratuity to T. Mootho[illegible]
late Peon Joint
Magistrate to the
[illegible]