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Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

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Cum gratia 14th February 1880

To Major P. Montgomery R.E.
Superintending Engineer W.C.C.

Respected Sir,

With profound respect and submission
I beg to bring the following to your favorable
consideration.

That I entered the Government service
in 1847, in 1857 I secured an appointment in
the P.W.D. My services were appreciated by me
and all of the gentlemen under whom I served
and in recognition of which I had on each
occasion of Reorganization been promoted.

During my long service - 33 years,
more especially during the late unprecedented
famine, I have worked very hard with sanguine
hopes of bettering my prospects. For the very
hard work done during the famine I had
not received any extra emoluments.

Under these circumstances and in consi-
deration of my long and faithful services, vide
my Service Register, I beg you will be
graciously pleased to bestow on me the place
of Managership now sanctioned for Superintending

Engineers Office.

If the present reorganization will not admit of my being provided with a suitable appointment I most earnestly solicit the favour of your honor's specially bringing my case for the generous consideration of Government.

My prayers are not extravagant and I hope I shall succeed if supported by your honor's kind recommendation.

1st to allow me the concession sanctioned in the Resolution of Government of India No. 2079 of 31st July 1879 in special consideration of the hard work I had done during the famine. I had to work day and night to keep the office from arrears. It must be noted that during the long period of 33 years my service in the Government I only had 4 months privilege leave.

2nd or to condone a break of 26 days in my service under Section 57 Chapter X of the Pension Code and make section 70A Chapter XII of the same Code applicable to my case to enable me to draw half pension by granting 9 months service (out of my inferior service of 8 years & 9 months) required to make up the 25 years service.

I am loaded with a large family entirely depending on the boon that Government will reward and as I have spent the best part of my life in Government service alone, I have no other means of livelihood.

For this act of favor I shall ever remember your honor with gratitude and pray for your honor's longevity and prosperity.

I beg to remain

Respected Sir

Your most obedient servant

P. Anachallam

H. Clerk Supg Engrs Office to Circle

No. 71

Submitted through the Examiner
Per: Work accounts for the very
favourable consideration of Govt. =

Supg Engrs: Office, H. Circle
Submitted on 11th Feb 1880

Placed to the Main Mayors
Supg Engrs H. Circle
14/2/80.

P.W.D.

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From

The Superintending
Engineer 4th Circle

O.S. 915 S.E. 4th dated 3rd March 1880.

Forwarded to the Secretary to
Government Public Works Department
with the remark that P. Arnachellam
Moodley is a Clerk attached to the Of-
fice of the Superintending Engineer
4th Circle and as such, is not entitled
to the Concessions sanctioned in the Resolu-
tion of Government of India S. 2079 dated
31st July last. Vide G.O. S. 2323 dated 11th
September 1879.

The Superintending Engineer has
been requested to send to this Office the
applicant's service book with particu-
lars regarding the break of the 26 days
referred to in the petition. On the receipt
of a reply from the Superintending Engi-
neer a further communication will
be made to your Office.

Dated 14th } February 1880
Recd:

No. 71.

PTD

P. Arnachellam Moodley
Head Clerk. Supg Engr's Office

Submits for the very
favourable consideration
of Govt. a letter from
praying for the post
of Manager to the
proposed Supg Engr's Office
or to allow him the
benefits of sections 57
and 78A of the Pension
Code 4th Edition.

D. W. Isaac Major R.E.

Offg. Examiner P.W. Accts.

Memo No 761 d/d 6 Mar 80

Copy of Engr's
Endorsement to the S.E. IV

M. 4/3

W. 1550

No. 1.

Memorandum.

The detailed Estimate of the Tambra-
cherry Ghant not being forthcoming when
absolutely required for submission to Govern-
ment the Accountant Arnachellam and
Copyist Sooba Rao Moodley the persons
answerable for its safe custody are
suspended from their appointments till
such time as the missing document or
Copy of it is produced.

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17th May 1864

Sigd G. W. Walker Lt. Col.

Supg Engineer

Coimbatore 17th May 1864

To

Lt. Col. G. W. Walker R.E.

Supg Engineer 7th Division

Respected Sir,

With reference to your Memo:

No. 1 of the 7th instant suspending me
and Copyist Soobroyah Moodley from
our appointments I most respectfully
beg to inform you that the Estimate
of Tambracherry Ghant was never
given

given to me and am so sure of it that I can take my oath but am at loss to know the circumstances under which I was made answerable for the Estimate which I neither ever saw nor heard of it until the Record Keeper was searching for, I find from the Diary Book under dates the 16th and 21st October Nos 148 and 212 respectively that this Estimate was received by the Manager and "forwarded without draft".

I am not aware if any one has told you that the Estimate was given to me if so I beg that you will be so good as to make him to state on oath and then punish me in any manner you may deem fit.

As I was directed in the above Memo: to produce either the Estimate or its Copy and the Manager advised me to apply to Mr. Bailey I requested that Officer to let me have a copy of it and I regret to enclose his reply from which it will be seen that it is impossible for me

me to get even a copy from the Range Office -

I beg &c

Sigd P. Annachellum

Accountant.

No 9

Supy Engr's Office

Coonor 19th May 1864.

Memo:

The Accountant and Copyist of the Malabar District who were suspended in Memo: No 1 of 7th instant having reported their inability to account for, the detailed Estimate of Tambracherry Ghant, but failed to clear themselves of responsibility for its charge will be informed by the Manager that their services are dispensed with from the above date.

Sigd G. W. Walker Lt Col.

Supy Engineer.

Coimbatore 3rd June 1864.

To Lt Col. G. W. Walker R. R.

Supy Engr-7th Division

Respected Sir,

With profound respect and
Submission

Submission I humbly beg to submit the following few lines with earnest hopes that they will meet with your favorable consideration and kind approbation.

2. Your honor will see from the following that my object in intruding on your valuable moments is for nothing but for justice from your impartial hands.

3. In your order of the 7th Ultimo N^o 1 your honor ordered the suspension of myself and Soobroyah Shood^r from our appointments until such time as the Detailed Estimate of the Tambracherry Ghaut, which is said to be missing is forthcoming, or a copy of it is produced, as we are answerable for its safe custody.

4. I addressed to your goodness in reply a letter on the 17th May and to my great misfortune and astonishment I received your order dispensing with my services on the ground that I reported my inability to account for the Estimate but failed to clear myself of responsibility for its charge.

5. I was under the impression that my letter of the 17th contained an explanation

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explanation sufficient to clear myself of responsibility for the charge of the document in question; but as it appears it has not done so I humbly presume to submit this my detailed explanation which I hope will no doubt satisfy your honor as to my innocence in the matter of the missing Estimate.

6. I admit I should be answerable for any documents delivered to me or entrusted to my care but here, Honored Sir, I am indeed at a loss to know, how can I account for a Document which, I can assure you, was never received by, or delivered to me, nor entrusted to my care by any body, nor came before me in the course of my business and in short, I never knew the existence of such a document, till the Record Keeper (as I mentioned in my letter of the 17th Ultimo) was searching for it.

7. The Document in question is shewn by the Diary Book under dates 16th and 21st October N^o 148 and 212 respectively to have been received by the Manager

Manager and forwarded to you without draft by the same day by post and now if its whereabouts cannot be traced, is it not indeed my great misfortune, that I should be held responsible for its production, and suffer from its loss when there is nothing in the least to show that I came by it.

8. It is possible that the Estimate may be lying with some other papers with your honor or in the Office or mislaid to any body by your honor or the servants of the Office but had I been solely in charge of the papers of the Malabar District, and every thing connected with that District was received by and passed thro' me, it is just that I should be held responsible for the missing document: but such is not the case is well known to you and what else can your honor expect from me in the way of explanation to convince your honor that I cannot be held responsible for its charge.

9. I believe that the report made by the Record Keeper that the plan of the Estimate in question was found amongst Malabar records may have led your honor to think that the plan was with me and such being the case the Estimate must have also been with it in my possession but I beg to submit such was not the case. The Plan was found amongst the Malabar records which are exclusively in the charge of the Record Keeper. I have charge of only the current papers of the Malabar District secured in a box and the plan was not found in that box.

10. Added to these the Document in question, is an Estimate and as such cannot induce me or any body to tamper with it, nor will it be worth any man's while to do it.

11. In obedience to your orders directing me to produce a copy of the Estimate, and according to the advice of the Manager I took upon myself the presumption of writing to Mr. Bailey the

the Sub Engineer to furnish me with a copy of the Estimate and I sent his reply to you with my letter to your honor dated 17th whereas a Memo: from your honor to the Officer in charge of the work on the Range would have brought forth the copy at once.

12 Under these circumstances I must respectfully beg to crave your pardon and request that you will be kindly pleased to restore me to my appointment and protect me.

13 My service runs over a period of nearly 17 years and have during that time held several responsible posts without giving cause to my superiors to find any fault with me.

Praying for your honors continued prosperity and unclouded life.

I beg &c

Sgt. P. Arnachellum.

Memo: No 19.

Government having sanctioned the Tambacherry Grant, without submission of the detailed estimates.

Arnachellum and Soobroyah are reinstated.

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reinstated from the 1st June. The former will in future be attached to the Circuit Office invariably, along with Messrs Pereira and Pinto.

Sgt. G. W. Walker Lt Col.

4th June.

Supy Engineer

True Copies.

Arnachellum



No 213

Supy Engineer's Office
4th floor
Pointhore & Manasse

From,

The Superintending Engineer
4th floor

To

The Engineer
P. W. Accounts
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your letter

Encls:
1 Copy of
Correspondence

No 558 S. E. 4th dated 3rd Inst.

I have the honor to inform
you that I have telegraphed
to Major Vibart to furnish
you with the Service Register
of Annachellum madd.

2. As regard the break of
26 days, I have the honor to
send you copies of corres-
-pondence from which
you will observe that it
was on account of a

W. A. 2552

missing document in the
then Supy Engineer's office
of which Sonachellum
moadr had no charge.

3. The break does not
come under the provision
of section 56 of the Civil
Pension Code, 4th Edition.
Provision of clause 2 of the
section was not in existence
at the time the transaction
took place and I recommend
that the break may be condoned

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Chhotaram Majhi
Supy Engineer, 4th (Civil -



1880 Dept

No 2149

C. N. 960 S. E. 4th dated 26th March 1880.

Forwarded to the Secretary to Government Public Works Department in continuation of this Office N. 915 S. E. 4th dated 3rd March 1880.

2. Under Section 57 Civil Pension Code it is within the competence of the Local government to condone interruption.

D. H. Trail Major R.E.
Offg. Examiner P.W. Accts

No 2550

No. 858

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Superintending Engineer's Office
2nd Circle
Bimbatore, 23rd Oct. 1880.

From The Superintending Engineer
2nd Circle

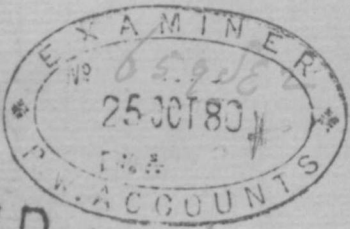
To The Examiner of P.W. accounts.
Madras

Sir, Adverting to the concluding portion of your endorsement to the Secretary to Government P.W. D. N. 915 S. E. 4th dated 3rd March 1880 and to your letter N. 915 S. E. 4th dated 3rd Idem. I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to let me know the result of your further communication on the subject. The Service Register was returned to me with your letter N. 135 S. E. 4th dated 12th April 1880 but I have not heard anything since as to the final disposal of the reference.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obt. servant

M. M. Major R.E.
Superintending Engineer 2nd Circle



P.W.D.

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NR 7276

Encl. N^o 659 S. & L^{ts} of 1878.

Forwarded to the Secretary
to Government Public Works
Department in continuation of
this Office Encl. N^o 915 S. & L^{ts}
and 960 S. & L^{ts} dated 3rd & 25th
March 1880 respectively for
favor of disposal.

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Dec 16/80 Major R. C.
Off. Examiner P.W.D.

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Letter from the Super Engineer
4th Circle, through the Examiner
P.W. Accounts, No. 71, dated 14th Feb 80.

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N^o 213, dated 8th March 1880.

Letter from the Super Engineer
2nd Circle, through the Examiner P.W.
Accounts, No. 858, dated 23rd October 1880.

Transferred to the Pension
Department for disposal.

Major R. C.
Under Secy. P.W.D.
P.W.D.

Chepauk
18th Nov 80

R. S. L.
H. S. L.

The Pension Department.

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Col. Lane papers - Relative

to the sick in the

Chase of J. D. Smith

William Brewster

Dear Bicknells

Dr. Magnus's Office 4-14

Wm. H. Wood

List

order thereon 4th Janu^{ry} 1880 A^g 11/20

Recorded - with reference to

G. O. dated 14th & 27th September 1880

N^o. 9334968.-

To the Examiners of Public Works Accounts
- " - Superintending Engineer 2^d Circle
- " - Public Works Department

Depd 4-12-80