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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Pension **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 247

Press/Mis.

Dated 25-3-1880.

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I do hereby declare on solemn affirmation that I was employed as a Gumastah on Rs. 14 per mensem in the 2d Assistant Civil Engineer's Office, Nellore from 12th November 1856 to 31st December 1856, at Rs. 15 per mensem from 1st January 1857 to 23d Mar. 1857, as estimate maker and writer on Rs. 30 per mensem from 24th March 1857 to 12th June 1857, and on Rs. 35 per mensem from 13th June 1857 to 30th April 1858, in the Nellore Southern Division, the periods during which my services cannot be verified from the records of the Examiner's Office. I further declare that I have had no leave of any kind nor any break during the period in question. I regret that my contemporary servants are either dead or are employed in different moffusal districts. The enclosed original documents will corroborate the truth of my Statement.

C Subbarow
Accountant 2d Grade

Taken before me on Solemn affirmation

this day, the 15th day of March 1880.

H. L. McCarey

Dy. Examiner of P. W. Accounts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, MADRAS.

FORM A.

APPLICATION FOR PENSION OR GRATUITY.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8												9*	10	11	12	13	14	15†	16	17	18
Name of applicant.	Father's name.	Race, sect, and caste.	Residence, showing Village or Pergunnah	Present or last employment, including name of establishment.	Date of beginning of service.	Date of ending of service.	*Length of service, including interruptions.*			*Superior service.* (a)			*Inferior service.* (b)			*Non-qualifying and interruptions.* (c)			Class of pension or gratuity applied for, and cause of application. (d)	(Average) emoluments or pay. (e)	Proposed pension (f)	Proposed ~~gratuity.~~ Bonus (f)	Date from which pension to commence.	Place of payment.	Date of applicant's birth by Christian era.	Height.	Marks.	Date.
							Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.										
Casukela Sooba Row.	Casukela Ramachendra Row.	Brahmin	Triplicane	Accountant 2nd Grade. Office of Examiner P.W. Accounts. Madras	12th November 1856.	16th March 1880	Twenty three (23)	four (4)	five (5)	Twenty three (23)	four (4)	five (5)	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Compensation Pension under Government of India Financial Resolution No 2079 dated 31 July 1879.	Rs. One hundred and thirty four annas three and pies eight	Rs. Sixty two annas ten and pies three Rs (62-10-3)	Rs. 3000 (three thousand)	17th March 1880.	Madras.	October 1825	5 feet 3 inches	Scar above right eye-brow.	17th March 1880.

NOTES.

(a)—Service on pay exceeding ten Govt. Rupees, and not in any one of the following capacities, Section 49, C. P. Code:—

- Messengers, Orderlies, and Peons, and their Petty Officers.
- Money-testers.
- Boatmen and Seamen, Maistries in the P. W. D.
- Artificers, Laborers, Handicraftsmen, Bazar Chaudharies.
- Inferior and menial servants of all sorts, including Maistries, Distributors, Pressmen, Daftaries and Muchies.

N.B.—Book-binders, whose profession is book-binding, and who are not mere Daftaries, are classed as superior servants.

(b)—Service on less than ten Government Rupees, or in any one of the capacities enumerated in note (a), or in Section 49.

(c)—Service not under Government or on an Establishment other than permanent and substantive, (unless an Officer is detached for temporary duty under competent authority), also periods of absence other than privilege and preparatory leave, and time passed under suspension adjudged as a specific penalty, Sections 23, 27, 28, 52, and 54.

N.B.—In the case of inferior servants all authorised leave is reckoned as service, Section 53.

*(d)—Compensation Pension or Gratuity admissible on abolition of appointment or reduction of establishment, Section 59.

Invalid Pension or Gratuity admissible on permanent incapacity from official duties, owing to bodily, or mental infirmity, Section 61.

Superannuation Pension or Gratuity admissible when the applicant is entitled or compelled, by Rule, to retire at a particular age, Section 65.

Retiring Pension or Gratuity admissible on voluntary retirement after completing the requisite period of service, Section 66.

Extraordinary Pension or Gratuity admissible—

(*a*) to men so injured, in the execution of their duty, as to be incapaciated for earning a livelihood;

(*b*) to families of men killed in the execution of their duty, Section 128.

* 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).

(e)—"Pay" and "Emoluments" mean the amount which the Officer was receiving immediately before his retirement from service "Average Emoluments" means the average calculated for the last five years of service, Section 79 (*a*) and (*b*).

N.B.—If during the five years, an Officer has been on Leave With Allowances for any period, his emoluments, in calculating the average, will be taken at what they would have been if the leave had not been taken, Section 79, Rule 2.

If the five years include any period spent in Inferior Service, or for which no allowances have been drawn, that period will be disregarded, and an equal period prior to the five years shall be included, Section 79, Rule 3.

Signature of Head of Office.

(f)—AMOUNT OF GRATUITY OR PENSION.

SUPERIOR SERVICE.

Compensation, Invalid Pension, and Gratuity.

For less than 15 years' service, gratuity of one month's Emoluments for each completed year of service, subject to the maximum of 12 months' Emoluments in all, Section 68 (*a*).

After 15 years, and less than 25 years, pension not exceeding one-third of Average Emoluments; and, also, not exceeding Rs. 3,000 a year, or, if the Average Emoluments do not exceed Rs. 12,000 a year, Rs. 2,000 a year, Section 68 (*b*).

After service of 25 years, pension not exceeding one-half of Average Emoluments; and, also, not exceeding Rs. 5,000 a year, or, if the Average Emoluments do not exceed Rs. 12,000 a year, Rs. 4,000 a year, Section 68 (*c*).

Superannuation Pension.

The same in amount as Invalid Pension and Gratuity, Section 70.

Retiring Pension.

The same in amount as an Invalid Pension admissible after 25 years service, Section 71.

Extraordinary Pension.

Amount varies according to the nature and extent of the injury received, Section 131.

INFERIOR SERVICE.

Compensation and Invalid Gratuity.

Service less than five years	... ...	nil.	Section 76 (*a*).
5 years and less than 10 years	... ...	3 months' pay	,, ,,
10 ,, ,, 15 ,,	... ...	4 ,,	,, ,,
15 ,, ,, 20 ,,	... ...	5 ,,	,, ,,
20 years or more ,,	... ...	6 ,,	,, ,,

Compensation and Invalid Pension.

Service not less than 30 years,—half pay not exceeding Rs. 4 per mensem, Sec. 76 (*b*).

N.B.—If the service be partly Inferior and partly Superior, the applicant has the option of counting the whole as Inferior towards pension on the Inferior Scale, or of counting so much of it as is Superior towards pension on the Superior Scale, Section 77.

In No 381

History of the Service (showing interruptions) of C. Sooba Row late Accountant 2nd Grade Madras Public Works Department.

Establishment.	Appointment.	Pay.	Acting allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as service. Y.	M.	D.	Period not reckoned as service Y.	M.	D.	Remarks.	How verified.*
		Rs.	Rs.										
P.W.D. Nellore	Gumastah	14		12 Novr 1856	31 Decr 1856	.	1	19				Promotion	(a)
„	„	15		1 Jany 1857	23 Mar 1857	.	2	23				Promotion	
„	Estimate Maker and Writer	30.		24 Mar 1857	12 June 1857	.	2	19				Promotion	
„ Southern	„	35		13 June 1857	30 April 1858.	.	10	18				~~Promotion~~	
„	„	35		1 May 1858	31 Octr 1858	.	6	.				Reduction of Establishment	Audit Registers of this Office
„	„	30		1 Novr 1858	16 Octr 1859	.	11	16				Promotion	
„	„	40		17 Octr 1859	30 April 1861	1	6	14					
„	Accountant	40		1 May 1861	31 Octr 1862	1	6	.				Promotion	
Nellore Division	„	50		1 Novr 1862	30 June 1863	.	8	.				Reduction of Establishment	
„	„	35		1 July 1863	19 Augt 1865	2	1	19				Promotion	
„	„	60.		20 Augt 1865	31 May 1871	5	9	11				Do.	
„	Privilege leave	60		1 June 1871	31 July 1871	.	2	-					
„	Accountant	60.		1 Augt 1871	30 Novr 1872	1	4	.					
Kistna Western Delta	Accountant	70		1 Decr 1872	25 Jany 1873	.	1	25				Promotion	(b) Verified from the
Examiner P.W. Accounts Office Madras (on transit)	„	70		26 Jany 1873	6 Feby 1873	.	.	11					
Do	„	.	80	7 Feby 1873	25 Septr 1873	.	7	19				~~Promotion~~	
„	„	80		26 Septr 1873	10 Decr 1875	2	2	15				Promotion	
„	„	100		11 Decr 1875	9 Jany 1876	.	.	29				~~Promotion~~	
„	Privilege leave	100		10 Jany 1876	9 Feby 1876	.	1	.					
„	Accountant	100		10 Feby 1876	22d Septr 1876	.	7	13				Promotion	
„	„	110		23d Septr 1876	30 Novr 1878	2	2	8				Do	
„	Do 3d Grade	160		1 Decr 1878	31 Mar 1879	.	4	.				Do	
	Do 2d Grade	250		1 April 1879	16 Mar 1880	.	11	16				Retired ~~Relieved~~	
						23	4	5	Nil				

Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.

The applicants services from July 1852 to 11 November 1856 cannot be verified from the records of this Office and the applicant declares that he is unable to give any information on the subject, but as all were rendered in temporary and Acting appointments, to prevent delay in the submission of the papers to Government and at the request of the applicant the period has been omitted from this document.

(a) Cannot be verified from the Audit Registers on record in this Office owing to the omission in them of the names of incumbents. An affidavit with four original documents has however been submitted in support of his services during these periods, which have, in consequence, been classed as qualifying. >

(b) Verified from the Audit Registers of this Office and found correct.

The applicants resignation under the terms of Government of India Financial Resolution No. 2079 dated 31st July 1879 has been accepted by Government in G.O. No. 590 W. dated 11th March 1880 (copy attached).

The following papers also accompany the application:-

1 Service Book
1 Affidavit with four original documents
1 Last Pay Certificate

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

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History of the Service (showing interruptions) of

(Contd.)

Establishment.	Appointment.	Pay.	Acting allowance.	Date of beginning.	Date of ending.	Period reckoned as service.			Period not reckoned as service			Remarks.	How verified.*	Remarks by Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
		Rs.	Rs.			Y.	M.	D.	Y.	M.	D.			

* In the Public Works Department, periods of service should be verified by the Examiner P. W. Accounts, Section 84 Rule 2.
If the service claimed cannot be wholly verified from the records of the Accounts Office, reference should be made to the Heads of the Offices in which the applicant states he served during the period in doubt, Section 84 Rule 4; and if verification from this source be not practicable, the applicant must furnish an affidavit on plain paper accompanied by such collateral evidence as may be procurable, *e.g.*, official certificates and the evidence of contemporary employés, Section 84 Rule 5. If the latter course be adopted the authority receiving the application must invariably record his own opinion whether the service claimed has been established and should be admitted or not. Section 84 Rule 6.
The Last Pay Certificate, prescribed in Section 85, should always accompany the Final Pension App

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Remarks by Head of Office.

1. As to character and past conduct of applicant. Good

2. Explanation of any suspension or degradation. Nil

3. Regarding any gratuity or pension already received by applicant, See Chapter XX ... ... }* Nil

4. Explanation under Section 59, Rule 1, so far as the Head of the Office can give it ... ... }† Retired under the terms of the Resolution of the Government of India No 2079 dated 31st July 1879.

6. Any other remarks.

6 Specific opinion of Head of Office whether the service claimed is established and should be admitted or not. (See *Rule 6 under Section 84*) } Service claimed appears to have been established and, in my opinion, can be admitted

J. H. [illegible] Major R.E.
Offg Examiner P.W. Accounts
Signature.

V.H.
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* If the Applicant has received any gratuity or pension, here state the amount of gratuity or pension granted, the authority under which sanctioned, and whether on re-employment the gratuity has or has not been refunded and the pension ceased to be drawn.

† If the applicant is recommended for a pension or gratuity as compensation for abolition of Office, state here for what reasons it was found impossible to provide other suitable employment for the applicant and whether by the abolition of the appointment, a real saving to Government, in respect to the cost of the abolished appointment, has been produced. *Vide* Rules 1 and 6, Section 59 of the Civil Pension Code.

Certificate and Report of Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras.

No. 83 A./B. should Government be pleased to accept the applicant's ~~affidavit~~ for the period from 12 November 1856 to 30 April 1858.

Certified that ~~(subject to the remarks below recorded)~~ qualifying service in Superior grades ~~has been duly proved for~~ would amount to twenty three (23) years four (4) months five (5) days; and that a Compensation Pension not exceeding Rs. Sixty two annas Ten and pies three per mensem equal to $\frac{28}{60}$ of his average emoluments (Rs 134-3-8) and a bonus of Rs (3000) Three Thousand equal to 12 (Twelve) month's pay of substantive rank will be is admissible under ~~Section~~ the terms of Government of India Financial Resolution No 2079 d/31st July 1879 ~~of the Civil Pension Code~~. The calculations have been duly verified. The Compensation Pension and Bonus are ~~is~~ chargeable to General Revenues.

2. ~~Attention is solicited to Section 22.~~

D. A. Trail
Major R.E.
Offg: Examiner P. W. Accounts
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Madras
18th March 1880

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Countersigned — The attention of Government is respectfully solicited to the provisions of para 3 of the Govt. of India letter dated the 21 November 79 embodied in their Endorsement in the Financial Departt. No 1858 dated the 13th December last Copy of which has already been submitted to Government.

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

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

Fort Saint George,
Accountant Genl's Office,
22 March 1880.

To
The Under Secretary to Government
Pension Department.

Pension 1880 Deptt

APPLICATION FOR PENSION OR GRATUITY.

No. 381

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Date of application ... 22d March 1880

Name of applicant ... C. Sooba Row.

Last appointment ... Accountant 2d Grade Office of Examiner P.W. Accounts

Class of pension or gratuity ... ... Compensation

Amount of pension sanctioned ... ...

Amount of gratuity sanctioned ... ...

Date of commencement. 17th March 1880.

Date of sanction ... ...

Wdth. order No 247.

No. Dated

Forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, Circle.

Executive Engineer.

No. Dated

Transmitted to the Examiner, P. W. A., Madras, for verification.

Supg. Engineer, Circle.

No. 630 Dated 18d March 1880.

Forwarded to the Secretary to Government, Pension Department, through the Accountant-General, Madras.

D. H. Trail Major R.E.

Offg *Examiner, P. W. A.,*
Madras.

No. Dated

Transmitted to the Secretary to Government, Pension Department.

Accountant General,
Madras.

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No 327 D/D

P. W. Department.

Proceedings of the Madras Government.

Read the following:—

Letter from the Examiner P. W. Accounts No. 289 W. dated 11th March 1880.

Order thereon 11th March 1880 No. 590 W.

The resignation of C. Sooba Row, Accountant, 2d Grade, is accepted under the terms of the Government of India Resolution of 31st July 1879. No. 2079.

(True extract)

(Signed) J. Pennycuick. Major R.E.
Ag. Under Secy: to Govt. P. W. D.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
19 MAR 80
MADRAS

(True copy)

J. A. Telfer
Superintt. Correspondence Branch

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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.
Collector of Nellore						
Police Goomastah of Gogulapully Division	Acting	Substantive appoint	~~10~~	10	24 July 1852	
Mazoom Goomastah of Chendaloor taluq	Temporary	Acting	~~15~~	15	12 Novr 1853	
Police Goomastah of Gogalapully Division	Acting	Substantive appt	~~10~~	10	1st June 1854	
Police Peishcar of Pawmoor	Do	Do	~~15~~	15	25 Augt 1854	
Salt Navisintha Bingineepally	Do	Do	~~14~~	14	8th Decr 1854	
Departt Public Works						
Goomastah 4 class Executive Engineer	Permanent	Substantive appt	14	~~14~~	12th Nov 1856	Subbarow
Goomastah 3d class Executive Engineer	Do	Do	15	"	1st Jany 1857	
Writer 4 class Executive Engineer	Do	Do	30	"	24 March 1857	
Accountant and Estimate Maker 4 class Executive Engineer	Do	Do	35	"	13 June 1857	
Writer and Estimate Maker Offg Asst Engineer	Do	Do	30	"	1st Nov 1858	
Estimate Maker & Accountant Southern Range Office	Do	Do	40	.	7 Octr 1859	

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.
C. Soobarow.	Bramin	Triplicane.	C Ramachendrarow.	Nellore	October 1825	49	4	Cannot say	5	3	Scar above the right eyebrow -	2nd March 1875	C. Soobarow	Geo Brown Offg Examiner P.W. Accts Madras

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8 Character of Officer. *No entry need be made in this Column except when there is any thing either good or bad to be recorded. Suspensions should be noted here when the order of suspension is passed.*	9 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.	10 Date of termination of appointment.	11 Reason of termination *e.g., transfer, promotion, return of permanent incumbent.*	12 Signature and designation of immediate head of the Office.
C. Soobbarow served as Goomastah in the Engineer Store yard at Nellore for six months and in my Office for 5 months. He is a good Accountant and leaves in order to obtain promotion. Madras. 25th March 1857. (Sigd) A. Rutherdon Captn Executive Engineer.			Not known by the applicant himself	
The bearer C. Soobba Row an Accountant and Estimate maker in my Office for a period of 15 months during this time he has acquitted himself perfectly to my satisfaction. He is an intelligent, hard working and zealous man and a most excellent Accountant he is in every way fit to be at the head of an Office. I have much pleasure in giving him this Character and I hope it may prove of service to him. Nellore 10 June 1858. (Sigd) W. H. Watts Captn Ex: Engineer				
C. Soobbarow has been my Accountant during the last 2 months and I have every reason to be satisfied with him as a good Accountant and in every way suited to his duties. (Sigd) C. J. Smith Lt. Engineer. 18-8-58.		31st December 1856 23rd March 1857	Promotion Promotion	
The Office of Executive Engineer Southern Range of the Nellore District being by order of the Chief Engineer reduced to that allowed to an Assistant Engineer from 1st November 1858 the Accountant C Soobba Row had to fall back to the employment of a writer in the same.		12th June 1857	Promotion	
C. Soobba Row was Accountant when I first took over charge of the Executive Engineer's Office of the Southern Range. He is a very competent Accountant a zealous and hard working man writes English extremely well. He is now carrying on the duties of Accountant in my Office and writer combined and I am much pleased with the very efficient way in which he perform the very heavy work has fallen to his share since the reduction in this Office has taken place. (sigd) A. G. W. Burn Captn Offg Asst. Ex. Engineer 17 February 1859.		31st October 1858 16th October 1859 31st October 1862	Reduction of Estt Promotion Promotion	Geo Brown Offg Examiner P.W.A. Madras
Captain Burn on quitting the Range in October 1859 expresses high approval of the Conduct of this person during the time he has been attached to his Establishment. (sigd) I. M. Dis. Engineer 26. 10. 59.				

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.
Estimate Maker & Accountant Nellore Range	Permanent	Substantive appt.	50	"	1st Novr 1862	C. Subba Row
	"	"	35	"	1-7-63	
Head Accountant Nellore Range	Do	Do	60	.	20. Augt. 1865	
Privilege leave for two months					from 1 June to 31 July	
Do Southern Range Nellore Dt	Do	Do	60	.	1st Septr 1872	

8 Character of Officer. *No entry need be made in this Column except when there is any thing either good or bad to be recorded. Suspensions should be noted here when the order of suspension is passed.*	9 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.	10 Date of termination of appointment.	11 Reason of termination e.g., *transfer, promotion, return of permanent incumbent.*	12 Signature and designation of immediate head of the Office.
I regret to be obliged to record a formal and severe reprimand against this man for great carelessness in not examining the records of the Lotah Range and in reporting the station Books of the Tummulthur Pur Taluq for 1858-59 not forthcoming when they were in the Range all the time thereby causing great inconvenience and delay in the submission of the Bills. 14-4-60. (Sigd) I. M District Engineer				Geo. Brown Offg. Examiner P.W.A. Madras
Certified by I. Biggers Esqr 1st Assistant District Engineer in charge Southern Range that this man has given him entire satisfaction, that he is a Capital Accountant and that he would make a good head of an Office where a large Establishment was employed. 5th November 1862. (Signed) I. Biggers C.E.				
Promoted to 1st Class Range on degradation of Venkataroyalo in consideration of the good character given him by his late and present Officers. (Sigd) T. Greenaway Major 31-1-63. Ag District Engineer		30-6-63 19th August 1865	Reduction of 8th	
Lieutenant Smith on leaving Nellore reports that after five years experience of Soobba Row he has found him industrious and intelligent, quick and business like, and takes good work from those under him. 19 August 1864. (Sigd) J. C. Anderson Superintending Engineer		19-8-65	Promotion	
Conduct Satisfactory 15th Novr 1868. (Sigd) G. V. Winscom L. C Supdg. Engineer				
During the time I was in charge of Nellore Range I found the Head Accountant C. Soobba Row a capital Office manager, I believe him to be a trustworthy and very deserving man and well qualified to fill a higher post than that of Range Accountant (Sigd) R. Smith 29-4-70. Executive Engineer on Spl. duty	-do-	31st August 1872 30th June 1872	Transfer Promotion	

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.
Head Accountant Western Delta Range Kistna District	Permanent	~~Substantive~~ appt.	70	"	1st Decr 1872	C Subbarow
Accountant on the Temporary Estabt. of the Office of the Controller of P. W. Accounts	Temporary	Hd. Acctt. Western Delta Range Kistna on a Salary of Rs 70	80	"	7th Feb 1873	
Accountant in the Office of the Controller of P. W. Accounts	Permanent		80	"	26th Sept 1873	
Accountant in do	Permanent ~~Acting~~	~~Accountant on Rs 80~~	100	100	11th Dec 1875	
Privilege leave for one month from 10th January to 9th Feby						
— do — in the Office of the Exr of P. W. Accounts	— do —	— do —	110	110	23d Sept 1876	
Accountant 3rd Grade in the Office of the Examiner P.W. Accts	-do-		160	-"-	1st Decr.	

No. 357.

From

The Executive Engineer

No. 1 or Southern Range

To

The Controller of P.W. Accounts.

Sir,

In forwarding copy of letter of recommendation granted by Lieut. Col. A. Ritherdon to C. Soobba Row Head Accountant Southern Range I have the honor after over five years personal acquittance with him, to add my testimony to the thorough and efficient manner in which he has ever performed his difficult and arduous duties. His accounts have invariably been kept with great care and exactness and submitted promptly and I can most strongly recommend him to the favorable notice of the Controller for employment in the Central Office should opportunity offer.

The late Mr. B. Lacey in reporting on the accounts of the Nellore Range (G.O. No. 63A, dated 20 January 1870) writes as follows.

"13 The Accountant of this Range is a very intelligent man. The accounts are well and methodically kept, and the Books are neatly maintained."

Nellore
5. December 1872.

(sigd) A. D. Clay Major
Ex. Engr. S Range

True copy
(sigd) A. D. Clay Major
Ex. Engr. S. Range

No. 9.

To The District Engineer Kistna.

Sir,

A temporary Establishment of Accountants is about to be sanctioned by Govt. in connection with this Office, for six months, before the expiration of which period it is likely that circumstances may render it necessary to make the augmentation permanent

6th Feb 1873	Transferred to the Controller's Office to be employed on the Temporary Estabt. on increased rate of pay.
25th Sept 1873	Transferred to the permanent Estabt.
10th Dec. 1875	Promotion
22d Sept 1876	— do —
30th Novr. 1878	- ditto -
31st March 1879	- ditto -

Geo Brown
Offg: Examiner P.W.A.
Madras

in the Office of the Examiner P.W.A. Madras	Permt.	250	—	1st Apr 1879

An appointment of Rs 80 on that Establishment is available for a qualified Accountant at an outstation and as C. Soobba Row's name has been brought to my notice (the head Accountant transferred from the Southern Range Office Nellore to the Western Delta Range Office Kistna) I shall be glad to confer it on him, if you have no objection to the arrangement. I shall be obliged therefore by your making the offer to him and acquainting me with the result by the earliest date possible.

2- The Accountant may either be confirmed in the post or in the event this becomes impracticable, the first opportunity will be availed of, in giving him an appointment on the regular Establishment with equal emoluments.

I have &c.

4 January 1873 | (Sigd) J. Beach
Controller of P.W. Acct.

No 13
Camp Doogeralla
15 January 1873

From
The District Engineer
Kistna

To
The Controller of P.W. Account.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 9 dated 4 Instant I have the honor to inform you that C. Soobbarow wishes to accept the appointment you offer and I shall not stand in the way of his promotion.

2. As the appointment is for the present a temporary one, I shall appoint an accountant to act only for him in the Western Delta Range Office for 6 months.

I have &c.
(Sigd) J. Hasted Major R.E.
District Engineer.

I have much pleasure in testifying to the fact that during the time C. Soobba row Head Accountant was under my immediate orders he conducted the duties of his Office with great intelligence and industry. He was extremely careful and expeditious in all his accounts and I was much pleased with his work. I sincerely hope he

16th March 1880

Retirement ~~Bounty~~ under the terms of Govt of India Fnl: Resolution No 2079 d/31 July 1877

Geo Morris
~~for~~ Offg: Examiner P.W.A. Madras
2[illegible]/1916

Accountant in the Office of the Controller of P.W. Accounts.	Temporary	80	1st Feby 1873	C. Soobbarow
Do	Permanent	80	26. Augt 1873	

will get some better appointment as I have no doubt he is fit for any post of a Head Acct. or Manager.

27.8.72 (Sigd) Lyon
Asst Engineer N.K.

C. Soobbarow served in the Western Delta Kistna as Head Accountant since the 1st of January and now leaves on promotion to the Controller's Office in Madras. From the little I have thus been able to see of his work he is evidently an able Accountant and well up to all the work required of him.

Guntoor
January 24/73. Asst Engr in ch. W.D. Raye
Kistna

No. 3192

From
The Controller of P.W. Accounts
To
The Secretary to Government P.W. Deptt.

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4. Both these men are fully competent for the work upon which they are engaged in this Office and I am quite satisfied that it would be impossible to obtain better men if indeed the services of men equally efficient can be procured. Enclosed are the testimonials laid before me by Peroomalrow & Soobbarow respectively from which it will be seen that these persons have always borne a high Character.

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Madras
27 March/73. Sigd S. Brock
Controller of P.W. Accts

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Controller of P.W. Accounts

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C. Subba Rao } These Auditors joined the office shortly before I took charge and have proved themselves to be intelligent and careful; Superior to some of the Auditors who have been longer in Office and who draw higher pay.

22d March/75. (Signed) J. Moss
Controller of P.W. Accts

8 Character of Officer. *No entry need be made in this Column except when there is any thing either good or bad to be recorded. Suspensions should be noted here when the order of suspension is passed.*	9 Signature & designation of immediate head of the Office.	10 Date of termination of appointment.	11 Reason of termination *e.g., transfer, promotion, return of permanent incumbent.*	12 Signature and designation of immediate head of the Office.

SERVICE BOOK

OF

Name.

Caste or Race.

Residence.

FATHER'S, Name.

FATHER'S, Residence.

Date of birth.

[illegible] No 381

[illegible] No 381

Mr. Cagootila Subba Row

"As you are appointed from 12th Instant as Acting Gumastah on a Salary of Rs. 14, you should discharge the duties entrusted to you with great care and diligence

12th Novr.
1856
Nellore

(Signed) A. Ritherdon Capn.
2d. Assistant, Civil
Engineer, Nellore Dt.

True Translation

C Subbarow

A Hill
15/3/80

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Aug. Ritherdon Captain
2d. Asst. Civil Engr. Nellore Dt.

[illegible] No 391

C. Sonbason has been my accountant during the last 2 months, and I have every reason to be satisfied with him, as a good accountant and in every way suited to his duties.

18/8/35.

A. Smith Lieut.
Engineer.

The bearer, C. Sorbarow was an Accountant and Estimator under in my office for a period of 15 months. During this time he has acquitted himself perfectly to my satisfaction — He is an intelligent, hardworking and zealous man, and a most excellent accountant, he is in every way fit to be at the head of an office — I have much pleasure in

giving him this character -
and I hope it may prove
of service to him -

Jno Watts Collr
Exec. Engr

Nellore
June 10th 1858

P.W. 2008/73.

See a No 381

The bearer of this C. Soobarow has served as Accountant in my Office during the time I have had charge of the Southern Range of the Nellore District and it gives me great pleasure in being able to state that he has always discharged his duties in a most able and efficient manner.

He writes very neatly and quickly and his Accounts have always been most correctly and very neatly kept. He is a most honest and zealous man and possesses abilities which fit him to hold a much higher situation than the one he now fills.

A.J.M. [illegible] Captn.
2d. Asstt. Distt. Engineer

Nellore
12th. October 1859

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Read the following papers :— 49

From the ~~Superintending Engineer,~~ ~~Circle, dated~~ ~~1879.~~
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts, dated 18 March 1880 No. 630 P
" Accountant-General, dated 22d March 1880, No. A.D.J./135

ORDER THEREON, 25 March 1880, No. 247

Under Resolution of the Government of India, No. 2079, dated 31st July 1879, His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to C Subba Row late an Accountant, 2nd Grade, Office of Examr. Accounts, Madras Public Works ~~Department~~, a compensation pension of Rs. 62-10-3. Sixty two, annas ten and pies three, per mensem, payable at Madras from 17 March 1880, in consideration of his qualifying superior service of 23 years 4 months and 5 days.

2. ~~Mr.~~ C Subba Row is further granted a bonus of Rs. (3000-0-0) three thousand or twelve months' substantive pay, payable at Madras

Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Accountant-General, with Register.
" the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" ~~the Superintending Engineer,~~ ~~Circle.~~
" C Subba Row
disp^d 25/3/80

Govt. of {1880} Madras.

PENSION.

To

The ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated 25 March/80
Issued
Recd. *Encl.*

G.O. 25 March 1880. *No.* 247

March
~~JANUARY~~.

Pension.—Granting a compensation pension of Rs. 62-10-3 per mensem and bonus of Rs. 3000 to C. Subba R
late a 2nd Grade Acct., officer Engineer, Public Works ~~Department~~. Accounts