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Government of Madras.

Pension DEPARTMENT.

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CURRENT No. 297-

No. 4410

MADRAS,

Marine Office,

19th May 1881.

From

J. H. TAYLOR, Esq., LIEUT., R.N.R.,

Master Attendant,

Administrative Department,

Madras,

To

The Honble R. Davidson Esq. S. S.

Chief Secretary to Government,

Marine Department,

Fort Saint George.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward the
accompanying Memorial from the Port Officer,
Pambour, praying that his services prior to
joining the Madras Government may be
allowed to count towards pension, and to
recommend it to the favorable consideration
of Government.

I have the honor to be

Sir

your most Obedt Servant

J. H. Taylor

Master Attendant

Administrative Department

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Pamham 23rd April 1881

To
The Right Honorable
The Governor
of Madras

The humble Petition of
Thomas Harry Baker
Post Office
Pamham

Sheweth

That your Petitioner was appointed in July 1873 to the Indian Marine as 3rd Officer of the S G S Dalhousie, promoted in February 1874 to 2nd Officer, and served in the Persian Gulf in the Gun boat Hugh Rose and Despatch Vessel Mayflower in that capacity and as Acting Chief Officer till February 1875; when at the request of Commander Dundas Taylor Superintendent of Marine Survey to the Government of India he was transferred to that Department and served till 30th July 1876 at which period great reductions in the Department being made, he had no other alternative but to resign or go back to the Service from which he had been recruited in an inferior position to that which he held at time of transfer, viz as Acting 2nd Officer; as your Petitioner was married, the pay of the post offered was quite inadequate to support himself and wife on, and he was forced to resign and seek other employment, which he eventually succeeded being appointed on the 25th August 1876 by Captain Taylor Master Attendant Madras to the Command of the Harbour Works S S Salisbury and afterwards to

Form
The Master Attendant,
Administrative Dept.,
Madras,
To
The Chief Secretary to Govt.,
Marine Department,
Fort Saint George,
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Enclosure,

to the post your Petitioner at present holds,
a break of 24 days only therefore has occurred
in his service in Government employ, and
your Petitioner humbly begs that your Exce-
llency may be pleased to recommend - the
Supreme Government to allow the whole of his
services prior to his resigning Government service
to count towards pension and leave

And your Petitioner as in
duty bound shall ever pray.

J. H. Baker
Post office.

Memorandum.

The Master Attendant Administrative Department
 hereby appoints Mr J. H. Baker to the Command of the
 Government S. S. Barge "Salisbury" on a salary of Rupees
 200 per mensem.

He is requested to take charge of the vessel
 early tomorrow morning the 26th of August 1876.

Madras
 Marine Office
 26th August 1876

Signed / J. H. Taylor
 Master Attendant
 Administrative Department.

N. 5696

To.

Mr J. H. Baker

Sig / J. H. Taylor

(True Copy)

Sig / A. R.

J. H. Baker

Port Office

Pamban. 23rd April 1881

In - N. 575

In Marine 29/7/81

In Mar 29/51

L. P. S.

Certified that S. B. Baker served as 2^d officer of H. M. S. de. V. May there B. M. under my command from 13th of May 1844 to 25th of November of same year and from that date up to 13th of February 1845 as acting chief Officer on which date he was transferred to the S. Marine Survey M^r Baker is good temper sober steady and attentive to his duties all of which he has a perfect knowledge of always ready and willing to perform his duties in the trying climate of the Persian Gulf during the hot weather.

Dated Bombay
13/2/45

(Signed) G. M. Gathrie
Command H. M. S. de V. May there B. M.

(True copy)
J. A. Baker
Post office
Bombay 23rd April 1851

I have much pleasure in testifying to the general
conduct of Mr. Baker during the period of three months
when serving as 2^d Officer of H. M. S. Hugh Rose
Mr. Baker is a thoroughly efficient and zealous officer
and I greatly regret losing him

Sigd^e Alex. Campbell
H. M. S. Hugh Rose

13th May 1874

True copy

J. A. Baker

Post Office
Pembroke 23rd April 1889

Mar 29/74

L. C. 875

H. M. S. Dalhousie

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• Mr. Thomas Barry Baker Served on board the Vessel under my command from the 1st of July 1843 up to the 18th February 1844 during which time on several occasions we had rather severe work where he displayed the greatest energy & was always willing to perform any duty in steady and promising Officer he leaves me on promotion and he carries my best wishes with him

Bombay } (Signed) H. M. Warner
18th February 1844 } Commanding

True Copy

J. H. Baker

Port Officer

Pambour 23rd April 1881

In Manuscript 2971

In Manuscript 2975

Government of India

Office of Superintendent of Marine Surveys

Office Memorandum.

Calcutta dated 28th July 1876

For

Certified that the Services of Mr J. H. Baker Executive Officer in the Marine Survey Department are transferred to the Bombay Marine, by order of the Government of India, only on account of reduction of Establishment, and for no other reason.

Mr Baker has always discharged his duties satisfactorily and I can recommend him as a steady and deserving Officer.

Signed / John Henry Ellis
Staff Commr. Rct.

By Superintendent of Marine Surveys
in George.

True copy

J. H. Baker
Post Office
Bombay 23rd April 1881

In Mar 29/81

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Transferred to
the Pension Dept.

J. Davidson
Chief Secretary.

Pension
Marine (1881) DEPARTMENT.
Post-officer
N^o 875
From THE MASTER ATTENDANT,
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT,
Madras.

To THE CHIEF SECY. TO GOVERNMENT,
MARINE DEPARTMENT,
R. D.
Fort Saint George.
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Subject.

Submitting for favorable
consideration a memorial
from the Port Officer, Pamban,
praying that his service
prior to joining the
Madras Government
may be allowed to
count towards pension.

Transferred

Pension DEPARTMENT.

No. 150

Fort Saint George,
Accountant-General's Office,
9th July 1881.

From

H. F. Hogston Esq.
OFF. ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE Under Secretary to Government,
Pension Department,
Cotacamund.

SIR,

With reference to Mr. Under Secretary Overbury's
Endorsement N^o 38 dated the 3rd June 1881, referring
for remarks a letter from the Master Attendant,
Madras, N^o 4410 dated the 19th May 1881, forwarding
a memorial from Mr. J. H. Baker, Port Officer Pamban,
praying that he may be allowed to count towards
pension and leave, the services rendered prior to
resignation of his appointment in August 1876,
I have the honor to state that this Office has no
record of Mr. Baker's services for the period prior
to the date of joining his appointment as Port
Officer Pamban, and I am unable therefore to say
whether the service rendered up to that date qualifies
for pension or not. If however the previous service
of Mr. Baker counts for pension Government may
condone the break which extends only to 25 days
under Section 98 of Civil Pension Code 5th Edition.

2. The Enclosures of the Endorsement under reply
are herewith returned.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

H. F. Hogston

Off. Account General.

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1881
Referred to the Accountant General.
for any remarks he may have to offer.
Cotacamund
21 June 1881
By Under Secretary

To the Accountant General
Sd/-



1881
Customs Department.

From No. 1091

The Accountant
General.

The Under Secy
to Government
Pension Dept.

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Dated
Recd 13 39th July '81

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Remarks on Letter
from the Director
Attended No 4410 dtd
19 May '81 forwarding
Mr J. A. Baker's
Memorial.

W. J. G.

With Order 838 of 881

File No. 9 September 1881 P 838.

Copy of the Act. General's letter will be communicated to
the Justice Assistant General, who will inform Mr. Baker
to Section 135 of the Civil Service Code, which provides
the consideration of questions affecting the pension of an officer
before he actually retires. J. A. B. 21/9/81.

To the Justice Assistant
No. 9-9-81

W. J. G.