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and directing the Collector
to report the name of every
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10TH OCTOBER 1894, No. 1240, PENSION.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

READ—again G.O., dated 9th January 1894, No. 2.

READ—again G.O., dated 12th April 1894, No. 427.

READ—again G.O., dated 31st May 1894, No. 668.

READ—again G.O., dated 7th September 1894, No. 1112.

READ—again G.O., dated 24th September 1894, Nos. 1178-79.

ORDER—dated 10th October 1894, No. 1240, Pension.

The orders read above all relate to pension applications from the Kistna district, in the disposal of which great delay has been allowed to occur.

2. In the case of Chatta Kotappa, dealt with in G.O., dated 24th September 1894, No. 1178, the applicant, whose service dated back to the year 1849, was in the first instance permitted to retire in February 1891. After nearly a year's delay, for which no explanation is furnished, the pension application reached the Accountant-General's office in January 1892, and it was then pointed out that the application was out of order, because the applicant was less than 60 years of age and had not furnished a medical certificate of incapacity for further service. This rule should have been well-known to the District officers, who had dealt with the case, and in consequence of their disregard of its provisions, the applicant, who had to be reinstated, lost both pay and pension for more than a year. After his reinstatement no steps were apparently taken to verify his services and to prepare for his retirement, although attention had been specially drawn to his case by the Proceedings noted above, and when he finally left the service in December 1893, it took nearly 9 months for his pension papers to reach the Government office.

3. His Excellency the Governor in Council is unable to allow this case to pass without fuller information as to the causes of this most reprehensible delay, and the Collector of Kistna is directed to report the names of every officer responsible. The final stage of delay between December 1893 and September 1894 is partly explained in the Sub-Collector's letter to the Treasury Deputy Collector of August 28, but the delay in 1891-92, which practically fined the applicant of 15½ months' pay, remains unexplained. When the Collector's report is received, the Government will proceed to consider whether the officers responsible should not make good to the applicant the arrears of salary which he lost by their default.

4. The case dealt with in G.O., No. 1179 of the same date, also brings to light the occurrence of gross delay in the settlement of claims to pension. The applicant, Tadepalle Lakshmayya, was compelled to retire under the Collector's Order of June 15, 1893. His service under Government had commenced in 1856 and amounted in all to over 37 years, of which some 31 years were qualifying. The applicant's service actually closed on August 31, 1893, but his pension papers were not received in the Government office until September 14, 1894, so that the applicant has been kept waiting for his pension for more than a year. The delay is partly explained in the Sub-Collector's letter to the Treasury Deputy Collector, dated 9th July 1894.

5. The delay in the above cases has been separately noticed, because the disposal of pension applications in the Kistna district is conducted more tardily than in any other district, and the Government accordingly desires to draw the Collector's attention to the matter and to the orders already issued on the subject. It was reported by Mr. Atkinson in his letter read in G.O., dated 9th January 1894, No. 2, Pension, that the verification of service registers had been almost entirely neglected in the Kistna district, and the frequent delays now brought to notice afford ample evidence of this fact. The Government trusts that prompt action has been taken to rectify the errors of the past, but it is clear that much remains to be done in this direction, and Mr. Atkinson should devote his personal attention to the matter. Under G.O., dated 11th August 1894, No. 991, all Heads of Departments have been called upon to submit a return of the progress of verification at the close of the quarter ending with September 30.

(True Extract.)

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Under Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Kistna.

„ the Accountant-General.

„ the Public Department, *with 100 s. cs. of*

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„ the Revenue Department,

„ the Military Department,

„ the Public Works Department,

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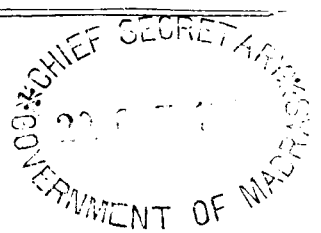
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Pension applications.

Passing orders on delays in the submission of — in the Kistna district, and directing the Collector to report the names of every officer responsible for the delay in the submission of the pension application of C. Kotappa, late peon, Sattenapalle taluk.

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WITH ORDER