

Public (1895) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 996

Dated 5th Dec: 1895

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[Despatch Abstract.]

PETITION.

Informing pensioned sepoy Chengiah of the 8th Regiment,
Native Infantry, that Government declines to reconsider its order
refusing to sanction his ^{re-}enrolment on the pension establishment.

The Right Honorable The Governor
in Council

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Fort St George

Madras.

The humble memorial of Chergiah pensioned
Sepoy of the late 8th Regt No 10
Most Respectfully Sheweth:-

That your lordship's humble memorialist
would most respectfully beg to submit that your
lordship vide your lordships order No 1609 dated
19th March last has been pleased to decline
the sanction of the reenrolment of your humble
memorialist's name on the "pension Establishment"
for reasons that your humble memorialist was
convicted and sentenced to under go 2 years
rigorous imprisonment under Section 420 I.P.C.-

That your lordship's humble memorialist
in venturing to address your lordship on the
same subject would respectfully beg to submit
that your lordship's memorialist had served
the Govt in the military Deptt for 24
successive years without any default which has
secured him the pension which he was
enjoying till this mishap ensued.

That your lordship's humble memorialist
may kindly be permitted to submit here that
if he would take the liberty of laying before
your lordship the true facts that the case was
concocted against him by some of his enemies
and that he was as innocent as a dove it
cannot exonerate him from the offence he

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was mixed with, because the present result was, that he was convicted and sentenced of it; but all that he has to do is to implore your lordships to have pity on his miserable condition and grant him an unconditional pardon.

That besides, your lordships' humble memorialist may be allowed to add here that he underwent the most shameful and more than sufficient punishment for the offence which he is said to have committed and that he should forfeit his pension which is the result of his 24 years' honest and hard service for an offence which has the least possible connection with it is to make your humble memorialist suffer two equally severe punishments for a single crime which is not allowable in the Benign British rule.

That your lordships' humble memorialist would in elusion most respectfully beg your lordships to take your lordships' humble memorialists case into your lordships' usually generous consideration and grant your lordships' sanction for the re-enrolment of his name on the pension Establishment. That if the boon sought be graciously granted your lordships' humble memorialist shall as in duty bound ever pray.

Sironeha } Signed (For app) in Telugur
Chandur District C.P. } Late pensioner of the 8th Regt. No. 11.9
Dated 9th October 1895

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