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Appointments of Junior Chaplains.

Sanctioning the admission of the Reverend C. F. Breay as a junior chaplain from the date on which he joined his first appointment; and requesting the Venerable the Archdeacon to renew his application on behalf of the Reverend E. Bull after the completion of the three years' probation required by the Civil Service Regulations.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From the Venerable W. W. ELWES, M.A., Archdeacon of Madras, in charge of the Diocese, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Coonoor, 14th June 1897, No. 1656.

I have the honour to report, for the information and orders of Government, that the Reverend Christopher Francis Breay, M.A., Merton College, Oxon, appointed a probationary chaplain on the Madras Ecclesiastical establishment, took charge of the chaplaincy of Trimulgherry on the afternoon of the 28th May 1897, from which date, under Civil Service Regulations, part V, chapter XXVII, section III (Chaplains), article 637 (a), he should be admitted to the Madras Ecclesiastical establishment.

2. By article 664-A, Civil Service Regulations, a clergyman, resident in India, may have his probationary service omitted altogether, if he has had approved service in India exceeding three years.

3. The Reverend C. F. Breay had been chaplain of Trivandrum and Quilon for over four years, and on presenting a certificate from the Venerable John Caley, Archdeacon of Kottayam, in charge of the Church of England in Travancore and Cochin, in the absence of the Right Reverend Bishop Hodges, should, I think, be admitted as a junior chaplain from the 28th May 1897 and placed on the list immediately next below the Reverend Arthur Ainsworth Sharp.

4. I have been waiting for this certificate in order that I might place the papers as a whole before Government, but as it has not yet been received, I have thought it best not to delay any longer; the certificate shall be forwarded on its receipt.

5. Before administering the oaths for licensing in this diocese to the Reverend C. F. Breay, I examined his papers and found them all in due order.

From the Venerable W. W. ELWES, M.A., Archdeacon of Madras, in charge of the Diocese, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Coonoor, 16th June 1897, No. 1659.

I have the honour to report, for the information and orders of Government, that the Reverend Edmund Bull, appointed a probationary chaplain on the Madras Ecclesiastical establishment, assumed charge as acting joint chaplain of St. George's Cathedral on the morning of Saturday, June 12th, 1897, from which date, under Civil Service Regulations, part V, chapter XXVII, section III (Chaplains), article 637 (a), he should be admitted to the Madras Ecclesiastical establishment.

2. By article 664-A, Civil Service Regulations, a clergyman, resident in India, may have his probationary service omitted altogether, if he has had approved service in India exceeding three years.

3. I enclose, in original, a certificate from the Right Reverend the Bishop of Lucknow, showing that the Reverend E. Bull has had approved service in the Lucknow Diocese for more than three years, namely, from August 1893.

4. Under these circumstances, I have the honour to request that Government will be pleased to gazette the Reverend E. Bull as a junior chaplain from June 12th, 1897. His place on the list should be immediately under that of the Reverend C. F. Breay, should the latter be admitted as a junior chaplain. If Mr. Breay should not be admitted as a junior chaplain, then Mr. Bull's name should be placed under that of the Reverend A. A. Sharp.

5. Before administering the oaths for licensing in this diocese to the Reverend E. Bull, I examined his papers and found them all in due order.

ENCLOSURE.

Certificate.

The Reverend Edmund Bull, of the Additional Clergy Society, has worked in the Diocese of Lucknow since August 1893 first in Allahabad and afterwards in Tundla (East India Railway).

Mr. Bull has, in my opinion, been faithful and diligent in the charges to which he has been appointed and has won the respect of those whose pastor he has been. In addition to his work as chaplain, Mr. Bull has held the honorary post of Diocesan Inspector of Schools. In this capacity he has done useful and important work.

I regret his departure from this diocese. He leaves to take up his appointment as a Government chaplain.

ALLAHABAD,
20th May 1897.

(Signed) A. CULMAN.

From the Venerable W. W. ELWES, M.A., Archdeacon of Madras, in charge of the Diocese, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Coonoor, 23rd June 1897, No. 1661.

In continuation of my letter, No. 1659, dated 16th June 1897, I have the honour to forward, enclosed, a certificate in original from the Venerable Archdeacon Caley, Commissary of the Right Reverend E. Noel Hodges, Bishop of the Church of England in Travancore and Cochin, to the effect that the Reverend C. F. Breay has served in the diocese "with approval" and has given full satisfaction in his work since 1892.

2. Under these circumstances, I have the honour to request that Government will be pleased to direct that the Reverend C. F. Breay be admitted as a junior chaplain on the Madras Ecclesiastical establishment and that he be placed on the list immediately next below the Reverend A. A. Sharp.

ENCLOSURE.

Certificate.

I hereby certify that the Reverend C. F. Breay has served with approval in this diocese since 1892, giving full satisfaction both to the Bishop and the congregations under his charge.

KÓTTAYAM,
27th May 1897.

(Signed) M. CALEY, Archdeacon,
Bishop's Commissary.

From the Venerable W. W. ELWES, M.A., Archdeacon of Madras, in charge of the Diocese, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Coonoor, 19th July 1897, No. 1670.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your memorandum, No. 1335, Ecclesiastical, dated 29th June 1897.

2. The Reverend Christopher Breay has completed six years in priest's orders, as he was ordained priest in 1890.

3. The Reverend Edmund Bull has not been in priest's orders for six years, as he was ordained priest in 1892.

4. But I would respectfully point out to Government that article 664 A-II lays down, without any restriction as to length of time in priest's orders, that "if a clergyman, resident in India, at the time of his nomination to the Ecclesiastical establishment has rendered in India service under the Additional Clergy Society or other approved service, his period of probation may be reduced by the amount of such service, or omitted altogether if such service exceeds three years."

5. A probationary chaplain before he can be appointed to be a junior chaplain must have served three years in India, have obtained a medical certificate, and have obtained the approval of the Bishop of the Diocese during these three years of service, all which conditions have been fulfilled outside the establishment by Messrs. Bull and Breay.

6. I can understand that there can be drawn, from note to No. 664 A-II, an argument in favour of the necessity of a clergyman who is appointed to the establishment being required to have been in priest's orders for six years, but it seems to me that if this had been intended it would have been inserted as a proviso in article 664 A-II.

7. Owing to its having now become a somewhat common plan to appoint to the establishment clergymen who have served three years in India, the decision on this matter will be a very important one. There may be some decision on the point of which I am not aware, but if there is not, I should be glad if the Government would see its way to refer the matter for the final decision of the Government of India or the Secretary of State for India.

From the Venerable W. W. ELWES, M.A., Archdeacon of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Coonoor, 4th August 1897, No. 1673.

In continuation of my letter, No. 1670, dated 19th July 1897, I have the honour to submit, for the consideration of Government, the following cases brought to my notice by the Reverend E. Bull, and which seem to show clearly that it is not necessary for a probationary chaplain to have been six years in priest's orders before he is appointed a junior chaplain.

2. In the case of the Reverend Percy Debenham Johnson, who was ordained priest in 1890 and worked as an Additional Clergy Fund chaplain at Allahabad from 1892 to 1895, when he was appointed chaplain on probation, March 24th, 1895, and confirmed as junior chaplain on April 20th, 1895; Mr. Johnson could not therefore have been in priests' orders for six years.

3. The case of the Reverend Robert Mansel Kirwan, ordained priest 1889, Allahabad clergy staff 1892-93, probationary chaplain August 1st, 1893, confirmed junior chaplain 29th October 1894. Mr. Kirwan could not have been six years in priest's orders when confirmed as junior chaplain.

4. I submit, for the consideration and orders of the Government, that under these circumstances the Reverends C. F. Breay and E. Bull should be admitted as junior chaplains from the date on which they were admitted to the establishment.

From F. C. HARRISON, Esq., Officiating Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 6th August 1897, No. 2401.

With reference to your endorsement, No. 1592, Ecclesiastical, dated the 28th of July 1897, referring for my remarks letters from the Venerable the Archdeacon in charge of the Diocese of Madras in which he requests Government to appoint Reverend Breay and Reverend Bull as junior chaplains from the dates on which they joined their first appointments, I have the honour to point out that article 664-A, quoted by the Venerable the Archdeacon of Madras, has been cancelled, but under paragraph 3 of article 640, Civil Service Regulations, time spent in India on service under the Additional Clergy Society or on other approved service may be included in the period of probation and Government can grant this concession to these chaplains, if it thinks fit.

ORDER—No. 58, Ecclesiastical, dated 20th August 1897.

Under article 640, Civil Service Regulations, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the admission of the Reverend C. F. Breay as a junior chaplain from the date on which he joined his first appointment.

2. The article quoted above, while permitting approved service in India to be included in the period of three years' probation, stipulates that that period cannot commence until a clergyman has been three years in priest's orders. It is impossible therefore in the case of the Reverend E. Bull to take into consideration the time spent in India previous to 1895, and, not having completed the three years' probation required by the Civil Service Regulations, he cannot be at present confirmed. The Venerable the Archdeacon will be requested to renew his application in due course, reporting the exact date of Mr. Bull's ordination as priest.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Venerable the Archdeacon.
" Accountant-General.

Exd. W. D'Moss.

Ecclesiastical (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 139



Copy to
20.8.97

H.M.

Ecc. Ct. 1392/143

In Orders

From
The Venerable W. Weston Elwes, M.A.
Archdeacon of Madras
In charge of the Diocese

Art 664 A of the C.S.R.

No. 1656

Quoted by the Archdeacon
has been cancelled, but an
addition made to Art 640 contains
a similar provision, namely that
"Time spent in India on
this approved service may be
included in the period of probation"
Mr. Brey may therefore be considered
to have already concluded his
probation.

Dated 14th June 1897.

Received 15th June 97

Registered 15th

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SUBJECT.

Reporting that the Rev.
C. F. Brey M.A. appointed
a Probationary Chaplain took
over charge of the Chaplaincy
of Tirunelveli on the afternoon
of the 28th May 1897 - &
making some remarks as to his
position in the list of Chaplains

A note to Art 640 C.S.R.
says that a clergyman must
have been a priest for three years
before he becomes a probationer; as probation
lasts three years, he must have been
a priest for six years before he gets
a permanent appointment. It is not stated
whether Mr. Brey has been so long a priest.

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Cs 139,143 & 149

Ref. No. 1335729 June 1897

The Venable the
Archdeacon is
requested to be so
good as to report
with ref to Art
640 C.S.K. whether
the Rev. Messrs
Bull and Brey
have completed
six years' service

~~in priest's order~~
in priest's order
~~from~~

/ from C.S.'s orders

C.W.
28/6/97

M.K.
29/6/97

Apd 1/7/97
24/7/97

The Venable the Archdeacon Desd 3/7/97

Note for MS

Mr Brey seems to have
had six years but
it would be better to
make sure that he
has completed that
term

C.W.

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If not, it is submitted that he cannot be altogether exempted from probation, but must remain a probationer until his six years have elapsed.

At.

17/6/97.

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The above remarks apply equally to the case of the Rev. Mr Bull (C 143) who assumed charge as Joint Chaplain of St George's Cathedral on the morning of Saturday June 12th 1897. Mr Bull has had approval service in the Lichfield diocese for more than 3 years, viz. from August 1893, and is reputed by the Bishop of Lichfield to have ^{also} done good work as an Hon. Diocesan Inspector of Schools.

It is submitted that it would be safer to refer the matter to the Act of Council first.

CW

19.6.97

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NOTE FOR THE *Chief Secretary*

In reply to the ref at H
He mentions the Archdeacon
reports that the Revd
Breach has completed
six years as an ordained
priest but that the Revd
Bull has not

His reference to
Art 664 A II is useless
as that art. ~~has been~~^{was}
cancelled at the
same time that Art
640 ~~has been~~^{was} added
to.

The Archdeacon
suggests a reference
to India or the King of
State if necessary

It is submitted
that the matter should
now go to the Act
Panel as suggested
at H: if the CS consider

this unnecessary a full
note for order for H.M.
will be submitted.

Ar.
24/7/97

Mr. We may
as well submit
anything to
we shall then
know where we
are

CW.
22/7/97

C. No. 139, 143, 149, 152, 196, 207

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

~~THE HON'BLE MR. BLISS, C.I.E.~~

THE HON'BLE MR. GROSE, C.I.E.

SUBJECT

Appointments of Junior
Chaplains.

FOR ORDERS.

As I understood 640, ap-
proved service in India may be
included in the period of probation,
but that period cannot commence
till the clergyman has been 3
years in ~~probation~~ priest's order &
a chaplain cannot be confirmed
till the end of it. So Mr. Bull
cannot be confirmed till next
year. I see no reason for
adjoining India.

JG
16/8/97

In warrant no 139 the Vth
the Archdeacon reported
that the Rev. C. F. Breay who
had been appointed a probationary
Chaplain had taken charge at
Trumelgherry on the 28th May, and
recommended that he should
be admitted to the Ecclesiastical
establishment from that date
not as a probationer but as
a Chaplain. In support of
this recommendation he referred
to Art 664 A. of the Civil
Service Regulations. This article
has ~~now~~ been cancelled &
Art 640 has taken its place,
& provides that "Time spent
in India . . . in the
approved service
~~of a probationer~~ may be included
in the period of probation"

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as to the length of time
since the ordination as
priest of each of these
Chaplains. He replies
(ans. no 182) that while
Mr. Breez has completed
six years, Mr. Bull has
not. He argues however that
no such limitation as that
suggested ^{is} intended by
the C.S.R. In ans. no 196
he quotes two cases of
Chaplains informed (by the
Punjab establishment) before
they had completed six years
in priest's orders.

In regard to Mr. Breez there
is no difficulty, & the
Archdeacon's recommendation
may, it is submitted, be
accepted.

In regard to Mr. Bull orders
are solicited as to whether

India should be addressed.

At 640 C.S.R. says that
if the time spent ~~in~~ in
India ^{maybe} ~~is~~ included as

the period of probation; but
probation ~~is~~ ^{has} begun
and that probation may be

Mr. Breay had been Chaplain
of Trearndrum & Aulion for
over four years.

In can. no 143 Mr. Archdeacon
similarly reported that the
Rev. E. Ball, lately appointed
a probationary Chaplain, had
joined his opponents at
St. George's Cathedral. Mr.
Ball had served for more
than three years in the
Lichfield Diocese. The
Archdeacon recommended that
he also should be exempted
from probation.

The Act is at 640 C.D.
Lays down that "a clergyman
must have been three years
in priest's orders before his
nomination as a probationer".
Probation is ordinarily to last
for three years. It seemed
possible from these rules that
it might be intended that
a probationary clergyman should
not be exposed till he
had been six years in
priest's orders. The Archdeacon
was referred to for report.

Ecclesiastical (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 143

CHIEF SECRETARY
17 JUN. 1897
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

From The Hon. W. Weston, Secy. to Govt. of Madras
In charge of the Office

Order

No. 1659

Dated 16th June 1897

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SUBJECT.

Reporting that the Rev. E. Bull took charge of the Ag. ^{Unit} Chaplaincy of St. George's Cathedral on the morning of the 12th of June 1897; forwarding in original a certificate from the Rev. the Bishop of Madras stating that Mr. Bull has had more than 3 years of approved service in India; and requesting that Mr. Bull be gazetted as a Junior Chaplain.

disposed with to the
extent of the time
spent in India. The
distinction, which is a
somewhat delicate one,
is of importance in this
case ^{if he is now considered}
by the ~~authorities~~
^{as a junior Chaplain}
~~authorities~~ Mr. Bull's
position must be
considered to have begun
on June 12th 1894 (three
years before he took charge
at Madras). At that
time he had not been
three years in priest's
orders & ~~and~~ was not
therefore eligible to be a
protector.

Orders are solicited.

~~Mr. Bull~~
Mr. Bull
13/8/97

Should not be confused

with the 2a put in six years as a
priest: he was ordained in 1892
& has another year to run. The

P. the Archbishop however cites (Aug
A) two cases where the C. S. R. have

apparently been disregarded. The ability
in these cases may however have been made
with Indian sanction. 10/14/87

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From *CHIEF SECRETARY*
The *GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS*
24 JUN 1897
The *Archdeacon of the Diocese*

Order

Submitted to the C.S. in
continuation of C. Nos 139
and 143 Eccl of 1897

No. 1661.

Dated 23rd June 1897.

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding, in original, certificate from
The *Rev. Archdeacon Carter*, Commissary
to the *Rev. C. Noel Hooper*, Bishop
of the Church of England in Travancore
& Cochin stating that the *Rev. C. F.*
Deaz has had 'approval' in
the Diocese since 1892; and requesting
that the *Rev. C. F. Deaz* may be
appointed as a Junior Chaplain to the
Establishment. That his name be placed
on the list immediately below that of
the *Rev. A. A. Sharp*

*Myself ascertain from
the letter case
whether this finding
of the other house or
not put in the house
such as ordinary
prints.*

*C.S.
24/6/97*

28/6/97

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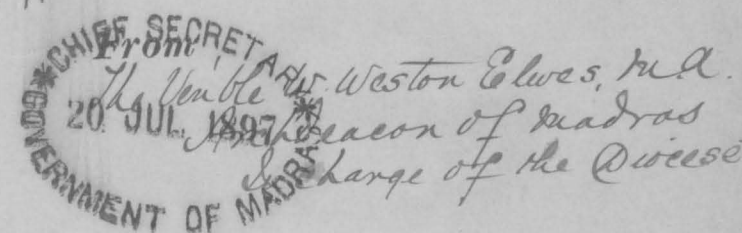
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Order Endt No. 1592 of 28 July 1897.

Referred to the
Accountant General
for favour of remarks.
By order
A. S. S. S. S.
By Under Secy

No. 1670

Dated 19th July 1897.

Received 20-7-97

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WITH REPLY.

SUBJECT.

Accounting receipt of memorandum
no 133 Ecclesiastical dated 26 June
1897 giving the information called
for

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From
The Venble W. Weston Clives, M.A.
Archdeacon of Madras
In charge of the Diocese

Order

No. 1673

Dated August 4th 1897.

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding - with reference to
the Rev. C. F. Deary & C. Bull
statements of 2 cases to show
that it is not necessary for
Probationary Chaplains to have
been 6 years in Parish Orders
before being admitted as Junior
Chaplains

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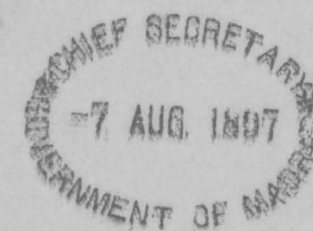
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From
The Accountant General,
Madras

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No. 2401

Dated 6 August '97

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SUBJECT.

Stating that the concession
asked for by the Right Reverend
the Archdeacon, Madras on
behalf of Reverend Breary
and Reverend Bull referred to
can be granted if Government
thinks fit

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Under article 640 C.S.R. H.E. the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the admission of the Revd. C.F.Breay as a junior chaplain from the date on which he joined his first appointment.

2. The article quoted above while permitting approved service in India to be included in the period of three years probation, stipulates that that period cannot commence until a clergyman has been three years in priest's orders. It is impossible therefore in the case of the Revd. E.Bull ^{take into consideration} to ~~reasonably~~ ^{the time spent in} India previous to 1895 ^{xx completely} and he cannot ~~therefore~~ be at present confirmed. The Ven'ble the Archdeacon will be requested to renew his application in due course, reporting the exact date of Mr. Bull's ordination as priest.

(From orders)

To

The Ven'ble the Archdeacon

" Acct. Genl. 4

H.C.
M.

Issue in MSS to both giving q=all and adding that S.C. will follow.

xx not having completed the ^{probation} three years required by the rules C.S.R.

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