

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

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Sanction for increase of pay or personal allowance.

ENCLOSURES.

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Station Guindy , Dated the 25th March 1903.

From (Name) C.B. Cotterell Esq., I.C.S.,

(Designation) Private Secretary to H.E. the Governor

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Educational Department.

Sir,

I am desired to transfer to you for disposal by the Government the enclosed paper which Mr. A. Subrahmanya Aiyar, Professor, Presidency College, left with His Excellency after his interview on the 22nd March 1913.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Private Secretary.

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P.S. - Professor Subrahmanya Aiyar cannot see me here today
and I undertake that this case presented in this paper shall
be considered. Please send it forward. P.

A. Subrahmanya Aiyar,

22.3.13.

Professor, Presidency college.

1. Total Service:- 30 years, Entered Service in April 1883.

Present pay:- Rs. 350/--

Age. 50 years.

2. Served in the Rajahmundry College in the north for about 14 years. As pay was then attached to appointments and not to persons, the Director of Public Instruction wanted on two occasions to transfer me from that college in order to give me promotion; but on both those occasions, the Principal of the College, Mr. E. P. Metcalfe, would not part with my services. Once he telegraphed in reply in these terms:-

Subrahmanyan's transfer dislocates all Logic arrangements please reconsider.

Again, he wrote,

I do not like to stand in the way of his promotion.

I shall be glad if you can give it to him in this College.

3. Not less than half-a-dozen supersessions were made, but in no case for want of merit or efficiency on my part as is clear from the fact that, when the professorship of Mental and Moral Science in the Presidency college became vacant, I was appointed to fill that vacancy.

4. I do not know if any special reasons existed for those supersessions. ^{Even} If there were, a special reason existed in my case also when I was brought over to the Presidency College for giving me Rs. 500/-- and for thus rectifying the past wrongs; for, the G. O. No.33, Educational, dated.21-1-1893 issued in connection with the reorganisation of the Educational Service.

Para 4 (g)
on page 24

Service in India contains the following:--

(g) " That in the Provincial Service, definite pay should be regarded as being attached to classes and not to definite appointments, but that this rule should be subject to the condition that no professor or Inspector shall be appointed on a salary of less than Rs. 500/-- per mensem."

(5) I represented my case to Sir Alfred Bourne. He spoke very sympathetically to me.

Recently there were as many as five vacancies in the Service, and I wrote in time to Sir Alfred Bourne requesting him to assign to me the salary that should have come to me by virtue of my long service and position. But, as my request was not complied with, I have to appeal to Your Excellency direct.

6. About 3 years ago, a proposal was made to improve the pay and prospects of the members of the Provincial Educational Service. If that proposal had been given effect to, there might not have been any need for me to make this appeal. But, unfortunately, it had to be kept in abeyance owing to the appointment of the Royal Commission to inquire into the various Public Services and to report on them.

7. Being almost at the end of my service, I beg to submit to Your Excellency that it may not fall to my lot to benefit by any recommendations that the Commission may make to improve the pay and prospects of the Provincial Service officers; for, those recommendations cannot be brought into force for many years to come.

8. I most humbly pray to Your Excellency that the Government Order quoted above be given effect to in my case, both in view of my long service and of my present position in the

Department,

Department, so as to enable me to retire on a decent pension.

9. If it is not found feasible to do this for me in the immediate present, I request Your Excellency will be pleased to sanction a personal allowance for me (as has been done in the case of some officers in Bengal), which, together with my pay, may amount to the sum fixed by the G. O. for an officer of my status in the Service.

The papers may be forwarded to the
D.P.O. for remarks.

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D.P.O. u.s.

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Pages 9 & 10 in pa

It has taken some time to get the papers
together - I have now been through
them.

2. As to his service I enclose a complete
statement which shows that he has
risen gradually throughout ^{his early years} but latterly
somewhat more rapidly

Aug. 1906 Rs 200

Jan 1908 Rs 250

Jan 1911 Rs 300

July 1912 Rs 350

3. His retention at Rajahmundry mentioned
in para 2 of his note may have made
some small difference to him at the
time ^(in the subordinate service) say Rs 20 or so but it is quite a
mistake to suppose that it affected
his position in the Provincial Service.

4. I recommended him for the Provincial
Service when I thought his term had come



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and I do not think ~~that~~ he was
unjustly superseded

1. It was nearly three years later
the Professorship of Logic and Moral
Philosophy in the Presidency College
vacant and he seemed to me to be the
best Indian in the service available.
I should certainly have preferred a
man fresh from England trained
more modern methods but the
post was a Provincial one -

2. he now came to the claim that as
Provincial Professor or Inspector should
draw Rs 500 - The proposal made
from Agl. was made by the Madras Govt.
- See G.O. 646 Dk. 4 Sept 1893 - When the
reorganisation of the Educational Service
was under consideration. It is not
clear that this specific proposal was
ever either definitely approved or
disapproved but it is a fact that
has never come into effect - Now both
A.C. Pramadharan Aiyer & Prof. Rangachari
for instance both draw less than Rs 500
as Inspector and Professor respectively.
Had the proposal been adopted

Please
see para.

15-Sept-93
p. 66
4/9/1893 (N)

Some considerable change in the whole system of Provincial appointments would have been necessary to prevent injustice to ~~other~~ men holding posts other than those of "Professor" or Inspector. The "Lecturers" at Kumbakonam as Rajabrammudu held posts as Professor as the "Professors" at Madras - there did not seem moreover any personal reasons for putting Mr. A. Subramanyam above any of his seniors in the Provincial Service at the time of his appointment at any time since - He has received promotion in his turn.

7. I do not consider that his claim for a personal allowance is any stronger than that of several others - When the question of participation in the verdict of the Public Service Commission was referred to me I did not press for any personal allowances as provided in the Provincial Service has been fairly rapid and I should think that every officer is getting a much larger salary than he could have calculated upon ten years ago. If there be

Please see page 192
with fo. 633 (K)
16.7.12

Announcement I certainly think that
Rasobhadra A.C. Ramakrishna
set one also and I do not
know. Prof. Rangachari, Mr. M. K.
Rao Pantulu, Mr. V.R. Venkata
Aizer, Mr. T. Sankara Rao & Mr.
Srinivasan Aizer should
not. They all have more service than
Mr. A. Subramanya Aizer and are equally
unlikely to see the halcyon days.
There are many Professors and lec-
turers in England who like the
people living in their own homes
set no more pay and of whom
many are more distinguished

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Annadhurai Aiyar Subramanya Aiyar, B.A., L.T., joined the Service, 1st April 1885.
Born, February 1863.

Station.	Substantive appointment.	Date.	Officiating appointment.	Date.
Madras.		...	(Sub pro tem). 6th Asst. Mas., Presy. Coll.	1 Apl. 83
...		...	(Sub pro tem) 9th Clerk, Office of Dir. of Pub. Instrn.	16 July 84
...		...	(Sub pro tem). 8th Clerk, Office of Dir. of Pub. Instrn.	1 Aug. 84
...		...	(Sub pro tem). 9th Clerk, Office of Dir. of Pub. Instrn.	6 Aug. 84
Saidapet		...	(Sub pro tem). 3rd Asst. Govt. High School.	18 Aug. 84
Chittoor		...	Do	16 May. 85
Do		...	Ag. Do	1 Apl. 86
Do		...	(Sub pro tem). Do	20 May 86
Guntur	2nd Asst. Mas., Govt. High School	29th June 86.		
Chittoor	Do	...	(Sub pro tem). 2nd Asst. Govt. High School.	5 July 86
Madura	Do	...	(Sub pro tem). 3rd Asst., Govt. College.	26 Aug. 86
Saidapet	Do	...	Ag. 3rd Asst., Govt. High School.	1 Jan. 87
Madras	Do	...	4th Jr. Asst. Profr., Pry. Coll.	7 Feb. 87
Saidapet	Do	...	4th Asst. Teachers' Coll.	24 Aug. 87
Berham-pore.	4th Asst. Berhampore Coll.	1 Sep. 87		
Saidapet	Do	...	Do	1 Sep. 87
Do	Do	...	(Sub pro tem). 4th Asst. Teachers' Coll.	18 Jan. 88.
Kumbako-nam.	Do	...	Do, Lectr., Kumbako-nam Coll.	8 Mar. 88.
Rajahmun-dry.	Do	...	6th Asst. Rajahmundry Coll.	25 Apl. 88.
Do	2nd Asst., Govt. Marasa-i-Azam	2 May 88	6th Do	2 May. 88.
Kumbako nam.	Do	...	4th Asst. Lectr.	16 June 88.
...	Do	23 Nov. 88		
Mangalore	4th Asst. Mangalore Coll.	13 Dec. 88.		
Rajahmun dry.	Do	...	6th Asst. Lectr.	14 Jan. 89
Do	Sub-Asst. Insp. of Girls' Schools 1st Range.	19 Dec. 89	Do	19 Dec. 89.
Do	Do	...	(Sub pro tem) 5th Asst. Lectr.	18 July 92.
Do	Do	...	4th Asst. Lectr.	1 Nov. 92.
Do	Do	...	5th Do	21 July 93.
Do	Do	...	2nd Do	25 Feb. 94.
Do		...	(Sub pro tem) 3rd Asst. Lectr.	27 May 94

Rajahmundry	Provl.4th Asst.Lectr. Rajahmundry Coll.Art Sect.	1 Feb 95.		
Do	Do	...	1st Asst. Rajahmundry Coll. Training Sect.	6 Aug95.
Do	Do	26Dec 95		
Do	Provl.4th Jr. Asst. Pry. Coll.	1 Jan 96.	4th Asst. Lectr.Rajahmundry Coll. Art Sect.	1 Jan.96
Do	Do	...	3rd Do	22Feb.97
Do	Do	...	2nd Do	9 Aug.98
Do	Do	...	1st Do	16Aug.98
Do	Do	...	2nd Do	22Sep.98
Do	4th Jr. Asst. Profr. Pry. Coll.	22Aug 99	Do	22Aug.99
Do	7th Do	1 Dec 99	Do	1 Dec.99
Do	5th Do	30Apl 00	Do	30Apl.00
Madras	Do	...	4th Jr. Asst.Profr.,Pry. Coll.	1 Oct.00
Do	2nd Asst. Lectr., Kumbakonam Coll.	12 Aug 02	Do	12Aug.02.
Do	Do	...	3rd Do	4 Oct.02.
Rajahmundry	Do	...	1st Asst. Lectr., Raj. Coll. Art Sect.	11Sep.03.
Madras	2nd Asst. Lectr., Kumbakonam College.	...	2nd Jr. Asst. Profr. Presy. Coll.	1 Feb.04.
Do	3rd Jr. Asst. Profr. Presy. Coll.	1 Apl. 04	Do	1 Apl.04.
Do	2nd Do	30Sep 04.		
Saidapet	2nd Jr. Profr., Presy. Coll. Madras.	...	2nd Asst. Teachers' Coll. 9th cl., Provl.Edcl.Serv.	21Mar.05
Madras	Do	3May 05		
Saidapet	1st Asst. Lectr., Kumbakonam Coll.	...	2nd Asst. Teachers' Coll.	18July05.
Do	3rd Asst. Teachers' Coll.	...	1st Asst. Teachers' Coll.	10 Oct05.
Do	Officer, Provl. Edcl. Serv. 9th class.	10Aug. 06		
Rajahmundry	Lectr., Rajahmundry Coll., Officer, 9th class of the Provl. Edcl. Serv.	29Aug. 06		
Do	Do Provl. 4 th Edcl. Serv. 8th Class.	4 Jan. 09		
Madras.	Prof. of Logic and Moral Philosophy, Presy. Coll. Madras.	18Jan. 09		
Do	Provl. Edcl. Serv. 4 th 7th Gr.	14Jan. 11		
Do	Provl. Edcl. Serv. 6 th grade	25 th July 12		

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15.9.13.Received 24.8.13.
from 18.8.13 7-1-13. no record
of this.
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The papers may be submitted to H.E.
(on direct control)
for order. The Director considers that there
is no case for any special treatment.

T.H. C.
22.8.13 18/8/13.P.
18.9.13.

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A draft order is submitted for
approval.

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No. 885, dated 23-9-1913

Mrs

The P.P.D will be requested to inform Mr. A. Subrahmanya Ayyar, Prof. of Mental and Moral Science in the Presidency College, Madras, that the Government have considered his ^{alternative} ~~request~~ ^{request} for ^{an} ~~an~~ increase of pay or fee ^{or} personal allowance ~~and have decided by Govt.~~ but that they see no sufficient reason for any special treatment in his case.

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