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READ—the following papers :—

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G.O. No. 2928, Revenue, dated 10th August 1918.

ABSTRACT.—Passing orders on the survey and settlement training of Junior Civilians and Deputy Collectors.

G.O. Mis. No. 3801, Revenue, dated 2nd December 1918.

ABSTRACT.—Recording Board's Proceedings regarding the necessity for the extension of the compulsory period to be served as Revenue Inspector and the inclusion in the Revenue Special Test of an elementary paper on survey and settlement and approving the draft amendments to the Public Service Notification consequent on the abolition of survey and settlement training in the case of officers who have risen to the grade of Deputy Collector from the subordinate grades of the Land Revenue Department.

Order—No. 1575, Home (Education), dated 10th December 1918.

The following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

In the Public Service Notification published on pages 313 to 328 of Part I-B of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 28th May 1918, in article 3, in the table appended to it, under the heading, 'C. Revenue Department' the word 'and' shall be inserted before the words '(b) the Equitation test' appearing in the remarks column against item '(2) Deputy Collectors' and the words 'and (c) knowledge of settlement' appearing after the words '(b) the Equitation test' shall be deleted.

(True extract)

L. D. SWAMIKANNU,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioner for Government Examinations.
" Superintendent, Government Press, for publication of notification in the gazette.
" Revenue Department.

Public Service Notification.—

Notifying the amendments to the -----
consequent on the abolition of Survey & Settlement
Training in the case of officers who have risen to the
grade of Dy. Collr. from the subordinate grades of the
Land Revenue dept.

(K) READ AGAIN G.O. No. 2928 Rev., dated 10 — 8 — 1918.
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READ ALSO:—

C. No. 2550, From the Rev. Dept. G. C. ^{mis}, No. 380, dated 2-12-1918

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ORDER.

No. 1575, dated 10-12-1918.

P.S.

The following notification will be published in the Fort St. George Gazette:-

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To the Commr. for Govt. Examinations
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Abstract.

Revenue Inspectors.

Recording Board's Proceedings stating that it is not necessary to extend the compulsory period to be served as Revenue Inspector from 1 to 2 years and to include in the Revenue Special Test an elementary paper on survey and settlement.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. Mis. 3801

, dated 2nd December 1918.

Read the following paper:-

G.O. No. 2928 d. 10.8.18.

From the Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement, Ref.No. 1763, dated 28th October 1918.

ENCLOSURES.

No.

ORDER.-

Recorded.

2. The draft amendments to the Board's Standing Order No.119 and the Public Service Notification are approved.

(True Extract)

M. Young,

Temporary Additional Secretary
to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement.
" Home (Education) Department.

Forwarded to the

Home (Education)

(By Order)

V. Ponnaiyah
Registrar.

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Copy of Reference from the Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement,
No. 1763, dated 28th October 1918.

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Read the following letter from C.A. Henderson, Esq., I.C.S.,
Director of Land Records, Dis.No. 429, dated 25th August 1918.-

In reply to R.P.No. 1820 Mis., dated 19th August 1918, I have the
honour to state that I do not consider that an extension of the compul-
sory period of service as Revenue Inspector will have any appreciable
effect in extending the acquaintance of Revenue officers with Land
Records work; certainly not to the extent of making ~~correction~~
Tahsildars before or after promotion to the rank of Deputy Collector
appreciate the main principles of land records work which from the
Revenue Inspector's point of view are veiled in the drudgery of inspect-
ing and reporting on patta transfer cases, dharkasts and the like; of
checking the stone inspection and sub division work of karnams and
of preparing acquisition sketches.

2. Candidates for Inspector's posts are now trained by Land
Records Tahsildars and examined by Land Records Superintendents in the
field in practical mapping and in computation of areas. They are
trained in fact specifically for the work they will be called upon to
perform as Inspectors. If after this specific training and examination
and a year's experience they do not know as much as then can be
expected to know from this limited and subordinate point of view, no
further elementary examination will mend matters much.

3. But to suppose that the recollection of this training and this
experience after many years can qualify them to control and direct the
work of similar subordinates is to my way of thinking analogous to a
belief that a man once trained in drill and the use of a rifle is quali-
fied to serve as a Commissioned Officer.

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Reference.-

Adverting to paragraph 4 of G.O.No.2928 Rev., dated 10th
August 1918, the Board begs to state that there is no need to extend
the compulsory period of service as Revenue Inspector from one year

to two years as suggested by Government. Even at present it is
difficult enough for a really capable officer to get speedy promo-
tion and the two years' limit will make it still harder. The Board
thinks that, as a result of the increase in the Revenue Inspectorships
recently proposed, service as Revenue Inspector will auto-
matically be lengthened but in the interests of the promising
officer the Board is not willing to make a longer service as
Revenue Inspector compulsory. The inclusion of an additional paper
in the revenue special test on the subject of survey and settlement
in the Board's opinion is also unnecessary.

2. Draft amendments to the Board's Standing Order No.119 and
the Public Service Notification are submitted for the approval of
Government.

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Draft Amendments.

I

Paragraph 2 of Board's Standing Order 119 as revised by G.O.
No. 1107 Revenue, dated 18th April 1917.-

Sub paragraph 1.-

For the words "Acting Deputy Collectors
as Deputy Collectors" occurring in the first sentence, substitute
the words "All probationary Deputy Collectors appointed by direct
recruitment" and delete the words "or from the selected
may be" occurring in the last sentence.

Sub paragraph (ii)

For the existing sub paragraph, substitute -

"The question whether a Deputy Collector recruited from a depart-
ment other than the land revenue department should be required to
undergo the training and examination referred to in sub paragraph
(i) should be considered in each case as it arises. If required
such an officer should be given a preliminary training in chain
survey by the Land Records Tahsildar of the district for a few
hours a day for a period of three weeks before he is deputed to
undergo the course of training in survey".

Sub paragraph (iii).-

Delete

Delete the words "and officers.....as Deputy Collectors" and the words "in Survey or in Settlement or both" occurring in the first sentence and the whole of the third and fourth sentences.

II

In the remarks column against item, "(2) Deputy Collectors" under the heading "C Revenue Department" in the table appended to Article 3 of the Public Service Notification insert the word "and" before the words "(b) the Equitation test" and delete the words "and (c)knowledge of settlement".

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