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Secondary school-leaving certificate scheme

Informing Saïyid Shah Ali Firah Sahib that the Government are unable to interfere with reference to his request that his son may be permitted to appear for the public examination under the -----

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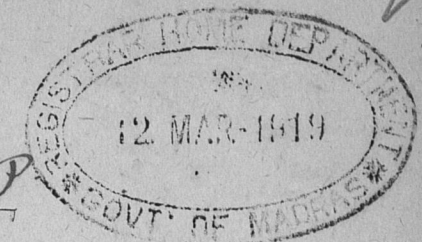
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PRIVATE SECRETARY'S OFFICE, MADRAS,



Memo. No. 868-P

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Department, for favour of disposal.

ENCLOSURES :

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(By order of His Excellency the Governor.)

Y. P. S.

Madras,

Private Secretary.

The 11th March 1919.

Date.

To

Government Institute of Commerce,
Law College Buildings, Georgetown,
Madras, 8th March 1919.

12-MAR-1919

His Excellency The Right Honourable

Lord Pentland, P.C., G.C.I.E.,

Governor of Madras,

M A D R A S.

The humble petition of

Syed Shah Ali Peeran Saheb,

Attender, Government Institute

of Commerce, Law College Build-

ings, Madras.

Most respectfully Showeth:--

That Your Excellency's most humble Memorialist with sentiments of the most profound loyalty begs leave most respectfully to approach Your Excellency with the following representation earnestly praying for Your Excellency's most benign consideration being bestowed upon the same.

That Your Excellency's Memorialist belongs to the Syed family, a class held in high veneration amongst Mahomedans and at present an attender drawing Rs. 10/- per month in the Government Institute of Commerce, having been transferred to this from the Office of the Commissioner for Government Examinations where he had put in a service of 17 years as a Peon.

That Your Excellency's Memorialist is a

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very poor man unfortunately blessed with a very large family having so many as eight children, of whom 4 are boys and the rest girls; that he in spite of his extreme poverty in these days of unprecedented high prices, having actually struggled very hard, to give the male children some education, from the sole consideration, that the salvation of the poverty-stricken family lay only in that, succeeded by the Grace of the ever-merciful Heaven, in giving his eldest son Syed Ahmed -- Hussainee Peeran education up to the School Final Standard in the S.P.G. High School, Vepery, Madras, while the other youngsters of the family have been admitted in the inferior standards of the Harris High School, Royapetta, Madras.

4 That Your Excellency's Memorialist's eldest son, Syed Ahmed Hussainee Peeran is at present a student of School Final class in the S.P.G. High School, Vepery, Madras; that the said son was not selected last year to appear for the Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination and even this year he, as his ill-luck would have it, met with a similar disappointment; the results of the School Selection Examination were known about the fag-end of the last month; some days were spent in appealing to the tender mercy of the Head Master with a most candid statement of the actual state of the family's circumstances to allow him to appear for the School Final Examination even at the risk of failure, for the mere possession of a record that he appeared for the School Final Examination is in itself sufficient to obtain for him

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3. some service in some office which is so indispensable for the up-keep of the family and the education of the younger brothers.

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5 That Your Excellency's Memorialist humbly begs to submit and acknowledge that an ever-pinching state of circumstances in the family insufficient and untimely food, and an anxiety beyond description, shared by every member of the family young and old, how to make both ends meet could not have much conduced to stimulate the aptitude of the boy for study and as a natural consequence the boy may not have been found fit for selection; but this being his second year in the same class, he could have been given a chance this year, at least to obtain the record of having appeared for the Examination so immensely useful to him in securing some means of livelihood, so essential to the prospect of the family which is at present at the height of misery.

6 That Your Excellency's Memorialist cannot by any means in his power contribute any further for the prosecution of his, aforesaid, eldest boy's studies and unless this boy could earn and contribute to the expenses of the family even elementary education has to be denied to the other younger boys while the family itself shall gradually dwindle by semi-starvation and allied misfortunes.

7 That Your Excellency's Memorialist in these his most pitiable state of circumstances begs to state that

he is the most backward Mahomedan of a backward

backward race and of very slender means being a mere petty attender in the Government Institute of Commerce, Law College Buildings;

he spared no pains to educate his eldest son, Syed Ahmed Hussainee Peeran and bring him up to the School Final class in the S.P.G. High School Vepery, Madras;

He regrets that the boy was found disqualified to appear for the School Final Examination last year and this year again he was declared incompetent;

he is not very particular about the success of the boy in his examination but is only anxious about his certificate that he appeared for the Examination;

he being poor finds hardly any one to take up his cause and see that his boy is sent up for the Examination;

he is amply certain that no authority in the Educational Department could at this juncture as the Public Examination commences on the 24th of March '19 be moved to have compassion on him and interfere with the decision of the school authorities;

he though of a venerable class, does not, to his misfortune, belong to the Mahomedan Aristocracy to aspire to especial encouragement from Government in his dilemma;

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5. exemption from the operation of Education Rules on
behalf of his boy on the plea of his belonging to a
backward community;

(4) he does not ask for any special scholar-
ship for his boy on the plea of his extreme poverty;

(9) he only earnestly prays in his own humble
way, Your Excellency will be graciously pleased to
order the Institution to allow the boy to appear
for the School Final Examination this being his second
year as a very special case from a most benign consi-
deration of the utmost poverty of the family and in
appreciation of the humble efforts made to give High
School education in spite of the most abject poverty
in the most trying of times.

9 That Your Excellency's Memorialist in con-
clusion begs to pray for Your Excellency's mercy and
in the exercise of Your Excellency's Prerogative, to
pass timely orders so as to enable the boy to appear
for the examination on the 24th instant, in as much
as Your Excellency alone in your greatness and good-
ness could possess the compassion for one so unfor-
tunately placed.

10 That Your Excellency's Memorialist begs
to be excused for his venturing to intrude and to
subscribe as Your Excellency's most dutiful and
loyal,

Servant,
Syed Shah Ali Piran

Secondary School Leaving Certificate Scheme

Informing
that the Govt are unable to interfere in details of Sayyid Shah Ali
Piran Sahib's son with reference to this request that he may be permitted
to appear for the public examination under the

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Note

The memorialist's prayer is contained in para 8 (g) of the memorial. The Headmaster of a School has power, subject to revision

To
the Petitioner —

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