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[Despatch Abstract.]

Queen Mary's college for women, Madras---Particulars
regarding vacant Professorship--Government of India
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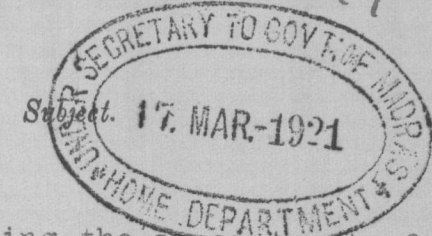
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Regarding the appointment of a successor for

Miss G.C.Mc Cormick, Professor, Queen Mary's College for women, Madras.

ENCLOSURES

No.

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Ref On C. No. 1966/20
W.B.

Station Madras, Dated the 16th March 1921.

From (Name) R.G.Grieve Esq., M.A.,

(Designation) Agt. Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home (Education) Department.

Sir, Madras.

The Principal of the Queen Mary's College for women, Madras, has reported that Miss G.C.Mc Cormick, Professor in the college, who has been granted combined leave for 3 months and 26 days from the 27th February 1921, in G.O.No.R.22 Home (Education) dated 1st February 1921 is unlikely to return to duty on the expiry of the leave and that a suitable successor should therefore be appointed from the date of re-opening of the college early next July. The Principal requests that a graduate who would be able to take English in the B.A.

Classes

classes and Logic in the Intermediate classes be appointed. Miss de la Hey also suggests that a graduate who has taken Literae Humaniores at Oxford or a corresponding course at some other University should be appointed. It would be an additional advantage if the lady appointed is qualified in either Latin or French, as well as being good at games. The lady appointed should join duty as soon as possible after the reopening of the college on 4th July 1921. I therefore request that the Government of India be addressed immediately to obtain from home the services of a woman Professor possessing the above qualifications.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

For Director of Public Instruction

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C. No. 941-B.

Home (Education) Dept.

MEMO:- No. 941B-1
24/3/21

With reference to his letter No. 1966/W.B. 20, dated the 16th March 1921 regarding the recruitment of a suitable successor to Miss Mc Cormick, the attention of the D.P.I. is invited to the instructions contained in the Govt. of India's letter No. 1435, dated the 26th November 1920, communicated with G.O. No. 152, Home (Education), dated 31st January 1921 and he is requested first to advertise the vacancy in India and report the result to Government.

2. As however it is not likely that a suitable candidate will be available locally, the Govt. propose ^{simultaneously} ~~at the same time~~ to address the Govt. of India for the recruitment of a suitable person. with a view to avoid delay. The D.P.I. is requested to furnish a statement showing the particulars referred to in the Govt. of India letter No. 12-C.D., dated 7th January 1913, communicated with G.O. No. 69, Educational, dated 29-1-13.

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To

The D.P.I.

Remind after four weeks.

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Subject.

Submitting particulars called for regarding the filling up of the post of Professor in the Queen Mary's College for women, Madras.

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Station Madras, Dated the 11 April 1921.

From (Name) R. G. Grieve Esq., M.A.,

(Designation) Agt. Director of Public Instruction,

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Home (Education) Department.

Sir,

As required in para 1 of the Government memorandum No. 941 B-1 Home (Education) dated the 24th March 1921, I have the honour to state that I have advertised the vacancy in Queen Mary's College for women, Madras, in the papers and I shall report early next month the result of the advertisement.

2. Particulars called for in para 2 of the Government Memorandum referred to above are herewith furnished.

(1) The Professor is required for Queen Mary's College

College, Madras - a first grade college for women imparting instruction up to the B.A.Pass course. The strength of the college is 151. The college is a Government Institution and is affiliated to the University of Madras.

(2) Instruction is to be imparted in English in the B.A.Classes and in Logic in the Intermediate course.

The syllabuses and length of courses prescribed by the University of Madras (vide Volume I of its calendar) are to be followed viz., a two years/course after Matriculation and a further two years' graduate course.

(3) There will be probably 20 students in the 4th year class and 17 in the III year class and about 40 students with Logic in the Intermediate-in-Arts classes - (1st and 2nd year), their average age being about 19 and they may be classified as belonging to the middle classes.

(4) The special duties of the new officer will be to teach French occasionally and to be in charge of games. The other members of the staff include 3 British two Anglo-Indians one Indian Christian and one Hindu.

(5) Free-quarters will be provided.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Director of Public Instruction

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Subject.

Submitting a report regarding the result of the advertisement calling for application for the post of English Professor in the Queen Mary's College, Madras.

ENCLOSURES

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Ref On C. No. 1966/20
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Station Madras, Dated the 25th May 1911.

From (Name) R. Littlehales Esq., M.A.

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Law (Education) Department.

Sir,

With reference to Government Memorandum No.941 B-1 dated 24th March 1921 and in continuation of Mr.Grieve's letter R.C.No.1966/20 dated 8th April 1921, I have the honour to state that I am not prepared to recommend for appointment to the Indian Educational Service either temporarily or permanently any of the applicants, whose applications have been received. The Principal of the College is of the same opinion that none of the applicants are fit for appointment to the Indian Educational Service. My proposals for filling up the vacancy will be submitted separately.

Sincerely,

He has recommended
me to act in
the place of the
Principal of the College.

2. I may in this connection inform Government that I am advised that Miss Gouriammal is considering matrimony.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

For Director of Public Instruction.

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Home (Edg.) Dept

Subject Appointment of a Successor for
Miss McCraick

[C. no 94113] from the D.P.D. no 1966 of 16.3.21

2 Please see G.D.'s letter on pp 1-3 of
G.O. no. 152-53 of 31.1.21. For orders whether
in accordance with the instructions contained
therein the D.P.D. may be requested to advertise
locally for the present vacancy or whether the
Govt of India may be addressed at once for
the recruitment of a suitable candidate.

~~as suggested by the D.P.D.~~
~~as suggested by the D.P.D.~~
ad 21.3.21 It is not likely that ^{lady} candidates
with the ^{required} qualifications ^{suggested} proposed
by Miss de la Hay would be
available in India. However
as the instructions of the Govt of
India will have to be carried out,
the Dir may be requested ^{to} advertise
the vacancy. Subject to orders the
draft memo below is for appl.

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22.3.21 22/3/21

We may lose two. We may address
India as we are advertising locally also but
do not hope to get suitable candidates so to save time
confer etc

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If the Govt of India is to be addressed, we
have to forward a statement showing the
particulars referred to in the G. D. S. letter
(A) printed with G.O. no 69 Ed 2, 29.1.13. The D.P.D.
may be requested to furnish the statement.
A ^{revised} draft memo is submitted

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p-3 C.F. [Memo no 941B-1 of 24.3.21]

[C no 1241B] from the D.P.D. no 1966 N.B. 8.4.21

A draft order and draft letter to India
are submitted for approval. (cf Secretary's
note on p.1 ante)

in 1919
2. In addressing the Govt of India for the
recruitment of a Lect professor for teaching Science
in the College it was considered that the Lect
selected should be directed to arrive at Madras
early in October so as to avoid the inconvenience
of a voyage in the hot months of June. Vide
para 3 of our letter on p.6 of G.O. 1289 of 24.10.19 & the
(F) notes ~~on~~ to the G.O. In the present case however
the College is already suffering for want of a
professor for Logic and it is therefore submitted
that

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that the Lady selected may be asked to join
duties in the month of July.

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M. The action has been taken already
to find out a suitable candidate.
I will wait till I know its
result about 24/4

The D.P.D. promised to report early this
month the result of the advertisement calling
for applications. Vide para 1 on p 4 CT. He has
not yet sent in the report. A reminder memo
is submitted for approval.

(withheld)

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21.5.21

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The D.P.D.'s report has since been
received. Vide pp 6-7 CT. He considers that
none of the applicants (apparently including
Miss Gouriaunna) is suitable for the post.
If this view is accepted, a Lady professor
will have to be recruited from England. For
orders whether the draft already in the file may
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now issue with ^{the} necessary amendments
made therein.

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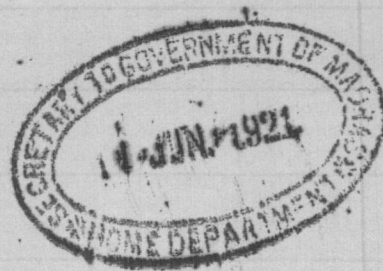
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Mrs. Baunaul has since married

Draft for approval

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26/21

M. I. app'd
26/6



Draft not issue now

The ~~High Commr.~~ ^{High Commr.} has recently asked
by telegram whether this Govt have
any objection to the grant of leave
without allowances to Mrs Bathurst
(formerly Miss McCormick) for a
period of six months. The file on
the subject has been sent to the
D.P.D. ^{as} for remarks. It would ~~not~~
have to be inferred from the ~~High~~ ^{High}
~~Commr's~~ ^{Commr's} telegram that Mrs Bathurst
is likely ~~not~~ to return to duty after the
expiry of the leave if granted. In which
case, it would seem undesirable to
recruit a lady from England for
a period of six months, ^{during}
the

the absence of Mrs Bathurst on leave without allowances. The D.P.I will therefore have to make temporary arrangements by appointing the best candidate available locally for the post.

A // For orders whether the remarks of the D.P.I on the Secy of States telegram to the grant of leave may be awaited.

2 The Govt of India will have to be furnished with full particulars regarding the vacancy on receipt of the Dir's remarks.

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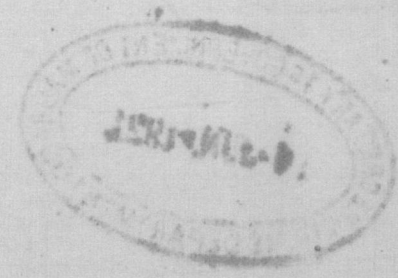
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the file referred to at (A) above is linked. Please see telegram to the High Commissioner on 1.7 n.f. in that file.

2. The Govt. of India have now to be furnished with the particulars regarding the vacancy in question. That Govt. may also be informed of the correspondence in the linked file and of the temporary

[Para 2 above + also concluding portion of telegram on 1.7 n.f. (T)]



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appointment of Miss J. M. Guard
in the vacancy.

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3. Draft letter to
India submitted.

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Queen Mary's college for
women, madras.

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Particulars regarding vacant
Professorship - Govt. of India
furnished with.

The Secretary to the
Govt. of India, Dept. of
Education.

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5/8/21
J. S. S.

Sir,

In continuation of my
telegram of 19.7.21 regarding
the vacancy in a professorship in the
Queen Mary's college for

women, madras,

I am directed
to enclose a statement
showing particulars, re-
garding the vacant
Professorship, required
in the Govt. of India letter
No. 12 C.D, dated the 7th
January 1913.

2. The vacancy
has been caused by the
grant, to Miss McCormick,
Professor in the college, of
combined leave for 3
months and 26 days from
the 24th February 1921. The

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High Commissioner, ~~London~~,
 London, recently inquired
 of this Govt. whether there was
 any objection to the grant
 to Miss McCormick (now Mrs.
 Bathurst) of extraordinary
 leave without pay in extension
 of her ~~present~~ leave for a
 period of six months; and
 he has been informed that
 the extension may be granted
 if she guarantees that she
 would ~~not~~ resign the appointment
 and work for at least 18
 months after her return from
 the extraordinary leave.

3. I am to add
 that this Govt. have recently
 sanctioned the ^{temporary} appointment
 of Miss J. M. Gerhard in the
 S.E.S. in the above vacancy.
 Miss Gerhard obtained the
 M.A. degree of the University
 of Edinburgh in 1913 in
 Latin, Philosophy and
 science subjects. She has
 a Cambridge Teacher's ^{Diploma} ~~certificate~~

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and has specialised in
 the teaching of Mathematics,
 Geography, Botany and
~~Nature Study~~ ^{Nature Study} ~~Science Subjects~~ and also
 knows French.

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Enclosure:

Statement of parti-
 culars to accompany
 the application for the
 recruitment of a lady
 Professor for the Queen
 Mary's college for women,
 Madras
 [H.E. clauses (1) to (5)
 on pp. 4-5 of]

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