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[Despatch Abstract.]

Stationary stores—warehousemen—appointed ^{next} of S. Suriah
Naidu, Peon and counter, as warehousemen—Protest of Govt.
Staty. stores workers' Assn.—Interference—declined.

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Ramanujam
Madras, 10/7/194

Dear Mr. S. Kuncan, I am
sorry I have to trouble you
with this letter in person. But
I am compelled to do so in
order to avoid avoidable de-
velopments and secure justice
for the workers.

⑤ On the 4th instant I made
a representation to the Super-
intendent pointing out the
claims of a rumor and sequel-
fed cascade for the vacating
of a ware house near
and protesting against
the rumored appointment
of another person

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for the place. The D.O. No. 919 of
15th June 1944 clearly states in
para 3 that for vacancies of
ware house men the claims of
suitable and deserving persons
will be considered. This principle
has been adhered to all along
and the deviation is impractical
and not at all fair. The
person does not belong to the store
he belongs to the office of the
Stationary Superintendent.

While the Union's representa-
tion remains unanswered
it would appear that orders
have been passed appointing
the person as a ware house
man.

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Anselm E. King has put in about
9 years service. He has been
in the T. E. Form. He has knowledge
and experience of the work of
the stores. He is smart & intelligent
and of good conduct. He has
been recommended for promotion
even on the last occasion
when two others were promoted.
It would not be fair to promote
for reasonable claim
& without a person from the
office for the vacancy.

As is quite natural
the workers are taken aback
and are in a ferment.
I promised to contact you

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I am writing you to have a word with
to be having to do the Hon. Minister
is not at all. He is enquiring I am
unable to tell him about the
matter. I understand that several
orders have not yet been
issued. I request you to kindly
see that some orders are
made and the legitimate
rights of the clerks are protected.
I am afraid that in case the
highest order is passed the men
might be forced to strong
measures of protest with a
view to ventilate their grievances
and obtain justice. I hope that
by taking over the situation
will be avoided. Yours faithfully
P. R. K. Sarma

An oval-shaped stationery office stamp. The text "STATIONERY OFFICE" is curved along the top inner edge. The date "24 JUL 1946" is stamped in the center. The word "MADRAS" is curved along the bottom inner edge. There are small decorative marks on the left and right sides of the oval.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STATIONERY.

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The Sgs is requested to return the letter
H. L. L. of the St. Govt Stationery Stores Workers' Association,
on the above subject sent to him for remarks with
H. L. L. Govt Endt No 37633 C2/46-1 Edn d. 20.7.46, in view of
his letter read above.

To
The Sgs

20/7/46
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SRK
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Edmund P. H. Dett
 6. No: 5017 A. Letter from the
 Commissioner, Saldapet
 Municipality, No: 2725/383
 9 26 1-39.
 Payment of contribution
 to a night school.
 No: 5017 A-18 18/0/38
 Transferred to the S. P. S.
 for clearance with reference to
 the order in No: 3195 d. 1.4
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FROM C.W. Tremenhere Esq., M.B.E.,
 Supdt. of Stationery, (Madras)
 Guindy, Saidapet P.O.
 1 - AUG 1946
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 ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
 EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

The Secretary to Government,
 Education & P.H. Department,
 Madras.

No. A-2-1955/46, Dated 26th July 1946.

STATIONERY STORES - Warehousemen - Appointment - Government
 Endt. No. 37633-C-2/46-1-Edn., dated 20-7-1946.

Reference is solicited to my letter No. A-2-1955/46 dated 19th
 July 1946 wherein I have represented to Government the circumstances
 under which the last vacancy of a Warehouseman was filled up. In June
 1946, two short vacancies of Warehousemen arose. Two senior Lascars
 who were considered suitable were appointed temporarily as Warehouse-
 men from 28-6-1946. Subsequently when another short vacancy of Ware-
 houseman arose, one S. Suriah Naidu who has been working as peon and
 as Counter in the Stamp & Stationery establishment from 1933 was --
 appointed, considering his past service and ability to discharge the
 duties of Warehouseman.

2 On a former occasion also in 1944, one Perumal Naidu who was
 working as a peon in the office was appointed to act as Warehouseman.
 The workers of the Stationery Stores did not protest then. The --
 appointment of a peon of the office as Warehouseman is not therefore
 without a precedent.

3 When quite recently, two lascars of the Stores were appointed
 as Warehousemen and a third vacancy is given to another member of
 the establishment, I do not see any reason for the agitation among
 the Store workers.

P. T. O.

5 The enclosures received with Government endorsement referred to above are retransmitted herewith.

~~SUPER INTENDENT.~~

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8/11/59. From the 3rd letter to 42-1955/45 d. 19-7-66

1815-16 of "1844" - do 62-4755-66 d. 26.7.46

July 1st

Stationary stores - warehousemen - light

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The Sgs are requested to furnish information on the following points:—

Para 4-11 of (1) whether P. Surish Naidu possesses the qualification prescribed for the post of warehouseman, i.e. whether he has studied up to the III Form School Final class, ~~the~~ the III Form is efficient for the post of warehouseman, which is

(2) whether Lascar Ethirajulu has studied up to Vth form as stated by the Pky Govt. State Stores Workers Assoc.,

(3) Whether the two Senior lascars who were appointed temporarily as warehousemen from 28.6.46 possessed the full qualification prescribed for the post of warehouseman.

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~~whether they are still continuing to act as warehousemen and~~

(4) whether Perumal Naidu who was appointed to act as warehouseman in 1944 possessed the prescribed all qualification, and

para 2 - 15/4

(5) ~~whether persons without the prescribed qualifications were appointed as warehousemen in the above mentioned cases, exemption was obtained for their appointment.~~

to forward to Govt for refce. Copies of the appointment orders relating to Suriah Naidu and the two senior lascars.

The Secy to Govt

Note: - The above information is necessary for making up the case.

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From: M.Karamatullah, Esq., I.C.S., To
THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STATIONERY, Madras at Guindy,
Saidapet P.O.
No.A2.195F/46 dated 14-9-46.

Sir,
Stationery Stores - Warehousemen - Appointment - Government
Memo.No.37633-C2/46-3 Edn. dated 7-8-46.

The information called for is furnished below:-

1) S.Suriah Nayudu states that he has passed IV Form and produced the School leaving certificate at the time of his appointment as Counter.

2) Lascar, Ethirajalu states that he has studied upto III Form. He has not studied upto V Form as stated by the President of the Association.

3) The two senior lascars Muniratnam and Krishnaraj do not possess the educational qualification prescribed for the post of Warehousemen. They state that they have studied upto III Form.

4) Perumal Nayudu also does not possess the educational qualification prescribed for the post of Warehouseman. He states that he was studying for the middle school examination but did not appear for the examination.

All the above persons except Suriah Naidu are not in a position to produce their school leaving certificate to prove their statements as according to them it is long since they left the school.

Copies of the appointment orders relating to Suriah Naidu and the two senior lascars (Muniratnam and Krishnaraj) are enclosed.

[Signature]
Superintendent.

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Encl:

Copy of the Proceedings of the Superintendent of Stationery (Madras) at Guindy, Saidapet P.O. to S. Suriah Naidu etc. No. A.2.1826/46 dated 10-7-'46.

Establishment - Unnikrishnan Sri C. Acting clerk - Transfer to Board of Revenue (Civil Supplies) Madras - consequential arrangements.

Consequent on the Transfer of Sri C.S. Unnikrishnan an acting clerk as Upper Division Clerk to the Office of the Board of Revenue (Civil Supplies) Madras and Sri M.K. Jayaraman working as assistant to Clerk A3. (C.T.C) Stationery Office having been ordered to work as B.4. in place of Sri. C.S. Unnikrishnan the following appointments are ordered.

(1) Y. Prakasam, Warehouseman on Rs.23/- in charge of the godown of the Stationery Office at 12¹/₂ line Beach is appointed to act as clerk on Rs.30 Plus P.A. of Rs.6-8-0 p.m. in the accounts section Stationery Office as assistant to A.3. (C.T.C) under emergency provision vice Sri M.K. Jayaraman transferred.

(2) S. Suriah Naidu, peon, Stationery Office on Rs.14/- now working as attender, is appointed to act as Warehouseman on Rs.19 plus P.A. of Rs.2/8/- p.m. in place of Y. Prakasam noted above.

This arrangement will take effect from 11-7-46.

Sd. S. Duncan.
for Superintendent.

Copy of the Proceedings of the Superintendent of Stationery (Madras) at Guindy, Saidapet P.O. to the individuals.- No. A2.1772-46 d/ 28-6-46.

Munuswami Naidu - S - Warehouseman Stationery Stores - Leave grant of Substitute appointment of -
Ref: His application dated 12-6-46.

S. Munuswamy Naidu, Warehouseman on Rs.23/- is granted earned leave for 30 days from 21-6-46. He is permitted to draw P.A. during the period of his leave.

2. Muniratnam, Lascar on Rs.13/- stationery stores is appointed to act as warehouseman on Rs.19/- p.m. vice No.1 with effect from 28-6-46.

Sd. S. Duncan.
for Superintendent.

Copy of the Proceedings of the Superintendent of Stationery (Madras) at Guindy, Saidapet P.O. to the individuals - No. A2.1618/46 d/ 28-6-46.

Padmanaban Sri A.R. Acting Clerk - Stationery Office - Leave grant of -
Substitute appointment of -
Ref: His application for leave dated 31-5-46 and 2-6-46.

Sri A.R. Padmanaban acting clerk on Rs.30/- p.m. is granted L.W.P. for 1 month and 2 days from 1-6-46.

2. S.P. Vinayagam, warehouseman on Rs.23/- p.m. Stationery Stores is appointed to act as clerk in the Accounts section on Rs.30/- p.m. from 28-6-46 in vice No.(1) above under emergency provision. He is posted for duty in the posting section.

3. K.S. Krishnaraj, Lascar on Rs.13/- p.m. is appointed to act as warehouseman on Rs.19/- p.m. vice No.(2) with effect from 28-6-46.

Sd/- S. Duncan.
for Superintendent.

(True copy)

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 " 40159 - from the 3rd, letter M 421955/45 d. 19-7-46
 " 42444. -do- -do- 46 d. 26-7-46
 " 55295 -do- -do- 14-8-46

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Subject

Stationery Stores - Warehousemen - Appointment
of P. Curich, Nidhu, Peon and Counter, and Warehousemen - Protest
of Govt Store Workers' Union - Interference - Declined

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The Pt. Govt Stationery Stores Workers' Association, is informed that the Govt decline to interfere in the matter.

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The Pt. Galt State
Stores Workers' Assoc.

Copy to Sag S. [✓] *gpd*
Lo *Dr*

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1/1-9 of CM 37623 - from the Govt. Store Workers' Association dated 1/1/41
+ 1104 - 1/1-159 - from the Govt. Store No. 1/1-159/45 dated 1/1/41
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1/19-21 of 1/1-159 - do - do - do - 1/1-159/46 dated 1/1/41

Subject

Stationary Stores - Warehousemen - Appointment of S. Suriah Naidu as Peon and Counter as Warehouseman - Protest against the

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The Govt. Stationary Stores workers' Association protests against the appointment of one S. Suriah Naidu, Peon and Counter, as Warehouseman in a vacancy on the grounds that he is not attached to the Store only to the Office and that the selection should be confined

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according to G.O. No. 919 Ch. d. 15.6.44 to the Lascars in the Stores. He recommended the appointment of Lascar Ethiraj in preference to the Peon, Suriah Naidu, temporarily.

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Ten posts of Warehousemen were sanctioned for the Stationary Stores in G.O. No. 2132 Ch. d. 27.9.29 or Rs. 19-2/2-25-1/2-30. The posts are analogous to those of Attendants in Govt. Offices and are borne on the Superior Scale.

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of Attendants in Govt. Offices and are borne on the Superior Scale. Rule for the posts of Attendants prescribed a pass in the Form in a recognised secondary school or prescribed education up to the school final class or prescribed for the posts of Warehousemen. The posts are being continued from time to time on a temporary basis and they were continued for a period of two years from 1.6.45 to 31.5.46 Ch. d. 6.6.45. No rules for recruitment to the posts were framed as they were temporary.

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On the recommendation of the S.O. No. 1929, the Govt. in their order No. 743 Ch. d. 27.4.40 exempted Lascars in the Stationary Stores from the prescribed educational qualification for appointment as Warehousemen.

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On 19.6.1941, V. Prakashan, a clerk employed in the Store (who had studied up to the S. A. class and appeared for the examination) and S. P. Vignayakumar, an attender were appointed as Warehousemen. Thus nine out of the ten posts were

filled from persons of the Stationary Stores. The Pt. Stationary
Stores Workers' Association ~~in Jan 1944~~ requested Govt to ~~para 3 - p 2 of~~ ^{in Jan 1944}
give preference to Senior and experienced lascars for
possible vacancies among the ten warehousemen exempting
them from the general educational qualification. Govt however
did not comply with this request. They said that the claim's
of suitable and deserving lascars ^{would} be considered
for appointment as warehousemen when vacancies arise
vide Govt 919 Cdn d. 15.6.44. ~~para 3 - p 2 of~~ ^{para 3 - p 2 of}

4. The SgoS in having appointing Suriah Naidu as
warehouseman has considered the claims of lascars also
and in particular the claim's of lascar Ethirajulu ~~para 4 - p 11 of~~ ^{para 4 - p 11 of}
sponsored by the Pt. of the Stationary Stores Workers' Union.
Ethirajulu has studied only up to III Form according to
his own statement ~~supported by documentary evidence~~ ^{para 4 - p 11 of}
and the state of the Pt. that he has studied up to V Form ~~para 4 - p 11 of~~ ^{para 4 - p 11 of}
is not therefore correct. The SgoS considers Suriah ~~para 4 - p 11 of~~ ^{para 4 - p 11 of}
better suited for the post of warehouseman than lascar
Ethirajulu and his opinion in the matter is ~~final~~ ^{final}
apart from whatever the Pt. may say to the contrary. ~~para 4 - p 11 of~~ ^{para 4 - p 11 of}
It is also for Senior to lascar Ethirajulu. No discrimination
can be made between the Stationary Office and the Stationary
Stores in the matter of promotions & transfers, as warehousemen
are appointed as clerks in the Stationary Office and it is but
fair that ^{deserving} ~~senior~~ should be appointed as warehouseman
in the Stores. On a former occasion in 1944, a few of the Stationary
Office (Perumal Naidu) was appointed as warehouseman and
the workers of the Stores did not protest against the appointment.
(vide para 2 - p 15 of and item 4 on p 19 of). Thus the ^{present} ~~grievance~~
of the Pt. Stationary Stores Workers' Association is not real.
The appointment of Suriah by the SgoS is in order. The Pt.
may be informed that the Govt ^{see no reason} ~~has no reason~~ to interfere with the
appointment made by the SgoS.

5. ^{one file} ~~may be~~ circulated to H. N. (Cdn) as the representative
of the Pt. addressed to H. N.

we may refuse to interfere. If we allow
these unions to interfere like this in making the

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promotions, and to seek explain to him the
reasons for our making such appointments,
we are likely to make the position of appointing
authorities very difficult. Any person aggrieved
by a decision ^{at his own} may appeal himself through
the proper channel, and it is not desirable that
he should encourage such devious lines of
approach.
By
3.10.46
7 OCT 1946 7 OCT 1946
SECRETARY, EPR. AND P.H. DEPT.
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
A draft order is submitted
MA 9/10/46
[Sent as go 1951 Cdn d. 14.12.1946]

