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G.O. No. 1678 Edn

Dated 25.7.47

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Public Services – Provincial Services – Madras General Service. Supdt. Govt Museum and Associate Librarian Connemara Public Library – Dr. A. Aiyappan – confirmed

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Ms.	2587.	Edn.	16-10-'48.				

From: Dr. R.E.Mortimer, Wheeler.

D.O. No. 5215

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF
ARCHÆOLOGY IN INDIA.

Simla, the 13th Septr., 1945.

My dear Austin,

I have received a heart-cry from Aiyappan, the Superintendent of your Museum. He asks me to put in a good word on his behalf with the Higher Powers with a view to his temporary appointment (which he has apparently held now for several years) being confirmed. I do not as a rule involve myself in these things, which are in any case not my business. I have however seen a good deal of Aiyappan and do know that he is keen and intelligent - not of course in the Gravely class, but I should say above the average.

All this is far more familiar to you than it is to me, and I crave your forgiveness for passing on to you a petition which Aiyappan is apparently too shy to present to you direct.

Please do not bother to reply.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

R E M Wheeler

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Sir T. Austin, K.C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Adviser to H.E. the Governor of Madras,
Madras.

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL From Dr A. Aiyappan.

"Museum House",
Egmore, Madras,
30th August 1945.

My dear Dr Wheeler,

I have been out of touch with you for some weeks now, as I did not want to disturb you when you must have been very busy with the work of the Persian Mission, the recent recruitments, etc. I wanted to apply for the post of Curator, Central Asian Antiquities Museum, but the Government of Madras did not see their way to forward my application. The alternative before me was to resign my post and try my luck at Simla, but worldly-wise friends advised me against such a step. I have been looking forward with great expectation to a day when I might be able to work with you and under your official direction in the largest sphere available to an Indian in the museum line. There are not many in India who have the knowledge, acquired in Europe and India, of museum matters which I possess, a fact which you know and Dr Gravely knew, but not many others because I am not good at advertising myself. I have not told any one how disappointed I feel in this matter, but I have no quarrel with the Madras Government, for they are primarily concerned with the interests of their Museum. I understand that you had a very small number of applicants for the post of Curator, Central Asian Antiquities Museum, ~~xixh~~ which, if true, is a great pity.

While the Madras Government appear to be particular that I should continue here, they have not yet regularised my appointment. This is the fifth year of my temporary incumbency. According to the rules, ~~the past rules,~~ the post of Supdt., Madras Museum, can be filled up either by direct recruitment or by promotion in special cases. At this age, and

and having been the head of this Museum for very nearly five years, I feel a sense of shame at the prospect of having to face a Provincial Service Commission for my job. I propose, therefore, not to let any grass grow under my feet, but to appeal to the Government to treat mine as a special case and save me my kudos. The matter is a simple one if Sir Thomas Austin takes a sympatheitc view. He is very kind-hearted, and if my case is put before him, it will have his most careful and just consideration. As I cannot be a good advocate of my case, I wonder whether I might request you to put in a word on my behalf to Sir Thomas. If there is the least breach of propriety in it, I would welcome a "No" from you. A few weeks later, Sir Thomas may not be there as Adviser, and neither he nor you will be in a position to help me, and being a hater of politicians, my own personal influence will be much less then.

If the Government's reply is unfavarable to me, my future will be somewhat uncertain, but let me hope for the best.

I shall be much obliged if you will do me another favour. I shall find it extremely useful to have a testimonial of a general character from you, which will be my Alladin's lamp on all occasions.

With my apologies for capitalising for personal ends your kindness and good will towards me,

Yours sincerely,

A. Aiyappan
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Education & P.H. Department

Confidential.

Letter No. 41216A/45-2 Edn. dated 6/10/45.
Ref.

To

The Secretary,
Public Service Commission, Madras.

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Sub:- Museum - Government - Recruitment (direct)-
Superintendent.

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I am directed to invite attention to your letter No.3759.B-1/42-11 dated 15-2-43 on the subject of selection of a candidate for appointment to the post of Superintendent, ~~of~~ Government Museum and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library (Category I of Class VIII of the Madras General Service) and to say that the Government then decided to continue the temporary appointment of Dr. Aiyyapan as Supdt. Government Museum until a regular appointment could be made after the war. As the war has now terminated and as the post in question has been kept substantively vacant from December 1940, I am to request that the Commission will be

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so good as to advertise the vacancy in advance of the regular programme laid down in the Annexure II to G.O. No.3168 Pub(Ser) dated 30-10-1944, select three candidates and forward their names to Govt. arranged in order of ~~merit~~ merit.

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I am, in this connection, to invite the attention of the Commission to the observation made on pages 36-37 in the Report on the Museums in India by Messrs. Markham and Hargreaves in regard to the general qualifications required of heads of museums and to request that in selecting candidates, persons possessing these qualifications may be preferred.

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From
Sri C. Krishnaswami Chetty,
Secretary, Public Service Commission,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education & Public Health Department.

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No.5608-B1/45-1, dated 12th November 1945.

Sir,

Recruitment (Direct) - Madras General Service - Category I of Class VIII - Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian of the Connemara Public Library - Government's letter No.41216-A.45-2 Education, dated 6-10-1945.

With reference to the statement in the first paragraph of the letter cited that "the war has now terminated" and that the post of Superintendent, Government Museum has been substantively vacant from December 1940, I am to enquire what is the date with effect from which the Government have decided that the war ended, as such a specific decision is necessary and none has yet been communicated to the Commission.

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2. I am to invite attention to the sub-paragraph under rule 2 of the Special Rules for Class VIII of the Madras General Service, by virtue of which approved probationers and full members in the category of Curators in the Madras General Subordinate Service are eligible for competing for direct recruitment as Superintendent, Government Museum, notwithstanding the definition of the term -- 'recruited direct' as it stood before 5-7-1943, and to enquire whether, with reference to the revised definition of the term 'recruited direct' introduced by G.O. No.Ms.1840, Public (Services), dated 5-7-1943, Curators, in respect of whom five years' have elapse since their first appointment under the Crown in India, are also eligible to apply. If the intention is that they should be made eligible, I am to suggest that an amendment as indicated in Annexure I to this letter may be issued.

see old definition (13) on p 179 of BK 112

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If, however, the Government take the view that in the case of Curators also a period of 5 years should not have elapsed on the date of the Commission's notification since their first appointment to a service under the Crown in India, I am to say that the existing sub-paragraph under rule 2 of the rules referred to above has to be deleted. In this case the amendment should be as indicated in Annexure II.

3.(a) I am in this connection to invite attention to the -- inappropriate wording of the request in the last sentence of the first paragraph of the letter cited and to say that in the case of a "direct recruitment" what the Commission has to do is, to advertise the vacancy and according to G.O. No.3168, Public (Services), dated 30-10-1944, hold the prescribed competitive examination in pursuance of Section 266 (1) of the Government of India Act read wi rule 1 of His Excellency the Governor's rules regulating the Commission's procedure, and report the result of the examination to the Government. This the Commission will do as soon as a reply to paragraphs 1 and 2 above has been received.

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(b) The Government's request for a panel of 3 names is inconsistent with rule 1 of the Rules of Procedure which does not conte plate the recruitment of candidates in excess of the number of vacancies announced. As there is only one post of Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian of the Connemara Public Library, the candidate who stands first in the competitive examination is entitled to be appointed to it and the question of preparin a panel of names does not arise.

4. I am to request that, in future, references to the

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Commission concerning recruitment may be appropriately worded in accordance with the instructions which His Excellency the Governor has issued to all Departments of the Secretariat.

G.O. 2988 Pub(Ser) d 11.10.44 (K)

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

ANNEXURE I.

"In Part II of the Madras General Service Rules, in the rules relating to Class VIII for the sub-paragraph under rule 2 the following shall be substituted, namely:--

For the purpose of this rule the recruitment of a person in the service of the Crown in India in the category of Curators of the Madras General Subordinate Service (class II of the Madras General Subordinate Service) shall be deemed to be direct recruitment even though a period of five years has elapsed since his first appointment to that service."

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ANNEXURE II.

"In Part II of the Madras General Service rules, in the rules relating to Class VIII the sub-paragraph under rule 2 shall be deleted."

Secretary,
Madras Public Service Commission.

c.k. 12/11/45.

Education & P.H.Department (A)
C.No. 41216.

Confidential. Letter No. 41216A/45-3 Dated 21/12/45 (6)

Draft I

To
The Secretary,
Public Service Commission, Madras.
(with enclosure)

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Sir,

Sub:- Museum - Government - Recruitment (direct) - Superintendent.

Ref:- Your letter No.5608-B1/45-1 dated 12-11-45

pp 7-8 ante

I am directed to say that the expression "the war has now terminated" was intended to mean ~~that~~ "hostilities have now terminated."

p 7 ante

Regarding para 3 of your letter I am to invite your attention to Mr.V.V.Subramaniam's letter ~~on the subject~~ No.7271(S)A-4 Edn., dated 28-11-42 on the subject, in which the Commission was requested to select three candidates and forward the

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names arranged in order of merit. No exception was then taken to this request. The request in ~~my~~ Mr Coorey's letter No.41216A/45-2 dated 6-10-45 followed the previous one. In view, however, of the present objection, the request made ~~in my letter~~ ~~referred to above~~ for the names of three candidates is withdrawn. N.P. I am to enclose a copy of the proceedings of this Govt. No. 2174 Edn Dated 21-12-45 amending rule 2 of the Special Rules ~~under~~ relating to class VIII of the Madras General Service as suggested by the Commission, and to request that the Commission will be so good as to advertise the vacancy in the post of S.G.M. ~~and the result of selection~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~communicated~~ to ~~Government at an early date.~~ and communicate to Govt. the result of the competitive examination held by the Commission.

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From
Sri Rao Bahadur P.K.
Gnanasundara Mudaliyar,
Secretary, Public Service
Commission,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to the Government
of Madras,
Education & Public Health
Department.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
28 FEB 1946
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

No.5608-B1/45-7, dated 21st February 1946.

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Sir,

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Recruitment (Direct) - Madras General Service - Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian of the Connemara Public Library - Correspondence resting with your letter No.41216-A/45-3 Education, dated 21-12-1945.

pp 9-10 ante

I am to say that in response to the Commission's advertisement inviting applications for appointment as Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian of the Connemara Public Library, applications have been received from seven candidates, of whom two appear to be prima facie qualified. With reference to paragraph 3 of G.O. No.3168, Public (Services), dated 30-10-1944, the Commission proposes to hold a competitive examination comprising an oral test in the shape of an interview with your assistance or with the assistance of a representative to be nominated by you in accordance with the instructions in G.Os. No.562, Public, dated 19-3-1937 and No.878, Public (Services), dated 5-5-1937. The examination will be held at its office, "Victoria Buildings", Commander-in-Chief Road, Egmore, at 2-30 P.M. on Friday the 15th March 1946. The Commission invites you to be present or to nominate in accordance with the G.Os. referred to above, a representative who is an officer next to you in rank or grade to be present at the examination.

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Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

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Letter to be issued in the name of the Secretary.

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Letter
Ref 41216 C/45-4 Edn., dated 28/2/46

To The Secretary,
P.S.C., Madras

Sir,

Sub:- Recruitment (Direct) – Madras General Service – Superintendent, Govt. Museum and Associate Librarian of the Connemara Public Library.

Ref:- Your letter No. 5608-B1/45-7 dated 21-2-46

I am directed to say that Mr P.S. Viswanatha Ayyar, I.C.S., Deputy Secretary to Govt., Education and P.H. Dept will be present at the examination ~~to be held~~ as my representative. ~~on Friday the 15th March 1946.~~

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From
Sri S. Alavandar,
Asst. Secretary, Public
Service Commission, Madras.

To
P.S. Viswanatha Ayyar, Esq., I.C
Deputy Secretary to the Govern
ment of Madras, Education and
Public Health Department.

No.5608-B1/45-8, dated 13-3-1946.

14 MAR 1946

Sir,

Recruitment (Direct) - Madras General Service - Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian of the Connemara Public Library, Madras - Competitive Examination - Government's letter No.41216.C/45-4. Edn., dated 28-2-1946.

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I am to enclose a copy of the abstract of the qualifications of the candidates to be examined at 2-30 P.M. on Friday, 15-3-1946.

Your obedient servant,

S. Alavandar

Asst. Secretary.

13-3-46

Place put up the file at once. exam is commenced 2.30 P.M. [illegible]

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From
Sri Rao Bahadur P.K. Gnanasundara Mudaliyar,
Secretary, Public Service Commission,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education & Public Health Department.

No.5608-B1/45-9, dated 28th March 1946.

Sir,

Recruitment (Direct) - Madras General Service - Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate - Librarian of the Connemara Public Library - Correspondence resting with your letter No.41216-C/45-4, Education, dated 28-2-1946. p 13 ante

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1 I am to say that of the two candidates who were prima facie qualified, one was absent and the other, Dr. A. Aiyappan, the existing temporary holder of the post, was subjected to the oral test at which Mr. P.S. Viswanatha Ayyar represented you.

2 The prescribed competitive examination thus resolved itself into an examination of the question whether Dr. Aiyappan (whom the Commission found unsuitable for permanent appointment to the post in 1943 but who has continued to hold it temporarily since then in the abnormal conditions created by the war) is now suitable for permanent appointment.

3 After the most careful consideration of this question, the Commission has reached the conclusion that Dr. Aiyappan is really unsuitable to hold the appointment permanently in the normal conditions of peace which will presumably afford scope for reorganization and expansion; but the Commission doubts whether the Government will get a better candidate on the scale of pay sanctioned for the post. Notwithstanding the fact that the vacancy was advertised in newspapers published in Calcutta, Bombay, Lucknow and Lahore as well as in the "Mail" and "Hindu" of Madras and through the agency of All India Radio, Madras, the advertisement attracted, besides Dr. Aiyappan, only one other person who was prima facie technically qualified and he did not appear before the Commission for examination.

Your obedient servant,

Gnanasundaram

Secretary.

His personal file has been received and retained for use

c.k. 28/3/46.

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From
Sri Rao Bahadur P.K.
Gnanasundara Mudaliyar,
Secretary, Public Service
Commission,
Madras 8.

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The Secretary to the Government
of Madras,
Education & Public Health
Department.

30 MAY 1946

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No. 5608-B1/45-10, dated 28th May 1946.

Sir,

Recruitment (Direct) - Madras General Service -
Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate
Librarian of the Connemara Public Library -
Commission's letter No.5608-B1/45-9, dated 28-3-1946. — p 17 ante

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I am to request that a copy of the orders passed on the Commission's letter cited may kindly be communicated for the Commission's information.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

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c.k. 28/5/46. The main file on the subject is linked with another file which has been circd to H.M (Edn). Its return may be awaited.

x Dr. Aiyappan's appln for Asst Regr-ship

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TEL: "PUBSERCOM"

From
Sri Rao Bahadur P.K. Gnanasundara
Mudaliyar,
Secretary, Public Service Commn.,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to the
Government of Madras,
Education and Public Health
Department.

No.5608-B.1/45-11, dated 20-6-1946.

Education and Public Health Dept.
21 JUN 1946
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Sir,

Recruitment (Direct) - Madras General Service - Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian of the Connemara Public Library - Examination - Statistics.

I am directed to supply the following particulars relating to the examination held in March 1946 for the direct recruitment of Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian of the Connemara Public Library in the Madras General Service:

Number of vacancies advertised .. 1

		Anglo-Indian, Christian or Non-Asiatic.	Non-Brahman (Hindu)	Brahman.	Total.
Number of applications received	..	3	3	1	7
Number of applicants qualified	..	-	2	-	2
Number of applicants examined	..	-	1	-	1*
Number recruited	..	-	-	-	Nil.

*The other Non-Brahman (Hindu) candidate was absent from the examination.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Encl.- Nil.

ckn.20-6-1946.

DO/Ref No. 41216 C2/45-8 Edn d. 2.4.47

Dear Dr. [Aiyappan]

I am ~~directed~~ to inform you that H.M. (Edn) desires ~~that~~ you ~~should~~ meet him at the Sectt sometime next week when he is in the city ~~for discussion about the Museum and its needs~~ as he ~~proposes~~ to discuss with you about the present position of the museum and its future needs.

Yours sincerely

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To

Dr. A. Aiyappan M.A., Ph.D.

S.G.M.

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Education and Public Health (C.2.)Deptt.

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PUBLIC SERVICES - Provincial services - Madras General Service - S.G.M. and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library - Dr. A. Aiyappan - Confirmed.

p 7-8 cf C.No. 41216 C.2./45 From the Secy., P.S.C., Madras, No.5608-B1/45-1 dated 12-11-45.
p 11 cf C.No. 11133/46 -do- -do- -7 dated 21-2-1946.
p 15 cf C.No. 14587 -do- -do- -8 dated 13-3-1946
p.17 cf C.No. 17613 -do- -do- -9 dated 28-3-1946.
p 23 cf C.No. 33048 -do- -do- -11 dated 20-6-1946.

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ORDER Ms. No. 1678 Edn. dated 25.7.47

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Dr. A. Aiyappan, permanent Curator and officiating Superintendent Government Museum and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library, Madras, is appointed regularly as Superintendent Government Museum and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library, Madras with effect from the date of this order.

p 151-BK112 2. Under Rule 20(a) of the Madras Provincial and Subordinate Services Rules, Dr. A. Aiyappan is permitted to count his service from 7-12-40 for purposes of probation in the post of S.G.M. and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library.

p 152-BK112 3. Under Rule 23 (b) of the Madras Provincial and Subordinate Services Rules, Dr. A. Aiyappan is declared to have satisfactorily completed his period of probation on 7-12-1942.

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

NOTIFICATION

Dr. A. Aiyappan permanent Curator and Officiating Superintendent Government Museum and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library, Madras (is appointed) to be Superintendent Government Museum and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library.

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To the S.G.M.
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PUBLIC SERVICES - Provincial Services - Madras General Service - S.G.M. and Associate - Librarian, Connemara Public Library - Dr.A. Aiyappan - Confirmed.

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C.No.41216-C2/45.	From the Secy.,P.S.C., Madras, No.5608-B1/45-1, dated 12-11-1945.
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C.No.17613	" " " " -9, " 28-3-1946.
C.No.33048	" " " " -11, " 20-6-1946.

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Order Ms. No. Edn., dated -6-1947.

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

NOTIFICATION.

Dr. A. Aiyappan, permanent Curator [illegible] and Officiating Superintendent, Government Museum, and Associate Librarian C.P.L Madras is appointed to be Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian C.P.L

9.6.47

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To

The S.G.M.
" A.G. ~~thro' Finance.~~
" S.G. Press for publication in the Gazette
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II.

CONFIDENTIAL.

Letter Ref.No. 41216 C2/45-11 Edn D/ 25.7.47

To

The Secretary,
Public Service Commission,
Madras.

Sir,

SUB:--PUBLIC SERVICES - Madras General Service S.G.M. and Associate - Librarian of the Connemara Public Library - Direct recruitment.

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With reference to the Commission's letter No.5608-B1/45-9, dated 28-3-1946 on the ~~above~~ subject, I am to say that the question whether Government would be satisfied with the Museum as it is and appoint a Superintendent for it or whether the ~~Government~~ would undertake to re-organise and improve the Museum so that a Director on a higher scale of pay may be appointed was considered in detail and the Govt. have come to the conclusion that on

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on financial grounds no reorganisation of the Museum on an ambitious scale can now be undertaken. Dr. Aiyappan had been holding the post of Superintendent, Government Museum on a merely temporary basis since December, 1940 and it is wholly unfair to him and improper ~~for~~ from the Govt.'s ~~from the~~ point of view to allow him to continue as such. In response to previous advertisements no proper person ~~was~~ became available for being selected by the Public Service Commission for the post of Superintendent, Govt. Museum. Considering all these facts the Govt. have decided to confirm Dr. Aiyappan in the post of Superintendent, Govt. Museum. A copy of the Proceedings of this Government No. 1678 Edn dated 25.7.47 is enclosed for the information of the Commission.

To be filled in before issue

Y.O.S.

9.6.47

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Education & P.H. Department.
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C.No.41216.

From Dr. R. E. Mortimer Wheeler, Director General of Archaeology in India, D.O.No.5215 dated 13-9-1945.

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Attention is invited to the notes of ~~the~~ G.O.No.2505 Edn., dated 16th April 1943 kept below.

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P.9 N.7 (7)

Dr. Aiyappan is officiating as Superintendent Government Museum in a temporary capacity from 7-12-40. It was decided to fill the vacancy by direct recruitment and the post was advertised by the Public Service Commission and as no suitable candidate became available, it ~~has been~~ was decided that the post should be filled by regular appointment after the war. The post ~~however~~ is not, however, reserved for a war service candidate. In 1944, the question whether the vacancy should be advertised was considered and deferred--please see notes at pp. 17/(7). The question of advertising the vacancy will be taken in ~~December~~ 1945. The file may be circulated to A.2.

call back early 1-12-45

21.9.45

The history of Dr Aiyappan's case is found in the n.f. of (F). (Please see P 1-3 n.f. & 8&9 n.f.). Dr Aiyappan's temporary appointment under Rule 8 (f) of the old Genl. Rules for Nor Services has been continued ~~[illegible]~~ nearly for 5 yrs now. Before a regular appointment is made, the post has to be advertised and a direct recruit selected in consultation with the M.P.S.C. This will be the ordinary course. The extraordinary course, which may be adopted for special reasons, is to select Dr Aiyappan by transfer. This ~~can hardly be done~~ is what he wants done, but it can hardly be done now, since the MPSC ~~has passed~~ have examined him in 1943 and did not recommend him for selection and Govt then apparently accepted this view by not proceeding further in the matter of his selection. If he is to be selected by transfer, Govt will have to find him suitable now and consult the Commission. It will be difficult to find 'special reasons' for doing this.

Vide Secy's remarks on P3 n.f. of (F)

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Now that the War is over, steps may be taken at the proper time, to advertise for the vacancy and a selection in the usual manner. Dr Ayappan can apply for selection as he did in 1943 and try to convince the Commission that he is now suitable. For orders.

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SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
24 SEP 1945
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

I agree – but can this not be settled at once?

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The usual periodical report to be sent to the MPSC as regards this selection is to go by the 1st week of Decr., in which case, the approved list of candidates will be sent to Govt by the M.P.S.C. by the last week of February next year.

A [If it is considered that a selection should be made earlier than next February, the M.P.S.C. may be asked to advertise for the vacancy & make a selection even now. The reason to be given to the MPSC may be the termination of the war, till which time Govt had decided to wait for making a regular appointment. [Vide P 9 N of (F)]. ~~[illegible]~~ Orders will be taken on this point after Pub (Ser) see. Since this vacancy arose before April 1944, it is not reserved for a war-service man.

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Public (Services) Deptt

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT.
1103
25 SEP 1945
CHIEF SECRETARIAT

Please see the E & P.H. department's note and orders in circulation at pp. 1-2 above. Their proposal at A above may be agreed to in this department and the file returned to them.

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1.10.45

EPH

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EPH

Pl see A_2's minute on P 2 ante. Action may be taken now as at 'A' on ~~that~~ page. For orders.

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(for) S 3/10/45

A_2

4/10/45

The draft letter below is for ~~consideration following~~ approval. the decision on page 6 N. 3 of (F) the draft requires the Commission to send 3 names of candidates selected, arranged in order of merit.

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6/10/45

(Issued as letter No.41216A/45-2 Edn.,dated 6-10-45
to the Secretary, Madras Public Service Commn.)
(From the M.P.S.C. No.5608-B1/45-1 dated 12-11-1945).

The following remarks are called for on the P.S.C's letter.

P. 5 CF

PP 7-8 CF

P 7 CF

P 9 N.F of (F)

Para 1 of the Commission's letter:-- The recruitment of a candidate to the post of S.G.M. was deferred until regular appointment could be made after the war. Hostilities have now ceased and it is proposed to advertise the vacancy. The expression "war has now terminated" in the draft is intended only to convey that hostilities have now ceased. The Commission may be appraised of this.

P 7 CF

Para 2 of the Commission's letter:-- Sub-paragraph under Rule 2 of the Special Rules for class VIII of the Madras General Service, was inserted to enable all Curators in the ~~S.G.M.~~ Govt museum to compete for direct recruitment whenever the post of ~~S.G.M.~~ Superintendent in the museum was advertised to be filled by the method of direct recruitment. The amendment issued with reference to the

P 7 of B.R. No 1134 Services Manual Volume II

PP 1, 4 & 48 of (U)

G.O. 1280 Edn 20.8.41

revised definition of the term 'direct recruitment' introduced by the G.O.No.1840 Pub(Services) dated 5-7-1943 ~~does~~ should not affect the position. Public may be requested to advise whether the sub-paragraph referred to above should be amended as suggested by the Commission and if so, whether, pending the amendment, the Commission may be required to advertise the vacancy in advance.

Y/p.10-11 CF

at B on p.8 CF.

Para 3 of the Commission's letter:-- Three names were called for, for reasons mentioned by the former Secretary and as per orders in circulation on p.6 n.f. of G.O.at (F). For orders whether the request based on this decision should be modified.

"X" at p.6 CF

p.7 CF.

Public may see for remarks

21/11

W
21.11.45

I. The Commn may be informed that the "termination of the war" referred to at p.5 c.f. is intended by Govt to be construed as "termination of ~~actual~~ hostilities" in this particular connection i.e. the date on which the War with Japan ended.

A

II. Para 2 of Rule 2 of the Spl Rules for Class VIII of the Madras General Service means quite clearly that a full member of or an appd. probationer in the category of Curators of the Madras Genl Sub: Service can be "recruited direct." It makes no mention that persons who have been in the service of the Govt for ~~more than~~ 5 yrs or more (with ref: to the new definition of "recruited direct" introduced in (Y)) are not eligible to be recruited direct. The presumption is, therefore, that the new definition does not affect the provn in Para 2 of Rule 2 mentioned above. From a perusal of (O) in which this para was introduced, it is seen that there was ~~no~~ intention at all to shut out Curators with service of 5 yrs or more.

p.70 of
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B

It seems, therefore, that no amendments to the para is necessary. The Commission ~~may be told~~ so - also that III Re the wording of the memo on p.5 of c.f. to which the Commn takes exception, the very same point was brought up by Pub(Ser) at p.5 n.f. of (F) and decided in circulation. The present draft followed the draft in that case and the Commission took no objection to it then.

p.8 c.f.

p.6 n.f. of (F)

p.7 n.f. of (F)

Pub (Ser) may see on these 3 points.

26/11 Supr

Ed. & P.H. No. 41216 A/45-3
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Public (Services) Department.

The following remarks are offered on the points raised:--

(a) Paragraph 1 on page 7 C.F: The Government decided that the selection of a person for regular appointment in the post of Superintendent, Govt. Museum, might be deferred until after the war -- see the notes on pages 9-11 N.F. of G.O.No.2505 E[illegible]. dated 16-4-1943. The war has now virtually ended though not officially declared to be over. There is therefore no objection to asking the Commission to make the selection at present. Official declaration of the termination of the war is not necessary in this case. It might be necessary for legal purposes. The Commission may therefore be informed as at A on page 4 ante.

(F)

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(b) Paragraph 2 on page 7 C.F: As observed by the E.& P.H. Department there is no vital connection between the definition of "recruited direct" as introduced by the G.O. at (Y) and the provision in the sub-para. under rule 2 of the Special rules for Class VIII of the Madras General Service. That sub-para. permits approved probationers and full members in the Category of Curators in the Madras General Subordinate Service to compete for direct recruitment. It is

B on page 4 ante

(Y)

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is in order.

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CS
[illegible] 4/12/45

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For 'the war has now terminated' 'hostilities have now terminated' may be substituted. in the letter at P5 CF

2 The amendment at X. P8CF may be adopted. It is simple & clear,

3 The M.P.S.C. has to hold a competitive exam. for one vacancy. Under rule 1(iii) & (iv) of the Rules of Procedure at P23 of Bk 112. it is required to send up only the name of the candidate selected by it. This is the procedure governing direct recruitment. I recommend that this procedure be strictly followed. There is no authority in the rules for calling for 3 names arranged in order of merit.

X

7.12.45

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E.P.H

Edn.&.P.H.Department.
(A).

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In the letter on pp.5-6 c.f. the Public Service Commission was requested to advertise the vacancy in the post of S.G.M. and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library, select three candidates and forward their names to Government arranged in order of merit. The Commission has raised certain objections. They have been examined in the notes on pp.3-8 ante. The following is a brief summary of the points for orders.

p. 7 CF

pp.5-6 CF

(1) In the letter to the Commission, it was stated that as "the war has now terminated"---the vacancy may be advertised. The Commission enquires what is the date with effect from which the Govt.have decided that the war ended. This Department has suggested that the Commission may be told that the intention of the expression "the war has now terminated" was that "hostilities have now terminated." Public have, in effect, agreed with this suggestion--please see Chief Secretary's note on p.8 ante. The Commission may be informed accordingly.

p 5 CF

para (1) of p 7CF

para 1 of P.7 CF

p.3 NF

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(2) With reference to the definition of the term "recruited direct" introduced by G.O.No.Ms.1340 Pub(Ser) dated 5-7-1943, the Public Service Commission has suggested an amendment as at "X" on p.8 c.f. to the sub para to Rule 2 of the Special Rules for Class VIII of the Madras General Service. This Dept.'s view is that the substance of the existing sub para to the rule is not changed by the proposed amendment of the definition of the term "recruited direct" and that the amendment proposed is not necessary. But Public consider that the amendment as at "X" on p.8 c.f. is necessary. For orders whether the suggestion of the Public may be agreed to.

Y pp.10-11 CF
Removed for another file.

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PP 4-5 ante

pp 7-8 NF

B

(3) Three candidates arranged in order of merit were called for from the P.S.C in accordance with the orders in circulation on p.6 n.f. of (F). The Commission has taken objection for sending a panel of three names, as it is inconsistent with ~~the~~ rule 1 of the M.P.S.C. Rules of procedure. The draft on pp.5-6 c.f. followed the draft sent to the Commn. in 1942, to which it took no objection then. The Chief Secretary however considers that the procedure in Rule 1 be strictly followed and the request may be restricted to one name only. For orders.

para 3 (b) on P7 CF

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pp 1-7 CF (F)

P 8 ante

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May be circulated.

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10.12.45 A on p 9 ante may be apprd. (This is a very small point and the Commn must have known what the intention was and need not have made special reference to it).

B on p 9 ante - The C.S.' views may be accepted.

C on p 9 ante - Pl see paras 3 & 4 of the Commn's letter on p 7, 8 cf. The wording, which the Commn calls 'inappropriate' was the very same as was adopted on the previous occasion, after specific orders in circulation (vide p 6 nf and 6 cf (F)) on this point. Pl see C.S.' views on this at 'X' on p 8 ante.

For orders whether the Commn may be ~~[illegible]~~ ~~the names of alternate candidates~~ told that the wording of the letter follows that of the previous one, to which the Commn then took no exception & that in view of the present objection, the request for the names of 3 candidates is withdrawn.

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I agree
13/12/45

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT.
17 DEC 1945
CHIEF SECRETARIAT

Two drafts are submitted below. Public and Legal may see draft II before issue.

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Public / ~~[illegible]~~ Legal

Public (Services) Department

(This department last noted on the case at pp. 5-8 ante)

The E&PH department's note and orders in circulation at pp. 8-10 ante and the drafts ~~[illegible]~~ below may be perused and the file passed on to Legal.

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21.12.45

Legal

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21 DEC 1945
LEGAL DEPARTMENT.

Legal Department

The alterations indicated in red ink on draft II may be made.

21/12/45 S

21.12.45 — E & PH

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21-12-45

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The drafts may issue.

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P 9-10

58332 [Issued as Letter No 41216A/45-3 d 21-12-45 to the P.S.C.
[Issued as G.O. 2174 Edn d 21.12.45] (H)

p 11 cf

C No. 11133, From the Secretary, Public Service Commission, No. 5608-B1/45-7 dated 21-2-46.

Please see the Commission's letter at p 11 cf. Orders are requested on portion marked A in the letter.

26.2.46

I shall do this in case the Secretary decides he won't be able to attend.

D.S.
S

26.2.46

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D.S. may please attend as my representative.

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27.2.46

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28.2.46 / The Commn may be informed.

A draft letter is submitted for approval.

SR
27/2/46

28.2.46

28.2.46

Secretary may see before issue

28/2/46 S.

(Letter issued)

C14587 From the Asst Secy, P.S.C,
No. 5608-B1/45-8 d 13.3.46 p15 cf

The file is submitted as ordered by D.S. on p15 cf.

Cwa
14.3.46 I attended the meeting of the P.S.C on 15.3.46 at 2.30 P.M. Only one candidate, Dr Ayyappan appeared for the interview. The commn examined him. Await their report.

26.3.46.

C17613 From the Secretary, Pub Ser Commn,
No. 5608-B1/45-9 d 28.3.46 p17 cf

~~[illegible]~~ Please see the report of the M.P.S.C at p17 cf. The Commn states that Dr. Aiyappan is really unsuitable to hold the appointment permanently in the normal conditions of peace; but it doubts whether Govt will get a better candidate on the scale of pay sanctioned for the post. p17 cf

2. Dr. Aiyappan now holds the post of S.G.M. in a temporary capacity - please see Mr. Coorey's note on p1 ante. The temporary appointment was under rule 8 (f) of the old general rules for Provl services. The period for which such tempy appointment can be made is not limited. In view of the Commn's report Dr. Aiyappan's appointment cannot, ~~it seems~~, be regularised. The tempy appointment may be allowed to continue (until a regular appt is made) ~~for~~ No orders need be issued about this.

Vide Legal Dept note on p10 nf 7(F)

p17 cf

The commission has made a recommendation, which though it is not unqualified, cannot be got over, as far as their opinion about the unsuitability of Dr Ayyappan to hold the job permanently is concerned. The commission says "that in the normal conditions of peace, which will presumably afford scope for reorganisation and expansion" Dr Ayyappan is unsuitable. I also gathered, from the discussions at the interview and after, that the commission is of opinion that the Museum ought to be made more attractive and that a man with high qualifications, with imagination and organising abilities, and on a much higher scale of pay, should be ~~[illegible]~~ sought for. They also say that on the present scale of pay sanctioned for the post, we cannot get a better candidate. ~~as post has been advertised twice and only Dr Ayyappan turned up for interview.~~ The following suggestions are made.

p17 cf

1) Dr Ayyappan can be continued on the same temporary basis till further orders. No separate orders are necessary for this.

p10 nf 7 (F)

2) Meanwhile the question of raising the pay and status of the head of the Museum, and creating the post of, say a director on a scale of pay of say 600-50/2-900-75/2-1200, which may attract highly qualified men, can be considered separately, along with the other proposals for the reorganisation of the Museum. If a decision is taken on this matter before the 1st week of December, when the usual periodical report has to be sent to the commission regarding selection to this post, the commission can be asked to advertise ~~as~~ or the vacancy again on the more attractive terms that may have been approved.

p5 of (E)

3) If by December no decision is taken, we may continue Dr Ayyappan on the present basis till further orders.

4) If as more qualified candidate on a higher scale of pay is appointed at any time in due course the question of continuing Dr Ayyappan ~~[illegible]~~ on the present

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scale of pay for the continuance of the post of Supdt in case a director is appointed on a higher scale of pay can be recognised.

M.u.c.

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Public (Services) Department. E&PH no. 41216 - 56c/45 12/4/46

(This department last noted on the case on p. 11 ante)

Please see the Commission's letter on p. 17 c.f. and the E&PH department's further note at pp. 12 - 14 ante. This department may generally agree with the suggestions made on pages ~~13 - 14~~ ante and pass on the file to the Finance department.

If it is considered that the recommendation of the Commission ~~of the Commission~~ should be rejected the procedure prescribed in instruction 110 of the Secretariat Instructions will have to be followed.

p. 58 of the book in Folder No. 145

MR 16.4.46 R.S.L. 16.4.46

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Fin. E III

Pub Ser. Co.

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∴ Please see the notes of E&PH from the middle of p. 12 above.

~~This dept may generally agree with the suggestions made by E&PH~~ No special remarks are called for in Finance at this stage.

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D.S's note on pp 13-14 above and the notes following may be perused. With reference to suggestion No (2) on p 13 ante, proposals for the reorganisation of the Museum are under consideration separately. The Curator, M.R.O., has

P promised to send a note on the development of the Museum from its inception and his note is awaited. After the note is received the proposals will be further considered. ~~For orders whether~~ This file may lie over till 15.5.46. For orders.

CVA 30.4.46

The Curator's note has not been received yet. He has been reminded. This may lie over till 1.6.46.

CVA 16.5.46

p 19 c.f. C 28796 From the Secy, Pub Ser Commn, No. 5608-B1/45-10 d 28.5.46

Please see the notes on pp 12-14 above. In view of the opinion expressed by the Commn in its letter at p 17 c.f. Dr. Aiyappan has been allowed to continue in his post on the present temporary basis until further orders.

Suggestion (1) on p 13 ante

× pp 21 + 22 of (I)

The further consideration of proposal no (2) made by D.S. at p 13 ante is to be taken up on receipt of the Curator's note referred to at P above. The Curator has stated that the note will be sent to Govt by about the end of this month. The file may therefore lie over till 1.7.46. A draft

Vide linked file (p 5 n.f)

reply to the Commn to its letter at p.19 c.f. is submitted for approval.

Cwa
9.6.46

SRK
8.6.46

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8.6.46

[Issued as Letter No.41216-6C2/45 d 8.6.46] p 21 cf

C 32048 From the Secy, Pub Ser Commn, No 5608-B1/45-11 d 20.6.46 p 22 cf

Submitted for perusal. The file may be o. till 1.7.46 as already ordered at p 15 above.

Cwa
25.6.46

SRK
26.6.46.

The Curator's note on the Museum has not been received yet. He is being reminded separately by D.O. This may b.o. till 30.7.46.

Cwa
6.7.46

It will take some time.

Please let me see the file or file in which he has asked for staff to assist him: & we turned down his request.

SRK
8.7.46

D.S. apparently refers to G.O. No. 1130 Edn, K/7 cf d 7.6.46. The Curator asked for a Search Asst in the scale of Rs. 175-15/2-250. Govt sanctioned an Asst in the scale of Rs. 175-15/2-220. For orders.

D on p 5 of 7(K)

K/7 cf

Thanks.

Cwa
8.7.46

SRK
9.7.46

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(25)

The Curator's note regarding the Museum has been received and the file relating to the recommendations of the Museum Committee noted on and submitted separately.

2. Attention is invited to the notes from page 12 ante. The question for consideration in this file is whether the pay and status of the head of the Museum (now called Superintendent) should be raised and a post of Director created on a scale of pay of Rs.600-50/2-900-75/2-1,200. The Commission has said that the Government cannot get a better candidate on the present scale of pay for the post. It seems to be of opinion that the post should be made attractive and that a man with high qualifications and organising abilities and on a much higher scale of pay should be sought for. ~~xxxxx~~ If a post of Director of the Museum on a higher scale of pay is sanctioned by the Government and a better qualified man is appointed to it the question arises whether the present post of Superintendent should also be retained and Dr. Aiyappan continued in it. There seems to be no need to have a Superintendent in addition to the Director. If it is decided that the Superintendent's post should be abolished, Dr. Aiyappan will have to revert to his substantive post of Curator in Anthropology.

Vide Suggestion No.12 on p13 ante

x p17 cf

Vide D.S.'s note on pp 13-14 ante

A In the circumstances it is for orders whether the proposal to create a post of Director on the scale of Rs.600-1,200 will be pursued or whether the scale of pay of the post of Superintendent itself will be raised. If the latter course is approved the revised scale for the Superintendent may perhaps be Rs. 500-50/2-900. For orders.

Public(Services) and Finance may see for remarks.

Cwa
9.9.46

D.S.
S.

The Commission having come to a finding that Dr Aiyappan is unsuitable, it is doubtful if it will change its mind at a ~~sub~~ subsequent selection. If the Commission's views are accepted there is no alternative to reverting him to his substantive post. We should now look round for a Supdt.

SRK
10.9.46

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A. can be taken up along with the Museum Comittee's recommendations. Dr Ayyappan may continue till we come to a decision thereon.

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10/9/46

The file regarding the museum Committee recommendations has been sent to P.W.D, Dev + Finance. Its return may be awaited.

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12.7.46

SNK

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This matter has been pending for a long time, in fact for over six years. The question is whether the Government would be satisfied with the Museum as it is, and appoint a Superintendent for it ~~the purpose~~ or whether the Government will undertake to re-organize and improve the Museum so that a Director on a higher scale of pay will be appointed. This may cost the Government a considerable amount of money which, considering the present financial position of Government, will not be possible to spare. Therefore the only question that need be considered now is whether the Government will be satisfied with merely a Superintendent for the Museum as it is. I think, the Government must be satisfied. In that case, the question is whether Dr. Aiyappan may be confirmed in the post as Superintendent which he has been holding for so many years on a temporary basis.

In the first instance, I think that the retention of Dr. Aiyappan for such a long time on a merely temporary basis is wholly unfair to him and improper from the Government's point of view also. Whatever the future policy of the Government about re-organization and/the appointment of a Director may be, the Government will have to decide now whether the Superintendent's place should not be filled up permanently. Two advertisements had been made and on each occasion, no proper person was available for being selected by the Public Service Commission for a Director's place. Dr. Aiyappan was also found not up to the standard of a Director's place. That does not mean furhher that he may not be appointed as a Superintendent with the emoluments applicable to such a post. In fact, I take the recommendation of the Madras Public Service Commission to mean only this: "Considering the fact that in peace time it will be possible for the Government to enlarge the scope and extend the activities of the Museum, a Director would be necessary and not a mere Superintendent." But in view of the ~~fact of~~ what I have said above and the fact further that the Government are not able to undertake such a reorganization, the present arrangement may be confirmed pending further consideration by the Government about the whole matter. I feel justified in making the recommendation because I find from the confidential p3 (I)

letter written by Mr. F. S. Gravely to the Government in October 1940, Dr. Aiyappan has been very strongly recommended to succeed him. I understand further that there has been an earlier recommendation to the same effect in April 1938. I have come in contact with Mr. Gravely and I know how conscientious and careful he is in his recommendations. Dr. Aiyappan may be appointed as the Superintendent, Government Museum.

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JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
8 - MAR 1947
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Education and P.H.(C2) Department.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
29 MAR 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Please see the minutesof H.M.(Edn.) above. He considers that Dr.Aiyappan, for the reasons mentioned by him, may be confirmed as Superintendent, Government Museum pending reorganisation and appointment of a Director for the Museum. Dr.Aiyappan has been holding temporarily the post of Superintendent from December 1940 ever since Mr. F. ~~H.~~ Gravely vacated office.

With reference to Secretariat Instruction 110 (b) the Public Service Commission may be informed of the reasons why Dr.Aiyappan has been made permanent. Public (Services) may see before circulation.

Extract at (C)

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Public (Services) Department.

(Last seen at p.14ante). E& P. H. Department's further notes and the minutes of H. M. (Edn.) at pp.19-20 above may be perused. H.P.M. & H.E. may see the case.

The file may be returned to E. & P. H.

Edn & P.H. (C2)
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dated 24.3.47.

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Please see notes from page 19 ante. The case may be circulated to H.M.(Edn.) H.P.M. and H.E.

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H.M. (Edn.)

H.P.M.

H.E.

(Box C 7)

~~Please see notes in [illegible]~~

This is a matter in ~~which I would like~~ to have a little more knowledge ~~xx~~ before ~~I~~ deciding. If there is any proposal for the reorganisation of the Museum as has been referred to in the notes, I would like to know what are those plans for reorganisation and what it will cost. I believe it is in the interests of the people of this Province to have a good Museum in the Metropolis. The reorganisation plans, if any, may be put up. In the meantime Mr. Ayyappan may be asked to meet me sometime in the next week when I am in the city, so that I may learn a little more about what is happening in the Museum and its needs.

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SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
1 - APR 1947
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

T.S.A.
1.4.47

Circulation interrupted — for action to be taken on the minutes of H.M. (Edn.)

1/4/47

With reference to 'B' above, a draft D.O. to the S.G.M. is submitted.

'A' above:— The case is with J.S. I am informed that J.S. wants to inspect the museum and record his views in the file relating to the reorganisation of the Museum.

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(Box C.6)

2.4.47 S 2/4/47

J/S (for perusal)

I shall do so during the holidays, and put up the file on 8.4.47, through Secy.

3.4.47.

Please see the minutes of H.M. (Edn) on p.__ ante. ~~He had~~ ~~interviewed~~ He has asked the S.G.M. ~~and asked him~~ to refer to Govt the urgent suggestions which he would like to be carried out immediately. Action is taken on this separately on the linked file ~~above~~.

2. For orders on the case.

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6.5.47

S 7/5/47

H.M. (Edn) (Gr)

~~(Box C34)~~ (Box C34)

~~Please see note in linked file below.~~

~~[illegible]~~

Dr. Ayyappan may not be qualified enough to be the Director of the Museum when it is re-built on a grander scale but it is a fact that he has been acting as the Superintendent of the Museum for the last five years. If he has been acting for the last five years, I do not see any reason why he should not be made permanent as the Superintendent of the Museum.

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TSA 13.5.47

G.P.R. 19/5

(Box C34)

H.P.M.

H.E.

22 May '47

MADRAS GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT 1098C. 20 MAY 1947

Governor's Secretariat.

ROUTINE NOTE.

His Excellency presumes that the reasons for differing from the recommendation of the Commission will be furnished to it - Vide Note of E&PH Department at p.20 n.f.

J.B. Brook 22.5.47

G.S.

With reference to the orders in ~~[illegible]~~ on p. 22 ante a draft order and a draft letter to the Commission are submitted.

2. ~~The~~ Dr. Aiyappan has been holding the post of S.G.M. temporarily with effect from 7.12.40. ~~He may be confirmed in the post with effect from 22.5.47, the date on which H.E. approved the proposal.~~

3. Pub (Ser) ~~& Fin~~ may see the drafts before issue.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 11 JUN 1947 1872 CHIEF SECRETARIAT

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(Last seen on p 20 ante). The orders in circulation at pp 20-21 ante & the drafts below may be perused & the file returned to E&PH.

11/6/47

Draft I below

Dr Aiyappan is now holding the post of Supdt. Govt Museum on a purely temporary basis. Is it not necessary formally to appoint him regularly, allow him under Genl Rule 20(a) to count his service for probation with retrospective effect, declare him an approved probationer and then confirm him?

12/6/47

Although the orders in circulation at p.22 ante and the draft letter to the Commission below refer to the "confirmation" of Dr.A. Aiyappan, the draft Notification below does not contain any provision specifically appointing him as a full membe of the Madras General Service in the class of ~~[illegible]~~ Superintendent, Government Museum and Associate Librarian, Connemara Public Library. The draft Notification was taken to mean ~~that~~ nothing more than his regular appointment to the post (i.e.) formally appointing him regularly. The other formalities referred to by A.S. have to be gone through (i.e.)

Draft I below

I don't agree. "To be" appointed means that.

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× p. 1519

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he ~~may~~ must be allowed under General Rule 20(a) to count his past service for probation, declared ~~himself~~ as an approved probationer and then ~~to be~~ appointed as a full member.

A

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
2102
20 JUN 1947
CHIEF SECRETARIAT

13/6/42

18-6-47

The words ~~confirm~~ "to be" in Draft I and 'confirm' in Draft II seem to be objectionable at this stage. The slight alterations indicated in pencil in the drafts may be made to express the intention more correctly.

14-6-47

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Pub (Ser) Uo 1892/47-1
16.6.47

With reference to portion marked 'A' in Pub (Ser) note above, draft I has been suitably amplified. The corrections to Draft II suggested by Publ. (Ser) are not necessary now. The orders in circulation are that Dr. Aiyappan shall be confirmed. Draft I has therefore been altered suitably incorporating the suggestions of Public (Ser). Public (Ser) may see again.

24/6/47

26-6-47

Public (Ser)

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
49749A
16 JUN 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Box 48

Subd for perusal.

26-6-47

The date from which Dr Aiyappan is to be confirmed may be mentioned in the notification in Draft I as now revised.

I above is accepted

27-6-47

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24.6.47

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27-6-47

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
53259
27 JUN 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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E&PH Dept
C2

Please see the note of Pub on p 24 ante. The draft order as it is would mean that Dr. Aiyappan is confirmed with effect from the date of the order. It is open to Govt to confirm him with effect from 7.12-42, when he completed his period of probation satisfactorily.

For orders

There is no special reason to confirm him with retrospective effect and the orders in circulation are to take effect.

27-6-47

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22-6-47

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Orders in the circulation were to take effect as on the date from which the confirmation is to take effect.

(Previous orders in the circulation are p: 22 ante; vide preamble).

27-6-47

HM (Edn)

HCM

HE

(Box C 19)

~~Not approved~~

The confirmation may be from the date of the order.

TSA
4-7-47

G.P.R.
17/7

22 JUL 1947

HE's agreement may be presumed

J B Brown
21-7-47 CS

E&PH (C2)

MADRAS GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT
14680
21 JUL 1947

EPH 19

The draft order and the draft letter may now issue. The decision that the ~~Con~~ Confirmation is from the date of the Govt order may be specified in ~~the~~ draft I. The addition made in pencil in para 1 of the draft is for approval. Drafts may issue

RC
22.7.47

23-7-47

24/7/47 S

25/7/47

S.G. ~~[illegible]~~
Class VIII of the
Madras General
Service

Extract of Instruction 110 of the ~~from the Madras Government Business Rules and~~ Secretariat Instructions.

110 (a) If in any case it is proposed to reject or to deviate from the advice of the Madras Public Service Commission on grounds which were not before the commission, when it made its recommendation, the Commission, shall, if possible, be given a reasonable opportunity of considering those grounds and making a fresh recommendation before orders are issued.

(b) In any case in which the advice tendered by the Commission is rejected or deviated from, the administrative department concerned shall communicate the reasons for such rejection or deviation to the Commission.

(c) Where it is proposed to reject or to deviate from the advice of the Madras Public Service Commission, the file shall be sent to the Public(services) Department before circulation.

(True extract)

Friday, [illegible] - [illegible].

(31)

Superintendent, Government Museum and [illegible] ian of the Connemara Public Library, Madras, [illegible] General Service.

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Recruitment is at the instance of	.. The Government, Education and Public Health Department.
Method of recruitment	.. Direct. Members of the service in the category of Curators in Class II of the Madras General Subordinate Service are also eligible to apply even though on 31st December 1946 a period of five years has elapsed since their first appointment to the service of the Crown in India.
Community	.. Any community (The communal rule does not apply).
Number of vacancies ~~admitted~~ advertised	.. One.
Period for which the vacancy is estimated.	.. Existing vacancy.
Class of post.	.. Class VIII (category 1), Madras General Service.
Pay.	.. Rs.400-75/2-550-100/2-850 per mensem.

QUALIFICATIONS

Educational	.. The degree of M.A. or M.Sc. of a university in the Province.
Technical and practical Experience. [*Please see also foot note.]	.. (i) Specialisation in one of the subjects dealt with in a section of the Museum, viz., Zoology, Botany, Anthropology, Indian Archaeology, Numismatic and chemical conservation. (ii) Experience for a period of not less than 3 years in the general care, supervision, arrangements and development of Museum on modern lines.
Language	.. Nil.
Age.	.. Not over 45 years on 1-7-1946. NOTE - This age limit does not apply to members of the Scheduled Castes and the Backward Classes.

Number of applicants.	..	7
Number not admitted to the competitive examination	..	5
Number to be examined	..	2
Number to be recruited	..	One.
Abstract of qualifications	..	Attached.
Name and designation of departmental officer who will be present.	..	P.S. Viswanatha Iyer, Esq., I.C.S. Deputy Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education and Public Health Department.

*FOOT NOTE:--

The Government have requested that in selecting candidates persons possessing the qualifications referred to in the observations made on pages 36-37 in the Report on the Museums in India by Messrs. Markham and Hargreaves (extract attached) may be preferred. This cannot be done as these qualifications are not prescribed in the statutory rules, but they may be kept in mind when marking the candidates.

Museums of India.

The previous surveys in this series [illegible] shown how the museum movement in Great Britain, Canada, Australia and ev part of the British Empire depends for its excellence upon the quality and vigour of the museum staff. Administrative [illegible] may vary, finances rise or fall, collections may include world famous treasures or simply economic material that could be replaced for a few pounds, but in the main there is no one thing that affects the status and usefulness of a museum so much as the personality, vigour and capability of the curatorial staff. India is no exception to this generalisation, and her museums reflect in no uncertain form the energy or lack of energy of her curators.

It may perhaps be well here to lay down the qualifications required in a Curator. Sir Henry Miers, in his Report on the Museums of the British Isles, 1927, summarised them as follows

"Besides a liberal education and a technical training, administrative ability he should have some knowledge of at least one, and preferably more than one, of the subjects covered by the museum; an instinct for scientific and artistic exhibition; a zeal for, and acquaintance with, educational work and research; and he should be able and willing to act as a teacher. Very rarely are these qualifications to be found in one person, and many appointments are made without much regard to them. Fortunately an able young man with real enthusiasm for the work can find in the museum itself materials for his own education, and some of our most learned curators have acquired their knowledge in this way. But in a scientific or archaeological museum knowledge is needed of subjects which only exceptional men, or persons with a real passion for the work, can acquire in the midst of strenuous duties, languages, biology, history, science, etc., subjects of which the foundations should be laid in youth, and it is in a university degree course that the necessary preparation is most likely to be found. Moreover, a university training gives that insight into research which is so needful if a museum is to keep abreast of modern ideas and if its treasures are to be made useful and available."

"The curator should be a fountain of inspiration. He should be accessible to inquiries (some of the most competent have to answer hundreds of inquiries during a month), and he should make his museum a meeting-place for various clubs and societies, an encouragement to all seekers after knowledge, and an educational centre for the town."

"Unfortunately this has not been fully realised by the electing bodies; their desire has frequently been to save expense by appointing some one willing to accept a miserable salary and therefore not possessing the necessary qualifications, or by making the post a part-time one."

Throughout India only a score of museums have what can be described as a full-time competent staff, and in this category come some of the museums in Bombay, Calcutta, Dehra Dun, Hyderabad and Madras.

In some of these cases the heads of the institutions have other duties which they undoubtedly consider as important as their museum duties. Thus at Dehra Dun the Museums are connected with the Forest Research Institute, and at Madras the Museum forms a single unit with the Library, the Superintendent of the Museum being also the Principal Librarian. From time to time suggestions have been made to separate the two Madras Institutions and we can but add our recommendations to these, in view of the importance of both Institutions. It is of course true that at the moment the Museum gains greatly from having such a valuable research library associated with it, but there is no reason why these facilities should not be continued were the two institutions separately administered. At Calcutta, as we have already pointed out, several of the sectional heads have a full-time occupation with the various government surveys.

As a natural consequence of this state of affairs some assistants have duties that compare with a full curatorial post elsewhere, but bearing salaries of only 100-200 rupees per month. In some cases, where the curator is also an active member of a government scientific survey, or is a college professor, the Museum or part of the museum for which he is responsible often shows a deplorably bad standard of curatorship. Generally speaking it may be said that where these pluralists exist the museum is sometimes neglected in no small degree.

MADRAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Appointment of Superintendent, Government Museum, and Associate Librarians of the Connemara Public Library, Madras, in the Madras General Service.

Information for candidates.

Applications are invited for one appointment of Superin- ndent, Government Museum, and Associate Librarian of e Connemara Public Library, Madras, from persons who 31st December 1945 are not in the service of the Crown India and from persons who are in that service and respect of whom a period of five years has not elapsed the said date since their first appointment to that service.

Members of the service in the category of Curators in lass II of the Madras General Subordinate Service are gible to apply even though on 31st December 1945 a riod of five years has elapsed since their first appointment the Service of the Crown in India.

2. The last date for the receipt of applications in the ommission's Office is 8th February 1946.

. An applicant must satisfy the Commission—

(i) that he possesses the degree of M.A. or M.Sc. of a niversity in the Province or an equivalent qualification;

(ii) that he has specialized in one of the subjects dealt ith in a section of the Museum, i.e., Zoology, Botany, nthropology, Indian Archæology, Numismatic and Chemi- l conservation;

(iii) that he has had experience for a period of not s than two years in the general care, supervision, arrange- ent and development of museum on modern lines; and

(iv) that on 1st July 1946 he will not have completed 45 ars of age, i.e., that he was born on or after 2nd July 1901.

NOTE.—This age-limit does not apply to members of the Scheduled Castes the Backward Classes.

4. The fee payable is Rs. 15. Members of the Schedu Castes are exempt from the payment of the fee.

5. In the case of this recruitment, the "Instructic etc., to candidates" should be read as if the follow clauses were substituted for clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of p graph 9 of the said instructions and as if Note (i) un clause (*b*) were omitted:—

"(*a*) Evidence of date of birth, viz.—

(i) a certified extract from the Secondary Sc Leaving Certificate showing date of birth, or

(ii) a certificate from a University or College or Sch authority showing date of birth according to the Univers or College or School records or

(iii) a certified extract from the service register;

(*b*) at least three certificates of *character and cond* one of which must have been obtained not earlier th 1st December 1945 from a responsible person who knows applicant personally. This certificate must be based personal knowledge and experience of the applicant."

6. A candidate appointed will be on probation for a to period of two years on duty within a continuous perio three years.

7. The scale of pay of the post is Rs. 400—75/2— 100/2—850 per mensem.

C. KRISHNASWAMI CHET
Sec

Office of the Madras Public Service Commission,
"The Prior," Teynampet, Cathedral P.O.,
Madras, 31st December 1945.

INSTRUCTIONS, ETC., TO CANDIDATES.

[*N.B.*—Words importing the masculine gender in these instructions should, where the context so requires, be taken to include females.]

or in the employ of local bodies

Persons who are in the service of the Crown in India must send their applications through the authority competent to make appointments to the posts which they are holding.

2. Every application must be in the applicant's handwriting; it must not be typewritten.

3. An applicant must satisfy the Commission—

(*a*) that he is a British subject or the subject of a State in India;

NOTE.—Applications from candidates other than subjects of His Majesty domiciled in India will be considered only if such subjects who are qualified and suitable are not available.

(*b*) that he is of sound health, active habits and free from any bodily efect or infirmity unfitting him for the appointment; and

(*c*) that his character and antecedents are such as to qualify him for the ppointment.

4. The age limit, if any, prescribed for the appointment does not apply to an pplicant belonging to any of the Scheduled Castes or the Backward Classes he possesses a general educational qualification which is higher than the inimum general educational qualification and he is otherwise qualified for ppointment.

5. If an applicant claims that the qualifications possessed by him are quivalent to, though not the same as, those prescribed for the appointment, e must furnish full particulars of his qualifications together with the reasons or his claim.

6. The minimum general educational qualification wherever referred to means e qualifications specified in Annexure I to these Instructions.

7. Lists of Scheduled Castes and of Backward Classes are given in nnexure II.

8. The application fee should be paid into a Government treasury or into Reserve Bank of India, Madras, or its agency, to the credit of the Madras vernment under the head "XXXVI. Miscellaneous Departments—(*a*) amination Fees—Madras Public Service Commission." *This fee will not be unded under any circumstances, whether the Commission decides to admit application or not and whether it considers the applicant for selection or not. ndidates are advised to satisfy themselves before applying that they fulfil e conditions prescribed in these instructions and in the* "**Information for** *ndidates.*"

NOTE.—Where the fee is remitted into a treasury outside the Madras Province, the rds 'Madras Provincial' must be written prominently in RED INK on the right hand corner of the chalan.

9. Every application must be accompanied by the following documents:—

(*a*) Evidence of date of birth, viz.:—

(i) a certified extract from a Secondary School-Leaving Certificate showing date of birth; or

(ii) a certificate from a University or college or school authority showing date of birth according to the University or college or school records;

(*b*) at least three certificates of CHARACTER AND CONDUCT IN ORIGINAL, one of which must be from the head of the institution in which the applicant last studied, or is studying, as the case may be, and another must have been obtained not earlier than the first day of the month in which the appointment is advertised, from a responsible person who knows the applicant personally. The last-mentioned certificate must be based on personal knowledge and experience of the applicant;

NOTE.—(i) If the period of study at the institution in which applicant last studied, or is studying as the case may be, is less than one academic year, he must produce also another certificate from the head of the institution in which he last studied for not less than one academic year.

(ii) No two certificates may be from the same person.

(*c*) documents evidencing the qualifications prescribed for the appointment in original;

(*d*) in the case of an applicant who claims to belong to a Scheduled Caste, a certificate from a Revenue Officer not lower in rank than a Deputy Collector belongs to a commun ity (to be specified) which is included in the lis [illegible] led Castes and that such community is regarded as an untouchable community in the district to which the applicant belongs;

(e) in the case of an applicant who claims to belong to a Backward Class, a certificate from a Revenue Officer not lower in rank than a Deputy Collector that the applicant belongs to a community (to be specified) included in the list of Backward Classes; and

(f) the treasury or bank receipt for the payment of the prescribed fee, unless the applicant is exempt from payment of the fee.

NOTE.—(1) Copies of the certificates or document referred to in clauses (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) will not be accepted. If any of the prescribed certificates or document relating to an applicant is already in the office of the Commission in connection with any other application and has not been returned to the applicant it will be enough if, when submitting the application, reference is made to the previous application.

(2) An applicant who has sent any of the prescribed certificates or document to any other recruiting authority, should send fresh originals where they can be obtained. Where such fresh originals cannot be obtained certified copies may be sent with the application but the originals should be obtained and sent as early as possible for verification.

10. Every application (with all the enclosures securely fastened to it) should be sent by registered post superscribed and addressed as follows:—

"*Application for appointment as (name of post to be specified).*

To

The Secretary, Madras Public Service Commission,
Egmore P.O. ~~"The Priory," Teynampet, Cathedral P.O.~~ Madras."

If an applicant desires an acknowledgment, he must send the application "Registered acknowledgment due." No application will be otherwise acknowledged.

11. Applications must reach the Secretary on or before the prescribed date. Applications received after that date, applications which are not in the proper form or which are not correctly and completely filed or in respect of which the prescribed certificates and documents are not received on or before that date and applications which do not otherwise fulfil the terms of these instructions and the "Information for candidates" will be considered defective and will be summarily rejected.

12. APPLICANTS FOUND BY THE COMMISSION QUALIFIED TO COMPETE FOR THE APPOINTMENTS MUST BE PREPARED TO APPEAR WHEN SUMMONED BEFORE THE COMMISSION AT MADRAS OR AT ANY OTHER CENTRE IN THIS PROVINCE AT THEIR OWN EXPENSE.

13. Applicants must be prepared to produce certificates of physical fitness in the prescribed form, if so required by the Commission.

If an applicant has defective vision he should produce along with the certificate of physical fitness, a special certificate regarding his eyesight, from an eye-specialist who satisfies the following conditions, viz.:—

(i) that he is a Government Medical Officer or an Honorary Surgeon, Physician or Assistant Medical Officer appointed to a Government medical institution;

(ii) that he possesses in addition to his medical qualification a special diploma in Ophthalmology or has undergone one year's post-graduate training in a recognized ophthalmic hospital, department or clinic attached to a Government medical institution, or has been on the staff of such a hospital, department or clinic for at least two years; and

(iii) that he continues to practice Ophthalmology as a speciality.

14. Selection of an applicant by the Commission carries with it no guarantee of actual appointment.

Actual appointment after such selection will be on a temporary basis only and will carry with it no claim to final absorption into the service.

Though for the duration of the present war, a person selected and appointed to a service, who is discharged for want of a vacancy, will have the ordinary claim to re-appointment in accordance with the statutory rules governing the service, he will cease to have any such claim after the termination of the present war and his discharge will become final.

In the case of any person selected and appointed who is discharged after the termination of the present war, his discharge will be final.

15. A candidate in the service of a Government other than the Government of Madras, if selected and appointed, will not be entitled, on the basis of his previous service under that Government, to any concession in the matter of initial pay, travelling allowances, transit pay, leave, pension, etc., under the Government of Madras.

16. If a rate of pay different from that announced is actually in force at the time of the appointment of the selected candidate, he will be paid only at that rate. The pay of the post is also subject to such modification as may be made from time to time.

17. At any time before the end of the prescribed period of probation, the probation of a candidate appointed may be terminated and he may be discharged from the service. If within the period of probation the probationer does not pass the tests, if any, prescribed for probationers or if at the end of the said period he is considered not suitable for full membership of the service, he will be discharged from the service.

18. An applicant will be disqualified who attempts to canvass or to bring influence to bear on the Chairman or any member of the Commission personally or by letter. The same penalty will be imposed if any relative, friend, patron, official or other person attempts to influence the Chairman or any member of the Commission on behalf of an applicant.

19. Any communication intended for the Commission must be made in writing and addressed to the Secretary, and, if a reply is sought, must be accompanied by a stamped envelope with the address to which the reply is to be sent written on it. Communications asking for reasons for non-selection and requests for exemption from age-limit or other qualification, will however receive no attention.

ANNEXURE I.

[*See* Paragraph 6.]

Minimum general educational qualification.

A candidate must either—

(a) have obtained a completed Secondary School-Leaving Certificate issued under the authority of the Government of Madras; and

(i) if such certificate was obtained in pursuance of the revised Secondary School-Leaving Certificate Scheme introduced by G.O. No. 1636, Law (Education), dated 3rd August 1929, the certificate must show that the candidate has obtained at the Public Examination not less than the percentage of marks specified below in the subject under Group A and not less than 35 per cent in one of the subjects in Group C:—

Group A.

	PER CENT.
1 English	40
2 A language	40
3 Elementary Mathematics	35
4 Elementary Science	30
5 Outlines of History of England and India and Geography ...	30

Provided that a candidate belonging to any community other than the Brahman, the Non-Brahman (Hindu), the Anglo-Indian, Christian or Non-Asiatic shall, if he has obtained not less than 35 per cent in English and in the language in Group A and not less than the percentage of marks specified above in the other subjects under that group and 35 per cent in one of the subjects under Group C, be eligible for selection;

Explanation.—A convert to Christianity from any of the Scheduled Castes who was enjoying school fee concessions under the Madras Educational Rules shall for the purposes of this proviso be deemed to be a candidate belonging to the Scheduled Castes.

(ii) if such certificate was obtained in pursuance of the Secondary School-Leaving Certificate Scheme which was in operation before the revised scheme referred to in sub-clause (i) the certificate must show that the candidate has obtained at the Public Examination not less than 35 per cent of the marks in each of the subjects in Group A and in each of two subjects in Group C;

NOTES.—(i) The certificates of pupils who have been exempted from language composition and translation in Group A will not be considered incomplete because they contain no entry under that subject.

(ii) A pass in a Government Technical Examination will be regarded as equivalent to obtaining 35 per cent of marks in the corresponding subject in the Secondary School-Leaving Certificate Public examination: for this purpose where in the latter examination, the technical subject comprises two subjects in the Government Technical Examination, passes in at least the lower grade are required in both the subjects in the Government Technical Examination.

(iii) It is not necessary that the percentage of marks specified above in the various subjects of the Secondary School-Leaving Certificate should have been obtained at one and the same examination.

or

(b) have obtained a completed European School-Leaving Certificate issued under the authority of the Government of Madras with either Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, Kannada ~~or~~ Hindustani as his compulsory second language and secured at the European High School Examination not less than the percentage of marks specified below in the subjects in Group A and not less than 35 per cent in each of three subjects in Group B:—

Group A.

	PER CENT.
1 English	40
2 Elementary Mathematics	35
3 A language	30

or

(*c*) have passed the Matriculation Examination of a University of the Province.

NOTE.—An applicant who has not passed at least the Intermediate Examination in full must possess the qualifications specified in this Annexure.

ANNEXURE II.

[*See* Paragraph 7.]

List of Scheduled Castes.

(1) Adi-Andhra, (2) Adi-Dravida, (3) Adi-Karnataka, (4) Ajila, (5) Aranadan (also P.T.), (6) Arunthuthiyar, (7) Baira, (8) Bakuda, (9) Bandi, (10) Bariki, (11) Battada, (12) Bavuri, (13) Bellara, (14) Byagari, (15) Chachati, (16) Chakkiliyan, (17) Chalavadi, (18) Chamar, (19) Chandala, (20) Cheruman, (21) Dandasi, (22) Devandrakulathan, (23) Dombo (also * P.T.), (24) Ghasi, (25) Godagali, (26) Godari, (27) Godda, (28) Gossangi, (29) Haddi, (30) Hasla, (31) Holeya, (32) Jaggali, (33) Jambuvulu (34) Kadan (also * P.T.), (35) Kalladi, (36) Kanakkan, (37) Karimpalan (also * P.T.), (38) Kattunayakan (also * P.T.), (39) Kodalo, (40) Koosa, (41) Koraga, (42) Kudiya (also * P.T.), (43) Kudubi (also * P.T.), (44) Kudumban, (45) Kuravan, (46) Kurichchan (also * P.T.), (47) Kuruman (also * P.T.), (48) Madari, (49) Madiga, (50) Maila, (51) Mala, (52) Mala Dasu, (53) Malasar (also * P.T.), (54) Matangi, (55) Mavilan (also * P.T.), (56) Moger (other than the Non-Brahman Hindu Moger), (57) Muchi, (58) Mundala, (59) Nalakeyava, (60) Nayadi, (61) Pagadai, (62) Paidi, (63) Painda, (64) Paky (65) Pallan, (66) Pambada, (67) Pamidi, (68) Panchama, (69) Paniyan, (70) Panniandi, (71) Pano (also * P.T.), (72) Paraiyan, (73) Paravan, (74) Pulayan, (75) Puthirai Vannan, (76) Raneyar, (77) Relli, (78) Samagara, (79) Samban, (80) Sapari, (81) Semman, (82) Thoti, (83) Tiruvalluvar, (84) Valluvan, (85) Valmiki and (86) Vettuvan.

List of Backward Classes.

(1) Agamudaiyans, (1-A) Agasa, (2) Ambalakaran, (3) Annadan, (4) Are Mahrati, (4-A) Arya (South Kanara), (5) Atagara, (6) Alchukatlavandu, (7) Badaga, (8) Bagata, (9) Balolika, (10) Bastha, (11) Bhandari, (12) Billava, (13) Bondili, (14) Boya, (15) Chaptegara, (16) Chattadi (including Satani and Chattada Vaishnava), (17) Chenchu, (18) Dasari, (19) Devadiga, (20) Devalkar, (21) Devanga, (22) Dommara, (23) Dudekula, (24) Enadi, (25) Galada Konkani, (26) Gowda (including Gammala or Kalali), (27) Gandla, (28) Ganika, (29) Gatti, (30) Gavara, (31) Godaba, (32) Gondo, (33) Gudigara, (34) Hegde, (35) Idiga (including Setti Balija), (36) Illuvan (Ezhuvan), (37) Irula, (37-A) Issai Vellalar or Melakarar, (37-B) Jakkulas (Guntur district), (38) Jandara, (39) Jangam, (40) Jatapu, (41) Jhetty, (42) Jogi, (43) Kabbera, (44) Kadaiyan, (45) Kaduppattan (Malabar), (45-A) Kaikolans (Sengunthars), (46) Kalavanthula, (47) Kallan, (48) Kalingi, (49) Kani or Kaniyan and Kanisa or Kaniyar Panikkar, (49-A) Kammalans (Kamsalas or Viswabrahmans), (50) Kannadiyan, (51) *Deleted*, (52) Kavuthiyan, (53) Kelasi, (54) Kharvi, (55) Khatri, (56) Khodala, (57) Kolaries or Munyanies, (58) Konda Dora (Criminal Tribe), (59) Konda Dora (Aboriginal Tribe), (59-A) Konda Kapu or Manya Kapu (Aboriginal Tribe), (60) Kondh, (60-A) Koppalavelamas, (61) Koracha, (62) Kota, (63) Koteyar (Sheragara, Kshatriya of South Kanara), (64) Kottiya, (65) Koya, (66) Kulala, (67) Kuruba, (68) Kurumba, (69) Kusavan, (70) Labbai, (71) Lambadi, (72) Madivala, (73) Madugar or Medavar, (74) Malayali, (74-A) Malayan (Malabar), (75) Male, (76) Mangala, (77) Mappilla, (78) Mahratta (Non-Brahman), (79) Marati of South Kanara district (Hill tribe), (80) Maravan, (81) Maruthuvar, (82) Melakudi or Kudiyan, (83) Moili, (84) Modi Banda, (85) Muduva, (85-A) Mukhari, (86) Mukkavan or Mukayan alias Mogayan, (87) Mutracha, (88) Muttriyan, (89) Nagaram, (90) Nakkale, (91) Nalkedaya, (92) Namdev Mahratta, (93) Oddan (Donga), (94) Odde, (95) Odiya, (96) Oriya, (97) Padayachi (Villayan Kuppam), (98) Pamula, (99) Panan (Malabar), (100) Pangadikara, (101) *Deleted*, (102) Paniyas of Ponnani taluk (Malabar), (103) Panniar or Pannayar, (104) Parkavakulam (Surithiman, Malavaman, Nathaman, Moopanar and Nainar), (105) Pattanevan, (106) Patnulkaran, (107) Perike, (108) Peruvannan, (109) Pichigunta, (110) Poraya, (111) Pulluvan, (112) Pusala (Pusalavadu), (113) Rajapuri, (114) Reddi (Ganjam), (115) Sadhu Chetti, (116) Saliyan, (117) Savara, (118) Sedan, (119) Sembadavan, (120) Senaithalaiyar or Senaikudayan, (121) Sholagar (including Pani), (121-A) Sri Sayana, (122) Siviar, (123) Sourashtra, (124) Sugali (Sukali), (125) Tsakala, (126) Tatapu, (127) Telikula, (128) Tholuva Naicker and Vettalakara Naicker, (129) Thoriyan, (130) Tigala (Tigla), (131) Toda, (132) Thogata Veerakshatriya, (133) Tondaman, (134) Uppara, (135) Urali Goundan, (136) Vada Balija, (137) Vaduvan (Vadugan), (138) Vakkaliga, (139) Valaiyan, (139-A) Vanian, (140) Vannan, (141) Vanniyakula Kshtriya (in Tamil districts), Agnikula Kshtriya (in Telugu districts), (142) Velakatalavan, (143) Veluthedan, (143-A) Virakodi Vellalars, (144) Yadava and (145) Yerkula.

* P.T. = Primitive Tribe.

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Srl. No.	Application Number	Name	Age on 1-7-1946 Community (a) Mother tongue (b) Other Indian Languages known	Qualifications	Remarks.
1	2	A. Ramakrishna Reddi.	34 years 1 m. Non-Brahman(Hindu) (a) Telugu (Intermediate). (b) Tamil(speak)	Doctor of Philosophy,(Annamalai), 1942; B.Sc.(Hons.) (Madras), Zoology, Chemistry and Botany, III class, 1933; played Tennis, Foot ball and Hockey at the college; was Secretary of the College Andhra Bashabhivardhani Sangam,College chemical Society and Natural Science Association; claims to have specialized in Zoology and Anthropology; has published the following:--	32

(1) The Development of Anuran Kidney, Parts I and II;
(2) The Cytology of Digestion and Absorption in the Crab Paratelphusa;
(3) The Physiology of Digestion and Absorption in the Crab Paratelphusa;
(4) The structure, Mechanism and Development of the Gastric Armature in stomatopoda with a discussion as to its evolution in Decapoda;
(5) The Gastric Armature of some South Indian Decapod Crustacea;
(6) The Development and Fate of the Operculum and Gill Chambers in Rhacophorus Maculatus, Bouleng;
(7) The Development and Fate of the Operculum and Gill Chambers in Bufo Melanostictus Schneider;
(8) Crabs as Food in India;
(9) Distribution of Blood Groups among some Donors to the Madras Blood Bank;
(10) A Note on the Peristaltic Movements of the Alimentary Canal of Paratelphusa Hydrodromus;
(11) Notes on a collection of Paguridea from Porto Novo.
(12) On the Modus operandi of certain Ossicles in Gastric Armature of Decapod Crustacea;

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(13) Crab-Fishing in the Ceded Districts;
(14) Distribution of Blood Groups among different communities in the Government Mental Hospital;
(15) Some Aspects of Fresh Water Fisheries in India;
(16) The position of Prawn and Crab Fisheries in India;
(17) Studies on Elasmobranch Fishes;

(18) note on the variations in the gastric armature of some South Indian Decapod Crustacea;
(19) Structure of the gastric armature of some Grapsoid crabs in the collections of the United States National Museum;
(20) The Digestive Enzymes of Paratelphusa (OXIOTELPHUSA) hydrodromus;
(21) Observations on a Cyprus drawing nourishment from Calotes eggs;
(22) Development of the Peritoneal Funnels in the kidney of Rhacophorus maculatus, Boulenger;
(23) Studies on the Gastric Armature of Grapsoid and Oxystomatous crabs in the collections of the Unites States National Museum, Washington;
(24) Prehistoric Burials in Pallavaram;
(25) Physical Anthropology of Yenadies;
(26) Wavy-line decorated pottery in the collections of the Government Museum, Madras;

"His work is stamped with a unique originality of thought which gives him a place among the leading Indian Zoologist of the younger generation" - E.W. Mac Bride, F.R.S.; "His contribution on the Digestion and Absorption in Paratelphusa are very valuable additions to our knowledge of Invertebrate Physiology" - Professor C.M. Yonge, D.Sc., F.R.S.;

Lecturer in Zoology, Annamalai University, (1933-41), pay Rs.100-10-200/-; was connected with the University Zoological Museum - endeared himself to his students by his most brilliant lectures - did very valuable service in the maintenance of discipline; has done very good research work and won great appreciation from Zoologist of international repute - his excellent work on crabs led to a request from the authorities of the United States National Museum to investigate the crabs (1260) in their collection; Curator for Anthropology, Madras Government Museum (April 1941 to June 1945), on 100-10-200/-; "worked under the Director General of Archaeology in India in the excavations at Arikamedu, near ~~cuddxxxxx~~ Pondicherry early in 1945; "has done good work on the ~~[illegible]~~ Embryology and bionomics

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bionomics of fresh water fauna particularly crabs and prawns and has had the advantage of Scientific contracts with Zoologists in England and America"; "The Indian museum frequently seeks his help on matters connected with crabs"; "His investigations on distribution of blood groups won appreciation from workers in that field"; Professor and head of the Department of Natural Science, S.V. College, Tirupati (from July 1945); was Honorary Treasurer of the Archaeological Society of South India for some years; is now the Secretary and Treasurer of the Sri Venkateswara Archaeological Society and is connected with the organisation of an Archaeological ~~with~~ Museum at Tirupati;

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Doctor of Philosophy in Soc... 1937; B.A.(Hons.) (Madras), ... class, 1927; admitted to M.A. in ... the Museums Association, Great Brit... Economics of the Madras University, ... ys won the Kunjambu Nambiar prize at the ... y College; During 1929-1930 was at the Medical ... studying human anatomy; underwent training for ... months in Anthropometry at the Indian Museum, ... utta; underwent training for two weeks in Museum ... at the Liverpool Museum; was for a period attached to the Department of the Director General of Archaeology in India in excavations carried out for instructional purposes at Taxila in 1945 and worked with attention and perseverance; "you are in my opinion among Indian Anthropologists the soundest and most clear sighted and I am confident that you are amply qualified in initiative and experience to continue the great work of xxxxxxx Dr. Gravely and his predecessors in the Government Museum" - F.J. Richards; "a most capable curator, most helpful in the development of the museum into a more efficient educational institution, and eager to seize every opportunity of training for this purpose and of widening his interests and experience whether in India or abroad - succeeded me at a most difficult time and has in my opinion done very well" - Dr. F.H. Gravely; "regarded him as one of the leaders in all anthropological discussions - his thesis on Iravas and culture change was a study of great merit, displaying not only sound field methods but also considerable originality in conception and working out of materials - it will redound to the credit of the Museum to have as its head an anthropologist whose high status is recognised abroad" - Raymond Firth, Professor of Anthrology in the University of London; "has made a number of contributions to anthropological research which are recognised as authori~~sation~~ tative and has served effectively as President of the Section of Archaeology and Anthropology of the Indian Science Congress" - Dr. R.E. Mortimer Wheeler; Teacher in Punjab (19[illegible]-29), pay Rs.90/-; Assistant in Indian Museum (June 1929); Rs.100/-; Curator, Madras Museum (July 1929 to December 1940), pay Rs.125-250/-; Officiating Superintendent, Government Museum (from December 1940); pay Rs.475/-; has visited and spent many working hours in English and German Museums; says as Curator he reorganised the Prehistoric galleries on modern lines and says was the first to try labelling in Tamil and Telugu and labels on cellophane and to experiment on the use of electric light to improve display in the galleries; says Dr. Markham and and Hargreaves inspected his gallery work and found it to be of high standard and

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exempted him from Part II of the course for the Diploma of the Museums Association of Great Britain; says as the Officiating Superintendent he has been supervising the work of, and organising the collections pertaining to all the sections of the Museum and has edited and issued five numbers of the Madras Museum Bulletins; as convenor of ~~xx~~ a Committee appointed by Government to suggest improvements to the Museum; says he has been instrumental in formulating ~~xxxxxxxxxx~~ important developments of the Museum; says he has taken great interest in the organisation of a picture gallery for Madras and that during his time the collection of pictures has doubled and that he is at present trying to organize a society of Artists at Madras; says has got cleaned and preserved a number of antiquities in the Museum which had been neglected for over forty years; has revived Dr. Henderson's scheme of Museum lectures and has also sent up proposals to the Director of Public Instruction for the addition of an education section to the Museum; says has effected improvements in the various sections of the Museum such as the introduction of painted plaster casts for the old stuffed fish, artificial lighting, using of plaster of Paris blocks to exhibit small sized mineral and rock specimens, working out of the detailed plans for the cleaning and reorganisation of the Amaravati Gallery etc.; says the stone age collections is already the best in India; was the President of the Anthropology and Archaeology section of the Indian Science Congress in 1945; President of the Aborigines Education Section of the All India Educational Conference, Madras and elected member of the Sectional Committee; says was twice elected as the Recorder of the Anthropology and Archaeology Section of the Indian Science Congress; Editor of the Journal of Indian Museums, a member of its council, (Member of Training and post war reconstruction committees; chairman, Board of Studies in Anthropology of the University of Madras - elected for 3 successive terms; Supervisor of the Madras University, Research Scholar in Anthropology in 1942-43 and Member, Faculty of Science, Madras University; Now Honorary Secretary and for a number of years a member of the Council of the Archaeological Society of India; Member of the Council of the Indian Anthropological Institute; Member of the council and National Secretary for India of the International Congress of Anthropology; delegate to the International Congress of Anthropology, London in 1934; Local Correspondent and Fellow of the Royal Anthropological Institute of Great Britain till recently; Examiner and question paper setter for the Mysore Civil Service Examination in 1946; Examiner, Federal Public Service Examination;

. Aiyappan (Contd.)	Examiner for Ph.D. thesis , Bombay University and examiner of prize thesis for Calcutta University; one of the Committee of Editors of the Volume of Essays presented to Rai Bahadur Sarat Chandra Roy; President of the Literary Section of the Madras Kerala Samaj and member of the Executive Committee of the Malayali Club, Madras; says has done field work in social and physical Anthropology in prehistoric Archaeology and has excavation experience at five sites; says has trained curators in field methods particularly in Anthropology and prehistory; says is in charge of Numismatic work in the Museum for over 3 years; says his publication on Blood Groups has been quoted in a number of papers by authori~~sation~~tative writers on the subject; says his application for a post in Archaeological Survey of India as Curator of the Central Asian Antiquities Museum was not forwarded by Government in the interests of service in this Museum and thus lost the best chance of his life for securing a good job while his juniors with less experience applied and got selected; was appointed as Senior Psychologist by the Personnel Selection Directorate of the G.H.Q., Meerut on Rs.710/- but had to decline the offer; has to his credit 43 publications copies of which have been produced; besides has written good number of articles in Malayalam on various topics; Reviewer of anthropological publications for the Hindu and current Science and occasional reviews for "Man" etc.; Has given a series of lectures and Radio talks; was voluntary Report centre officer till 31-3-1945 and has shown very keen interest in moulding the organisation and got a certificate of appreciation from the H.E. the Governor Sri Arthur Hope; Gave lecture under the auspices of Indian Hospitality Committee;	Appeared before th Commission in 1943 for appointment as Superintendent, Government Museum on was awarded [illegible] marks at the oral ~~tex~~ test.

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