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Dated

6/2/45

[Despatch Abstract.]

M. E. J. - Post of General Trg.
Expert - keeping in abeyance -
creation of a similar post
in Subordinate Service - order
passed

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From: The Asst. Secy. to Govt.
E. J. O. (14)

To: The Dy. Secy.

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Under the name of
Depy

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28/10/10

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to
29/10

Pl. refer to Govt. Memo. No. 49506 - A - 2 - Edu., d/- 16.9.10, and say whether any proposals to relieve Mr. C.R. Barrett from the post of Adviser to Govt. on 1st Jan. 1911, on the expiry of the period of notice given to him, and to appt. a substitute ~~have~~ are being subd. to Govt.

28.9.10
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OFFICE OF THE

CS. 504.

Date: 194. Hours Minutes

TELEPHONIC MESSAGE

From

The D.P.G.

To

The A.S.

Ref: your T.M. of 29.10.46
regarding relief of
Mr. C.R. Porrett, M.B.E.
Adviser to Govt on Manual
Training, Saidapet.

Mr. C.R. Porrett has
been requested to hand-
over the charge of the office
to the principal, Teachers'
College, Saidapet on 31.10.46
A.M. proposals for the apppt.
of a substitute are being
submitted today.

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Received.....Registered.....

To

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

Re. No. 3559 C-1/46 dated the 29th Octr. 1946.

Sir,

SECRETARY, E.M. AND P. R. DEPT.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Madras Educational Service -- Adviser to Govern-
ment on Manual Training -- Appointment of a successor
to Mr. C.R. Porrett -- Proposals submitting-

Ref: Government confidential Memo ^{vaughan} No. 47506 A-2 Edn.
dated 16.9.1946.

With reference to paragraph 1 of the Memo. cited above, I have requested Mr. C.R. Porrett, M.B.E., Adviser to Government on Manual Training, Saidpet, to hand over charge of his office to the Principal, Teachers' college, Saidpet on the afternoon of 31.10.1946.

2. In paragraph 3 of my letter Re.No.3559 C-1/46 dated 23.8.1946, I pointed out the probability of a suitable War Service Candidate being selected by the Commission and becoming available for appointment in November 1946 to replace Mr. C.R. Porrett. However, I may submit that the Madras Public Service Commission do not appear to have found anybody suitable for the post and I believe the Commission would have sent a report to that effect.

3. In this connection, I submit herewith an application dated 16.9.1946 from Sri D. Sankaranarayana Ayyar, Officiating School Assistant, Government Secondary and Training school, Tinnevely, addressed to Government. I have also received applications for appointment to the post from Sri S. Narasimha Pillai, Assistant to the Adviser to Government on Manual Training, Saidapet and from Sri K.A. Subramania Pillai, Manual Training Instructor in Wood-work, I Grade, Teachers' college, Saidapet, Madras. Besides the above applicants, the claims of Mr. J.F. Rozario Assistant Instructor in Manual training for European and Anglo-Indian Schools, Ootacamund have also to be considered.

4. All the four officers mentioned above are prima facie qualified for appointment to the post. Sri D. Sankaranarayana Ayyar is educationally better-qualified than the other three, but his record is not satisfactory. His probation in his present officiating appointment in the Madras Educational Subordinate Service has been extended by one year owing to unsatisfactory reports. I, therefore, feel doubtful whether he can discharge his duties in a higher and more responsible post satisfactorily. I do not therefore, recommend his promotion.

(ii) Mr. J.F. Razario, is the senior-most of the four officers mentioned here. He has a very good record. But his experience is entirely confined to European and Anglo-Indian schools and I do not consider him suitable for the post of Adviser to Government on Manual Training for which post an Officer who is thoroughly conversant with Indian schools will be more useful.

The D. P. J. 2. A. 15
 Ref: your T. M. of 2. 10. 15
 regarding relief of
 Mr. C. R. Powell, M. E. C.
 Admission to Unit on Memorial
 Day. The following is
 the C. R. Powell has
 been requested to leave
 on the grounds of the office
 the principal reason
 College, 2. 10. 15
 is proposed for the office
 of substitute and has
 submitted to the

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(iii) Sri S. Naresimha Pillai is a very senior officer. His record is good. He is actually assisting the Adviser to Government on Manual Training even now. Mr. C.R. Porrett has recommended him very strongly for the post, remarking that he is competent and very efficient. He is due to retire from service on 16.4.1947.

(iv) Sri K.A. Subramania Pillai is junior to Sri Naresimha Pillai and his claims for promotion are next only to those of the latter.

5. Taking everything into consideration and having discussed the matter with Mr. C.R. Porrett, I consider that none of the above officers as a worthy successor to Mr. C.R. Porrett in his office or even fit to hold the post under emergency provisions. In my letter Re.No.4368 C/45 dated 21.10.1946 I have proposed the provision of a Scholarship for deputing a suitable candidate for advanced studies in Manual Training subjects with a view to that candidate being appointed to the post after return from foreign studies.

6. In view of the necessity to make arrangements for carrying on the work, till the services of a more suitable candidate are secured, I suggest the following temporary arrangement. As Sri S. Naresimha Pillai, the present Assistant to the Adviser to Government on Manual training, Saidapet, is well-conversant with the work and has also a good record and is also qualified for the post in a way, I recommend that instead of appointing him in the M.E.S., the post of Adviser to Government on Manual training in the M.E.S. may be held in abeyance and a post in the M.E.S. in the scale of Rs.70-10/2-130 with a Special pay of Rs.25/- p.m. created instead, so that I may appoint Sri S. Naresimha Pillai to that post. During the period he holds this temporary post Sri Naresimha Pillai may be granted the Special pay of Rs.25/- per mensem in addition to his present pay, which is Rs.130/- per mensem.

7. I solicit the favour of early orders. The personal files of the 4 officers are also submitted herewith for perusal and return.

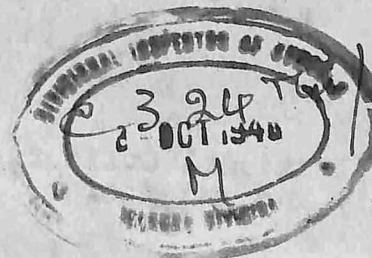
Done
21.10.46
for Director of Public Instruction.

GAW/30.10.1946.

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(4)
Reference: Application of Sri. D. Sankaranarayana
Ayyar, School Assistant, Govt. High School, Tinnevely
for appointment as Manual Training Expert.
N. Dis 291/46 dated 18.9.46 of the Headmaster
Govt. High School, Tinnevely.

N. Dis C no. 30(20)46 Dated. 9.10.46

Submitted to the Divisional Inspector
of Schools, Madurai.



S. Krishnamoorthy
District Educational Officer,
Tinnevely (West) and Anjengo.

21.9.46

Stationery Stores was started in Madras by Mr. A. A. Araya, M.A., Retired Professor of the Presidency College, is President of this Central Society. He has had considerable experience in the working of these stores. Under his guidance expect the Central and the primary stores to make tangible

3. I should like to see with your help that every educational institution in the Province has a Stationery Co-operative Society of this kind and that every such store gets affiliated to the Central Society. I request you to circularise the District Educational Officers and Divisional Inspectors to take an interest in the formation and promotion of Co-operative Stationery stores in all educational institutions and to contribute to their development.

Copy communicated to the undermentioned Officers, and they are requested to render all possible assistance in the matter of the formation of primary Co-operative Stationery Societies in the Educational Institutions under their jurisdiction, without detriment to their official duties.

B. Somasundara Rao
15-12-39.

for Director of Public Instruction.

Dis.No. 593/39 dated 19-12-1939.

Copy communicated to the Head Masters of Secondary and Training schools in the District for favour of necessary action.

R.P.V. 21-12.

K. I. V. S. S. S.
District Educational Officer,
Tinnevely and Anjengo.

to us in our work.

(Sd.) H.A. Popley,
Convener of the Committee
on syllabuses for Handicrafts
and Pre-Vocational Courses,
Govt. of Madras.

3. 23-3-33.

..... The work in the Institute on the whole is satisfactory.

(Sd.) Abdur Rahim,
District Educational Officer, Madras.

4. 25-1-34.

..... I was very pleased with the quality and variety of work that is being turned out.

(Sd.) D.S. Reddi,
Deputy Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

5. 3-5-39.

I visited the School to select some articles made by the boys for the handicraft section of the Teachers Conference Exhibition. I am interested in Mr. Sankaranarayanan's plans to correlate the instruction of wood work with other work in the School.

(Sd.) Miss. Gerrard,
Principal,
Lady Willingdon Training College, Madras.

6. 15-7-1939.

I paid a short visit to the School this afternoon. Some of the rattan work struck me as being very good.

(Sd.) H. F. Saunders,
Inspector of European Schools, Madras.

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This is the first school of the kind which I have visited I have viewed the work and the classes with much interest and pleasure.

(Sd.) K. Kelley,

C.M.S. Kilpauk, Madras.

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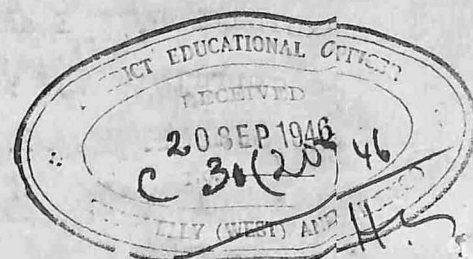
22-4-37.

You are conducting a fair programme here. I have found my ideas we could well use in America.

(Sd.) Ruth Melaudy,

N. Dis. C. No. 291/46 Dated 18-9-46. Supervisor of Training
Eastern Oregon Normal. U.S.A.

Ref:- Application of Sri.
D. Sankaranarayanan Ayaz
School Assistant, for appoint-
ment as Manual Training
Expert.



Submitted to the District
Educational Officer, Tinnevelly
West, and Anjengo.

A.V. Sankar Subba
Headmaster, Government
Training School, Tinnevelly.
18/9/46

Rec.No. 224 Tin/46.

Office of the Divl. Inspector
of Schools, Madura Division,
MADURA, Dated 10--10--1946.

Sub: Public Service - Application of Sri D. Sankaranarayanan,
School Assistant, Government Training School, Tinnevelly
for appointment as Manual Training Expert, Teachers'
College, Saidapet.

Ref: Endorsement N.Dis.No.30(20)46 dated 21-9-46 from the Dt.
Educational Officer, Tinnevelly West.

SUBMITTED to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

2. This office has no information if applications are called
for from subordinates of the department. Secondly the District
Educational Officer himself has not offered any definite recommen-
dation on the work and conduct of the teacher. Recently when this
teacher's case went up to the Director of Public Instruction for
completion of probation, it was ordered that the adverse remarks
recorded in his personal file may be communicated to him.



Divisional Inspector of Schools,
Madura Division.

To The Director of Public Instruction,
MADRAS.
S.U. 9/10

After the abolition of the Institute in 1941, I had many reverses till I was transferred as School Assistant in 1944. I had served as Deputy Inspector of Schools for sometime and passed the Departmental Tests. I have organised the Taluk Elementary Teachers Conference and Exhibition at Thirupathur (N.A.) in September 1944 at very short notice. I have completed 22 years of service in the Department and I am drawing a poor pay of Rs. 70/- p.m.

I possess the following certificates in addition to the University Degrees and Diploma in Geography.

- (1) Manual Training Diploma of the Teachers' College, Saidapet, First Class.
- (2) Free-hand Outline Drawing Certificate, Intermediate Grade.
- (3) Design (Lower Grade).
- (4) Geometrical Drawing (Elementary Grade).
- (5) Physical Training issued by the Southern Circle Inspector.

I am submitting herewith extracts from some certificates and visitors Book along with the typed matter I prepared for circulation to the members of the syllabus revision Committee for your kind perusal and return.

I now understand that some Deputy Inspectors are to be deputed for doing Manual Training at the Teachers' College, Saidapet.

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Under the above circumstances I request you to kindly appoint me as Manual Training Expert, in which capacity, I assure you, Sir, I will do my best for the Department.

Thanking you,

I remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

S. Sankaranarayanan
16.9.46

(Enclosure: 67 pages of typed
memoranda for syllabus in Handicraft
+ Vocational Subjects.)

Extracts.

Government Training School, Mangalore,
20--6--25.

1. During the South Canara District Educational Exhibition of March 1925, the Exhibits prepared under Mr. D. Sankaranarayanan's instructions were very much appreciated by the public.

(Sd.) U. Mangesha Rao,
Headmaster.

2. Brode, 28-11-39.
..... His expert knowledge and thorough acquaintance with the various process of different forms of Handwork and Manual Training were of invaluable assistance to the Committee and he rendered service of the greatest value

D. SANKARANARAYANA, B.A.; DIP. GEOG; L.T.,
School Assistant,
Govt. Secondary Training School,
Tinnevely.

Station Tinnevely.
Date 16-9-1946.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Law, Education and Public Health
Madras.

Through
The Proper Channel.

Sir,
I submit the following for your kind and sympathetic consideration.

In the Madras Service Manual, Volume II, Gazetted Service, under Class VI of the Educational Department, the following are prescribed as qualifications for the post of Manual Training Expert.

(1) First Class Manual Training Diploma of the Teachers' College, Saidapet, or a First Class Manual Training Diploma of the City and Guilds, London Institute.

(2) Experience as a Teacher of Handicraft for not less than 3 years.

and (3) Capability to organise, direct and supervise School Handicraft.

The present Manual Training Expert Mr. C.R. Porrett, who retired on the 15th March 1943, is enjoying his fourth extension given during the Advisers Regime. Probably the Government were under the impression that there was no suitable qualified person to fill in the post. Now, when the policy of the Government is to Indianise the services, as far as possible, without

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sacrificing qualifications and efficiency I request you to be good enough to consider my claims for the post as I possess the necessary qualifications.

I entered the Education Department in December 1923, and from July 1925 I was in charge of the Central Manual Training Institute, Egmore, till its abolition in August 1941. The Institute provided instruction in Mechanical Drawing, Wood-Work and rattan work for about 20 Elementary Schools and 2 Secondary Schools with a teaching staff consisting of a Manual Training Instructor and 2 Assistant Instructors. The Exhibits from the Institute sent to the Y.M.C.A. Boys' and Girls' Exhibition, Madras, The Madras Teachers' Guild Exhibition, The Madras Corporation Schools Exhibition and to Mofussil Exhibitions, once or twice, won prizes and certificates.

In 1939 Sir. R.M. Statham, Late Director of Public Instruction, Madras, was pleased to appoint me as a Member of the Committee to revise the syllabuses in Handicrafts and Pre-Vocational subjects for the Secondary and Elementary Training Schools. I did my work for the Committee to the best of my ability and Rev. H.A. Popley, who was the convener of the Committee had testified to my work in the Committee. In fact, the entire revised syllabus in the Pre-Vocational subjects and handicrafts for the training Schools is mine.

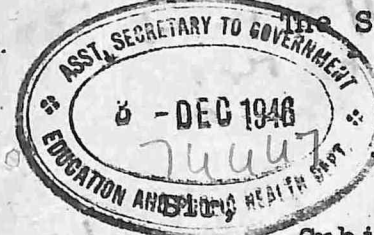
I had contributed original articles to the Educational Magazine and Journals on Manual Training, Wardha Scheme of Education, Drawing, etc.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT. 17

From

DR. S.R.U. SAVOOR, M.A.(Cantab.), D.Sc.(Lond.), I.E.S.,
Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To



The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

R.C. No. 3559 C-1/46, dated 2nd December 1946.

Subject:- Madras Educational Service - Adviser to Government
on Manual Training - Successor to Mr. C.R. Porrett, MBE.
Appointment of:

I have the honour to invite the attention of Government to my Confidential letter R.C. No. 3559 C-1/46, dated 29th October 1946 on the subject cited above and request you to let me know when the orders of Government thereon may be expected.

2. I may submit that a large number of manual training classes in the several districts have to be inspected before the end of this school year.

NB/2-12.

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

E.P.H.(A)

16/12/46
From: The Secy., E.P.H.
To: The D.O.
Ref:- Yr. letter No. 3559-1/46, dt 2-12-46
re: appt. of successor to Mr.
C.R. Corbett, Adviser to Govt. on
Manual Training

The matter is under consideration
Orders will be issued as early as
possible

P.S. 12/12/46
12/12/46

POST COPY ONLY OF TELEPHONIC MESSAGE, DATED 15TH JANRY. 1947.

From: The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

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



Reference:- My letter R.C.No.3559 C-1/46, dated 29th
October 1946 regarding appointment to the
post of Adviser to Government on Manual
Training, Saidapet.
Your Telephonic Message by post, dated
13-12-1946.

Kindly let me know when the orders of Government in
the matter may be expected.

NB/15-1.

For DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

From: The Secy., E. O. H.
 To: The D.P.I., E. O. H.
 Ref: - Your T.M. of 11.1.47 re: app't to Manual Training Expert to Govt. on physical training.
 Orders in the matter will be issued as early as possible.
 The file was circ. to H.M.E.D.
 3 papers below

Issued once
 to D.P.I.
 to Secy.
 to H.M.E.D.

M-3-44

X Narasimha
 Pillai advised
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To
 The D.P.I., (with 4/files in sealed cover)
 The A.G. The Finance
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Education and Public Health Deptt. (A)

Sub: M.E.S.-Post of Manual Trg. Expert-Keeping in abeyance-
 Creation of a similar post in Subordinate service-Orders
 Passed.

Ref: From the D.P.I., No. 3559-C1/46, Dated 29--10--1946.

G.O. (Ms) No. 212 4, Edn., Dated 6-2-47

THE Government sanction the creation of a temporary post of "Manual Training Expert" in the Men's Branch of the M.E.S.S. on Rs. 70-10/2-130 with a special pay of Rs. 25 P.M. The sanction will take effect from the date on which the post is filled and will hold good until 16-4-1947 or until a qualified and suitable candidate with war service becomes available for appointment to the permanent post of Manual Training Expert in the M.E.S., which ever is earlier. The M.E.S. post will remain unfilled for the period during which the Subordinate service post is in existence.

2. The D.P.I. is requested to send to Government at once a draft of the ad hoc rules to be framed for the new post. In view of the extreme urgency of the matter, he may appoint Sri R. Narasimha Pillai, Assistant to the Manual Training Expert, to the new post immediately. will be given.

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with instructions

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Mem. No. 12681-A-1, d/- 13/11/47

H.E.S. - Post of Manual Trg. Expert - App.

Ref: G.O. No. 212-ED, d/- 6/11/47

The encl. to the appn. of
S. D. Sankaranarayana Appa for the
post mentioned above - sent with
the letter of the D.O., No. 3559-1/47,
d/- 29.10.47 - is ret'd. A

P.P.

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C.No.66682. From the D.P.I., Rc.No.3559-C1/46, dated 29-10-46

M.E.S. - Post of Adviser to Govt. on Manual
Trg. - Filling. —

V/ The re-employment of Mr.C.R.Porrett, Adviser to Govt. on Manual Trg. (otherwise designated Manual Trg.Expert), was terminated on 31-10-46. The Principal of the Teachers' College, Saidapet, is now holding addl. charge of the post. The post stands reserved for a war service candidate. The only method of recruitment to it is 'direct recruitment'.

¶ In Aug.1946, the D.P.I. anticipated that a suitable war candidate would be selected for the post by the M.P.S.C. some time this month. He now says that the Commn. does not appear to have found anybody suitable and that it wd. have sent to Govt. a reply accordingly. No such communication has actually been recd. from the Commn. But, probably, the Commn. has not further proceeded with the selection of a war candidate owing to the orders issued by Govt. that, pending settlement of the general question as to whether the reservation orders require any modfn., no action in the matter of recruiting war candidates should be taken.

2. The post is now vacant and arrangements for carrying on the work have to be made. The vacancy has therefore to be filled under the emergency provns. by transfer from the Subordinate Service. The Dir. has discussed the claims of four officers who appear prima facie qualified for appt. to the post. They are —

	Pay in scale.	Date of entry into service.
1. Mr. J.F. Royario, Asst. Instr. in M.T. for European & A.I. Schools. — Rs.140 (Rs.90-100-140)		7.8.18
2. Mr. S. Narasimha Pillai, Asst. to Adviser — Rs.130 (Rs.70-100-130)		1.11.19
3. " K. A. Subramania Pillai, M.T. Instructor — Rs.90 (Rs.70-95)		6.8.43
4. " D. Sankaranarayana Aiyar, School Asst. — Rs.70 (Rs.70-100-130)		1944

For the reasons stated in paras 4 and 5 of his letter at C.F.3-4, the Dir. does not consider that any one of the 4 officers is a "worthy successor" to Mr. Porrett in his office or even fit to hold the appt. under the emergency provns. He therefore suggests that till a more suitable candidate becomes available, the post be held in abeyance, and that a post in the Subordinate Service on Rs.70-130, with a special pay of Rs.25,

be created instead. He recommends that No. 2, Sri Narasimha (pay: Rs.130) Pillai, may be selected and apptd. to the M.E.S.S. post with a special ~~xxx~~ pay of Rs.25 p.m. Sri Narasimha Pillai is the present Asst. to the Adviser to Govt. on Manual Training. He is reported to be well conversant with the work and has also a good record. He possesses the qualifns. reqd. in the Statutory rules for appt. to the post. As Asst. to the Adviser, he has been doing the duties enumerated in para 5 on p.3 of "W". ~~his selection for appt. to the post of Manual Trg. Expert may be approved.~~ But it is not clear why the Dir. recommends that he is not ~~even~~ fit to hold the post in the M.E.S. under the emergency provisions. Only two alternatives are possible:-

(1) If the duties of the post are such that an officer in the M.E.S. is necessary, ~~then~~ it should be continued in ~~test~~ service and the officer who is considered suitable and qualified for appt. to the post, should be apptd. to it either as a regular member or under the emergency provisions, as the case may be.

(2) If, however, the duties of the post do not require an officer of the status of one in the M.E.S., the post should altogether be relegated to the M.E.S.S.-but not temporarily, as suggested by the Dir. //The Dir.'s proposal is that the duties of the post shd. be carried on by the officer selected and apptd. but he shd. be in the M.E.S.S. with a special pay of Rs.25. ~~xx~~ The officer will have to inspect all manual training classes in secondary schools, handicraft classes in Training schools and Technical classes in certified schools [the scale of pay headmasters-gazetted posts of ~~the~~ certified schools is Rs. 200-35/2-270-40/2-350], both in the mufassal and ⁱⁿ the City. Further he is the head of the Manual Training and Art. Masters' section in the Teachers' College, Saidapet.

If he should command respect, it seems necessary that he should be of the status of a gazetted officer. The argument of the D.P.I. that any person in the service is not a 'worthy successor' to Mr. Porrett is not convincing, nor can it be considered a sufficient reason to hold the M.E.S. post in abeyance, provided the candidate selected is qualified and suitable. After all, any officer now appointed will not be permanent

para 4 p.3
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The person to go in manual training has reported that Sri W. Pillai is competent and efficient and has recommended him very strongly for appointment to the post.

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relieved
by

Rule 2, MES
p.6, p.113

Name: Narasimha
Age: 54 yrs
Lang.: Tamil
This way to be done.

c.p. A on plane

Box No. 52c
9/11/46



successor to Mr. Porrett. He will be replaced by a war candidate if one becomes available, or by a direct recruit (or promotee if better qualified after training overseas). In the circumstances, it is for consideration whether the Director's proposal to hold the post temporarily in abeyance and creating a post in the M.E.S.S. on Rs. 70-130 with a special pay of Rs. 25 may be negatived.

Mr. Porrett considers that Sri Narasimha Pillai is competent and ^{very} efficient and ^{his recommendation is in effect means that Mr. Pillai} will prove a good successor in the post of Manual Training Expert. The Director practically endorses the views of Mr. Porrett. It has therefore to be considered that he is suitable for appointment to the post. He is also qualified. But the method of recruitment to the post is ^{recruitment} "direct" as already stated.

In the circumstances, it is for consideration whether Sri Narasimha Pillai may be appointed to the vacant M.E.S. post under rule 9(a)(1) of the General rules for Provincial and Subordinate services. The M.P.S.C. may be consulted later on (within three months) on ^{about his} his fitness to ^{temporarily} continue in the post; in the meanwhile, the result of the ^{of a war candidate} selection pending with the Commission, will be known.

For orders as to circulation. The officer's personal file is below.
7.11.46
8/11/46
9/11/46
H. (S. M.)
H. E.

Para 2 above is not correct. It is directly a continuation to para 2 in page 1. 1/2 the decision does not think that the person referred to is not qualified for the post, I don't think it necessary to create an M.E.S. post for some body who is not qualified but the proposal of the D.P.I. may be a capital, & the M.P.S.C. should be asked whether a war service candidate may be available for the job.
TSA
10-11-46

Due weight to be given to the D.P.I. opinion - but I agree that his opinion must be taken as conclusive in respect of temporary appointment.

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A in H.M.'s minute - I submit

that it was in view of this that I had made
my own first comment "in a qualified way, though".

B in H.M.'s minute -
The officer has the
technical qualifications for the post; the
D.P.I. has only considered him not suitable.

C in H.M.'s minute - There is
no question of creating an M.E.S. post.
The department suggests appointment of the officer
in the existing M.E.S. post under the emergency provisions.

H.M. Sir may see
the case again. If it is proposed, this,
to accept D.P.I.'s proposal, the case will be
sent to him before further circulation.

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15/11/46

H.M. (P.M.)

The D.P.I.'s proposal may be accepted

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17.11.46



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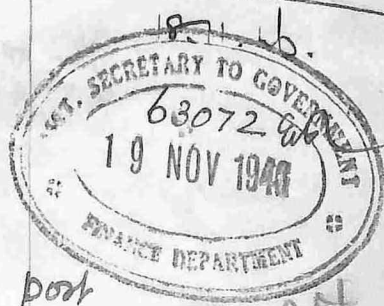
Finance E III

The proposal in the file is to

Keep in abeyance the M.E.S. post of Adviser
to Govt on Manual Training and create

in its place a temporary post of M.E.S.S. post

on Rs 70-130
with a special pay of Rs 25 per m. till
a war-service candidate is available for the M.E.S. post.



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The proposal ^{results} relates in a saving of Rs 4180 p.a.

Ull 30/10/46, Mr. PORRET was remployed after retire-

ment to the M.E.S. Post of Adviser to Government on Manual Train-
ing. His services were terminated on that date and the post has

been vacant since then. The Principal, Teacher's College, Saidapet

has been holding additional charge of the post from 1/11/46. The

post stands reserved for a War Service candidate but the M.P.S.C.

does not seem to have selected so far any candidate to the post.

To carry on the work of ^{the} post certain tentative arrangements have to

be made. The D.P.I. considered the claims of four officers belong-

ing to M.E.S.S. who are qualified to hold the post. But he did

not find any of them fit for promotion to the M.E.S. Post. He,

however, considers that one of them, Mr. Narasimha Pillai, can

carry on the duties of the post until a more suitable candidate

fit to hold the M.E.S. post is available. To allow Mr. Narasimha

Pillai to discharge the duties of the Adviser to the Government on

Manual Training without promoting him to the M.E.S. post, the D.P.I.

proposes to keep in abeyance the M.E.S. post until a war service

candidate is available and create in its stead, an M.E.S.S. Post on

Rs 70-130 with a special pay of Rs 25. Please see the minutes of

H.M. (Edn) on pages 3 and 4 above on the proposals of the D.P.I.

This department may agree to the proposal.

As Mr. Narasimha Pillai is due to retire from 16/4/47,

it seems sufficient to create the post at Rs 70-130 above till 15/4/47

(inclusive). In case a war service candidate is available

earlier, the question whether the post should remain in the M.E.S.

or not will no doubt be decided at that time. The post to be

created may be created till 15/4/47 (inclusive) or till a war

service candidate is available.

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there is no objection from this department. The question whether

this conversion should not be a permanent one may be considered

in due course. If the arrangement works out satisfactorily for a

short period, it may be satisfactory as a permanent measure. The

War-service man may not be better than Mr. Narasimha Pillai and if

he is not fit to hold ^a M.E.S. post, the war service man also cannot be. This point may be considered as soon as a war service man becomes available and the Commission may be told of this development viz, that if the only persons available are men not considered fit to hold the M.E.S. post though qualified for it (the D.P.I. will presumably be present at the time of selection) selection may be made to the temporary post in the M.E.S. now created and not in the M.E.S. post held in abeyance under this arrangement.

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

The file relates to the filling, for a tempy. period, of the post of Adviser to Govt. on Manual Trg., in the M.E.S. - pay: 200-700, which stands reserved for a war service candidate and the former incumbent of which was Mr. C. R. Porrett. The D.P.I. considers that none of the 4 officers in service, including Sri Narasimha Pillai, Asst. to the Adviser, who are qualified, is a worthy successor to Mr. Porrett, or fit to hold the post even under the emergency rules. He therefore recommends that the M.E.S. post be held in abeyance and that, till the services of a more suitable person are secured, a non-gazetted post on Rs. 70-130, with

a special pay of Rs. 25, be created, instead, and Sri Narsimha Pillai apptd. to it. This Dept. took the view that due weight should be given to the D.P.I.'s opinion, but that in respect of a "tempy. appt." his opinion need not be taken as conclusive, ~~in view of the note on~~ ~~2-3 ante~~ and proposed that Sri Pillai may be apptd. under the emergency provisions to the M.E.S. post itself and the Dir.'s suggestion to create a subordinate service post negatived. H.M./agrees with the D.P.I.'s views.

Finance Dept. have no objn. to the ~~proposed~~ holding in abeyance of the higher post and the creation of a non-gazetted post. They suggest that the sanction for the new post may be till 15-4-47 or till a war candidate becomes available; this suggestion may be accepted.



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Re: the suggestions in the Fin. Dy. Secy.'s note on pp. 5-6 ante, subd. that it seems that they cannot be accepted for the follg. reasons. Such of the qualified war candidates as would have applied ^{for} the post would have done so on the assumption that the post would continue to be in the M.E.S. on Rs. 200-700. That the candidate, if any, to be selected from among them, may not be better than Sri Narasimha Pillai, cannot be presumed now. The suitability of such a candidate has entirely to be decided by the Commission first. Only if and after the Commn. sends a report that none of the applicants is fit ~~enough~~, can the suggestion be put to it whether it would consider any of them suitable for the subordinate service post; in that case, the willingness of the candidate to accept a lower post than that advertised may have to be ascertained, also. Moreover, it has separately been decided to send overseas in 1947-8 a private student on scholarship for higher studies in prevocational subjects (Manual trg., with spl. emphasis on weaving), anticipating that, after trg., he will be reqd. for a gazetted post in the dept. Even if a suitable war candidate does not become available in the immediate future, the M.E.S. post can be ably filled by the ^{private} scholar on his return from overseas. Therefore, the qn. of making the conversion a permanent one need not be raised at all - considering further the great importance attached in these days to vocational subjects, like Manual Trg., in the school curriculum.

May be circd. to H.M. (Edn.) and ~~H.M. (P.H.)~~ H.E. for orders on "Y" on p. 6 ante. [The personal file of the 4 officers in service are kept below.]



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A draft order is subd.

MS. (P.H.)
25-1-47
H.E. agrees
J. S. S. S.
31.1.47

