# Educational (1895) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

**G.O., No.** 440.

**Dated** 24th May 1895.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

EXEMPTION.

Declining to exempt A.Sambasiva Mudali,taluk gumastah,Vellore taluk,from the examination rules.

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# Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue).

Dated 24th September, 1891.

No. 6908 Mis.

READ the following:—

(1) The following letter from H. LeFanu Esquire, Collector of North Arcot, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, Madras, dated 6th July, 1891, Ref. on Gl. Eng. No. 3974.

I have the honor to state that A. Sambahsiwa Mudali, Gumastah on Rs 15 in Vellore Taluk has passed the old 4th Grade examination for teachers. The Thahsildar reports that he is hardworking, intelligent and the best hand available in his office. He is said to possess a good knowledge of English, his drafts — specimens of which are herewith submitted for perusal and return — requiring correction only here and there. Under

G.O. dated 28th July, 1886, No. 482 Educational, no person can be appointed to a post carrying Rs 15 or more per mensem unless he shall have passed the Middle School Examination in the First Class, and as it has been held that this order prohibits the promotion of unpassed men already drawing Rs 15 to posts carrying higher salaries. Sambasiva Mudali cannot get promotion which he so well deserves. The Tahsildar therefore strongly recommends that Sambasiva Mudali be exempted from passing the Middle School Examination in the 1st Class. Under para 21 of the Educational Notification dated 26th June, 1881 published in the Fort Saint George Gazette, dated 5th July, 1881, a first class Middle School Examination certificate will in the Educational Department be accepted as equivalent to the general Education Test for 4th Grade School Masters, but the 4th Grade Examination was never recognized as a Service Test. I consider that Sambasiva Mudali deserves the concession and have the honor to request that the Board will be pleased to move the Government to exempt Sambasiva Mudali from passing the Middle School Examination in the First Class to make him eligible for promotion to posts carrying salaries of Rs 20 and upwards, subject, of course, to the rules regarding the passing of the Special Tests, for posts for which such tests are prescribed.

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(2). The following Reference thereon d/7 Sep: 1891.

The Collector's letter read above will be forwarded to the Commissioner for the U. C. S. Examn. with the request that he will be so good as to state for the information of the Board whether in his opinion the general education test for the 4th Grade School Masters may be considered to be as high as the First Class Middle School Examination.

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(3). The following letter from E. H. Elliot Esq. B.A., Secretary to the Commissioner for the U. C. S. Examinations, Madras, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, (Land Revenue), dated 15th September, 1891, No. 1198.

With reference to the Board's reference on General Register No. 2246 of 1891, I have the honor, by direction, to state that, though the General Education Test for teachers of the Primary Grade Higher was the Middle School Examination

First or Second Class, and a teacher of the Primary Grade, Higher, corresponded to the old Fourth Grade teacher, the standard of the examination passed by the old Fourth Grade teacher was considerably below that of a First Class Middle School pass.

The enclosures are returned.

Resolution.

As the Fourth Grade teacher's test is considerably below the test required, and as in other respects, the circumstances of Sambasiva Mudali are not different from those of many other clerks, the request that Government should be addressed must be negatived.

(True Copies & Extract).

(Sd) H. A. Sim,

A.g Secretary.

To

The Collector of
North Arcot.

(True Copy).

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A.g Secretary.

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# Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

MADRAS.

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## COPIES OF TESTIMONIALS.

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This is to certify that Sambasiva Mudali, acting Gumastah in the Vellore Taluk Cutcherry, had worked under me for more than two years, during which I had the charge of that Taluk. He was first employed as License Tax Gumasta and subsequently, after that appointment was done away with; he was appointed as Irrigation Gumastah. In addition to the regular duties of these appointments, he was employed in copying fair Criminal Judgments and English correspondence. He writes a neat hand and makes no mistakes. He is an intelligent young man deserving encouragement.

*7th August* 1881. } (Sd.) K. PRAKASEM NAIDU,
*Tahsildar of Sydapet.*

2. This is to certify that Sambasiva Mudaly an acting Gumasta has worked under me when I was Tahsildar of Vellore Taluk for about 4 months, during which time, he has performed his duties to my entire satisfaction. He is a hard working and an intelligent young man. I hope he is confirmed in his present appointment.

ARCOT,
*April* 5th 1882. } (Sd.) N. NAMMIAH CHETTY,
*Tahsildar of Arcot.*

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3. A. Sambasiva Mudaliar a Gumasta of Vellore Taluk wants a certificate from me. I was Tahsildar of that Taluk from 12th October 1882 to 12th July 1885, and during that period, Sambasiva Mudaliar was doing Magisterial work under me and I have been trying him with some Revenue work also when there was occasion; on the whole, I am glad to say, that he did his work most satisfactorily. He was punctual in attendance, hard working, trust worthy, and obedient. He writes a neat hand both in English and Tamil. Unfortunately for him he has not passed any examination, otherwise he is fully deserving ~~for~~ of promotion.

CHITTOOR, 31st July 1885. } (Sd.) V. V. BASHIKACHARLU,
*Tahsildar of Chittoor Taluk.*

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4. Sambasiva Mudali has been working under me for nearly four months. He is diligent and a careful worker. I am very favorably impressed with the little I have seen of him. It is a pity he will not try and pass his Test Examinations. He writes a good hand.

VELLORE, 12-9-89. } (Sd.) J. F. WETHERILL, C.S.
*Assistant Collector.*

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5. A. Sambasiva Mudaliar, Clerk, Taluk Office Vellore, is an excellent hand. He is a hard working and intelligent Officer. He is one of the best hands in the Taluk. I am highly pleased with his quiet good conduct. He acted as Magisterial Clerk for a year under me and I found him well up and very useful in that work. He is now

doing Revenue business; and his drafts are generally precise and up to points. It is a great pity that he is unpassed. He is trust worthy.

VELLORE, 30th July 1890. } (Sd.) V. RAMACHENDRA ROW,
*Acting Tahsildar,*
*Vellore Taluk.*

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6. A. Sambasiva Mudaliar has been working under me as Revenue Javabuenis during the time I was acting Tahsildar of Vellore Taluk. I found him industrious, active, and exceedingly obedient. He is a willing servant and bears good character. He is unfortunately an unpassed man or else he would shine well in the public service.

VELLORE, 30-11-90. } (Sd.) Y. NARAYANASAMY,
*Acting Tahsildar.*

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7. A. Sambasiva Mudaliar, Clerk, Taluk Office, Vellore, has given me entire satisfaction in the discharge of his duties. He is a very intelligent, hardworking and trustworthy public servant. His conduct is simply good. Though he is an unpassed candidate, still he is capable of producing good drafts in English. It is a great pity that with all his abilities, he cannot get any promotion on the technical ground that he is an unpassed man.

*1st March 1894.* } (Sd.) C. RAMACHENDRA AIYER,
*Ag. Tahsildar of Vellore.*

TO :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HONORABLE
THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL,
FORT SAINT GEORGE.

*The humble petition of A. Sambasiva Mudaliar,*
*Gumasta, Taluk Office, Vellore.*

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH,

That he begs respectfully to state that he presented a petition on the 25th May 1891 praying for a concession to exempt him from passing the Middle School Examination. This was forwarded through the proper channel to the Board of Revenue, who in their Resolution dated 24th September 1891, No. 6908, Mis: refused to grant the concession on the ground that the 4th Grade Examination in which he had secured a pass cannot be considered equal to the Middle School Examination.

2. In this connection he respectfully begs to submit that his case was not submitted for orders of Government. It is much to be regretted that no note of the G. O. dated 23rd June 1883, No. 404, Educational, was made by the Board of Revenue in disposing of his case. Government has been pleased in that order to exempt an unpassed man from passing the Middle School Examination. If the Board had taken note of the fact, his prayer would have been recommended by them and granted by Government in as much as he was a 4th Grade man. On the face of the Government order it is clear if he had not passed the 4th Grade Examination at all, he should have been granted similar privileges to those granted to Kuppuramiah of Coimbatore District.

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3. It is not out of place to mention here that it is due more to his misfortortune than any thing else that the G. O. in question was not thought of at the time. The concession prayed for by Kuppuramiah in the G. O. under consideration is to exempt him from passing an Examination with a view to further promotion in the branch in which he was employed. The petitioner humbly begs to bring to Your Excellency's notice that he has been a Taluk Gumasta from 1877 and that the work turned out by him as well as his capabilities are known to his immediate superiors, whose opinion is expressed in the several testimonials herewith submitted. As his service extends over 17 years, his claims for promotion in the branch in which he works very hard should be overlooked is a matter of regret and utter despair. In applying for a concession, he claims no more than what Kuppuramiah has obtained from Government as the petitioner's case is on all fours with his. With a view to recognition of the petitioner's

services and an inducement to better prospects he most humbly and respectfully requests that Your Excellency will be graciously pleased to remove the disqualification for further promotion so far as his promotion in the Taluk Office is concerned. It is needless to state that his request is not a novel one as Government are in favor of granting concessions of the kind (vide G. O. dated 23rd June 1883 No. 404).

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4. Under these circumstances he respectfully requests that Your Excellency will be pleased to consider his case and do him justice in accordance with the views expressed in G. O. dated 21st July 1894, No. 524, Educational.

in B.P. 13-8-94
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For which act of kindness, Petitioner shall as in duty bound ever pray.

5. Copies of Testimonials are herein enclosed.

VELLORE,
4th March 1895.

Your Excellency's most obedient and humble servant,

A. Sambasivamudaliar
Gumasta, Taluk Office Vellore.

Disposal No. 1225 Ver

Dated 23·4·95

Forwarded, through the Board of Revenue.

For Collector.

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# Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

*Dated* 30 April 1895.

*No.* 2166 , Mis. ~~Routine.~~

READ Endorsement of S. H. Wynne Esqr., Collector of North Arcot, dated 23 april 1895, Dis. No. 1225/Ver.

Resolution

Submitted for the orders of Government.

(True Extract)

Ag. Secretary

To

The Chief Secretary
to Govt. Edl. Department
with copy of B.P. of 24-9-91 / 6908 mis and with petition & one enclosure.

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## Board of Revenue
(Land Revenue),
**MADRAS.**

To

The Chief Secretary
to Govt. E. D.

Recd. 6 May/95

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*Subject.*

Submitting for the orders of Govt. petition from A. Sambasiva Mudali Taluk Gumastah, Vellore Taluk, praying for exemption from the examination rules.

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The Govt. is not prepared to grant the exemption sought by the petr.

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The Board of Revenue (L.R.)

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The petr. has no claim whatever to the concession sought & there are no grounds for granting it. Fd 17/5/95

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