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[Despatch Abstract.]

HOSPITAL ASSISTANTS for BURMA.

Ordering that the Chief Commissioner, Burma, be informed that arrangements will be made for the selection of 20 men this year for service as Hospital Assistants in Burma.

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24th April 1895.

From

Brigade Surgeon - Lt Col. W. Price, M.D.,
Principal, Medical College
To The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

Sir,

As the result of correspondence ending with the Acting Director's Proclamation No. 579 dated 28th August 1894, twenty candidates were last year selected for admission to the Burma Hospital Assistant Service. I have the honour to enquire whether twenty more have to be selected this year also.

2. Experience has shown that competitors for the Burma Service generally are either few or inferior in primary educational qualifications to those trying to enter the Civil Branch. I would therefore with a view to secure the best men available suggest that to the Notification for Burma Service an additional clause be added, viz,

"That in order to secure efficient candidates, the selection will be made from both the Burma & Civil lists, that from the latter to begin after the requirements of the Surgeon-General have been satisfied" The above was the method adopted last year.

3.

I request that early orders may be passed on this service so that if any suggestions be

appended a copy of your Proceedings
may also be communicated to the Secretary
to the Commissioner for Government
Examinations before the Notification
is published in the Fort St. George Gazette

I have &c
sd. W. Price M.D.,
Principal, Med. College

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of first order & the
Sec. of Public Inst.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF
PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
Madras, 8th June 1895.

No. 6310.

From

THE HONORABLE MR. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc.,
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,

Madras,

To

THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

FORT ST. GEORGE.

SIR,

Adverting to G. O. No. 802,
Educational dated 23rd October 1894 and
post card reminder of the 24th ultimo,
I have the honour to invite a reference
Dry letter No. 1043 of the 1st February 1895
and to state that in the absence of orders
on proposals for the re-modelling of the
Hospital Assistant Department of the Medi-
cal College & of the Medical schools at
Sangore & Nellore I am not in a position
to report definitely the number of men who
can be permitted for service in Burma.

2. In view of the unwieldy size of
the present Hospital Assistant classes at
the Medical College, it was proposed in this
office letter No. 9558 of the 10th October
1894 to send for training seven students
to the Medical School, Nellore and an
equal number to the Medical School, Sangore.

Dr Price

Dr. Price reports that the Superintendent of the former school refuses to admit fresh pupils under G. O. No. 296 L dated 11th February 1893. Consequently the 14 pupils that remain on the list of those selected last year have to be distributed equally in October next between the Medical College and the Tanjore School.

3. By the time that a new set of pupils for this year completes the pre-collegiate course the future of the Medical Schools will probably have been settled. I would therefore recommend that 20 may be advertised for, as was done last year and that the additional clause suggested by Dr. Price in the enclosed copy of his letter be added to the notification for Burma Service.

Yours &c
Sd/ D. Duncan
Director of Pub. Instn.

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W. I. Subudialkhan
Asst. Secy to the
Secy. of Pub. Instn.

Educational Dept

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Read the following paper:-

From the Director of Public Instruction
Madras of 8th June 1895 No. 6310.

Order, of 15th June 1895, No. 496.

The Chief Commissioner, Burma
will be informed accordingly. The mode
of selection suggested by Dr. Price is ap-
proved.

/ True Extract /

Sd/ Lionel Davidson
Ag. Under Secretary
for Chief Secretary

To

The Director of Public Instruction

/ True copy /

W. I. Subudialkhan
Asst. Secy to the Secy. of
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