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approving the proposal to omit
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SUBJECT.

Approving the proposal to omit "Surveying" from the list of subjects prescribed for the Harman's Test and in lieu of it to require candidates for the Harman Office to produce certificates denoting the qualification "good" from the Superintendents of Survey Schools.

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AUGUST.

Village Officers' Special Test.

Approving the proposal to omit "Surveying" from the list of subjects prescribed for the karnam's test and in lieu of it to require candidates for the karnam office to produce certificates denoting the qualification "good" from the Superintendents of Survey schools.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), Mis. No. 3188, dated 11th July 1896 :—

Read—the following letter from A. W. B. HIGGINS, Esq., Collector of Tinnevely, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, Cur. No. 1015-Gl., dated 6th June 1896 :—

Under G.O., No. 254, dated 1st April 1890, communicated with Board's Proceedings, No. 119, dated 23rd February 1891, a candidate for a karnam's post has to pass an examination in surveying among other subjects and the examination has to be conducted under the superintendence of each Divisional officer. Since the issue of the above orders the establishment of annual survey schools has been sanctioned and such schools are held annually in each taluk under the supervision of the Assistant Superintendent of Survey or Divisional officers. Private candidates are also admitted to these schools on payment of a fee of Rs. 2-8-0 under the authority conveyed in Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 7192, dated 27th November 1894 (Settlement) and are granted certificates at the completion of the course. No inconvenience has been found in admitting private candidates to the survey schools.

2. In these circumstances I have the honour to submit that there is no necessity for the examination in surveying prescribed in the Government Order above quoted and that candidates for karnams' posts may be required to produce a "good" certificate from an officer superintending a survey school.

3. The fee prescribed for an examination for karnam's office includes a separate fee for the examination in surveying. If the examination in this subject is discontinued, the rates of fees or their distribution among the several subjects would require modification.

Reference on the above, dated 8th June 1896.

Referred to the Superintendent, Madras Survey, for favour of remarks.

(Signed) R. C. C. CARR,
Acting Secretary.

Read—the following letter from H. O'C. CARDOZO, Esq., C.I.E., Superintendent, Madras Survey, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, No. 182-B., dated 30th June 1896 :—

[Endorsement of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), dated 18th June 1896, forwarding, for remarks of the Superintendent of Survey, letter from the Collector of Tinnevely reporting there is no necessity for the examination in surveying of the candidates for karnam's post.]

I have the honour to state that I agree with the Collector.

Resolution—Mis. No. 3188, dated 11th July 1896.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

2. The Board agrees with the Collector and the Superintendent, Madras Survey, in considering that "Surveying" may be omitted from the subjects prescribed for the

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karnam's test and that, in lieu of it, candidates for the karnam office may be required to produce "good" certificates from Superintendents of Survey schools. If this suggestion is approved, the fee prescribed for the examination for the office of karnam may be reduced in accordance with the distribution in Board's Proceedings, No. 2196, dated 24th April 1894, to 12 annas for candidates belonging to the families of village officers and to Rs. 4 for others.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) R. C. C. CARR,
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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Miscellaneous.

In the circumstances represented, the proposal to omit "Surveying" from the list of subjects prescribed for the karnam's test and, in lieu of it, to require candidates to produce certificates denoting the qualification "good" from Superintendents of Survey schools, is approved. The reduction in the scale of fee prescribed for admission to the karnam office, is also approved.

2. The following notification will be published in the Fort St. George and all District Gazettes:—

NOTIFICATION.

In modification of Notification No. 366 of the 29th June 1891, published at page 848, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th August 1891, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that "Surveying" be omitted from the list of subjects prescribed in Rule II (i) for the examination for the karnam office and that the fee for admission to the said examination prescribed in Rule III, be reduced to twelve annas in the case of all persons belonging to the families of karnams, reddis or munsifs in office in the district and four rupees in the case of others.

2. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased to direct that candidates for the karnam office, who under the rules in force, have to qualify by the Village Officers' Special Test, be also required to produce certificates denoting the qualification "good" from Superintendents of Survey schools.

(True Extract.)

[Signature]
for Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue).
" the Educational Department.
" the Accountant-General.
" the Superintendent, Madras Survey.
" the Superintendent, Government Press.

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