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[Despatch Abstract.]

Informing the H.S. of State
for India that, as no candidates appeared, the
matriculation Examⁿ of the London University
was not held in Madras in June last.

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From
The Secy. of State for
India,
London.

Order 421 of 14-7-98

The following letter will
be despatched to the Under Secy
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No. J.P. 1006

Letter No 422 of 14-7-98
To The Under Secy of State for India

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Dated 17-5-98

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Enclosures, 3

Spare copies.

The packet is kept
in Madras
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Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge
the receipt of a packet of papers for
the June Matriculation examination
of the London University forwarded
with Sir Philip Hatcher's letter no
1006 J.P. 2 17th May 1898, and to
inform you that ^{as} no candidates
appeared, ~~applied for the examination June and~~
consequently no examination was held
in Madras in June last.

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding, for the information
of the Madras Govt. a copy of
letter from the Registrar of the
University of London, with a packet
of papers for Madras, & a copy of
the letter of instructions relating to the
June Matriculation Exams which
is this year to be held in India for
the last time.

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University of London,

Burlington Gardens, W.

University of London,

Burlington Gardens, W.

May 12th 1898.

In compliance with application from the Colonial Authorities, I have the honour to forward to you a packet of Examination-Papers for the ensuing Matriculation Examination, to be transmitted, at your earliest convenience, to the Governor of

Madras.

The Examination will begin in this country on Monday, June 13, and it is hoped that the packet will reach its destination in time to permit of the Examination at Madras commencing on that day; but in case of unavoidable accident or delay it is requested that the Examination may be fixed to begin on the first Monday after the arrival of the papers.

As we are unprovided of the alternative subjects in which the proposing Candidates elect to **Sir,** numbered copies of all the papers are sent except those in

Botany, the **I have the honour to forward to you herewith three packets of papers for the ensuing June Matriculation of**

this University, which is now to be held in India for the last time, and to request that they may be sent to their destinations at Bombay, Calcutta, and Madras, as soon as

possible. Candidates who pass the Matriculation Examination thereby become members of this University, and that as one who has once passed either the

Matriculation or **In accordance with recent practice, I also forward a printed Letter of Instructions (duplicate enclosed), for**

each of the above-named Centres, which may, if you think fit, be sent with the corresponding packets.

I am, &c.,

(Sd) F. Victor Dickens,
Registrar.

As the Examinations are held only on the application of the Colonial Authorities and solely for the benefit of the Colonies, it is expected that the small charges for the requisite stationery will be borne by the Colonial Treasuries.

I have finally to request that the packet should have been sent to the Governor of the Province, or to the Under Secretary of State for India, and the answer of the Colonial Authorities to the packet should be sent to the Under Secretary of State for India, or to the Governor of the Province, as soon as possible after the date of the Examination. If however the authorities should prefer to send the packet to the Under Secretary of State for India, it is very important that it should be

The Under Secretary of State for India.

University of London,

Burlington Gardens, W.,

May 12, 1898.

To the UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES *India*

SIR:

IN compliance with applications from the Colonial Authorities, I have now the honour to forward to you a packet of Examination-Papers for the ensuing Matriculation Examination, to be transmitted, at your earliest convenience, to the Governor of

Madras.

The Examination will begin in this country on *Monday, June 13*, and it is hoped that the packet will reach its destination in time to permit of the Examination at *Madras* commencing on that day; but in case of unavoidable accident or delay it is requested that the Examination may be fixed to begin on the first Monday after the arrival of the papers.

As we are uninformed of the alternative subjects in which the proposing Candidates elect to be examined, copies of all the papers are sent, except those in ~~Sanskrit and Arabic~~ (for which two months' notice on the part of Candidates is indispensable), and in Botany, the Examination in which, being in part practical, cannot be held out of England.

I may remind you that it is an essential condition of holding these and all Colonial Examinations that the Sub-Examiners superintending them be appointed by the several Colonial Governors; and I am to request that the attention of the gentlemen so appointed may be specially directed to the "Instructions to Sub-Examiners" referred to below.

I am also to request that you will be good enough to cause it to be made known at each centre that all the Candidates who pass the Matriculation Examination thereby become members of this University, and that no one who has once passed either the Matriculation or any other Examination of this University can present himself a second time for the same Examination.

In each packet are included—

1. A copy of the Conditions on which Colonial Examinations are instituted by the Senate.
2. A copy of Instructions to the Sub-Examiner in charge of the Examination.
3. Copies of the Regulations relating to the Examination.
4. Entry-Forms, one of which must be carefully filled up by each Candidate who presents himself.
5. A supply of Admission-Cards.
6. A pattern Answer-Book, to which it is requested that the books used at the Examination may be made to conform as nearly as may be found practicable.

As Colonial Examinations are held only on the application of the Colonial Authorities and solely for the benefit of the Colonies, it is expected that the small charges for the requisite stationery will be borne by the Colonial Treasuries.

I have finally to request that the Fees (which should have been paid to the Governor or his representative at least a month before the commencement of the Examination) and the Answers of the Candidates, *together with the filled-up Entry-Forms*, may be forwarded to me, through your Department; as soon as possible after the close of the Examination. If, however, no Candidates should present themselves, none of the papers contained in the packet need be returned; but it is very important that I should be informed of the fact without delay.

I remain, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

F. VICTOR DICKINS,

Registrar.

It is requested that in any further communication on this subject the under-mentioned letter and number may be quoted, and the reply addressed to—

The Under Secretary of State for India,
India Office,
Whitehall,
London, S.W.

J. & P. 1006.

India Office,

Whitehall,

London, S.W.

17 May 1898.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to forward, for the information

of the Madras Government, a copy of a letter from the

Letter from
London
University
May 12th.

Registrar of the University of London, with the packet of

papers for Madras, and a copy of the letter of Instructions

relating to the June Matriculation examination, which is

this year to be held in India for the last time.

Yours faithfully,

The Secretary

Secretary,

Judicial & Public Department.

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Madras.

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NOTE FOR THE SECRETARY,

Here is a packet of Exam papers for the matriculation examination of the London University. The examination takes place on the second Monday in June. There were no candidates for the examinations & the University was not requested to hold the exam at Madras in June. The packet seems to have been sent with ref to the statement about the intention of the University made in Mr Diskin's letter printed at page 2 of G.O. no 760 Ed. 2 20th Dec. 1897. No covering letter was received with the packet.

The packet may be lodged, & the University informed that no examination was held in Madras as there were no candidates.

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29.6.98.

if on opening, it is found to contain no communication of any sub.
The covering letter sent here with was in side the packet of papers. It may be acknowledged together with the packet (or can be lodged) & the S. & S. informed that there were no candidates & no exam.
at 20/6/98

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B = Not to be copied.
P = Copy abstract only.
Q = Copy heading only.