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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
6th February 1866.*

No. 48. Read the following letter from the Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India, to the Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort William, 12th January 1866, No. 367.

Home Department.
Police.

With reference to Rule X of the Notification, dated the 5th October 1864, relating to the admission of Officers to the Staff Corps, I am directed to state that, so far as the requirements of the Civil Department are concerned, it will be held sufficient to qualify an Officer in the Police for admission to the Staff Corps, if he shall have passed the examination specially prescribed by the several local Governments and Administrations for the Police Department. Where more than one standard is laid down, the qualifying examination will be that of the lowest standard.

2. It will, of course, be understood that this order in no way affects the concluding part of Rule X above referred to, which declares that Police Officers, if transferred to Civil employment, will be required to pass the examination prescribed for Officers in Civil employment.

No. 49. ORDER THEREON, 6th February 1866, No. 170.

Communicated to the Inspector General of Police, to the Military Department, and to the Board of Examiners.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector General of Police.

„ Military Department.

„ Board of Examiners.

Ed. J. H. Burns.

Major Arthur Charles Parker, 71st Foot, to be Lieutenant Colonel, dated 5th August 1864.
 Captain and Brevet Major Charles Henry Brownlow, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant Colonel, dated 5th August 1864.
 Major Charles Patton Keyes, Madras Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant Colonel, dated 5th August 1864.
 Major Thomas Wright, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant Colonel, dated 5th August 1864.
 Captain J. Stewart Tulloh, Royal Artillery, to be Major, dated 5th August 1864.
 Captain F. Royle de Bude, Royal Artillery, to be Major, dated 5th August 1864.
 Second Captain Francis Robert Butt, Royal Artillery, to be Major, dated 5th August 1864.
 Second Captain Thomas Elliott Hughes, Royal Artillery, to be Major, dated 5th August 1864.
 Captain John Hadow Jenkins, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, Bengal, to be Major, dated 5th August 1864.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 25th OCTOBER 1864.

No. 418 of 1864.—The following Extracts from Notifications in the *Gazette of India*, are republished :—

No. 3101.

Home Department, Simla, the 5th October 1864.

The Governor General in Council having had under consideration the rules for the examination of Military Officers seeking admission to the Staff Corps in the Civil and Political Departments, which were published in the Notification of Government, No. 242,* dated 25th May last, has determined, subject to the sanction of Her Majesty's Secretary of State, on the substitution of the following rules :—

In continuation of the general Regulations for the admission of Officers to the Staff Corps, notified by the Military Department in G. O. No. 531 of 1864,† dated the 27th June, the following Rules relating to the future employment of Military Officers in the Civil and Political Departments of the Government, are published for general information :—

I.—A candidate for appointment to the Civil or Political Department, with the view of qualifying for the Staff Corps, must furnish the certificates mentioned in paragraph 5 of G. O. No. 531, of which the forms were given in Appendix A. of the same General Order, and are now re-published at the end of the present Notification.

II.—He must have been previously attached, for a period of not less than one year, to a Native Regiment;‡ but such period may form part of the three years' duty with a regiment required by the general Regulations for admission to the Staff Corps. He will be required to produce a certificate from his superior Officer, testifying to his efficiency and good conduct, and especially to his conciliatory demeanour towards the Native soldiery, and other people of the country with whom he has been brought in contact.

III.—The period of one year,—reckoned, as explained in the following rule, from the date of the first half-yearly examination held subsequent to appointment,—is fixed as the limit within which an Officer, admitted on probation to employment in the Civil or Political Department, will be required to qualify himself to undergo the examinations hereinafter mentioned, in passing which he will have a claim to have his services retained, and he will then, under the orders of the Military Department, be appointed to the Staff Corps.

IV.—Examinations will be held half-yearly in October and April of each year. A candidate may appear at the first examination held after the expiry of the first six months of his probation, and if he fail to pass must again appear at the next examination, six months later. A candidate failing to pass at the first examination, held after the expiration of his year of probation, will be removed from employment in the Civil or Political Department, and consequently will not be appointed to the Staff Corps.

V.—Subject to such general directions as shall from time to time be given by the Government of India, the examinations will be conducted by a Committee acting under the orders of the Lieutenant Governor, or Chief Commissioner, or Political Agent or Resident, as the case may be.

VI.—The examination will embrace, in the case of Officers employed in general civil duties, the subjects of Indian History, Political Economy, and Jurisprudence. The works on the two last-named subjects, in which candidates will be examined, are Mills' Political Economy, Austin's Principles of Jurisprudence, Volume I., and Maine's Ancient Law. Notice of any change in the Books for examination will be given at least one year before it takes effect.

VII.—Every Officer in civil employment will, in addition to the above examination, and notwithstanding his appointment to the Staff Corps, be required to undergo the local and departmental examinations prescribed for Covenanted Civil Servants in the Province in which he is serving.

VIII.—The examination in the case of Officers employed in the Political Department will embrace the subjects above-mentioned, and the candidate will, in addition, be examined in Wheaton's work on the principles of International Law. He will also be examined in the collection of Indian Treaties and Engagements, now being published under the direction of the Foreign Office.

IX.—No Officer will be admitted on probation to Civil or Political employment who has not passed the examination in Hindustani, required by the general Regulations for the admission of Officers to the Staff Corps.

X.—Cantonment Magistrates will be classed with Officers in Civil employment. Separate rules will be promulgated hereafter as regards Police Officers; but Police Officers, if transferred to civil employment, will be required to pass the examination prescribed for Officers in Civil employment.

XI.—As a general rule, Military Officers will be appointed to the Political Department from among those who are already in civil employment, and every Officer so transferred will be required to pass, within one year from the date of his transfer, the additional examination in International Law and Indian Treaties prescribed for the Political Department, failing which he will forfeit his appointment.

* Madras G. O. G. 17th June 1864, No. 227.

† Madras G. O. G. 22nd July 1864, No. 276.

Survey.
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Commissariat.
Stud.
Police.

‡ Any Officer who has been employed for a year in one of the Departments named on the margin, will be exempted from the condition prescribed by Rule II, of one year's service with a Native Regiment. Provided, however, that he shall produce, from the Officer under whom he may have served in any such Department, a certificate (to be countersigned by the head of the Department) to the same effect as that required from a superior Officer in case of service with a Native Regiment.

XII.—These rules are intended to be prospective in their effect. They will not apply to any Officers now holding permanent appointments in Civil Political employment. Such Officers will be entitled to join the Staff Corps in virtue of their appointments. Officers, however, who do not hold permanent appointments will be subject to these rules. But the case of any Officer who has been formerly in Civil or Political employment, and who having quitted such employment may hereafter be re-appointed to it, will be specially dealt with as the circumstances of the case may require.

APPENDIX A.

Certificate of Commanding Officer.
of the Regiment

Certified that Lieutenant _____, a candidate for the Staff Corps, completed three years' duty with a Regiment on the whole period of which, as the case may be, were spent in India.

Lieutenant _____ has passed the examination in the Native languages which qualifies for staff employment; and has attained such a knowledge of his drill and duty, as an Officer of Infantry (or Cavalry), in all its branches, as to qualify him for the Command of a Company (or Troop) in all situations. He also possesses a fair knowledge of the Articles of War and of the Queen's Regulations, as well as of the Military Regulations of the (Bengal, Madras or Bombay) Presidency, besides having gained some general acquaintance with the organization and nature of the duties of all branches of the Army serving in (Bengal, Madras or Bombay).

I further certify that during the period Lieutenant _____ has served with this Regiment, he has been attentive to his duty, and that his conduct has been in all respects unexceptionable.

Station and date. _____ Commanding _____ Regiment.

Surgeon's Certificate.

I certify that, to the best of my belief, Lieutenant _____ is in good bodily health, and apparently well capable of undergoing the vicissitudes of service in India.

Station and date _____ Surgeon _____ Regiment.

Foreign Department, Judicial, Simla, the 6th October 1864.

No. 363.—A Commission of the Peace was issued from the High Court of Judicature of Fort William in Bengal, on the 16th September, directed to the undermentioned Officers serving in Mysore, viz. :—

Major Robert Renton, Magistrate of the town of Mysore.

Captain Henry Edward Mottet, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd Class, Mysore.

General, the 6th October 1864.

No. 1402.

Notifications.—Captain H. Fraser, Second Assistant Resident at Hyderabad, having, on the 1st September, reported his return to duty from leave on medical certificate to Europe, is appointed to officiate as First Assistant Resident, until further orders.

Captain Fraser assumed charge of the offices of First Assistant Resident and Superintendent of Residency Bazaars from Lieutenant W. Tweedie, officiating Second Assistant Resident, on the afternoon of the 1st September.

H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

ARRIVALS AT THE PRESIDENCY.

Lieutenant C. M. Moberly, Staff Corps—*Amber Bagh Hotel.*

Captain R. G. F. Henegan, Royal Horse Artillery—*Club.*

Cornet W. H. Thompson, 7th Dragoon Guards.

Captain H. Shaw, 2-18th Royal Irish—*Chetput.*

Captain J. F. Daubeny, 2-18th Royal Irish—*Chetput.*

Assistant Apothecary M. Craggs, Medical Department—*Black Town.*

DEPARTURES.

Captain J. Magnay, Staff Corps—*England.*

Captain R. G. F. Henegan, Royal Horse Artillery—*Bellary.*

Assistant Surgeon Chipperfield, Medical Department—*Yercaud.*

Cornet W. H. Thompson, 7th Dragoon Guards—*Oossod.*

Captain H. C. Wright, Sub-Assistant Commissary General—*Ootacamund.*

Ensign G. Newbolt, 105th Foot—*Wellington.*

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfused throughout India for Payment of Interest in London showing the total amount outstanding up to 31st August 1864, according to the Registers received in this Office.

Amount on which interest is now payable in London.	4 per cent. of 1824-25.	4 per cent. of 1825-29.	4 per cent. of 1832-33.	4 per cent. of 1835-39.	4 per cent. of 1842-45.	4 per cent. of 1854-55.	5 per cent. of Public Works, 1854-55.	5 per cent. of 1856-57.	5 1/2 per cent. of 1859-60.	3 1/2 per cent. of 1855-54.	4 1/2 per cent. of 1856-57.	Total Rupees.
	53,000	2,300	25,23,200	23,48,700	93,59,000	63,60,800	32,06,100	4,80,95,100	2,27,68,400	18,000	16,500	9,27,60.7

R. P. HARRISON, Acctt. Genl. to the Govt. of India.

Fort William, Loan Office, the 29th September 1864.

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No 147

Communicated to the effect that to qualify an Officer in the Police Dept for the Staff Corps, it shall be sufficient if he pass the Exam. laid down for the Police Dept. —

With an Order

6th February 1866 No. 170.

Communicated to the subject
General of Police, to the Military District
and to the Board of Examiners.

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The Asst Secy of Police
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