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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.**Government of Madras.***Public works* **DEPARTMENT.**

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23th January 1870.*

No. 686.

Read the following letters :—

From the Controller of Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 6th December 1869, No. 1,709 :—

In his letter of the 18th October 1869, No. 2,627, the Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division represented that this office had objected to pass the pay of A. Lingaraze, lately appointed a "Writer" on his establishment, and Government, in their Proceedings of the 13th November 1869, No. 3,644, specially referring to the "Uncovenanted Civil Service Examination," exempted Lingaraze from passing the prescribed test.

2. It is necessary for me to explain that the objection raised by this office was based, not only on the ground that Lingaraze had not passed the ordinary Uncovenanted Service Examination, *General Test*, but that he was not in possession of a certificate from the Principal of the Civil Engineering College that he had passed the *special* test prescribed for Estimate-makers in the Public Works Department.

3. The appointment which Lingaraze holds in the office of the Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division is that of *Estimator*, to which Major Fischer makes no allusion, and, as I do not understand the Order of Government above quoted as exempting Lingaraze from the *special* test prescribed for that grade,

I have informed the Superintending Engineer that the increased* rate of salary claimed on his behalf retrospectively from the 1st August last cannot be admitted by this office till the result of the present reference is known.

4. Pay to Lingaraze as an *unpassed* candidate has been admitted at the rate of Rupees 19½ from date of entertainment.

No. 686A. From Major J. F. FISCHER, R. E., Acting Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 19th January 1870, No. 3,677.

ADVERTING to G. O. of the 13th November 1869, No. 3,644, I have the honour to observe that, notwithstanding the exemption therein sanctioned, the Controller of Public Works Accounts declines to pass this man's pay until he has also been exempted from passing the examination as an Estimator, intimating at the same time that a reference had been made to Government on the subject; but as no reply has been received up to this date and the man has been on the reduced allowances since August, and, moreover, was my Head Accountant and Estimator for more than two years in Bellary, I beg the Government will be pleased to accord their sanction to his being taken on this establishment.

No. 687.

ORDER THEREON, 23th January 1870, No. 355.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 60.

In his letter, No. 2,627, of the 18th October 1869, the Acting Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division recommended that A. Lingaraze, who it was represented had been appointed "as a

No. 3677

From

Major J. F. Fischer R.E.
Superintending Engineer
1st Division

To

Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government D. P. W.
Madras

SIR,

Referring to G.O. of the 13th November 1869 No 3644, I have the honor to observe that notwithstanding the exemption therein sanctioned the Controller P. W. Accounts declines to pass this man's pay until he has also been exempted from passing the Examination as an Estimator, intimating at the same time that a reference had been made to Government on the subject, but as no reply has been received up to this date and the man has been on the reduced allowances since August and moreover was my Head Accountant and Estimator for more than 2 years in Bellary. I beg the Government will be pleased

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Writer" in his office, might be exempted from the "Uncovenanted Civil Service Examination." This was accordingly sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,644, of the 13th November 1869. It now appears that, as the post to which Lingaraze was appointed was that of Estimator, the Controller, in accordance with the Notification published at page 441 of the Gazette of the 2nd March 1860, which rules that no person can be appointed an Estimate-maker "except on the certificate of the Principal of the Civil Engineering College" objects to pass the full amount of Lingaraze's salary without special sanction. Major Fischer, therefore, submits the case for consideration, and requests that the sanction required by the Controller may be accorded. The Government can see no grounds for the grant of such an indulgence, and they are unable to accede to Major Fischer's request as there is nothing to show that Lingaraze is sufficiently qualified for the post until he provides himself with the prescribed certificate.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

pleased to accord their sanction to his being
taken on this Establishment.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedt Servant

Wm. H. Tucker Major R.E.

Adj. Supt Engineer 1st Div

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Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts
Madras 6th December 1869.

N^o 1709
From,
The Controller of Public Works Accounts
To,
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort Saint George.
Sir,

In his letter of the 18th
October 1869, N^o 2627, the Superin-
tending Engineer of the 1st Division
represented that this office had
objected to pass the pay of
A. Lingaraze, lately appointed
a "Writer" on his Establishment,
and Government, in their Pro-
ceedings of the 13th November 1869,

N^o 3644,

Recd 19th Dec 1869
From
The Asst. Engin.
1st Division.

To The Secretary
to Government
P.W.D.
Madras

Date 19th Dec 1869
Recd 26th January 1870

Informing that the Con-
troller of P.W. Accounts
declines passing the salary
of A. Lingaraze as he was
not exempted as an Estimator
and requests sanction
for his retention on the
Establishment as he was
more than two years
Estimator in his Office
in Bellary.

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"Unconvenanted Civil Service Exam-
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from passing the prescribed test.

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session of a certificate from
the Principal of the Civil
Engineering College that he
had passed the special
test prescribed for Estimate-makers

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3. The appointment which
Lingaraze holds in the Office
of the Superintending Engineer of
the 1st Division is that of
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Fischer makes no allusion; and,
as I do not understand the
Order of Government above
quoted as exempting Lingaraze
from the Special test prescribed
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formed the Superintending
Engineer that the increased
rate of salary claimed on his
behalf, retrospectively, from the
1st August last, cannot be
admitted by this Office till
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the result of the present reference
is known. —

4. Pay to Singaraz, as an Unpassed Candidate, has been admitted at the rate of Rupees $19\frac{1}{2}$ from date of entertainment. —

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

S. Hoell

Controller of P.W. Accounts.

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P.W. 1869 Defile
No. 508 January

From,
The Controller of P.W. Accounts
To,
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort Saint George.

Dated 6: } December 1869.
Recd. 7: }

No. 1709

Enquiring as to the exemption
of A. Lingaraz from passing
the Special Test for Estimate-
makers. -

No. 686

No 353 - 28 Jan 1870

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Under dated the 28 January 1870
Read the following

From the Controller of P.W. Accounts

From the Superintending Engineer
1st Division

No. 3677 of 19 January 1870

In his letter No.

2627 of the 18th October

1869, the Acting Super-
Engineer of the 1st Division

represented that A. Lingaraz

who, it was represented

had been appointed as

a "Writer" in his office

might be exempted

from the "Inconvenient"
Civil Service Examination
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directed in G.O. No.
3644 of the 13th Nov. 1869

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Lingaraja was appointed
was that of Estimator
the Controller in accordance
with the notification pub-
lished at Page 441 of
the Gazette of the 2nd
March 1860, which rules
that no person can be
appointed Estimator
unless he is the holder of the
Certificate of the Principal
of the Civil Engineering
College, objects to pass
the full appointment of
Lingaraja's salary
without special sanction
Major Fischer therefore
submits the case

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pendix to the Uncommenced
Service Vade Mecum

for consideration and
requests that the sanction
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There is nothing to
show that Lingaraja
is sufficiently qualified
for the post.  until
he passes his examination
with the required certificate.

To The Secy 12th Div.
Controller

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To
*The Superintending Engⁿ
1st Division*

Dated

Recd.

G. O., 25th June 1870, No. 355

Nos. 686-686¹/₂-687

Language. A. The recommendation
of the Local Engⁿ of the 1st Divⁿ
that the Engr of Works be authorized
to pay to A. Sengaraya the salary
of the appointment of Estimator
to which he had been nominated,
declined be acceded to.