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G.O., No. 224

DATED 30-3-88

[Despatch Abstract.]

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in Iowa were & could letters from
the pref^{de}, had no survey on the
subject of the loan of the services
of Mr J Thompson, well as pref^{de} had no
survey to the Cookin state for a period
of 5 years for conducting the survey of
that state.

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Political (1898) Department.

CURRENT No.

Endt. No. 288, 3rd Feby. 1898.

Referred to the Revenue Department

Chief Secretary From

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2.2.98

Order

Secy

Endorsement No. 585

Referred to the
Superintendent, Madras
Survey, for very early remarks
to Mr. [unclear]
Asst Secy to Govt

Fort St. George
7th February 1898

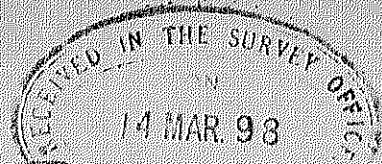
To

The Supt, Madras Survey

with copy of report

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The Dy. Resident in
Madrone & Cochin

Ref No. 262

Dated 27th January 1898

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SUBJECT.

Revenue Officer

application for a — in the



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Ernakulam
16th December 1897

My dear Sir,

You may remember, that one of the matters now being pressed upon His Highness' attention by the Madras Government, is a revenue survey & settlement. I am directed by His Highness to inform you, that the advice of the Madras Government in this matter is fully & cordially accepted by His Highness. As early as the 21st May last, I addressed a semi-official communication to the then acting British Resident, Mr. Nicholson, telling him that we shall have to apply very soon for the loan of the services of a special officer of the rank of an Assistant Superintendent of the Revenue Survey. You may also remember, that, sometime ago, I did myself the pleasure of submitting to you a copy of a printed memorandum on the revenue system now in force in the Cochin State, prepared with special reference to the Chittoor Taluk, and by one of my most reliable revenue officers, the present Acting Peishkar of the Southern Division.

2. Would you do me the favor of putting yourself in communication semi-officially with the Madras Government to lend His Highness, say for five years, the services of an officer of the grade of an Assistant Superintendent of Revenue Survey. If I am allowed to suggest a name, I beg to suggest the name of Mr. P. R. Narayana Iyer, who, I understand, is an efficient and reliable officer. But I beg that it may be distinctly understood, that this is only a suggestion, and that if this officer is to be lent to us, it should be only after ascertaining that Mr. Candonga thinks well of him.

3. The Kote survey in the Trichur Taluk, and the

Karakal survey in the Cochin District, are proceeding under the direction of the Dy Chief Engineer. You will, I have no doubt, agree with me, that, with his multifarious work, Mr. Brownie will not be able to exercise any effective supervision over the small survey party now working. If, therefore, the special officer now applied for is obtained soon, it will considerably strengthen my hands.

4. Of course, I am aware, that, when the Revenue Survey settlement work begins in the State, it will necessarily mean a considerable increase to the work of the Diwan, but ^{that} I cannot be helped, and I have no doubt, that, with your advice & support, I shall be able to get through it all.

I remain &c

P. Raja Rajalakshmi
Diwan

J. D. Rao Esq. C.S., C.J.E.

(2nd Copy)

J. D. Rao

By Resident.

Pd 8

date

Read again the following
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Ref no. 162



Resident's Office
Madrasm 27th Jan: 1898.

From

J. D. Rao Esquire C.S. & C.J.E.

By Resident in Travancore



To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith for the favorable consideration of Government copy of an application dated 16th Ult. from the Diwan of Cochin for the loan for a period of five years of the services of an officer of the grade of Assistant Superintendent Revenue Survey. As a preliminary to a settlement of the State on approved principles, the need for which has long been felt, and was recognized by Government in its order No 615 dated 17th September 97, reviewing the last administration Report, His Highness the Rajah is very anxious to proceed with the initial measure of a scientific survey as early as possible, but no competent hands are locally available, and it is for many reasons inadvisable to entrust the work to the Public Works Department of the State. Hence the present application.

2. It will be observed that if the Diwan is allowed to suggest a name, he would nominate Mr. P. R. Narayana Aiyar, on the distinct understanding however that Mr. Cordoba thinks well of him. In a subsequent communication in answer to my letter on this subject the Diwan has informed me that the Diwan is prepared to offer the officer selected an initial salary of Rs 500 per annum with pensionary

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contribution, to rise subsequently to Rs 700 by annual increments of Rs 50.

3. It appears to me desirable to secure (if possible) the services of an officer who has had some experience of the Western Coast.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. servant,

J. D. P. S.

Asst. Resident.

P.S.

Political
Revenue (1898)

Department.

CURRENT No. 165

Secy

Endorsement R. 484.

Order

Transferred to
the Political Department
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Qd under Secy to Govt.

Fort St. George

1st March 1898

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The Political Dept

From

The Superintendent
Madras Survey

No. 21
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Dated 24 February

Received 25

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SUBJECT.

Mr. Narayana Ayyar
Assistant Superintendent, Madras
Survey — Reporting that —
is not willing to take the
appointment in Cochin and
stating that the services of
another officer Mr. J. Thompson
can be placed at the disposal
of Cochin Government.

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M. H. M.
From *J. A. Narayana Ayyar*
Asst. Supt., Madras Survey,

To *The Superintendent*
Madras Survey

Camp *Vaccare*

No. *1*

Date *16 February 98*

Enclosures

Reference to a previous letter, if necessary.

From *The Superintendent Madras Survey*

To *The Asst. Supt. Madras Survey*

No. *415* dated *10 February 98*

Has the honor to

Sir,

In acknowledging
with thanks your
endorsement No 415
dated 10 February 98
communicating for
report an offer
from the Cochin
State, I regret to
have to report
that the terms
now offered by the
Government are not

sufficient inducement
to me for preferring
service in a Native
State and on the
Western Coast, to that
in my own Country
and under the
British Government.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servant.

Darapanyahy
Asst. Superintendent
Madras Survey

Camp

Date

No.

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REPLY—

Has the honor to

24th February 1898.

No. 21
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From

H. O. C. Cardozo, Esq., C.I.E.,

Superintendent, Madras Survey,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Revenue Department.

REFERENCE. G. O. No. 585, dated 7 February 1898,
forwarding for report, letter from the
Resident in Travancore and Cochin
regarding the deputation of an officer
from the Madras Survey Department
for conducting the survey of the
Cochin State.

Sir,

I have the honour to report
that Mr. Narayana Aiyar is not
willing to take the appointment in
Cochin. His reply to the offer is enclosed.

2. The services of another officer, Mr. J. Thompson, who is next above Mr. Narayana Aiyar on the list, can be placed at the disposal of the Cochin Government, on the terms mentioned in the Resident's letter.

Mr. Thompson who can be strongly recommended and has had much experience of survey work on the West Coast is now at Cannanore. Arrangements can be made to spare his services at any date after 1 March 1898.

3. The original enclosures to the G.O. under reply are returned.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant,

W. J. J.
Superintendent
Madras Survey

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Political Department.



Memorandum No. 623

Read the following paper:—

From the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, Ref. on
C. No. 262, dated 27th January 1898.

Endorsement of the Revenue Department, No. R No. 484,
dated 1st March 1898 on letter from the Superintendent,
Madras Survey, No. 21/3, dated 24th February 1898.

—:—
The Revenue Department is requested to ascertain
whether Mr. J. Thompson would be willing to accept the
appointment.

For Mr. GEORGE,
9th March 1898.

A Edgington
for Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department, with papers in original to be returned.

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8/3/98

Revenue (1898) Department.

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From The Superintendent
Madras Survey

Order

Endorsement R. n. 585-d/19th March 1898

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Political Department,
with reference to its Memo-
randum No: 623d. 9-3-98

Dated 16 March

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ag: Under Secretary

SUBJECT

Fort St. George, 3
2^d March 1598
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Mr. J. Thompson,
Assistant Superintendent
Madras Survey—

Reporting that — is willing to accept the appointment in Sochin on the terms offered by His Highness the Rajah —

To the Political Deptt., with

Pol. Cur. No. 365 of 98 ret'd

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(C. O. Form No. 13-A 1.)

SURVEY OFFICE, MADRAS,

16 March 1898.

No. 33
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From

H. O' C. Cardozo, Esq., C.I.E.,

Superintendent, Madras Survey,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Revenue Department.

REFERENCE. Official Memorandum No 67
dated 11 March 1898 directing to
report whether Mr. J. Thompson,
Assistant Superintendent, Madras
Survey is willing to accept the
appointment in Cochin.

Sir,

I have the honour to
report that Mr. Thompson is
willing to accept the offer of

employment for 5 years under
the Cochin Government on the terms
offered by His Highness the Rajah.

2. The enclosures to the
Memorandum under reply are
returned.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

Superintendent
Madras Survey

15/3/98

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Political DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., No. , dated 189 .
Again G.O., No. , dated 189 .
Current No. 163 of 189 8, dated 27th Jan'y , from The Resid^t in T.C.
" " 365 " 189 8, " 7th March , " The Revenue Dept
" " 454 " 189 8, " " " " 50

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Madras Survey, No 21. G. of
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Rev Dept (163: g 365: p)

The Supt. Madras Survey
should report whether
any other fees should be
be could recommended
and be willing to go on the
terms offered.

H A 7.3.98
N^o for the Chief Secy
The Supdt. recommended

22/3/98

W. J. Thompson. please see para
2 of his letter in C. No. 365. The
papers may, it is subd, be returned
to Revenue Dept. with the following
endorsement

Memo: No 623,
7-3-98.

The Revenue Dept. is
requested to ascertain whether
Mr. J. Thompson ^{would be willing to} accept
the appointment

Cmb.
27/3/98

MA 7.3.98

To Rev. Dept (with papers in original
to be returned)

Dec 20
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Note for the CB.

Please see C. No. 454 from R.
Rev. Dept. The order on the reverse back of this page
may, it is subd, issue as altered
in red ink

Cmb
27/3/98

Yes
MA 26.3.98

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When signed

READ AGAIN G.O., No. , DATED
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ENCLOSURES TO G. No.

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DUTY

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