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[Despatch Abstract.]

Directing the publicⁿ in the
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re: the J. C. S. Examⁿ to be
held in Aug 97; and forwarding
to the D.D. spare copies of
forms of applⁿ ~~for candidates~~
& a syllabus of the Examⁿ.

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SUBJECT.

To
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Regulations re the S.C.S.
Examination to be held in
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Application forms and
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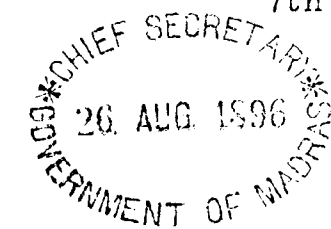
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In the reply to this letter
please quote—

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
WESTMINSTER.

7th August, 1896.



Sir,

I am directed by the Civil Service Commissioners to transmit to you 50 copies of the Regulations respecting the Open Competitive Examination of candidates for the Civil Service of India which is to be held in August, 1897, together with a supply of the necessary Forms of Application for candidates, and of a Syllabus of the examination.

I am to request that before issuing copies of these Regulations to the press or to the public, you will be good enough to cause to be inserted in the space left blank in the notice at the head thereof, the name and address of the Officer of your Government from whom copies of the documents may be obtained.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

John Kennell

VI.

A. Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors (22)	RS. 400
B. District Munsifs (30)	400

VII.

A. Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors (17)	300
B. District Munsifs (30)	300

VIII.

A. Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors (18)	250
B. District Munsifs (30)	250

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B. District Munsifs (24)	200
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Rule II.—Substitute the following :—

Vacancies in the list of Deputy Collectors shall be filled, as heretofore, mainly by selection from the Subordinate service of persons who have passed the examinations prescribed for those posts and from persons, whether in the service of Government or not, of proved merit and ability. One appointment by recruitment shall, however, be thrown open annually to competition under Rule XII.

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

[Copies of these Regulations may be obtained on application to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.]

An Open Competitive Examination for admission to the Civil Service of India will be held in London, under the subjoined Regulations, commencing on the 3rd August 1897.

The number of persons to be selected at this examination will be announced hereafter.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 31st May 1897, an application on the prescribed form, accompanied by a list of the subjects in which the candidate desires to be examined.

The order for admission to the examination will be posted on the 20th July 1897, to the address given on the form of application. It will contain instructions as to the time and place at which candidates will be required to attend, and as to the manner in which the fee (£6) is to be paid.

Civil Service Commission,
July 1896.

REGULATIONS.

** The following Regulations, made by the Secretary of State for India in Council, are liable to alteration from year to year.

1. An examination for admission to the Civil Service of India, open to all qualified persons, will be held in London in August of each year. The date of the examination and the number of appointments to be made for each Province will be announced beforehand by the Civil Service Commissioners.

2. No person will be deemed qualified who shall not satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

- (i) That he is a natural-born subject of Her Majesty.
- (ii) That his age will be above twenty-one years and under twenty-three years, on the first day of the year in which the examination is to be held.

[N.B.—In the case of Natives of India it will be necessary for a candidate to obtain a certificate of age and nationality signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the Province, or the Commissioner of the Division within which his family resides, or should he reside in a Native State, by the highest Political Officer accredited to the State in which his family resides.]

- (iii) That he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for the Civil Service of India.
- (iv) That he is of good moral character.

3. Should the evidence upon the above points be *prima facie* satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, the candidate, on payment of the prescribed fee, will be admitted to the examination. The Commissioners may however in their discretion at any time prior to the grant of the certificate of qualification hereinafter referred to, institute such further inquiries as they may deem necessary; and if the result of such inquiries, in the case of any candidate, should be unsatisfactory to them in any of the above respects, he will be ineligible for admission to the Civil Service of India, and, if already selected, will be removed from the position of a probationer.

4. The Open Competitive Examination will take place only in the following branches of knowledge :—

	Marks.
English Composition	500
Sanskrit Language and Literature	500
Arabic Language and Literature	500
Greek Language and Literature	750
Latin Language and Literature	750
English Language and Literature (including special period named by the Commissioners) (a)	500
French Language and Literature	500
German Language and Literature	500
Mathematics (pure and applied)	900
Advanced Mathematical subjects (pure and applied)	900
Natural Science, <i>i.e.</i> , any number not exceeding three of the following subjects :—	

(a) In the syllabus referred to in Note (c).

Elementary Chemistry and Elementary Physics	600	Marks.
(N.B. — This subject may not be taken up by those who offer either Higher Chemistry or Higher Physics.)		
Higher Chemistry	600	1,800
Higher Physics	600	
Geology	600	
Botany	600	
Zoology	600	
Animal Physiology	600	
Greek History (Ancient, including Constitution)	400	
Roman History (Ancient, including Constitution)	400	
English History	500	
General Modern History (period to be selected by candidates from list in the syllabus issued by the Commissioners, one period at least to include Indian History (a))	500	
Logic and Mental Philosophy (Ancient and Modern)	400	
Moral Philosophy (Ancient and Modern)	400	
Political Economy and Economic History	500	
Political Science (including Analytical Jurisprudence, the Early History of Institutions, and Theory of Legislation)	500	
Roman Law	500	
English Law. Under the head of "English Law" shall be included the following subjects, viz.:		
(1) Law of Contract; (2) Law of Evidence; (3) Law of the Constitution; (4) Criminal Law; (5) Law of Real Property; and of these five subjects candidates shall be at liberty to offer any four, but not more than four	500	

Candidates are at liberty to name any or all of these branches of knowledge. (b) No subjects are obligatory.

5. The merit of the persons examined will be estimated by marks; and the number set opposite to each branch in the preceding regulation denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it.

6. The marks assigned to candidates in each branch will be subject to such deduction as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary (c) in order to secure that "a candidate be allowed no credit at all for taking up a subject in which he is a mere smatterer."

7. The examination will be conducted on paper and *visd voce*, as may be deemed necessary.

8. The marks obtained by each candidate, in respect of each of the subjects in which he shall have been examined, will be added up, and the names of the several candidates who shall have obtained, after the deduction above mentioned, a greater aggregate number of marks than any of the remaining candidates, will be set forth in order of merit, and such candidates shall be deemed to be selected candidates for the Civil Service of India, provided they appear to be in other respects duly qualified. Should any of the selected candidates become disqualified, the Secretary of State for India will determine whether the

(a) See Note (c).

(b) A syllabus, defining in general terms the character of the examination in the various subjects, may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission.

(c) No deduction will be made from the marks assigned to candidates in Mathematics or English Composition.

vacancy thus created shall be filled up or not. In the former case, the candidate next in order of merit, and in other respects duly qualified, shall be deemed to be a selected candidate. A candidate entitled to be deemed a selected candidate, but declining to accept the nomination as such, which may be offered to him, will be disqualified for any subsequent competition.

9. Selected candidates before proceeding to India will be on probation for one year, at the end of which time they will be examined, with a view of testing their progress in the following subjects (d):—

Compulsory—	Marks.
(1) Indian Penal Code and Criminal Procedure Code	500
(2) The principal Vernacular Language of the Province to which the candidate is assigned	400
(3) The Indian Evidence Act and the Indian Contract Act	500
Optional. [Not more than two of the following subjects, of which one must be either the Code of Civil Procedure or Hindu and Muhammadan Law.]—	
(1) The Code of Civil Procedure	400
(2) Hindu and Muhammadan Law	450
* (3) Sanskrit	400
* (4) Arabic	400
(5) Persian	400
(6) History of British India	350
(7) Chinese (for candidates assigned to the Province of Burma only)	400

In this examination, as in the open competition, the merit of the candidates examined will be estimated by marks (which will be subject to deductions in the same way as the marks assigned at the open competition), and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it. The examination will be conducted on paper and *visd voce*, as may be deemed necessary. This examination will be held at the close of the year of probation, and will be called the "Final Examination."

10. The selected candidates will also be tested during their probation as to their proficiency in riding.

The examinations in riding will be held as follows:—

(1) Shortly after the result of the Open Competitive Examination has been declared, or at such time or times as the Commissioners may appoint during the course of the probationary year.

(2) Again, at the time of the Final Examination, candidates who may fully satisfy the Commissioners of their ability to ride well and to perform journeys on horseback, shall receive a certificate which shall entitle them to be credited with 200 or 100 marks, according to the degree of proficiency displayed, to be added to their marks in the Final Examination.

(3) Candidates who fail to obtain this certificate, but who gain a certificate of minimum proficiency in riding, will be allowed to proceed to India, but will be subjected on their arrival to such further tests in riding as may be prescribed by their Government, and shall receive no increase to their initial salary until they have passed such tests to the satisfaction of that Government. A candidate who fails at the end of the year of probation to gain at least the certificate of minimum proficiency in riding, will be liable to have his name removed from the list of selected candidates.

(d) Instructions, showing the extent of the examination, will be issued to the successful candidates as soon as possible after the result of the open competition is declared.

* These subjects may not be offered by any candidate who has offered them at the open competition.

11. The selected candidates who, at the Final Examination, shall be found to have a competent knowledge of the subjects specified in Regulation 9, and who shall have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of nationality, age, health, character, and ability to ride, shall be certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India, provided they shall comply with the regulations in force, at the time, for that Service.

12. Persons desirous to be admitted as candidates must apply on forms, which may be obtained from "The Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.," at any time after the 1st December, in the year previous to that in which the examination is to be held. The forms must be returned so as to be received at the office of the Civil Service Commissioners on or before the 31st May (or, if that date should fall upon a Sunday or public holiday, then, on or before the first day thereafter on which their office is open), in the year in which the examination is to be held.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements:—

(i) Selected candidates will be allotted to the various provinces upon a consideration of all the circumstances, including their own wishes; but the requirements of the Public Service will rank before every other consideration.

(ii) An allowance amounting to £100 will be given to all candidates who pass their probation at one of the Universities or Colleges which have been approved by the Secretary of State, viz., the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, Dublin, Glasgow, Edinburgh, St. Andrew's, and Aberdeen; Victoria University, Manchester; University College, London; and King's College, London; provided such candidates shall have passed the Final Examination to the satisfaction of the Civil Service Commissioners, and shall have conducted themselves well and complied with such rules as may be laid down for the guidance of selected candidates. The whole probation must ordinarily be passed at the same institution. Migration will not be permitted except for special reasons approved by the Secretary of State.

(iii) The allowance of £100 will not be paid to any selected candidate until he has been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India; and every certificated candidate must, before receiving his allowance, give a written undertaking to refund the amount in the event of his failing to proceed to India.

(iv) All candidates obtaining certificates will be also required to enter into covenants, by which, amongst other things, they will bind themselves to make such payments as under the rules and regulations for the time being in force, they may be required to make towards their own pensions or for the pensions of their families. The stamps payable on these covenants amount to £1.

(v) The seniority in the Civil Service of India of the selected candidates will be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from the combined marks of the Open Competitive and Final Examinations.

(vi) Selected candidates will be required to report their arrival in India within such period after the grant of their certificate of qualification as the Secretary of State may in each case direct.

(vii) Candidates rejected at the Final Examination held in any year will in no case be allowed to present themselves for re-examination.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA: CLERKSHIPS (CLASS I) IN THE HOME CIVIL SERVICE; AND EASTERN CADETSHIPS.

[Copies of this Syllabus may be obtained on application to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.]

SYLLABUS SHOWING THE EXTENT OF THE EXAMINATION IN CERTAIN SUBJECTS.

English Composition.—An essay to be written on one of several subjects specified by the Civil Service Commissioners on their examination paper.

English Language and Literature.—The examination will be in two parts. In the one the candidates will be expected to show a general acquaintance with the course of English Literature, as represented (mainly) by the following writers in verse and prose, between the reign of Edward III. and the accession of Queen Victoria:

Verse.—Chaucer, Langland, Spenser, Shakespeare, Milton, Dryden, Pope, Gray, Collins, Johnson, Goldsmith, Crabbe, Cowper, Campbell, Wordsworth, Scott, Byron, Coleridge, Shelley, Keats.

Prose.—Bacon, Sir Thomas Browne, Milton, Cowley, Bunyan, Dryden, Swift, Defoe, Addison, Johnson, Burke, Scott, Macaulay (Essays and Biographies).

A minute knowledge of the works of these authors will not be looked for in this part of the examination, which will, however, test how far the candidates have studied the chief productions of the greatest English writers in themselves, and are acquainted with the leading characteristics of their thought and style, and with the place which each of them occupies in the history of English literature. Candidates will also be expected to show that they have studied in these authors the history of the English language in respect of its vocabulary, syntax, and prosody.

The other part of the examination will relate to one of the periods named below, which will follow each other year by year in the order indicated.

1.	A.D. 1600 to A.D. 1700
(1897)	[Shakespeare to Dryden]
2.	A.D. 1700 to A.D. 1800
(1898)	[Pope to Cowper]
3.	A.D. 1800 to A.D. 1832
(1899)	[Nineteenth Century writers to the death of Scott]
4.	A.D. 1360 to A.D. 1600
(1900)	[Chaucer to Spenser]

The examination in this part will require from candidates a more minute acquaintance with the history of the English language and literature, as illustrated in the chief works produced in each period, and will be based to a considerable extent, but by no means exclusively, on certain books specified each year by the Commissioners.* The names placed under the dates are intended to suggest the general character of the literary development of the period, and, consequently, the natural limits of the examination. All the works of Shakespeare, for example, will be regarded as falling within the period 1600 to 1700; all the works of Swift within the period 1700 to 1800; all the works of Scott and Wordsworth, and all the works of Macaulay within the period 1800 to 1832.

French Language and Literature.—Translation from French into English, and from English into French. Critical questions on the French Language and Literature.

German Language and Literature.—Translation from German into English, and from English into German. Critical questions on the German Language and Literature.

Latin Language and Literature.—Translation from Latin into English, Composition in Prose and Verse, or (as an alternative for Verse-Composition) a Latin Essay or Letter. Critical questions on

* The books for 1897 are—

Shakespeare: Richard III., Antony and Cleopatra.
Ben Jonson: Alchemist, Cynthia's Revels.
Milton: Paradise Lost.
Andrew Marvell: Poems.
Dryden: Absalom and Achitophel.
Bacon: Essays.
Browne, Sir Thomas: Religio Medici.

the Latin Language (including questions on Philology) and Literature.

Greek Language and Literature.—Translation from Greek into English, Composition in Prose and Verse, or (as an alternative for Verse-Composition) a Greek Dialogue or Oration. Critical questions on the Greek Language (including questions on Philology) and Literature.

Sanskrit Language and Literature.—Translation from Sanskrit into English, and from English into Sanskrit. History of Sanskrit Literature (including knowledge of such Indian history as bears upon the subject); Sanskrit Grammar; Vedic Philology.

Arabic Language and Literature.—Translations as in Sanskrit; History of Arabic Literature; Arabic Grammar; Arabic Prosody.

English History.—General questions on English History from A.D. 800 to A.D. 1848; questions on the Constitutional History of England from A.D. 800 to A.D. 1848.

General Modern History.—Candidates may, at their choice, be examined in any one of the following periods:—

- (1) From the accession of Charlemagne to the Third Crusade. [A.D. 800 to A.D. 1193.]
 - (2) From the Third Crusade to the Diet of Worms. [A.D. 1193 to A.D. 1521.]
 - (3) From the Diet of Worms to the death of Louis XIV. [A.D. 1521 to A.D. 1715.]
 - (4) From the accession of Louis XV. to the French Revolution of 1848. [A.D. 1715 to A.D. 1848.]
- Periods 3 and 4 will include Indian History.

Greek History.—Questions on the General History of Greece to the death of Alexander; questions on the Constitutional History of Greece during the same period.

Roman History.—Questions on the General History of Rome to the death of Vespasian; questions on the Constitutional History of Rome during the same period.

In Greek and Roman History candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of the original authorities.

Mathematics.—Pure Mathematics:—Algebra, Geometry (Euclid and Geometrical Conic Sections), Plane Trigonometry, Plane Analytical Geometry (less advanced portions), Differential Calculus (Elementary), Integral Calculus (Elementary).

Applied Mathematics:—Statics, Dynamics of a Particle, Hydrostatics, Geometrical Optics; all treated without the aid of the Differential or Integral Calculus.

Advanced Mathematics.—Pure Mathematics:—Higher Algebra, including Theory of Equations, Plane and Spherical Trigonometry, Differential Calculus, Integral Calculus, Differential Equations, Analytical Geometry, Plane and Solid.

Applied Mathematics:—Statics including Attractions, Dynamics of a Particle, Rigid Dynamics, Hydromechanics, Geometrical and Physical Optics, and Geometrical Astronomy.

Political Economy and Economic History.—Candidates will be expected to possess a knowledge of economic theory as treated in the larger text-books, also a knowledge of the existing economic conditions, and of statistical methods as applied to economic inquiries, together with a general knowledge of the history of industry, land tenure and economic legislation in the United Kingdom.

Logic and Mental Philosophy (Ancient and Modern).—Logic will include both Deductive and Inductive Logic. Mental Philosophy will include Psychology and Metaphysics.

Political Science.—The examination will not be confined to Analytical Jurisprudence, Early Institutions, and Theory of Legislation, but may embrace Comparative Politics, the History of Political Theories, &c.

Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of original authorities.

Civil Service Commission,
21st July 1896.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

[Copies of this Application Form may be obtained on application to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.]

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1897.

FORM TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES FOR EXAMINATION.

* * The order for admission to the examination will not be issued unless this form, filled up by the candidate himself, is received by the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission on or before the 31st May 1897.

Date

SIR,—I beg to inform you that I wish to be a candidate at the examination for the Civil Service of India, which is appointed to commence in London on the 3rd of August 1897.

I hereby declare that I was born on the day of 18, and that therefore my age was above 21 years and under 23 years on the 1st of January 1897; I also declare that I have no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting me, or likely to unfit me, for the Civil Service of India; and that I am of good moral character, and otherwise eligible under the Regulations.

This should be given on the form attached.

Candidates who are not Natives of India should strike out this paragraph.

Candidates not born within the British Dominions should state this fact in a separate letter.

* If you have never been examined, insert here the word "never."

† If you have been examined, give the date, &c., of the last occasion.

I send herewith a statement of the subjects in which I desire to be examined.

I also send herewith a certificate of my birth issued under notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August 1888.

I have also to state, with reference to Section 2, Clause (i) of the Regulations, that I am a natural-born subject of Her Majesty.

I have also to state that I was * examined before the Civil Service Commissioners in the month of † in the year 18, as a candidate for the situation of

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Name in full

Address to which it is desired that the order for examination should be sent. †

Date

To the Secretary,
Civil Service Commission.

No certificates of age, health, and character, except as mentioned above, should be supplied until the result of the examination is known.

† If a London address, state the postal district; if a country address, state the post town.

If candidates who fill up and return this application form do not receive an acknowledgment of it within four complete days, they should write to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

N.B.—Attention is drawn to the annexed form, which must be filled up by every candidate.

EVIDENCE OF AGE TO BE REQUIRED FROM CANDIDATES FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

I. Every candidate born in the United Kingdom should be prepared to produce, when required, a certificate from the Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, or from one of his provincial officers. This certificate may be obtained from the Registrar-General in London, Dublin or Edinburgh, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the District in which the birth took place.

II. A candidate born of European parents in India should be prepared to produce, when required, a certificate of baptism from the district in which he was baptised. If this does not also mention the date of birth it should be accompanied by a statutory declaration by one of the candidate's parents, stating the date and place of birth. When such certificates are not in the possession of the candidates an extract from the registers kept at the India Office will probably be obtainable.

III. A candidate who is a Native of India must, before he can be admitted to the competition, have his age and nationality certified by the Government of India, or of the Presidency or Province in which he may have resided.

[No certificates except those issued under notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August 1888, will be accepted for this competition.]

Except as noted in paragraphs II and III, every candidate who proves to be successful is expected to produce a certificate of birth. The Civil Service Commissioners will not in ordinary cases accept a certificate of baptism, or other testimony, unless they are first satisfied that a certificate of birth cannot be procured.

Official certificates of birth may generally be obtained as follows:—

- (a) For persons born in England or Wales since 30th June 1837.—From the Registrar-General, Somerset House, London, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the district in which the birth took place.
- (b) For persons born in Scotland since 31st December 1854.—From the General Register Office, Edinburgh; or from the Registrar of the parish or district in which the birth took place.
- (c) For persons born in Ireland since 31st December 1863.—From the General Register Office, Dublin; or from the Superintendent Registrar of the district in which the birth took place.
- (d) For persons of English, Scottish or Irish parentage born on board British ships since the dates mentioned in (a), (b), and (c), respectively.—From the General Register Office, London, Edinburgh, or Dublin, according to parentage.
- (e) For persons born in India of European parents.—From the India Office, London.

Any candidate who cannot produce a certificate of birth from one of the authorities named should, if possible, procure a certificate of baptism, and should then apply to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, for further instructions.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1897.

SELECTION OF SUBJECTS TO BE FILLED UP AND RETURNED WITH THE FORM OF APPLICATION.

* * Place your initials against the subjects which you select, and sign your name in the place indicated below.

INITIALS.

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| | English Composition. |
| | Sanskrit Language and Literature. |
| | Arabic Language and Literature. |
| ..... | Greek Language and Literature. |
| ..... | Latin Language and Literature. |
| ..... | English Language and Literature. |
| ..... | French Language and Literature. |
| ..... | German Language and Literature. |
| ..... | Mathematics (pure and applied). |
| ..... | Advanced Mathematical Subjects (pure and applied). |
| ..... | Natural Science, viz.:— |
| ..... | † Elementary Chemistry and Elementary Physics. |
| ..... | [N.B.—This subject may not be taken up by those who offer either Higher Chemistry or Higher Physics.] |
| ..... | † Higher Chemistry. |
| ..... | † Higher Physics. |
| ..... | † Geology. |
| ..... | † Botany. |
| ..... | † Zoology. |
| ..... | † Animal Physiology. |
| ..... | Greek History. |
| ..... | Roman History. |
| ..... | English History. |
| ..... | General Modern History. |
| ..... | Period |
| ..... | Logic and Mental Philosophy. |
| ..... | Moral Philosophy. |
| ..... | Political Economy and Economic History. |
| ..... | Political Science. |
| ..... | Roman Law. |
| ..... | English Law. |

In addition to the Written Examination there will be an Oral Examination in each of the subjects marked thus †, and a Practical Examination in each of the subjects marked thus ‡.

The Oral Examinations in Modern Languages being intended as colloquial tests, no marks will be given at them to candidates who are not able to converse.

Any candidate who wishes to decline the Oral Examination or the Practical Examination in any of the subjects selected by him should state this in the blank space below—

Signature

Date

To the Secretary,

Civil Service Commission,
London, S.W.

PAPERS FOR PRESS.

No. 478.—The following list of papers, placed at the disposal of the Press between the 8th and 15th September 1896, is published for general information:—

No. on the List.	Department.	Subject.
1	Public	Madras Provincial Civil Service. — Making certain alterations in the rules for admission to the —, and forwarding copy of the Proceedings to the Government of India.
2	Revenue	Passing orders on papers regarding the revision of assessment on the lands commanded by the Barur Tank project, Salem district.
3	"	Permitting the Mysore Durbar to construct and maintain the portion of the Chelur-Chintamani road which crosses the intervening British territory, subject to the condition that the jurisdiction of the British Government over the land taken up by the road is in nowise interfered with, and requesting the Board of Revenue to instruct the Collector of Cuddapah to take the necessary steps in connection therewith.
4	"	Communicating to the Board of Revenue, with remarks, letter from the Government of India expressing its views on the subject of the grant of refund on account of spoiled stamps.
5	"	Ordering to be forwarded to the Government of India Board's Proceedings submitting report on the working of the Merchandise Marks Act during 1895-96.
6	"	Approving the block rules under the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal as modified by the Board of Revenue.
7	Local and Municipal.	Administration report.—Reviewing the — of the Guntur Municipal Council for 1895-96.
8	"	Administration report.—Reviewing the — of the Berhampur Municipal Council for 1895-96.
9	"	Administration report.—Reviewing the — of the Vellore Municipal Council for 1895-96.
10	"	Administration report.—Reviewing the — of the Tinnevely Municipal Council for 1895-96.
11	"	Administration report.—Reviewing the — of the Ootacamund Municipal Council for 1895-96.

N.B.—A copy of any of the foregoing papers can be obtained, on payment, on application to the Superintendent, Government Press.

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE.

No. 374.—Mr. A. G. Cardew, I.C.S., privilege leave for three months from or after the 20th September 1896, under article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 375.—M.R.Ry. S. Gopala Chariyar Avargal, Subordinate Judge of Tinnevely, extraordinary

leave without allowances from the 21st August to the 3rd September 1896.

APPOINTMENT.

Ootacamund, September 11, 1896.

No. 376.—Mr. Edward Holroyd Gadsden to act as Inspector-General of Prisons.

REGISTRATION—APPOINTMENT.

Ootacamund, September 15, 1896.

No. 377.—The following appointment of District Registrar is made:—

Name of officer.	Present grade.	Grade to which appointed or promoted.	Nature of appointment or promotion.	Remarks showing cause of vacancy, &c.
M.R.Ry. Sriperambudur Gaddam Rangachari, B.A.	Sub-Registrar, 1st Grade.	Registrar, 6th Grade.	Acting	During the absence of M.R.Ry. L. Rama Rao Garu on leave. This cancels the acting appointment of M.R.Ry. P. Perumal Pillai notified on page 926 of Part I of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated 4th August 1896.

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