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G.O., No. 565

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[Despatch Abstract.]

According to R. F. Austin & Co.
as a special case, and then chance
completing the Higher Standard.
Examination, warning him that
if he fails at the next exam he will
be suspended.

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Public
Revenue (189⁹) Department.



CURRENT No.

From

The Board of Revenue, Land
Revenue, Madras.

No. 1482 Misc.

Dated 5th May 1899

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Order

SUBJECT.

Submitting to Government with re-
marks letter from the Collector of Mala-
bar forwarding the explanation of Mr.R.F.
Austin, I.C.S. regarding his failure to
complete the Higher Standard examination.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
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FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Malabar Head assistant Collector
Office Calicut 18th April 1899.

From,

P. J. Austin Esq.

As Head assistant Collector

To, The Chief Secretary
Government
Thru The Collector of Malabar
Calicut

Sir,

I have the honor to
acknowledge receipt this day of
G.O. No. 394 Public dated 5th April 1899
and to submit my explanation
called for in para 3.

2. I intended to apply for
privilege leave in July or August
last, but was prevented by learning
that Mr. Vibert, then Special assis-
-tant Collector of this district,
whose service gave him a superior

claim.

claim, wished to go in July. Accordingly I took 3 months privilege leave on his return in October, and returned to India after the last Assistant Examination was over.

3. I appeared in July last for examination in evidence and medical jurisprudence and passed. This subject has now been eliminated.

4. I find Revenue a difficult matter to take up as I have been all my service in Malabar except for 3 months in a Zamindari division (Ramanad).

5. I shall appear however for examination my three remaining subjects in July, and expect to pass in them.

6. I respectfully request that in case my explanation be not accepted and I am ordered

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to revert Government will be pleased to allow me to remain in charge of the Head Assistant Collector's office.

I have the honour
Sir,
your most obedient servant

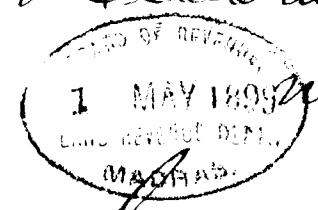
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From.

The Head assistant Collector
Malabar.



To, The Chief Secretary to
Government
 thro the Collector of Malabar
Calicut

Dated 18 } April 1899.
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Subject.

Submit explanation
Called for in para 3 of
G.O. n. 394 dated
3rd April 1899.

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Submitted to the Board of Revenue,
(Land Revenue), Madras.

2. Mr Austin might have pleaded,
though he has not done so, that the order
of Government granting him leave up to
a date subsequent to the examination, ~~ipso~~
facto excused him from appearing
for it.

3. Without however laying undue
stress on this technicality, I would
respectfully beg that Mr Austin may be
left where he is until the result of the
next examination is known. Mr Austin
has been doing very good work, and no
officer who is sent in his place is likely
to do so well, because he will be new
to the ^{District} ~~District~~.

4. The difficulty of passing
in Revenue from this District is well
known to the Board and Government. Many
of the standing orders &c, which are learned
by an Assistant Collector in other District
in the ordinary

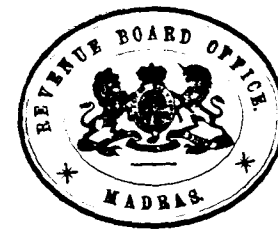
in the ordinary course of his every day work,
Convey no meaning to the Malabar official—
European or native — and have to be
learned by rote and repeated like a parrot.
I speak from personal experience.

Malabar Collector's office
Camp Cannanore 24th April 1899

S. S. S.
Collector.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue).

No. 1432 Misc., dated 5th May 1899.

Read letter from R.F. Austin Esquire, Acting Head
Assistant Collector, Malabar, Ref^{no} No. 129/1899 dated 18th April
1899, to the Chief Secretary to Government through the Collec-
tor of Malabar, ~~Collector~~, and the Endorsement of G.W. Dance Esq^r,
Collector of Malabar, End. No. 360/P-99 dated 24th April
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Resolution

Submitted to Government.

2. The Board is not aware when Government Order No. 1133
Public dated 14th September 1898 was communicated to Mr. Aus-
tin but it was no doubt subsequent to the issue of the Fort
Saint George Gazette dated 20th September notifying the grant
to him of three months' privilege leave from the 18th October
1898.
3. In the circumstances the Board recommends that Mr. Austin
be permitted to appear for the ensuing examination in July
next, and that the disposition of any penalty be held in abey-
ance until the results of that examination are known.

(True Extract)

Amel Davidson
Ag. Secretary.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department,

with Mr. Austin's explanation of Collector's

M.R.N.

Enclosed to Mr. Austin.

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C. No 1372 From the Mr R F Austin L.R.S. Ref No. 129, dated 18-5-1899

Quot .. the Collector of Malabar Extra Cdn 450, 20-4-1899
P. 95

Proceedings .. Bd of Revue (L.R.) .. 1462ms .. 5-5-1899

For orders

H.M. v. C.M.

Mr R. F. Austin's explanation of his failure to pass the Higher Standard examination is submitted for orders with reference to para 3 of G.O. No 394 Public, dated the 5th ultimo, and to the notes at in that order. From the statement printed at page 3 of that G.O. it will be seen that Mr Austin has to pass in divisions C, D & E of the Higher Standard i.e. in Revenue Law, Principles of Revenue Settlement and Survey Manual.

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READ AGAIN G.O., No. 189, DATED 1899

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