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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 20th December 1866.

No. 378. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th December 1866, No. 8,680.

Read the following letter from the Collector of the Kistna District, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Masulipatam, 7th November 1866, No. 371:—

1. I have the honor to inform you that S. Naganna Naidoo, whom I have appointed as Head Accountant, has not passed the Special Test Examination, on which account the Accountant General has disallowed his pay for August 1866.

2. From the enclosed Extract from Register of Service, the Board will see that S. Naganna Naidoo has been an Accountant in the Public Works Department for the last eleven years, and I, therefore, beg that the Board will be pleased to exempt him from the examination.

3. He was recommended to me in the highest terms by the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division, in whose Office he filled the post of Head Clerk on 70 Rupees, and his conduct, since he joined the Office, has been unexceptionable.

Enclosure No. 1.—Register of Service.

1. The Board cannot recommend that the Head Accountant should be exempted from the prescribed examination. They observe that Naganna Naidoo's services have hitherto been in the Department of Public Works, and it is essential that the person holding the office of Head Accountant in the Collector's Office should be well acquainted with the system of Revenue Accounts and the various Manuals, which form the test required of Accountants.

2. The Board, accordingly, resolve to recommend to Government that the appointment of Naganna Naidoo be made conditional on his passing the examination at the next Special Test Examination, to be held in 1867.

No. 379. Order thereon, 20th December 1866, No. 3,445.

Miscellaneous.

Sanctioned, as it appears that no candidate belonging to the Kistna District passed the Account Test in 1865.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.
,, the Commissioner for Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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2nd Accountant

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