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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
3rd July 1875.*

No. 41. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th June 1875, Miscellaneous No. 4,976 :—

Read the following letter from W. D. HORSLEY, Esq., Collector of Cuddapah, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 13th May 1875, No. 109.

I REG that the Board will recommend that Adanki Venkatachellum Pantalu, Second or Magisterial Clerk in the Head Assistant Collector's Office, be exempted from passing the General Test.

2. Venkatachellum knows English very well, having received his education many years ago in the Cuddapah Zillah School. Since entering the Uncovenanted Service fourteen years ago, he has been so perpetually employed on heavy office-work that he has not had time to study for the test. He was at first employed as a Taluq Gumastah and Inspector of Police when his opportunities of keeping up what he had learnt at school were very small. He was next brought upon the Head Assistant Collector's establishment. The office is a small one. The Head Clerk was unacquainted with English, and consequently all the work fell upon Venkatachellum, because he knew English. By this time he had forgotten all the Geography and History he had learnt at school. He went up several times for the General Test, and always failed in these subjects.

3. Venkatachellum is a very smart and intelligent man. He is in every way qualified to rise in the service. It is very hard that ignorance of such subjects as History and Geography should be allowed to stand in his way, particularly as it is not his fault that he is weak in those subjects.

4. Enclosed is a list of Venkatachellum's services.

THE Collector's recommendation will be submitted for the favorable consideration of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

No. 42. ORDER THEREON, 3rd July 1875, No. 1,003.

Miscellaneous.

THE Governor in Council is not prepared to make a general exemption in favor of Venkatachellum Pantalu from

passing the General Test. Government, however, will be prepared to entertain favorably a specific proposal for his promotion.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Ed. F. R. Bantleman.

Miscellaneous No: 4976

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 5th June 1875

Read the following:

No: 109
From W. D. Horsley Esqrs.
Collector of Buddapah
To: H. E. Stokes Esqrs.
Ag. Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Madras.

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Encs

Under C. No: 116874

GOVT. OF MADRAS

REVENUE.

FOR BOARD OF REVENUE.

Under July, 3rd.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 3rd July 1875, No. 1,003.

JULY.

Nos. 41-42.

Venkataschellum Pantulu, Second Clerk, Head
Assistant Collector's Office, Buddapah — Declining
to exempt — from passing the General Test, and
remarking that Government will be prepared to
entertain favorably a request for his
exemption.



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Service 14 years ago he has been
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Collector's office
Cuddapah
13th May 1875

I have &c
M. D. Stanley
Collector

The Collector's recommendation
will be submitted for the
favourable

favorable consideration of Govern-
-ment

Yours very truly

Wm. M. M.

Asst. Secretary

To
The Secretary of Government
Revenue Dept.
with service list the returns

Edw. M. M.
Charles M. M.

No. 2176

From B^d of Rev

Dated 5 June 1875.

FOR ORDERS.

Not exempt.

He was for nearly

10 years & has been

drawing N. 25 p. 12

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Noted 5th June 1875

Recd. 5th June 1875

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Substantive for

the Account Executive

of Government Collection

Letter recommending him

Chellam, he reported in

in the 42nd Sect. Chellam

Office the Receipts from

paying the General Sec

Revenue.

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C/S June 15 1875

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to the Civil Coll.
adverse there
news.

press my sorry objection
these assumptions: in the
interest of the educational
standards of the U.S. If
the Coll. is prom-
oted he makes light of
geography & history - the
fact is that we want a
moderate acquaintance with
moderate acquaintance with
indicates a low educa-
tional - John M. Mac-
assumption as mischievous
We all know how nations
are prone to reflect the

within the same admission in the public service of
(suppose) I think the public interest will be served
by the concession in the case. Then by his history
on the side. The fact is that the word was not
the way is to be in the public service. I think

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exhortation with the influence
of a vague expectation of some
of the kind now under con-
sideration are thrown up -
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educational classes of these
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it is not true that educated
men cannot be led to
the opposite & that it
is proposed as dull
& adverse this man
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I think that as a special
case in consideration of the fact that strong
testimony as to his qualifications
the man's long service, the exemption may
be considered. Practically he has attained
in this case the object of the Act. viz: to

FOR ORDERS.

Being an order
in order
of the
office from the
myself

I am still of opinion
that the exemption
should be conceded.
D.S.

Per: M. of Revenue

Letter from M. of Revenue regarding that Venkata
chellam, Magistrate H. D. (not M. of Revenue), be
exempted from paying fuel test &c.

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Rev. D. H.

H. E. 5, June/75 M. S. 4576

L.H.

The Governor in
Council exempted
Adanki Venkatachellam
Pantulu, 2nd class
Head Apt (this office)
from
paying the fuel test.
A.M.

Dear Sir
28/6/75
Received by
your order
the order paper

Note. The fact of his having drawn 25 for
some years is explained by reference
to dates. He was promoted to this grade
in 1865.

Board S.D. No. 412 limits maximum
to appointments not in excess of 25 Rs.
The Govt. order which reduced the maximum
to 20. is dated 23rd October 1866. (para 13) A.M.

