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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

31st August 1877, No. 2,616.

Famine Relief.

Read the following paper:—

No. 467. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th August 1877.

Read the following letters:—

From C. T. LONGLEY, Esq., Collector of Salem, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Yercaud, 31st July 1877, No. 408-2,229 S. N.

I HAVE the honor to request that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government to the entertainment of two additional Sheristadars for the Namkal Division, one for each taluq. The Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars are all engaged in the inspection of relief-works and gratuitous relief, and additional officers are required to look after the ordinary work of the taluq as the Sheristadars are unable to get through the same in addition to their treasury work, which is also heavy at this time, money has to be sent out daily to villages &c.

2. I have nominated Streenivasiah, 2nd Gumastah in the Namkal Taluq, for the place of Additional Sheristadar of Trichengode, and M. Khadar Navaz Sahib, at present 2nd Clerk in the Sub-Collector's office, Madura, for that of Namkal Taluq. The former has nine years' service and has passed the Criminal Test, Lower Grade, and a copy of his service list is enclosed; the latter, Khadar Navaz Sahib, has passed the marginal examinations. As there are no passed candidates in the district I beg that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government to their appointment as a special case and as a temporary measure.

Revenue,	Higher.
Criminal,	do.
Precis,	do.
Translation,	Lower.

From the same Officer, dated Yercaud, 31st July 1877, No. 409-2,230 S. N.

I HAVE the honor to request that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government for the appointment of C. Vadavenayaca Moodaly as Additional Sheristadar and Sub-Magistrate of Tripatore Taluq, in this district. Magisterial work in this taluq has considerably increased; the Tahsildar and Deputy Tahsildar of the taluq are engaged in the inspection of relief-works and gratuitous of relief, which latter is now extensively dispensed owing to intensity of the distress, and they cannot attend to the ordinary work of the taluq, which is attended to by the Taluq Sheristadar. As this officer is unable to cope with the increased amount of work an additional officer is very necessary for the despatch of business. I therefore request that Government will be pleased to sanction the appointment.

2. Vadavenayaca Moodaly has not passed any of the Special Tests to qualify him for the place; but in the absence of any passed candidates in the district, and as Vedavenayaca Moodaly has a fair knowledge of criminal work, having been Magistrate's gumastah for more than eight years, I beg Government will sanction his nomination as a special case. Vedavenayaca Moodaly's service is 9½ years, and he is now the Magisterial Clerk of the Head Assistant Collector's office.

The general sanction conveyed in G.O., dated 6th October 1876, No. 1,431, was the appointment of an Additional Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate for the Tripatore, Namkal, and Trichengode Taluqs, and the sanction of Government will be requested for the appointment of men who have not passed the requisite tests under the circumstances stated.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Acting Secretary.

No. 468. ORDER THEREON, 31st August 1877, No. 2,616.

Miscellaneous.

The appointment of Additional Taluq Sheristadars does not appear to be necessary, but the appointment of the three officers named by the Collector as Temporary Deputy Tahsildars and Magistrates is sanctioned, subject, in the case of M. Khadar Navaz Sahib, to the consent of the Collector of Madura, to his taking up the appointment, being obtained. The Examination Rules are also suspended in their cases to admit of their hol[illegible] the appoint[illegible]ed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
" the Accountant-General.
" the Financial Department.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

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List of Services of Chengalput

Vedanayaca Mordaiar

From 19th July 1867 to 30th October 1873	Gumastah Parampary Salary	15 —	6. 3. 12.	Service
From 1st Novembr 1873 to 30th March 1877	English Clerk in the Coroner's Foundation Depth	20 —	3. 5. .	
	Total		9. 8. 12	

M. Pateward
Dy. Collector

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List of Service of Ramkal
Srinivasa Sys. D'Gumastah Ramkal
Taleg

From 2d June 1868 to 12th May 1871	Gumastah Trichengode Taleg	Salary 15-"	Service 2. 11. 11	
From 13th May 1871 to 31st March 1877	Do Ramkal Taleg	Do " "	5. 10. 19	
		Total	8. 10.	

A. Pitchard
Sy. Collector

From,
The Collector
of Salem
To
The Secretary to
Board of Revenue
Madras

No 7/25592

Subscribed before me
Sworn to this
Day of
Aug 1877

Estimate No 4.00/2230
Dated 31st Aug 1877

Revenue Jaunt Dept.

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Memo on J. No 6392.

Regarding appointments of certain Shanistadars in Salem District.

In this matter there are two points for determination.
1st Whether Additional Shanistadars and 3rd Class Magistrates should be appointed in Salem.
2nd Whether the individuals named should be appointed.

As to the 1st the Collector bases his proposition on the fact that the Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars are engaged on relief works, and the Shanistadars of the Taluks of the Namakal Division-two in number, and of Tirpatore are therefore discharging the "ordinary duties" of the Taluk which cannot be done in addition to the heavy Treasury work entailed on them by famine payments

payments &c. The ordinary duties seem to be especially Magisterial duties from his second letter. A Sheristadar's duties are two-fold, partly Revenue and partly Magisterial. A Joint Officer, as proposed by the Collector, will discharge part of each of these duties. This is highly objectionable, as it divides the responsibility for the safe custody of the public money and the due accounting for it on the Revenue side, and on the Magisterial creates two officers of equal powers and concurrent jurisdiction which may very possibly lead to much confusion. A more easy course seems to be to relieve the Sheristadar of his Magisterial functions and appoint an extra Deputy Tahsildar and Magistrate who can be employed on Magisterial duties above as has been done elsewhere.

The Collector proposes three men.

1. Shanmiasiah.
2. M. Khadir Navaz Sahb.
3. Vadamnayaca Moodely

The 1st and 3rd are unpassed men the 2nd has passed the required Tests. He is however now employed in Madura and the officers of that District have not been asked whether he can be spared.

The position of matters with reference to unpassed men stands thus. By the General Rules no man can be promoted permanently or temporarily to a Grade in the Public Service till he has passed the Test for it. This rule was found very inconvenient on the first issue commencing, and by G.O. 29th November 1850, No 1851, the examination rules were relaxed "in Kurnool temporarily as to "all temporary appointments

and

and filling up of consequent vacancies. In G.O. 4th December 1876, No 1896, the examination rules were suspended as regards all temporary appointments in connection with relief works and vacancies consequent thereon. G.O. 5th December 876 No 1920 confirms the [illegible] and declines to give it permanent effect. Subsequently again in G.O. 9th April 1877, No 1372 B, the District of Nellore is exempted as to certain appointments. It is observed however that in none of these cases was the appointment in question of more value than 40 Rs. and in none were Magisterial functions to be discharged. Unless Government are prepared therefore to extend the concession as to exemption much further than has hitherto been done, the appointments

of

of the 1st and 3rd men proposed are objectionable.

Orders are requested.

13/8/77

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Abstract
for Orders
Regarding appointt
of Fantan Abdul Gh
Motardar in Salsette
Distt.

A 6392

Revenue Department

No 3692

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 8th August 1877

Read the following.

I/R No 408/2229

From

The Collector of
Salsette

To

The Secretary to the Board of

Sir

I have the honor to request that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government to the entertainment of two additional Sheristadars for the Nawkal Division one for each Taluq - The Tahsildars &

Deputy

Deputy Tahsildars are all engaged in the inspection of Relief works and gratuitous Relief, and additional officers are required to look after the ordinary work of the Taluq as the Sheristadars are unable to get through the same in addition to their Treasury work which is also heavy at this time, money having to be sent out daily to Villages &c.

2. I have nominated Streevivasiah 2nd Gumastah in the Namkal Taluq for the place of Additional Sheristadar of Trichengode, and M. Khadir Nawaz Saib at present 2nd Clerk in the Sub-Collector's office Madura for that of Namkal Taluq. The former has 9 years service and has passed the criminals Test Lower grade and a copy of his service list is enclosed. The latter Khadir Nawaz Saib has passed the marginal Examinations. As there are no passed candidates in the District I beg that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government to their appointment as a special case and as a temporary measure.

Penmanship Higher
Criminal Higher
Precis Higher
Translation Lower

I have &c.

Salem Collectors office
Camp Jeerandi 31st July 1877

(Sd) C. F. Longley
Collector

Read

Read also the following:-

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To No 409/2230

From

The Collector of

Salem

To

The Secretary to the Board

of Revenue Madras

Sir

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-dates in the District and as
Vedanayagea Moodely has a
fair knowledge of criminal
work having been Magistrate
Gumastah for more than 8
years I beg Government will
sanction his nomination as
a special case. Vedanayagea
Moodely's services is 9 1/2 years
and he is now the Magisterial
Clerk of the Head Assistant
Collector's office.

I have &c

Salem Collr's office camp Yercaud 31st July 1877.

(Sd) C. I. Longley
Collector

The general sanction
conveyed in G. O. dated 6th October
1876 No 1431 was the appointment

of an additional Deputy Tahsildar
and Sub Magistrate for the Tripa-
tore, Vaniyambadi and Trichengode
taluqs and the sanction of
Government will be requested
for the appointment of men
who have not passed the requi-
-site Tests under the circumstances
stated.

(True copies & Extract)

A. Clerk
Asst Secretary.

To

The Addl Secretary to Govt
Revs Depart with 2 Service lists to the
related

2nd Assistant 1434
Dy Collr

Rec. 11th Sept.

Answd

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

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