

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1482

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
3rd July 1867.*

No. 61. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th June 1867, No. 3,950.

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Madras, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydapet, 13th June 1867, No. 169 :—

One Shadagopa Mudali, formerly employed in the Madras Income Tax Office, has been appointed by Mr. Winscom as a Clerk on Rupees 50 in the Madras License Tax Office. He has not passed the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examination; as the appointment is but a temporary one, I have the honour to request sanction for retaining him in the appointment without passing the necessary Test.

The Board do not consider that the Examination Rules apply to temporary appointments of the nature of that under reference. An order of Government to this effect will accordingly be requested.

No. 62. ORDER THEREON, 3rd July 1867, No. 1,484.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government see no sufficient reason for depriving persons who have taken the trouble to qualify themselves for public employment by passing the tests, of the preferential right to even temporary employment, which they may fairly assert over unpassed men.

2. The rules must apply to all employment alike. The Board have been vested with discretionary power to appoint unpassed men for temporary purposes, where good cause exists for doing so.

3. In the particular case above reported, the man's former experience in the Income Tax Department is a sufficient reason for giving him the preference over others not so qualified.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

„ the Accountant General.

„ the Commissioner for Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations.

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