

Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 2749

DATED 31st May

[Despatch Abstract.]

Informing Mr. Thacker that being
since not qualified by examination
he cannot be appointed as Mr. Coll.

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Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No.

From H. A. Sim Esq.

Order

No.

Dated 7th May 1897

Received 10th

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SUBJECT.

Re: Memorial from Mr. A. D. Zacheus Vakil High Court, Madras praying for the date of 24 Collector's.

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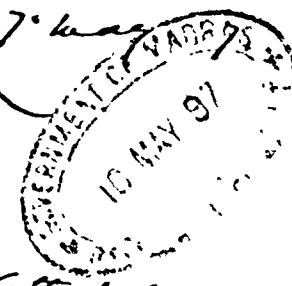


My dear Sir,
Very truly yours,

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Adnamund

7 May 97



With reference to the enclosed, His Excellency wishes you to ascertain from the applicant what qualifications he possesses, and what his age is. His Excellency remembers to have seen him at breakfast one day last year; & the impression left on his mind is that the applicant would not be a suitable person for a Deputy Collector.

Yours sincerely,

W. H. D. S.

To

HIS EXCELLENCY THE HONORABLE
SIR ARTHUR ELIBANK HAVELOCK, G. C. M. G.,
Governor of Madras.

The humble Memorial of Alfred
D. Zaccheus, Vakil, High Court,
Madras.

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH,

That your Memorialist is a Native Christian of respectable parentage and is the son of J. Zaccheus, Esq., Principal and Manager of Black Town High School, Madras, and a member of the Free Church Mission.

2. That he received all his education from the Madras Christian College and graduated from the same. That he was till 1893 Head Master of Harris High School a Muhammadan Institution and on his having passed the B. L. Examination in 1893 took to Legal Profession and has since been practising as a Vakil of the High Court, Madras.

3. That on his having applied to your Excellency's predecessor for an appointment as Deputy Collector he was directed to pass the Revenue Higher Test which is not in the curriculum of the B. L. Degree and to report the same to him which he passed creditably securing the fourth place in the 1st Class.

4. That as his having passed the Revenue Higher did not take place during the regime of His Excellency the Honorable Lord Wenlock he could not remind him of the same but in the breakfast day last year he in conjunction with his father had an interview with His Excellency when all his claims and references were presented to your Excellency.

5. That he is prepared to pass any of the minor Technical Examination within a year if he is posted a Deputy Collector in any of the Tamil speaking Districts.

6. That considering the paucity of Native Christians in public service and considering the marked attention the backward class have received from His Excellency's Hands the petitioner hopes at no distant date his claims will be duly considered and that he would be offered a place in the Revenue or Judicial Department

For which act of kindness Your Memorialist shall ever pray.

MADRAS,
6th May 1897. }

A. D. Zaccheus
Vakil - High Court
Madras.

TESTIMONIALS.

CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY.
Madras, 26th June 1891.

I certify that Mr. A. D. Zaccheus, B.A., B.L., has been employed in the Harris School for Nine years during the last two of which he has been in charge of it. He has performed his duties to my satisfaction and I believe him to be thoroughly honest and trustworthy man.

(Signed) EDW. SELL,
Secretary.

ROYAPETTAH,
16th March 1891.

Mr. A. D. Zaccheus was Head-master of Harris High School under me from March 1886 till I resigned my post of Principal in December 1890. During that period he was successful in raising the numbers and efficiency of the School and I hope he will continue under my successor and prosper still more. He won the esteem of teachers' and boys and his knowledge of Departmental Rules and customs was a great help to me in my correspondence with government. He is a Science man and a good instructor in Science and English and superintended the school Registers in a way that always gave satisfaction to the Inspector. The number of candidates that have passed the various Examinations is a proof of how well he pushed the boys through.

(Signed) M. G. GOLDSMITH,
Late Principal.
Harris School.

MADRAS,
11th June 1888.

Mr. Alfred D. Zaccheus, B.A. has been known to me from his boyhood. As a student in the Christian College he conducted himself with propriety and did his work with diligence and success. He is a young man of good character. He has had considerable experience as a teacher in which profession I wish him all prosperity.

(Signed) GEORGE MILLNE RAE, M.A.

Mr. A. D. Zaccheus, B.A. has been the permanent 1st Assistant Master in St. Thome Seminary from January 1883 to March 1886. He has acted also as Headmaster for about 10 months and has been the *English and Science* teacher of the Matriculation class all along. I have much pleasure in certifying that he has performed his duties to my entire satisfaction. Both Mr. Quinless the late Headmaster and Mr. D'Cruz, B.A. the present, have acknowledged to me the valuable assistance Mr. Zaccheus has rendered to them. He is a good and able teacher taking much pains in his work. He has been a master very popular with his pupils and the classes he taught have always acquitted themselves with great credit in public Examinations.

I regret very much he is tempted by brighter prospects elsewhere to resign his place and leave us. I wish him every success in his future career.

(Signed) J. B. GONSALVES,
Manager.

MADRAS,
16th June 1885.

Mr. A. D. Zaccheus, B.A., was for some time in a temporary appointment in my then office of Examiner of Ordnance Accounts from which he went to a temporary appointment in the Pay Examiner's Office. He seems to have gone into Educational work while I was absent from India. I had a good opinion of him and was only prevented from bringing him in my Permanent Establishment by there being no vacancy. He is a clever accountant.

(Signed) C. T. P. LUXMOOR, Lt. Col.
Examiner Commissariat Account.

Mr. A. D. Zaccheus has been nearly one year Headmaster of Harris School and the best proof of his efficiency is the great increase in the number of the students and the gratifying success attained in the last Middle School and Matriculation Examinations.

(Signed) M. G. GOLDSMITH,
Principal.
15th March, 1887.

In support of the accompanying application for increase of salary by our Headmaster Mr. A. D. Zaccheus, B.A. I gladly certify to his success in helping forward the restoration of Harris School after the futwa of 1884 and the failures of Mr. Hufiton. Mr. Zaccheus has energy and tact and is popular with teachers and boys. He relieves me of all secular instructions with the exception of translation paper work.

(Signed) M. G. GOLDSMITH,
Principal.

ROYAPETTAH,
Madras 2nd March 1895.

Mr. A. D. Zaccheus, B.A., B.L. has been known to me for about nine years in connection with Harris School. Though I have had no official connection with the School for some years I have had plenty of opportunity to observe Mr. Zaccheus' conduct. He has discharged his duties as Headmaster with great ability and has won the esteem of his fellow Masters and of the scholars. The discipline of the school has improved during his Headmastership. As a friend I have always found him very ready with sympathy and advice. He has my best wishes for success in the legal profession to which he has attached himself.

(Signed) HENRY G. GOLDSMITH, M.A.

No. 125.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

In ref. to his Memorial
to H.C. the Governor of 6 May 1897
Mr A.D. Zacheus is requested
to state ^{fully} what qualifications
he possesses & what his appi
in the past & how he has been

12/5/97

Recommended

13th May 1897

To Mr A.D. Zacheus P.O. Box
Vakil, High Court, Madras.

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Note.

The papers connected with his
previous application are at Madras
& have been called for. It is
thought that in the meantime
the above O.M. may issue

12/5/97

Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 4227

Order

From

Mr. A. D. Macchew.
High Court Bahil
Madras.

No.

Dated 18th May 1897

Received 19.5.97

Registered 20.5.97

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SUBJECT.

Stating the qualifications he possesses for the post of Dy. Collr.

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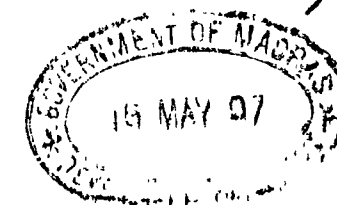
From Mr. A. D. Zacheus, High Court Vakil, Madras
H.E. the Governor.

Dated 18 May 1897.

A. D. ZACHEUS,
B. A. B. L.
Vakil High Court.

UNGAPPA MAICK STREET,

Madras. 18th May 1897.



To
Acting Secretary to Government
Madras.

Sir

With reference to Official Memorandum No 105 dated 13th May 1897 I beg to state that I graduated in Arts and Law taking Tamil as my optional subject. I was for a short time employed in the Accountant General's office, Military Pay Examiner's office and Ordnance office as a clerk but not being able to secure a permanent place I took up to be a Teacher Professor and was the Headmaster of St. Thome Seminary and Hannu School (Aided Institution) for more than 10 years. With the object of qualifying myself for the Deputy Collector's place I appeared for the Revenue Hyper and secured the 4th place in the 1st class. The Accountant Test Hyper and Price Test are the only remaining minor tests which I shall qualify myself this year if I am taken on probation. My attempts to enter the Revenue Department for the last 10 years have always proved unsuccessful. My present age is 38 years Hoping to be favored.

I beg to remain
Your obedient servant

A. D. Zacheus

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C No. 4227 of 1897

From Mr. A. D. Zacheus, Account Vakil, Madras
H.E. the Governor.

Dated 18 May 1897.

FOR ORDERS.

As desired by H.E. the Governor Mr. Zacheus was requested to state fully what qualifications for the post of Dy Collector he possesses & what his age is. The paper read above is his reply. It will be seen from this that he has got to pass the Accountant & the Precise Writing Test to qualify himself for the post of Dy Collector & that he is now over age. For orders passed on similar applications submitted by his father in 1894 please see G.O. 16 July 1894 No 1378 & 28 August 1894 No 3362.

I do not find that this applicant has any claims of special right within the frame of which, race, attainments, experience or in any other way. He is an age and not qualified. I submit he that he to that he is not eligible.

He should be told that being over age and not qualified by examn he cannot be appointed

25.5.97



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READ AGAIN G.O., No
189

DATED

CURRENT No.

G.O. No. 2749 of 31st May 97

By 31/5

Mr. Zaccarus is informed
that being overage and not
qualified by examinations he
cannot be appointed as Dy Collector.

12/5/97

ENCLOSURE TO O. No.

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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Mr. A.D. Zaccarus. Dec. 5-6-97

21/5/97
(For orders)