

Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 4548

DATED 30 Aug.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Approving and ordering the publication of a notification submitted by the D.P.S. in respect of the P.C.S. Examination to be held in December, and requesting the D.P.S. to submit the draft notification in future not later than the 15th July.

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Educational (189) Department.



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Dr 30/8/97

From

The Dir. of Pub. Instruction,
Madras.

Order. no 4564 of 30-8-97

No. 10016.

The draft notification is approved
& will be published in the
Fort St. George Gazette.
2. The Director of Public Instruction
is requested to submit the
draft notification in future
on the 15th July.

Dated

26th August 1897.

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SUBJECT.

Submitting for approval a
draft notification in respect to the
Provincial Civil Service Examination
to be held in December next.

The Director of Public Instruction
is requested to submit the
draft notification in future
on the 15th July.
Please note para 2 of the G.O.

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NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, August 25, 1897

PROVINCIAL CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION—1897-98

No. 400.—One appointment in the Madras Provincial Civil Service will be offered for competition during the current year, and for this purpose an examination will be held in Madras in December 1897.

2. The examination will be conducted by a Board to be appointed by Government, consisting of a President, three members and a Secretary. The Board will have the power of appointing additional examiners to assist in the examination, if necessary.

3. The examination will be open to all persons being British subjects or the subjects of Native Princes in alliance with Her Majesty who have qualified for the degree of Bachelor of Arts in the Madras University, provided that they furnish satisfactory evidence as to age, physique, moral character and knowledge of a vernacular language, and succeed in passing a Medical Board as hereinafter laid down.

4. Applications for admission to the examination in the form prescribed must reach the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, not later than the 30th September next. Each candidate must forward with his application the following:—

(i) a certificate that his age will be under 25 and over 20 years on the 30th November 1897;

Note.—This certificate should take the form either of a certified extract from an official register of births or of baptisms, or of a solemn declaration before a Magistrate accompanied by a copy and translation of the candidate's horoscope.

(ii) a certificate from a gazetted medical officer "that he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity, unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for Government service" and that he has been vaccinated or inoculated with small-pox;

(iii) a certificate from the head or heads of the college or colleges in which he studied for his degree to the effect that he has borne a good moral character;

(iv) satisfactory proof that he has either passed the third-class vernacular test prescribed for European and Eurasian civil officers other than members of the Indian Civil Service, or has graduated in a vernacular language.

5. No candidate will be registered unless he have previously paid a fee of 50 rupees. The fee should be paid into a Government treasury and the fee receipt must be forwarded with the application for admission to the examination. The fee of candidates who fail to pass the Medical Board will be returned to them.

6. Candidates whose certificates are satisfactory will be required to appear before a Medical Board to be assembled by the Surgeon-General at such time and place as Government may direct. Only such candidates as are certified by the Medical Board to be possessed of an exceptionally good physique and to be specially fitted for the active duties of a Revenue officer will be admitted to the examination.

7. Candidates who have passed the Medical Board will be informed of the fact by the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, and will be furnished in due course with a time-table of the examination.

8. The following is the scheme of the examination:—

Compulsory Branch.

	Time.	Marks.	
		Paper.	Viva voce.
English Language	3 hours	150	50
Do. Literature	3 "	250	50
Essay on one of three specified subjects	4 "	200	..
Total ..		700	

Optional Branches.

(1) Mathematics—					
Pure Mathematics	3 hours	250	..		
Mixed do.	3 "	250	..		
(2) Physical Science—					
Either—					
Physics, first paper	3 "	150	..		
Do. second paper	3 "	150	..		
Practical examination	..	200	..		
or—					
Chemistry, first paper	3 hours	150	..		
Do. second paper	3 "	150	..		
Practical examination	..	200	..		
(3) Natural Science—					
General Biology	3 hours	150	..		
And either—					
Botany or Animal Physiology or Zoology or Geology.	3 "	150	..		
Practical Examination	..	200	..		
(4) Mental and Moral Science—					
Psychology and General Philosophy	3 hours	200	60		
Logic and Ethics	3 "	200	50		
(5) History—					
History of England and India	3 "	200	50		
Political Economy	3 "	200	50		

Mr. G. H. Stewart
(The Adyar
Madras)
vaccinated or
attacked with
small-pox
after reaching
the age of ten
years.

Director of Public Instruction

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9. No candidate will be permitted to bring up more than one Optional branch.
 10. No candidate who fails to obtain one-fourth of the total number of marks assigned to the Compulsory branch will be permitted to appear for examination in an Optional branch.
 11. If a candidate fail to obtain one-fourth of the marks assigned to the Optional branch selected by him, such marks will not be counted in the total number of marks obtained by him.
 12. A candidate who fails to obtain one-third of the total number of marks assigned to the whole examination will not be deemed qualified for an appointment.
 13. The examination in the compulsory branch will be held on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd December, and the examination in the Optional branch on such subsequent dates as may be communicated to the candidates by the Secretary.
 14. The candidate selected will be appointed a Probationary Deputy Collector, Sixth class (pay Rs. 250), subject to passing prescribed vernacular and other tests.

FORM of APPLICATION for admission to the Examination for the Provincial Civil Service.

Name (in full) _____
 Name and occupation of father or guardian _____
 Age and date of birth _____
 Race (i.e., nation, tribe, &c.) _____
 Religion _____
 Place of birth—Town or village and district _____
 Date of passing B.A. Degree Examination _____
 Present position or occupation _____
 College or Colleges in which educated _____
 Optional branch in which the applicant desires to be examined _____
 Special tests passed by the applicant, if any _____
 Present residence and address _____

A. T. ARUNDEL,
 Ag. Secretary to Government.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,

Madras, 30th August 1897.

No. 10016.

From J.B. Bilderbeck Esq. M.A.

~~THE HONOURABLE MR. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.C., LL.D.,~~

AG. DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,

Madras,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Revenue Department.

SIR,

With reference to Memorandum No. 100 Revenue, dated 24th instant, relating to the issue of a notification in connexion with the Provincial Civil Service Examination which was also the subject of my letter No. 9971 of the same date, addressed to the Public Department, I have the honour to submit, for the approval of Government, a draft notification in respect to the examination to be held in December next.

2. Under G.O. No. 247 Revenue dated 15th April 1897, the latest date fixed for the submission of applications was the 31st August. I would suggest that, for the present year, this date be altered to the 30th September in view to giving candidates ^{ample} time for the submission of their applications.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J.B. Bilderbeck Esq. M.A.

Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

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The attention of the Director
is drawn to G.O. 86 May 1897
No 522 Public & he is requested
to submit at a very early date
the usual draft notification
for the Provincial Civil Service
Examⁿ to be held in December 97.
which is now overdue.

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Costacumund
24th Aug. 1897

To The Director of Public Instruction. *(see p. 181/87)*

Note.

There is no date fixed for the submission
of the draft notification. As the
Director has not submitted it till
now the date up to which applications
for admission to the Examⁿ shall
be received will have to be fixed
as 30th September as was done
last year. *(vide G.O. 25 Aug. 96
No 420. Flagged)*

Why is this not done

in D.C.

Arrangements for the
examination have to be
made in this Dept^t
by 30th Sept.

10-7-97

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