

Revenue (1898) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 4399

DATED 11th Novr 1898

[Despatch Abstract.]

Recording B.P. commg. to the Comr of
Trincomalee to enquire from the Secy to the Comr.
re Govt Exams. in reply to his enquiry
as to whether candidates who have passed
the Fifth Grade Teachers' Exam. or the ~~Extn~~
Fourth standard Exam. are eligible for
admission to the 'Village Officers' Spl Tests.

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Note for the A.S. Flag 9.

Under art 14(b) of the Primary School
Examinations Notification of 1891, persons
who have passed the Fourth Standard
Examination ^{and} have obtained a certificate
are eligible for the public service as
persons who have passed the Primary
Examinations.

As regards the Fifth grade Examination
no go. can be traced accepting it as
equivalent to the Primary Examinations. But
in G.O. no. 168 of 13th March 1894 Flag 9
the Fifth Grade Examination ^{certificate} is accepted as
equivalent to the Primary Grade Teachers
Certificate. To obtain the latter one has
to pass the Primary Examinations & an examn.
in method of Teaching &c. The Fifth Grade
Examinations may therefore be accepted as
equivalent to the Primary Examinations.

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Board of Revenue

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SEPTEMBER.

Communicating to the Collector of Tinnevely letter from the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations in reply to his enquiry as to whether candidates who have passed the Fifth Grade Teachers' Examination or the Fourth Standard examination are eligible for admission to the Village Officers' Special Test.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE).

READ—the following letter from A. W. B. HIGGINS, Esq., Collector of Tinnevely, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, dated Kuttalam, 22nd July 1898, Cur. G.B.-Genl. No. 588:—

According to rule III of notification No. 366 published in page 848 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 29th August 1891, the "Village Officers' Special Test" examination is open only to candidates who have passed the Primary School examination or other examination specified therein. Two candidates in this district, who have applied for the examination to be held on the 25th and 26th July 1898, have produced certificates of having passed the Fifth Grade Teachers' examination and the Fourth standard examination and claim admission to the Village Officers' Special Test. The fifth grade test is an examination in the method of teaching, but the passing of it implies that the candidate has knowledge more than sufficient to pass the Primary examination. The Fourth Standard examination was a class examination conducted by the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools and corresponds to the Upper Primary examination. As neither of these examinations has been recognized by the Public Service Notification as a substitute for the Primary School examination, I have the honour to solicit the orders of the Board whether candidates who have passed the above tests can be treated as eligible for admission to the "Village Officers' Special Test."

2. Pending receipt of orders on this reference I have allowed the candidates to appear for the test and have informed them that their admission is subject to the Board's orders.

Reference on the above, dated 6th August 1898, No. 867.

Referred to the Commissioner of Government Examinations for favour of remarks.

(Signed) LIONEL DAVIDSON,
Acting Secretary.

To the Commissioner of Government Examinations with the
Collector's letter in original to be returned.

READ—the following letter from R. H. ELLIOT, Esq., B.A., Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, dated Madras, 12th September 1898, No. 211—1-D:—

With reference to your endorsement of the 6th ultimo, No. 867, on letter from the Collector of Tinnevely, No. 588, dated 22nd July 1898, enquiring whether two candidates who have produced certificates of having passed, the one the Fifth Grade Teachers' examination and the other the Fourth Standard examination, are eligible for admission to the Village Officers' Special Test, I have the honour, by direction, to inform you that the former examination is taken as equivalent to the Primary examination and that, as regards the latter examination, the candidate is eligible, provided he produces a certificate signed by an Inspector of Schools before the 31st December 1889 that he passed the Fourth Standard examination in the compulsory and two optional subjects.

2. The enclosure is herewith returned.

RESOLUTION—No. 252, dated 20th September 1898.

The letter received from the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations will be communicated to the Collector of Tinnevely with reference to his communication, No. 588, dated 22nd July 1898.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Lionel Davidson
Acting Secretary.

To the Collector of Tinnevely.
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" to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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