

Correspondence.

Bangalore,
14th August 1923.

DEAR EDITOR,

Madras Licentiates in Agriculture in Native States.

Every issue of our Journal discloses on the last few pages how, among other officers of the Madras Agricultural Department, the Licentiates in Agriculture of our Alma Mater are getting on, being shown either as officiating in Provincial or in higher appointments or promoted to higher grades where they are also confirmed ; of course, it does not keep back dismissals also bickily rare. Some of our Licentiates in Agriculture working in the Madras Agricultural Service do really wish to know where their College-mates and sometimes mess-mates are and how they are getting on in other States. With the hope that one of our members of the Union will so far interest himself as to gather all such information as is available of our L. Ags. in Travancore State and in other States as well, I give below a list of our brethren working in the Mysore State. The information furnished to me has been verified as far as possible.

1. Mr. Venkata Rao K. Badami (1912), Senior Assistant Botanist, Department of Agriculture, Bangalore, in the grade of Rs. 150-10-350.
2. Mr. Daniel (1912) Agricultural Inspector, Marthur Farm, Mysore State, in the grade of Rs. 57-4-77.
3. Mr. K. M. Gururaja Rao (1912) Farm Manager, Babbur Farm, Mysore State, in the grade of Rs. 70-10-150.
4. Mr. C. Ellappa Settiar (1913), Junior Assistant Chemist, Agricultural Laboratory, Bangalore, in the grade of Rs. 70-10-150.
5. Mr. H. C. Javaraiya (1913) Assistant Superintendent, Lal Bagh Gardens, Bangalore, in the grade of Rs. 200-10-250.
(on deputation to Kew Gardens, London.)

6. Mr. D. B. Sivarama Rao (1913) Agricultural Inspector, Kolar, Bangalore in the grade of Rs. 57-4-77
7. Mr. M. K. Seetharama Settiar (1916) Officiating Assistant Superintendent, Lal Bagh Gardens, Bangalore (Pay Rs. 100 + Ag. Allowance) vice No. 5.
8. Mr. C. Narasing Raju (1916), Teacher, Hebbal Agricultural School, Bangalore in the grade of Rs. 57-4-77.

From the above, one could readily observe that Nos. 1 and 5 are well off; Nos. 2, 4 and 7 are fairly progressing; the rest have been doomed by Retrenchment.

Yours sincerely,

"HOPE FOR THE BEST."

APPENDIX I.

List of Winners and Records.

| Events. | Successful competitors. | Year's record. |
|---------------------------|--|------------------------|
| 100 yds. race. | 1. Ratnavelu, M. 2. Ramaswamy, V. 3. Pattathan, N. | 12 sec. |
| Long Jump. | 1. Ramaswamy, V. 2. Ratnavelu, M. 3. Varadachary, K. | 16' 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ " |
| Putting the shot. | 1. Ramaswamy, V. 2. Jivaratnam, A. | 23' 9" |
| High jump. | 1. Jivagatnam, A. 2. Pattathan, N. 3. Sundara, U. | 5' 1" |
| Quarter Mile race. | 1. Ratnavelu, M. 2. Ramaswamy, V. 3. Subramanian, R. | 60 $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. |
| Throwing the Cricket ball | 1. Daniel, R 2. Annaswamy, A. K | 84 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds. |

| | | |
|-------------------------------|--|--|
| Half Mile Race. | 1. Ratnavelu, M. 2. Krishnamurti, A. R. 3. Daniel, R. | 2 min 37 sec. |
| Half Mile Race (open). | 1. Srinivasulu. 2. Venkataramanan. 3. Gnanasigamani. | L. M. H. School. Govt. College. L. M. H. School. |
| Hurdle Race. | 1. Ratnavelu, M. 2. Pattathan, N. | 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. |
| Old Boys' Race. | 1. Vittal Rao, U. 2. Sivarajan, A. 3. Dharmalingam, S. | |
| One Mile Race. | 1. Krishnamurti, A. R. 2. Doraiswamy, S. V. 3. Ratnavelu, M. | 6 min 10 sec |
| Obstacle Race. | 1. Jivaratnam, A. 2. Varadachari, K. 3. Subramanian, R. | |
| Inter-tutorial Relay Race. | Mr. T. V. Rajagopala- chariar's Wards. | |
| Cross coun- try Race. | 1. Ratnavelu, M. 2. Daniel, R. 3. Doraiswami, S. V. | 37 min 55 $\frac{1}{2}$ sec |
| Inter-tutorial Tug-of-war. | Mr. S. Sundararaman's Wards. | |

APPENDIX II.

Athletic Records.

| Events. | Best Record. | Year. | Competitor. |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-------|----------------------|
| 100 yds Race. | 11 sec. | 1921 | J. Balraj. |
| Long Jump. | 18' 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | 1921 | S. N. Venkataramanan |
| Putting the Shot. | 29' 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " | 1921 | T. B. Anderson. |
| High Jump. | 5' 1" | 1923 | A. Jivaratnam. |
| Quarter-mile race. | 60 $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. | 1923 | M. Ratnavelu. |
| Throwing the cricket ball. | 97 yds. | 1918 | A. V. Babi. |
| Half Mile Race. | 2 min. 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. | 1921 | C. S. Doraiswamy. |
| Hurdle Race. | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. | 1919 | T. Seshachalam. |
| One Mile Race. | 5 min. 4 sec. | 1918 | K. S. Krishnamurti. |
| Cross Country Race. | 37 min. 55" | 1923 | M. Ratnavelu. |

APPENDIX III.*Championship Record.*

| Year. | Marks obtained. | Name of Champion. |
|--------------|------------------------|---|
| 1911 | 39 | Gururaja Rao, K. M. |
| 1912 | 39 | Mal, R. G. |
| 1913 | 39 | Mal, R. G. |
| 1914 | 33 | Venkatachala Mudaliar, |
| 1915 | 32 | Venkatachala Mudaliar, |
| 1916 | 53 | Ramanna Rai, K. S. |
| 1917 | 39 | Dharmalingam, S. |
| 1918 | 51 | Babi A. V. |
| 1919 | 59 | Dasappa Malli, B. |
| 1920 | | Dasappa Malli, B. |
| 1921 | 40 | Doraiswamy, C. S. |
| 1923 | 55 | Ratnavelu, M. |
| | | (Sd.) K. T. Bhandary, Secretary, Sports Committee. |

APPENDIX IV.**List of Visitors to the College Day and Conference 1923.**

1. The Hon'ble Sir K. Venkata Reddi Nayudu Kt., Development Minister.
2. Mr. F. Noyce, i. c. s., Secretary to Government, Development Department.
3. Mr. R. D. Anstead, m. a., f. m. u., Director of Agriculture, and Mrs. Anstead.
4. Mr. M. V. Vellodi, Personal Asst. to the Director of Agriculture.
5. Rao Bahadur Venkata Ranga Reddi Garu, m. l. c., Kurnool.
6. Khan Bahadur Haji Abdullah Haji Kasim Sahib Bahadur, m. l. c. Udupi.
7. Rao Bahadur J. Chelvaranga Raju, Retired Dy. Director of Agriculture, Madras.

8. Mr. C. M. Ranga Reddi, L. Ag., B. Sc., (Edin).
 9. Mr. G. Rajagopal Nayudu, Retired Agricultural Inspector, Madras.
 10. Mr. V. C. Vellingiri Gounder, M. L. C., Coimbatore.
 11. Rao Sahib C. S. Ratnasabhapathi Mudaliar, Coimbatore.
 12. Mr. C. V. Venkataramana Iyengar, M. L. C., Coimbatore.
 13. Mr. V. Narayana Reddi, B. Sc., Bangalore.
 14. Rao Bahadur T. S. Balakrishna Ayyar, B. A., B. L., Coimbatore.
 15. Mr. R. S. Sankara Ayyar, B. A. B. L., Sub-Judge, Coimbatore, and Mrs. Sankara Ayyar.
 16. Mr. C. T. Wilson, Principal, Forest College, Coimbatore and Mrs. Wilson.
 17. Rev. Ernest Kirk, Coimbatore.
 18. Mr. Kesavan, Veterinary Officer, Nagercoil.
 19. Mr. D. Sadasiva Reddi, B. A. (Oxon), Principal, Govt. College, Coimbatore.
 20. Khan Saheb Abdul Rajak, M. L. C., Coimbatore.
 21. Mr. C. T. Tangavelu Pillai, M. L. C., Secretary to the Development Minister.
 22. Mr. Narasiah, Bar-at-law and Misses Narasiah.
-

List of Departmental Visitors.

Gazetted Officers.

1. Mr. A. C. Edmonds, B. Sc., Deputy Director of Agriculture, I Circle.
2. Mr. K. T. Alwa, Ag. Dy. Director of Agriculture, II circle.
3. Mr. A. V. Thirumuruganatham Pillai, Ag. Dy. Director of Agriculture, III Circle.
4. Mr. D. Ananda Rao, B. Sc., Dy. Director of Agriculture, IV Circle.

5. Mr. N. S. Koladaiwami Pillai, Ag. Dy. Director of Agriculture, V Circle.
6. Mr. Saadat Ullah Khan, Ag. Dy. Director of Agriculture, VI Circle.
7. Mr. M. Govinda Kidavu, Ag. Dy. Director of Agriculture, VII Circle.
8. Mr. C. Narayana Ayyar, Ag. Dy. Director of Agriculture, VIII Circle.
9. Mr. T. Budhavidheya Rao, L. Ag., Asst. Director of Agriculture, III Circle.
10. K. Raghavachari, L. Ag., Asst. Director of Agriculture, IV Circle.
11. Mr. C. V. Seshachari, L. Ag., Asst. Director of Agriculture, V Circle.
12. Mr. K. Gopalakrishna Raju, L. Ag., Asst. Director of Agriculture, VI Circle.
13. Mr. R. N. K. Sundaram, C. D. A., N. D. A. (Glasg.) Asst. Director of Agriculture, VIII Circle.
14. Mr. F. H. Butcher, Curator, Botanical Gardens, Ootacamund.
15. Mr. K. Ramiah, L. Ag., Asst. Economic Botanist, Aduturai.

Non-Gazetted Staff.

I Circle.

1. Mr. N. Sitharamaswami Nayudu, Asst. Agricultural Demonstrator.
2. Mr. R. Sitharamayya, Asst. Agricultural Demonstrator.
3. " N. Gopal Rao. do.

II Circle.

4. " V. Ratnaji Rao, Agricultural Demonstrator.
5. " K. Gurumurti, B. Ag. Farm Manager.
6. " P. Satyanarayana, Asst. Agricultural Demonstrator.

III Circle.

7. Mr. A. Gopalakrishnayya, Farm Manager.
8. " M. V. Raghava Rao, Agricultural Demonstrator.
9. " P. Nagadharma Nayudu, Asst. Agri. Demonstrator.
10. " K. V. Seshagiri Rao, do. do.

IV Circle.

11. Mr. Bhairy Shiva Rao, Agricultural Demonstrator.
12. " S. R. Srinivasa Ayyangar, do.
13. " A. Yesudasan, do.
14. " P. Janakirama Ayyar, Assistant do.

V Circle.

15. Mr. M. Subramanya Pillai, Agricultural Demonstrator.
16. " K. Sitarama Ayyar, Asst. do.

VI Circle.

17. " A. Chinnathambi Pillai, Farm Manager.
18. " V. T. Subbayya Mudaliar, Agricultural Demonstrator.
19. " A. K. Ganesh Ayyar, Asst. do.
20. " P. R. Subrahmanyam Ayyar, do.

VII Circle.

21. Mr. K. K. Raghavan, Farm Manager.
22. " M. K. Sankaran Nambiar, Taliparamba Agricultural School.
23. " M. Mangesh Rao, Agricultural Demonstrator.
24. " A. Gopalan Nair, do.

VIII Circle.

25. Mr. W. Raghavachari, Agricultural Demonstrator.
26. " V. S. Narayanaswami Ayyar, do.
27. " P. Abhishekkanatham Pillai, do.
28. " K. Jagannadha Rao, do.
29. " H. Narahari Rao, Asst. do.
30. " S. Viravaradha Raju, do.

Botanical Garden, Ooty.

1. Mr. Chinniah, Assistant Farm Manager.
2. „ Scopi Haji do.

Planting Districts.

1. Mr. K. W. Chakrapani Marar, Farm Manager.
2. „ K. M. Jacob, do.

Live-stock.

1. Mr. M. P. Kunhikutti, Agricultural Demonstrator.

NATIVE STATES.—Visitors from:—*Travancore.*

1. Mr. P. Samuel, L. Ag., Agricultural School, Alwaye.
2. „ R. C. George, L. Ag., Agricultural Inspector.

Cochin.

3. Mr. K. Krishna Wariar, B. Ag.
4. „ M. Sankara Menon, B. Ag.

Pudukottah.

5. Mr. Vydyanatha Ayyar, Farm Manager.

Departmental Notes—July 1923.**Appointments and Postings:—**

1. Mr. A. V. Thirumuruganathan Pillai, to be Assistant Director of Agriculture, IV Circle.
2. Mr. T. Budhavidheya Rao Nayudu to be in charge of the current duties of the Dy. Director of Agriculture, III Circle.
3. Mr. R. C. Broadfoot, on return from leave, to be Deputy Director of Agriculture, VI Circle, Madura.
4. Mr. Sandab-Ullah-Khan, Probationary Deputy Director of Agriculture to work in the VI Circle under Mr. Broadfoot.
5. Mr. K. T. Alwa, Acting Deputy Director of Agriculture, II Circle, to be Assistant Director of Agriculture, II Circle, and to be in charge of the current duties of the II Circle.