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ECCLESIASTICAL CHARGE OF ARSIKERI AND SHIMOGA

Approving, as a tentative measure and subject to report at the end of six months, the proposal to place the stations of ArsiKERI and Shimoga under the charge of the Chaplain of Holy Trinity Church, Bangalore.

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No. 90, ECCLESIASTICAL, 27TH NOVEMBER 1895.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ — the following papers :—

From Revd. W. WACE, M.A., Acting Bishop's Chaplain, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 2nd September 1895, No. 1463.

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This will enable the Chaplain of Mysore to give more attention to the work among the coffee-planters and their employes; and as there is now no Church of England congregation at Tumkur, which was formerly visited by the Chaplain of Holy Trinity, Bangalore, his Lordship suggests that that chaplain should be directed to visit Arsikeri and Shimoga once in two months—the latter station to be visited on a week day, as there are only a few Church of England people there now.

The Chaplain of Mysore reports that Arsikeri has become an important and growing station and that there are now about fifty members of the Church of England there.

No. 2140.

The Right Reverend the Bishop is requested to state whether the military duties of the Chaplain of Holy Trinity would be interfered with in any way by his being required to visit Arsikeri and Shimoga once in two months as suggested.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

12th September 1895.

To the Right Reverend the Bishop.

From Revd. W. WACE, M.A., Acting Bishop's Chaplain, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 13th September 1895, No. 1470.

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Govt. of {189} Madras.
ECCLESIASTICAL.

From

THE REVEREND S. MORLEY, M.A.,

By: BISHOP'S CHAPLAIN,

To

THE HONORABLE

THE CHIEF SECRETARY

TO GOVERNMENT.

Dated

2nd

Received

3rd

Regd 3rd

No. 1463 Enclosure

Subject.

Requests that Chitaldroog may be removed from the list of outstations of Mysore, & that the Chaplain be relieved from visiting Arsikeri & Shimoga & proposes that the Chaplain of Holy Trinity, Bangalore be directed to visit them.

The Rt Revd the Bishop is requested to state whether the military duties of the Chaplain of Holy Trinity will be interfered with in any way by his being required to visit Arsikeri & Shimoga once in two months as suggested.

J.D.B.
9.9.95.

12/18/95
Vote

The military duties of Chaplains must be the first consideration. It will be observed that the votes are included in the Indian Army list.

The Rt Revd the Bishop (2) Sept 12/9

Madras Ref from order No. 118 of 95 to complete file 11/9
4/9
please submit 11/9

NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

I began to draft
but I am now doubt-
ful whether the
Lieutenant should
not first be con-
sulted.

J. D. B.

11/10/5.

It would be safer I think.
This inferno is
inferno is a manual
one never knows where
one is 11/10.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT,

No. 1463.

Ootacamund 2nd September 1895.

From

W. Wace
 REV. S. MORLEY, M.A.,
 Acting BISHOP'S CHAPLAIN,

To

THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Stone House

Ootacamund.

SIR,

I have the honor, by desire of the Right Reverend the Bishop, to state that since the Chaplaincies of Mysore and Mercara were united in 1889, the number of outstations to be visited has been large; and that the work, more specially in the coffee planting districts is continually increasing; so that the Chaplain writes, that he finds it beyond his power to accomplish all that is needed.

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Trinity, Bangalore, his Lordship suggests that that Chaplain should be directed to visit Arsikeri and Shimoga once in two months, the latter station to be visited on a week day, as there are only a few Church of England people there now.

The Chaplain of Mysore reports, that Arsikeri has become an important and growing station; and that there are now about fifty members of the Church of England there.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. Wace.

Acting Bishop's Chaplain.

CURRENT No. 205

ECCLIASTICAL DEPARTMENT,

Cotacamund 13th September 1895.

No. 1470.

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ECCLESIASTICAL.

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THE REVEREND S. MORLEY, M.A.,
Ag. BISHOP'S CHAPLAIN,

To

THE HONORABLE
THE CHIEF SECRETARY
TO GOVERNMENT.



Dated 13th } September 1895.
Received 13th }
Regd 14th

No. 1470 Enclosure

Subject.

States that arrangements would be made for the discharge of the military duties of the Chaplain of Holy Trinity, Bangalore, while visiting Arcot, similar to those made during the absence of the Chaplain of St. Mark's.

Recd G.O. No. 4871-6-29 orig.

Ref No 2295

26-9-95
The Rt. Revd. the Bishop
is requested to ^{kindly} specify the
arrangements to which
he refers. *LD*
25/9/95

CS. Holy Trinity is the cavalry regt church

The Rt Revd the Bishop (2 of 205) *LD*
26/9

CURRENT No. 205

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ECCLESIASTICAL.

From

W. Wace
THE REVEREND S. MORLEY, M.A.,
Ag. BISHOP'S CHAPLAIN,

To

THE HONORABLE
THE CHIEF SECRETARY
TO GOVERNMENT.



Dated 4th } October 1895.
Received 5th }
Regd 5th

No. 1476 Enclosure

Subject.

States the arrangements that would be made for the discharge of the military duties of the Chaplain of Holy Trinity, Bangalore when absent on outstation duty

Diary No. 7401
Recd 13 OCT 1895
Branch *Bl*
21/10/95

2483 d/18 October 1895
Referred to the Lieut
General command.
ing the Forces for
favour of rewards
on the Rt. Revd. the
Bishop's proposals.

Reddish
Chief Secretary

J.B.
12/10/95

TO BE RETURNED
WITH REPLY.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT,

No. 1476.

Cotacamund 4th October 1895.

From

W. Wace
 REV. ~~S. MORLEY~~, M.A.,
 Acting BISHOP'S CHAPLAIN,

To

THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

*Stone House**Cotacamund.*

SIR,

With reference to Memorandum No. 2295, dated 26th September, requesting that the arrangements might be specified for the discharge of the Military duties of the Chaplain of Holy Trinity, Bangalore, during his proposed absence when visiting Arsikere and Shimoga, I have the honor, by desire of the Right Reverend the Bishop, to state, that it is usual, when any one of the Chaplains at Bangalore proceeds on out-station duty, for the other two Chaplains in the station to hold themselves responsible for the discharge of any emergent duty on the week-days; and as regards the services on the Sunday, there has usually been another resident Clergyman at Bangalore, such as the Warden of the Bishop Cotton Schools (who has no regular Sunday duty), who has gratuitously undertaken them with the help of the Lay Trustees. But if this assistance could not be obtained, the Sunday duties then at the three Churches in the station would be provided for by the two Chaplains and the Lay Trustees - an arrangement

which is occasionally found necessary in the three
Secunderabad Chaplaincies, where there is no ad-
ditional Clergyman to officiate as a substitute;
and in the station of Bellary, when the Chap-
lain is absent on out-station duty, the services
on the Sunday at the two Churches are necessarily
conducted by the Lay Trustees.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. Waa.

Acting Bishop's Chaplain

Eccelesiastical

Ootacamund.

15th November 1895.

No.

W.A.

6128

CURRENT No. 276

From

The Lieutenant-General COMMANDING the FORCES, Madras.

To

The Chief Secretary

to the Government of Madras.

SIR,

In returning the correspondence referred under
your endorsement Memo. No. 2483 of the 18th ultimo,
I have the honor to forward herewith copy of the
opinion on the subject expressed by Brigadier-
General Dr. Gosset C.B., Commanding Bangalore
District, and to say that I think that if one of the
three chaplains is absent from Bangalore on
outstation duty, there should be no serious diffi-
culty in the other two providing for the performance
of the Sunday and week day duties.

2. This might at all events be tried and a report
made to Government if the arrangement does not
prove satisfactory.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,

Edmundson Brigadier General,
for Lieutenant General,

Commanding the Forces, Madras, On Tour.

ENCLOSURES.

From

The Lieut General
Commanding The
Forces

No. B.A.
6128

Dated 15 }
Received 17 } - 11-95
Regd. 18 }
Enclosure 1 +
Est C no. 194, 205 + 223 etc.

Subject

Stating that if one of
the three chaplains is absent
from Bangalore on outstation
duty there should be no
serious difficulty in the
other two providing for the
performance of the
Sunday and week day
duties.

Dy No. A
6027
Date 25-10-95.
No. 25471-11-95-
D.A.G.

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From what I gather on enquiry I do not
think that a clergyman will be available to
officiate at the Sunday services so often as the
Bishop seems to think.

2. In the case of serious sickness there
would be inconvenience as the Chaplain of
St. Marks is bound to live at a considerable
distance from the Station Hospital.

Occasionally the summons to the hospital
occurs urgently and unexpectedly.

3. The journey to Arcikere + Shemoga would
necessitate the absence of the Chaplain of
Trinity Church for a week unless he hurried
from place to place and travels night and day.
This will be rather a long absence from his
Head Quarters.

Bangalore }
31-10-95.

Sgt Matt. Coxon, Bt. Genl.,
Comdg. Bangalore District.

(True copy)

C. L. L. L. L.

Brig. General,
Deputy Adjutant General,
Madras Command.

C. No. 194, 205 & 223.

CHIEF SECRETARY
17 NOV. 1895
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

FOR ORDERS. whether the proposal

I think it may be
approved with the remark

JG
10/10/95

may be approved with
the remark that the Govt-
trusts it may never be
found necessary for ser-
-vices at a large military
church like Holy Trinity,
Bangalore, to be conduct-
-ed by a lay Trustee.

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7.10.5.

12 9/10/95

1895
Ecd: Dept.
Enclos. No. /
To
O. No. 276

FOR ORDERS.

Ecd. charge of Assihere
and Shimoga

Hon. J. Grose

G.O. Ecd 90
27-11-95

C. 10/10
R 11/10

He
proceed please

JG
26/11/95

To
The Right Rev. the Bishop b
" dioc. Genl. Comdg. the Forces. 11
" Venerable the Archdeacon
" Accountant-General b
desd 13/12/95

Ecd. Dept

print Cs. Nos. 194, 205, 223 + 276.

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S.O. no 90 d/27 Nov 95
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The proposed arrangements are approved as a tentative measure subject to report at the end of six months. The Accountant-General is requested to will arrange to have the lists of Chaplains' stations & out-stations periodically visited by them which are embodied in part XXIII of the quarterly Civil lists, corrected up to date. altered accordingly.

12/28/11/95

from order

no 90
19. 11. 95

J. O. B.
19. 11. 95.

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No. 2483.

Referred to the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces for favour of remarks on the Right Reverend the Bishop's proposals.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

18th October 1895.

From the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 15th November 1895, No. 6128-B.A.

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ENCLOSURE.

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(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Right Reverend the Bishop.

„ Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces.
„ Accountant-General.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Iyengar.

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STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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