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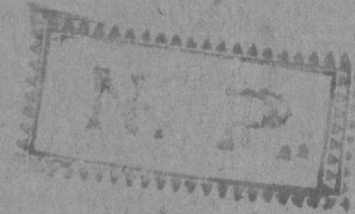
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[Despatch Abstract.]

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

I

G.O., No. 784, Educational, dated 3rd December 1906.

ABSTRACT.—Declining to give up the site of the Government Girls' school, Madura, until the girls' school is provided at the cost of the Municipal Council with another approved site and building.

II

G.O., No. 121, Educational, dated 8th March 1907.

ABSTRACT.—Requesting the Director of Public Instruction to visit Madura and report on the suitability of the sites proposed for the Government Girls' school, Madura, and informing the Chairman, Municipal Council, Madura, that the girls' school cannot be moved from the present building until a fresh site has been provided and the necessary contribution paid for the construction of new buildings.

III

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. T. T. LOGAN, Acting Director of Public Instruction.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Ootacamund, the 25th May 1907.
No.—R.C. No. 1111.

With reference to paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 121, Educational, dated 8th March 1907, and memorandum, dated 20th May 1907, I have the honour to state that I visited Madura on the 26th March 1907 for the selection of a site for the Government Girls' school in the town. I inspected in company with the Collector four sites which are shown in the enclosed plan, a brief account of each of which is furnished below :—

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ENCLOSURE.

Copy of the Madura Division Executive Engineer's letter No. 974 M., dated 20th May 1907.

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The owner of the house will not allow my Supervisor to dig up the foundations. If the matter is urgent, I would advise you to get permission to buy the house, the Collector fixing the price based partly on my valuation of the structure. There are no cracks of any sort in the walls and very few of the timbers (perhaps six joists) want renewal.

IV

Memorandum No. 2976 C., dated 1st June 1907.

It is understood that the Director of Public Instruction has, in consultation with local officers, selected a building for the Government Girls' school at Madura and that he has explained to and discussed with the Executive Engineer the alterations required to adapt the building for school purposes. The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, is requested to ascertain and report with as little delay as possible when the proposals will be submitted.

(By Order.)

A. G. ROMILLY,
Under Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle.

V

Memorandum No. 1266-2, Educational, dated 12th June 1907.

The Government consider that for Rs. 23,000, which is the estimated cost of the acquisition and improvement of site No. I (Duraishwami Aiyar's house), a good building might be erected on site No. III, "Andikkadai Pottal", measuring 44 cents, the property in which is stated to vest in the Municipal Council, while the site would also afford some space for a play-ground. The only objection put forward to this site is that it is one of the few open spaces, free from congestion of buildings, in the town of Madura; but in this connection it is to be pointed out that the school will be used in the day time only and will not be inhabited at nights. The site will not therefore be liable to pollution in the same way as if it were built over and inhabited—a fact which materially diminishes the force of the objection urged to its occupation. The Municipal Council is requested to state whether it has any objection to hand over this site or such portion of it as may be necessary for the construction of the girls' school.

H. D. TAYLOR,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Madura
with copy of Director of Public Instruction's letter.
Director of Public Instruction.

VI

Letter—from C. W. Wood, Esq., Superintending Engineer, VI Circle.
 To—the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.
 Dated—Trichinopoly, the 6th July 1907.
 No.—368/C.E.

With reference to your Memorandum No. 2976 C., dated 1st June 1907, I have the honour to inform you that the Executive Engineer, Madura Division, reports that he has sent to the Director of Public Instruction a plan of the building selected for the Government Girls' school at Madura, and also proposals for altering the building to make it suitable for a school. The Executive Engineer has been requested to submit a copy of the plan together with the proposals referred to. If these are required for reference urgently, I request that you will be so good as to address the Director of Public Instruction.

VII

Letter—from M.R.Ry. G. SRINIVASA RAO AVARGAL, B.A., Chairman, Municipal Council, Madura.
 To—the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Collector and the Divisional officer, Madura).
 Dated—the 24th June 1907.
 No.—R. Dis. No. 13.

With reference to Memorandum No. 1266-2, dated 12th June 1907, inquiring if the Council has any objection to hand over the Andikkadai Pottal or a portion thereof as may be necessary for the construction of the girls' school, I have the honour to enclose herein, for orders of Government, copy of the Council's resolution No. 424 passed at its meeting held on 20th June 1907.

ENCLOSURE.

Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Madura, dated 20th June 1907.

Read Government Memorandum No. 1266-2, dated 12th June 1907, requesting the Municipal Council to state whether it has any objection to hand over the Andikkadai Pottal site or such portion of it as may be necessary for the construction of the Government Girls' school.

Resolution No. 424.—The Council is not in favour of giving up the vacant site.

N. Dis. No. 2504-Gl., dated 7th July 1907.

Submitted.

S. N. V. RAJACHAR,
 Dy. Collector.

N. Dis. No. 2918-Gl., dated 9th July 1907.

Forwarded.

H. F. W. GILLMAN,
 Collector.

VIII

Memorandum No. 1732-1, dated 27th July 1907.

The Director of Public Instruction is requested to submit at an early date, with his remarks, the plan of the building selected for the Government Girls' school at Madura and the proposals for altering the building to make it suitable for a school which are stated to have been sent to him by the Executive Engineer, Madura Division.

2. It is observed that the Municipal Council of Madura is not willing to hand over the vacant site called "Andikkadai Pottal" for the construction of the girls' school.

H. D. TAYLOR,
 Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction, with copy of Superintending Engineer's letter, Chairman's letter and Council's resolution.

IX

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. T. T. LOGAN, B.A., Acting Director of Public Instruction.
 To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
 Dated—Madras, the 5th August 1907.
 No.—Ref. on Cur. 1111.

With reference to your Memorandum No. 1732-1, dated 27th July 1907, I have the honour to state that the plan and proposals for altering the building selected for the Government Girls' school, Madura, stated to have been forwarded to this office by the Executive Engineer, Madura Division, do not appear to have been received here. The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, has therefore been addressed on the subject.

Order—No. 539, Educational, dated 17th August 1907.

The Municipal Council of Madura having declined to give up any portion of the vacant site known as the Andikkadai Pottal for the construction of a building for the Government Girls' school, the house of Duraiswami Aiyar which is site No. I mentioned in the Director of Public Instruction's letter, R.C. No. 1111, dated 25th May 1907, should be acquired for the purpose. The cost of acquisition of this building is estimated to be Rs. 15,000 and the subsequent alterations necessary to adapt it to the requirements of a girls' school are subject to an examination of the foundations estimated to cost Rs. 8,000. The Collector of Madura will be requested to submit at an early date a notification under section 4 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act for publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*; but before doing so, he should verify carefully the accuracy of the estimate of Rs. 15,000 of the cost of acquisition of the building.

2. The Municipal Council is also requested to place at the disposal of the Collector the sum which will be required for the acquisition of the building. The amount of contribution which will be necessary to render the building suitable for a girls' school will be intimated to the Council when the necessary estimates have been prepared.

(True Extract.)

H. D. TAYLOR,
 Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction with two plans.
 " Collector of Madura.
 " Chairman, Municipal Council, Madura.
 " Local and Municipal Department.
 " Public Works Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 539, EDUCATIONAL, DATED
17TH AUGUST 1907.

[SUBJECT.—*Transfer of a Municipal land for the construction of the Government
Girls' school in Madura.*]

What became of the question as to Girls' school at Madura?

G. S. F[ORBES]—15-5-07.

Has the Director of Public Instruction's report been received? I understood from him in conversation that another building had been selected in consultation with the Collector, Chairman and Executive Engineer—which, with slight modifications could be adapted so as to be suitable for a girls' school—but I do not recollect to have seen the Director of Public Instruction's report.

H. D. TAYLOR—16-5-07.

The Director of Public Instruction's report has not yet been received.

T. KANAKASUNDARAM PILLAI—16-5-07.

Shall he be reminded?

C. A. SOUTER—17-5-07.

Yes please. Then re-submit to the Honourable Member.

H. D. TAYLOR—18-5-07.

The reminder placed below is submitted for approval.

T. KANAKASUNDARAM PILLAI—20-5-07.

C. A. SOUTER—20-5-07.

The reminder has issued; the file may now be submitted to the Honourable Member.

T. KANAKASUNDARAM PILLAI—20-5-07.

Mr. Logan told me yesterday that he had been to Madura and had sent in his report. It may be expected shortly.

C. A. SOUTER—21-5-07.

H. D. TAYLOR—22-5-07.

He complained to me that the delay was due to the Executive Engineer who had not as yet submitted his proposals regarding the alterations required in the building chosen by the Director of Public Instruction for the new school, though these were explained to and discussed with the Executive Engineer. (Is the Executive Engineer at Kodaikānal?).

Will Public Works Department hurry him up?

G. S. F[ORBES]—23-5-07.

To the Public Works Department.

H. D. TAYLOR—24-5-07.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

A draft memorandum to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, is submitted. After issue, the file may be returned to Educational.

P. K. SUBBA AIYAR—27-5-07.

A. G. ROMILLY—30-5-07.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Please put up the report which has since been received, but without detailed estimates.

H. D. TAYLOR—31-5-07.

From the Director of Public Instruction, No. 1111, dated 25th May 1907.

The Director of Public Instruction (the Hon'ble Mr. Logan) reports that of the four sites available, site No. I (Duraismami Aiyar's house in north Chitra Street) is, in his opinion, the best suited for a girls' school, and that the Executive Engineer (Mr. A. R. deChazal) also considers that the building will answer the purpose in view.

2. The Executive Engineer who was asked by the Director of Public Instruction to examine the timber and foundation of the building and to state what alterations would be necessary to make it suitable for a school-house, could not do so, as the owner of the house would not allow the foundations to be dug up. The Executive Engineer has addressed the Collector to obtain permission to examine the foundation and timber of the house, but no application has yet been received from the Collector on the subject. What the Executive Engineer apparently means is that if a notification is issued under section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, that the house is likely to be required for a public purpose, it will be possible for him to dig up the foundations of the house and to examine it thoroughly.

3. For orders whether the Collector's proposals on the subject may be awaited.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—3-6-07.

C. A. SOUTER—4-6-07.

The site was inspected by the Director of Public Instruction on 26th March and his report was submitted on 25th May. He was waiting for the Executive Engineer's report? There has thus been two months' delay which might have been avoided, had a report been sent in at once.

G. S. F[ORBES].

2. The cost of acquisition and improvement of Duraismami Aiyar's house is estimated roughly at Rs. 23,000. The site consists only of about $\frac{1}{4}$ acre, and for Rs. 23,000 a good building might be erected on site No. 3 "Andikadai Pottal" which belongs to the Council and measures 44 cents, which would afford some room for a play-ground.

Again Duraismami Aiyar's house No. I appears to be shut in by other buildings and seems to have a very small street frontage.

2. In paragraph 6 of his letter on page 3 of G.O., No. 121, Educational, dated 8th March 1907, the Chairman stated that the Council would give such portion of the Andikadai Pottal as might be necessary.

3. If however it is considered preferable to secure the house, the Council may be asked to apply to the Collector to issue a notification under section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act.

H. D. TAYLOR—4-6-07.

I should favour No. III. It will not be inhabited at nights and so the site will not be polluted in the same way as if it were built over and inhabited. Ask the Council if they see any objection.

G. S. F[ORBES]—6-6-07.

Draft please.

H. D. TAYLOR—8-6-07.

The draft memorandum placed below is for approval.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—7-6-07.

C. A. SOUTER—8-6-07.

To the Local and Municipal Department.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

For approval.

H. D. TAYLOR—10-6-07.

G. S. F[ORBES]—11-6-07.

Issue.

H. D. TAYLOR—12-6-07.

To the Educational Department.

[Memorandum No. 1266-2, Educational, dated 12th June 1907.]

From the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, dated 6th July 1907, No. 368.C.E.

The current may be forwarded to the Educational Department at whose instance the information was called for.

P. K. SUBBA AIYAR—13-7-07.

A. G. ROMILLY—16-7-07.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Better make a reference to the Director of Public Instruction.

H. D. TAYLOR—17-7-07.

The draft memorandum placed below is submitted for approval.

P.R.—19-7-07.

The Municipal Council of Madura has not yet replied to memorandum No. 1266-2, dated 12th June 1907, in which it was asked to state whether it had any objection to hand over the site called "Andikadai Pottal" for the construction of a girls' school, as the Government considered a new building might be constructed on this site for the sum of Rs 23,000, which was the estimated cost of the acquisition and improvement of Duraismami Aiyar's house.

2. The Director of Public Instruction may be requested to forward the plans and estimates said to have been furnished by the Executive Engineer in respect of the building above referred to.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—20-7-07.

Issue.

C. A. SOUTER—22-7-07.

From the Chairman, Municipal Council, Madura, dated 24th June 1907, No. 13.

Submitted that the memorandum to which the Chairman's letter read above is a reply, appears to have been issued in the Educational Department and that the papers may therefore be transferred u.o. to that department.

V.S.—17-7-07.

K. V. VISVANATHA AIYAR—18-7-07.

C. A. SOUTER—20-7-07.

Please see the letter from the Chairman, Municipal Council, Madura, since received,* forwarding a copy of the Council's resolution No. 424, dated 20th June 1907, stating that it is not in favour of the vacant site, "Andikadai Pottal" for the construction of the girls' school.

* From Local and Municipal Department on 22nd July 1907.

2. It is submitted that a copy of this letter and the Council's resolution may also be sent to the Director of Public Instruction for information. Please see addition made to the draft memorandum below.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—24-7-07.

Yes.

C. A. SOUTER—25-7-07.

But the Director of Public Instruction has already sent a plan of the building? And the Executive Engineer states that he is unable to submit detailed proposals for making the building suitable for a girls' school, until he can examine the foundations, which the owner will not allow him to do? What is the object of the proposed reference?

H. D. TAYLOR—26-7-07.

Please see the letter from the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, dated 8th July 1907, from which it is observed that the Executive Engineer, Madura Division, has sent to the Director of Public Instruction a plan of the building selected for the Government girls' school and also proposals for altering the building to make it suitable for a school.

2. In his letter, dated 20th May 1907, the Executive Engineer stated that he had addressed the Collector of Madura to obtain permission to examine the foundations. Perhaps the permission asked for was obtained by the Collector or the owner subsequently withdrew his objections.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—26-7-07.

C. A. SOUTER—26-7-07.

Very well. But I don't think we shall get further forward. I don't see how the Collector can get permission if the owner is unwilling without application of the Act. However, his personal influence may prevail. In any case the acquisition of this building seems necessary, and an examination of the foundations will be necessary in order to enable the Collector to determine the cost of acquisition, apart from the question of alterations. Issue the memorandum and then circulate to Honourable Member for information.

H. D. TAYLOR—27-7-07.

[Memorandum No. 1732-1, dated 27th July 1907.]

The memorandum has issued.

2. The file may now be submitted to the Honourable Member with reference to the Secretary's remarks above.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—27-7-07.

C. A. SOUTER—29-7-07.

Seen.

G. S. F[ORBES]—30-7-07.

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 5th August 1907, No. 1111.

I thought so. Put up the file please.

H. D. TAYLOR.

The file is submitted.

P.R.—8-8-07.

T. KANAKASUNDARAM PILLAI—8-8-07.

C. A. SOUTER—8-8-07.

As I anticipated the Director of Public Instruction has received no specific proposals from the Public Works Department officers at Madura as to the cost of effecting the alterations proposed in the house of Duraiswami Aiyar in North Chitra Street, so as to make it suitable for a girls' school, nor in view of the Executive Engineer's remarks in the current file, does it seem that he will be in a position to examine the foundations and to submit such proposals until a notification has been issued under section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act.

Meanwhile the matter is being delayed indefinitely.

2. The Municipal Council has declined to give up any portion of the vacant site known as the Andikadai Pottal for the construction of the new school, so Government may decide definitely to acquire Duraiswami Aiyar's house—item I. The cost of acquisition is estimated at Rs. 15,000, and that of subsequent alterations necessary to adapt it to the requirements of a girls' school, is, subject to examination of the foundations placed at Rs. 8,000.

3. The Municipal Council may be asked to provide the funds.

On publication of the notification the extra cost of effecting the improvements can be definitely ascertained and the Council can then be directed to pay the total sum required into the Government Treasury.

Acquisition need not proceed beyond the preliminary stage until the sum is paid. The Collector should, before submitting the notification, verify carefully the figure (Rs. 15,000) given as the probable cost.

H. D. TAYLOR—9-8-07.

G. S. F[ORBES]—10-8-07.

Draft please.

H. D. TAYLOR—12-8-07.

A draft is placed below for approval.

T.K.—14-8-07.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—14-8-07.

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G. S. F[ORBES]—16-8-07.

To the Local and Municipal Department.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Accepted in Local and Municipal.

H. D. TAYLOR—17-8-07.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Issue.

Public Works Department may see after issue.

H. D. TAYLOR—17-8-07.

[G.O., No. 539, Educational, dated 17th August 1907.]

The Government Order has issued. The file may now be sent to the Public Works Department with reference to the Secretary's orders above.

P.R.—19-8-07.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—19-8-07.

C. A. SOUTER—19-8-07.

To the Public Works Department.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Seen and returned with thanks.

P. K. SUBBA AIYAR—29-8-07.

A. G. ROMILLY—4-9-07.

To the Educational Department.

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Station Cotacambund, Dated the 25th May 1907

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(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

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J. J. Downes
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the price based partly on my valuation of the
structure. There are no cracks of any sort
in the walls and very few of the timbers (perhaps
6 joists) want renewal.

Sd/ Antoine Rene de Chazal

(True Copy)

J. J. Doyle
Ag. Director of Public Instruction.
25.5.7

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READ ALSO:—

C. No. 1266, From the D.P. J., No. 1111, dated 25. 5. 1907

Memorandum
~~ORDER.~~

No. 1266-2, dated 12-6-1907.

2. The property in which is stated
to vest in

The only objection put forward to this site is that it is one of the few open spaces, free from congestion of buildings, in the town of Madras; but in this connection it is to be pointed out that the school which he used in the daytime only and —

after which naturally I remove
the force of the objection used to the
occupation

The Govt. Considers that for Rs 20,000, which is the estimated Cost of ^{the} acquisition & improvement of Site No. I (Doraswami aiyari's house) a good building might be erected on Site No. III, and Kadai pettel measuring 44 Cents, which belongs to the municipal Council and which the site would also afford some space ~~would afford some room for a~~

play-ground. Moreover the site
~~itself~~ will not be inhabited at night
^{the site} and ^{liable to pollution} will not therefore ~~be~~ polluted
in the same way as if it were
built over and inhabited. The
Municipal

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Municipal Council is requested
to state whether it has any
objection to hand over the
site for the construction of
the girls' school.

a small portion of it may
be necessary

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The C.M.C. Madurai
with
D.P.G.
Despatched
12/11/07

MEMO. No 2976C of 1-6-07

It is understood that the Director of Public Instruction has in consultation with local officers selected a building for the Government Girls' School at Madura and that he has explained to and discussed with the Executive Engineer the alterations required to adapt the building for school purposes. The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, is requested to ascertain and report when the proposals will be submitted.

(B.O.)

D.E.W.

To

The Superintending Engineer,
Sixth Circle.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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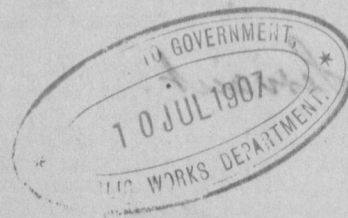
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Drafting Officer



Subject.

Govt Girls' School at Madras
Informing that the Executive Engineer
has sent to the Director of Public
Instruction a plan of the building selected
- as for the - with proposals for altering
the building to make it suitable for a school.

No. 268 B.B.

Station Trichinopoly

Dated the 6th July

1907

From (Name) B. W. Wood Esq

(Designation) Superintending Engineer, M Circle

To The Chief Engineer
The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Public Works Department.

Sir,

With reference to your memo no. 2976 C of 1.6.07
I have the honour to inform you, that the Executive
Engineer Madras Division reports that he has sent
to the Director of Public Instruction a plan of the
building selected for the Government Girls' School
at Madras, and also proposals for altering the
building to make it suitable for a school. The
Executive Engineer has been requested to submit
a copy of the plan together with the proposals
referred

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referred to. If these are required for reference, urgently, I request that you will be so good as to address the Director of Public Instruction

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

C. W. Wood
Superintending Engineer

Received by the Director of Public Instruction
Madras 12th July 1907
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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT No. 29308



Received

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Subject.

Enclosing for orders M.C.R. No. 424 dated 20-6-1907.



ENCLOSURES.

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Station Madras, Dated the 24th June, 1907.

From (Name) M.R. Ry. G. Srinivasa Row Avargal, B.A.,

(Designation) Chairman, Municipal Council, Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Local and Municipal Department
through the collector and
the Divisional Officer, Madras

Sir,

With reference to Memorandum No. 1266-2 --

dated 12th June 1907 inquiring if the Council has any objection to hand over the Andikkadai Pottal or a portion thereof as may be necessary for the construction of the Girls' school, I have the honour to enclose herein for orders of Government copy of the Council's resolution No. 424 passed at its meeting held on 20-6-07.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

G. Srinivasa Row
Chairman.

T. S. / 28-6-07.

This appears to be a memo. of the Ed. Dept.

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Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Madura, passed at
the meeting held on 20-6-07.

Number of Councillors present:-- 9.

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Resolution No.424.

Read Government Memorandum No.1266-2 dated 12-6-07
requesting the Municipal Council to state whether it has any
objection to hand over the Andikkadai Pottal site or such ---
portion of it as may be necessary for the construction of the
Government Girls' school.

The Council is not in favour of giving up the
vacant site.

(Sd). G.Srinivasa Row,
Chairman.

(True Extract).

6/6/07

G. Srinivasa Row
Chairman.

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27/7/07

To, The D.P.O.

With copy of S. G. letter,
Chairman's letter + Council's
resolution

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Educational Dept.

Memo. No. 1732-1, 8, 27.7.07

The D.P.O. is requested to submit at
an early date, with his remarks
~~It is understood that the plan~~
of the building selected for the Government
Girls' School at Madura and the proposals
for altering the building to make it
suitable for a school, ^{which are stated to} have been sent
to ~~the D.P.O.~~ ^{him} by the Executive Engineer,
Madura Division. The D.P.O. is requested to
be so good as to expedite ^{its} submission
~~of the plan~~ to Government.

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2. It is observed that the Municipal
Council of Madura is not ~~in favor~~
~~willing to hand~~
~~of handing~~ over the vacant site called
"Andakkadai Pottal" for the construction
of the girls' school.

RD
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H.B. 27.7.07

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Stock Form No. 135.
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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.



Received 7-AUG-1907, Registered 7/8/1907

Subject.

Stating that the plans and proposals for altering the building selected for the Government Girls' School, Madura do not appear to have been received in this office and that the Superintending Engineer Sixth Circle has been addressed on the subject.

ENCLOSURES.

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Ref on Cur No. 1111/07.

Station Madras, Dated the 5th August 1907.

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. T. T. Logan, B.A.,

(Designation) Acting Director of Public Instruction,

Madras.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational Department

Sir,

With reference to your Memorandum No. 1732-1, dated 27th July 1907, I have the honour to state that the plan and proposals for altering the building selected for the Government Girls' School, Madura stated to have been forwarded to this office by the Executive Engineer, Madura Division do not appear to have been received here. The Superintending Engineer, 6th Circle has therefore been addressed on the subject.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

O. Krishnamoorti

For Director of Public Instruction.

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M.S.S.

Govt Girls' School, Madras

Agri-chem. lab building for the

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Again G.O., No. , dated 190 .
 Current No. 29804 from the C.H.C. Kaduca , No. 13 , dated 24.6. 1907 .
 Current No. from the , No. , dated 190 .

SUBJECT.

Regarding the transfer of a small land for the construction of the Girls' school in Kaduca.

Submitted that the memorandum to which the Chairman's letter read above is a reply, appears to have been issued in the Educational Dept. and that the papers may therefore be transferred u-o. to that Dept.

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What because of the g^h as to
Girls' school at Madras

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Has D.D. report been received? I understand
from the Commissioner that another building
has been selected, in connection with
the Coll. Class and Ex. - which
with slight modification, could be adapted
as the suitable for a girls school. - but I do
not want to have seen the D.D. report

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The D.D.'s report has not yet been received

7.74.
16.5.07

Sec
Shall he be reminded?

As

Geo please - then remind to Mr. Walker

18/5

The ^{reminder} draft memo. placed below is submitted for approval

Despatched 20/5
7.74.
20.5.07

20.5.07

The reminder has issued; the file may now
be submitted to H.M.

7.74.
20.5.07

P.T.O.

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NOTE

Issuing in Series

PV
30.5.07



Final

A draft memo. to the E. VI side is submitted. After issue, the file may be referred to Educational.

P.V.
27.5.07

Educational u.o.

[Signature]
30/5/07

Please put up the report which has once been reviewed, but without detailed estimates.
[Signature]
30/5/07

from the D.P. 3 No. 1111 dt 25th May 1907.

Vide pages 1 to 3 of cf.

Page 3 of cf.

Pages 3 & 4 of cf.

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The D.P. 3 (the Honble Mr. Logan) reports that of the four sites available, site No. I (Dariuswami Aiyar's house in North Chitra Street) is, in his opinion, the best suited for a girls' school, and that the Executive Engineer (Mr. A.R. de Chazal) also considers that the building will answer the purpose in view.

2- The Executive Engineer who was asked by the D.P. 3. to examine the timber foundation of the building and to state what alterations would be

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be necessary to make it suitable for a school house, could not do so, as the owner of the house would not allow the foundations to be dug up. The Executive Engineer has addressed the Collector to obtain permission to examine the foundation & timber of the house, but no application has yet been received from the Collector on the subject. What the Exec Engineer apparently means is that if a notification is issued under Sec. 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, that the house is likely to be required for a public purpose, he deems it will be possible for him to dig up the foundations of the house and to examine it thoroughly.

3. For orders whether the Collector's proposals on the subject may be awaited.

RD
3.6.07

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The site was inspected by SDO on 26th March and his report was submitted on 25th May. There has thus been a north delay which might have been avoided, had a report been sent in at once.

2. The cost of acquisition & improvement of Bonani and Anjan House is estimated roughly at Rs 23000. The site consists only of

He was waiting for the SDO's report 7/4

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about 1/4 acre - and for Rs 23000 a good
building might be erected on site No. 3 -
"And ^{Kasur} Pottal" which belongs to the Council
and measures 44 cents, which would
afford some room for a playground

Again Banani / 1/2 in House No 2

appears to be shut in by other buildings
seem to have a very small sheet of water

2 In paragraph 6 of his letter on p 3 of
S.O. 121 of D. S. 4th March 1907 the Chairman states
that the Council would give such portion of the
Anahadi Pottal as might be necessary.

3. If however it is considered preferable
to secure the house, the ~~Council~~
Council might be asked to apply to the
Colt. to issue a notification under
sec. 4 of the Land Act Act

HM

Rs
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I should favour No III. It
will not be inhabited at
night. So the site will not
be polluted in the same
way as if it were built
on & inhabited. Ask the Council
if they see any objection

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The draft memo placed below is for approval

Lt. m. for acceptance

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Est. No. 1266-1
8.6.07

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In approval

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Govt girls' school Kaduna.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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CO 6426 from the S.E. Sixth Circle, No 368C.E.D. 6-707

For Gov

The Current may be forwarded to the Educational Dept at whose instance the information was called for.

P/CB
13.7.07



P.W. No. D.N. 849
16.7.07

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16/7/07

Letter sent reference to D.P.D.

17/7

Ed No. 1692
17.7.07

The draft memo. placed below is submitted for approval

11/1907

~~Headmaster D.P.D.~~ ^{of Kaduna} The Muni. Council, has yet replied to memorandum No. 1266-2, dated 12th June 1907, in which it was asked to state whether it had any objection to hand over the site called 'andikadi pottal' for the Const. of a girls' school, as ^{Govt} ~~the~~ was considered the Const. of a new building might be constructed on this site for the sum of Rs 23000, which was the estimated cost of the acquisition of & improvement of Duraiswami aiyar's house - 2. The D.P.D. may be requested to forward the plans

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Plans & estimates said to have been furnished by the Executive Engineer in respect of the building above referred to.

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20.7.07

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22.7.7.

Cur No 1732 Esd from the C.M.E, Madurai,
No 13, dated 24th June 1907.

Please see the letter from the Chairman, M.C. Madurai, since received, forwarding a copy of the Council's resolution No 424 dated 20th June 1907, stating that it is not in favour of the vacant site, "Andikkadai pattal" for the Const. of the girls' school.

2. It is submitted that a copy of this letter and the Council's resolution may also be sent to the S.P.S. for information. Please see addition made to the draft memorandum below.

RW
24.7.07

Lee.
W. J. J.
Chd
25.7.7.

But the S.P.S. has already sent a plan of the building? and the Ex. Eng. states that he is unable to submit detailed proposals for making the building suitable for a girls' school, until he can examine the foundations, which the owner will not allow him to do. What is the object of the proposed reference?

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26.7.7.

Pages 11 & 12 of Cf.
x Received from Madurai
22.7.07.

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Please see the letter from the Superintendent VI Circle, dated 8th July 1907, from which it is observed that the Executive Engineer, Madura Division has sent to the D.P.D. a plan of the building selected for the Govt. Girls' school and also proposals for altering the building to make it suitable for a school.

Page 4 of 4.

2. In his letter dated 20th May 1907, the Executive Engineer stated that he had addressed the Collector of Madura to obtain permission to examine the foundations. Perhaps the permission asked for was obtained by the Collector or the owner subsequently without his objection.

RD
26.7.07

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26.7.7.

Very well. But I don't think we shall get further forward. I don't see how the Collector can get permission of the owner is willing - without application of the Act. However, his personal influence may prevail. In any case the acquisition of this building seems necessary, and an examination of the foundations will be necessary in order to enable the Col. to determine the cost of acquisition, apart from the question of alterations. Issue the memo & then Circulate to H.Q. for information

Desp. memo & return file
Done RD
27.7.07

RD 27.7.7.

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[Memo. No. 1732-1 dated 27th July 1907]

The memorandum has issued.

2. The file may now be submitted to H.M. with reference to the Secretary's remarks on the previous page.

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Chd
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From the D.D. n. 1111 dt 5th August 1907.

I thought so. Put up the file please.

H. S. J.

The file is submitted.

Rb
8.8.07
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Lee
Chd
8.8.7.

As I anticipated the D.D. has received no specific proposals from the P.W.D. officer at Madura as to the cost of effecting the alterations proposed in the House of Sarasani Aiyer in N. Chitra Sth, so as to make it suitable for a girl's school - nor in view of the Secy^r's remarks on p. 4. of file does it seem that he will be in a position

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Page 15 of C.F.

to examine the foundations and to submit such proposals until a notification has been issued under sec 4 of the Land Acquisition Act.

Meanwhile the matter is being delayed indefinitely.

2. The Corporation Council has declined to give up any portion of the vacant site known as the Audhottai Pottal for the construction of the New School, so Govt. may decide definitely to acquire Durasami Angan House - item I on page 12 of file. The cost of acquisition is estimated at Rs 15000, ^{that} of subsequent alterations necessary to adapt it to the requirements of a Girl's school, ^{is} subject to examination of the foundations placed at Rs 8000.

3. The Municipal Council may be asked to provide the funds.

On publication of the notification the extra cost of effecting the improvements can be definitely ascertained & the Council can then be directed to pay the total sum required into the Govt. Treasury.

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Acquisition need not proceed beyond the preliminary stage until the sum is paid. The Collector should, before submitting the notification verify carefully the figure (Rs 15000) given as the probable cost.

HM

HOJ
9.8.07

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Draft placed

12.8.07

A draft is placed below for approval

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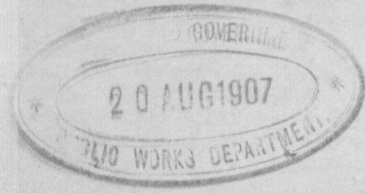
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The G.O. has issued. The file may now be sent to P.W.D. with reference to the Secretary's orders at the bottom of page 12 supra.

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P.W.D. u.o.

Seen and returned with thanks.

Chs
 19.8.7

PKS
 24.8.07

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Read--

Again G.O. No. 784, Educational, d/ 3-12-1906.
" " " 121, " d/ 3-3-1907.

Also--

C. No.1266, from the D.P.I., Madras, R.C.No.1111, d/25-5-1907.
C. No.1692, from the P.W.D., No. 849, d/16-7-1907.
C. No.1732, from the C., M.C., Madura, No. 13, d/24-6-1907.
C. No.1839, from the D.P.I., Madras, R.C.No.1111, d/ 5-3-1907.

ORDER:-- 539 of 17-8-07
P.S.

Issue today +
then send to P.W.D.

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Note 539 of 17-8-07

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The Municipal Council of Madura having declined to give up any portion of the vacant site known as the Andikkadai Pottal for the construction of a building for the Government Girls' School, the house of Duraiswami Aiyar which is site No.1 mentioned in the D.P.I.'s letter, R.C. No.1111, dated 25th May 1907, should be acquired for the purpose. The cost of acquisition of this ^{building} ~~site~~ is estimated ^{to be} ~~at~~ Rs.15,000 and ^{the} ~~that of~~ subsequent alterations necessary to adapt it to the requirements of a girls' school ^{are} ~~is~~ subject to examination ^{an} ~~of~~ of foundations, ^{estimated to cost} ~~placed at~~ Rs.8,000. The Collector of Madura will be requested to submit at an early date a notification under Section 4(1) of the Land Acquisition Act for publication in the Fort St. George Gazette; but before doing so, he should verify carefully the accuracy of the estimate of Rs.15,000 of the cost of acquisition of the building.

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2. The Municipal Council is also requested to place at the disposal of the Collector the sum of ^{which will be} ~~2,15,000~~ required for the acquisition of the building.

The amount of contribution which will be necessary to render the building suitable for a public school will be estimated to the Council when the necessary estimates have been prepared.

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To

- The D.P.I. with two plans
- " Collr. of Madura.
- " C., M.C., Madura.
- " L. & M. Dept.
- " P.W.D.

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