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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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READ—the following paper :—

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. A. G. BOURNE, D.Sc., F.R.S., Director of Public Instruction.

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—Madras, the 18th March 1908.

No.—Ref. on Cur. 1662.

The Primary scholarship and the Middle school and scholarship examinations under the Code of Regulations for European schools were held in November last, and scholarships to the successful candidates according to the number fixed in G.O., No. 415, Educational, dated 1st July 1907, have been promised to be given from the date on which the candidates join the schools for continuing their studies for the higher course. In all 140 candidates appeared for the examinations; for the Middle school and scholarship examinations 65 were from this Presidency and 7 from Bangalore. For the Primary scholarship there were 60 candidates from this Presidency and 8 from Bangalore. The amount collected as fees for the Middle school and scholarship examinations was Rs. 720 (Madras Rs. 650 and Bangalore Rs. 70) and the candidates for the Primary scholarship examination paid no fees. The contingent charges amounted to Rs. 125, the chief items of expenditure being stamps, stationery and materials for needle-work.

2. The examinations held in November 1906 were conducted by the Inspector of European and Training Schools and the Inspectresses of Girls' Schools without outside help. But as the candidates and subjects of examination in 1907 were more numerous than in 1906, it was not possible for the Inspector and the Inspectresses to do all the work themselves. The Inspector, therefore, proposed certain officers, both departmental and non-departmental, as examiners and further suggested that they be remunerated for their services according to the following scale :—

For setting Rs. 30 for a paper of three hours' duration. No remuneration for the dictation paper, and Rs. 10 for the paper in paraphrase (English).

For valuation one rupee per paper. I approved of the Inspector's proposals with the remark that the rates of remuneration for the examiners would be decided after the financial position of the examinations was known.

The Inspector now submits a statement (copy enclosed) showing the nature of work done by the examiners and the amount of remuneration due to them according to the scale mentioned above. The scale of remuneration seems to be reasonable. The total charges amount to Rs. 1,621 as shown below :—

Remuneration.	Amount.
	RS.
For the Middle school and scholarship examinations	909
„ Primary scholarship examination	587
	1,496
Add—	
Contingent charges	125
Total ..	1,621

I would propose that the total charge Rs. 1,621 be divided between Madras and Bangalore in the proportion of 8 to 1, the total number of candidates that appeared from them being 125 and 15, respectively. According to this division, the Madras share comes to Rs. 1,440 and I have the honour to request that this amount may be sanctioned and also payment of the remuneration to the examiners concerned. These examinations cannot be self-supporting.

3. The expenditure can be met from budget savings in the manner proposed in the accompanying re-appropriation statement (submitted in duplicate).

4. I am addressing Government direct instead of through the Accountant-General on grounds of urgency.

5. As the official year is drawing to a close, the favour of very early orders on this letter is requested in order that the remuneration to the examiners, if sanctioned, may be disbursed before the 31st instant.

ENCLOSURES.

RE-APPROPRIATION statement to accompany all applications for sanction to expenditure not provided for in the budget, or for additional allotments.

Major, minor, sub. and detailed heads of budget. (a)	Heads of estimate proposed to be increased.				Heads of estimate proposed to be reduced.			
	Amounts as in the sanctioned estimate.	Actual expenditure up to date.	Probable expenditure during remainder of the year.	Amount of additional allotment required.	Amounts as in the sanctioned estimate.	Actual expenditure up to date.	Probable expenditure during remainder of the year.	Amount available for re-appropriation.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
22-I. Education—Miscellaneous—European scholarship examination.	..	..	..	1,440	..	..	..	..
22-I. Education—Miscellaneous—Special Fifth standard examination.	..	..	..	..	800	..	..	800
22-A. Education—Direction supplies and services—Art loan collection.	..	..	..	..	1,000	660	..	340
Allowances — Travelling allowance of officers.	..	..	..	..	2,000	1,700	..	300

(a) The same detail must be given as in the printed Civil Budget Estimate.

Note.—If no re-appropriation is possible, the urgency and necessity for the expenditure must be fully explained.

Examiners for the Primary Scholarship examination to whom the answer papers should be sent—November 1907.

Subject.	Name of examiner.	Time for the paper.	Designation.	Number of papers set.	Number of papers valued.	Amount of remuneration for setting.	Amount of remuneration for valuing.	Total amount.
COMPULSORY.								
Analysis and Grammar ..	Miss Gow ..	2	Headmistress, Bishop Cotton Girls' School, Bangalore ..	1	64	20	64	84
Dictation ..	Rev. P. V. Roberts ..	1	Principal, Baldwin Boys' School, Bangalore ..	1	64	10	64	74
Composition and explanation of passages ..	Do. ..	2½	Do. ..	1	64	20	64	84
Arithmetic ..	T. R. Scott, Esq., B.A. ..	2	Junior Professor of English, Presidency College, Madras.	1	64			
OPTIONAL.								
Geography and Map-drawing ..	E. Winckler, Esq., B.A. ..	2½	Headmaster, Bishop Corrie's High School, Madras ..	1	64	25	64	89
Drawing ..	J. H. Stone, Esq., M.A. ..	1	Principal, Presidency College, Madras ..	1	41	10	41	51
Needle-work ..	Miss Claridge ..	4	" Sydney Park ", Bangalore ..	1	36	30	36	66
Malayalam ..	M.R. Ry. P. V. Kuruvilla, B.A., L.T. ..	3	Headmaster, Government Training School, Calicut ..	1	1	30	1	31
Tamil ..	M.R. Ry. S. Lakshmana Aiyar, B.A., L.T. ..	1½	Assistant, Teachers' College, Saidapet ..	1	1	17	1	18
Hindustani ..	Muhammad Ibrahim Qourishi ..	2½	Assistant, Government Madrasah-i-Azam, Mount Road ..	1	1	25	1	26
				Total ..	187		400	587

Examiners for the Middle School and Scholarship examinations to whom the answer papers should be sent—November 1907.

Subject.	Name of Examiner.	Time for the paper.	Designation.	Number of papers set.	Number of papers valued.	Amount of remuneration for setting.	Amount of remuneration for valuing.	Total amount.
COMPULSORY.								
Analysis and Grammar ..	T. R. Scott, Esq., B.A. ..	2	Junior Professor of English, Presidency College, Madras..	1	72	20	72	92
Text-book ..	R. G. Grieve, Esq., B.A. ..	2	Acting Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet ..	1	72	20	72	92
Composition ..	Do. ..	2	Do. ..	1	72	10	72	82
Arithmetic ..	W. M. Theobald, Esq., B.A. ..	2	Headmaster, Stanes' High School, Coimbatore ..	1	72	20	72	92
OPTIONAL.								
English History ..	S. A. Steele, Esq., B.A. ..	2	Headmaster, Brecks' Memorial School, Ootacamund ..	1	67	20	67	87
Geography ..	Mrs. Rhenius ..	2	Inspector of Girls' Schools, Northern Circle, Walair ..	1	72	20	72	92
Euclid ..	E. W. Middlemast, Esq., M.A. ..	2½	Inspector of European and Training Schools, Madras ..	1	43	25	43	68
Algebra ..	Miss Sampson, B.A. ..	1½	Headmistress, Doveton Girls' High School, Madras ..	1	44	15	44	59
Latin ..	W. E. Hoare, Esq., M.A. ..	3	Principal, Doveton Protestant College, Madras ..	1	32	30	32	62
Domestic Economy ..	Mother St. Agnes ..	2	Headmistress, St. Philomena's High School, Bellary ..	1	41	20	41	61
Mensuration ..	Miss Sampson, B.A. ..	2	Headmistress, Doveton Girls' High School, Madras ..	1	12	20	12	32
French ..	Rev. Father L. Cantat ..	2½	Principal, St. Aloysius High School, Vizagapatam ..	1	5	25	5	30
Science (Physics) ..	P. E. Fyson, Esq., B.A. ..	2	Professor of Biology, Presidency College, Madras ..	1	8	20	8	28
Drawing ..	J. H. Stone, Esq., M.A. ..	3	Principal, Presidency College, Madras ..	1	2	30	2	32
					295		614	909

Order—No. 244, Educational, dated 27th March 1908.

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Miss Claridge	66
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Total ..	713

(True Extract.)

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

To the Director of Public Instruction.
,, Financial Department, with reappropriation statement.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 244, EDUCATIONAL,
DATED 27TH MARCH 1908.

[SUBJECT.—*Remuneration to Examiners in connection with the Scholarship examinations held under the Code of Regulations for European Schools.*]

Previous paper.

G.O., Nos. 283, 284, Financial, dated 10th May 1907.

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 18th March 1908, No. 1662.

Articles 90 and 91 of the Code of Regulations for European Schools provide for the conduct of the Primary, Middle and High School Scholarship examinations for Europeans and Eurasians.

2. The Director of Public Instruction reports that at the examinations held in November last, the receipts from fees amounted to Rs. 720 (Rs. 650 from Madras candidates and Rs. 70 from Bangalore candidates), while the charges on account of remuneration to the examiners and contingencies came to Rs. 1,621. The number of candidates from Madras and Bangalore having been 125 and 15 respectively, the Director of Public Instruction proposes to distribute the charges between these two places in the proportion of 8 to 1. The share of the cost debitable to Madras will

$$\frac{1,621 \times 8}{9} = \frac{12,968}{9} = 1,440.$$

thus be Rs. 1,440, and the Director of Public Instruction proposes to meet this sum by reappropriation from other heads

in his budget. He also requests that early orders may be issued so that the remuneration may be disbursed before the 31st March 1908. The amount of remuneration to individual examiners is given in the statements on pages 6 and 7 of the current file. The necessity for the payment of remuneration is explained in paragraph 2 of the Director of Public Instruction's letter.

3. It is submitted that the expenditure of Rs. 1,440 on this account and the payment of remuneration to the examiners on the scale proposed may be sanctioned with the concurrence of the Financial department.

4. A draft order is placed below for approval.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—21-3-08.

C. A. SOUTER—21-3-08.

To the Financial Department.

H. D. TAYLOR—21-3-08.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Put up papers regarding fees to Educational officers for examination (letter to India) and examine please.

C. M. SCHMIDT—21-3-08.

G.O., Nos. 283, 284, Financial, dated 10th May 1907, is put up.

2. Paragraph 2 (iv) of the rules proposed by the Government of India for regulating the receipt by Government officers of fees for extraneous work which they may be required to undertake states that "no fee shall in any case be either charged or received in respect of work done for any department of Government. " This Government, however, in replying to the Government of India on the suitability of the above rules held that, "in works connected with Government examinations, a Government official (other than Educational officer) should be permitted to receive the full fees according to the sanctioned scale for setting question papers or valuing answer papers at these examinations subject to the provisos that the total amount of fees granted to examiners for any particular examination does not exceed the fee receipts and that no remuneration is allowed to an officer for assisting in an examination relating to his own particular department; but in the case of Educational officers, the Government stated that there

A do not seem to be sufficient grounds for "granting them special fees for the "conduct of State or public or departmental examinations."

3. The present examinations are held under articles 90 and 91 of the Code of Regulations for European Schools, and are therefore departmental examinations. Some of the examiners are Educational officers in Government employ, and according to A above, the payment to these officers of any remuneration would be inadmissible. It is also observed that the fees proposed to be granted to the examiners (Rs. 1,440) is in excess of the receipts realized (Rs. 720).

4. As the above rules proposed by the Government of India have not been finally sanctioned by them, it is submitted that these rules need not be rigorously applied to past transactions. The payment of the remuneration proposed by the Director of Public Instruction may, it is submitted, be accepted in Financial.

V.A.M.—23-3-08.

V.G.K.—23-3-08.

It is not clear why officers of the Educational department should receive fees for assistance at these examinations.

C. M. SCHMIDT—23-3-08.

I think the fees should be disallowed.

J. N. ATKINSON—23-3-08.

Very well.

G. S[TOKES]—24-3-08.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

The point would seem to be whether these examinations are "outside" the ordinary duties of an Educational officer or not. They seem not to be.

C. A. SOUTER—25-3-08.

The examinations relate to Government scholarships. The amount proposed to be paid to officers of the Educational department is Rs. 783 out of a total of Rs. 1,440.

H. D. TAYLOR—25-3-08.

I think it quite sound to disallow the fees in the case of Departmental officers.

H. B[RADLEY]—26-3-08.

Please revise the draft.

H. D. TAYLOR—26-3-08.

Please see revised draft placed below.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—26-3-08.

C. A. SOUTER—27-3-08.

Issue.

Financial should see again after issue.

H. D. TAYLOR—27-3-08.

[G.O., No. 244, Educational, dated 27th March 1908.]

The Government Order has issued. The file may be sent to the Financial Department for perusal and return.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—27-3-08.

C. A. SOUTER—27-3-08.

To the Financial Department.

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May be returned to Educational with thanks.

C. M. SCHMIDT—1-4-08.

To the Educational Department.

J. N. ATKINSON—2-4-08.

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Subject.

Submitting proposals for the payment of remuneration to the examiners who take part in the conduct of the Middle School & Scholarship and Primary Scholarship Examinations under the Code of Regulations for European Schools.

ENCLOSURES.

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(Designation) Director of Public Instruction,

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To

The D.P.I.

Financ. Dept

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