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READ—the following paper :—

Letter—from S. SUBRAHMANYA SASTRI, Secretary to the Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras.

To—the Director of Public Instruction.

Dated—the 1st August 1908.

No.—Ref. No. 272.

In continuation of this office R. on C. No. 272, dated 20th July 1908, I have the honour to state that Pachaiyappa's scheme suit has since been adjourned for another two months at the instance of the Government Solicitor and that if the special grant sanctioned for the additional requirements for Pachaiyappa's College on account of new University Regulations is to be withheld till the final result of the scheme suit is known, I am afraid that the Trust Board will not be in a position to make the necessary arrangements for opening of the new intermediate classes in January 1909, inasmuch as time is required for the construction of a science laboratory and for its equipment. I request, therefore, that you will be good enough to sanction the payment of the grant or to authorize the Trust Board to incur the expenditure without prejudice to the grant being paid after settlement of the suit. An early reply is solicited.

Endt. Ref. on C. No. 2248/07, dated 21st August 1908.

Submitted to Government, Educational, with reference to G.O., Mis. No. 438, Educational, dated 4th June 1908.

2. The request of the trustees that they may be permitted to incur the necessary expenditure without prejudice to the grant in question is recommended for favourable consideration.

A. G. BOURNE,
Director of Public Instruction.

Order—No. 656, Educational, dated 10th September 1908.

The Government cannot interfere with any scheme of building the trustees may determine to proceed with; but the grant referred to in G.O., No. 438, Educational, dated 4th June 1908, will not be paid unless the scheme for the management of the Pachaiyappa's Charities is settled on a basis of which the Government are prepared to approve as satisfying the requirements of the Educational Department.

(True Extract.)

H. D. TAYLOR,
Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 656, EDUCATIONAL, DATED
10TH SEPTEMBER 1908.

[SUBJECT.—*Special grant to the Pachaiyappa's College in aid of the expenditure to be incurred to meet the demands of the new University Regulations.*]

Previous Papers.

G.O., No. 570, Educational, dated 31st August	1907.
" " 810 " " 3rd December	"
" " 438 " " 4th June	1908.

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 21st August 1908, No. 2248.

In paragraph 11 of his letter on page 3 of G.O., No. 810, Educational, dated 3rd December 1907, the Director of Public Instruction recommended a grant of Rs. 27,000 to the Pachaiyappa's College, Madras, out of the special grant made by the Government of India in aid of University education. In paragraph 2 of the above order, the Government deferred the question of a grant to the Pachaiyappa's College for further consideration.

2. In May last, the Director of Public Instruction submitted a letter from the Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities on the subject of the grant and recommended that the special grant of Rs. 27,000 recommended by him in his previous letter might be sanctioned, as he presumed that the continuance of the college was certain. But in G.O., No. 438, Educational, dated 4th June 1908, the Government said that they would have no objection to sanction the grant as soon as a scheme for the management of Pachaiyappa's Charities had been settled which would ensure the continuance of the college on a satisfactory basis. It was then anticipated that the final scheme for the management of Pachaiyappa's Charities would come up for settlement before the High Court in July last.

3. The Trustees of the Pachaiyappa's Charities now state that the suit for the settlement of a scheme of management of the charities has since been adjourned for another two months at the instance of the Government Solicitor, and that if the special grant for the additional requirements of the college on account of the new University Regulations is to be withheld till the final result of the suit is known, they would not be in a position to make the necessary arrangements for the opening of the new intermediate classes in January 1909, as time is required for the construction of a science laboratory and its equipment. The Trustees therefore request that the grant applied for to meet the additional requirements of the college may be sanctioned or that they may be permitted to incur the necessary expenditure without prejudice to the grant.

4. The Director of Public Instruction recommends that the Trustees may be permitted to incur the expenditure without prejudice to the grant. It is for consideration whether the Director's recommendation may be accepted.

T.K.—4-9-08.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—4-9-08.

A I submit that the college may proceed to build. They may be told, however, that the Government make no promise of a grant until the present litigation is settled and that the matter of a grant will be considered afterwards. It is then the college's look-out if anything goes wrong.

C. A. SOUTER—5-9-08.

Orders may issue as at "A".

Of the Rs. 27,000, Rs. 10,000 are allotted for appliances and Rs. 17,000 for general purposes. The approval of the Director of Public Instruction is necessary to the works on which it is proposed to incur expenditure. This may be made clear with reference to Pachaiyappa's College also.

Paragraph 4 of G.O., *ibid.*

These are not, strictly speaking, building grants under the Grant-in-Aid Code and Public Works Department scrutiny is not necessary as regards any building extensions that it is proposed to make.

H. D. TAYLOR—5-9-08.

I do not quite understand the proposed order? No sanction is required of Government before the Trustees begin to build if they are not to get a grant for the purpose?

G. S. F[ORBES]—7-9-08.

Government have sanctioned a grant of Rs. 27,000 under G.O., No. 438, dated 4th June 1908, for the special grant-in-aid of University education, provided that the scheme for management of the Pachaiyappa's Charities is settled on a suitable basis.

The settlement of the scheme has been deferred for two months and payment cannot be made till Government are satisfied as to the details of the scheme. The money is to be expended on objects approved by the Director of Public Instruction. The grant is not a building grant under the Grant-in-Aid Code and no special approval is necessary to the plans and estimates, nor will the buildings be mortgaged to Government in respect of the grant.

[] This would be compromising, I think. Better—

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G. S. F[ORBES]—10-9-08.

not be paid unless the scheme for the management of the Pachaiyappa's Charities is settled on a basis of which Government are prepared to approve as satisfying the requirements of the Educational Department."

The order may be: ["The Government have no objection to the Trustees' proceeding with the work on lines approved by the Director of Public Instruction"] but the grant referred to in G.O., No. 438, dated 4th June 1908, will

H. D. TAYLOR—8-9-08.

See modification, in margin, of proposed draft.

G. S. F[ORBES]—10-9-08.

Draft please accordingly.

H. D. TAYLOR—10-9-08.

The draft order placed below is for approval.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—10-9-08.

Issue.

C. A. SOUTER—10-9-08.

[G.O., No. 656, Educational, dated 10th September 1908.]

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Subject.

Recommending that in the circumstances stated, the Trustees of the Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras, may be permitted to incur the necessary expenditure on account of the additional requirements of the College according to the New University Regulations without prejudice to the grant being paid after settlement of the ^{scheme} suit.

ENCLOSURES.

No.

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Ref new No. 2248/07

Station Madras , Dated the 21st August 1908.

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. A. G. Bourne, B.Sc., B.P.S., C.I.E.,

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational Department.

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