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READ—the following papers:—

I

G.O., No. 626, Educational, dated 7th September 1911.

ABSTRACT.—Informing the Director of Public Instruction that in addition to the one lakh of medallions already ordered the Government have decided to indent for seventy-five thousand medallions for distribution in educational institutions in the Presidency.

II

Letter—from P. L. MOORE, Esq., I.C.S., President, Corporation of Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department.
Dated—Madras, the 22nd/23rd August 1911.
No.—R.O.G.D.C. 573-Sup./11.

I have the honour to report that the question of the presentation of medallions to school-children in the city on the occasion of the Coronation Durbar at Delhi was considered by the Standing Committee at their meeting held on 18th August 1911, when they resolved that the Government should be addressed on the subject in view of the following telegram published in the *Madras Mail* of the 25th July 1911:—

“THE DELHI DUBAR.

“Coronation Medals.

“*Simla, 25th July.*—It has now been finally settled to have a general Durbar Medal and “medallions for school-children in India. The design of the former will be exactly that of the “English one, with Persian inscriptions on the reverse, and not Sanskrit, as was generally supposed. “Some of those medals will be in gold for Fendatory Chiefs, while the rest will be in silver.

“The design of the school medallions will be simple. They will have the effigy of the “King and Queen on one side with ‘Delhi’ and the date of the Durbar on the reverse.”

2. I request information as to whether the Government propose to take any action in the matter, and, if so, at whose expense and through what agency the medallions for school-children in the Madras City will be distributed.

III

Telegram—from the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
To—the President, Corporation of Madras.
Dated—Ootacamund, the 4th September 1911.
No.—39.

Your letter, August 22nd, regarding medallions. Government propose distribute at their cost medallions to top pupil in each class in all schools. Please wire how many extra medallions, if any, Corporation require for distribution among schools in City. The medallions cost Rupees eight thousand for one lakh. Indent must reach Government before 15th instant.

IV

Telegram—from the President, Corporation of Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Madras, the 11th September 1911.

Your telegram 39. Corporation do not require medallions from Government. Arrangements being made for obtaining them privately.

V

Letter—from M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur T. RAGHAVIAH Garu, B.A., Acting President, Corporation of Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Madras, the 11th/12th September 1911.
No.—Ref. on G.D. Cur. 933-Sup./11.

With reference to your telegram No. 39, dated 4th September 1911, I have the honour to state that the Corporation propose to obtain medallions from a private British firm for distribution to pupils in the elementary schools in the city other than those to whom the medallions will be given by Government. The Corporation do not, therefore, require any medallions from Government.

VI

Telegram—from the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
To—the President, Corporation of Madras.
Dated—Ootacamund, the 12th September 1911.
No.—42.

Your telegram dated yesterday. Does Corporation propose getting medals direct from Mint Master, Bombay, or from any private firm. Either course opposed to wishes of Government India that medals should be [of] uniform design for all Provinces and that local bodies should obtain supply from Bombay Mint through Local Government. Wire reply.

VII

Telegram—from the President, Corporation of Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Madras, the 13th September 1911.

Your telegram 42. Question of medallions will be placed again before Standing Committee and a telegraphic reply sent on fifteenth.

VIII

Telegram—from the President, Corporation of Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Madras, the 15th September 1911.

Your telegram 42 and my telegram thirteenth. Standing Committee resolved purchase twenty-four thousand medallions from Bombay Mint through Local Government. Request Government arrange accordingly.

IX

Letter—from M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur T. RAGHAVIAH Garu, B.A., Acting President, Corporation of Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Madras, the 16th September 1911.
No.—R.O. Govt. Cur. 145 of 1911.

I have the honour to confirm the following telegram sent to you yesterday:—

“Your telegram 42 and my telegram thirteenth. Standing Committee resolved (to) purchase twenty-four thousand medallions from Bombay Mint through Local Government. Request Government (to) arrange accordingly.”

2. I request that the Government may be pleased to obtain the medallions for the Corporation.

Order—No. 659, Educational, dated 18th September 1911.

In continuation of G.O., No. 626, Educational, dated 7th September 1911, the Director of Public Instruction will be informed that the Government have indented for a further supply of 24,000 medallions in addition to those already ordered for distribution in this Presidency. These additional medals are required for the Corporation of Madras, and the Director of Public Instruction is requested to make them over on receipt to the President of the Corporation of Madras with the intimation that their cost may be paid into the Bank of Madras to the credit of Government.

(True Extract.)

L. DAVIDSON,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction.
" President, Corporation of Madras.
" Public Department.
" Accountant-General.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 659, EDUCATIONAL, DATED 18TH SEPTEMBER 1911.

[SUBJECT.—*Presentation of medallions to school-children on the occasion of the Coronation Durbar at Delhi.*]

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

From the President, Corporation of Madras, dated 22nd August 1911, No 573.

Submitted that the President's letter may be referred u.o. to Public for remarks.
S.V.—25-8-11.

V.S.—25-8-11.

P. T. THARYAN—25-8-11.

Submitted that the question was considered in Educational to which the current may be transferred.

K.A.G.—27-8-11.

L. DAVIDSON—28-8-11.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Draft a reply to the President, Corporation of Madras.

2. How many school-children are there in Madras—

- (a) altogether;
- (b) in schools under public management;
- (c) in aided schools.

Exclude College classes.

L. DAVIDSON—28-8-11.

Excluding College students who number 2,663, there are 43,430 scholars in Madras. Of these, 2,761 are in schools under public management, 34,549 in aided schools, 1,209 in unaided schools and 4,911 in private (unrecognized) schools.

2. With reference to the communication from the Government of India in the linked file, it is for consideration whether the Corporation of Madras may be asked to state if it requires any medals for distribution for school-children in Madras and if so how many.

T.K.—1-9-11.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—2-9-11.

We should, I think, wire the cost of the medals and ask the Corporation to report as soon as possible how many medals they require saying the indent must be sent in before the 20th September.

M. H[AMMICK]—2-9-11.

Yes.

V. K[RISHNASWAMI AIYAR]—2-9-11.

The following telegram may be despatched to the President, Corporation of Madras:—

Number 39. "Your letter, August 22nd, regarding medallions. Government propose to distribute at their cost medallions to top pupil in each class in all schools. Please wire how many extra medallions, if any, Corporation require for distribution among schools in city. The medallions cost Rupees eight thousand for one lakh. Indent must reach Government before 15th instant."

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—4-9-11.

L. DAVIDSON—4-9-11.

Telegram from the President, Corporation of Madras, dated 11th September 1911.

The President reports that the Corporation do not require medallions from Government and that arrangements are being made for obtaining them privately.

2. It is not clear whether the President means that the Corporation is obtaining the requisite supply of medallions from the Mint Master, Bombay, by sending him an indent direct, or that the Corporation has arranged with a private firm to get the supply of medallions it requires. The design of the medal which is to be issued by the Mint Master, Bombay, has been decided upon

Paragraph 1 of India's letter, dated 30th May 1911, on page 2 of G.O., Nos. 543-4, Educational, dated 7th August 1911.

Page 4 of G.O., Nos. 543-4, Educational, dated 7th August 1911.

would be convenient if indents from local bodies or private associations are amalgamated with the indents from Local Governments. If the Corporation's idea is to obtain medals from a private firm, the proposal is open to the further objection pointed out by the Chief Secretary in his note, dated 14th August 1911, on page 7 of G.O., No. 577, Educational, dated 17th August 1911. It is for consideration whether fuller information as to the nature of the Corporation's proposal may be called for.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—11-9-11.

Yes: please ask for it pointing out how the matter stands. Under Secretary can pass the draft.

L. DAVIDSON—12-9-11.

The following telegram may issue to the President, Corporation of Madras:—

No. 42. "Your telegram dated yesterday. Does Corporation propose getting medals direct from Mint Master, Bombay, or from any private firm. Either course opposed to wishes of Government India that medals should be uniform design for all Provinces and that local bodies should obtain supply from Bombay Mint through Local Government. Wire reply."

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—12-9-11.

M. S. MASCARENHAS—12-9-11.

The telegram has issued. The file is submitted to Secretary for perusal.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—12-9-11.

Seen.

L. DAVIDSON—13-9-11.

From the President, Corporation of Madras, No. 933, dated 11th September 1911.

" " " " 13th " "

The telegraphic communication promised to-morrow may be awaited.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—14-9-11.

M. S. MASCARENHAS—15-9-11.

From the President, Corporation of Madras, dated 15th September 1911.

The Standing Committee of the Corporation of Madras has resolved to purchase 24,000 medallions from Bombay Mint through the Local Government and request Government to arrange accordingly. The following telegram may issue to the Mint Master, Bombay:—

No. 43. "My letter [Number] 627 [dated] seventh instant. Please supply Director of Public Instruction, Madras, twenty-four thousand medallions in addition to number already ordered."

2. After issue of the telegram an order intimating to the Director of Public Instruction that an additional indent has been sent and instructing him to supply the Corporation of Madras with 24,000 medallions on payment will be submitted.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—16-9-11.

M. S. MASCARENHAS—16-9-11.

The telegram has issued. The draft is for approval.

T.K.—18-9-11.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—18-9-11.

L. DAVIDSON—18-9-11.

[G.O., No. 659, Educational, dated 18th September 1911.]

G.O.No.626, Edl., dated 7--9-1911.

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C.No. 2264,	-do.-	933,	dated 11--9-1911
C.No. 2269,	-do.-	...	15--9-1911
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ORDER:
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In continuation of G.O.No.626,

Edl., dated 7th September 1911, the

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to those already ordered for

distribution in this Presidency. These

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the Corporation of Madras and the

D.P.I. is requested to ^{make them} hand these over

on receipt to the President of the

Corporation of Madras with the intima-

tion that their cost may be ^{paid} remitted

into the ~~Treasury~~ Bank of Madras to

the Credit of Govt.

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To the D.P.I.

" Pt. Corpn. of Madras.
" Public Department
" A.G.

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