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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
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READ—the following papers:—

I

G.O. No. 204, Educational, dated 2nd March 1912.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating to the Director of Public Instruction letter from the Government of India making a grant of eight lakhs of rupees towards the improvement of popular education in the Madras Presidency.

II

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

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—the 10th July 1912.

No.—Ref. on Cur. 5165.

I have the honour to request the sanction of Government to the utilization of a sum of Rs. 12,000 out of the Imperial grant of 8 lakhs allotted for the current year towards the payment of special grants to industrial schools as shown below:—

Name of school.	Amount of grant.	Purpose for which the grant is proposed to be given.
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1. St. Joseph's Industrial School, Coimbatore ..	2,600	Tools, apparatus and an oil-engine.
2. Wesleyan Mission Industrial School, Karur ..	600	Tools and apparatus.
3. Chengelvaraya Nayakar's Technical Institute, Madras.	200	Do.
4. Arcot American Mission Industrial School, Arni.	400	Do.
5. St. Joseph's Orphan Industrial School, Tindivanam.	400	Do.
6. Anjuman-i-mufid-i-ahl-i-Islam, Madras.. ..	4,300	Tools, apparatus, oil-engine and a log saw.
7. Art Industrial School, Nazareth	2,100	Tools, apparatus and an oil-engine.
8. St. Francis Xavier's Industrial School, Tanjore..	200	Tools and apparatus.
9. All Saints Boys' Industrial School, Puthur, Trichinopoly.	500	Do.
10. Anjuman-i-Isha-Athul-Hasnath, Vellore ..	400	Do.
11. H.G.L.M. Industrial School, Nayudupet ..	300	Do.
Total ..	12,000	

2. It is proposed to pay the amounts specified above as free grants to the schools for their better equipment. The Superintendent of Industrial Education will be asked to see that the above amounts are drawn by the correspondents of the schools concerned and spent in the purchase of articles approved by him and that the necessary vouchers, for the articles purchased, are submitted to him for scrutiny and check.

III

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

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—the 9th October 1912.

No.—Ref. on Cur. 5165.

I have the honour to solicit the attention of Government to my letter K.C. No. 5165, dated 10th July 1912, requesting sanction to the payment of a sum of Rs. 12,000 as special grants to certain industrial schools and to request that early orders may be passed so as to enable the correspondents of the schools concerned to draw the grants and utilize them in full, before the close of the current official year.

Order—No. 941, Educational, dated 28th October 1912.

The Government approve the proposals of the Director of Public Instruction to distribute in 1912-13 the Imperial grant of Rs. 12,000 for technical and industrial education among the eleven aided institutions named in his letter read above.

2. Further orders will issue in the Financial Department regarding the provision of funds.

(True Extract.)

L. DAVIDSON,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction.
,, Financial Department.
Editors' Table.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 941, EDUCATIONAL,
DATED 28TH OCTOBER 1912.

[SUBJECT.—*Distribution of the coronation grant of Rs. 12,000 intended for technical and industrial education.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 10th July 1912, No 5165.

The Director of Public Instruction submits his proposals for the utilization of the Imperial grant of Rs. 12,000 intended for technical and industrial education. The Government of India in paragraph 4 (d) of their letter No. 378, dated 13th February 1912, have indicated that this grant might be usefully expended upon workshops and equipment and kindred objects connected with schemes for industrial education. For the current year, the Director of Public Instruction proposes to distribute this amount as grants-in-aid of eleven aided industrial schools for the purpose of purchase of tools, plant and apparatus. The Director's proposals seem acceptable generally. There seems to be at present no Government institution on which this grant may be usefully expended. The Madura Technical Institute orders re-constituting which have been recently passed, has a separate allotment of Rupees 90,000 from the Imperial grant * sanctioned for 1911-12. The North Madras Industrial school is still very much in the air. The only other institution towards which the present grant may be utilised will be the St. Aloysius' Industrial school at Vizagapatam for the enlargement and development of which the Government have undertaken to acquire † land at a cost of Rs. 2,734 and grant subsidies amounting to Rs. 3,000 and Rs. 6,000 for additional machinery and buildings, respectively, besides an annual grant for maintenance. The Director of Public Instruction does not propose to include this institution in his present proposals, as he can apparently find the portion of the amount required in the current year from the allotment already at his disposal. In these circumstances his proposal to distribute the grant among the aided institutions mentioned by him seems unobjectionable.

2. As regards the schools selected by the Director of Public Instruction for the grants, it is not stated on what basis these schools have been selected. Apparently he has satisfied himself that the amounts proposed by him for each of these institutions are necessary. From a comparison with the list of institutions given in the subsidiary tables attached to the public instruction report for 1910-11, it will be seen that all the nine aided "higher class industrial schools," which taught "subjects coming under two or more of the groups of the technical examination scheme" and received aid from the general revenues in that year, are now proposed for the special grants. The other two are institutions which taught subjects coming under

In page 3 of G.O. No. 204, Educational, dated 2nd March 1912.

† Proposals sent to Revenue and Financial for acceptance.

G.Os. Nos. 2734, Revenue, dated 18th August 1910 and 99, Educational, dated 14th February 1911.

Pages 87 to 89 of subsidiary tables in the public instruction report (volume II) for 1910-11.

* Of 6.57 lakhs.

only *one* group of the scheme and were also in receipt of Government aid in 1910-11.

Pages 33 to 36 of the appendices. It will also appear from appendix F to the public instruction report for 1910-11 that excluding Chengalvaraya Nayakar's Technical Institute, which is an institution conducted on a more elaborate scale, all the other eight institutions of the higher industrial grade teach cabinet-making in addition to one or more other subjects such as drawing, weaving, tailoring, blacksmiths' work, etc., while the St. John's Industrial school at Nazareth teaches lace-making and embroidery. In the distribution proposed the three schools which have to purchase an oil-engine are allowed a larger share. This distribution may be accepted. The Director of Public Instruction proposes in paragraph 2 of his letter sufficient safeguards for seeing that the grants allotted are properly utilized on the objects for which they are made.

3. If the proposals are now approved, the Financial Department may be asked to allot the amount required from the reserve at their disposal, as the grant of 4 lakhs allotted in the current year's budget has already been exceeded to the extent of Rs. 2,28,477. With the Rs. 12,000 now required, the total amount to be allotted will be Rs. 2,40,477.

4. A draft order is submitted for approval which, if approved, may be sent to the Financial Department for acceptance.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—25-7-12.

Have we in the Secretariat any information regarding the latest reports on these schools, *e.g.*, in the annual report of the Superintendent of industrial education? No doubt the Director of Public Instruction has selected the schools most deserving of aid: but have we any corroboration of his selection?

L. DAVIDSON—26-7-12.

Submitted that the annual reports of the Superintendent of industrial education give no useful information about the schools individually. The only publication which contains any information about the schools in issue is Mr. Cotton's memorandum printed with G.O. No. 2576, Revenue, dated 5th August 1910. This

L. DAVIDSON. | memorandum is now three years old. It deals with ten of the eleven schools now proposed for subsidy. The remaining school, viz., the G.L.M. school at Nayudupet was not inspected by Mr. Cotton and was not therefore reported on. Of the accounts given of these schools, the report about the Wesleyan Mission school at Karur is a little discouraging. The school might have improved since. The other schools do not seem to be undeserving of aid.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—30-7-12.

Then we must take the Director of Public Instruction's selection on trust. The case may now go to—

The Financial Department.

His Excellency the Governor.

L. DAVIDSON—30-7-12.

To the Financial Department.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

The proposals of the Director of Public Instruction for the distribution of the sum of 12 lakh which the Government of India earmarked out of the Imperial grant of 8 lakhs for technical and industrial education are in accordance with the Government of India's instructions for the expenditure of this amount.

Paragraphs 4 (d) and 6 (d) of Government of India's letter on page 3 of G.O. No. 204, Educational, dated 2nd March 1912.

2. The institutions among which the above sum is now proposed to be distributed as grant are, however, all *private ones*; there being no Government institutions at present on which the money can be spent. The St. Aloysius' industrial school,

Vizagapatam, in respect of which Government have already committed themselves to expenditure does not come in for a grant in the Director of Public Instruction's list and from the Educational Department note, it would appear that a non-recurring charge of Rs. 11,734 has yet to be incurred on account of this institution. In accepting the Director of Public Instruction's proposals for the distribution of the whole of the 12 lakh among private institutions other than St. Aloysius' school, the Educational Department assume that the grant for the latter required in the current year will be found by the Director of Public Instruction from his allotment. It is not known whether the Director of Public Instruction will follow this course or whether he will come up to Government for an additional allotment for the school at Vizagapatam.

3. The Honourable Member has recently observed in connection with a proposal to divert the provision under "University" for grants to colleges that in view of the very liberal provision made this year in the Educational budget, the diversion should not be agreed to and that the Director of Public Instruction must keep within budget limits for the present.

4. The present distribution may, it is submitted, be agreed to on the understanding that the Director of Public Instruction finds from his budget the grant required in 1912-13 for the St. Aloysius' school. The draft may be accepted in Financial. As regards paragraph 2 of the draft, the sum of 4 lakhs which the Government of India provided in the current year's budget out of the Imperial grant of 8 lakhs having been fully utilized, the Government of India will have to be asked later on to allot the remainder that may be required for expenditure. Meanwhile the sum of 12 lakh may, it is submitted, be temporarily met from the resumpions with Financial.

A.S.—5-8-12.

A.H.—6-8-12.

C. REILLY—7-8-12.

A. G. CARDEW—10-8-12.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

The conditional acceptance of the proposals by the Financial Department does not render it possible to make any further progress with the present file. In G.O. No. 728, Educational, dated 9th August 1912, the Director of Public Instruction has been asked to indicate the source from which the grants required for the St. Aloysius' school can be met. The order was despatched on the 10th idem; and it is too soon to issue a reminder. Perhaps the Director of Public Instruction may be reminded on the 20th instant. Until the reply is received, the file may, it is submitted, lie over.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—16-8-12.

Yes.

L. DAVIDSON—16-8-12.

If the Director of Public Instruction cannot indicate a source this might be added to the application for a share in India's surplus of 4½ lakhs as to which a telegram came on the 14th instant.

L. DAVIDSON—16-8-12.

The Director of Public Instruction's reply to G.O. No. 728, Educational, dated 9th August 1912, has been received and is dealt with in the linked file. The total amount of grant required for the St. Aloysius' Industrial school is about Rs. 11,200.

The Director of Public Instruction proposes to meet this from the provision for the establishment of model high schools. As the balance available under this is only Rs. 7,800 it is proposed in the linked file to ask Financial to allot this sum and to allot the balance of Rs. 3,400 from the reserve with that department. If the proposal is accepted in Financial the draft order in this case may issue.

2. Out of the Government of India's surplus grant of $4\frac{1}{4}$ lakhs referred to in the Secretary's note on the previous page, this Government are to get Rs. 30,000 and it is intended for the education of Europeans; and it is not known what other assignments will be made. The grant required for the St. Aloysius' school should therefore be found by this Government from other sources.

P.R.—3-10-12.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—5-10-12.

Financial with linked file.

L. DAVIDSON—5-10-12.

To the Financial Department.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Attention is solicited to paragraph 4 of Financial Department office-note on page 3 *ante* in which the distribution proposed by the Director of Public Instruction of the grant of 12 lakh among certain Industrial schools was accepted in this department

Acquisition of site	Rs. 2,167
Carpentry shop	6,000
Additional machinery	3,000
Total	11,167

Amount resumed	75,000
Total re-appropriations since sanctioned.	67,200

Rs.	Rs.
1,50,000	11,167
1,42,200	7,800
7,800	3,367

on the understanding that the Director of Public Instruction finds from his budget the grant of Rs. 11,167 required for the St. Aloysius' Industrial school, Vizagapatam. The Director of Public Instruction has proposed to meet this amount from the budget grant of 1.50 in the current year for the establishment of model high schools. As the balance available out of this lump provision is only Rs. 7,800,* the Educational Department suggest that the balance required for the Industrial school, Vizagapatam (Rs. 3,400 † roundly), may be sanctioned from the reserve with Financial, the sum of 12 lakh included in the Imperial grant being reserved entirely for other private institutions.

2. In view of the fact that the Honourable Member has already observed that the Director of Public Instruction must keep within budget limits for the present, the course suggested by Educational cannot, it is submitted, be accepted. The grant for the St. Aloysius' school being also for *industrial education* it should properly come out of the Imperial grant of 12 lakh for the purpose. The Educational Department

† Imperial grant	Rs. 12,000
Amount diverted for Vizagapatam school	3,400
	8,600

may, it is submitted, be requested to meet the balance of Rs. 3,400 required for the St. Aloysius' school from the 12 lakh and to distribute the remainder (Rs. 8,600 ‡) among the several industrial schools recommended by the Director of Public Instruction.

3. If the proposal in paragraph 2 *ante* is accepted, an additional allotment of Rs. 12,000 may, it is submitted, be sanctioned in Financial on receipt of the Educational Department proceedings.

M.J.—12-10-12.

A.S.—14-10-12.

C. REILLY—14-10-12.

The Educational draft is accepted.

2. As regards the Rs. 11,167 for St. Aloysius' school, there is no objection in Financial to Rs. 7,800 being met from the source indicated by the Director of Public Instruction, who may be called on to consider further from what source he can provide the balance of Rs. 3,400. Considering the vast sums at his disposal, there can be no real difficulty in providing this small amount.

A. G. CARDEW—16-10-12.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

As Financial have now accepted the draft, the file may be circulated to His Excellency as marked by the Secretary on page 2 *supra*.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—17-10-12.

T. E. MOIR—18-10-12.

Approved.

M. H[AMMICK]—23-10-12.

[G.O. No. 941, Educational, dated 28th October 1912.]

G.O.No.204, Edl., dated 2nd March 1912.

C.No.1923, from the D.P.I., No.5165, dated 10--7--1912.

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The Government approve the proposals of the D.P.I. to distribute in 1912-13 the Imperial grant of Rs.12,000 for technical and industrial education among the eleven aided institutions named in his letter read above.

2. Further orders will issue in the Financial Department regarding the provision of funds.

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To the D.P.I. ✓

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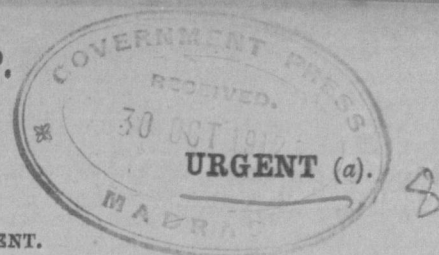
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