

Educational (1913) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 703

DATED 31.7. 1913.

[Despatch Abstract.]

European schools. Informing the President of the
 Anglo Indian Association, Mysore & Coorg, Ld, that
 members of ——— have been asked to examinate
 case in presenting certificates of nationalities ———
 for admission into European school examinations.

The Anglo-Indian Association of Mysore & Coorg, (Ltd.)

From

The President

Anglo-Indian Association

Mysore and Coorg Ltd.

To

The Chief Secretary

to the Government of Madras.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit copy of the resolution of the General Committee of this Association with the covering letter to the Inspector of European Schools and to request that the Government may be pleased to take such action as they deem fit to prevent a repetition of what has occurred.

2. I am to state that it is difficult to obtain information after a pupil has appeared and passed the Examination but it is easy for the Educational Department to lay down rules and call for proofs of parentage which will absolutely prevent other than bona-fide Anglo-Indians from appearing for the Examinations intended solely for European children.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

President.



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The Anglo-Indian Association of Mysore & Coorg, (Ltd.)

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From,

The Secretary,
Anglo-Indian Association,
Mysore & Coorg (Ltd).

To,

The Inspector of European Schools,
M A D R A S.

Dear Sir,

In forwarding the accompanying resolution of the Executive Committee of the Anglo-Indian Association of Mysore & Coorg Ltd.

I have the honor to bring to your notice that there is a practice in vogue of pure Indians taking English names and donning English clothes and passing off as of European descent and in this manner gaining admission into European schools and further appearing for the examinations which are solely intended for European pupils.

2. As a case in point I beg to bring to your notice that in the station of Bangalore, a boy by the name of Earnest Carlisle has for the past two years appeared from the Baldwins High School for the High School Examination which he failed in, in 1911, but obtained a pass in 1912. This boy we are given to understand is not of European descent but of parents who are said to be Bengali Hindus, which can be ascertained if necessary.

3. Another case is that of the two children by the name of Peris

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pupils of the Good Shepherd ^{Covent} one of whom who appeared for Primary Scholarship Examination held in December 1911 and her you sister for the same Examination held in 1912. The latter obtained scholarship. These children are of pure Indian descent the father and mother being native christians of Mangalore. This can be proved from the Service Register of the father who is employed in the office of the Commissioner of Coorg Bangalore.

4. Considering that so much is being done by Government for the Domiciled Community and that special Codes and Grants exists to meet the special circumstances in which the Community is placed as against the Indian Communities, it seems clear that all these efforts to help the Community are being defeated by a large number of Indians adopting the deceptive method of passing under the guise of Anglo-Indians.

5. I am therefore directed to bring these facts to your notice in order that steps may be taken to permit none but those of European descent availing themselves of the benefits which are solely intended for Anglo-Indian children.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant
H. W. Perumal
Hon'y Secretary.

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The Anglo-Indian Association of Mysore & Coorg, (Ltd.)

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Resolution V (A)

- (1) That the Secretary be directed to address the Inspector of European Schools regarding the fact of three Indian pupils studying in European Schools in this station having appeared for examinations intended solely for European children vide Code of Regulations for European Schools.
- (2). That a copy of the above letter be forwarded to the Director of Public Instructions Madras with a request that he will be kind enough to issue orders to the various Managers of European Schools directing them to be stricter in their selection of candidates for the Examinations open only to European Scholars so that none but those entitled to appear may be admitted.
- (3). That this Association considers that there should be application forms prescribed for admission of pupils to European Schools in which a declaration of the nationality of each of the parents and Grand parents be made.
- (4). That copies of the above resolutions and the Secretary's letter be forwarded to the Government of India and all local Governments and also to the Federated Anglo-Indian Associations for information.

(True copy)

H. W. Jermine
Hon'y Secretary.

C. No. 1603, from the *Pres. Anglo.*, No. *Indian Arts, Mysore*, dated *May* 1913

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Memorandum. No. 1603-1, dated 27/5/13 1913

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Referred to the S.P.O. for remarks.

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Subject.

Resubmitting with remarks Government Endorsement No. 1603-1, Edl.d/27th May 13 on a communication from the President of the Anglo-Indian Association of Mysore & Coorg requesting that greater care may be exercised before giving the certificate of nationality required for the admission of a pupil to the European School Examinations.

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Station, Madras, Dated the 10th July 1903

From (Name) The Hon'ble Sir Alfred Gibbs Bourne, D.Sc.F.R.S.
K.C.I.L.,

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational ~~Department~~ ^{Local and Municipal Department}.

St. John's Hill.

Sir,

In returning the letter of the President, Anglo-Indian Association of Mysore & Coorg Limited, dated 13th May '13 referred to me for remarks with Memorandum No. 1603-1, Educational, dated 27th May 13 I have the honour to state that the Inspector of European and Training Schools reports that it was not denied that the children are Indians but that the correspondents of the schools concerned had all along supposed ~~by~~ from their appearance that these were Eurasians. The boy Ernest Carlisle has, now, left Baldwin's High School, but the girl Florence Josephine Peris is still at the Good Shepherd Convent. The Inspector of European and Training Schools has issued a Circular to the correspondents of European schools, Madras &

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Bangalore asking them to exercise greater care before giving the certificate of nationality required for the admission of a pupil to the European School Examinations.

2 In this connection, I beg to state that mistakes of this kind are very rare and the existing state of things should be considered satisfactory in the absence of an infallible test of nationality. The Anglo-Indian Association did not assist me when I put special cases of doubtful nationality before them some years ago and I think the Association might perhaps be advised to start a registration department.

I have the honour to be,

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Your most obedient servant,

G. Krishna Rao

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For Director of Public Instruction.

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C.No.1603 Edl., from the President, Anglo-Indian Association, dated 17-5-1913.

C.No.2161 Edl., from the D.P.I., No. 3576, dated 10-7-13.

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With reference to his letter, submitting copies of resolutions of the general committee of the Anglo-Indian -- Association of Mysore and Coorg regarding the appearance of Indian pupils ~~for~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ examinations solely intended for -- Europeans, the President of the Association is informed that correspondents of European schools have been ~~warned~~ ^{asked} to -- exercise greater care ~~before~~ ⁱⁿ granting certificates of nationality required for admission to the European school examinations.

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Note. It does not seem to be necessary to take any action with reference to the Director's suggestion in para 2 of his letter in page 7 of current file.

To the President, Anglo-Indian Association, Mysore & Coorg.
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