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[Despatch Abstract.]

Permitting Dr. Marsden to proceed to Bangalore to carry on certain investigations at the Indian Institute of Science in the manufacture of vegetable drugs.

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D. O. 1491

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 11/1/15
 OFFICE OF THE
 DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE,
 "BEDFORD HOUSE," HIGH GROUND,
 Bangalore 30th October 1915

My dear Todhunter,

The Department of Industries in Mysore has started working at vegetable dyes with a view to producing pastes and solutions which can be put on the market to replace the present shortage. I have engaged an assistant who was working under Dr. Marsden in Madras and we have taken over the collection of dye materials that was got together by Mr. Tressler in Madras and the work is being carried on at the Indian Institute of Science under the supervision of the Applied Chemistry Department. The progress so far is satisfactory and it is necessarily rather slow and it has occurred to me that it will be desirable to hasten matters somewhat and to prepare an exhibit for the Exhibition to be held in Madras during Christmas.

Dr. Marsden is up here at the present moment and we have had a meeting at the Institute of Science this morning.

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with Sir Alfred Bourne and the Professors of the Applied Chemistry Department and we came to the conclusion that I should write to you and ask if the Madras Government would be good enough to allow Dr. Marsden to come up to the Institute of Science and take general charge of the work now going on. In the first instance, I would suggest that Dr. Marsden might be deputed to work at the Institute of Science up to the date of the Exhibition when the results of the work will be in evidence and the question of continuing his deputation up here might be considered.

This attempt to prepare dye stuff from vegetable materials will be conducted at the expense of the Mysore Government with the assistance of the chemical staff of the Institute of Science. The results will be of value not merely to the Mysore State but to the whole of India and it is, I think, a very proper work for the Tinctorial Chemist to the Government of Madras to take up. I should therefore be obliged if you would kindly place the matter before the Madras Government with a view to deputing Dr. Marsden to the Institute

Institute of Science till say the end of December.

It is, I think, desirable to take advantage of the Exhibition which will be held in Madras to show such products as it may be possible to manufacture and I hope that we shall be able to put small quantities of vegetable dye stuff on the market for sale, also small quantities of cotton yarn, wool and silk ready dyed for the weavers' use. As the time for this work is very short if we are to take advantage of the Exhibition, I would request an early reply.

If the Government of Madras are unable to depute Dr. Marsden, the work will go on and we shall endeavour to make an exhibit but I am afraid that without his assistance it will not be a very extensive one and that we shall not be able to actually exhibit dye stuffs for sale.

Yours sincerely,

Sydney Chatterton

The Hon
Mr C.G. Todhunter, Secy.,
Madras.

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My dear Father

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Consult Mr. Parker at once.
The project is attractive, but he is
already very much burdened and I
doubt we have the power to carry on
without Dr. Menden.

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A draft of is submitted for approval
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My dear Treasurer,

Please see the enclosed copy of letter from Chalkerton, dated the 30th October 1915, regarding the reparation of Marsden to the Indian Institute of Science ^{in connection with} the experiments ^{which are being} carried on there. I am to ask you to ^{for} give your remarks on the proposal as early as possible.

Yours sincerely

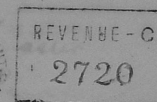
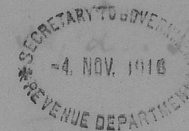
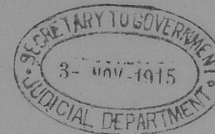
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If you prefer to let him go you must say that you will carry on his work here and at Madras

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Office of the Director of
Industries, Madras,
2nd November, 1915.



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My Dear Todhunter,

Regarding Chatterton's application, Chatterton has sent me a copy of his letter.

As the experimentⁱⁿ in dye-stuffs is one which this department has originated, it seems to me reasonable that Dr. Marsden should go up to Bangalore to look after it. I should have thought, his assistant ^{that I think that} Mr. Chatterton has taken over) would have been competent to do the work himself, but I am prepared to accept Chatterton's opinion. If Marsden's presence is required, and as the research is an important one—I shall feel inclined to let him go—at least for the period stated therein until Christmas.

At the Leather Trades School Mr. Mason of Messrs Chambers & Co., is teaching actual leather work and most of the Science classes are now being conducted by the Scientific Assistant. For a short period of a month and a half I think I could look after the Leather Trades School, but would not at present be prepared to agree to a longer period of deputation.

It was also my intention to send Dr. Marsden to the Punalur Paper Mills once or twice to superintend the work there subject to the condition that he can be absent from Bangalore when his presence is required at Punalur. I recommend that he be allowed to go until Christmas.

There is no work going on at Madura now as there are no dyes.

Yours sincerely,

C. G. Todhunter, Esq.,

To under Secy

The question is under consideration in the Educational Dept. This may, it is submitted, be transferred to that Dept.

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Educational Dept.

Please see Mr. Fraser's do. on page 3 supra. It is for orders whether Dr. Marsden may be deputed to work in the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, until Christmas. It may be observed that the distribution of dyestuffs, when purchased by the orders of the Govt. of India, may have to be done under the supervision of Dr. Marsden.

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5/11/15

Submitted for orders.

Dr. Marsden will perhaps do more good working at respectable

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days at Bangalore than at Leather at
Warrington. It may be stipulated
that he must come down whenever
needed in connection with the duties
of the 'Caravel' cargo

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St. 2. the Governor.

I agree. Dr. Menden may go.

But please see him, and if necessary Mr.
Tucker, before he goes. This is rather hard to mouth
administration: and while the shortage of days
may make this unavoidable temporarily, it may have
to permit to derive some occupation of a continuous
character which is with it in the meantime until
Dr. Menden's special qualifications, i.e. after
Christmas.

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Dr. Menden informed

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Ind. Department

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10/11/15

My dear Chatterton,

With reference to your
do. No. 1491, dated the 30th
ultimo, I am to inform
you that this Govt have
granted permission to
Dr. Narayan to work in
Indian Institute of
Science, Bangalore,
till the end of December
as proposed by you.
I am, however, to state
that he will have to
come down to Madras
whenever his services
are ^{indispensable here} ~~required by the Govt~~

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Yours sincerely

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To

A. Chatterton Esq.
Director of Industries & Commerce,
Mysore, Bangalore,

(Hatched below)

The draft order granting permission to D. Henson to proceed to Bangalore, has issued. The file is submitted, with reference to H.E. the Governor's note on page 5 supra, so that the Secretary ^{SK} may speak to Mr. Tressler if necessary. ^{15.11.15.}
 CR
 15/11/15

I have spoken to Mr. Tressler. He has proposed sending D. Henson to Calcutta to learn paper work and is now considering whether he should not propose him for Inspector of Industrial schools. The papers may be needed.

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No. 12092, dated 10-11-1918

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Under Article 5-7 of the
C.S.R. Dr. Hansen, the
Dyeing Expert, will be
permitted to proceed
to Bangalore & to stay
there till the end of
December next to carry
on certain investi-
gations ^{at the Indian Institute of Science} in the manufacture
of vegetable dyes. He
will ^{now} ~~will~~ leave on Monday
9.11.15. to return to Madras
on 9.11.15. if and
when his services
are required as for instance
in connection with the disposal
of the cargo of the 'Bamufel'
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The Dir. of Industries
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