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[Despatch Abstract.]

The Madras College for women

Requesting the Govt. of India to move the Secretary of State to recruit the two lady professors required for the college in time to proceed to India before the college session begins in the last week of June 1915 & furnishing information about the missionary college to be established in Mysore.

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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

INDIAN TELEGRAPHS. No. 137 MADRAS EDUCATIONAL MADRAS

NUMBER 426 EDUCATION REFERENCE CORRESPONDENCE ENDING
WITH THIS DEPARTMENT LETTER. 1968 DATED 18 TH DECR LAST
FOLLOWING TELEGRAM DATED 2 ND MARCH RECD FROM SECY OF STATE
BEGINS WOMEN'S COLLEGE MADRAS PLEASE REFER TO YOUR FINANCIAL
SPATCH NO 461 DATED DECR 11 TH I AM AFRAID IT WOULD NOT BE
FEASIBLE TO RECRUIT TWO LADY PROFESSORS WITH THE
QUALIFICATIONS DESIRED IN TIME FOR THEM TO PROCEED TO INDIA

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BEFORE THE BEGINNING OF THE HOT WEATHER, THE POSTS CANNOT BE
FILLED THEREFORE BEFORE OCTR AND TILL THEN PROVISIONAL
ARRANGEMENTS MUST CONTINUE I SHALL BE GLAD MEANWHILE TO
RECEIVE OFFICIAL INFORMATION REGARDING A MISSIONARY COLLEGE
FOR WOMEN WHICH IS BEING ESTABLISHED IN MADRAS I UNDERSTAND
ENDS WITH PERMISSION OF GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL PLEASE FURNISH
INFORMATION ABOUT MISSIONARY COLLEGE FOR WOMEN REQUIRED

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Copy of telegram from the Government of India,
Department of Education (Education), Delhi,
dated 4th March 1915:--

"Number 426 Education." Reference correspondence
ending with this Department letter 1968 dated 18th
December last. Following telegram dated 2nd March
received from Secretary of State:

Begins--Women's College, Madras. Please refer to your
Financial Despatch No. 461 dated December 11th. I
am afraid it would not be feasible to recruit two
Lady Professors with the qualifications desired in
time for them to proceed to India before the
beginning of the hot weather. The posts cannot be
filled therefore before October and till then
provisional arrangements must continue. I shall be
glad meanwhile to receive official information
regarding a Missionary College for Women which is
being established in Madras I understand. --Ends.

Edw. Secy.

Please draft telegram

for my consideration -

after consulting D.P. 1.

pointing out that

College session begins

*(?) 1. July: and that it is important that these app'ts. should be filled by
them.*

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With permission of Governor in Council please furnish
information about Missionary College for Women
required by Secretary of State."

*What public undertakings have been given,
if any, in this matter?*

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G.Os.No.125, Edl., dated the 29th January 1914, and No.614, Edl., dated the 27th May 1914, which relate to the establishment of the Women's College at Madras have been placed on the Editors' Table. In the latter sanction was accorded to the opening of the college for a year from the 1st July 1914 and it was also stated that the Government of India would be addressed in regard to the recruitment of two lady professors from England. The college has a staff of ^{two} ~~two~~ ^{temporary} lady professors appointed locally; and it has been affiliated to the University in Group III of the Intermediate Course.

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Though definite undertaking has ~~been~~ ^{been} given to the public that the college will be permanently established, yet from the above G.Os. (placed on E.T.) and from the discussions in the Senate in connection with the affiliation of the college, the public will no doubt understand that the intention of the Government is really so.

The chief reasons leading to the temporary arrangements for the working of the college were--

(i) the necessity to avoid the delay resulting from an application to the Government of India to move the Secretary of State to sanction two additional appointments in the cadre of the Indian Educational Service and to

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recruit two ladies for those posts and

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(11) the desire to test the demand which exists for a separate college for women in Madras.

It may be stated that this demand has been sufficiently tested since there are now more than thirty students in the college and the Director of Public Instruction expects at least ^{sixty} next year. Further, permanent arrangements are being made by the acquisition of Capper House and certain lands adjacent to it and for the provision of ~~separate~~ accommodation for the college.

2. The necessity for a non-Christian Government College for women is fully explained in His Excellency's replies to the letters of Sir Andrew Fraser, Chairman of the Interdenominational Committee on Education in connection with the World Missionary Conference. The papers recorded in G.O.No.1011, Edl., dated August 1914. These papers also give some information about the proposed Missionary College for Women. in connection with the affiliation of the ^{Govt} Women's to the University, Mr. Pittendrigh stated at the Senate meeting that there was also another Women's College which would in the near future ask for affiliation and

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that it would not then be said that there was ^{already} another college that had been affiliated. Beyond the above, the Government have no information about the proposed Missionary College for Women. The Director of Public Instruction may probably have more information to furnish about that college. He may first be consulted u.o. as directed by His Excellency the Governor, before drafting a telegram to India.

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Dr. P. J. Uo
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No. 67 dated 11th March '15

I understand that the College is to be opened in July next. The exact site is not yet chosen but it will be in Madras. Two European lady graduates have already been appointed & endeavours are being made to secure the services of a third graduate from America. The management is joint-missionary - several missionary bodies being represented. The intention is to teach all groups up to the Intermediate standard. Work in the H.A. class, which will subsequently be started, only the literary groups will be taught.

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The D.P.D. has furnished some information about the proposed missionary college for women but has not offered any remarks in regard to the Govt College. A draft telegram in accordance with the orders of H.E. is submitted for approval. The Honble Mr. Sivaswami Ayyar wishes to see the reply to the Govt. of India. The file may be circulated to him also.

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Draft telegram for approval.

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H.E.

Subd. S. Sivaswami.

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C.No.836, from the Government of India, Department of Education (Education),
Delhi, No.426 Edn., dated the 4th March 1915.

ORDER: No. 823 Mr.
MIS. d. 20 3. 1915

The following telegram will be
despatched to the Government of India:--

TELEGRAM.

"Number 836 Educational. Your
telegram 426 Education (dated) 4th March.
Government have not received (any)
official information regarding (the)
Missionary College for Women to be
established (in) Madras. It is however
understood (that) latter will be
opened (in) July next (on) avowedly
Christian basis. (The) site for it (has)
not yet (been) selected. (The)
management (is) to be joint missionary,
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(to be) to teach all groups of subjects up to (the) Intermediate standard but only literary subjects in (the) B.A. classes to be subsequently opened. (The) Government College for Women (at) Madras (which has been) affiliated to (the) Madras University has now more than thirty students and thirty more (are) expected when (the) Senior Intermediate class (is) opened in (the) last week of June next. (The) present temporary arrangements (which were) intended (for) only one year expire by (the) first July. Permanent arrangements regarding accommodation are being made. Public opinion warmly supports further development of (the) Government College as it is on non-missionary basis ~~which~~ ~~is~~ only Women's College in the Presidency. It is very important that permanent appointments should be made before (the) college session begins (on the) 26th June next.

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His Excellency in Council will feel

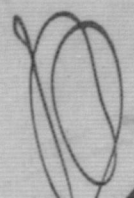
obliged if (the) Secretary of State

(can) be moved to recruit (the) two

lady professors in time (to) proceed to

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