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READ—the following papers :—

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Letter—from M. Young, Esq., I.C.S., Collector of Nilgiris and Vice-Chairman of the Committee of Management, Lawrence Memorial School.

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department (through the Director of Public Instruction).

Dated—Ootacamund, the 5/9th February 1915.

No.—5516.

I have the honour to submit herewith revised estimates for 1914-15 and budget for 1915-16 for the Lawrence Memorial School, which have been duly considered and passed by the Committee of Management, for the favourable consideration of Government, with the following remarks.

I. Receipts (Boys' Branch).—A fixed deposit account has been opened with Bank of Madras, withdrawals being subject to six weeks' notice and to the counter-signature of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman. This is included in the opening balance. A sum of Rs. 203 has already been received as interest, and it is anticipated that the interest for 1915-16 will be Rs. 1,000. This is shewn under II (4).

Under V (6) is shewn a fixed deposit of Rs. 8,466 which has matured. This is the last of the fixed deposits received from the surplus funds of the Press. There are still some bad debts due from creditors to the Press, but the Committee have not budgeted for these, as it is uncertain at present whether they can be recovered.

II. Expenditure (Boys' Branch).—(1) The budget as submitted provides for an allowance of Rs. 20 for a Librarian—*vide* item I (a) 3 and also Rs. 20 for Shorthand—*vide* item IV (1). The boys' library gets larger each year, and, with the establishment also of separate class libraries as recommended by the Inspector, this means a considerable amount of extra work. It is difficult to hold a master responsible unless there is a special allowance for it as no master cares to take up the work and responsibility for the books involved. The Committee also recommend an Office allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem for shorthand.

(2) Under Clothing and Victualling, a temporary allowance of Rs. 20 to the steward for supervising the dairy has been sanctioned by the Committee. When the new dairy was completed it was hoped to obtain a European Contractor, and Mr. Patel, of the Cantonment Dairy at Wellington, agreed to take it up. He however withdrew at the last moment, and the Committee were obliged to give the contract to an Indian.

As however the cleanliness and purity of the milk supply seemed to be of the first importance, an allowance of Rs. 20 was sanctioned for European supervision. This means no additional expenditure to the school, as the new contract was on more favourable terms to the school than the contract proposed by Mr. Patel.

(3) The errand peon has worked for over 30 years without increase of pay. He has often considerable sums of money to carry, and must therefore be a fairly responsible man. The Committee propose a personal increment of Re. 1 to his salary, thus raising it to Rs. 10 per mensem.

(4) Under item V (3) the Committee have budgeted for an expenditure of Rs. 500 for a portrait of Sir Henry Lawrence. There is a portrait of Sir Henry Lawrence in the reading room, painted by a drawing master of the school but it is considered that a good painting of the founder of the school would be advisable for the new school hall. Mrs. Hart, daughter of the late Sir Henry Lawrence, has kindly offered to lend the original portrait in her possession and to make the necessary arrangements with a competent artist.

(5) The Military Works Services prefers to do the petty repairs to the buildings, hitherto done by the Principal at a cost of Rs. 200 per mensem. These petty repairs do not include repairs to furniture (hitherto budgeted for under III (a) 7), nor do they include barrack damages. A sum of Rs. 1,720 has been allotted for this, instead of the Rs. 3,000 hitherto budgeted for.

(6) The Rs. 10,000, sanctioned for a new organ in the budget for 1914-15, has been transferred to the budget for 1915-16. The Committee have been in correspondence with a firm in England regarding the purchase of the new organ, but have been awaiting the Government orders on letter No. 4655, dated 9th December 1914, to the Executive Engineer, Coimbatore Division, on the proposal to change the site of the Organ Chamber, as it is considered advisable that the organ should be built to fit the Organ Chamber.

(7) The Committee have provided Rs. 5,000 for heating the Boys' Lavatory and for shower baths—a Sub-Committee having recommended this as a less costly scheme than the provision of a warmed and heated swimming bath—the provision of which is held over for the present. The expenditure is budgeted for in the revised estimates in accordance with the permission given by Government in G.O. No. 585, Mis., dated 21st May 1914, and the Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer is carrying out the work.

III. Expenditure (Girls' Branch).—(1) Provision is made in the budget for an allowance of Rs. 15 for a Librarian for the Girls' School—*vide* remarks on Boys' Branch—and for the raising of the pay of the Assistant Matron from Rs. 35-1-40 to Rs. 40-1-45 per mensem. The duties of the Assistant Matron are exacting, and the Committee think that Rs. 40 is the minimum wage, for which a satisfactory matron can be obtained.

(2) The Committee in Resolution IX of 19th June 1914 sanctioned, as a tentative measure for six months, the entertainment of three servants for washing up in the Girls' school at Rs. 8 each per mensem and confirmed this in Resolution No. X, dated 20th November 1914.

The question of the washing up of the plates, kitchen utensils, etc., of the Girls' school has been referred to the Principal for many years by successive Headmistresses. The Committee however have not hitherto deemed the matter to be sufficiently pressing to warrant their taking definite action in the matter. The question has lately become acute owing to (1) the establishment of High School classes and the consequent higher standard of education in the school and (2) to the starting of definite organized technical work under the trained technical mistress appointed in 1913.

The girls in the High School classes have necessarily to do at least seven hours' class work a day and have therefore no time for washing up plates, etc. As they number 12 to 16, it leaves only five or six girls of a suitable age for this work, which they find quite impossible to get through.

The technical mistress also teaches cooking, and the girls learn washing up, etc., on approved lines under her supervision.

The girls do a great deal of industrial work such as making their beds, cleaning the dormitories and class rooms, cooking, mending and making their clothes, acting as "mothers" to the little ones, and the additional work of washing up the plates after every meal and kitchen utensils means that some girls are able to have no recreation at all.

Surgeon-General Corker pointed out strongly to the Committee that, from a medical point of view, girls of a certain age should not have more work to do than is absolutely necessary, and the Committee therefore trust that Government will be pleased to confirm their action.

Account No. 2.—It is regretted that, by an oversight, this was not printed, but it is written on the last sheet of the budget.

The expenditure incurred has been, in accordance with Government orders, for Science apparatus and furniture—the plans of the Science Laboratories are with the Military Works Services and are held over pending the orders of Government on the proposals of the Committee submitted in letter No. 4512, dated 28th November 1914, to the Director of Public Instruction.

It is hoped that the marginal notes on the revised estimates and the budget as printed will sufficiently explain the remaining items.

ENCLOSURES.

(1)

Laurence Memorial School.

REVISED Estimates for 1914-15 and Budget for 1915-16.

Particulars.	Actuals, 1913-14.	Sanctioned Budget, 1914-15.	Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Remarks on Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Budget, 1915-16.	Remarks on Budget, 1915-16.
Boys' BRANCH.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
<i>Receipts.</i>						
Opening balance.	2,827	30,350	38,832	....	30,977	
I. From Government—						
1. Grant-in-aid ..	28,800	28,800	28,800	....	37,800	One and two added.
2. Special grant ..	3,500	3,500	9,000	Sixty per cent. of grants (Rs. 15,000) sanctioned in G.O. No. 142, Educational, dated 6th February 1914, and G.O. No. 1203, Educational, dated 28th October 1914.	..	
3. Building grant.	..	..	45,000	G.O. No. 1203, Educational, dated 28th October 1914.	..	
II. Profits on school property—						
1. Donation and interest on Government securities.	39,353	39,353	39,353	....	59,753	One and three added together.
2. Donation from L.A. Press.	35,437	..	..	....	..	
3. Interest on sale-proceeds of press.	..	20,400	20,400	....	..	
4. Bank interest on Fixed Deposit Account (<i>vide</i> rule 63).	..	..	203	Surplus funds not immediately required are placed in Fixed Deposit Account with the Bank of Madras at six weeks' notice of withdrawal.	1,000	

Revised Estimates for 1914-15 and Budget for 1915-16—cont.

Particulars.	Actuals, 1913-14.	Sanctioned Budget, 1914-15.	Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Remarks on Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Budget, 1915-16.	Remarks on Budget, 1915-16.
Boys' BRANCH—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
<i>Receipts—cont.</i>						
III. Special funds—						
1. Subsistence allowance.	7,900	7,500	7,050	....	7,500	
2. Fees ..	14,080	14,000	15,300	....	17,000	For ten months only.
3. Telegraph department.	490	840	630	There are nine lads only in the training class.	840	
IV. Industries—						
1. Recoveries from Military Works service.	2,421	2,400	615	The buildings have been taken over by M.W.S. who are also doing petty repairs exclusive of minor works, hence no recovery for work done and barrack damages.	..	
V. Miscellaneous—						
1. Sale of stores ..	110	100	50	....	100	
2. From N.V.R. compensation for boots.	150	150	150	....	150	
3. Other items ..	114	30	30	....	30	
4. Special money prizes.	62	..	37	....	..	
5. Donation ..	10	..	..	....	..	
6. Fixed deposit matured.	20,800	..	8,466	....	..	
Total ..	1,56,054	1,47,423	2,14,366		1,55,150	
<i>Expenditure.</i>						
I. Education—						
(a) Scholastic—						
1. Establishment ..	17,513	18,252	18,252	....	20,772	G.O. No. 1459, Educational, dated 19th December 1914.
2. Books, prizes and stationery.	2,566	2,800	3,000	....	2,800	Stationery, etc. (Rs. 1,000), class books and scripture books (Rs. 1,050), prizes (Rs. 250), science apparatus (Rs. 200), and kindergarten material (Rs. 300).
3. Library ..	282	450	375	....	640	Provides an allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem to Librarian from 1st April 1915.
4. Examination fees.	100	250	165	....	250	
5. Special money prizes.	62	..	37	....	..	
6. Scholarships ..	235	540	..	....	240	
(b) Artistic—						
1. Band establishment.	769	781	698	G.O. Mis. No. 1217, Educational, dated 30th October 1914, sanctioned an allowance of Rupees 20 per mensem for teaching string band. Pay of organist transferred to VIII l.	818	
2. Band instruments, music and repairs.	593	1,150	1,150	....	900	
3. Honorarium to band examiner.	20	20	20	....	20	
4. Gymnastic establishment.	526	538	538	....	540	
5. Apparatus and games.	691	700	900	Tug-of-war rope was purchased for Rs. 103, which was unforeseen and also increased cost of goods.	700	
(c) Telegraph—						
Premia ..	135	180	135	....	180	

Revised Estimates for 1914-15 and Budget for 1915-16—cont.

Particulars.	Actuals, 1913-14.	Sanctioned Budget, 1914-15.	Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Remarks on Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Budget, 1915-16.	Remarks on Budget, 1915-16
Boys' Branch—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
Expenditure—cont.						
I. Education—cont.						
(d) Drawing—						
1. Establishment ..	207	240	240	....	240	
2. Materials, models etc.	43	75	95	....	75	
(e) Typewriting—						
1. Establishment ..	240	240	240	....	240	
2. Machines, materials, etc.	345	350	310	....	350	For exchange of an old type-writer.
(f) Carpentry—						
1. Establishment ..	1,080	1,104	1,104	....	1,128	
2. Tools and plant.	455	500	500	....	2,000	Partial provision for equipping the new carpentry class when the buildings are built (Rs. 1,500 non- recurring).
II. Clothing and vic- tualling.						
(a) Clothing—						
1. Establishment ..	523	732	574	....	732	
2. Machines, materials, etc.	6,679	10,000	8,500	....	10,000	
3. Contract work and outfits.	3,654	4,550	3,600	....	4,550	
4. Shoeing ..	4,494	4,500	6,000	An extra pair of boots to each boy has been provided. Underestimated.	6,000	Price of leather has gone up.
5. Sergeants' cloth- ing.	184	300	450	....	300	
6. Servants' cloth- ing.	308	310	277	....	310	
(b) Victualling—						
1. Establishment ..	1,877	1,776	1,877	Allowance for dear- ness of provisions.	1,776	
2. Provisions ..	31,236	36,000	36,260	Committee in Resolu- tion No. VII, dated 21st August 1914, sanctioned free rations or allowance in lieu, to Hospital Matron. Kinder- garten Matron was put on new scale, Rs 40 plus free board sanctioned in G.O. No. 764, Edu- cational, dated 13th November 1908. Rs. 20 to Steward for supervising dairy and milking shed. Vide cover- ing letter.	36,000	
3. Kitchen and dining room utensils.	271	400	400	....	400	
4. Out-boarders ..	622	1,080	557	Only two boarders at present.	1,080	
III. Household, hos- pital and sanitation—						
(a) Household—						
1. Establishment ..	5,889	5,985	5,985	....	5,910	
2. Washing ..	1,976	2,250	2,089	....	2,250	
3. Lighting ..	792	1,200	1,200	....	1,200	
4. Wood-cutting, etc.	1,024	1,000	1,096	Allowance for dear- ness of provisions.	1,000	
5. Bedding, and towelings.	1,513	2,500	2,000	....	1,750	
6. Hardware, brushes, soap.	991	1,000	1,250	Actuals to end of November, Rupees 1003.	1,000	

Revised Estimates for 1914-15 and Budget for 1915-16—cont.

Particulars.	Actuals, 1913-14.	Sanctioned Budget, 1914-15.	Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Remarks on Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Budget, 1915-16.	Remarks on Budget, 1915-16.
Boys' Branch—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
Expenditure—cont.						
III. Household, hos- pital and sanitation— cont.						
(a) Household—cont.						
7. Furniture, car- pets, etc.	2,047	2,000	2,000	....	..	
New furniture and carpets.	..	..	..	....	4,000	For partial furnishing quarters sanctioned in G.O. No. 1203, Edu- cational, dated 28th October 1914 (Rupees 2,500 non-recurring).
8. Contingencies ..	115	200	200	....	200	
(b) Hospital—						
1. Establishment ..	1,827	1,768	1,792	Allowance for dear- ness of provisions to servants and increase of pay sanctioned to com- pounder in G.O. Mis. No. 1083, Edu- cational, dated 16th September 1914.	1,776	
2. Medicines and wines.	220	300	300	....	300	
3. Extra nursing ..	346	500	500	....	500	
4. Disinfectant ..	..	5,000	4,000	Actuals put down.	..	
(c) Sanitation—						
1. Establishment ..	961	864	968	Allowance for dear- ness of provisions	864	
2. Tar and phenyle.	395	300	300	....	300	
3. Repairs to roads, and drains bush cutting.	998	918	1,066	Allowance for dear- ness of provisions.	918	
IV.—General—						
1. Establishment ..	8,721	8,100	8,160	Allowance for dear- ness of provisions.	8,545	Increment to Principal's salary. Provides shorthand allowance at Rs. 20 per mensem from 1st April and Rs. 1 increase to "errands" Forty per cent. of general charges of native establishment is trans- ferred to girls' branch.
2. Office stationery.	273	250	250	....	250	
V. Miscellaneous—						
1. Carrying charges and travelling expenses.	2,962	3,000	2,000	....	3,000	
2. Postage, adver- tisements and telegrams.	392	450	450	....	450	
3. Contingencies ..	1,126	1,664	1,804	An I.P. tent, for use on occasions, such as prize-giving day and sports, was purchased at a cost of Rs 140.	1,744	For a portrait of Sir Henry Lawrence (Rs. 500 non-recur- ring).
4. Entertainment allowance.	220	300	300	....	300	
5. Printing charges	874	840	600	....	840	
VI. Buildings—						
1. Repairs ..	2,453	3,000	3,000	After the taking over of buildings by M.W.S. Committee in Resolution No. XIII, dated 19th June 1914, sanc- tioned the entertain- ment of carpenters etc., to attend to barrack damages and to repairs to furniture.	..	

Revised Estimate for 1914-15 and Budget for 1915-16—cont.

Particulars.	Actuals, 1913-14.	Sanctioned Budget, 1914-15.	Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Remarks on Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Budget 1915-16.	Remarks on Budget, 1915-16.
BOYS' BRANCH—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
Expenditure—cont.						
VI. Buildings—cont.					720	
2. Establishment ..	..	..	..	....	1,000	
3. Material, barrack damages and repairs to furni- ture.	..	..	..	....		
VII. Other charges—					1,380	
1. Pension ..	1,740	1,740	1,530	One pensioner died in July 1914.		
VIII. Chapel—					353	
1. Establishment ..	..	228	392	Pay of organist trans- ferred from I (b) 1.	200	
2. Improvements ..	217	200	200	....	1,000	
3. Purchase of organ.	..	10,000	..	Organ will not be paid for during the year. <i>Vide</i> cover ing letter.	..	
4. Repairs to organ.	210	..	..	....	..	
IX. Extraordinary—					1,553	
1. Sinking fund ..	1,390	1,400	1,553	....	..	
2. Improvements to buildings.	1,755	..	5,840	Owing to change of supervision of buildings to M.W.S. the im- provements as sanc- tioned in 1913-14, had to be postponed the amount (Rupees 840) is now re- peated. Sixty per cent. of amount (Rs. 1,400) for improving R.M.O.'s quarters; also pro- vides Rs. 5,000 for heating Boys' lava- tory and for shower baths. <i>Vide</i> G.O. Mis. No. 485, Edu- cational, dated 21st May 1914.	..	
3. New buildings ..	..	..	45,000	G.O. No. 1203, Edu- cational, dated 28th October 1914.	..	
4. Gratuity ..	75	..	..	....	..	
5. Municipal tax ..	10	10	10	....	10	
6. Toll ..	..	..	300	G.O. No. 711, Educa- tional, Mis., dated 16th June 1914.	..	G.O. No. 1275, Educa- tional, Mis., dated 13th November 1914.
Total ..	1,17,222	1,44,785	1,83,389		1,45,354	
Closing balance ..	38,832	2,638	30,977		9,796	
Grand Total ..	1,56,054	1,47,423	2,14,366		1,55,150	
GIRLS' BRANCH.						
Receipts.						
Opening balance ..	15,953	10,573	14,605	....	10,525	
I. From Government —					25,200	One and two added.
1. Grant-in-aid ..	19,200	19,200	19,200		..	
2. Special grant ..	..	..	6,000	Forty per cent. of special grants (Rs. 15,000).	..	
II. Profits on school property—					23,015	
1. Donation and interest on Government securities.	23,034	23,015	23,015	....		
III. Special funds—					7,000	Allowance for two children will lapse. For ten months only.
1. Subsistence allowance.	7,449	7,200	7,200	....	7,000	
2. Fees ..	6,518	6,510	7,085	....	..	
IV. Miscellaneous—					25	
1. Sale of stores ..	31	25	25	....	..	
2. Other items ..	29	..	..	....	..	
3. Special money prizes.	53	..	47	....	..	
4. Refund of pass- age money.	500	..	..	..	..	
Total ..	72,787	66,523	77,177		72,765	

Revised Estimates for 1914-15 and Budget for 1915-16—cont.

Particulars.	Actuals, 1913-14.	Sanctioned Budget, 1914-15.	Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Remarks on Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Budget, 1915-16.	Remarks on Budget, 1915-16.
GIRLS' BRANCH—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
Expenditure.						
I. Education—						
(a) Scholastic—						
1. Establishment ..	8,537	8,832	8,832	Committee in Resolu- tion No. VIII, dated 19th June 1914, sanctioned half-pay to First Assistant Mistress, while she was on sick leave for six months from 1st May 1914.	8,784	G.O. No. 1459, dated 19th December 1914.
2. Books, prizes stationery.	1,544	1,300	1,600	Actuals to end of November being Rs. 1,505.	1,600	
3. Library ..	146	200	200	....	380	Provides an allowance of Rs. 15 per mensem to Librarian from 1st April 1915.
4. Examination Fees.	120	120	145	Actuals set down ..	145	
5. Games ..	208	250	250	....	250	
6. Tuning and re- pairing piano.	—3	360	360	....	60	
7. Special money prizes.	53	..	47	....	..	
8. Organist ..	144	144	..	Transferred to VIII. 1.	..	
(b) Drawing—						
1. Establishment ..	178	180	180	....	180	
2. Materials and models.	18	100	100	....	100	
(c) Typewriting—						
1. Establishment.	120	180	180	....	180	
2. Materials and machines.	48	50	85	....	50	
(d) Technical—						
1. Establishment ..	845	1,096	1,080	....	1,104	
2. Needlework and cookery class.	17	300	300	....	250	
II. Clothing and vic- tualling—						
(a) Clothing—						
1. Establishment.	847	844	844	....	912	Provides at Rs. 40 per mensem instead of Rs. 35 to Assistant Matron.
2. Machines and materials.	3,365	3,500	4,300	Extra blue serge had to be got to make up the required Sunday frocks—in former year more material ought to have been purchased.	4,200	For blue serge for frocks and knickers.
3. Extra tailors.	316	350	900	<i>Vide</i> above ..	800	
4. Shoeing ..	1,661	1,900	3,200	Price of boots is gone up.	3,200	
5. Outfit allow- ance.	567	350	350	....	350	
6. Servants' clo- thing.	107	110	99	....	110	
(b) Victualling—						
1. Establishment.	740	708	960	Committee in Resolu- tion No. IX, dated 19th June, 1914, sanctioned the entertainment of three servants for washing up at Rs. 8 each per mensem.	996	
2. Provisions ..	18,759	20,000	20,000	....	20,000	
3. Kitchen and din- ing room utensils.	595	600	600	....	600	
4. Out boarders ..	92	240	..	....	240	
III. Household, hos- pital and sanitation—						
(a) Household—						
1. Establishment.	415	400	412	Allowance for dearness of provisions.	412	
2. Washing ..	1,331	1,485	1,300	....	1,485	
3. Lighting ..	703	700	850	Actuals to end of November being Rs. 645.	850	
4. Woodcutting.	318	288	318	Allowance for dearness of provisions.	288	

Revised Estimates for 1914-15 and Budget for 1915-16—cont.

Particulars.	Actuals, 1913-14.	Sanctioned Budget, 1914-15.	Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Remarks on Revised Estimates, 1914-15.	Budget, 1915-16.	Remarks on Budget, 1915-16.
GIRLS' BRANCH—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	
<i>Expenditure—cont.</i>						
III. Household, hospital and sanitation—cont.						
(a) Household— cont.						
5. Bedding and towelings.	1,813	1,500	2,000	Underestimated- actuals to date being Rs. 1,937.	1,500	
6. Hardware, brushes and soap.	904	1,200	900	....	900	
7. Furniture and repairs.	1,084	1,000	2,000	To furnish part of mistresses' rooms.	..	
New furniture	..	..	..	....	1,500	
8. Contingencies.	44	100	100	....	100	
(b) Hospital—						
1. Establishment.	1,205	1,243	1,312	G.O. No. 1083, Educa- tional, dated 16th September, 1914, raised the pay of Matron from 35-1 -40 to 45-1-50 per mensem.	1,278	
2. Medicines and wines.	79	200	200	....	200	
3. Extra nur- sing.	81	500	500	....	500	
(c) Sanitation—						
1. Establishment.	724	720	764	Allowance for dearness of provisions.	720	
2. Tar and phenyle.	41	75	75	....	75	
3. Bushcutting.	214	192	214	Allowance for dearness of provisions.	192	Vide Boys' School remarks.
IV. General— Establishment	5,430	5,065	5,065	....	5,394	
V. Miscellaneous—						
1. Carrying charges and travelling ex- penses.	1,478	2,000	2,000	....	2,000	
2. Postage, telegrams and advertisements.	161	100	100	....	100	
3. Contingencies	363	100	100	....	100	
4. Printing charges.	..	250	250	....	250	
VI. Buildings—						
1. Repairs	1,301	1,500	1,500	....	480	Vide Boys' School remarks.
2. Establishment	..	..	..	....	500	
3. Material, barrack damages and re- pairs to furniture.	..	..	..	....	..	
VII. Other charges—						
1. Pension	360	360	360	....	360	
VIII. Chapel—						
1. Establishment	..	..	260	....	236	Vide Boys' School remarks.
2. Improvements	..	..	20	....	80	
3. Repairs to organ.	140	..	..	....	..	
IX. Extraordinary—						
1. Sinking fund	624	660	680	....	680	
2. Improvements to buildings.	405	..	560	Vide Boys' School remarks.	..	
3. Toll	..	..	200	....	..	
Total	58,182	61,352	66,652		54,671	
Closing balance	14,605	5,171	10,525		8,094	
Grand Total	72,787	66,523	77,177		72,765	

(2)

List of Establishments.

Heads to which debited.	Number.	Designation.	Present.		Sanctioned scale.		Remarks.
			Salary per mensem.	Special allowance.	Salary per mensem.	Special allowance.	
			RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
		BOYS' DEPARTMENT.					
	1	Headmaster	400	..	300—20—400	..	House-rent in lieu of free quarters.
	1	Second master	220	..	200—10—250	40	As organist 60 per cent. to Boys' Branch and 40 per cent. to Girls' Branch.
	1	First assistant	160	..	150—5—175	30*	Game supervision.
	1	Second do.	150	..	150—2½—175	20*	G.O. No. 1459, Educa- tional, dated 19th De- cember 1914.
	1	Third do.	125	..	125—2½—150	..	
	1	Fourth do.	100	..	100—2—120	..	
	1	Fifth do.	100	..	100—2—120	..	
	1	Sixth do.	100	..	100—2—120	..	
	1	Telegraph instructor ..	Effective man.	30	Effective man.	30	House-rent in lieu of free quarters.
	1	Munshi	52	..	50—2—60	15	Do. do.
	1	Carpentry instructor ..	92	..	90—2—100	..	
	1	Band instructor	96	..	90—2—100	20	Rs. 48 to each head and Rs. 20 for teaching stringband.
	1	Gymnastic instructor ..	90	..	80—2—90	..	Rs. 45 do.
	1	Steward	110	..	110	..	Rs. 45 to each head and Rs. 20 for shoeing supervision.
	1	Senior sergeant	120	..	100—4—120	..	
	1	First junior sergeant ..	80	..	75—1—80	..	
	1	Clothing sergeant	60	20	50—2—60	20	
	1	Boys' non-commis- sioned officers.	22½	..	25½	..	
	1	Matron	60	..	50—2—60	20*	In lieu of the free board.
	1	Allowance for teaching singing.	..	..	..	20	
	1	Allowance for teaching drawing.	..	..	..	20*	
	1	Allowance for shorthand	..	..	..	20	
	1	Allowance to librarian..	..	..	..	20	Sanction is solicited.
		GIRLS' DEPARTMENT.					
	1	Headmistress	180	..	175—5—200	..	
	1	First assistant	125	..	125—5—150	..	
	1	Second do.	85	..	70—3—85	..	
	1	Third do.	70	..	70—1—80	..	
	1	Fourth do.	60	..	60—1—70	..	
	1	Fifth do.	50	..	50—1—60	..	
	1	Sixth do.	50	..	50—1—60	..	
	1	Seventh do.	50	..	50—1—60	..	
	1	Technical mistress	92	..	90—2—100	..	
	1	Head matron	52	..	50—2—60	..	Rs. 26 to each head.
	1	First assistant matron.	40	..	40—1—45	..	Sanction is solicited.
	4	Girl orderlies	10	..	10	..	
	1	Kitchen matron	35	..	35	..	
	1	Matron	45	..	45—1—50	..	
	1	Allowance for teaching singing.	..	..	..	15*	G.O. No. 1083, Educa- tional, dated the 16th September 1914.
	1	Allowance for teaching drawing.	..	..	..	15*	
	1	Allowance for teaching typewriting.	..	..	..	15*	
	1	Allowance to librarian..	..	..	..	15	Sanction is so licite
		KINDERGARTEN DEPARTMENT.					
	1	Head teacher	105	..	100—5—150	..	
	1	First assistant	62	..	60—2—80	..	
	1	Second do.	51	..	50—1—60	..	
	4	Pupil teachers	20	..	20	..	
	1	Nursery matron	40	..	40	..	

An initial salary is sanctioned for two years at Rs. 150 per mensem for qualified and certificated teachers—G.O. No. 1459, Educational, dated 19th December 1914.

* The allowances need not go to particular posts.

List of Establishments—cont.

Heads to which debited.	Number.	Designation.	Present.		Sanctioned scale.		Remarks.
			Salary per mensem.	Special allowance.	Salary per mensem.	Special allowance.	
		GENERAL.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
	1	Principal and Secretary.	850	..	500—50-1000	..	G.Os. No. 329 Educational, dated the 25th March 1914 and No. 657 Educational, dated the 2nd June 1914.
	1	Chief clerk	150	..	125— 5—150	..	
	1	Clerk	50	20*	40— 1— 50	20*	Rs. 20 for instruction in type-writing in the Boys' Branch.
IV. General	1	Assistant clerk	27	..	25— 1— 30	..	
	1	Stores' clerk	27	..	25— 1— 30	..	
	1	Peon	8	..	..	..	Allowed to Principal.
	2	Gardeners	16	..	..	..	Do.
	1	Cooly, General	10	..	..	..	
	1	Cooly, errands	10	..	..	..	Sanction is solicited for an increase of Re. 1.
	1	Consulting physician ..	50	..	50	..	
III. Hospital	1	Resident Medical officer.	50	..	50	..	
	1	Compounder	17	3	17	3	G.O. No. 1083, Educational, dated the 16th September 1914.
VIII. Extraordinary—(i) Chapel.	1	Bearer	10	..	..	..	
	1	Gardener	9	..	..	..	
	1	Servant	5	..	..	..	For organ blowing.
		Boys' DEPARTMENT.					
		Native Establishment.					General charges are 60 per cent. to Boys' Branch and 40 per cent. to Girls' Branch.
II. Clothing	4	Tailors	61	..	..	..	
	4	Chucklers	50	..	..	..	
	1	Head cook	20	..	..	..	
	3	Assistant cooks	27	..	..	..	
II. Victualling	4	Scullions	36	..	..	..	
	1	Butter man	8	..	..	..	
	1	Biscuit maker	12	..	..	..	
	1	Nursery maty	9	..	..	..	
III. Household	1	Masalchi	10	..	..	..	
	8	Coolies	64	..	..	..	Wood-cutting.
	1	Servant	5	..	..	..	For hair-cutting.
III. Hospital	1	Cook	8	..	..	..	
	1	Maty	8	..	..	..	
III. Household and Sanitation.	1	Maistry	25	..	..	..	Rs. 12-8-0 to each head.
III. Sanitation	9	Scavengers	72	..	..	..	
	8	Coolies	64	..	..	..	Repairs to roads and drains; bush-cutting.
VI. Miscellaneous.	1	Forest guard	12	..	..	..	
		GIRLS' DEPARTMENT.					
		Native Establishment.					
II. Victualling	3	Kitchen helps	24	..	..	..	
	3	Scullions	24	For	washing up.	..	Sanction is solicited.
	1	Man servant	8	..	..	..	
III. Household	3	Coolies	24	..	..	..	Wood-cutting.
	1	Ayah	8	..	..	..	
Hospital	1	Cook	8	..	..	..	
	3	Scavengers	24	..	..	..	
Sanitation	6	Do.	36	..	..	..	
	2	Coolies	16	..	..	..	Bush-cutting, repairs to drains, etc.

* The allowances need not go to particular posts.

No. 2 ACCOUNT (Boys' and Girls' Branches).				(3)			
RS. A. P.				1st December 1914.			
Balance 1st December 1913 as							
per budget 1914-15 ..	23,993	14	8	Amount spent ..	6,712	12	3
Interest on fixed deposit..	1,104	14	0	Balance	18,386	0	5
	25,098	12	8		25,098	12	8

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Endorsement N. Ref. on Cur. No. 1058, dated 16th February 1915.

Submitted to Government.

J. H. STONE,
Director of Public Instruction.

To the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Order—No. 361, Educational, dated 29th March 1915.

The budget estimates of the Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund, for 1915-16 are accepted with the following remarks:—

(1) With reference to clause (1) of G.O. No. 329, Educational, dated the 25th March 1914, the figures under the sanctioned budget for 1914-15 relating to the Boys' branch should have been altered.

(2) The Government approve the proposal to provide the new school hall with a portrait of Sir Henry Lawrence at a cost of Rs. 500.

(3) The Government also sanction—

(a) the payment of the following allowances:—

(i) Rupees 20 for a librarian for the Boys' branch.

(ii) Rupees 15 for a librarian for the Girls' branch.

(iii) Rupees 20 for shorthand for the Boys' branch.

(iv) Rs. 20 (temporary) to the steward for supervising the dairy.

(b) the increase of the pay of the assistant matron from Rs. 35-1-40 to Rs. 40-1-45;

(c) the employment of three servants on Rs. 8 each for washing up in the Girls' branch; and

(d) the grant of a personal allowance of Re. 1 to the errand peon.

(4) In 1913-14 a sum of Rs. 3,754 was spent under VI—Buildings (both in the Boys' and Girls' branches) while the contribution recovered from the Military Works services amounted to Rs. 2,421, thus resulting in a net cost of Rs. 1,333 to the school. From the revised estimate for 1914-15 and the budget estimate for 1915-16 it is observed that the net cost will be Rs. 3,885 and Rs. 2,700 respectively. The committee is requested to explain what the increase is due to.

(True Extract.)

P. RAJAGOPALA ACHARIYAR,
Secretary to Government.To the Director of Public Instruction.
" Committee of the Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund.
" Accountant-General.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 361, EDUCATIONAL, DATED THE 29TH MARCH 1915.

[SUBJECT.—*Budget estimate of the Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund, for 1915-16.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated the 16th February 1915, No. 1058.

The following abstract gives the budget estimate for 1915-16 as compared with the budget and revised estimates for 1914-15:—

	Budget estimate for 1915-16.	Revised estimate for 1914-15.	Budget estimate for 1914-15.
<i>Boys' branch.</i>	RS.	RS.	RS.
Opening balance	30,977	38,832	30,350
Receipts	1,24,173	1,75,534	1,17,073
Expenditure	1,45,354	1,83,389	1,44,785
Closing balance	9,796	30,977	2,538
<i>Girls' branch.</i>			
Opening balance	10,525	14,505	10,573
Receipts	62,240	62,572	55,950
Expenditure	64,671	66,652	61,352
Closing balance	8,094	10,525	5,171

2. The variations in the figures are briefly noted on below:—

I. REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1914-15.

(1) *Boys' branch.*—The increase under receipts is chiefly due to the additional recurring grant of Rs. 11,500 (of which Rs. 5,500 is shown under Boys' branch and the balance under the Girls' branch) and the non-recurring grant of Rs. 45,000 sanctioned by the Government of India in October 1914 and also to the receipt of the fixed deposit of Rs. 8,466 from the surplus funds of the Press. The increase under expenditure is due mainly to the allotment of the Imperial non-recurring grant of Rs. 45,000 for the erection of additional buildings and also to the provision of Rs. 5,000 for heating boys' lavatory and for shower baths.

(2) In this connection attention is solicited to G.O. No. 585, Educational, dated the 21st May 1914, in which the Government declined to comply with the application of the Committee for an advance of Rs. 10,000 or Rs. 20,000 according to the design for covering in, heating and modernizing the present open tank used as a swimming bath or for building a new covered in and warmed swimming bath, respectively; but they permitted the Committee to reappropriate towards the execution of really urgent works allotments made in the budget for 1914-15 for objects which were less pressing. The question was then under the consideration of

a sub-committee and they have recommended a scheme for heating the boys' lavatory and for shower baths which is less costly than the provision of a warmed and heated swimming bath. The provision of Rs. 5,000 made for the purpose is really necessary as it vitally affects the health of the school and may, it is submitted, be retained. The work is being carried out by the Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer.

P.R.—24-3-15.

(3) In the revised estimate the whole of the non-recurring Imperial grant of Rs. 45,000 has been provided for expenditure on new buildings. As the grant was given only in October 1914, it is unlikely that the amount will be fully utilized in G.O. 1203, Educational, 28th October 1914.

the current year. But since any unexpended portion of the grant may be
P.B.—24-3-15. | reallocated for expenditure in 1915-16 the
provision may be allowed to stand.

(4) *Girls' branch*.—The increase under receipts is due to the Imperial recurring grant referred to in clause (1) above and that under charges is due to larger expenditure mainly under "Clothing" and "Household."

II.—BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1915-16.

(1) *Boys' branch*.—The decrease under receipts and charges is due to the absence of the special items that appeared in the revised estimate for 1914-15.

(2) *Girls' branch*.—The decrease under expenditure is small and calls for no remarks.

3. The following points are raised in the budget :—

(1) Provision is made for an expenditure of Rs. 500 for a portrait of Sir Henry Lawrence—*vide* paragraph II (4) of the covering letter. The proposed expenditure which is of a non-recurring nature may, in the circumstances stated, be approved.

P.R.—24-3-15.

(2) The provision of Rs. 10,000 made in the budget for 1914-15 for the purchase of a new organ for the new chapel not having been utilized, it has been entered in the budget for 1915-16.

P.R.—24-3-15. Submitted that it may be allowed to stand.

(3) The Committee also proposes—

Boys' branch

(a) to give an allowance of—

- (i) Rs. 20 for a librarian with effect from the 1st April 1915,
- (ii) Rs. 20 for shorthand,
- (iii) Rs. 20 to the steward for supervising the dairy (the allowance to be temporary),

(b) to give a personal allowance of Re. 1 to the present errand peon.

Girls' branch.

- (c) to give an allowance of Rs. 15 for a librarian ;
(d) to increase the pay of the assistant matron from Rs. 35—1—40 to Rs. 40—1—45 per mensem ; and
(e) to employ three servants on Rs. 8 each per mensem for washing up.

For the reasons given by the Committee in paragraphs 11 (1) to (3) and

P.R.—24-3-15. III (1) and (2), these proposals may be sanctioned.

4. In 1913-14 a sum of Rs. 3,754 was spent under VI. Buildings, both in the Boys' and Girls' branches and a sum of Rs. 2,421 was recovered from the Military Works services on this account. Thus the net cost to the school amounted to Rs. 1,333. The estimated net cost on this account however amounts to Rs. 5,885 and Rs. 2,700 in 1914-15 and 1915-16, respectively, according to the figures under the revised and budget estimates as shown below :—

							Revised estimate for 1914-15.	Budget estimate for 1915-16.	
							RS.	RS.	
Receipts	..	..	..	..	..	..	615	..	
Charges	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,500	2,700	
Net cost							..	3,885	2,700

The small amount recovered in 1914-15 and the non-recovery of cost from the Military Works services in 1915-16 are explained to be due to the buildings having been taken over by them, who attend to petty repairs exclusive of minor works ; but it is not clear why the change of system should result in an increase in the net cost as shown above. The Committee may be requested to explain the matter.

P.R.—24-3-15.

5. A draft order is submitted for approval.

B. GOPALACHARI-15-3-15.

T. KRISHNASWAMI AYYAR—23-3-15.

P. RAJAGOPALA ACHARIYAR—26-3-15.

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P.R.—29-3-15.

[G.O. No. 361, Educational, dated the 29th March 1915.]

C.No.597 Edl., from the D.P.I. No.1058, dated the 16th February 1915.

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for 1915-16 ^{it is observed that the} ~~is anticipated at~~ Rs.385 and Rs.2700 respectively. The Committee is requested

to explain ^{the} ~~the~~ increase ^{to} ~~the~~ net cost is ^{due to} ~~due to~~ the building having

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To the D. P. I. ✓

,, Committee of the Lawrence
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,, Accountant-General.

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