

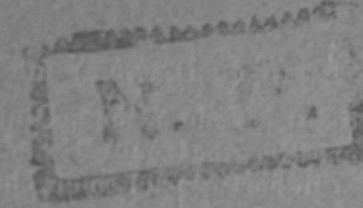
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HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 723, 31st May 1917

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E. A. HARVEY—5-4-17.

As was done in 1915, the present members of the committee, except those who are ex-officio, may be consulted demi-officially whether they have any objection to being reappointed for a further period of two years. His Excellency's orders may be taken as regards a substitute in the place of Diwan Bahadur K. Narayana Rao.

2. In this connection attention is solicited to His Excellency the Governor's note on page 6 of G.O. No. 24, Educational, dated the 7th January 1915, in which His Excellency remarked "that the committee, now greatly enlarged, is large enough and sufficiently covers the Presidency." It does not therefore seem necessary to make any further addition to the committee.

3. A draft demi-official to the present members of the committee is submitted for approval.

V.C.P.—17-4-17.

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E.A.H.—19-4-17.

Director of Public Instruction (u.o.) If the committee may be renominated.
The vacancy in connection with Mr. K. Narayana Rao's death may perhaps be left unfilled as the committee is large enough otherwise.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—22-4-17.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

S. E. Ranganathan was put on, I think, to represent the Indian Christians. Now that he is not in Madras; I think his place might be filled by Paul Appaswami of the Law College who has the advantage of knowing something of the conditions of Indian student life at Cambridge. Otherwise, I think the present committee may be renominated and that Narayana Rao's place need not be filled up.

J. H. STONE—24-4-17.

HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

Please see the Director of Public Instruction's note above. The draft demi-official may issue to all the present members except Mr. S. E. Ranganathan whose name has been struck off from the address entry in the draft. Mr. Paul Appaswami may be consulted demi-officially whether he is willing to serve on the committee. A draft is submitted for approval.

V.C.P.—27-4-17.

T.K.—27-4-17.

E. A. HARVEY—1-5-17.

R.R.—2-5-17.

Issue.

E.A.H.—2-5-17.

Demi-official—from the Hon'ble Diwan Bahadur R. RAMACHANDRA RAO Avargal, Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
To—M.R.Ry. PAUL APPASWAMI Avargal, M.A., Bar-at-Law, Professor, Law College, Madras.
Dated—Ootacamund, the 2nd/3rd May 1917.
No.—1677 B-2.

In case you are nominated a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a period of two years from the 1st June 1917, I am directed to request that you will let me know, at your early convenience, whether you are willing to serve on it.

Demi-official—from the Hon'ble Diwan Bahadur R. RAMACHANDRA RAO Avargal, Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

To—
RAJA VASUDEVA RAJA, C.I.E., Valia Nambidi of Kollengode.
the Hon'ble Rev. G. PITTENDRIGH, M.A.
Mr. L. C. HODGSON, Director of Public Instruction, Travancore.
Mr. F. S. DAVIES, Esq., Director of Education, Cochin.
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SAIYID ROSS MASUD, Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad.
Mr. E. P. METCALFE, B.Sc., Professor of Physics, Central College, Bangalore.
Rao Bahadur K. RAMANUJA ACHARIYAR, Principal, Maharaja's College, Vizianagram.
the Rev. W. W. WALLACE, Principal, American Mission College, Madras.
the Rev. A. GARDINER, Principal, S.P.G. College, Trichinopoly.
Mr. YOUNG NECKER, Headmaster, Bishop Corrie's High School, Madras.
the Hon'ble Mr. YAKOUB HANMAN.
Mr. KRISHNA PANDALAI, LL.D., Bar-at-Law, Madras.

Dated—the 2nd/3rd May 1917.

No.—1677 B-3

The tenure of your office as a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee is to expire on the 31st May 1917. In case you are renominated a member of the Committee for a further term of two years from the 1st June 1917, I am directed to request that you will let me know at your early convenience, whether you are willing to serve.

Demi-official—from Rev. A. F. GARDINER, Principal and Warden, S.P.G. College, Trichinopoly.

To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 5th May 1917.

No.—238-C.

I acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your demi-official No. 1677 B-3, dated 3rd May 1917, and am willing to serve as a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a further period of two years from the 1st June 1917.

Demi-official—from Mr. K. K. PANDALAI, LL.D. (London), Bar-at-law, Madras.

To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 5th May 1917.

With reference to your demi-official letter dated 3rd instant, I am thankful to Government for the offer contained therein and shall be happy to serve on the Students' Advisory Committee for a further term.

Demi-official—from H. YOUNG NECKER, Esq., Headmaster, Bishop Corrie's High School, Madras.

To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 7th May 1917.

I shall be glad to serve on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a further term of two years if I am renominated a member.

Demi-official—from the Hon'ble Rev. G. PITTENDRIGH, Professor, Christian College, Madras.

To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 7th May 1917.

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant, I write to say that I am prepared to serve on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee if I am renominated.

Demi-official—from M.R.Ry. K. RAMUNNI MENON Avargal, Professor of Zoology, Presidency College, Madras.

To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 9th May 1917.

In reply to your demi-official No. 1677 B-3 of the 3rd instant, I beg to inform you that, in case of renomination, I shall be very happy to continue to serve on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee.

Demi-official—from M.R.Ry. RAJA VASUDEVA RAJA Avargal, C.I.E., of Kollengode.

To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 8th May 1917.

I have to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your demi-official No. 1677 B-3, dated 3rd instant and have the honour to state that I shall be very pleased to serve as a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a further term of two years in case I am renominated.

Demi-official—from F. S. DAVIES, Esq., Director of Education, Cochin State.

To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—Trichur, the 7th May 1917.

Your demi-official No. 1677 B-3. I shall serve on the Advisory Committee again with pleasure. I request you will convey to the proper quarter my appreciation of the offer of renomination.

Demi-official—from M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur K. RAMANUJA ACHARIYAR Avargal, Principal, Maharaja's College, Vizianagram.

To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 7th May 1917.

No.—202.

Let me thank you for your kind letter of the 3rd instant. I am willing to serve on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a further period of two years from the 1st of June next.

Demi-official—from Rev. W. W. WALLACE, the American College, Madura.
To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—Y.W.C.A., Colombo, the 10th May 1917.

Referring to your demi-official No. 1677 of 3rd May 1917 forwarded to me, as I am about to leave on furlough, I have the honour to say that owing to my expected absence for more than a year I shall not be able to serve as a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee. The Rev. W. M. Zumbro, M.A., has succeeded me as Principal.

Demi-official—from M.R.Ry. PAUL APPASWAMI AVARGAL.
To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—Kodaikanal, the 9th May 1917.

I am not quite clear about the duties and responsibilities attaching to membership on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee but I take it that it principally involves attendance at a certain number of committee meetings. In reply therefore to your letter dated 3rd May 1917, I have much pleasure in stating that I shall be glad to serve on the above committee.

About a month ago I sent in a formal application requesting you kindly to allow me to act as President of the Madras Christian Co-operative Bank. I shall be grateful for the favour of early orders on that application. Mr. L. D. Swamikannu Pillai, Registrar, says that there ought to be no difficulty about it as I do not derive any emoluments from the office.

Of the 14 gentlemen who were requested to state whether they would be willing to serve on the Students' Advisory Committee (vide page 2 supra). Messrs. Gardiner, Pandalai, Young Necker, Pittendrigh, Ramunni Menon, Davis, Ramanuja Achari, Paul Appaswami and Raja Vasudeva Raja have expressed their willingness to serve on the Committee.

The Rev. W. W. Wallace states that the Rev. W. M. Zumbro has succeeded him as Principal of the American Mission College, Madura, and that as he is going away on furlough for more than a year he will not be able to serve on the Committee. It is for consideration whether the Rev. W. M. Zumbro may be asked demi-officially as to his willingness to serve on the Committee. It may be noted that he was on the Committee before 1915 and the Rev. Wallace was nominated in his place when the former went on leave—vide notes on page 5 of notes to G.O. No. 574, Educational, dated the 28th May 1915. If so, the draft demi-official below is for approval.

Note.—I have received Mr. Hodgson's acceptance in my quarters to which it was missent.

Replies from the remaining four gentlemen are still due.

E.A.H.—19-5-17.

Demi-official—from E. A. HARVEY, Esq., I.C.S., Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
To—the Rev. W. M. ZUMBRO, Principal, American Mission College, Madura.
Dated—the 19th/21st May 1917.
No.—1677-B-4.

In case you are nominated a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a period of two years from the 1st June 1917, I am directed to request that you will let me know at your early convenience whether you are willing to serve on it.

Demi-official—from the Hon'ble YAQUB HASSAN SAHIB Bahadur.
To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—Madras, the 16th May 1917.

I am in receipt of your demi-official No. 1677 B-3, dated the 3rd instant. I shall be glad to serve on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a further term if His Excellency is pleased to nominate me.

Demi-official—from SAIYID ROSS MASUD, Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad.
To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—Hyderabad, Deccan, the 7th May 1917.

With reference to your demi-official No. 1677 B-3, dated the 3rd May 1917, I have the honour to state that should I be renominated I shall be glad to serve as a member of the Students' Advisory Committee.

HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

The term of membership of the present members of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee expires on the 31st instant and orders regarding the reconstitution of the Committee have to issue before the 1st June. Mr. Metcalfe of the Central College, Bangalore, has not yet replied to the demi-official which was sent on the 2nd May 1917. In the place of the Rev. Wallace who has gone on leave the Rev. Zumbro was addressed demi-officially on the 19th May 1917, whether he would be willing to serve on the Committee, and his reply has not yet been received.

Submitted that the two gentlemen may be requested to communicate their reply by telegram. A draft is submitted for approval.

Telegram—from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Home (Education) Department.

To—Professor METCALFE, Central College, Bangalore.
Rev. [W.M.] ZUMBRO, Principal, American Mission College, Madura.
Dated—the 30th May 1917.
No.—214.

Please wire reply [to] D.O. [No.] ^{1677 B-3}_{1677 B-4}, dated ^{2nd May}_{19th May} as [the] Committee should be reconstituted [on] 1st June.

[If by the time this file reaches Ootacamund, their replies are received, the provisional draft order, submitted below, including the two gentlemen, is for approval.]

V.C.P.—28-5-17.

T.K.—28-5-17.

I think there may be a reply from Professor Metcalfe in my quarters; I will look this evening.

Telegrams may issue in any case.

E. A. HARVEY—30-5-17.

Telegram—from Rev. [W.M.] ZUMBRO, Principal, American Mission College, Madura.
To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 31st May 1917.

Acceptance to demi-official 1677 B-4 sent twenty-eight.

The Rev. Zumbro has accepted the offer. Professor Metcalfe has not yet replied to the telegram of yesterday. Since the order reconstituting the Committee has to issue either today or tomorrow it is for consideration whether it may be assumed that as the Professor is already on the Committee, he won't have any objection to the re-nomination, and whether the order may be issued without waiting for his reply. If so, the draft order below is for approval.

P.R.—31-5-17.

Draft may be approved.

E.A.H.—31-5-17.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—31-5-17.

Issue.

E.A.H.—31-5-17.

Telegram—from Professor METCALFE, Central College, Bangalore.
To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 1st June 1917.

Apologise oversight; regret present circumstances render inadvisable acceptance membership Students' Advisory Committee.

Please see Professor Metcalfe's telegram on the previous page in which he declines to accept the membership on the Students' Advisory Committee.

2. Under paragraph 5 of the letter from the Government of India on page 3 of G.O. No. 542, Educational, dated the 29th September 1909, except that the committee should be "sufficiently large and representative in character" there is no limit to the number of members. In this connection attention is also solicited to His Excellency the Governor's note on pages 5 and 6 of G.O. No. 24, Educational, dated the 7th January 1915.

3. As it is now too late to consider the appointment of a successor to Mr. Metcalfe, the Government Order already approved may issue with the omission of his name and the question of his successor may be taken up separately. Orders are solicited whether the proof of the Government Order submitted may be altered accordingly and issued.

Yes.

E. A. HARVEY—1-6-17.

[G.O. No. 723, Home (Education), dated the 31st May¹ 1917.]

G.O. No. 723, Home (Education), dated the 31st May 1917, reconstituting the Madras Students' Advisory Committee has issued. Mr. Metcalfe of the Central College, Bangalore, having declined to accept the membership, his name was not included in the list of members of the Students' Advisory Committee. It is for consideration whether it is necessary to nominate another in his stead. In this connection attention is solicited to His Excellency's note on page 6 of G.O. No. 24, Educational, dated the 7th January 1915, in which His Excellency the Governor

[* As reconstituted in G.O. 574, Educational,
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2. Subject to orders a draft letter is submitted for approval.

V.C.P.—23-6-17.

T.K.—23-6-17.

I doubt if it is necessary to appoint a representative for Mysore; if one is required, the Secretary to the committee will probably bring the fact to light and suggest a name.

E.A.H.—26-6-17.

I agree.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—27-6-17.

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P.T.C.

Of got approval to settle the query.
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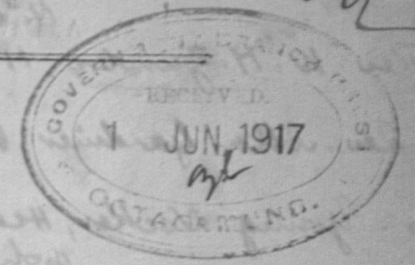
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Mr. L. C. Hodgson, D.P.I. Travancore.

Mr. F. S. Davies, B.A., Director of Education, Cochin.

M.R.Ry. K. Ramunni Haiman Aul. M.A. Professor Zoology, Presidency College.

M.R.Ry. Paul Apparawami Avargal, M.A. B.A. at Law Professor, Law College.

Saiyid Ross Masud, Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad.

~~Mr. S. P. Nataraj, B.Sc. Professor of Physics, Central College, Bangalore.~~

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Director of Public Instruction.
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(By order.)

Senior Superintendent.

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T.K.—4-4-17.

Perhaps the office can suggest some action.

E. A. HARVEY—5-4-17.

As was done in 1915, the present members of the committee, except those who are ex-officio, may be consulted demi-officially whether they have any objection to being reappointed for a further period of two years. His Excellency's orders may be taken as regards a substitute in the place of Diwan Bahadur K. Narayana Rao.

2. In this connection attention is solicited to His Excellency the Governor's note on page 6 of G.O. No. 24, Educational, dated the 7th January 1915, in which His Excellency remarked "that the committee, now greatly enlarged, is large enough and sufficiently covers the Presidency." It does not therefore seem necessary to make any further addition to the committee.

3. A draft demi-official to the present members of the committee is submitted for approval.

V.C.P.—17-4-17.

T.K.—17-4-17.

E.A.H.—19-4-17.

2 NOTES TO G.O. No. 723, HOME (EDUCATION), 31st MAY 1917

Director of Public Instruction (u.o.) If the committee may be renominated.
The vacancy in connection with Mr. K. Narayana Rao's death may perhaps be left unfilled as the committee is large enough otherwise.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—22-4-17.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

that/ S. E. Ranganathan was put on, I think, to represent the Indian Christians. Now ~~chiefly~~ he is not in Madras; I think his place might be filled by Paul Appaswami of the Law College who has the advantage of knowing something of the conditions of Indian student life at Cambridge. Otherwise, I think the present committee may be renominated and that Narayana Rao's place need not be filled up.

J. H. STONE—24-4-17.

HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

Please see the Director of Public Instruction's note above. The draft demi-official may issue to all the present members except Mr. S. E. Ranganathan whose name has been struck off from the address entry in the draft. Mr. Paul Appaswami may be consulted demi-officially whether he is willing to serve on the committee. A draft is submitted for approval. i/

V.C.P.—27-4-17.

T.K.—27-4-17.

E. A. HARVEY—1-5-17.

R.R.—2-5-17.

Issue.

E.A.H.—2-5-17.

of a/ Demi-official—from the Hon'ble Diwan Bahadur R. RAMACHANDRA RAO AVARGAL, Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

To—M R. Ry. PAUL APPASWAMI AVARGAL, M.A., Far-at-aw, Professor, Law College, Madras.

Dated—Ootacamund, the 2nd/3rd May 1917.

No.—1677 B-2.

In case you are nominated a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a period of two years from the 1st June 1917, I am directed to request that you will let me know, at your early convenience, whether you are willing to serve on it.

of Demi-official—from the Hon'ble Diwan Bahadur R. RAMACHANDRA RAO AVARGAL, Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Raja Vasudeva Raja, C.I.E., Valia Nambidi of Kollengode.

the Hon'ble Rev. G. PITTENDRIGH, M.A.

Mr. L. C. HODGSON, Director of Public Instruction, Travancore.

Mr. F. S. DAVIS, B.A., Director of Education, Cochin.

M.R. Ry. K. RAMUNNI MENON AVARGAL, M.A., Professor of Zoology, Presidency College, Madras.

of s/ To—SALEEM ROY MASUD, Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad.

Mr. E. P. METCALFE, B.Sc., Professor of Physics, Central College, Bangalore.

Rao Bahadur K. RAMANUJA ACHARYAN, Principal, Maharaja's College, Vizianagram.

the Rev. W. W. WALLACE, Principal, American Mission College, Madras.

the Rev. A. GANDNER, Principal, S.P.G. College, Trichinopoly.

Mr. YOUNG NECKER, Headmaster, Bishop Corrie's High School, Madras.

the Hon'ble Mr. YAKOOR HASSAN.

Mr. KRISHNA PANDALAI, M.D., Bar-at-Law, Madras.

of 22/ Dated—the 2nd/3rd May 1917.

No.—1677 B-3.

The tenure of your office as a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee is to expire on the 31st May 1917. In case you are nominated a member of the Committee for a further term of two years from the 1st June 1917, I am directed to request that you will let me know, at your early convenience, whether you are willing to serve. re/

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Demi-official—from Rev. A. F. GARDINER, Principal and Warden, S.P.G. College, Trichinopoly.
To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 5th May 1917.
No.—238-U.

I acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your demi-official No. 1677 B-3, dated 3rd May 1917, and am willing to serve as a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a further period of two years from the 1st June 1917.

Demi-official—from Mr. K. K. PANDALAI, LL.D. (London), Bar at-law, Madras.
To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 5th May 1917.

With reference to your demi-official letter dated 3rd instant, I am thankful to Government for the offer contained therein and shall be happy to serve on the Students' Advisory Committee for a further term.

Demi-official—from H. YOUNG NECKER, Esq., Headmaster, Bishop Corrie's High School, Madras.
To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 7th May 1917.

I shall be glad to serve on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a further term of two years if I am renominated a member.

Demi-official—from the Hon'ble Rev. G. PITRENDRIGH, Professor, Christian College, Madras.
To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 7th May 1917.

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant, I write to say that I am prepared to serve on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee if I am renominated.

Demi-official—from M.R.Ry. K. RAMUNNI MENON Avargal, Professor of Zoology, Presidency College, Madras.
To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 9th May 1917.

In reply to your demi-official No. 1677-B-3 of the 3rd instant, I beg to inform you that, in case of renomination, I shall be very happy to continue to serve on the Madras Students' Advisory Committee.

Demi-official—from M.R.Ry. RAJA VASUDEVA RAJA, Avargal, C.I.E., of Kollengode.
To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 8th May 1917.

I have to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your demi-official No. 1677 B-3, dated 3rd instant and have the honour to state that I shall be very pleased to serve as a member of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee for a further term of two years in case I am renominated.

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Demi-official—from F. S. DAVIES, Esq., Director of Education and Chief Inspector of Schools, Cochin State.
To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—Trichur, the 7th May 1917.

Your demi-official No. 1677-B-3. I shall serve on the Advisory Committee again with pleasure. I request you will convey to the proper quarter my appreciation of the offer of renomination.

Demi-official—from M.R.Ry. Bao Bahadur K. RAMANUJA ACHARIYAR Avargal, Principal, Maharaja's College, Vizianagram.
To—the Under Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.
Dated—the 7th May 1917.
No.—202.

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Dated ~~the~~ 10th May 1917.

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Dated—Kodaikanal, the 9th May 1917.

E.A.H.—19-5-17.

Dated—the 19th/21st May 1917.

No.—1677-B-4.

To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—Madras, 16th May 1917.

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Dated—Hyderabad, Deccan, the 7th May 1917.

With reference to your demi-official No. 677 B-3, dated the 3rd May 1917, I have the honour to state that should I be renominated I shall be glad to serve as a member of the Students' Advisory Committee.

HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

The term of membership of the present members of the Madras Students' Advisory Committee expires on the 31st instant and orders regarding the reconstitution of the Committee have to issue before the 1st June. Mr. Metcalfe of the Central College, Bangalore, has not yet replied to the demi-official which was sent on 12nd May 1917. In the place of the Rev. Wallace who has gone on leave the Rev. Zumbro was addressed demi-officially on 19th May 1917 whether he would be willing to serve on the Committee, and his reply has not yet been received.

Submitted that the two gentlemen may be requested to communicate their reply by telegram. A draft is submitted for approval.

Telegram—from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Home (Education) Department.

To—Professor METCALFE, Central College, Bangalore.
 To—Rev. [W.M.] ZUMBRO, Principal, American Mission College, Madura.
 Dated—the 30th May 1917.
 No.—214.

Please wire reply [to] D.O. [No.] 1677 B-3, dated 2nd May 1917 as [the] Committee should be reconstituted [on] 1st June.

[If by the time this file reaches Ootacamund, their replies are received, the provisional draft order, submitted below, including the two gentlemen, is for approval.]

V.A.S.—28-5-17.

T.K.—28-5-17.

I think there may be a reply from Professor Metcalfe in my quarters; I will look this evening.

Telegrams may issue in any case.

E. A. HARVEY—30-5-17.

Telegram—from Rev. [W.M.] ZUMBRO, Principal, American Mission College, Madura.

To—the Secretary to Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 31st May 1917.

Acceptance to demi-official 1677 B-4 sent twenty-eight.

The Rev. Zumbro has accepted the offer. Professor Metcalfe has not yet replied to the telegram of yesterday. G.O. No. 574, Educational, dated 28th May 1917. Since the order reconstituting the Committee has to issue either today or tomorrow it is for consideration whether it may be assumed that as the Professor is already on the Committee, he won't have any objection to the re-nomination, and whether the order may be issued without waiting for his reply. If so, the draft order below is for approval.

E.A.H.—31-5-17.

P.R.A.—31-5-17.

Draft may be approved.

E.A.H.—31-5-17.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—31-5-17.

Issue.

E.A.H.—31-5-17.

Telegram—from Professor METCALFE, Central College, Bangalore.

To—the Secretary to the Government, Home (Education) Department.

Dated—the 1st June 1917.

Apologise oversight; regret present circumstances render inadvisable acceptance membership Students' Advisory Committee.

Please see Professor Metcalfe's telegram on the previous page in which he declines to accept the membership on the Students' Advisory Committee.

2. Under paragraph 5 of the letter from the Government of India on page 3 of G.O. No. 542, Educational, dated the 29th September 1909, except that the committee should be "sufficiently large and representative in character" there is no limit to the number of members. In this connection attention is also solicited to His Excellency the Governor's note on pages 5 and 6 of G.O. No. 24, Educational, dated the 7th January 1915.

3. As it is now too late to consider the appointment of a successor to Mr. Metcalfe, the Government Order already approved may issue with the omission of his name and the question of his successor may be taken up separately. Orders are solicited whether the proof of the Government Order submitted may be altered accordingly and issued.

P.R.—1-6-17.

Yes.

E. A. HARVEY—1-6-17.

[G.O. No. 723, Home (Education), dated the 31st May 1917.]

G.O. No. 723, Home (Education), dated 31st May 1917, reconstituting the Madras Students' Advisory Committee has issued. Mr. Metcalfe of the Central College, Bangalore, having declined to accept the membership, his name was not included in the list of members of the Students' Advisory Committee. It is for consideration whether it is necessary to nominate another in his stead. In this connection attention is solicited to His Excellency the Governor observed: "It seems to me that the committee now greatly enlarged is large enough and sufficiently cover the Presidency." Should it be considered necessary to nominate another in order that Mysore may be represented, the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore may be requested to suggest the name of a suitable person.

2. Subject to orders a draft letter is submitted for approval.

V.P.—23-6-17.

T.K.—23-6-17.

I doubt if it is necessary to appoint a representative for Mysore; if one is required, the Secretary to the committee will probably bring the fact to light and suggest a name.

E.A.H.—26-6-17.

I agree.

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO—27-6-17.

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W. M. Zumbro,
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The American College,
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Kodaikanal,
May 25, 1917.



E. A. Harvey Esq., I. C. S.,
Secretary to Government,
Home Department,
Ootacamund.

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your favour D.O.NO.1677 B-4 dated 21-5-1917. In reply I would say that I shall be glad to serve on the Madras Students Advisory Committee for the period intimated in case I am nominated a member.

I beg to remain,

Yours faithfully,

W. M. Zumbro
Principal.

Lodged.

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This will be filed with the original of G.O. No. 823 Home (Ed) dated 31-5-1917.

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