

Home (1918) Department.

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G.O. No. 1492

DATED 23-11-18

[Despatch Abstract.]

Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund.

Declining to sanction a special grant of Rs.14,540 to meet the deficit in the budget of the --- for 1918-19 but permitting the Committee to meet it from the Rs.75,000 proposed to be spent on the junior school building.

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HOME (EDUCATION)

DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

Submitting letter from the Principal, Lawrence Memorial School, Lovedale, requesting that Government may be pleased to sanction a special grant of Rs.14540 to cover the estimated expenditure of the school.

ENCLOSURES

No.

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No. 8005/18

By the copies

Station Madras, Dated the 25 September 1918

From (Name) H.S. Duncan, Esq., M.A.,

(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
HOME (EDUCATION) Department.

Sir,

Submitted to Government.

R. A. Arne

for Director of Public Instruction.

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C. No. 2353

Nilgiri District, 3rd September 1918.

FROM*

THE REVEREND W. H. G. PADFIELD, M.A.,

PRINCIPAL AND SECRETARY,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Through Home (Education) Department.

The Director of Public Instruction,

M a d r a s.

SIR,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of
 G.O. No.832, Home (Education) Department, dated 25th
 June 1918, which has been duly laid before the Committee.

2. I am directed by the Committee to request
 that Government may be pleased to make a special grant
 of Rs.14,540/- to cover the estimated expenditure of the
 school as sanctioned for the current year

viz., deficit in budget sanctioned Rs.8,600

Bonus to staff (sanctioned in

G.O.No.833, Home (Education)

Department, dated 25th June

1918.

Rs.5,940

Rs.14,540.

3. As submitted in the Chairman's letter
 No.695, dated 16th May 1918, the prices of all articles
 of food, clothing, brushware, paper, books &c., have
increased enormously since the budget was prepared in
 December last and the school supplies everything for the
 pupils from tooth brushes to blacking.

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32. 4. When it was clear in March last that the tenders were all above the estimated amount, that for some articles such as oil, no one would tender, and that estimates for others were most difficult to get. I again most carefully went through the requirements of the school with the heads of the departments at the school to see whether it would be possible to delete or hold over any of the items indented for. It was soon evident that the cost of the few articles which we were able, for the time being, to dispense with, would not compensate for the increased cost of the articles necessary to carry on the work of the school.

I therefore regret that the revised estimates cannot, as far as can be foreseen, be less than the budget estimates and may exceed them.

5. The balance in the general funds of the school on 31st August 1918, was Rs. 6400 = which is barely sufficient to pay the salaries of the staff due on 1st September 1918.

The favour of orders is solicited as to whether the Principal is to overdraw on the bank for current expenditure or to draw on funds earmarked for special works.

Enclosure.

1 copy of Resolution
of Committee.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

W. A. G. G. G.

Principal and Secretary.

Subject - special grant for
the Lawrence Memorial
School, Dabacamm.

Home (204) Dept.

[No. 20330]. From the S.D. Re. No. 8002/18 d. 25.9.18.

Please see the budget estimate of the Lawrence Memorial School, Dabacamm, recorded in G.O. No. 293 Home (204) d. 1st March 1918. It was expected to close with a balance of Rs 1,05,504 of which Rs 25,000 is the special grant sanctioned by the Govt. of India for the proposed training college for Europeans. Exclusive of that sum the school had a balance of Rs 80,504. ~~From~~ From this has also to be met the expenditure of Rs 75,000 involved in the construction of the junior school building approved in G.O. No. 566 Edn d. 30.4.18. The approval of this ^(expenditure) Rs 75,000 was given on the assurance of the school authorities that they had a balance of Rs 1 lakh of which Rs 75,000 were ordinary school funds available for any purpose. As soon, however, as the expenditure was sanctioned by the Govt., the Committee represented that the financial condition of the school was unsatisfactory and that consequently the school funds might be required to contribute only Rs 50,000. This request was negatived in G.O. No. 832 d. 25.6.18. The current application amounts to a revival of that ~~request~~ request.

2. There is no doubt that the school requires help; ~~and~~ but it was brought about by the Committee's

	Rs
Boys' branch	96,840
Girls' "	8,664
	<u>1,05,504</u>
	25,000
	<u>80,504</u>

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vide Mr. Radfield's d.o.
on page 94 and H.M.'s
note on p. 90 of G.O. (R)

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p. 1 of G.O. 832 d. 25.6.18

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Committee's venture to build the junior school at this juncture. The question for consideration is whether the Govt. should give a special grant of Rs 14,540 to cover the expenditure during the current year. In the event of the Govt's refusing the grant applied for, the other alternatives are ^{either to find} ~~whether~~ the amount ~~can be found~~ from the unspent portion, if any, of the Rs 75,000 earmarked for the junior school or ~~to permit~~ ^{to permit} the Committee ~~was proposed~~ to overdraw on the bank, the special grant of Rs 25,000 referred to above being specially reserved for the training college. Leaving aside the question of permitting the Committee to overdraw on the bank as of no consequence ~~and~~ the next point is whether they may be permitted to utilize the unspent portion of the Rs 75,000 earmarked for the junior school ~~for~~ towards the current expenses. To do so also will not be of any advantage to the Govt. as such a course will only give the Govt. some time and eventually the balance of the cost of the school building will have to be met by ~~them~~ ^{Govt.}. The question thus reduces itself to one of making a grant, once for all, of the amount asked for by the Committee.

3. In this connection attention is solicited to the notes on pages 20-23 of notes to Govt.

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of the ~~provision~~ attitude hitherto assumed by the Govt. in the matter of rendering financial aid to the school. Though no regular aid has been given to the school till now, the Govt. have occasionally come to its aid - please see G.O. No. 577 Dt. 7.10.10, No. 951 Dt. 29.10.12 & No. 1106 Dt. 11-12-12. If, following the precedents, it is decided to make a grant it may be met from the sum of Rs 1,30,000 reserved for the purposes of the school from the Imperial non-recurring grant of Rs 5,50,000 for European education.

4. The question of the provincialization of the school is separately under Consideration. The ~~Committee~~ ^{S.P.D.} has been requested to furnish Govt. with a Comprehensive scheme of all recurring and non-recurring expenditure connected with the school. This is awaited. It is for Consideration whether pending its receipt and Consideration by the Govt. the Committee may be permitted to utilize the unspent portion of the Rs 75,000 earmarked for the junior school building. If, however, this is considered to be of no advantage, ~~as pointed out in para. 2 above~~ ^{as pointed out in para. 2 above} the grant ~~may be sanctioned~~ ^{applied for} ~~once for all.~~ ^{may be sanctioned} once for all. The remarks of the Financial Department

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Department may be obtained w.o. in the first instance.

19.10.18

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I do not understand that the Rs 566 of 30 ahl 1918 to mean that Rs 75000 should be earmarked for the school. I think it simply means that funds to this extent should be first spent in the building out of the resources of the asylum.

2. So I would propose that the deficit be met from the admsy balance (in other words the 75000 may not be separately earmarked this year itself as a fund not to be drawn upon).

To D.P. 9 for amendments

22/10/18

D.P. 9 (w)

I have no objection to the Secretary's suggestion provided that ultimately the amount should be taken from the Rs 75,000 this year is made up from the balances of next year.

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28.10.18

Home (Dm) Dept

Draft order submitted. It may perhaps be sent to Finance for perusal

14.11.18

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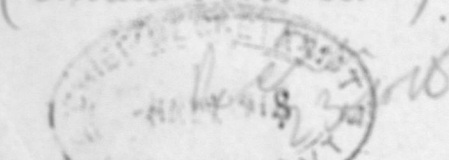


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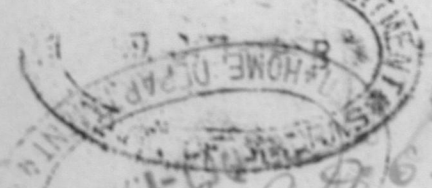
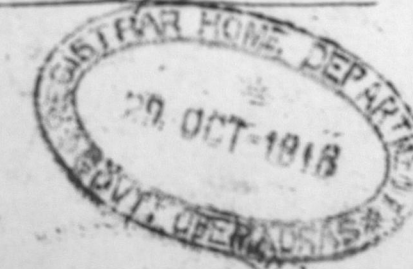
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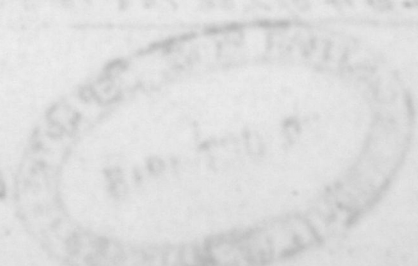
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Home (Est) DEPARTMENT.

Lawrence Memorial School, Otago

Declining to sanction a special grant of Rs 4,540 to meet the deficit in the budget of the 4th school for 1918-19 but permitting the Commis. to meet it from the Rs 75,000 proposed to be spent on the junior school building.

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READ ALSO:—

C. No. 203305 From the Chief of the A.P.D., No. 8005/18, dated the 25.9-1918.

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School, Golds., No. 2353, d/3-5. 48

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ORDER.

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No. 1492, dated 23. XI. 1918.

The Govt. regret their inability to sanction a special grant of Rs 14,5240 to meet the anticipated deficit in the budget of the Lawrence Memorial school, Ootacamund, for 1918-19. They have, however, no objection to the Committee's meeting the expenditure from the unspent portion of the Rs 75,000 proposed to be utilized in the construction of the junior school during the current year and to their making good the amount from the balances of next year.

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K. S. King
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the L. V. School, Oct

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