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[Despatch Abstract.]

Acquisition of land.

Declining to modify the orders already passed in the matter
of ----- required for a play-ground for the High School at Otta-
palam.

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Ref 5 R/2262/P17
 Ottappalam High School.
 28 - 5 - 1918.

From

M.R.Ry. K. Prabhakaran Thampai Avl.

Proprietor and Manager.

Ottappalam High School, Ottappalam.

TO

The Secretary to the Government of Madras.

Home (Education)

Ootacamund.

Through The Collector of Malabar.

Calicut.

Sir,

With reference to the Collector's letter R.O.C.

2262/P.16. dated 14th May 1918 informing me of the order of the Government regarding ^{the} play ground for the School, I have the honour to place the following facts before you and request you will be so good as to reconsider the decision arrived at.

2. It is not my purpose to enter into the merits of the aspect which have weighed with the Government in making the selection, but as the choice was made without making any reference to me, I have taken the liberty to address this note and point out the unsuitability of the ground selected, for the purpose for which it is intended.

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3. It is not large enough for a good play ground. Its position is like the hollow of the hand and a good deal of digging is necessary to make it into an even ground. There are granite boulders appearing on the surface and it is possible there may be deeper beds beneath them. As the sides are slanting towards the ground and it will be difficult to make or maintain proper drainage. From a sanitary point of view the ground selected cannot be preferred. It is not open to a public road or foot-path and as the landowner has recently leased the adjoining grounds for house construction access to it may be difficult.

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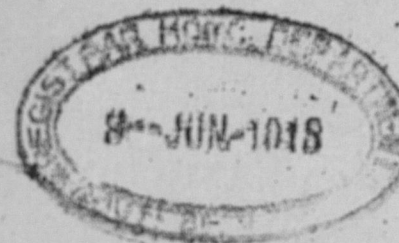
4. It will be seen from the sketches enclosed with my letter dated 7th June 1917 to the Collector that the cost of levelling the site now selected will be Rs.1040/- more than that of

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of the one I proposed. They were prepared by a professional man.
He declares it will be more if there is granite in the sub-soil.
These facts, I hope, will convince the Government of the unsuitability of the site selected for a play ground. I request the Government will be pleased to reconsider their decision and pass orders to acquire the site I originally proposed and for which acquisition value was already levied.

The application
has not been
the Govt. office.

5. If, however, the Government consider the present decision final, I request the grant I have applied for, to the Director of Public Instruction to meet the additional cost involved in levelling the ground, may be sanctioned.



I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

K. Prabhakara
W 5718.
Proprietor and Manager.

C. No. 79/C-3/18.

Forwarded.

2. Reference is solicited to G.O. No. 432, Home (Education) Department, dated 3rd April 1918.

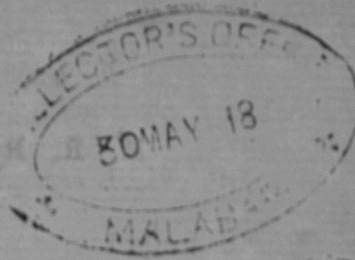
3. The area of the site finally chosen by Government is not much smaller than that of the other - 3.71 acres against 3.88 acres. Its suitability for a playground is much the same. I alluded to the extra cost of levelling in letter dated 10th January 1918. It is easily accessible from the main road.

Malabar Collector's Office,
Calicut, 5th June 1918.

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to E. V.
Collector.

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6 JUN 1918



From

M. R. Ry. Poomullimanakkal Mupilasthanam Narayanan
Numboodiripad of Kotachera Amsom, Ponnani Taluq.

To

The secretary to government,
M A D R A S.

Sir,

For the purpose of a play ground for the High school Ottapalam a plot of ground belonging to the vengeri Mana in jem was selected by the manager of the school and he applied to the collector of Malabar for acquisition under the act; and under orders of the collector necessary steps were taken to acquire the site.

In the meantime one Mr. Kaippenchery Narayanan Nair purchased some four or five acres of paramba in the locality for a low price and the site proposed for the playground includes a small portion of about 40 cents of this paramba. Mr. Narayanan Nair objected to the acquisition and pointed out a paramba belonging to me in jem having improvements thereon. Myself and my tenant objected to this and it was finally decided by the collector to acquire the site selected by the school authorities. And the manager under orders of the collector deposited the value selected.

When matters have reached such a final stage now in the Port Saint George Gazette dated 16 - 4 - 18. there appears a notification to acquire my property instead of the one decided to be acquired.

cp. Staff on
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The reason for this change is said to be that Mr. Narayanan Nair sent an objection petition to government and it is said that his objection was allowed and his property was exempted on the ground that he serves in the Hospital ship.

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Narayanan joined the Hospital ship long after the collector's decision the deposit of the money in accordance therewith. Further Narayanan Nair has got his Tarwad house a very recently built grant building adjoining this paramba so that the latter is not a necessity to him.

Just near the paramba now notified for acquisition I have already given extensive sites for the government travellers bungalow and the contemplated local hospital; if contributions to the ^{war} work is an item of consideration in this matter I may be allowed to submit that I have in my humble way done what has in my power in subscribing to the war fund and war loan to the extent of Rs 8000 and making a monthly contribution of Rs 10 for the maintainance of the Hospital ship from June 1915.

I therefore pray that in the light of the facts herein contained contained the government may be pleased to reconsider its order dated 3 - 4 - 18, deciding to acquire my paramba for the playground, cancel the same and orders may be passed to, acquire the plot required by the school authorities and approved by the collector.

For this act of kindness I shall as in duty bound ever pray,

Your most obedient servant,
Narayanan Numboodiripad.

Kothachera
9-6-18



Sept. 1910.

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in the matter of _____ required for a play-ground for the
high school at Ottapalam.

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C. No. 1208B, From the Proprietor & manager, No. .., dated 28-5-1918.
Othappalam high school

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Narayana Nambodirpad.

ORDER.

No. 828, dated 24. 6. 1918.

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The Govt. see no reason to reconsider

The orders already passed in the matter of acquiring a site for a play-ground for the high school at O'Hassalam.

2. The application for additional grant referred to in ^(para. 5 of) the manager's petition will be considered on its merits if and when it is received by the Govt.

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 To. The Proprietor & Manager,
 Ottappalam High School
 thro' the Com^r of Malabar

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Note

Another communication

mRy, Poomallimanakkal from mRy, Poomallimanakkal
 Narayana Namboodipad (90 of II para. 1 of order)
 Thro' the CoM. Malabar Narayana

Narayanan Namboodiripad Since
received is also added as pages 304
of. His objection was already considered
by the Collector who regarded it as
"ordinary" and "invalid". There
appears to be no reason to re-
consider the objection

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