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READ—the following papers :—

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G.O. No. 663, Home (Education), dated 23rd May 1918.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating to the Director of Public Instruction and to all district Collectors letter from the Government of India forwarding a set of rules drawn up by them as a guide to Local Governments in the grant of concessions to meet the education of the children of Indian soldiers and issuing certain subsidiary instructions in the matter.

II

Letter—from H. T. REILLY, Esq., I.C.S., Collector of Madura.
To—the Secretary, Madras Soldiers' Board, Ootacamund.

Dated—the 13th September 1919.

No.—D. Dis. 3679-Rev.

I have the honour to submit the following case for favour of Madras Soldiers' Board's orders.

2. The Officer Commanding the 1/80th Carnatic Infantry has communicated the name of a deceased private, No. 2060, Muhammad Murad, for purposes of granting educational concessions contemplated in G.O. No. 663, dated the 23rd May 1918. It is reported on local inquiries that the private in question died a bachelor but that he has a brother aged 8 or 9 years and a sister aged 10 years, both entirely dependent on him. I solicit instructions if the concessions can be extended to the brothers and sisters in cases of this kind where on local inquiry it is found that there is no one in the deceased's family in a position to educate them.

Order—No. 1340, Home (Education), dated 31st October 1919.

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(True extract)

R. RAMACHANDRA RAO,
Secretary to Government.

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" Publicity Officer.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Local and Municipal Department.
" Financial Department.
" Accountant-General.
" Revenue Department.
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HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 1340, HOME (EDUCATION),
DATED 31st OCTOBER 1919.

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REVENUE (SPECIAL) DEPARTMENT.

From the Collector of Madura, D. Dis. No. 3679-Rev., dated 13th September 1919.

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Un-official reply No. 275/19, dated 7th October 1919.

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N.K.—14-10-19.

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R.R.—17-10-19.

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READ AGAIN G.O. No. 663, dated 23.5.1918.

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READ ALSO:-

C. No. 2152A From the Collector of ^{S.D.} Madras, No. 3679 dated 13/9/1919

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To The Collector of District.

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