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[Despatch Abstract.]

Affiliation.-

Withdrawing the rights conferred on the Doveton Protestant
College, Madras by its----- to the Madras University.

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Enclosures.

SENATE HOUSE, 4 - NOV 1919

FROM

FRANCIS DEWSBURY, Esq., B.A., LL.B.

Registrar, University of Madras,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Home (Education) Department.

Sir,

I have the honour, by direction of the Syndicate, to submit, under Regulation 10(e) of Chapter XIV, for disposal by H. E. the Governor in Council a proposal made in the Syndicate by the Rev. W. Meston, a Member thereof, that the rights conferred by the affiliation to the University of the Doveton Protestant College, Madras, be withdrawn in whole, together with copies of the proceedings thereon of the Syndicate and the Senate, and of the report submitted by the Syndicate to the Senate in which the proposal with the correspondence relating thereto are set out in full.

At its adjourned meeting held on the 25th October 1919 the Senate recorded its opinion that the rights conferred on the college by affiliation to the University may, by an order of the Government, be withdrawn in whole.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Francis Dewsbury
Registrar.



Extract from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Syndicate held on July 15, 1918.

Resolved that the Registrar obtain from the Managements of such affiliated colleges as no longer present candidates for examination in all or any of the subjects in which they are affiliated, statements as to whether it is their intention to undertake to offer instruction in such subjects at an early date, and if so the date when such instruction will be offered and what additions to staff, accommodation, etc., for such instruction are proposed.

Extract from the Minutes of the Syndicate in circulation dated December 7, 1918.

Read letter No.71, dated December 5, 1918, from the Chairman, Doveton Protestant College Committee, stating that the question of opening the college classes cannot be considered until the question of amalgamation into Corrie's High School, which is now under consideration is decided. A. 1060.

Resolved that the Chairman be asked to report when the decision regarding the amalgamation with Bishop Corrie's High School is likely to be arrived at.

Extracts from the from the Adjourned Meeting of the Syndicate held on January 20, 1919.

Read correspondence ending with letter, dated December 24, 1918, from the Secretary, Protestant College Trustees, Madras, intimating that the representatives of the Bishop Corrie High School and the Doveton Protestant College have not yet come to a decision regarding the proposed amalgamation of the two institutions and that as soon as a decision is arrived at he will write

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as to whether the Intermediate classes will be opened in the college or not.

Resolved that the correspondence be recorded.

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Extract from the Minutes of the Adjourned Meeting of the Syndicate held on September 2, 1919.

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Read letter dated August 8, 1919, from the Rev. Canon Sell, Secretary, Protestant College Trustees, stating that the proposed amalgamation of Bishop Corrie's High School with the Doveton College will not take place.

Resolved that the management of the Doveton College be requested to state whether they are now prepared to agree to the disaffiliation of that institution.

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Extract from the Minutes of the Syndicate in Circulation dated September 24, 1919.

Read letter dated September 19, 1919, from the Honorary Secretary, Doveton Protestant College, Madras, communicating a copy of the resolution of the Committee that it is not the intention of the college at present to offer instruction in the Intermediate courses of study and that the management is prepared to agree to the disaffiliation of the college;

together with the report thereon of the Affiliation Committee of the Syndicate.

Also letter dated September 24, 1919, from the Rev. W. Meston, sending in the formal notice of motion required under Section 24, sub-section 1, of the Indian Universities Act, 1904, and Regulation 10 of Chapter XIV.

Resolved that a copy of the notice of motion be forwarded to the head of the college under clause (b) of Regulation 10 of Chapter XIV, with the intimation that any representation in

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writing received within a week from the date of posting of the Registrar's letter will be considered by the Syndicate.

Extract from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Syndicate held on October 6, 1919.

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Considered again letter, dated September 19, 1919, from the Honorary Secretary, Doveton Protestant College, enclosing a copy of the resolution of the college committee stating that it is proposed to agree to the disaffiliation of the college; together with the report thereon of the Affiliation Committee of the Syndicate.

Also notice of motion by the Rev. W. Meston, a Member of the Syndicate, under Section 24(1) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904, and Regulation 10 of Chapter XIV for the withdrawal in whole of the privileges of affiliation from the Doveton Protestant College, Madras.

Resolved to recommend the Senate to record its opinion that the rights conferred upon the Doveton Protestant College, Madras, by affiliation to the University may, by order of the Government, be withdrawn in whole.

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/True Extracts/

Senate House,
Novr: 3, 1919.

Francis D. Brooke
Registrar.

Extract from the Minutes of the Adjourned Meeting of the
Senate held on October 25, 1919.

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XXVII. The Rev. W. Meston moved

and

Rao Bahadur K. Ramunni Menon seconded

That the Senate record its opinion that the
rights conferred by the affiliation of the Doveton Pro-
testant College, Madras, to the University may, by an
order of the Government, be withdrawn in whole.

Carried.

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/True Extract/

Senate House,
Novr: 3, 1919.

Francis D. ...
Registrar.

University of Madras

Notice of motion by a member of the Syndicate for the withdrawal in whole of the privileges of affiliation from the Doveton Protestant College, Madras

The Syndicate reports the following correspondence relative to this notice of motion.

Letter No. 4776, dated July 18, 1918, from the Registrar, University of Madras, to the Principal, Doveton College, Madras.

The Syndicate's attention has been drawn to the fact that though your college is still affiliated in Groups i, ii and iii of the Intermediate courses no candidates in these Groups are being presented for the Intermediate Examinations.

I am accordingly directed to obtain from the management of the college a statement as to whether it is their intention to undertake to offer instruction in the groups referred to at an early date, and if so the date when such instruction will be offered, and what additions to staff, accommodation, etc., for such instruction are proposed.

Letter No. 42, dated July 24, 1918, from the Principal, Doveton Protestant College, Madras, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

With reference to your letter regarding the opening of the Intermediate classes, I have the honour to inform you that I have referred the matter to the Committee and will communicate you their decision next month.

Letter, dated August 23, 1918, from the Principal, Doveton Protestant College, Madras, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

The question of re-opening the college classes is receiving the earnest consideration of the Committee. The matter will be definitely decided shortly, and I shall immediately let you know their decision.

Letter No. 6453, dated September 14, 1918, from the Registrar, University of Madras, to the Principal, Doveton Protestant College, Madras.

I have the honour to invite your attention to your letter of the 23rd ultimo, stating that the question of re-opening the college classes would be definitely decided shortly and to request you to be so good as to communicate, for the consideration of the Syndicate, at a very early date, the decision arrived at by the College Committee on the question.

I have to request you to give your earliest attention to this matter.

Letter No. 51, dated September 16, 1918, from the Principal, Doveton Protestant College, Madras, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

With reference to your letter No. 6453 of September 14, 1918, I have the honour to state that a Special Committee Meeting is being held on Wednesday next September 18, 1918, to decide the question of re-opening the Intermediate classes.

D.O. Letter, dated September 24, 1918, from the Principal, Doveton Protestant College Madras, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

At the last meeting of my Committee it was impossible to come to a final decision as to the re-opening of the college classes owing to the unavoidable absence of the Financial Secretary. The matter will be gone into at their next meeting and their decision forwarded to you in due course.

Letter No. 7133, dated October 11, 1918, from the Registrar, University of Madras, to the Principal, Doveton College, Madras.

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter of September 11 last on the subject of the re-opening of the college classes at your institution, I have the honour, by direction, to inform you that the Syndicate awaits the further communication on the matter promised by you.

Letter No. 57, dated October 14, 1918, from the Principal, Doveton Protestant College Madras, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

In reply to your letter No. 7133, dated October 11, 1918, I have the honour to state, that the subject of the re-opening of the college classes has been postponed for consideration at the monthly meeting of the Committee to be held on November 20, when a reply will be sent to you.

Letter No. 8314, dated November 29, 1918, from the Registrar, University of Madras, to the Principal, Doveton Protestant College, Madras.

I have the honour to invite your attention to your letter No. 57 of the 14th October last and to request you to be so good as to communicate to the Syndicate at a very early date the decision arrived at by your Committee on the subject of the re-opening of the college classes.

Letter No. 71, dated December 5, 1918, from the Chairman, Doveton Protestant College Committee, Madras, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

In reply to your letter No. 8314 of November 29, 1918, I have the honour to inform you that the Doveton Protestant College is having much difficulty in deciding what course they should pursue regarding the re-opening of the college classes.

The question of amalgamation into Corrie High School, is now under consideration again and until a decision regarding this has been reached the question of the college classes cannot be considered.

Letter No. 8734, dated December 12, 1918, from the Registrar, University of Madras, to the Rev. E. Langdale Smith, Chairman, Doveton Protestant College Committee.

With reference to your letter No. 71, dated December 5, 1918, stating that the question of opening the college classes cannot be considered until the question of amalgamation into Corrie High School, which is now under consideration, is decided, I have the honour to inquire, for the information of the Syndicate, when the decision regarding the amalgamation with Corrie High School is likely to be arrived at.

The favour of a very early reply is requested.

Letter, dated December 24, 1918, from the Rev. E. Langdale Smith, M.A., Secretary, Protestant College Trustees, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

In reply to your letter No. 8734, dated December 12, 1918, I have the honour to inform you that the representatives of the Bishop Corrie High School and the Doveton Protestant College have not yet come to a decision regarding the proposed amalgamation. As soon as the question is decided we propose to write to you.

Letter No. 5063, dated August 6, 1919, from the Registrar, University of Madras, to the Secretary, Protestant College Trustees, C.M.S. House, Vepery.

I have the honour to invite your attention to your letter, dated December 24, 1918, stating that the question of amalgamation of the Bishop Corrie's High School and the Doveton Protestant College is still under consideration. I have the honour to request you to be so good as to state, for the information of the Syndicate, whether any decision has been arrived at on the point, and, if not, when the matter may be expected to be settled.

Letter, dated August 8, 1919, from the Secretary, Protestant College Trustees, C.M.S. House, Vepery, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

In reply to your letter No. 5063 of date August 6, 1919, I have the honour to state that the proposed amalgamation of Bishop Corrie's High School with the Doveton College has not been approved. No amalgamation will therefore take place.

Letter No. 5097, dated September 5, 1919, from the Registrar, University of Madras, to the Principal, Doveton College, Madras.

With reference to my letter No. 4776, dated July 18, 1919, and subsequent correspondence with your institution and the Protestant College Trustees, I have the honour to state that the Syndicate has now been informed that the proposed amalgamation of Bishop Corrie's High School with the Doveton College has not been approved and will not take place. I am directed to request a reply to my letter under reference and to inquire whether, if it is not the intention of the college to offer instruction in the Intermediate courses of study, the management are now prepared to agree to the disaffiliation of your institution.

Letter, dated September 19, 1919, from the Honorary Secretary, Doveton Protestant College, Madras, to the Registrar, University of Madras.

With reference to your letter No. 5879, dated September 5, 1919, I have the honour to enclose an extract from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Doveton Committee, at a meeting held on September 17, 1919. The Committee is prepared to agree to the disaffiliation of the college.

Extract from the Minutes of the Monthly Meeting of the Committee of the Doveton College held on September 17, 1919.

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Resolution No. XIV.

Read letter from the Registrar, University of Madras, enquiring whether it is the intention of the Committee to offer instruction in the Intermediate course of study.

Resolved that the Registrar be informed that it is not the intention of the College at present to offer instruction in the Intermediate courses of study and that the management is prepared to agree to the disaffiliation of the College.

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(Sd.) E. H. M. BOWER,
Honorary Secretary.

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Notice of motion dated 22nd September 1919 under Section 24, sub-section (1) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904, and Regulation 10 of Chapter XIV, by the Rev. W. Meston, for the withdrawal in whole of the privileges of affiliation from the Doveton Protestant College, Madras

Under section 24, sub-section (1) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904, and Regulation 10 of Chapter XIV, I hereby give notice that I intend to move that the rights conferred by the affiliation of the Doveton Protestant College, Madras, to the University of Madras be withdrawn in whole on the grounds that no candidates have within recent years been presented for the Intermediate Examinations though the college is still affiliated in Groups i, ii and iii of the Intermediate courses and that the Honorary Secretary of the Doveton College Committee states in his letter dated September 19, 1919 that the Committee has resolved that it is not the intention of the college at present to offer instruction in the Intermediate courses of study and that the management is prepared to agree to the disaffiliation of the College.

Letter, No. 6283, dated September 25, 1919, from the Registrar, University of Madras, to the Principal, the Doveton Protestant College, Madras

In accordance with Regulation 10 of Chapter XIV, I am directed by the Syndicate to forward to you a copy of a written notice of motion by a member of the Syndicate that the privileges of affiliation should be, by order of Government, withdrawn in whole from the Doveton Protestant College, Madras. The grounds on which the motion is made are set forth in the notice.

I am to inform you that any representation in writing submitted within a week from the date of posting of this letter, on behalf of the College, will be considered by the Syndicate.

No representation having been received from the Principal of the college within the specified period, the Syndicate considered the notice of motion received from the Rev. W. Meston at its meeting held on October 6, 1919, and resolved to recommend the Senate to record its opinion that the rights conferred by the affiliation of the college to the University may, by an order of the Government, be withdrawn in whole.

Francis Brash
Registrar.

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Subject.

Disaffiliation of the
Doveton Protestant
College.

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No. 7415, d/ 11. 11. 19.

The D. P. J. may see
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after withdrawing the rights of
affiliation from the Doveton Protestant
College.

11. 11. 19
J. P. J.

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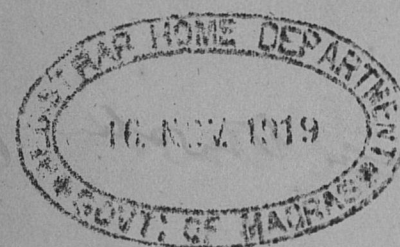
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D. P. J.

No NO 407

15. 11. 19



This is one of the colleges which
was originally affiliated up to the Intermediate
standard, but which for some years has
not offered instruction of a collegiate standard,
and whose cases were investigated by the
University about 1 1/2 to 2 years ago. The
management agrees to the disaffiliation. When
provision is made for giving instruction
up to an Intermediate standard, the college
will no doubt seek re-affiliation. But it
is extremely doubtful whether such provision
can be made in the near future.
I recommend that the college be
disaffiliated.

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