

Ordinary SERIES.

G.O. No. 401

DATED 16 - 3 - 1921

[Despatch Abstract.]

Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund.

Imperial non-recurring grant of Rs.45,000----to meet deficit during 1920-21 Accountant General requested to place at the disposal of the Committee.

ENCLOSURES

No.

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N. Ref on Cur 9 7 5 8 / 20
No.Station Madras, Dated the 21 September 1912From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. R. G. Grieco, M.A.,
(Designation) Asst. Director of Public Instruction,Madras
To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home / Education / Department.Stonchoushill

Sir,

The Nilgiris.

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(Left half for use for draft, etc.,
in the Receiving office.)

Endorsement order, reference of other
correspondence.

N. Ref. on C. No. 9750/20 of 21.9.20

Submitted to Government with
reference to para 3 of G.O. No. 424,
Home (Govt) Dept. of 3rd April 1920.

The Principal's letter No. 2340, dated
23rd August 1920 is being submitted
separately through the Accountant-General,
Madras.

R. S. Tata
For Director of Public Instruction

21.9.20.

Receiving office No. 9750

From The Principal & Secret
Lawrence memorial
To The Secretary to Government
Home (Govt) &
The Director of Public Instruction
No. 2528.
Dated 4.9.20

ENCLOSURES, one.

Date of despatch

Date of receipt

Subject.

Submitting Bank report regarding
overdraft on school funds, and
that the sum of Rs. 44,437 mentioned
G.O. No. 424, Home (Govt) of 3.4.20, and
Rs. 16,395 applied for in his letter
of 23.8.20 may be placed to the
of the school account.

LAWRENCE MEMORIAL SCHOOL. 43

Lovedale, Nilgiris.,
4th September 1920

Cur No. 2528

From

The Reverend W.H.G. Padfield, M.A.,
Principal and Secretary.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Home (Education) Department.

Through

The Director of Public Instruction,

MADRAS

Sir,

I have the honour to submit herewith Bank report regarding overdraft on school funds, and to request that the Rs.44,437/- mentioned in G.O.No.424, Home (Education) Department, dated 3rd April 1920 and the Rs.16395/- submitted in my 2340 of 23rd August 1920 for increased pay of the staff may kindly be placed to credit of the school account at an early date as possible.

2. The whole of the school's contribution for the Junior school building viz., Rs.28097 has been paid to the Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer in accordance with memorandum, Home (Education) Department, No.1128 E-1 dated 13th June 1920.

(X) There will be no difficulty as regards this amount as the intention has all along been to meet it from the Educational

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

W.H.G. Padfield

Principal and Secretary.

Encl. 1 Bank Memo.

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Encl to ~~File~~
2175 B-1
Memo No 1870 B-1

Bank of Madras
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Please note that Chairman
Vice Chairman Lawrence Memo
School No. 1 account is overdrawn
this day to the extent of Rs. 715
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Home (Estn)

Telegram 1870 B-1
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To

The Govt. of India, Dept.
of Education.

Reference this Govt.
letter [No.] 425 Education
[dated the] 3rd April last
regarding Imperial grant
of Rs. 45,000 to [the] Lawrence
Memorial School, Ootacamund
to meet deficit in finances
during 1920-21. School
committee report, ^{large} overdraft
on School funds and
request ^{immediate} early payment
[of] above grant to credit
of [the] School account.
In para 5 of your
letter [No.] 791 [dated the]
24th June 1920, the
Govt. of India have
promised to sanction
non-recurring grant of
Rs. ⁴⁵ 00,000 during the
current financial year
governor

governor in council is convinced that [the] state of [the] finances of [the] school is desperate and requests the immediate sanction of grant by [the] Govt. of India, ^{irrespective} ~~irrespective~~ of decision on [the] ^{general} question of provincialisation ^{now} under separate consideration. ~~Madras~~ Govt. are unable at present to make any further grants to school from Provincial funds and request early order [of] Govt. of India sanctioning grant.

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NO 1299 EDUCATION YR TELEGRAM 1870- B D / THE 27 TH

SEPT LAWRENCE MEMORIAL SCHOOL THE SPECIAL GRANT OF RS

45000 PROMISED IN PARAGRAPH 5 OF GOVT OF INDIA'S LETTER

791 DATED 24 TH JUNE 1920 WILL BE PLACED AT DISPOSAL OF

LOCAL GOVT AS SOON AS CASE IS SETTLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH

PARAGRAPH 6 OF SAME LETTER GOVT OF INDIA CONSIDER THAT

This form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.
CASE MUST BE SETTLED AS A WHOLE = EDUCATION INDIA

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Home (Education) Dept.

TELEGRAM.

2027B-1
22/10/20

To

✓ The Govt. of India,
Dept. of Education.

No 2027-B. Your telegram (No.) 1299, (dated) 14th instant regarding Imperial grant (of) Rs. 45,000 to (the) Lawrence Memorial school. Definite settlement on (the) question of (the) provincialisation (of the) school (is) not likely to be arrived at before (the) end of this year. (In the) meantime school committee have no funds to meet (the) large overdraft. Bank presses early repayment. (The) Madras Government (are) absolutely unable to find (the) amount required from Provincial funds. In view of (the) critical financial position of (the) school (the) Governor in Council ~~urges~~ very strongly urges ~~on~~ (the) Government (of) India ~~for~~ immediate ^(to) sanction ~~to~~ of Rs. 45,000 payment of (the) grant ~~as~~ (a) special case without waiting for decision on (the) question of provincialisation.

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TO
Madras Home Madras Fort-
Reference 20276 balance in
Viceroy's donation is 22775
Rupees
Radfield

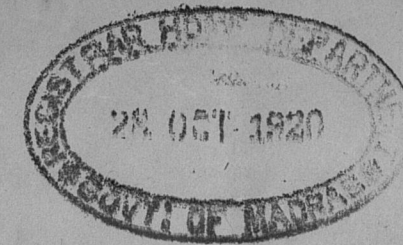
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La' Grand "Fons"—2-1-14-15-200 on Hks. 15 in ..

Rs. 5000 since sent
for 8th m colors.
(17,775)

Lawrence Memorial School.

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C. No. 3148



LOVEDALE, NILGIRIS,
27th October 1920

FROM

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

PRINCIPAL AND SECRETARY,

TO

The Secretary to Government

Home (Education) Department,

Madras.

SIR,

I have the honour to confirm my telegram of
yesterday - " Madras Home Madras Reference 20276
balance in Viceroy's Donation is 22775 Rupees Padfield"

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. H. G. Padfield

Principal and Secretary.

D. O. 3212

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL AND SECRETARY,

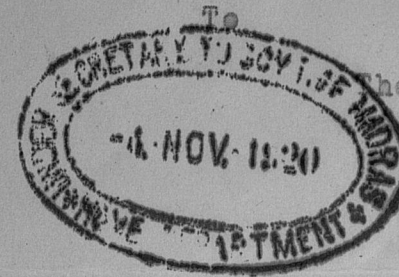
LAWRENCE MEMORIAL SCHOOL,

LOVEDALE, NILGIRI HILLS,

2nd November 1920

ES. C. No. 2175 B

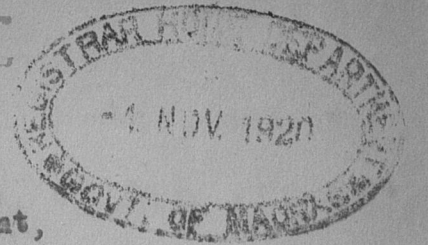
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The Secretary to Government,

Home (Education) Department,

Madras.



Dear Sir,

With reference to your telegram 2101 B dated 28th October 1920, I beg to point out that the debit balance of the school excluding the 20,000/- furniture grant on 31st October was Rs.35,257/-

As the interest is charged by the Bank only on the difference between No.1 Account (School Account) and No.2 account (Viceroy's Special Fund), vide letter from Bank attached, it would appear to make no difference whether the 15,000/- was transferred from No.2 to No.1 Account or not. Unless therefore the Government wish this to be carried into effect, I would suggest leaving it alone. The school is working so far within the budget as sanctioned for 1920-21 -

and the overdraft is due to (1) the non-receipt of the 44,437/- mentioned therein and (2) the non-receipt of Rs.16,995/- for increased pay of staff sanctioned by Government.

Perhaps I may here mention that the overdraft at the Bank has to be ~~maxim~~ covered by the No. 3 Fixed Deposit Account (Training College Account) as a security for the overdraft.

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advised - p. 8
and
X since sanctioned
by appeal from
the B. Budget

Division of
the T. College
grants has
been held to
be undesirable

— para 1, p. 8 n. f.

Yours faithfully,

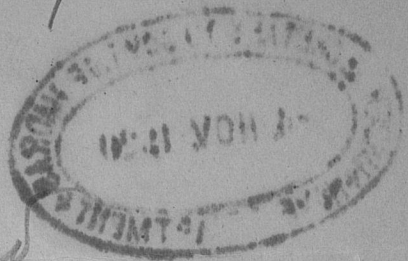
W. A. S. S. S.

Principal and Secretary.

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Letter from Bank of Madras



The interest on the overdraft is charged on the difference between the balance of Nos I + II account taken separately

Encl to memo No 2175B-1
10-11-20

Sent to Rev Mr Padfield

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Home (En) Dept

[C-2175B.]

memo: No. 2175B-1 of 10.11.20

With reference to his letter No. 3212, dated the 2nd instant, the Principal and Secretary of the d.M. School, Sotacamund, is informed that the Govt. withdraw the temporary loan of Rs. 15,000 from the vicar's donation, sanctioned in telegram No. 2101B, of 28.10.1920. The amount of Rs. 16,395 for increase pay to the school staff has since been sanctioned in G.O. No. 896 Financial, dated the 20th Oct. 1920, a copy of which has been communicated to the Principal.

Copied by 16/11

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(verified)

To The Principal & Secy., d.M. School, Sotacamund with encls. (memo:)

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POSTS & TELEGRAPHS

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Service Instructions

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TO Education Madras Madras Dist.

No 1370 Education Your Telegram

no 2027/B dated 22nd Oct

Lawrence memorial School Govt of

India regret that decision on

this matter cannot be arrived

TO Arrived

Read here

At before end of year

they suggest that most convenient

solution of difficulty would be

that local Govt find sum

immediately required which Govt of

TO of

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Indian Guarantee to make good

when satisfactory settlement has been

reached Regarding provincialisation

Education India

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Home (Edu.)

[C. 2202 B.]

memo: No. 2202 B-2
19. 11. 20.
with reference to

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his letter N. Ref. on cur.
No. 9758/20 d. 21. 9. 20,
regarding the grant of
Rs. 45,000 to the L. M.
school, Botacamund, to
meet the anticipated
deficit in its working
during 1920-21, the
D. P. S. is requested to
~~inform the Govt.~~ ^{report} at a
very early date whether
~~the grant~~ ^{can} in question
could be temporarily
met by reappropriation
from the Educational
budget. The Govt. of
India, who were recently
addressed in the matter,
have ^{expressed} ~~submitted~~ their
inability to sanction the
grant ~~at present~~ ^{before the end} of
this year; but they have

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Suggested that the money
may be advanced ^{temporarily} from
Provincial funds and
have guaranteed to
make good ~~no account~~ such advance
when a ~~decision~~ settlement has been
reached regarding the
~~question~~ on the general
question of provincialisation
of the school.

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20 NOV. 1920
To
The D. P. O. (memo:)

R after 10 days.

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Home (Education) DEPARTMENT.

Received 191 . Registered 191 .
Subject.

Replying to Government Memorandum No. 2202B-2 Home (Education) dated 19th November 1920 regarding the grant of Rs. 45000 to the Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund to meet the anticipated deficit during 1920-21.

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No.
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Ref. on Cur. No. 9758 of 1920.

Station Madras, Dated the 29th November 1920.

From (Name) Hon'ble Mr. R. G. Grievs, M. A.,
(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction,

M a d r a s
To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home (Education) Department.

Sir,
In reply to Government memo No. 2202-B-2 Home (Education) dated 19th November 1920 regarding the grant of Rs. 45,000 to the Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund, to meet the anticipated deficit in its working during 1920-21, I have the honour to state that at present I am unable to point out any source from which the expenditure can be met. It will be observed that this school has already been a heavy charge on the budget of this department, a sum of Rs. 36,395/- having been appropriated for it from the building grants allotment for European Schools.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

for Director of Public Instruction

Home / Education / DEPARTMENT.

Received 191 . Registered 191

Subject.

Stating that it is not possible to meet the grant of Rs.45,000/- to the Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund, by -- reappropriation from the total budget grants under "22-Education."

ENCLOS RES.

No.

Ref. on Cur. No. 9758 of 1920.

Spare copies

Station Madras, Dated the 23rd December 1920.

From (Name) R. G. Grieve, Esq, M. A.,

(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction,

Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Home (Education) Department.

Sir,

In reply to your telephonic message dated 8th December 1920 I have the honour to state that it is not possible to meet the grant of Rs.45,000/- to the Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund, by reappropriation from the total budget grant under "22-Education".

I have the honour to be,

Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

for Director of Public Instruction.

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Law (Edn) Dept

[No. 2452 B.] Telegram No. 2452 B-3
8 JAN. 1921
To 8.1.21

✓ the Govt. of India,
Dept. of Education

Reference correspondence
ending [with] your telegram
[No.] 1370 Education [dated]
^{5th} ~~29th~~ Nov^r 1920 and
para 13 of my letter [No.]
1394 [dated] 29th Nov^r,
regarding imperial grant
[of] Rs. 45,000 to Lawrence
Memorial school. Govt. of
Madras [are] absolutely
unable to find even
temporarily amount required
from Provincial funds.
Request ^{sanction} ~~sanction~~ for
[of] Rs. 45,000 ~~for~~ school

unless India Law
sanction the amount,

from imperial grants
in India's (Edn. Dept. letter)
sanctioned ~~for~~ proposed
[No.] 851 [dated] 2nd Decr 1917 for
proposed Training college [for the]
domestic community [at]
[Ootacamund]

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8 JAN. 1921

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Telegram from the Government of India, Department of Education,
No. 196, dated the 8th February 1921.-

Correspondence ending with your letter No.1394 dated 29th November. Provincialization of Lawrence Memorial school Ootacamund. Government of India while unable to accept all arguments urged by Local Government for raising amount of financial assistance offered from Central revenues are now prepared to make annual recurring grant of 2 lakhs rupees and 30,000 rupees and during next three years total non-recurring grant of 3 lakhs rupees and 22,000 rupees in addition they will make good non-recurring grant of rupees 45,000 advanced by Government of Madras. This offer is absolutely final and is made on the distinct understanding mentioned in paragraph 6 of this department letter No.791 dated 24th June last. Please telegraph reply of Local Government.

Telegram to the Government of India, Department of Education,
No. 459 B, dated the 26th February 1921:-

(Reference) correspondence ending with your telegram dated 8th February, Number 196. Provincialization of Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund Government of Madras accept the offer of Government of India and request sanction at an early date. With reference to my telegram dated 8th January No. 2452 B-3 immediate sanction is solicited to non-recurring grant of rupees 45,000.

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POSTS 12-3-21 TELEGRAMS



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Station in which Originated	Date	Time	Service Instructions	Remarks
Delhi	11	17/3	86	
Madras Home				
Madras Fort				

No 3% Education Correspondence ending with your telegram
 copy on p. 20 ante
 159B dated 25th Feb'y from specialisation of Lawrence
 Memorial School atacam and govt of India sanction
 payment of non recurring grant of Rs 45000 from
 imperial revenues Subject to approval of Secy of
 State who is being addressed on whole Subject

The name of the sender, if telegraphed, is written after the text.

Education India

NOTES.

Home (Ed.)

d. M. School, Dataramund.

CF. [C-1870B.] From the Dep., N. Reg. on Cur. 9758/20
 of 21.9.20

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In letter No. 425 of 3.4.20, the Govt. of India have been requested to sanction a non-recurring grant of Rs. 45,000 to cover the anticipated deficit in the finances of the school during 1920-21. In para 5 of their letter No. 791 of 24.6.20, furnishing their views on the general question of provincialisation, the Govt. of India have promised to pay the grant requested of them for the purpose. It is submitted that the Govt. of India are not likely to sanction the ^{grant} ~~grant~~ until a definite settlement is arrived at on the general question; and in the meanwhile, it is not apparently possible to give ~~make any further assistance~~ ~~make a grant~~ to them from savings in the Educational budget. It would thus appear that nothing further

further could be done in the matter
at present

2 orders are requested

CNO. 1954/15720
Since received sent to
Fint for sanction 21/10/20

CNV
25.9.20

5 On receipt of letter no 2340 of 23/8/20
which is apparently still with the A.G. there
should be no difficulty in finding Rs 16395 for
increased pay of staff. It is, I fear, no use
asking G. of I. for the Rs 45000 referred to in
their letter till we put the whole case
before them.

WJH
27/9/20

There is an overdraft it has to be
met irrespective of Government

* Send you - vide para
5 of letter of 1st May (T)

And if A alone be used, India will
pay now, I believe.

Further action must be taken at once

WJH
27/9/20

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Draft telegram to the
Govt. of India is submitted.

* Forward (11.5.20 CF)

CNV
27.9.20

Issue
WJH
27/9/20

* Since recd (at 1954/15)
sent to Fint. on 7/11
* Talking out
separately

Ask A.G. to expedite letter no 2340 of 23/8/20

from the School Committee
Draft submitted.
CNV
27.9.20

WJH
27/9/20
Issue
WJH
27/9/20

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[No. 2027 B]. From the Govt. of India, Telegram

No. 1299 254 8 14-10-20.

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para. 5 of letter 791
24.6.20. (T)

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The Govt. of India decline to place at the disposal of this Govt. the sum of Rs 45,000 already promised by them till the question of provincialization of the school is finally settled in accordance with para 6 of their letter No 791 of 24th June 1920.

2. A draft letter to India on the question of provincialization has been prepared by the U.S. and forwarded to Mr. Knapp for suggestions. The issue of the letter and its consideration by the Govt. of India must necessarily take time and it is doubtful whether final orders will be passed before the close of the year 1920.

~~Special~~ The grant to the school is immediately required and it is for consideration whether the Govt. of India should again be pressed for its immediate sanction, or if not, whether the Financial Department may be requested to state whether that dept. is able to ^{make a temporary grant of} ~~Rs 45,000~~ Rs 45,000 to be recouped when the Govt. of India grant is ~~finally~~ received. The amount may ^{be} come out of the 1.30 lakhs reserved for the L.M. school from the non-

(* out of this 0.03 has been given for the provision of playground for the school)

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16.10.20

recurring Imperial grant of 5.50 lakhs for European education.

But, if I remember rightly, I said elsewhere that this money could be found next year. I think it was clearly intimated that it could not be found this year. Verify from the other file if that is away ask Iml again.

WLB 16/10/20

Very urgent.

Submitted. Yes - vide Financial Dept's note of 7.7.20 on page 16 of the note

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(J) 33 of notes to go. No 774 Est of 3.7.20

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~~as per note of 19.6.20 on page 33 of notes to go. No 774 Est of 3.7.20~~

~~as per note of 19.6.20 on page 33 of notes to go. No 774 Est of 3.7.20~~. It is

thought that the position would have

improved since and it may be

possible for Iml now to find this

small amount to be set off against

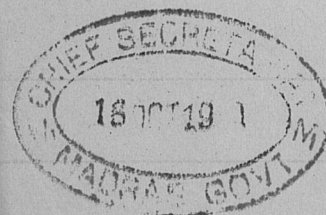
the balance of 1.27 lakhs in the

Imperial grant of 49 lakhs.

WLB 16/10/20

Iml 16/10/20

Iml C.N. 5026-B
17.10.20



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Financial Dept

It is submitted that it does not seem possible at present to find the

sum of Rs 45,000 required by the Lawrence Memorial School Committee. The available reserve with mil. is about 42 lakhs, while an unexpected demand of 2.80 lakhs has been received from the Board of Revenue to meet law charges which have already been incurred.

The Govt. of India may perhaps be asked once again to sanction the grant.

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I am afraid it must

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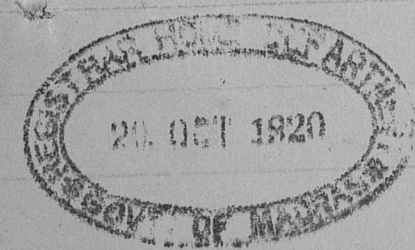
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Home

Home (Edw) Dept

Draft telegram submitted.

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20/10/20

I expect a similar reply. However Mr Radfield promised that he would write up officially for permission to draw on a separate account with the Bank - apparently the Training College grants. It may however be impossible to allow this. Telegram to go. Done

Issued - 18 Oct.

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Mr A. R. Knapp no.

23/10

On behalf of the School committee of management, I should like to enter a protest against the way in which they are being treated in this matter. Their budget which provided for a deficit of nearly Rs. 45,000 was sanctioned in G.O. No. 424 Home dated 3rd April last and ~~they~~ had the right to suppose that the money to meet the deficit ~~will~~ ^{would} be forthcoming from some source. Nevertheless, when they have actually overdrawn their account and the Bank is pressing them, they are told that they cannot have the money. The clerks and the Under Secretary in the Home Dept. appear to have met the position with great equanimity. The office note on page 1 merely remarks that "nothing further could be done in the matter at ~~the~~ present". Incidentally I notice that the Home Dept. Office does not contemplate any final orders being passed before the close of the year -- a remark which perhaps throws light on the time which has - taken to dispose of the Lawrence School - correspondence.

2/ Financial say they cannot find any money and regard the bill for law charges from the Board of Revenue as more urgent than the provision of money to keep the Lawrence school going--and this ~~that~~ ^{while} there is a lakh and a quarter of money ear-marked for the Lawrence School which Financially have diverted to other purposes.

3 it is not fair to a scholastic institution that the energies of its Principal and

It is our fault.

⊗ wide in this connection India's telegram on p14. c f from which it will be seen that the forecast proved to be true.

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Committee should be dissipated in struggling to find the money required for daily expenditure, and I am ^{not} sure that the Committee, which presumably is responsible for the over-draft, ² would not be justified in tending their resignation rather than incur further responsibility of this kind.

4 The over-draft ¹⁵ must be paid off and some money provided for current expenses. I do not think it is for Mr. Padfield to suggest that the training college grants should be utilized for the purpose: if it is held that that is legitimate Government might well authorise it without waiting for any further reference ^{from him}, but personally, I think, it would be wiser to make a temporary loan to the general funds of the school from the Viceroy's money. I presume that there is still Rs. 15,000 of this available for the purpose.

5 I ^{would} suggest that ^{the} papers be at once circulated to the Hon'ble. Mr. Davidson for orders.

[Our telegram of the 22nd at page 8 of the currents contains a sentence which I think is rather embarrassing to our general position in regard to the school, namely, the sentence which says that the Madras Government are - absolutely unable to find the amount required from provincial funds. According to the position which we are taking up there is no reason whatever why, as long as the school is not provincialised the Madras Government - should find money ^{for it} from ~~the~~ provincial funds.

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[Respectfully noted that occasional grants have been given from Prov. funds.]

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24.10.20

U.S.

Position B on p. 7 ante.

Submitted that it would not be in order to utilise for the Lawrence Memorial School the grants sanctioned by the Govt. of India for the purposes of the Training college. The diversion requires the sanction of the Govt. of India and it is doubtful whether they would agree to it, as the future of the school is still undecided. Moreover, the future of the Training college is by no means certain and it is proposed to inform the Govt. of India that the college should be ^{treated as} ~~kept~~ distinct from the school. In these circumstances, ^{it seems undesirable to utilise} ~~the training college grants towards meeting~~ ^{the deficit of the Lawrence Memorial School.}

2. Mr. Knapp

considers that it would be wise to make a temporary loan to the school from the Viceroy's donation of Rs. 32,000. The Govt. have

Def para 7 of Mem
Letter No 791 d 24-6-20 (T)



have ^{til now} sanctioned out of this expenditure as under:—

- (i) construction of temporary huts — Rs. 5,610
- (ii) Passages to Mr. Ramshaw and Miss. Murphy
- (iii) Passage to Miss Tyler
- (iv) Temporary clothes store — Rs. 1,000
- (v) Passage to Mr. Ramshaw's wife — Rs. 750
- + (vi) Grant to Sergeant Mudd. — Rs. 500.

Rs. 854 notes to
Rs. 804
16.7.20 (2) *Remained*

Rs. 20-21 notes in
Rs. 614
21.5.20 (W) *Remained*

Rs. 107 notes in (2)

D.O. 1437 B-1
28.7.20 (D) *Remained*

D.O. 1964 B-1
8.10.20 (Y) *Remained*

(Rs. 5,000 since sanctioned for D.M. School colors)

Certainly under Rs. 3,000. The balance must therefore be about Rs. 21,000

Kd.

The actual expenditure incurred under items (ii) and (iii) is not known in the Sect. and it is not therefore known exactly what sum at present remains out of Rs. 32,000. Submitted it may be ascertained from Mr. Padfield. Draft telegram submitted:—

PTO

Insert return
into file
25/10/20

Telegram

To
Rev Mr. Padfield Lawrence
Memorial School,
Loudale.

DESPATCHED
25 OCT. 1920

with P.C.
KRB
25/10/20
H. M. C.

Please telegraph
balance available of Viceroy's
donation of Rs. 32,000.

3. The school have
overdrawn the Bank account
to the extent of Rs. 7157-4-2
(p. 4 CF); perhaps a temporary
loan of say, Rs. 10,000,
from the balance of Rs. 32,000,
to the school may now be
sanctioned. This grant requires
H. M.'s sanction — p. 79 of
note in go. 800 Ed. of 10.7.20.

(2)
Amended

4. After issue of the
above telegram, the file may
be submitted to H. M. for
order — 'C' of Mr. Knapp's note
on p. 7 ante.

25-10-20
25/10/20
25/10/20
25/10/20

H.D. 47
26.10.20

There have been several
intermissions of
regular table delay
D

Attention is respectfully
invited to India's telegram
on p. 14 C.F. from which
it will appear that the
forecast proved to be
correct.



B

29 11

With ref to H on p 6, all files connected
with the Lawrence Memorial School
are treated as very urgent in
office & nothing is done without Hm's
orders or Mr. Ananthalingam's
an opportunity of advising.

It is not we that are responsible
for the delay; but the remark is
merely an intelligent forecast
of what we expect from India.

Don p 7 The sentence was put
in to meet a possible counter-suggestion
in India of an advance from
Provincial funds.
For sanction of B1 on p 7. 26/10/20

Hm

A temporary loan of Rs. 15,000
is sanctioned from the Governor's
special fund. Inform Mr. Padfield
by telegram

Mr. Knapp's appreciation of the
position to which the Committee has
been allowed to drift is just & will
have to be put forcibly to Fin^l of
India does not respond to the telegram
of 22.10.20 at p. 8 cf.

LD
28.10.20

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p 9 cf

C No. 2101 B. Telegram from the Rev Mr. Padfield, of 26-10-20.

The telegram since received from Mr. Padfield has been added to the file. The following draft telegram is subd:-

Telegram
DISPATCHED
28 OCT 1920
NWS
28/10/20

Telegram

To Rev. Mr. Padfield,
Lawrence Memorial School
Lovedale.

DISPATCHED
28 OCT 1920
p 8 cf X2101 BX
Post City. NWS
28/10/20

Your letter [No] 2528 [dated] fourth September [1920] Govt have sanctioned [a] temporary loan of Rs 15,000 from [the] Viceroy's Special fund [of Rs 32000] towards meeting overdraft on school funds.

Colindale
28/10/20

TL
28/10/20

2nd
28/10/20

p. 11 CF [C. 2175 B.] From the Rev. Mr. Padfield, No. 3212, of 2.11.20

u.s.

For order whether, in the circumstances stated in the letter on p 11 CF, sanction to the temporary loan from the Viceroy's Fund may be withdrawn. If so, the draft memo below is submitted for approval.



ced 5/11
Boards 37
Rest 6/11

3/ 13

The over draft amounts to Rs. 7,157
(for the present be
(p. 4 CF) and this would be covered
covered by the sum of Rs. 16,395
for increase pay to staff, recently
sanctioned by the Govt. in the
Financial Dept. by reappropriation
from the Educational budget.

The Govt. of India
have not yet replied to our
telegram on p. 8 CF.

cov
4.11.20

JL
4.11.20

Secy
JL
4.11.20

Wing
5/11/20

Hm

Ld
6.11.20

(If (2) was passed on 20th Dec
why was I troubled at all
with this case on 28th Dec!

f

Because Mr. Knapp
suggested circulation at once

Wing
H 11/20

Go No 896 Fwd (Z)
20.10.20

7/11/20
Wing

Pres. in his rept. on
23/10. It is suggested
that attention was
not invited to this
fact earlier owing to
the predominant idea
that a sum of Rs 45,000
was required to cover the
anticipated deficit
in the finances of the
school during 1921-22)

PTA

P. 14 of [C. 2202] Telegram from the G. O. I. N. 1370
8 5. 11. 20

us



Please see India's reply

P. 14 of which is ~~un~~ unsatisfactory.

For orders whether the file may be sent again to the Financial dept. with reference to 'B' of H. M.'s note on p. 11 ante. As the Govt of India guarantee to make good the amount when satisfactory settlement has been reached regarding provincialisation of the ^{L.M.} school, the Financial Dept may ^{again} be strongly appealed to, to make a temporary grant of Rs 45,000 to cover the deficit in the finances of the school during 1920-21. The attention of that Dept may be invited to Mr. Knapp's remarks in paras 2 & 3 of his note on pages 6 & 7 ante.

ccv
11.11.20



File C-56098
12.11.20

Lk
11.11.20

Secy
11.11.20

W 11/11/20

Dr

Exp. no. 2202 B-1
12.11.20

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Financial Dept

With reference to para: 2 of Mr Knapp's note on page 6 ante, it is submitted that the bill for law charges from the Board of Revenue was for expenditure incurred under orders of a Court of law and was therefore an inevitable payment. The earmarked sum of 1.27 lakhs has not been diverted as assumed in the note, but it lies in the balances.

3. As regards the deficit of Rs 45,000, ~~it a sum of Rs 16,888~~ in the current year, Tril. may agree to a temporary grant to the school, as the Govt. of India are not willing to come to the rescue of the school ^{until the} provincialisation ~~of the~~ ^{of the} scheme is settled. ~~year.~~ The Home dept. may be requested to ascertain in the first instance whether the D.P. I can meet the amount by reappropriation within his total grant.

JMS
15.11.20

I am afraid we must ask Home Dept. to find the money.

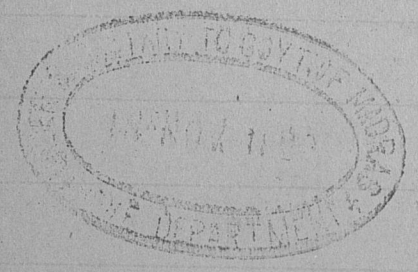
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As Home

* It was not however provided for in the budget.

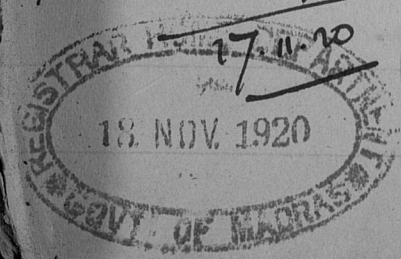
16/11/20

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2321B
18.11.20

Tril no 5605 B.1



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Draft memo: to the D.P.J.
submitted.

Cur 18.11.20
Secy. 19.11.20
19/11/20



18.11.20

11-15-16 of Memo: to the D.P.J., No. 2202 B-2 18.11.20

P.17 of [C-2452] From ... do ... No. 9758 of 29.11.20

us

In the circumstances explained by the D.P.J. on p.17 of, it is for orders whether the Financial Dept. may again be pressed to temporarily sanction the sum in question from the reserve with them.

Secy 2.12.20
2/12/20



Cur 2.12.20

2.12.20

EAL no 2452 B-1
3.12.20 B

Financial Dept

File: 6052 B Please see the note on page 15
18/12.20 ante. The D.P.J. is unable to suggest
p.17 of, reappropriation. In connection with

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(File in Ex. Sec. Sec. Sec.)

his proposals for increasing the
 stipends of teachers under training,
 the D.P.D. has proposed reappropriation
 to the extent of 1.28 lakhs. ~~but~~ If
 the scheme is sanctioned in toto, no
 part of it will be available, but if
 it should be decided to reduce the cost
 of that scheme, funds may be available.
 It is for consideration whether orders
 in that case may be awaited, or
 whether the amount may be found
 from the reserve with mil. There is
 a reserve of about 17½ lakhs against
 which demands aggregating 18½ lakhs
 have been hypothecated, but if the
 present urgent demand is met from
 the reserve, some of the other demands
 will have to wait until some funds
 come in.

we cannot find the money,
 we are working in a very
 narrow margin at present.

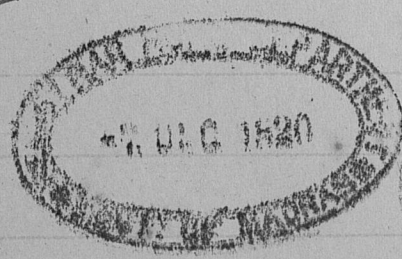
W. J.
 4/12/20.

which is very doubtful.
 Further demands are also
 likely to come in.

W. J.
 4/12/20.

W. J.
 4.12.20.

Home Dept.: must find the money
 we cannot at present.



28. C. N. 2523 B
 7.12.20

W. J.
 4/12/20
 RSL
 6/12/20

Sub. No. 6052 B-1
 6.12.20

To Home

Telephone ¹⁸ 30

From
The Secy to Govt
Hauw (Con) Dept
To
The D. P. J.

Refee your letter Ref on Cur.
No. 9758 of 1920 dated 29th Novr.
1920. regarding the grant of
Rs 45000 to the Lawrence Memorial
School, Ootacamund. Financial
Dept is unable to find the amount
from the reserve with them.
Will you kindly let me know
whether it is not possible to
meet the amount by reappro-
priation from the total budget
grant under 22 Education;

band mm
8.12.20

DESPATCHED
9 DEC. 1920
Reign
Post copy

JL
8.12.20

Lil
8.12.20

us
The D. P. J. has not yet
replied to the telephone above.
A draft reminder is submitted:-

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Telephone.

From

The Secy. to Govt., Home (S) Dept

To

The D. P. J.

Dep. mm
18/12/20

1. 18 ante

Re: my telephone of the
8th instant, regarding the grant
of Rs. 45,000 to the Lawrence Meml.
School, Ootacamund. ^{Will you kindly}
~~Will you kindly~~ treat the matter as very urgent and send
an early reply.

PC.

Copied
Geo
18.12.20

CVR
18.12.20

Ld
18/12/20

DESPATCHED
16 DEC. 1920

Ld.
18.12.20

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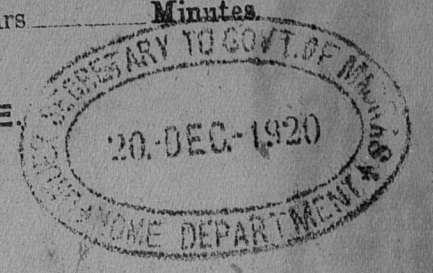
C.P. 371

OFFICE OF THE

Dated _____ 191

Hours _____ Minutes _____

TELEPHONIC MESSAGE



From

L.P.G.

To

Seey Blank Home (Edn.)

Re: you ltr. of 18. 12. 20 re to
~~grant to~~ Lawrence Memorial Sch. Coby.
reply. It is not possible to meet
the amount by realising
from the total Budget grant under
22 Edn.

Mm
ref m

Paper
Lil
20/1/21

Home (Edn) Dept

us

Submitted for order.

CVV
22. 12. 20

Jh
22. 12. 20

us With reference to the
U.S.'s oral instructions, the
question whether the deficit
could be met temporarily from

The grants sanctioned for the proposed Training college ~~is~~ examined below.

2. The Govt. of India have sanctioned for the college two non-recurring grants of Rs. 25,000 each and a recurring grant of Rs. 50,000 towards the cost of maintaining the college with effect from 1919-20. Attention is invited to the notes in G.O. 257 Fint. of 25.3.19, in which is discussed the question whether the grants may be placed at the disposal of the School Committee. This G.O. specifically directed that the grants should be kept apart from the ordinary funds of the school until they are actually required for the construction of buildings; and also that the amounts should be placed on deposit account with the Bank of Madras. Please see also

(D)

(B)

G.O. 546 of 25.3.19 and No 95 Fint. ~~portion A on p. 3 of notes to~~
dated 28th January 1920.
~~G.O. 95 Fint. of 28.1.1920.~~

3. It is submitted that

that as the grants are for a specific purpose, e.g., for the training college, it would seem irregular to utilise ^{the whole or} any portion thereof for any other purpose.

(J)

Further we have ourselves committed in para. 12 of letter No. 1394 Edn. 29-11-20 that the training college account should be independent. As the matter is, however, urgent

and as it is only a temporary diversion, ^{the committee} ~~a temporary~~ may be directed to temporarily divert Rs. 45,000 from the Training college Account to meet the deficit; the matter may also be reported to the Govt. of India in continuation of para 13 of our letter No. 1394 Edn.

1.9.22 (J)
CHIEF SECRETARY
21 DEC 1920
MADRAS GOVT.

29.11.20 and probably the sanction of the Govt. of India to the temporary diversion of funds will be necessary. Financial may

first be consulted whether there is any objection to the ^{Committee} ~~address~~ being asked to utilize Rs. 45,000 out of the ~~grant funded~~ ^{grant funded} on account of the Training college towards meeting the anticipated deficit in the finances of the school.

CON
22.12.20

23.12.20
23.12.20
23.12.20

Ed. no. 2452 B-2
23.12.20

File 6679B
24.12.20

Finance Dept.
with reference to para. 4
of note above the Edn. Dept.

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may be informed that the diversion even temporarily of the grant for the Training College to meet the deficit in the school funds is irregular & will require the sanction of the Govt of India. The course suggested seems roundabout & further there is no guarantee that the Govt of India will agree to this - cf. telegram at page 14 C-7.

2 Please see this dept. note on pages 16-17 ante. As the Govt of India guarantee to make good the deficit when a satisfactory settlement has been reached regarding the provincialisation of the school, ^{as the matter is urgent} it is for orders whether the amount required may be found from the reserve. The reserve at present is no doubt below the demands made on it ^{if the present proposal is accepted} but some of the demands may have to wait until surrenders come in. The sum of 1.28 lacs referred to on page 17 ante has not been ~~received~~ resumed yet as final orders on the question of stipends have not been passed.

p. 14 C-7.

Fin: cannot find the money -

11.75 lacs

14/12/20.

CRS

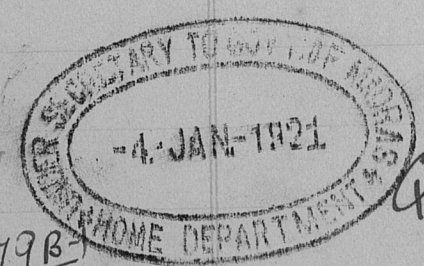
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he had no objection to India being

being asked for permission to temporarily
divert the amount of the grant for the Training
College - provided this is not asked to make
good the amount later on.

2- I may however point out that there is a
lump sum in the current year budget - C.B.E.
p. 130 (top) - for 'Appl. of addl. sub. cost:
inspector & inspectors - 41,000'. The
D.S. has in another file, which is being
submitted separately, suggested the utilisation
of a part of this amount for addl. establish-
ments. It is however not likely that Finance
will agree to the employment of addl.
staff when we find it difficult to meet the
liabilities we are already committed to.
We may therefore suggest to Education
that they may meet the bulk of the charges
now in question from the lump sum
reference to above since the balance from
other savings.

Encl B
22
12/12/20



S. 29/12/20

Quite so

RCG
1/1/21

File No. 6679B
3.1.21



To Law

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6.1.21

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Law (Sd) Dept

M.S.

(indented)

The linked file deals with the proposals referred to in para 2 of the A.S.'s note on p. 24 ante. No final order have yet been passed on the surrender of the lump provision of Rs. 41,000 and the file has been ordered to lie over in the issue of orders on the question of opening additional girls' schools ^(under local bodies) in the current year.

2. In the circumstances the sanction of the Govt. of India may be obtained for the temporary diversion of Rs. 45,000 from the Training college grants. Draft telegram submitted.

cov
6.1.21

ld
6.1.21

TL
6.1.21

Secy.

This was Mr. Knabli's suggestion & I submit it for approval
6/1/21

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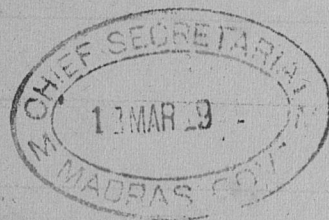
[In memo: 112 B-1 & 12.1.21, the Govt. have promised a special grant of Rs. 420 for repairs to the dam of the Lovale Lake - the amount to be met from the Rs. 45,000]

p. 21 of Telegram from the Govt. of India, Sept.
n. 282, n. 396 of 11.3.21]

us

Please see the telegram
from India on p. 21 of the A.G.
may be authorized to place the
amount at the disposal of the
School committee at a very early
date.

2. A draft order is
submitted, which may be sent
to the Finance Dept. for acceptance.
Para 2 of the draft is with ref.
to mem: 112 B-1 of 12.1.21.



(W)

Cor
12.3.21

Lil
12/3/21

Fin. U.O.

ES. no. 840 B-1
12.3.21

Lil
12.3.21

Encl 1805 B

12.3.21

accepted,

CRS
14.3.21

Finance 1805 B-1

15.3.21

ES. C. N. 896 B
16.3.21

Law

Lil
15/3/21

Law (Ed) Dept
For approval of draft

Lil
16.3.21

Lil
16.3.21
Secy.

16/3/21

READ AGAIN G.O. No., dated I

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READ ALSO:—

C. No., From the Commons Wm
Smith

L. M. Scholt

" " " Endd: by the D.I.S. 11-1-20

2., Sept. 4 1911

ORDER.

No. 401, dated 16-3-1921

mais

Subject to the approval of the Secy. of State, the Govt. of India ^{have} sanctioned a non-recurring grant of Rs. 45,000 to the Lawrence Memorial School, Ootacamund, to enable it to meet the deficit in its finances during the year 1920-21. The A. G. is authorised to place the amount at the disposal of the Committee of the School at a very early date.

2. The committee
is informed that the special
grant

grant of Rs. 420 promised in
Govt. Memo: 112 B-1 of 22.1.21
towards the cost of repairs
to the dam of the Lovedale
Lake, ~~may~~ ^{should} be met from
the amount referred to in
para 1 above.

CVU
12.3.21
Ld
12.3.21
Ld
12.3.21
16/3/21

DESPATCHED
16 MAR 1921
To
The Principal Secy,
L.M. School
" A.G. (Hd) Finance
Dpt.) } 2 to
" D.P.O. }
16/3

When given for copying
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READ AGAIN G.O. No.
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DATED

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ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

DEPT OF GOVERNMENT ..

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