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From (Name) R G Grieve Esquire, M.A., F.R.G.S.

(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Law (Education) Department.

Sir,

With reference to para 5 of G.O.No. 1634 Law (Edn) dated 24-10-1924, I have the honour to state that boys in the Reformatory and Senior Certified School, Chingleput, are at present classified for purposes of diet into three sections, small, medium and big. The scale of diet now in force in the school allows rice at 18 Oz for boys of the small size, 20 Oz for boys of the medium size and 22 Oz for boys of big size. This scale was originally sanctioned in G.O.No. 158 Edl., dated 20-3-17 and has not so far been revised. It has, on the other hand, been repeated in the rules framed under the Children Act, 1920.

The Superintendent of the School who was requested to offer his opinion as to whether it might be desirable to



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introduce a change in the scale of diet now in force in the school reports that the institution consists of growing boys and that any reduction in the present scale may affect their health and weight. He is however of opinion that if a change is considered necessary a "two-scale" rice diet of 20 Oz and 180z may be tried for a short time as an experimental measure. The Surgeon-General who was consulted in the matter, agrees with the remarks and the suggestion of the Superintendent of the school. I would, however, like to point out in this connection that the rules framed under the Children Act are also applicable to the above school. With the exception of Rule 32 vide G.O.No. 800, Law (Edn) dated 9-6-23, the introduction of the "two-scale" diet will therefore necessitate a reclassification of the boys into big and small and the alteration of Rule 26 of the rules framed under the Children Act. Further the same classification and the same scale of diet will have to be adopted in the Junior Certified school Ranipet as well. In view, however, of the opinion given by the Surgeon-General I recommend that the revised scale suggested by the Superintendent of the Reformatory school, Chingleput, may be tried in that school for a period of six months as an experimental measure and if found satisfactory steps may be taken to introduce it permanently in that school and to extend the system to the Certified School at Ranipet also.

2. In regard to clothing and bedding the Chief Inspector of Certified Schools reports that boys in both the certified schools (Viz. the Reformatory and Senior Certified School, Chingleput and the Government Junior Certified School, Ranipet) should be supplied with the necessary articles in accordance with the following scale:-

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scale:-

Name of article.

No. to be supplied to each boy.

of Period/wear.

|                                                                 |         |           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| 1. Coat                                                         | 1       |           |
| 2. Cap                                                          | 1       | 3 years   |
| 3. <del>Shorts</del> } to be used on ceremonial occasions only. | 1 pair  |           |
| 4. <del>Shorts</del> }                                          | 2 pairs | 1 year    |
| 5. Shirts                                                       | 2       | 1 "       |
| 6. Cumbly ✓                                                     | 1       | 3 years ✓ |
| 7. Mat                                                          | 1       | 2 years   |
| 8. Leather Belt ✓                                               | 1       | 5 years ✓ |
| 9. Cap                                                          | 1       | 1 year    |
| 10. Pillow                                                      | 1       | 2 years   |

I agree with the Chief Inspector and request that you will be so good as to obtain the necessary sanction of Government. I beg to state in this connection that items Nos. 1, 2 and 3 referred to above may be in white drill and that Nos. 4, 5 and 9 be in Khaki.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

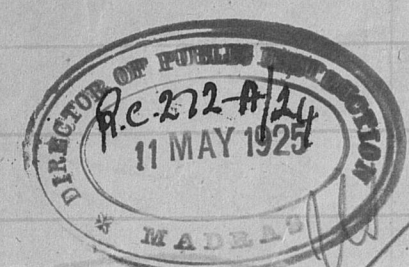
Your most obedient servant,

*Traneco*  
for Director of Public Instruction

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 25.4.25  
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 provision for 'shirts' for ceremonial occasions. It is not  
 clear whether the omission is intentional.  
 Again items '4' & '5' read  
 as 'shirts'. Apparently one of  
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 Before considering his proposals  
 further the D.P. 9 may be  
 requested to make the necessary  
 corrections in his letter and return  
 the case to this department.  
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Item 4 should be "Shorts"  
 I think



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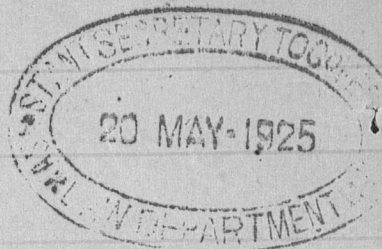
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I find that in the fair copy of my letter to

Government items 3 and 4 were wrongly typed as 'shirts'

instead of 'shorts'. This has now been corrected.

As regards shirts for ceremonial occasions, the omission was intentional.



U.S.

The Director of Public Instruction has made the necessary corrections in this letter. The proposals submitted by him ~~on~~ the result of the audit of contingent expenditure in the Reformatory and Senior Certified school, Chingleput by the special officer. The Special Officer in his report had commented on the excess of dietary in the school and the absence of any recognized scale of clothing and bedding for the boys. The D.P.I. in offering his remarks on the report had promised to submit his proposals for revision of diet scales in consultation with the Surgeon General and also to suggest a revised scale of clothing <sup>and bedding</sup> separately. The suggestions were accepted by Government in paragraphs 5 and 6 of G.O. No. 1634 Law (Education) dated 24th October 1924. The present letter of the Director of Public Instruction contains his proposals which are:

(1) the adoption as an experimental measure for 6 months a two scale rice diet of 20 oz. and 18 oz. in the Reformatory School, Chingleput and

(2) the following scale of clothing and bedding to be fixed for the boys of the Reformatory and Senior Certified school, Chingleput and the Govt. Junior Certified School, Ranipet.

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| Name of article  | No. to be supplied to each boy | Period of wear. |
|------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Coat          | 1                              | 3 years.        |
| 2. Cap           | 1                              |                 |
| 3. Shorts.       | 1 pair                         |                 |
| 4. Shorts.       | 2 pairs.                       | 1 year.         |
| 5. Shirts.       | 2                              | 1 year.         |
| 6. Gumbly        | 1                              | 3 years.        |
| 7. Mat.          | 1                              | 2 years.        |
| 8. Leather belt. | 1                              | 5 years.        |
| 9. Cap.          | 1                              | 1 year.         |
| 10. Pillow.      | 1                              | 2 years.        |

(Shirts 4, 5 & 9 khaki)

(1) As regards the proposed scale of diet being tried first for 6 months in the Reformatory School, Chingleput before general adoption it has the strongest support of the Surgeon General. The proposal may therefore be agreed to and if found satisfactory the scale may be introduced to the other certified schools as well and necessary amendments made to rule 26 of the Rules under the Madras Children Act, 1920.

It may be noticed in passing that the statement made by the Director of Public Instruction that the scale has not been ~~revised~~ revised since the issue of G.O.No. 158 Edt, dated 20-3-27 is incorrect. Under G.O. 495 Law (Genl) dated 3-6-1921 the boys were classified into 3 sections according to the size of the boys. and 3 distinct scales ranging over 18, 20 and 22 oz. of rice were prescribed along with other items of diet. It is this revised scale which is to be modified into a two scale one of 18 and 20 Ozs now.

(2) The scale of bedding and clothing proposed by the D.P.I. also appears reasonable and may be accepted for the 2 Government certified schools.

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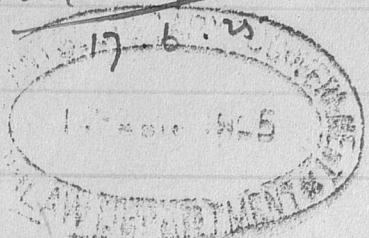
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The draft order may now issue

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The Govt. approve the D.P.I.'s pro-  
posal that a two-scale rice diet of 20 Oz.  
and 18 Oz. may be tried for a period of  
six months as an experimental measure in  
the Reformatory and Senior Certified School  
Chingleput, in <sup>new</sup> ~~place~~ of the ~~existing~~ scale  
of 22 Oz, 20 Oz, and 18 Oz <sup>and</sup> ~~according~~ <sup>newly introduced for boys</sup> ~~as~~  
~~the boys belong to the classes big, medium~~  
~~or small.~~

2. (At the end of this period) The D.P.I is requested to submit a report ~~for to~~ *whether any change in the scale* Government as to ~~the success of the~~ *of diet is necessary* ~~experiment.~~ If the experiment is found successful, the question of introducing it permanently in the *Reynoldy* ~~school~~ and *extending it* ~~the system~~ to the Government Junior Certificate ~~ed~~ school, Ranipet ~~will~~ be considered.



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3. The Government also approve  
the scale of clothing and bedding proposed *to be supplied see p. 3 CF*  
~~by the Director of Public Instruction~~  
~~for supply~~ to the boys in the Reformatory  
and Senior Certified School, Chingleput  
and the Government Junior Certified School,  
Ranipet.

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To the Director of Public  
Instruction

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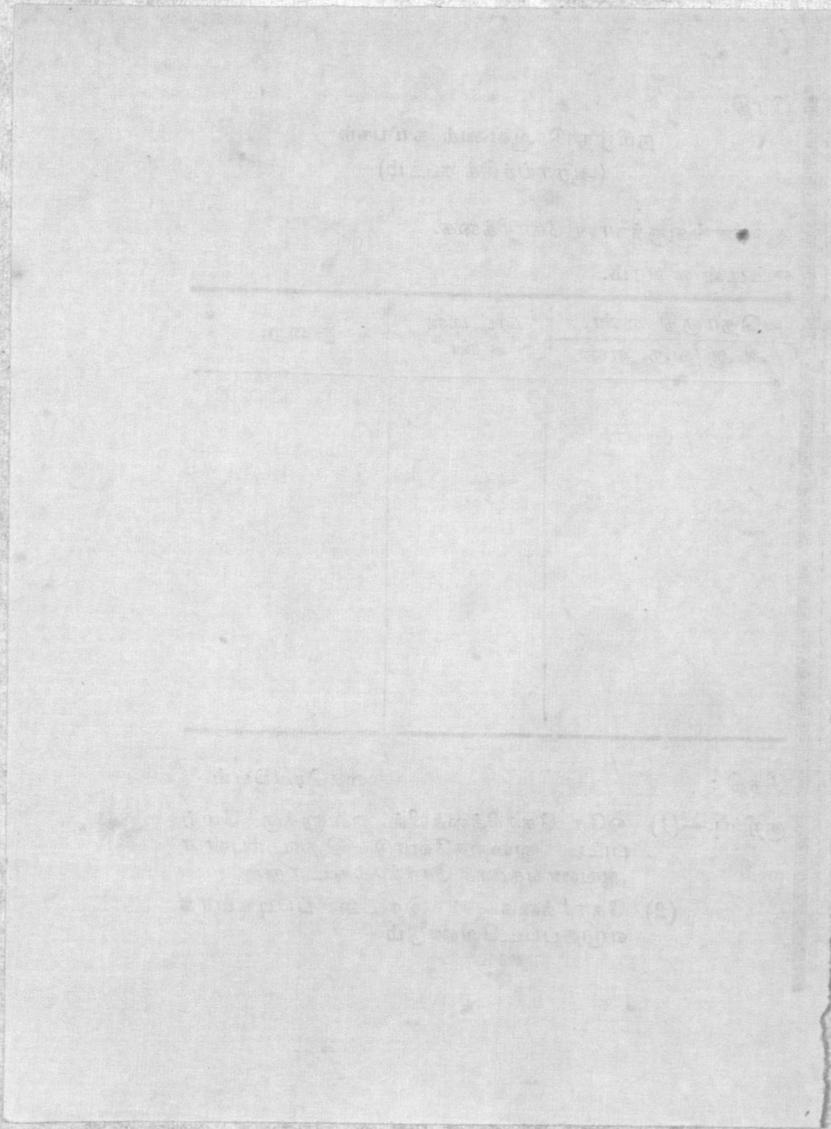
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(2) கோரிக்கை இரட்டைப்படிக்களாக  
எழுதப்படவேண்டும்.





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