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G.O., No. 87, 4th February 1904.

Dance Malabar Scholarship.

Communicating to the Director of Public Instruction letter from the Registrar of the University of Madras, stating that there will be no objection to communicating to the Director the name of the Malabar student who passes the Matriculation examination in the second class and obtains the highest number of marks in order to enable the Director to award the —.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

I

Letter—from A. G. BOURNE, Esq., D.Sc., F.R.S., Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—the 27th November 1903.
No.—Ref. on Cur. No. 7519 of 1902.

Referring to G.O., No. 493, Educational, dated 7th October 1903, I have the honour to point out that in the rules for the award of the Dance Malabar scholarship as modified by Government the condition as regards a pass in the first class has been removed and to enquire whether its removal was intentional. I make this reference as there will be a difficulty in awarding the scholarship in any particular year in which there are no passes in the first class, as the candidates who pass the Matriculation examination in the second class are not arranged in order of merit and the University refuses to communicate the marks obtained by such candidates.

II

Letter—from A. G. CARDEW, Esq., I.C.S., Acting Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
To—the Registrar, Madras University.
Dated—the 18th December 1903.
No.—630.

A fund has been raised and supplemented by a grant from Government with the object of founding a scholarship in the name of Mr. G. W. Dance, formerly Collector of Malabar. According to the rules sanctioned by Government for the award of the scholarship it is to be given annually to any person being a native of British Malabar who stands highest in the list of successful candidates at the Matriculation examination of the Madras University immediately preceding the date of award. It has now been represented to Government that under this rule there will be difficulty in awarding the scholarship in any particular year in which no candidate from British Malabar passes in the first class as the candidates who pass in the second class are not arranged in the order of merit. I am directed to enquire whether in any year in which no candidate from British Malabar passes the Matriculation examination in the first class the Syndicate will have any objection to communicating to the Director of Public Instruction the name of the Malabar student who passes otherwise than in the first class and who obtains the highest number of marks. The marks obtained by the student will not be required, but merely the name, in order to enable the scholarship to be awarded.

III

Letter—from C. A. PATERSON, Esq., M.A., LL.B., Registrar, University of Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—the 28th January 1904.
No.—367.

In reply to your letter No. 630, dated the 18th December last, I have the honour to inform you that the Syndicate will have no objection to communicating to the Director of Public Instruction the name of the Malabar student who passes the

Matriculation examination otherwise than in the first class and who obtains the highest number of marks in view to enabling that officer to award the Dance scholarship, as that scholarship is of the nature of a public trust.

Order—No. 87, Educational, dated 4th February 1904.

The Registrar's letter will be communicated to the Director of Public Instruction, with reference to his letter No. 7519, dated 27th November 1903.

(True Extract.)

A. G. CARDEW,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction.
" Registrar of the Madras University.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 87, EDUCATIONAL, DATED
4TH FEBRUARY 1904.

[SUBJECT.—*Dance Malabar scholarship.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 27th November 1903, No. 7519.

It is submitted that the condition as regards a pass in the first class was purposely removed—*vide* paragraph 4 of the notes in G.O., No. 493, Educational, dated 7th October 1903. The University may perhaps refuse only to communicate the marks obtained by specified candidates: it may not object to say who, among a number of candidates, has the highest number of marks. The Director may be requested u.o. to ascertain from the Syndicate whether there will be any objection to its furnishing this information at least.

P. T. THARYAN—30-11-03.

A. GALLETT—1-12-03.

A. G. CARDEW—1-12-03.

To the Director of Public Instruction.

The University supplies no information with regard to the order of merit—see *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 22nd March 1892, page 533. After this decision many scholarship rules were altered including those for the Conolly and Sharpe scholarships—see G.O., No. 222, Educational, dated 7th April 1896.

A. G. BOURNE—3-12-03.

In view of the difficulty pointed out by the Director, the words “in the first class” may be inserted after the words “who stands highest” in line 3 of rule 2 sanctioned in G.O., No. 493, Educational, dated 7th October 1903.

T.K.—5-12-03.

Under rule 8 the Director can himself do it with the approval of Government. The result of the alteration seems to be much the same. As rule 2 now stands there will be difficulty in awarding the scholarship if there is no first-class Matriculate from Malabar in any particular year. As altered the scholarship will not be awarded at all in such a year.

P. T. THARYAN—5-12-03.

The Director's reply is not very helpful. He suggests no way out of the difficulty. There seems to be three courses open—

(1) To alter the rules and (a) lay down that the scholarship shall not be awarded when there is no Malabar man in the first class—(b) provide for the utilisation of the money lapsing. (b) can be done in two ways—(i) by adding the amount (Rs. 138) to the capital (now about Rs. 4,050) and increasing the value of subsequent scholarships either (A) when the capital has increased by an amount which will yield, say, 8 annas or 1 rupee a month, or (B) increasing the value at once by As. 2-6 a month, * (ii) by awarding two scholarships or more if more have lapsed in the next year in which there are sufficient candidates in the first class, or (iii) by some compromise between (i) and (ii).

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(2) To alter the rules and lay down that, when there is no Malabar man in the first class, the Director shall hold a further examination of all Malabar men in the highest class in which there are Malabar men.

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The Registrar of the Madras
University
[Station] Madras.

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SUBJECT.

Stating that the Syndicate will have no objection to communicating to the B.O. the name of the Malabar student who passes the matriculation examination in the second class & obtain the highest number of marks, in the circumstances stated.

BACK PAPERS.

To 630-18-12-03 Jms
" 493-7-10-03 copy
" 222-7-4-96 Jms

To 427-24-7-02
To 561-2.

FURTHER PAPERS.

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UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS.

No. 367

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SENATE HOUSE

28th January 1904

FROM

C. A. PATERSON, Esq., M.A., LL.B.,

Registrar, University of Madras.

TO

The Acting Secretary to Government
Educational Department

SIR,

W In reply to your letter N^o 630 dated the 18th December last, I have the honour to inform you that the Syndicate will have no objection to communicating to the Director of Public Instruction the names of the Malabar student who passes the Matriculation Examination otherwise than in the 1st class and who obtains the highest number of marks in view to enabling that Officer to award the Dance Scholarship; as that scholarship is of the nature of a public trust

I have the honour to be
Sir

Your most obt. Servant

C. A. Paterson
Registrar

READ AGAIN G.O., No. 630 Col, dated 18th December 1903.

READ ALSO:—

C. No. 184, From the Registrar of the Madras University, No. 367, dated 28-1-1904

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No. 87, dated 4. 2. 1904

The Registrar's letter will be
communicated to the D. P. I, with reference
to his letter no. 7519, dated 27th
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To the S.P.O. ^{4/11}
the Registrar of the Madras ^{Police}
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