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"MASCOT VILLE"  
20, EDWARD ELLIOT ROAD,  
MYLAPORE, P. O., MADRAS.

December, 30, 1944.

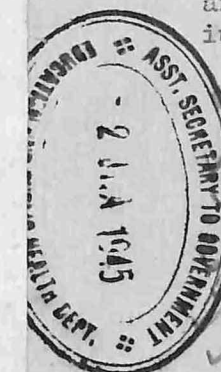
Dear Mr. Austin,

I am not sure at all if I acquitted myself well in defending Sir Meverel's schemes. My grief was so great even if I had come prepared I would not have done better. Much of the criticism was uninformed and to some extent prejudiced. Anyhow the report has been adopted and the spirit of Sir Meverel, if it was hovering round, must have felt greatly satisfied.

Now our Youth Welfare scheme has been approved, you will please set up the Youth Welfare Council so that definite proposals may soon be got ready. We may even make a beginning in 1945-46 and be pioneers. May I suggest for your consideration the following names for the Council:

1. The Hon. Mr. Justice K.P. Lakshmana Rao, Boys Scouts' Association, X
2. Sir Robert Denniston, X
3. Mr. G. Solomon of the Y.M.C.A., X
4. Col. Walker of the Salvation Army, X
5. Dr. Adiseshiah of the Madras Christian College, X
6. Father D'Souza of the Loyola College, X
7. Mr. Kuruvilla Jacob of the Madras Christian College High School, X
8. Mr. Govind Swaminathan, Bar-at-Law, X
9. Sri. Rao Bahadur S.K. Yegnanarayana Aiyer, X
10. Mr. S.M. Fossil of the Crescent Society, Triplicane, X
11. Dr. G.S. Arundale of the Theosophical Society, X
12. Rao Bahadur K.V. Krishnaswami Iyer of the Library Association, X
13. The Commissioner of Labour or his Deputy, X
14. The Commissioner of Corporation or his Deputy, X
15. Dewan Bahadur A. Lakshmanaswami Mudaliar, Vice-Chancellor, X
16. The District Educational Officer, Madras. X

In suggesting these names I have taken care to mention only those who have been either doing some work for the youth already or have some useful ideas on the subject and would take personal interest in running institutions when they are set up. I would also suggest that Dewan Bahadur Dr. Lakshmanaswami Mudaliar may be the Chairman and the District Educational Officer, the Secretary of the Council.





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If Sir Meverel had been alive, he would have taken the initiative. His death is the only melancholy excuse for my intervention in this matter.

On the subject of Youth (Girls) I am writing to you separately as I wish the Women's Sub-Committee to consider the matter and suggest if the facilities already available are adequate and how they should be improved.

Trusting this matter will receive your kind consideration. *With Season's greetings,*

Yours sincerely,

*R. Srinivasan*

T. Austin, Esq., C.S.I., I.C.S.,  
Adviser to H.E. the Governor,  
Fort St. George.

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"MASCOT VILLE"  
20, EDWARD ELLIOT ROAD,  
MYLAPORE, P. O., MADRAS.

December, 31, 1944.

Dear Mr. Austin,

I wonder if it will be possible to select one or two youngmen to go abroad to study and undergo training in Youth Welfare activities either to the U.S.A. or the U.K. I understand a large number of scholarships are being offered by the Government of India for sending youngmen abroad. I shall be grateful if you can use your influence to allot one or two scholarships for this purpose. Miss Gerrard tells me there are Universities in the United Kingdom wherein training in Youth Welfare work is provided. However, that is a matter of detail and perhaps the High Commissioner for India will decide the place of training. This idea struck me when I read about the offer of scholarships.

Yours sincerely,

*R. Srinivasan*

T. Austin, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.,  
Adviser to H.E. the Governor,  
Fort St. George.



*These are all  
for Technical  
Studies?*

"MASCOT VILLE"  
20, EDWARD ELLIOT ROAD,  
MYLAPORE, P. O., MADRAS.

January, 18, 1945.

02949

Dear Sir Austin,

May I invite your kind attention to my letters dated 30-12-44 and 31-12-44. I trust they are receiving attention and very soon the proposals will take a definite shape.

I would invite your attention to the paragraph relating to girls in my letter dated 30-12-44. I wish Mrs. Naidu had not prevented the Youth Welfare Council from considering the amenities for girls. As far as my information goes, I am not sure such arrangements as have been made are adequate and are not perhaps wholly in conformity with the ideas contained in the note on the Youth Welfare Movement. Therefore, may I suggest that this topic may be kindly referred to the Women's Sub-Committee for consideration and report? I am sure Mrs. Clubwala will support my suggestion. I am afraid far too much credit is taken for the work of the Women A.R.P. If the Women's Sub-Committee is satisfied with what is being done, our conscience will be clear.

Trusting this matter will receive your kind and favourable consideration,

Yours sincerely,

*Rhupamaranjan Rao*



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The main job has been set

21.8.11/45. L. P. S. for remarks. or

return may be avoided.

22.1.45  
22.1.45

24/45

Yes 1.1.45

A draft do. 5 mls

approval

25.1.45

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16A. 2  
29.1.45

Dear Suryanarayana Das

Constitution of a Youth Welfare Council -  
Training of students abroad

1.1.45  
8.12.44, 31.12.44 & 18.1.45 on the subject  
mentioned above I am to say that the matter  
is receiving attention.

Yours sincerely,

25.1.45

25.1.45

S. N. Suryanarayana  
Das  
26 Edward Ellis Road  
Mysore.

29/11

I.

LETTER/Ref. No. 16A.3 dated 16.2.43

To

Sir,

Youth Welfare Council for the City of  
Madras - Constitution.

The Education Sub-Committee which con-

sidered the question of post-war educational develop-  
ment discussed the desirability of setting up organiza-  
tions for the promotion of youth welfare. <sup>and came to</sup> It con-  
sidered that some provision should be made for the  
welfare of boys who are at present homeless and who,  
though employed, have no facilities for social and  
recreational activities. <sup>and</sup> recommended that a Youth  
Welfare Council, representative of all communities, be  
set up by the Government for Madras City, to begin  
with. It is now proposed to appoint a Council of  
the kind, with the personnel as given in the appendix  
to this letter. The Council will be expected to make  
proposals for achieving the object indicated  
above.

I am directed to request you to be so good  
as to say whether you will be willing to serve on the  
Council.

Y.O.S.,

## APPENDIX.

1. Diwan Bahadur Dr. Sir A. Lakshmanaswami Mudaliar (Chairman). ✓
2. The Hon. Mr. Justice K.P. Lakshmana Rao. X
3. Sir Robert Denniston. ✓
4. Mr. G. Solomon, Y.M.C.A. ✓
5. Col. Walker, Salvation Army. ✓
6. Dr. Adiseshiah, Madras Christian College, Tanjore. ✓
7. The Rev. Jerome D'Souza, Principal, Loyola Coll. ✓
8. Mr. Kuruvilla Jacob, Madras Xian College High School. ✓
9. Mr. Govind Swaminathan, Bar.-at-Law. ✓
10. Sri Rao Bahadur S.K. Yegnanarayana Ayyar. ✓

Memorialist.

Date, 27.3.43.

Place, K. H. L.

Ever Pray

bound.  
For which act of justice and generosity the memorialist shall, as in duty  
expenditure as a prior charge on District Board funds.  
to the memorialist at the rates sanctioned to Government servants treating the  
orders to the District Board making it obligatory to grant dearness allowance  
be pleased to consider his present pitiable circumstances and to issue immediate  
(9) That, therefore, he humbly prays that the benign Government may  
allowance allowed in G. O. No. 2783, L. A. D/ 19-9-42 to its servants and  
(8) That the Malabar District Board has not yet granted the dearness  
employees to allow them to tide over these difficulties.  
(7) That, private employers like factory owners and quasi public age-  
nices like Railway Companies have also given generous aid to their low paid  
and have permitted Local Boards to grant similar allowance to their servants.  
(6) That, realising the difficulties of the low paid servants, Government  
themselves have sanctioned varying rates of dearness allowance to their servants,  
relief.  
(5) That his present position, therefore demands immediate pecuniary  
the verge of insolvency.  
(4) That owing to the inadequacy of his present salary to meet the  
abnormal increase in the cost of living, he is running in to debt and will soon be on



11. Mr. S.M. Fossil, Crescent Society, Triplicane.
12. Dr. G.S. Arundale.
13. Sri Rao Bahadur K.V. Krishnaswami Ayyar, Library Association.
14. The Commissioner of Labour, or his deputy. \*
15. The Commissioner, Corporation of Madras, or his deputy.
16. The District Educational Officer, Madras, (also X to act as Secretary to the Council).

(X) ~~Copy to be sent to the person one not to be sent to the person~~

II.

D.O. No. 15A/2 dated 16.2.45

Dear Dr. Dey,  
Dear Vijayaraghavan,  
Dear Mr. Thompson,  
Dear Shenoy,

Youth Welfare Council for the City of Madras.

I am to forward copy of a letter which is being addressed to the non-official members proposed for appointment to the Council mentioned therein, and to

(ask whether you prefer yourself being appointed as a member of the Council or would suggest a deputy of yours.)

(ask for your remarks on the proposal to appoint the D.E.O., Madras, as a member and Secretary of the Council.)

(request you to ascertain and state whether the Hon. Mr. Justice Lakshmana Rao will be so good as to give the benefit of his assistance to the Council by accepting membership thereof.)

\*() To M/s. Vijayaraghavan and Shenoy only.

@() To Dr. Dey only.

!() To Mr. Thompson only.

Yours sincerely,

14.2.45

Dr. B.B. Dey, D.Sc. (Lond.), FRIC.,  
D. P. I.

C.K. Vijayaraghavan, Esq., I.C.S.,  
Commr. of Labour.

S.P. Thompson, Esq., I.C.S.,  
Regr., High Court.

J.P.L. Shenoy, Esq., I.C.S.,  
Commr., Corpn. of Madras.

III.

dated 16.2.45

O. No. 15A/2  
Dear Suryanarayana Rao,

In continuation of my D.O. No. 16-A-2, dated

the 29th Jan. 1945, I am desired to say that the constitution of the Youth Welfare Council for Madras City to deal with the cases of boys is being proceeded with. The Government would prefer to consider the problem in regard to girls after some experience has been gained of the machinery which may be set up for boys.

I am to add that the Govt. of India's scheme of scholarships referred to in your letter of the 31st December 1944 is only for technical and scientific studies and that it will not be practicable to secure scholarships under that scheme for prosecuting abroad studies in youth welfare work.

Yours sincerely,

Sri R. Suryanarayana Rao,  
"Mascot Ville",  
20, Edward Elliot Rd.,  
Mylapore.

14.2.45



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Teynampet P.O.  
Madras. 18/2/45

To

07149  
The Secretary, Govt of Madras.  
Education & Public Health Dept.

Dear Sir,

19 Feb.  
With reference to your communication  
no 16. A. 3 dated the 16<sup>th</sup> of February '45, I write to  
inform you that I am willing to serve on the  
Council mentioned therein

Yours sincerely  
S. K. Raghunathan

P.S. My address is given at the top of this letter.  
RM.



RAO BAHADUR  
K. V. KRISHNASWAMI AIYAR,  
ADVOCATE

9 15  
No. 6, NORTH MADA STREET

Mylapore, 18th Feby., 1945.



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07209

M.V. Subramanian Esq., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to the Govt. of Madras  
Education and Public Health Deptt.,

Dear Sir,

Sub: Youth Welfare Council for  
the City of Madras- Consti-  
tution.

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Referring to your letter of the  
16th Feby., I shall be glad to serve  
on the Council.

Yours truly,

K.V.K. Aiyar

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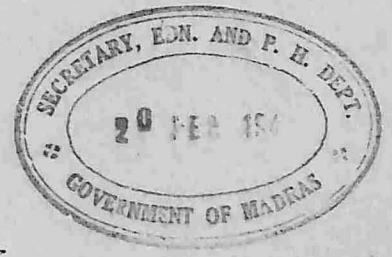
M. V. Subramanian Esq., I.C.S.  
Secretary to the Govt. of Madras  
Education and Public Health Dept.

For Youth Welfare Council for  
the Govt. of Madras -  
Education.

Referring to your letter of the  
16th Feb. I shall be glad to serve  
on the Council.

Yours truly,

GEORGE S. ARUNDALE  
Adyar, Madras, India  
Cables: Besant, Madras



19 February, 1945.

Dear Sir, 07305

I should be glad to become a member of the Youth Welfare Council as requested in your letter dated the 16th February, 1945. As I am recovering from an illness it may not be possible, however, for me to attend any meetings which are held within the next ten days, as I need time for convalescence.

Yours sincerely,

*George S. Arundale*

M.V.Subramanian, Esq., I.C.S.  
Secretary to the Government of Madras  
Fort St. George.



Office of the Commissioner of Labour,  
Chepauk, Madras, Dated 19th Feby. 45.

07306



My dear Subramanian,

Youth Welfare Council for the city of Madras -  
Your D.O.16.A.4., dated 16-2-45.

I do not think I shall be able to find time to  
serve on the proposed Council and to attend its  
meetings regularly as I have to be constantly on  
tour on account of frequent labour disputes. I  
therefore suggest that my Personal Assistant,  
V.Balasundaram, who is in charge of the work rela-  
ting to the Scheduled Classes and the Labour Schools  
in the city may be appointed as my deputy.

Yours sincerely,

*Arigayana Lavan*

M.V.Subramanian Esq., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to Govt., Edn. & P.H. Deptt.,  
Fort St. George, Madras.

K.Kuruwila Jacob, Esq., M.A.  
Head Master,  
MADRAS CHRISTIAN COLLEGE SCHOOL



12 19th February  
MADRAS. 1945

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To  
M.V.Subramanian, Esq. I.C.S.  
Secretary to Government of Madras

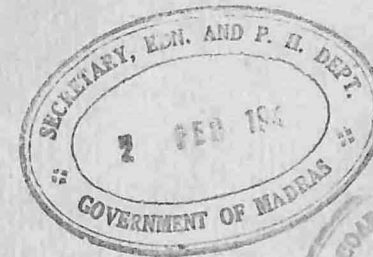
Dear Mr.Subramanian,

Thank you for your letter No.16.  
A.3 dated 16-2-45 inviting me to serve on the Youth  
Welfare Council for the City of Madras. I shall  
be glad to serve on it.

Yours sincerely,

*K.Kuruwila Jacob*

HEAD MASTER.



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YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION  
ESPLANADE, MADRAS

G. SOLOMON,  
GENERAL SECRETARY.



GRAMS: "MANHOOD"  
PHONE: 2562

07374

February 19, 1945.

The Secretary to Govt., (Public Health)  
Secretariat,  
Fort St. George,  
M a d r a s.



Dear sir:

I have your letter Ref. No.16.A.3 of the 16th inst.  
and I write this to inform you that I shall be very happy to  
serve on the proposed Youth Welfare Council for Madras City.

You will be interested to receive the enclosed  
folder announcing the Y.M.C.A. Summer School of Social Service  
which would begin from the 1st of March, 1945.

Yours faithfully,  
*G. Solomon*  
GENERAL SECRETARY.

Enc.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION  
ESPLANADE, MADRAS

GRAND MANHATTAN  
PHONE 2502

G. SOLOMON  
GENERAL SECRETARY

February 19, 1945

07871

The Secretary to Govt. (Public Health)  
Secretariat,  
Fort St. George,  
Madras.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter No. 16-A-4 of the 16th inst.  
and I write this to inform you that I shall be very happy to  
serve on the proposed Youth Welfare Council for Madras City.  
You will be interested to receive the enclosed  
letter announcing the Y.M.C.A. Summer School of Social Service  
which would begin from the 1st of March, 1945.

Yours faithfully,  
*[Signature]*  
G. SOLOMON

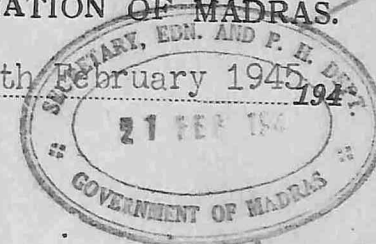
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J.P.L. SHENOY, I.C.S.,  
Commissioner.



CORPORATION OF MADRAS.

Madras, 19th February 1945



07414

My dear Subramanian,

Ref: Your D.O. Letter No. 16-A-4 dated the  
16th instant.

I shall be glad to serve on the Youth Welfare  
Council proposed to be constituted for the City of Madras.

*[Signature]*  
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M.V. Subramanian, Esq., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to Government,  
Educational & Public Health Dept.,  
Fort St. George.

Yours sincerely,  
*[Signature]*



George L. Carpenter,  
General.  
International Headquarters  
101, Queen Victoria St.  
London E. C. 4.



Lt. Colonel Jang Singh,  
(Edward Walker)  
Territorial Commander.

# The Salvation Army

William Booth, Founder.

Territorial Commander's Office,  
Territorial Headquarters.

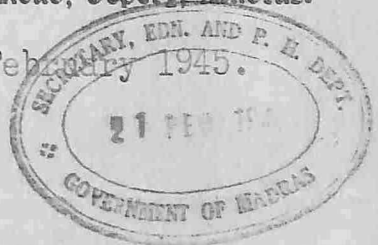
P. O. Box 453, Vepery,  
2, Ritherdon Road, Vepery, Madras.

Have you read "The War Cry"?

Telegrams :  
"Salvation, Madras."  
Telephone : 2748

20th February 1945.

M.V. Subramanian Esq., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,  
Education and Public Health Dept.,  
Madras. 07415



Dear Sir, Youth Welfare Council for the City of Madras.

I acknowledge receipt of yours of February 16th, in connection with the above.

I have much pleasure in accepting the invitation to serve on this Council.

Yours sincerely,

*Edward Walker*

(Edward Walker)  
Territorial Commander.

J. D. Sanger & S.

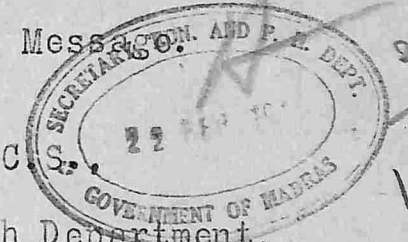


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Post copy of Telephonic Message

07571

To

M.V. Subramanian Esq., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to Government,  
Education & Public Health Department,  
Fort St. George, Madras.



The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Lakshmana Rao will  
be pleased to serve on the proposed Youth Welfare  
Council.

High Court, Madras,  
21st Feb. 1945.

*V. R. Thangar*  
REGISTRAR.

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D.O. Director of ~~SECRETARY~~ EDN. & P. Section,  
Madras 22nd Feb. 1945  
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Dear Mr. Subramanian

Reference your D.O. No. 16.A.4  
dated 16-2-1945 re: Youth Welfare  
Council for the City of Madras. I have  
no objection to the proposal to appoint  
the District Educational Officer,  
Madras, as a Member and Secretary of  
the Council for the City of Madras,  
provided it does not interfere with  
his normal duties.

Yours sincerely,

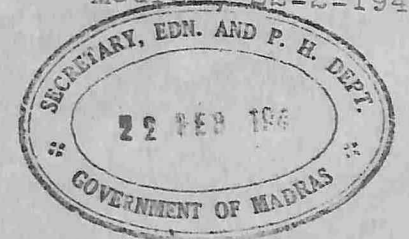
*M.V. Subramanian*  
M.V. Subramanian, Esq., I.C.S.  
Secretary to Government,  
Edn. & Pub. Health Department,  
Fort St. George.



S. Govind Swaminadhan, M.A., (Oxon)  
Barrister-at-law

378, Esplanade,  
Madras 22-2-1945.

M.V. Subramaniam Esq., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,  
Education and Public Health Department,  
Madras.



Dear Sir,

Ref: Letter dated 16th Feb., 1945.  
Youth Welfare Council for the City of Madras - Constitution.

I have great pleasure in accepting the offer of the Government  
to serve in the above Council.

Yours faithfully,

S. Govind Swaminadhan



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UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS.

DR. A. L. MUDALIAR,  
M.D., LL.D., D.SC., F.R.C.O.G., F.A.C.S.,  
VICE-CHANCELLOR.

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24th Feb. 1945.

The Secretary to the Government,  
Education & Pub. Health Department,  
Fort St. George.

Sir,

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Ref:- Your letter No. 16.A.3 dated  
the 16th Feb. 1945.

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I write to acknowledge receipt of  
your above letter and to state that I  
am willing to serve on the Council.

Your obedient servant,

*Admo ahai*



# Young Men's Crescent Society

(Registered under Act. XXI of 1860)

(Established 1920.)

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Pachalappa Chetty Street,  
Mount Road, P. O. Madras.

Dated, 1st March 1945.

## President:

Khan Bahadur Md. Moosa Sait Sahab.

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Sowcar Syed Yusuf Sahab Bahadur.

Khan Bahadur A. Abdul Kareem Sahab Bahadur.

Janab Abdul Hameed Khan Sahab Bahadur, M.L.A.

Janab M. Mustapha Sahab Bahadur, J. P.

Rao Bahadur C. Tadulingam Mudaliar A.V. M. C.

## General Secretary:

Mr. S. M. Fossil.

## Religious Secretary:

Mr. M. Shafiq Ahmed, B.A.

## Literary Secretary:

Mr. Shaik Abdullah, B.A.

## Social Secretary:

Mr. M. J. Ignatius.

## Sports Secretary:

Mr. M. Azeemuddin.

## Membership Secretary:

Mr. Ghulam Mahmood.

## Supt. C. O. A:

Mr. Mir Mushtaq Ahmed.

## Librarian:

Mr. Abdullah Sheriff.

## Treasurer:

Mr. S. H. Akber.

## Asst. Treasurer:

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## Legal Adviser:

Mr. M. A. Kirmani, B.A., B. L., Advocate

## Chairman, Ex. Committee:

Mr. M. Meeran, B.E.

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.. Md. Iynayathullah.

.. Yusuf Khan.

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.. Abdul Ghafoor.

.. Md. Ibrahim.

.. N. A. Shakir, B.A.

.. Syed Azizuddin.

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Mrs. M. N. Clubwala, M.B.E.

Mr. M. Radhakrishna Pillay,

Mayor of Madras.

From

S. M. Fossil,  
General Secretary,  
Young Men's Crescent Society,  
M A D R A S.

To

M. V. Subramaniam, Esq., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to the Government of  
-Madras,

M A D R A S.

Sir,

I saw your letter, Government of Madras, Education and Public Health Department No.16 A Dated 16-2-45 to-day when I returned from Madanapalle. Hence the delay in replying.

I note that the Government of Madras have constituted a Committee with a view to provide for the welfare of Boys who are at present homeless and who though employed have no facilities for social and recreational activities. Our Society is doing the work which the Youth Welfare Council proposes to do as a perusal of our Annual Report, a copy of which is herewith enclosed will show.

I am thankful to you for informing me that I have been nominated a member of the Youth Welfare Council. I am sorry that on account of certain pre-occupations I have to deny myself the pleasure of serving on it. However I assure you that if you communicate to me the decisions of the Council, we shall try to give effect to them, to the best of our ability.

I wish the Youth Welfare Council Success.

Yours faithfully,

S. M. Fossil

(GENERAL SECRETARY)

Enc.....

Copy of the Annual Report.

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Sir Robert Denniston

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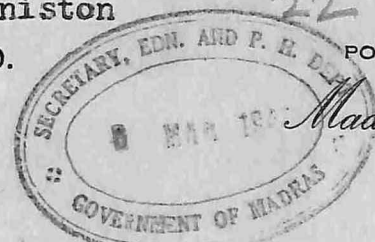
M.V. Subramanian Esqr., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to the Govt of Madras,  
Education & Public Health Department,  
Fort St. George,  
M A D R A S.

Dear Sir,

I must apologise for the delay in  
replying to your letter No. 16.A.3 of the 16th  
February. I shall be pleased to serve on the  
Youth Welfare Council for the City of Madras.

Yours faithfully,

*Subramanian*



POST BOX No. 63.

Madras, 5th March 45



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City to the Govt of Madras  
Public Health Department  
George,  
R. S.

I must apologise for the delay in  
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Welfare Council for the City of Madras.  
Yours faithfully,

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13.3.15  
To Dr. Adisachiah  
Madras Christian College  
Tambaram  
Yonke Welfare Council for the  
City of Madras - Constitution  
ref. my letter of 16A-3 of 16.2.15  
I am directed  
to request you to send an early reply to  
the letter referred to above  
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THE REV. DR. M. S. ADISESHIAH, M.A., PH.D., (ECON)  
WARDEN.

BISHOP HEBER HALL,  
MADRAS CHRISTIAN COLLEGE,

TAMBARAM,  
March 16, 1945.

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M.V. Subramaniam Esq I.C.S.,  
Secretary to Government,  
Education and Public Health Dept.,  
Fort St. George, Madras.

Dear Sir,

I have to thank you for your letter dated  
February 16, 1945 and to apologise for the delay in  
replying to the same. I am writing to inform you that I  
am prepared to serve on the Youth Welfare Council for the  
City of Madras.

Yours faithfully,

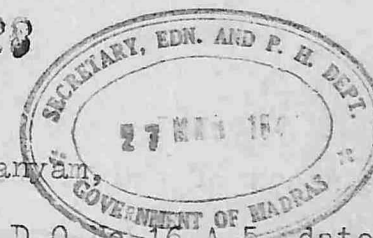
M. S. Adiseshiah

of blindness in this country at an early date.  
Health should jointly consider the problem of the prevention  
X. That the Central Advisory Boards of Education and  
persons.  
urged to promote legislation for the special benefit of blind  
IX. That the Central and Provincial Govts. should be  
and at any rate not later than the next census.  
should be taken up by the Govt. of India as early as possible,  
are essential and the enumeration of the blind population  
of education in the interest of the blind accurate statistics  
VIII. That for the execution of any planned programme  
tance as the circumstances may demand.  
Provincial Governments should provide such financial assis-  
of literature printed on old lines, the Central and the



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"MASCOT VILLE"  
20, EDWARD ELLIOT ROAD,  
MYLAPORE, P. O., MADRAS.

March, 26, 1945.

Dear Mr. Subramanyam,

Ref: Your D.O. No. 16.A.5. dated 16th February, 45.

I find no mention is made about the Youth Welfare Council for the City in the proposals for 1945-46. I hope this does not mean that the idea has been abandoned and that arrangements for the constitution of the Council ~~are~~ being proceeded with.

2 Friends say that I have been actuated by a false sense of modesty in omitting my name in the tentative list of names I submitted on December 30, 1944. I plead guilty. If you think I can be of some use to carry out the intentions of the scheme, I shall be glad to serve on the Council. You may please convey this suggestion to Sir Thomas.

3 I understand besides the scholarships for technical and scientific studies, the Government of India in the Educational Department propose to grant 75 scholarships for providing staff for training colleges etc. If and when the offer comes will you be so good as to

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remember the needs of the Youth Welfare work

and secure at least one scholarship for it?

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

*P. Subramanyam*

M.V. Subramanyam, Esq., I.C.S.,  
Secretary to Government,  
Education and Public Health Department,  
Fort St. George.

P.S. You will be interested to read the enclosed  
cutting dealing with Class I Educational  
Service.

*P. Subramanyam*

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## U. P. EDUCATIONAL SERVICE 26.47

### Class I Rules Revised

Allahabad, March 22.—The Governor of the United Provinces has revised the rules regulating appointment to posts in the U. P. Educational Service, Class I, and the conditions of service of the persons so appointed.

The revised rules lay down that recruitment to the Men's branch of the service shall be so arranged that 50 per cent. of the vacancies shall be filled by direct recruitment and 50 per cent. by promotion strictly in order of merit from the members of the corresponding branch of the U. P. Educational Service, Class II. Members of the U. P. Educational Service, Class II, Men's branch, will also be eligible for direct recruitment to the corresponding branch of service, class I, provided they satisfy the requirements of the rules regarding direct recruitment.

Appointment to the posts of director and deputy director shall be made by the Governor by selection from among the members of the service solely on the ground of outstanding merit.

Recruitment to the Women's branch of the service shall be made by promotion strictly in order of merit from the members of the corresponding branch of the U. P. Educational Service, Class II.

So far the cadre of the Women's branch of class I includes only one post of assistant director, but a proposal is reported to be under the consideration of the Government for the inclusion of inspectresses in class I.

The Governor has issued a separate order directing that women shall not be eligible for appointment to the Men's branch and men shall

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not be eligible for appointment to the Women's branch of the U. P. Educational Service, class I.

The age rule has also been revised. Now, on the first day of January of the year in which the recruitment is made, a candidate (a) for recruitment by promotion must not have attained the age of 50 years (hitherto there was no age-limit) and (b) for direct recruitment, must have attained the age of 25 years and must not have attained the age of 33 years. Under the old rules age-limit for Government servant in the education department seeking appointment to class I by direct recruitment, was 40 years and for others 33 years. The new rule eliminates this discrimination. The new rule is silent on the question of exemption from age-limit. The old rule provided that exemptions from the maximum limits may be granted by the Government in special cases.

The cadre of Men's branch of class I also includes one professorship, which is at present held by Dr. Amaranatha Jha. The revised rules lay down that this post shall be abolished as soon as the incumbent thereof ceases to hold a lien thereon.

*Leena, Allahabad 26*



EDUCATION - Youth Welfare Council for the City of Madras - Constitution - Ordered.

ORDER (MS.) No. 650 Edn., dated 26.4.1948

It is well known that for various reasons there has been a steady migration of people from villages to urban areas in recent years. The process has been accentuated by the conditions created by the present war. Of this population, a considerable number is of the age group 12-19. Some of them are unemployed while others are part-time or whole-time employees, often under conditions and in surroundings which are not conducive to their physical, mental and moral growth; and many of them lack <sup>normal family life</sup> settled homes and the healthy influences of family life. The importance of giving proper direction and shape to the impulses and longings usually connected with the period of adolescence cannot be over-emphasized in the interests both of the individual and the society in general. A stage has now been reached when it is desirable to have an organization to be in special charge of the welfare of this section of the population. For the present, it is proposed to <sup>consider</sup> ~~tackle~~ the question only in respect of boys and young men of the type in the Madras City.

2. The Government hereby constitute a Youth Welfare Council consisting of the following gentlemen:-

- (1) Diwan Bahadur Dr. Sir A. Lakshmanaswami Mudaliar (Chairman).
- (2) The Hon. Mr. Justice K.P. Lakshmana Rao.
- (3) Sir Robert Denniston.
- (4) Sri R. Suryanarayana Rao.
- (5) Lt. Colonel Edward Walker, The Salvation Army.
- (6) Mr. G. Solomon, Y.M.C.A.
- (7) The Rev. Dr. M.S. Adiseshiah, Madras Christian College.
- (8) The Rev. D'Souza, Principal, Loyola College, Madras.
- (9) Mr. S. Govind Swaminadhan, Bar-at-Law.
- (10) Sri Rao Bahadur S.K. Yegnanarayana Ayyar.
- (11) Dr. George S. Arundale.

to deliver and carry out measures to providing them with opportunities for selection and shape to healthy social life and recreational activities

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- (12) Sri Rao Bahadur K.V. Krishnaswami Ayyar.  
 (13) Mr. K. Kuruvila Jacob, Headmaster, Madras Christian College High School.  
 (14) The Commissioner of Labour or his deputy.  
 (15) The Commissioner, Corporation of Madras, or his deputy.  
 (16) The Dt. Educational Officer, Madras (also to act as Secretary to the Council.)

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3. The function of the Council will be to ~~to arouse the public~~ <sup>to interest public opinion</sup>, to plan the policy, ~~to secure the requisite funds, arrange for the training of youth leaders and to make suitable recommendations to Government, where necessary.~~ <sup>to secure the requisite funds, arrange for the training of youth leaders and to make suitable recommendations to Government, where necessary.</sup>

*is requested to consider the problem and to make proposals for tackling it*

To the Members of the Council.  
 " D.P.I.  
 " L.A. Dept.  
 " P.W.D.  
 " P.W.R. (S) Dept.

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No. 1162 E.

Government of Bihar, Education Department.

From

M. Z. Khan, Esq., I.C.S.,  
 Deputy Secretary to Government,

To

2 MAY 1945

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,  
 Education & Public Health Department.

Patna, the 17th May 1945.

Sir,

I am directed to say that according to Bulletin no.4 for May 1945, of the United Press the Government of Madras have constituted a "Youth Welfare Council" for Madras City to devise measures for providing certain classes of boys and young men with opportunities for healthy social life and recreational activities. I am to request that the Government of Bihar may kindly be supplied with particulars of the scheme and the name of the department which deals with it.

I have the honour to be,  
 Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

*M. Z. Khan*  
 Deputy Secretary.



2/15 Letter 52 22797A1  
 28.5.45  
 25.2.45  
 one Secretary to Govt of Bihar  
 28. Sept. Patna  
 your letter N<sup>o</sup> 1162 E, 17.5.45  
 re Youth Welfare Council

I am directed to forward a copy of the Proc. of this Govt. Constituent Body for the Govt of Madras dated 26.4.45 No. 650 E, 26.4.45. A scheme for carrying out the problem has not yet been framed. The Govt. are to formulate a scheme designed to promote the welfare of the youth in the city & suburbs. The recommendations of the constituent council are to be considered. The proposals are being awaited. The question of preparing a scheme will be decided after the recommendations of the council are received. The present arrangement for the subject is dealt with in the 25.2.45 Public Health Dept.

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 No. 1484 E.  
 Government of Bihar.  
 Education Department.  
 Patna, the 23rd June 1945.  
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28 JUN 1945

Babu Gita Ram sinha, M.A., B.L.,  
 Under Secretary to Government,

To  
 The Secretary to the Government of Madras,  
 Education and Public Health Department.

Sir,

With reference to your letter no. 22797-A.I., dated the 28th May 1945, I am directed to request that you will be so good as to let this Government have a copy of the "Youth Welfare" scheme when it is framed by the Government of Madras.

I have the honour to be,  
 Sir,  
 Your most obedient servant,  
 K. S. S. S. S.  
 for Under Secretary.

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 may be filed with  
 Govt. 650 E, 26.4.45 for  
 the present.

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C.P. 16A: From R. Suryanarayana Rao 25.12.44  
31.12.44

Youth Welfare Council - Constitution -  
Deputation of a candidate for training  
abroad in Youth Welfare activities

Sri R. Suryanarayana

has submitted proposals for constituting a Youth Welfare Council in the city of Madras. The proposals are directly the outcome of the recommendations of the sub-committee of the Govt. Board of Social Welfare. It is not clear whether the Govt. should incur any expenditure from Govt. funds on the welfare of youths or whether the question should be left for voluntary effort. In the latter case the need for Govt. constituting a Council does not arise.

2. Sri Suryanarayana Rao suggests that one or two scholarships should be set apart for youth welfare training from among the scholarships to be awarded to candidates for training abroad for technical education under a scheme initiated by the Govt. of India. Submitted that these scholarships are for training in technical education and cannot be utilised for any other training.

3. The Finance Dept. may see for remarks before circulation.

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The question now is the constitution of the Council. It is only then the question of financial help by Govt. will arise in connection with the work of the Council. If the question of I.A. or the otherwise may arise: but we may find no obstacle to the Council.



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Pres. L.A. In.  
C.W.D.

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object to one of his two  
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400. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT  
27 JAN 1945  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

The file has been sent to this Dept. with  
 refs. to Mr. Suryanarayana Rao's suggestion  
 to include ~~that~~ Commr. of this Madras  
 Corp. as his Deputy as a member of the  
 Joint Welfare Committee. The Commr. has no  
 Deputy; he has only a personal assistant.  
 This Dept. may agree to the Commr. being a  
 member of the Council, if he is willing.  
 The file may be forwarded to him.

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Mr. Lee  
W. L. Lee  
Jim



EPH Secy's  
to P. 1-2  
above.

Note at P. 1-2  
above

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The proposal in this file is to constitute a Youth Welfare Council; pl. see <sup>list on</sup> P. 1 C.F. for its constituents. EPH 2  
Secretary has stated that ~~no~~ the question of T.A. or other allowance will <sup>not</sup> arise as the Council relates to, and works in, Madras. No remarks ~~seem~~ <sup>seem</sup> called for in Finance. The case may be returned to E.P.H. after perusal.

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the file may be submitted to A. for order on the proposal of Mr. R. Srinivasan as in the off.

The decision of the Education Sub-Committee was that a Youth Welfare Council should be set up by Government for Madras City and that it should attend to the welfare of boys who are at present



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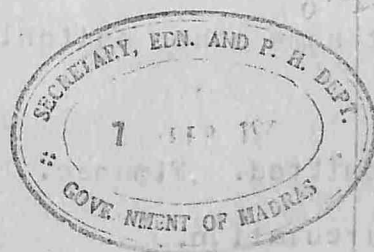
homeless or who, though employed, have no facilities for social and recreational activities. Mr. Suryanarayana Rao has proposed the setting up of such a Council with the personnel suggested at C.F.1. The Council is to consist of Dr. Sir Lakshmanaswami Mudaliar as Chairman, four official members including a Judge of the High Court (the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Lakshmana Rao) and the Corporation Commissioner, and eleven non-officials. One of the official members, viz., the D.E.O. is to be Secretary. Deptts. concerned agree. If the principle of having a Council is accepted, the consent of Lakshmana Rao, J. and the non-official members will have to be ascertained.

2. With reference to page 3 C.F., it may be pointed out that the Govt. of India scheme of scholarships is only for technical and scientific studies. Mr. Suryanarayana Rao may accordingly be informed that it will not be practicable to secure one or two scholarships under that scheme for prosecuting studies abroad in youth welfare work.

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3. At C.F.5 Mr. Suryanarayana Rao suggests that

Youth Welfare Council similar to the one proposed in the case of boys should be brought into being in respect of girls also, and proposes that the Sub-Committee's decision not to have any such organizations for girls in view of the work which the W.A.R.P.C. was said to be doing in the line should be re-opened and the matter further discussed by the Women's Sub-Committee. It appears that the case of girls may be considered later, after some experience has been gained of the machinery which may be set up to deal with boys. Mr. Rao may be informed accordingly.



the drafts below are for

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14.2.45

11.9.45 [Dated as letter dt. 16.4.39 16.2.45 + dt. 16.4.4, of 16.2.45]

reply is still due from

Dr. Adishiah of the Christian college. He may be reminded. The draft below is for app.

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of the eleven non-official

He said: many of these have been left out. 27.3.45 referred to on p. 4 ante. Mr. Fossil has expressed his unwillingness to serve on the Youth Welfare Council. One other has given their consent. The Commissioner of Salem has suggested that name

19.4.45 of his Personal Ass. (Mr. V. Balasubramaniam) may be appointed to the Council as his deputy. It is presumed that there may be a standing council without any limit of time. Some are suggested. Only one; but we need at least five kind of

May be accepted. 28.3.45



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