

Education and Public Health

(194⁵) Department.

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Miscellaneous **SERIES.**

G.O. No. 957. Education.

Dated 26th June 1945.

Order on pp 19-20 CF

[Despatch Abstract.]

Elementary Education - District Board, Salem -
Appointment of an Educational Officer - Orders passed.

Back Papers.

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Further Papers.

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Local Administration Department

From (Name) K.M.Unnithan Esq., I.C.S. To

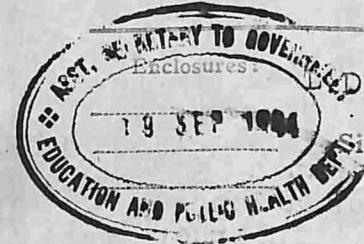
Designation Inspector of Ml. Councils
& Local Boards
Station Madras.

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The Secretary to Government,
Local Administration Department.

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15 SEP 1944

Dis.No.15681/43

dated 12-9-1944

Subject:- Establishment - Salem District Board - Appointment of a District Board Educational Officer.

I enclose a petition dated 14-4-1944 which is addressed to the Deputy Inspector, Central Range, complaining that a number of files have been pending with the President, District Board, Salem, without disposal for a long time and the report thereon of the Deputy Inspector, Central Range, recommending the appointment of a District Board Educational Officer. In my letter Roc.No.15681-43-B2 dated 18-7-1944 (copy enclosed) I request the President, District Board, Salem to express his views in this regard. The President, District Board, Salem is not in favour of the appointment of the District Board Educational Officer. His letter L.Dis.No.B1-16945-44 dated 5-8-1944 is also enclosed. While other district boards like Coimbatore, Cuddapah, Chittoor and Anantapur District Boards have got District Board Educational Officers, there seems to be no reason why the Salem District Board which maintains a large number of Elementary Schools should not have a District Board Educational Officer. I request that the question of appointing a District Board Educational

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Officer for the Salem District Board may be considered by Government.

Inspector.

Copy of this office letter Roc.No.15681-43-B2 dated 18-7-1944 to the President, District Board, Salem.

Sub:- Establishment - Salem District Board - Appointment of a District Board Educational Officer.

The Deputy Inspector, Central Range brings to my notice that a number of files have been pending with you without disposal for a long time and that most of the files relate to Elementary Education. In order to relieve you of the apparently heavy work he suggests that a District Board Educational Officer may be appointed to your district board, to whom you can delegate some of your powers relating to Elementary Education. Please express your views on the matter at an early date.

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Refused to the District
of Public Instruction for remarks.

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Establishment - Salem District Board - Appointment of a District Board Educational Officer.

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L.Dis. No. B1-16945-44.

From

to meet the Sri. K.A.Nachiappa Gounder, M.L.A., will soon be President, District Board, Salem.

Salem, District Board Office,
Dated:- 5-----8-----1944.

To

The Inspector of Municipal Councils & Local Boards,
Madras.

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With reference to your letter quoted above I desire to inform you that powers have been delegated to the Vice President in the matter of disposal of certain kinds of Elementary Education papers besides general touring and visiting of institutions.

The Secretary too has got certain powers delegated in dealing with the Elementary Education Files. The Superintendent too has been delegated with powers to sign

Fair copies, and to approve simple drafts and endorsements to teachers and subordinates. Thus I have made suitable arrangements to carry through the work conveniently. I am getting the files of this branch which require my personal attention and general control and I cannot ignore them by delegating powers to others if I were to do justice to my office as President. I want to follow a strictly uniform policy in the administration and delegation of powers to an additional officer will not be conducive in the matter of achieving my object. No doubt I have got too much of work but yet I am trying to do them as quickly as possible and the administration does not stand to suffer without a District Board Educational Officer. Hence I do not think that there is any necessity for such an officer who will have to be paid a fairly heavy salary from the Boards funds.

p.p.5/8.

President.

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In reply, please quote number, date and short title.

LOCAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

Received _____ Registered _____

From (Name) Sri T.A. Lakshmana Pillai, B.A.,
(Designation) Deputy Inspector of Municipal Councils & Local Boards, Central Range, Vellore.
Post Box _____, (STATION) _____,

Telegraphic Address _____

To
13 MAY 1944
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The Inspector of Municipal Councils & Local Boards, Madras.

No. 2993/43, dated --5-- 1944

Sir,

*Maladministration - District Board - Salem - Complaint against the President.

ENCLOSURES _____

Ref: Your N.Roc.15681/43 dated 21-4-44.

SPARE COPIES _____

I received a copy of the pseudonymous petition enclosed herewith during my camp at Pollachi complaining about the delay in the disposal of papers by the President, District Board, Salem. I had proposed to camp at Salem during the last week of February. But I had to cancel the camp on account of some urgent work at headquarters. My next camp at Salem was on 25-4-44. Before I came to Salem I received this petition. Hence I got the registers verified. The arrear list for the month ending March 1944 shows the following papers pending with the President, District Board.

A1	4	B1	138
A2	42	B2	131
A3	19	B3	115
B1	21	B4	93
B2	55	B5	131
B3	45	B6	Nil
C1	10	B7	Nil
C2	25	B8	Nil
D1	66	B9	10
D2	15	G1	Nil
D3	10	G2	Nil
D4	44	G3	Nil
		G5 & G6	5
		G7	Nil.
		Total.	984

Of the 984 files shown as pending with the President it is possible that some files may be with the Vice-President or the Secretary and all the files may not exceed more than 200. So the files pending with the President, District Board will not be less than 700. It is seen from the entries in Col.7 that almost all the files pending with the President, District Board were returned to the clerks on 17-2-44. But an examination of some of the files shows that no orders were passed by the President in any of them. They have been resubmitted to the President for orders. It is seen that the following papers are pending with the President from the dates noted against each.

4679/42	20-9-42.
6547/42	31-12-42
16478/42	17-7-42
19028/42	8-7-42
19955/42	31-12-42

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W. H. MITCHELL.

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29453/42 18-12-42
31690/42 20-4-43
32059/42 9-3-43
34712/42 14-12-42
35769/42 15-1-43, etc., etc.

I request that the President may be asked to state the reasons for the delay in the disposal of such a large number of papers. The delay in the disposal of the papers was noticed during my last inspection of the office and the Government also have in their administration report remarked that the President has kept some files with him without disposal for a long time and he was requested to avoid such delays. But I see that no improvement has been shown in the disposal of papers. The subject matter of the references pending with the President, District Board shows that most of them relate to Elementary Education. There is no District Board Educational Officer who can be delegated with some powers. It will be well and good if a District Board Educational Officer is appointed for the District Board as in other districts. In Central Range, Coimbatore, Chittoor, Cuddapah and Anantapur districts, District Board Educational Officers have been appointed. Salem which maintains the largest number of elementary schools has not got a District Board Educational Officer. The board may be requested to consider the desirability of appointing a Dist. Board Educational Officer to see to the prompt disposal of papers relating to elementary education.

I am submitting the report called for in your N.Roc. 15681/43 dated 24-9-43 separately.

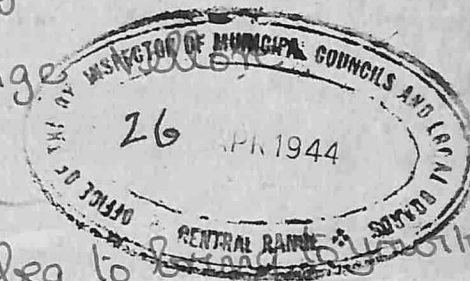
Z. Sakthumana
Deputy Inspector. 11/5

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To

The Deputy Inspector of Local Boards

Central Range



Sir,

We, the rate-payers, beg to bring to your kind notice the malpractices played by the President District Board Salem.

He attends to the papers relating to the persons in whom he has got interest, and wherever it is remunerative to him; setting aside all other papers relating to the parties who are poor and eager to get their orders in connection with their business etc.

It was rumoured that your honour was going to Camp in Salem by the end of February last. But to our disappointment, we learnt that you were not able to Camp in Salem last. We learn that the President has returned nearly thousand (1000) files which were submitted to him for orders month after month in order to hoodwink you. He has returned these files on the 16th and 17th of February 1944. A perusal of these files will clearly show the mal-administration of the President District Board Salem. On account of this delay in passing orders several people are put to lot of difficulties and loss.

We therefore, humbly request your honour

to investigate into the matter and render justice
to the people who are suffering untold difficulties

We beg to remain
Sir

Your most obedient servant

P. Kandaswamy

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N.R. 15681/43 21/4/44.

Forwarded in continuation of N.R. 15681/43
of 24.9.43. The report called for in this repara may also
be reported.

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To
for 13.9.
Central Board
Vellore 14.4.44. M.L.
21/4/44.

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(1) Copy submitted to the Private Secretary to his
Excellency The Governor of Madras.

(2) Copy submitted to the Secretary to the Government
Local Administration Department
Fort St. George, Madras.

(3) Copy submitted to the Inspector of Local
Boards
Madras.

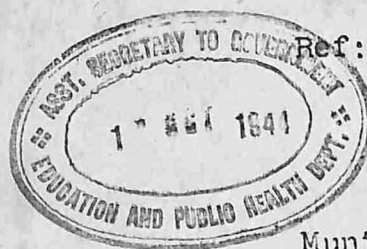
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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION M A D R A S.
R.O.C. NO. 3506-B/44, Dated 11-10-1944.
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District Board, Salem - Appointment of a District Board Educa-
tional Officer.

Ref: Government Endorsement No. 46119-A-1 Edn., dated 27-9-44.



Submitted.

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2. The suggestion of the Inspector of Local Boards and
Municipal Councils for the appointment of an Educational Officer
by the District Board, Salem, is supported. The District Board
is now receiving a special subsidy and an Educational Officer
is necessary to see that the subsidy is properly and fully
utilised. Though the appointment of an Educational Officer
is not compulsory at present, Government can make the payment
of the special subsidy conditional to the appointment of a
District Board Educational Officer.

for Director of Public Instruction.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department.
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F.c. to PDB below.

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2. The Inspector is requested to make a report to Government by the 1st March 1945 as regards accumulation of papers with the President.

(o/c.)

To the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards.
" Director of Public Instruction.

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Memo

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Dr. Doord Salem - Administration of elementary school - disposal of papers by the President.

The attention of the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards is invited to for entry No. 46119A5

of 4.12.44 and he is requested to say when the report called for in para 2 of the report is expected.

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PROSECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
K. H. Undyan Esq., I.C.S.,
Inspector of Ml. Cls. & Local Boards, Madras.
20 MAR 1945
The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department, Madras.

12604 R.C.No.32674/44 dated 23-3-45.

Sir,
Sub: District Board, Salem - files-pendency with the President, District Board.
Ref: Endt.No.46119/A.5 dated 4-12-44 of the Education and Public Health Department.

A report has been called for from the Deputy Inspector, Western Range and he has not yet sent, though he promised to send a report early in March. The Deputy Inspector is being reminded and a report will be sent as soon as the Deputy Inspector's report is received.

D. Subbarayasachari
For Inspector

Copy sent to the Deputy Inspector, Western Range. He is requested to expedite his report soon.
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The defects may
be reminded again if necessary on
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FROM K.M. Unnithan Esq., I.C.S.,
Inspector of Ml. Cis. & Loc. Schools.

TO The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department.

L.Dis.32674-44

Sir,

Sub:- Files - Salem District Board - Administration
of Elementary Schools - pending disposal with
the President - redaction - statistics
furnished.

Ref:- Endorsement No.46119/A-5 dated 4-12-44 from
Government.

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I enclose herewith a copy of statement showing
the pendency of papers with the President District Board
Salem as on 1-3-45 in the Elementary Education section.
It is seen that though the pendency decreased at the

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end of December '44, it is on the increase during the subsequent two months.

D. Subbarayaiah
For Inspector. *visus*

Encl: Copy of statement.

OM/24-5-45.

Abstract of files pending in the Elementary Education Section of the District Board's office, Salem.

Balance pending.

(1) Date.	(2) No. pending at the beginning of the month.	(3) No. received during the month.	(4) Total.	No. finally disposed of.	Under a month.	Over a month.	Over three months.	Over six months.	(5) Total.	(6) File in office.
1.12.44	1,210	477	1,687	431	243	286	310	417	1,256	496
1..1.45	1,256	509	1,765	936	121	167	226	296	829	542
1..2.45	829	544	1,373	266	352	182	222	351	1,107	246
1..3.45	1,107	436	1,543	358	273	326	199	387	1,185	378

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Elementary Ed.

Dr. Board Salem -
Appointment of
an Ed. Officer -
Salem passed

Ref. L.S. 98. from the Inspector of Municipal Councils
and Local Boards L.S. 32674/45 of 24.5.45.
G.O. 957 Edn. dated 26.6.45

The Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards brings to notice that a number of files have been pending with the C.S. Salem without disposal for a long time and that most of them relate to the administration of elementary schools. The Govt. observe that the non-official President is not able to devote as much time as is required for the transaction of official business. They consider that the appointment of a Dr. Ed. Officer will go have the effect of improving the administration of elementary schools & that the President will be relieved

President.

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much of the routine work. Under section 69A of
the Madras Local Boards Act, 1920 the Govt. require
the Salem D. Board to employ an educational
officer. for the efficient working of elementary schools.
Under section 73B of the Act the Govt. also direct
that the officer be ^{selected} ~~appointed~~ from among the ~~same~~ ^{cadre}
of Deputy Directors of schools. The O.A. Salem
requested to apply on a very early date through the
D.O. for the loan of the service of a deputy
Director of schools for appointment as D.D.E.G.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
Education and Public Health Department.

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D.O.No. 46119A-7

Fort St. George,
23rd June 1945.

Dear Mr. Nachiappa Gounder,

Please see my D.O.No.46119-A-4,
dated the 4th December 1944, regarding the
pendency of papers relating to the administra-
tion of elementary schools under your Board.
On the information since laid before the
Government, they do not see that the position
has improved. I am, therefore, to say that
the Government have thought it necessary to
direct the employment of a District Board
Educational Officer. Orders to that effect
are being issued separately.

Yours sincerely,

M.V.SUBRAMANIAN.

(o/e.)

Sri K.A. Nachiappa Gounder, M.L.A.,
President, District Board,
SALEM.

Copy to the Inspector of Municipal Councils
and Local Boards, with reference to his
L.Dis.32674-44, dated 22-5-1945.
Copy to the Director of Public Instruction.

90,000-5-10-42.



His Excellency the Governor wishes to impress upon every person holding a position in any Department of Government his duty to maintain a spirit of alert and confident energy. His Excellency has reason to fear that some Government servants have not been sufficiently alive to this duty and have allowed their morale to be impaired by a pessimistic and defeatist infection. His Excellency wishes again to remind all servants of his Government of the words addressed by the Prime Minister to His Majesty's servants in the United Kingdom in June 1940. He expects them all, and specially those in high places, "to set an example of steadiness and resolution. They should check and rebuke expressions of loose, ill-digested opinion in their circles or by their subordinates. They should not hesitate to report, or if necessary remove, any officers or officials who are found to be consciously exercising a disturbing or a depressing influence and whose talk is calculated to set up alarm and despondency." Such conduct is unpatriotic, it is treacherous and it is unworthy of the fighting men who on the sea, on land and in the air are discharging their much more arduous duties so fearlessly and so gallantly.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
5th October 1942.

E. M. GAWNE,
Chief Secretary to Govt.

of 46199A. from the Inspector of Municipal Council and Local Boards. L.D. 15681/42 of 12.9.42. of 49616A. Inty. of the D.P. No. 1506 D/P. of 11.10.42.

Appointment of a D.P. Officer under the D.P. Salem

The Inspector of Municipal Council and Local Board recommends that the D.P. Board, Salem, should be asked to employ an educational officer for the supervision of the work in the elementary ed. section of the D.P. Board office. The D.P. support the recommendation of the Inspector and suggests that the payment of the special subsidy of Rs. 1,35,000 for the expansion of elementary ed. should be made conditional to the appointment of an educational officer. ~~by the D.P. Board. Submit that there is no need to impose any such condition.~~

The Govt. have taken power under the Local Boards Act to employ an educational officer and they have done so as early as in 1934.

The posts of D.P.E.O. are however vacant in certain D.P. Boards (under D.P. Boards) for the following reason. During the years 1935 + 1936 the Govt. pursued a policy of bifurcation of D.P. Boards. It was considered that educational officers were not necessary for the bifurcated Boards. The posts were however ^{reverted} when the bifurcated Boards were amalgamated in 1937-38.

2. The question for consideration is whether the D.P. Board, Salem should be compelled to employ an educational officer even though the President is not in favour of the proposal. The proposition ^{shall}

Section 69A

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North Arcot

For Salem

Wm. Salem

Salem

Annex

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Yours

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6. That, when later the then District Board Educational Officer became aware after securing the records connected therewith of the second cut imposed in December 1932 the North Arcot District Board in its resolution No. 66 dated 18th February 1935 restored that cut to those teachers from 1-10-34.

7. That the petitioner begs to submit that although this second cut was restored, the arrears of pay due to him from 1-10-34 to 31-3-35 have not yet been disbursed, and the original pay was not taken into account in fixing his initial pay in the revised scale introduced from 1-4-35 as it was done in the case of teachers employed in the other Taluqs.

8. That the petitioner further begs to submit that the retention of the first cut imposed in March 1932 for the teachers of Tirupattur Taluq alone is invidious and unfair and that it has affected him doubly by depriving him of (i) the arrears pay due according to the higher rate of pay from 1-10-34 to 31-3-35 and (ii) the higher rate of pay he could draw in the revised scale from 1-4-35.

9. That the petitioner respectfully begs to submit that although he has submitted to the President, District Board, several representations both in writing and by deputations praying for relief in these matters nothing has been done till now and that he is therefore considerably inconvenienced and distressed.

10. That the petitioner therefore most humbly prays that the Government may be graciously pleased to consider this petition sympathetically and mete out justice to him by directing

(i) that the cut imposed in March 1932 be also restored to him and the arrears of pay due to him from 1-10-34 to 31-3-35 on that account be disbursed to him;

(ii) that the supplemental bills for the arrears of pay due from 1-10-34 to 31-3-35 consequent on the raising of the second cut which have already been submitted to the District Board be passed for payment immediately and the amount due to him disbursed to him;

(iii) and that the initial pay fixed for him in the revised scale of pay be revised so as to make it not less than the pay drawn by him before 1-4-1932.

For this act of kindness, sympathy, justice and generosity the humble petitioner will as in duty bound ever pray.

I beg to remain Sir

Respected Sir

Your most obedient servant

B. S. Narasinga Rao

12.11.36

L. S. S. Dept.

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Bharathi Press, Vellore.

should be considered as a general one with
and any decision arrived at should apply to all
the ^{eight} ~~one~~ of the Board ^{members} ~~members~~
and ~~the~~ ~~Board~~ ~~may~~ ~~be~~ ~~debarred~~
for orders.

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Having given the special ^{recessing} ~~subsidy~~

it would be answered now to
impose a condition that the continuance

of the subsidy will be contingent on the employment
of a D. B. E. O. We may merely ^{decide to} ~~enforce~~ the order

if the ~~Board~~ ~~should~~ remain indifferent But that should

be done in respect of the remaining 7 Boards also

4. in this connection G. G. L. A. may see the

remarks.

28.10.44 S. L. A.

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Attention is invited to the

P. D. B's letter on W3 CF. Gmt

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M. L. B. Act require the dt. hd. to

employ a dt. hd. ed. officer,

but ^{if this} ~~this~~ P. D. B. ^{refuses to} ~~may not~~

delegate to the D. B. E. O. the power

to grant leave, transfer teachers, etc

necessary powers so that

the appointment may be

useful. So, it does not

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STATION Andiappanur
Date 11-11-36

To
The Secretary to Government,
LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE,
MADRAS.

Through
The President,
VELLORE DISTRICT BOARD,
VELLORE.
AND
The Head-master,
BOARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL,

Andiappanur
The humble petition of B. S. Narasimha Rao Asst.
Teacher, Board Elementary School Andiappanur in
Tirupattur Taluk of North Arcot District submitted for the kind consideration of
Government in connection with the restoration of the cut in his salary ordered by
the defunct Tirupattur Taluq Board in March and December 1932 and the fixation of
his pay in the revised scale of pay sanctioned by the North Arcot District Board
from 1st April 1935.

Most Respectfully Sheweth,

1. That the petitioner entered service as teacher of an Elementary School under the jurisdiction of the old Tirupattur Taluq Board and has been continuing as such in Board Schools.
2. That, in view of the financial stringency then prevailing, the old Tirupattur Taluq Board ordered a temporary cut in the salaries of teachers with effect from 1st April 1932.
3. That for the same reason, the new Tirupattur Taluq Board ordered a second temporary cut in the salaries of teachers with effect from 1st December 1932. (Vide Resolution No. 40 dated 6th December 1932 of the new Tirupattur Taluq Board.)
4. That these cuts continued to operate even after the abolition of the Taluq Boards, although the teachers employed in the other Taluqs were subjected to no cut at all, or to only one cut of a lesser degree.
5. That, to remove the inequalities that existed among teachers of Elementary Schools in the matter of cut in salaries, the District Board, North Arcot, in its resolution No. 17 dated 29-10-34 and communicated in Dis No. 168/D. B. O. E. of '34 dated 1-11-34, ordered the raising of the cuts then existing. In doing so it omitted to include the teachers of Tirupattur Taluq in the list of Taluqs affected by the resolution owing to the fact that the District Board was not aware that those teachers also were subjected to a cut and that to two cuts.

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to retain all such ^{upon a} ~~boards~~ ^{P. D. B.} ~~for himself.~~ ^{the whole} ~~may~~ ^{however} require that the
P. D. B. discharges his duties properly
~~and~~ and that he shd not delay
files as he has been doing. The
P. D. B. may be warned to be
prompt in the disposal of his office
files and told that if the position
does not improve in three months
the Govt will require the dt hd
under section 69 A of the M.C.B. Act
to ~~re~~ appoint a dt hd E.O.

D^o 2-76-44

L.A.U.O. 25233/44-1D
2.11.44



Submitted for orders with
reference to the notes above. One question
whether legislation should be undertaken to compel
Presidents of D. Boards to delegate their powers
in matters relating to elementary schools
to the D. B. Officer was considered in 1940
and dropped. The instructions issued
in 1935/36 and 1934/35 are only advisory in nature.

For this, I believe, is no bar to action being taken
in individual cases to secure 69 A. of the
M.C.B. Act to deal with the P.D.B.
Maintenance by the P.D.B.
Balawa approved. 11.11.44
at A. C. P. B. and L.A. 1-11-44

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Remunerative Enterprises.

1938-39.

Markets—			
Number	6	5	
Income	Rs. 10,186	Rs. 9,840	
Expenditure	" 1,405	" 2,392	
Cart stands—			
Number	* 2	* 2	
Income	Rs. 6,645	Rs. 8,754	
Expenditure	" 2,238	" 2,890	
Slaughter houses—			
Number	3	3	
Income	Rs. 1,708	Rs. 1,489	
Expenditure	" 747	" 692	
Tree-planting—			
Income	Rs. 344	Rs. 249	
Expenditure	" 122	" 688	
Electric Licence Scheme—			
Income	Rs. 8,281	Rs. 17,768	
Expenditure	" 29,898	" 32,693	

Finance.

Collections—			
Percentage of current collection to current demand—			
Taxes	96	96	
Non-taxes	98	98	
Total balance left uncollected at the end of the year	Rs. 13,262	Rs. 11,327	
Pending bills—			
Bills remaining unpaid at the end of the year	" 3,420	" 257	

General.

Elections—			
Number of elections held	33	2	
Number of contested elections	4	..	
Percentage of voters who polled	53.8	..	
Meetings—			
Number of meetings convened	43	43	
Number of meetings adjourned—			
For want of quorum	..	5	
For want of time or other reasons	..	2	
Percentage of attendance of members at meetings to total sanctioned strength	60	52	
Committees—			
Number of committees in existence	8	† 8	

* Represents bus-stands.
† Excludes one joint committee formed with the members of the Palamcottah Municipal Council.

ANNEXURE II.

Tirunelveli Municipal Council—Summary of transactions under the General Account—1939-40.

Items.	RS.	Items.	RS.
A.—General Account—Receipts—Ordinary—		B.—General Account—Capital—	
(1) Taxation and miscellaneous revenue	1,00,381	(12) Government grants	..
(2) Government grants excluding grants in aid of general resources	1,793	(13) Endowments and contributions	..
(3) Contributions	990	(14) Loans	..
(4) Remunerative enterprises	36,387	(15) Other receipts	* 10,000
(5) Other receipts	51,451	(16) Total receipts	* 10,000
Total	1,41,002	(17) Total expenditure	† 49,406
(6) Deduct—Contribution from General Account—Ordinary—to—		(18) Net expenditure [item (17) minus item (16)]	17,074
(i) Lighting Account—		(19) Add—Contribution from General Account—Ordinary—to—	
(i) Lighting—Ordinary	14,926	(i) Lighting Account—	
(ii) Elementary Education Account—Ordinary	11,540	(ii) Elementary Education Account—Capital	..
(iii) Water-supply and Drainage Account—Ordinary	..	(iii) Water-supply and Drainage Account—Capital	2,670
(7) Receipts—Ordinary—General	1,64,536	(iv) Town-planning Account—Capital	2,160
(8) Total ordinary expenditure	1,48,848	(20) Total Capital expenditure from general revenues	21,904
(9) Surplus or deficit	+ 15,688	(21) Net surplus or deficit after meeting Capital expenditure [item (11) minus item (20)]	- 6,216
(10) Government grants in aid of general resources	..	(22) Opening balance	49,930
(11) Net surplus deficit	+ 15,688	(23) Closing balance	43,714
		(24) Difference [item (23) minus item (22)]	- 6,216

NOTE—Arrears (tax and non-tax items) 11,327
Unpaid bills 257

* Not utilized during the year and merged in balance.
† Or this a sum of Rs. 32,332 was met from the capital balance.

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