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No. SERIES.

G.O. No. 1541

Dated 8-8-1946

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[Despatch Abstract.]

European Education-Civil Orphan Asylum-Government Directors-
Executive Engineer, North Presidency Division (Ex-Office) and
Mr. B.W. Day-appointed.

Back Papers.

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Ms	555	Edn.	~~26.8.1886~~	Ms	1776	Edn.	6.12.32
	655	"	9.10.1906	"	691	"	24.4.33
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Further Papers.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
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original at (E) Government of Madras.
 Abstract.
 European Education - Civil Orphan Asylums - Director - Mr.C.M.Goveas -
 Appointed.

 Education and Public Health Department.
 dated 25th March 1946.
 G.O.Ms.652.Edn.
 Read the following:
 From the Chief Engineer (General Buildings and Defence) No.925-A.D/46-1
 dated 25-2-1946.

 Order:
 His Excellency the Governor hereby appoints Mr.C.M.Goveas,
 Executive Engineer, North Presidency Division, to be a Government
 Director of the Civil Orphan Asylums, Madras, in the place of Sri Rao
 Saheb A.Venkataramanan.
 (By Order of His Excellency the Governor)
 M.V.Subramanian,
 Secretary to Government.
 To the Secretary, C.O.A. Emergency Committee c/o Binny and Co., P.O.Box.
 No.66, Madras.
 To the D.P.I. To the C.E.(G.B.& D.)
 To Mr.C.M.Goveas, Executive Engineer, North Presidency Division.
 Note: P.W.D. may see before circulation.
 I.B.M(enon)
 7-3-46.
 P.W.D.
 To D.S.
 May be perused and returned to Edn. & P.H.
 Id....
 11-3-46.
 For orders as to Circulation
 I.B.M 13-3-46 M.V.S. A4-A,
 E.P.H.
 I accept the draft but make the suggestion that the E.E. North
 Presidency Division may be appointed in virtue of his office. This will
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avoid references when there are changes in the incumbents.

J.B.B.

20-3-46.

A.1

I agree

D.N.S(trathie)

22-3-46.

The suggestion in A.4's minute above may be examined separately
For orders whether the draft may issue.

I.B.M(enon)

22-3-46.

Issue.

M.V.S.23-3-46

[Issued as C.O. N. 652 Edu. 25-3-46.]

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European Education - Civil Orphan Asylums
Executive Engineer, North Presidency Division,
Madras - Appt. as one of the Directors.

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In C.O. N. 652 Edu. 25-3-46.

Mr. C.M. Cromas, Executive Engineer, North
Presidency Division has been appointed to
be a Govt. Director of the Civil Orphan
Asylums, Madras, in the place of Sri Rao
Sahel A. Venkataraman. It has been
suggested, in this connection that the Executive
Engineer, North Presidency Division may be
appointed in virtue of his office. The
Curator M.R.O. may be requested to trace ^{and put up} the original papers in which it was
decided to appoint the Exec. Engr, North
Presidency Division as a Director of the

Civil Orphan Asylums, Madras and also
other relevant papers on the subject.

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Madras Record Office, Chittoor.

The Indexes of the Education Department from

1920 to 1941 have been examined. Reference is

invited to G.O. 691 Education dated 24-4-1933 in

which the Executive Engineer, North Presidency

Division, was first appointed to be a Director of

the Civil Orphan Asylums. When Mr. R. Dann, resigned

his Directorship of the Civil Orphan Asylum in 1933,

the Director of Public Instructions, while recommend-

ing Mr. A. Vipan, the then Executive Engineer, North

Presidency Division, suggested to Government that

it

it would be a great advantage to these institutions
to have men on their Committees who can give profes-
sional advice (page 1 of G.O. 691 Education dated
24-4-33). Since then some one or other of the
Engineers of the Public Works Department has always
been nominated by the Government to serve on the
Directorate.

Reference is also invited to the note on page
5 of G.O.No. 1460 Education dated 16-9-41 wherein
it is stated that the Principal of the Civil Orphan
Asylum desired to have an Engineer, if possible,
appointed as a Director. There is no paper to
show that the Executive Engineer, North Presidency
Division, should be appointed a Director, by virtue
of his Office.

The circumstances under which Government
appoint Directors to the Civil Orphan Asylums are

set

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set out in Appendix B of G.O.No. 555 Education dated 26-8-1886, page 11 of G.O. 900 Education dated 27-6-32 and the foot note on G.O.No. 691

Education dated 24-4-33.

Submitted that these and other papers relating to the appointment of Directors may be furnished to the Department.



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my
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M. Mahajan
9/4/46

E. & P. H. Department U.P.

M.R.O.U.O.No.846 DI/46.
9-4-1946.

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1. - By resigning my

post. as Sub. Member

for Civil Supply

asylum. The position

of appointing somebody

in my place may be
taken up. I suggest
Mr. Crumley Mr. Pritchard
or Mr. Day. HP 25/46

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Do 23072 51/46-2 Edw. St. 14.6.46.
My dear Mr. Bromie,

Edn and P.H. Dept
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European Education - Civil Orphan
Asylum - Govt Director, Appointment

Sir Norman Strathie who was a Govt
Director of the Civil Orphan Asylum has
resigned the office. It has been suggested
that you may be appointed in his place.
I am directed to enquire whether you would
consent to take the place.

15-6-46

A. D. Bromie Esq
C. I. E. S. C. S.
Member Board
Govt.

14/6/46

15/6/46

Yours truly
15-6-46

EXP. H
D.O. NO. 23072 C1/46-3 - Edn. dt. 25/6/46.

My Dear Pritchard,
European Education - Civil
Orphan Asylum - Govt. Director
- Appointment.

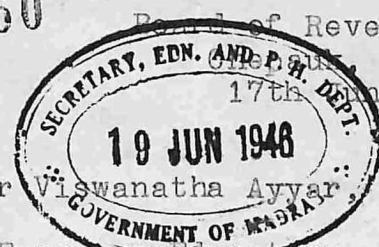
Sir Norman Anstey who
was a Govt. Director of the Civil
Orphan Asylum has resigned the office.
It has been suggested that you may
be appointed in his place. I am
~~directed~~ ^{desire} to ^{ask} ~~enquire~~ whether you would
consent to take the place.

24/6/46
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J. S.
W. B. W.

To
J. W. Pritchard
Esq., I. P. S.,
Secretary to Govt.,
Home Dept.

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My dear Viswanatha Ayyar,

European Education - Civil
Orphan Asylum - Govt. Director -
Appointment. Your D.O. No-23072-C1/
46-2 Edn., dated 14-6-46.

I am willing to be a Government
Director of the Civil Orphan Asylum.
I would, however, point out that I
am likely to retire from the Service
at the end of the year and my tenure
of the post may not be for very long.

Yours sincerely,

P. S. Viswanatha Ayyar Esq., ICS.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
Home Department. C1

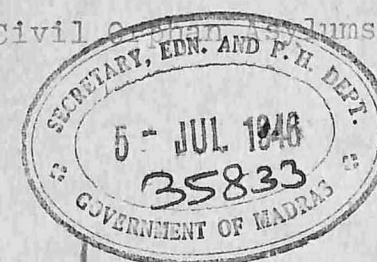
D.O.No.28160-I/46-1 Fort St.George,
Dated 3rd July '46

My dear *Viswanath*

European Education - Civil orphan
Asylums - Government Director -
Appointment of.

Ref:-Your D.O.No.23072-C.1.46-3, Edu.
dated 25th June 1946.

I regret that I am unable to accept
the post of Government Director of the
Civil ~~Asylums~~ *Asylums*.



Yours sincerely

P. S. Viswanatha Ayyar
w/7/46

P.S.Viswanatha Ayyar, I.C.S.,
Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health
Department,
Fort St. George,
M A D R A S.

V.F.

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D.O. No. 23072 C. 146-4 Ed. Dr. 9. 7. 46.

Exp. 21

My Dear Day,

European Edu - Civil Orphan
Asylums - Govt. Director - Appointma

Sir Norman Stratton, who was
a Govt. Director of the Civil Orphan
Asylums, has resigned the office. It has
been suggested that you may be appointed
in his place. I am desirous to ask
whether you would consent to take the place.

y.s.

8/7/46

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To

B. W. Day Esq. I.C.S.,
Prinl. Controller of
Food Rationing
Chepauk,
Madras.

8/7/46

D.O. 1

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Board of Revenue,
(CIVIL SUPPLIES)
Madras, D/ 13-7-46.

My dear Viswanatha Ayyar,

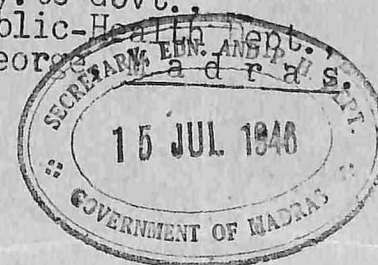
Ref: YOUR D.O.No.23072-C1/46-4-
Education dated 9th July, 46.

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I have no objection to being
appointed as a Government Director of
the Civil Orphan Asylums.

Yours sincerely,

To

P.S.Viswanatha Ayyar, Esq., I.C.S.,
Secy. to Govt.
Edn. & Public-Health Dept.
Fort St. George





Office of the Chief Engineer, P.W.D.
(General, Buildings and Defence)
Chennai, Madras.

Endorsement No. 3575-Ad/46-1 dated 17th July 1946.

From Superintending Engineer, Madras Circle No. 638- d/11-7-46.

European education - Civil Orphan Asylum - Director.

Appointment - Regarding.

Mr. C.M. Coveas, Executive Engineer, North Presidency Division having been transferred out of the city, I suggest that Sri Rao Sahib P.G. Raman Nair, his successor, may be nominated as a Government Director of the Civil Orphan Asylum until further orders.

Copy submitted to Government with reference to G.O.No.652 Dn. dated 25-3-46. Sri Rao Sahib P. G. Raman Nair, Executive Engineer, North Presidency Division may be appointed as a Government Director of Civil Orphan Asylums, Madras in place of Mr. C.M. Coveas, Executive Engineer, transferred.

K. S. Kishore

for Chief Engineer, P.W.D.
(Genl. Bldgs. & Defce)

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department with a copy
of Superintending Engineer's letter.

Copy to the Principal, Civil Orphan Asylum with reference to his
D.O. d/2-7-46.

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EXP. 4

The question of appointing the Executive Engineer, North Pdy Division as a Govt. Director of the C.O.A. Madras, by virtue of his office is proposed in the main file. It has been sent to Pub & P.W. Dept. with a Draft order. This may lie over till the return of the main file.

GP
29.7.46.

EXP. 4
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22.7.46

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EXP. 4

C.23072 C/46-5 European Education - Civil Engineer Asylums - Govt. Director - Executive Engineer, North Pdy Division (Ex-Officio) and Mr. B.W. Day - Appointed.

Pl keep 3 copies.

Ref: - G.O. 652 Edn. dt. 25.3.46. Ref letter Endt of the G. E. General (Buildings and Defences) NO: 3575-Ad/46-1 dt 17.7.46.

Order (No) No 1541 Edn. dt. 8.8.46

The Govt. President appoints the Executive Engineer, North Pdy Division, as a Govt. Director of the Civil Engineer Asylums, Madras.

Mr. H. E. the Governor hereby appoints Mr. B.W. Day, O.B.E., I.C.S., to be the acting Govt. Director in succession to Sir Norman Sharpe, C.I.E., I.C.S.

To The Secy., C.O.A. Madras
D.P.
C.O.A. Madras
A. G. Day
B.W. Day
O.B.E., I.C.S., Dy. Commr. (Civil Engineer) Madras

20/7/46
22.8.46

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Education & P.H. (C.1) Dept.
EUROPEAN - Civil Orphan Asylum - Government Directors.

In connection with the appt. of Mr. C.M. Goveas, Executive Engr., North Presidency Division, as a Government Director of C.O.A., Madras, the Adviser for Education suggested that the Executive Engr., North Presidency Division, might be appointed in virtue of his office.

For a brief history of C.O.A. please see the Annual Report ^{stitched with} in G.O. 169 Edn. dated 24-1-1946.

The C.O.A.s. are paid a moiety of the interest derived yearly from the Woolley Fund for the education and maintenance of children of distressed Europeans and their descendants. To ensure that the grant is expended for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned, Govt. appoint two Directors for the Asylums. These Directors used to be generally High Court Judges or other high officials or Heads of Depts.. In 1933, Executive Engr. North Presidency Division, Madras, was appointed as Govt. Director ^{as the D.P. reported} on the recommendation of the D.P. that it would be a great advantage to these institutions to have on their committee men who could give professional advice. Since then ^{one or other of the Exrs.} ~~some one or other~~ Exrs. of the P.W.D. has always been nominated by Govt. to serve on the committee to the C.O.A. There seems to be no objection to the Executive Engr. North Presidency Division ^{being} appointed as a member of the C.O.A. by virtue of his office.

The other Govt. Director the C.O.A. was Sir Norman Strathie. He ~~has~~ recently resigned his Directorship and a new Director has to be appointed in his place. Sir Norman Strathie has suggested the names of M.A.D. Crombie Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S., Member, Board of Revenue.

p 3 of G.O. No. 637 Edn
(2) 25.3.46

p 3 of G.O. No. 691 Edn
(1) 24.4.33
Please see notes with G.O. No. 1114
2.9.14

p 2 of G.O. No. 1114
(1) 2.9.14

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Please see also p. 5 of G.O. No. 1460
(A) 16-8-41

(C) G.O. No. 1412 Edn
20.10.43
p 8 of

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(ii) A.W.Pritchard Esq., I.C.S., Secretary to Govt. Home Dept.
(iii) B.W.Day Esq., O.B.E., I.C.S., (Provl. Rationing Officer).
If any of these officers ~~is~~ to be appointed, the previous consent will have to be obtained. For orders as to the person to be appointed in the place of Sir Norman Strathie.

18/5/46
14/5/46
For orders on 'A' & 'B' above.
D. Balakrishna Menon
Asst. Secy.
17/5/46 S

12/5/46
I would like to know whether these
members should be exclusively Europeans

18A
25-5-46
25 MAY 1946
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Submitted that there is no such rule. But in practice, only Europeans or Anglo-Indians were appointed as Govt. Directors. In 1933, The Exe. Engineer, North Pdy. Division was appointed as one of the Govt. Directors as the D.P.I. reported that it would be a great advantage to these institutions to have on their committee men who could give professional advice. At that time the post of E.E./North Pdy.Dn., was held by Mr. Vipera, a European Officer. Subsequently the post of E.E. was held by three Indian officers viz., Messrs. Acaryula, A.Venkataramanan, and C. M. Goveas, and they were appointed as Govt. Directors. So one of the Govt. Directors has always been a European and the other in recent years has been an Indian. If a departure from the existing practice is contemplated it may be desirable to consult the D.P.I. as the institutions are intended purely for Anglo-Indians and Europeans.

18/5/46
27/5/46 S
30/5/46
30/5/46
H.H. (S.M.)

Any one person among the three suggested
to perhaps as good as any other. As Mr. Crombie's
name is suggested first, I suggest he may be
appointed unless Sir N. Strathie
1-6-46

25 JUL 1946
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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Please see the orders on the previous page. Mr. Crombie may be asked whether he is willing to accept the office. A draft D.O. is submitted. Public (Spl.) may see before issue.
4.6.46
5.6.46
Public (Spl.) Dept.

Edn. O.O. 23072 C1/46-1
5.6.1946
C.No. 2671
7/6/46
The notes on p. 3 above and the draft D.O. below may be perused and the case returned to S. & P.H.
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[Issued as D.O. No. 23072 C1/46-2 Edn. No. 14.6.46]
[From Mr. Crombie, Bd. of Rev., D.O. no. nil dt. 12.6.46]
Mr. Crombie, Member, Bd. of Rev.,
is willing to be a Govt. Director of C.O.A. However, he has not submitted

that ~~he~~ he is likely to retire by the end of 1946, and that his tenure of the post may not be very long.

~~Very short period (1946-47) in the circumstances, it is for orders whether he may now be appointed to the post of govt. Director, C.O.A., or whether to offer the office (Mr. Pritchard and Mr. Day) as suggested by Sir S. N. Strathie may be consulted about their willingness in order that one of them may be appointed.~~

19.6.46. Mr Pritchard, the next officer suggested by Sir Norman Strathie should be consulted about his willingness to serve as Govt Director.

11/6/46 \$ B.W.D.
21/6/46 \$ B.W.D.
A draft D.O. is submitted

24.6.46. 11/6/46 \$ B.W.D.
24/6/46 \$ B.W.D.
[Issued as D.O. No. 23072-C1/46-3 Encl. dt. 25.6.46]
[From J.W. Pritchard Esq., D.O. No. 28160-I/46-1 dt. 3.7.46]
Please see the D.O. from

Mr. Pritchard at p. 11. C.F. Mr B.W. Day, ^{the third} Controller of Food Rationing, Madras, ^{Norman} officer suggested by Sir S. Strathie may now be consulted about his willingness to serve as a govt. Director of the C.O.A. Subject to approval, a draft D.O. is submitted.

8.7.46 / 11/6/46 \$ B.W.D.
8/7/46. 11/6/46 \$ B.W.D.
p. 10 of [Issued as D.O. No. 23072 C1/46-4 Encl. dt. 9.7.46]
p. 11 of [From ~~Mr. B.W. Day~~ Mr. B.W. Day, D.O. dt. 13.7.46]

Mr. Day has stated that he has no objection to his being appointed as a govt. Director to the C.O.A., Madras. A draft order is submitted. It may be sent to P.W.D. and P.W.D.

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18.7.46 /my 20.7.46. PWD Public (Spt) (Spt) P.W.1

R.V.P.H. u.o. 28072 C1/46-5 22.7.46.

A.S. This draft order below may be perused and the file passed on to Pub (Spt).

23/7/46 Pub (Spt) Pub (Spt) Pub (Spt)

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Pub (Spt) Dept. PWD u.o. 4366 4/4-1

This Dept. noted last noted on p. 3 M.F. Notes from p. 3 M.F. and the draft below may be perused and the file returned to Edm. P.P.H.

26.7.46 Pub 26.7.46. 26/7/46



Pub (Spt) u.o. 3500/46-1

[From Mr. Pittman Esq., D.O. No. 28160-I/46-1, St. 3.7.46] Please see the a.o. from

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C.40929 C1/46. From the C.E. (G. Bldgs + Defence) Envt. No. 2575-Ad. 1/46-1 St. 17.2.46.

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2.8.46

Please see the enst. from the C.E. (G. B. + D) since recd. p. 12 CF. In view of para 1 of the draft order, appointing the E.E., North Pdy. Division as a Capt. Director, by virtue of his office, no action seems called for on this

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~~For orders as to circulation~~

29.7.46. 31/7/46 1/8/46 2.8.46

TSR H.D. (Spt) for perusal. 18.46

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