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[Despatch Abstract.]

Front Press - Meeting of Mr. Gandhi

Half holiday on 31.1.1946 -

Workers etc. Granted.

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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT WORKERS' UNION MADRAS

Presidents:

P. R. K. SARMA B. A., M. L. A. (Lab.)

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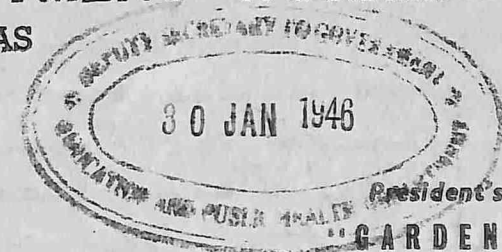
T. S. RAMANUJAM M. A. LL. B. (Lond.)
V. DORASAWMY NAIDU

Secretary:

P. MUTHUSAWMY

Treasurers:

T. GOVINDASAWMY



Ref. Dated 30/1/1946

To
The Secretary,
Education & Public Health
Fort St. George Madras

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Mahatma Gandhi is addressing
the workers of Madras to-morrow
at 4 P.M. in the Hindi Prachara
Sabha, Thyagarajar Nagar. Employers
like Bharat Shell, Call Tase (India) Ltd,
Standard Vacuum Oil Co., Crompton
Engineering Co. Standard Engineering, Ganesha
Engineering Works and Mysore Precision Metal Factory
works etc have granted holiday in the way
for to-morrow afternoon to enable their
workers to meet Mahatma Gandhi and
hear his advice. The workers of the Govt.
Press who are about 2000, the Stahover
Stores, King Institute Library, Engineering
College workshops and the Govt. Industrial
Engineering workshops, P.W.D. workshops and
Stores are also anxious to meet Mahatma
Gandhi on the occasion. I therefore request
you to kindly arrange to give a holiday
for the afternoon to-morrow, Thursday the 31st
instant and oblige this may be treated as
Special leave. The workers will be prepared
if necessary to work the time lost on
Saturday and make up. To the arrange

request was made only yesterday, I am
 sorry I could not make the request
 earlier. I have seen the Superintendent
 of the Govt & on the matter and also
 addressed the General Superintendent
 of the P.W.D. workshops & Stores and
 thanking you.

Yours faithfully

P.S. owing to other
 heavy engagements

and want of time
 Mahabir Jha and
 has not been able
 to spare an engagement
 on a Holiday. The
 workers have not
 been able to meet
 him on other occasions
 owing to crowds and
 inconvenient hours.

12/12

President -
 Govt Press workers' Union
 P.W.D. workers' Union
 Stationery workers' Union
 Engineering College workers' Union
 Industrial Engineering workers' Union
 King Institute workers' Union

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Goat Press - Meeting of Mr. Gandhi - Half holiday
 on 31.1.46 - Workers etc - Granted

C. No. 5858 F/46

From the President, P.W.D. Workers' Union of 30.12
 Order 269 Date 6-2-46

The Govt servant the workers
 of the Govt Press, the Stationery Stores,
 The King Institute Grounds, Engineering
 College workshops, and the Govt Industrial
 Engineering Workshops, P.W.D. workshops
 and others to avail themselves of a half-
 day's holiday ^{on} after noon of 31.1.46
 for attending Mr. Gandhi's address
 to workers on the condition that

P.T.O

C.No.

From Mr. P.R.K.Sarma, dated 30-1-1946.

Sub: Meeting of Mr. Gandhi - AFTERNOON OF 31-1-1946 -
Workers of Government Press etc.

Mr. Sarma, President of the Govt. Press Workers Union, etc., requests Government to grant an half-holiday to the workers of the Government Press, The Stationery Stores, King Institute, Guindy, Engineering College Workshop, and King Government Industrial Engineering Workshop, P.W.D. Workshop to enable them to attend a meeting at 4 P.M. in the Hindi Prachar Sabha, T.Nagar when Mr. Gandhi will be addressing the workers. Mr. Sarma suggests that this may be treated as a special leave and the ~~workers~~ ^{asked} workers may be ~~made~~ ^{asked} to make up the time lost on a Saturday. It may be recalled that in connection with the Lunar Eclipse day, Government permitted the workers of the Govt. Press to avail themselves of half holiday on condition that the time lost might be made up on a holiday. For orders whether a similar concession will be granted on this occasion.

2. The file may be sent to P.W.D., Dev. and Public before circulation.

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30.1.46

P.W.D. 445/46-1
30-1-46.

Des. 8019/46
31.1.46



The time lost, ^{should} be made up by working ~~on a holiday~~ by extra work on other days.

CP
31.1.46
31/1/46

To The S.G.P
The S.G.S
The S.G.S
The General Body
of the P.W.D. Workshops
and Stores
D. J. C.

Copy to the President
P.W.D. Workers Union
"Gandhi Club"
Puducherry.
1/4/46
S/c.

Shew Office as
order should come
before 12 noon tomorrow.
30/1/46

J.D.
30/1/46

BM
30/1/46

30/1/46

S 4/30/1/46

30/1/46

No obj.

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20 u.s. Please see notes from P1 above. This dept.
may agree to the suggestion at 'X' on p.1 above and pass 12
on the file to Public. co.

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31.1.46 31.1.46

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12.30 am



Pub. (Genl.)

For order whether this Dept. may also agree.

31.1.46 CS/ Nudjehun
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Sold for A2's order.
X and 1 anti may be accepted.

31.1.46 A2

EPH.

I have telephoned to the S.S.P. Formeladen
may come and the file sent to the MWD & Dev.
for issue of necessary order for acceptance in regard
institutions under them. (MWD Sec has already seen
the file.)

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31.1.46

A draft order is submitted for approval.
P.W.D. and Dev Secy see for acceptance.

EPH 5558F-2
31.1.46

This is release of documents they should be
given to the MWD / Dev.

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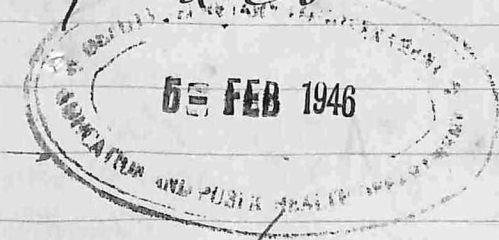
'M' on P2 above.

The draft order below may be accepted in this
Dept. and the file returned to EPH.

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see R & Pk.

Dec no no
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Draft may mine. Copies have been
marked for all concerned.

31.2.46

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THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT PRESS WORKERS' UNION

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Asst. Secretary:

O. G. DEENADAYALOO

No.

7737

Garden club.

Perambur PO

Madras, 6th Feb 1946.

Recd at Madras 1946

I am very
thankful to you for having
kindly arranged for closing
the Govt Press on the afternoon
of the 3rd and enabled the
workers to have the 'Shikhar'
at Mahatma Ghandhi. As the
Superintendent did not get
instructions he could not
make the announcement to
the workers. Though they approach-
ed him more than once
before the mid-day interval
the workers had been advised
by me to leave only if the
announcement is made by
the Superintendent and
not otherwise. There was
no announcement till the
workers returned after

mid-day meal. By then the
 procession of other workers
 had gone to Thiaga Dalanagar
 I went to the Press and met the
 Superintendent at about 2 P.M.
 Even then he was not in a
 position to say anything. I
 then spoke to Mr. Ramann
 Menon, Secretary, Public Works
 and Labour and got him
 to speak to the Superintendent.
 The announcement was then
 made. The workers could
 leave only at about 2.30.
 Most of them had to go by Bus
 and those who went on
 foot could not reach
 Thiaga Dalanagar in time.
 The Superintendent has
 advised that the workers
 should work and make
 up the time lost, on a
 holiday or Saturday. This
 will involve lot of incon-
 venience and hardships

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Madras, 194

To the workers and after all
 they did not get the full benefit
 of half holiday on the 31st
 and had to meet unnecessary
 expenditure owing to the
 delay in the announcement.
 Under the circumstances
 I request you to treat
 the hour not worked as
 a holiday or if that is
 difficult for any reason
 to give the time again.
 I am sure you will
 be able to do so.
 I am sure you will
 be able to do so.
 I am sure you will
 be able to do so.

As the workers are most
anxious about the
matter I shall be
thankful for early
action

Yours faithfully

P. J. J. J. J. J.
President.

To

C. V. Cooray Esq. J. C. S.
Secretary
Ed. & P. H.

Education & P. H. Dept.

Endt. No 7737 P-1 B. d. 12.2.46.

Referred to the Superintendent

Govt. Press for reprints.



Harman
Deputy Secretary to Govt

To The Superintendent
Govt. Press.

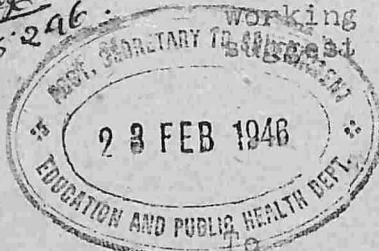
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Government Press.

Endt. No. 88/Mis.

25.2.46



The workmen have already made up the hours by
working on the 9th February 1946, as such I would
suggest the paper be filed.

Superintendent.
22-2-46.

The Dy. Secy. to Govt., Edn. & P. H.

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referred by the S. G. P. the paper may be
lodged.
26.2.46

E. H. Dey

For orders etc. in the circumstances

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text on a piece of paper, possibly a receipt or a letter, with some words like "received" and "for" visible.]

[Handwritten note on lined paper, dated 5/3/46, addressed to Mr. Same, Garden Club, Pambore. The text is written in a cursive script.]

2/3/46
Do No 77376-26 dated 4.3.46
Dear Mr. Same,
Garden Club
31st Jan 1946 afternoon -
I am to ~~ack~~ acknowledge
the receipt of your Do. of 6.2.46
as to say that the work
workmen have already made
up the house by working on the
9th Feb 1946, G.C. do
not therefore consider that any
further action is necessary in
the matter.
Yours truly
R. J. 2.46
(P.T.U.)

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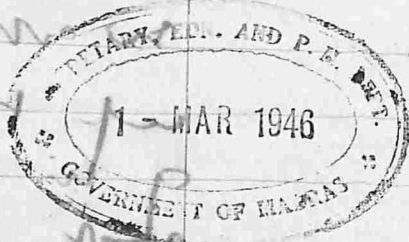
Sri P. R. K. Same B.A.
Garden club
Pambore

W2 Please see the S. G. P. i
end are referred to the
representation of the Services
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A4 may see.

JP
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