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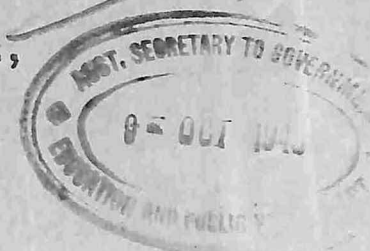
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CIVIL ORPHAN ASYLUMS,
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Dated 6th October 1948

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George,
Madras 9.



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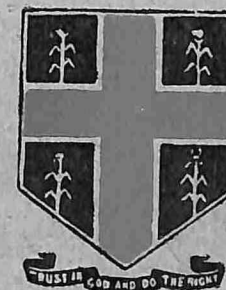
I have the honour, by the desire of the Directors of the Madras Civil Orphan Asylums, to submit their Annual Report on the operation of these institutions for the year 1947-48 and to request that Government will please sanction the payment of the annual donation of Rs.1.200/- in accordance with G.O. No. 101 dated 30th March 1874.

The payment, last year, was sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 942 Education dated 21st April 1948.

Yours faithfully,

Sent 5 copies
of the Annual Report.

Principal.



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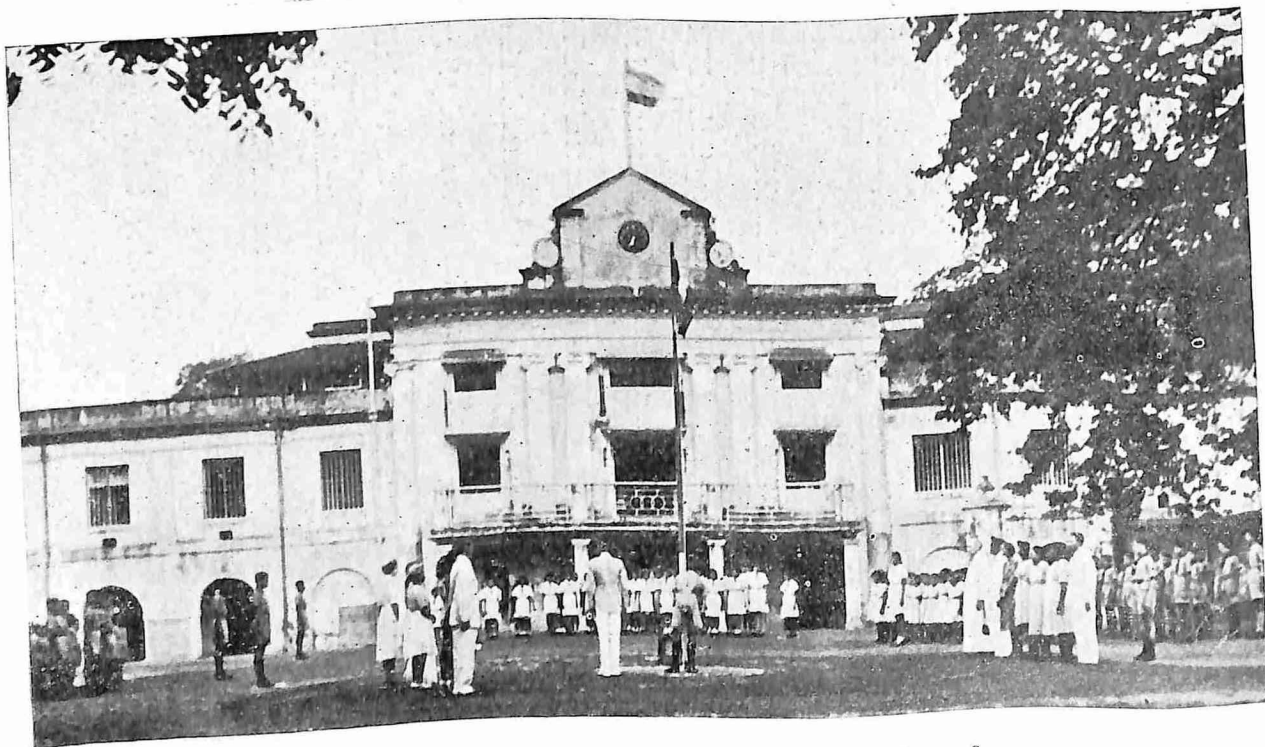
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THE MADRAS CIVIL ORPHAN ASYLUMS

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THE VENERABLE THE ARCHDEACON AND THE
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THROUGHOUT THE DIOCESE,

AND

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AND

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(Amalgamated February 28th, 1928)

PATRONESS :

Lady Nye

DIRECTORS FOR 1947-1948

President

The Right Rev. The Lord Bishop of Madras

Ex-Officio Vice-President

The Venerable the Archdeacon | The Garrison Chaplain

Ex-Officio Directors :

The Garrison Chaplain | The Superintendent, Government
Ophthalmic Hospital

Government Directors :

Mr. A. Lepper | Sri Rao Sahib S. Balasubramaniam

Elected Directors :

Mr. S. Ramsay Unger	Mr. C. E. Holland
" D. E. Nurse	" S. Chase
" L. D. Miller	" C. Conran
" T. E. Axford	" E. Brambleby
" N. S. Tremenhoe	" C. H. Marshall
Lt.-Col. J. M. Skinner	Rev. R. L. Watson
Mr. W. N. Stirling	

Representatives Madras Masonic Institution :

Mr. C. J. England

Railway Directors :

Representative, M. & S. M.Ry.	Representative, S. I. Ry.
Mr. T. J. Ryan	The District Traffic Superintendent, S. I. Ry. Egmore

Representative of Mercantile Business Firms or Companies :

Mr. T. G. Armstrong (Parry & Co) : Vacant (Binny & Co.) :
Vacant (Best & Co.)

Directresses :

Mrs. Hollis	Miss M. Greenwell
" S. Ramsay Unger	Deaconess Tattersall
" T. G. Armstrong	(G. O. R. Representative)
Miss D. M. Pearson	

Members of the Staff on March 31st, 1948

Rev. E. J. M. Wyld, M.A. (Principal)
Mr. H. N. Parrie, B.A., L.T. (Headmaster)

Educational

Mr. W. J. Satur, B.A., L.T.	.. Assistant.
Mr. B. W. Fowler	.. "
Miss D. Ramsbotham	.. "
Miss D. Irwin	.. "
Miss I. Joseph	.. "
Miss H. Pacheco	.. "
Mrs. D. Staggs	.. "
Mrs. C. Sheriff	.. "
Mrs. K. Maynard	.. Needlework and Domestic Science Mistress.
Mr. K. Ramanathaiyer	.. Asst. for Tamil.

Domestic

Mrs. K. Maynard	.. Lady Superintendent.
Mr. C. E. Fritchley	.. Sergeant and Bandmaster.
Mr. J. V. Fearnside	.. Sergeant.
Mrs. M. Blades	.. Matron and Junior House Mistress.
Miss E. M. Barnctt	.. Matron.
Mrs. K. Nazione	.. Hospital Nurse.

Office

Rev. E. J. M. Wyld, M.A.	.. Secretary and Correspondent.
Mr. S. Chase	.. Honorary Treasurer.
Mr. R. Kunjithapatham	.. Clerk.
Mr. A. C. Krishnarajan	.. "

To

THE PRINCIPAL,
MADRAS CIVIL ORPHAN ASYLUMS,
KILPAUK, MADRAS (SOUTH INDIA)

SUBSCRIPTION

I agree to subscribe Rs.....per month
to the C.O.A. Funds and wish the peon to call.
will send by post.

(Signed)

(Address)

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DONATION

I herewith send Rs.....as a donation to the
C.O.A. Funds.

(Signed)

(Address)

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Detach this slip and send to the Principal.

[P.T.O.]

To

THE.....BANK

Please credit the account of the Madras Civil Orphan Asylums at the Imperial Bank of India, Madras, with the sum of Rs.....^{monthly}_{quarterly}_{annually} and debit my account.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed)

(Address)

HISTORY OF THE SCHOOL

The history of the school as at present constituted resolves itself into the histories of four different institutions, namely St. Mary's Church Charity School, the Madras Male and Female Orphan Asylums, the Waltair Orphan Asylum and the Gordon Orphan Refuge.

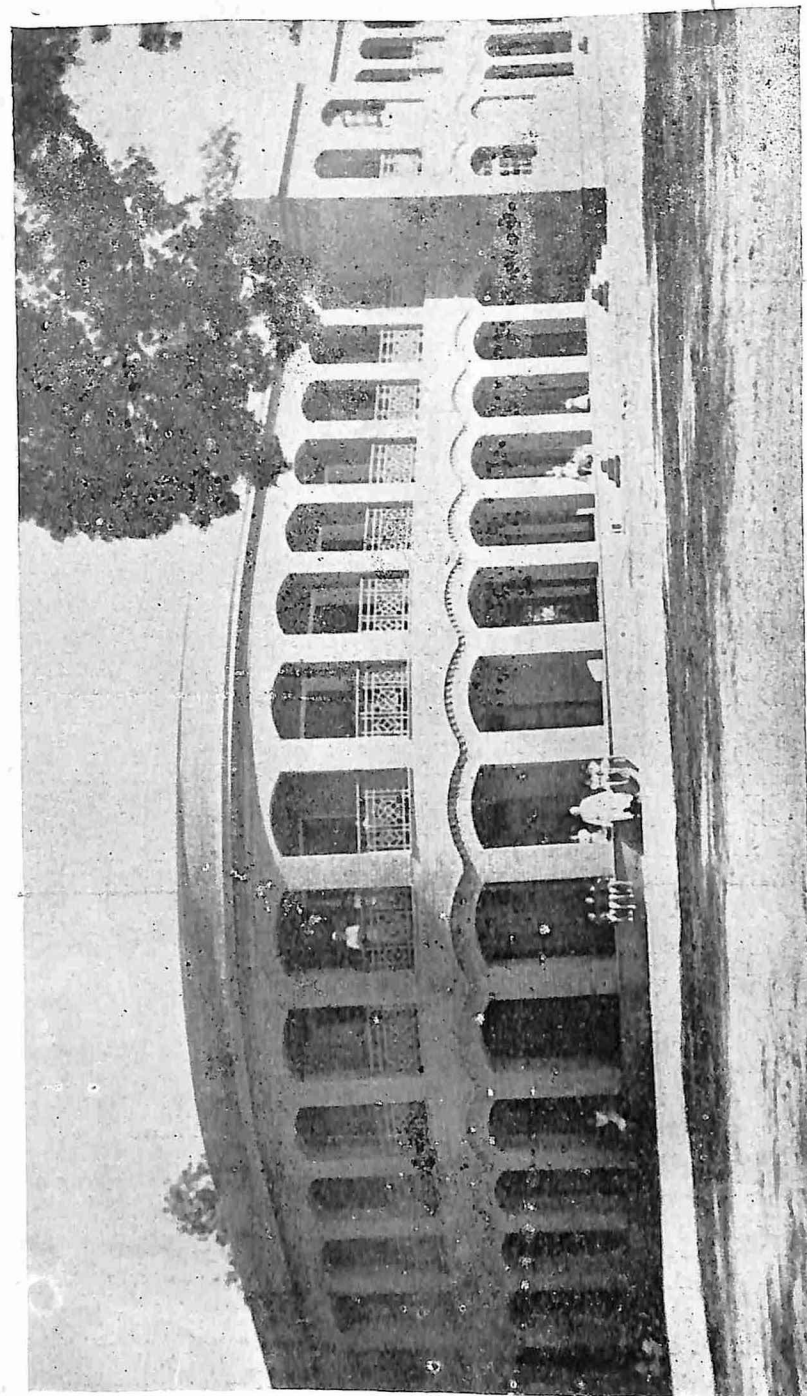
St. Mary's Church Charity School, which, it is believed, is the first educational institution to be founded by the Church of England in India, now the Church of India, Burma and Ceylon, was started in 1715 by the Reverend W. Stevenson, Chaplain of Fort St. George, for the board and education of British Anglo-Indian children. It was built on the island west of the Fort, and the Governor Thomas Pitt, grandfather of the Earl of Chatham, gave 5,000 Pagodas towards its cost from the sale of the Jersey House. The school started with thirty children but the number subsequently increased to fifty. Through the care of the headmaster, Mr. Hubbard, it survived the two years from 1746 to 1748 when the Fort was in possession of the French. The Governing Body was St. Mary's Vestry: the Governor attended its meetings so that we find in the Minute Books the names of eminent men such as Clive, Warren Hastings, Lawrence and Wellesley. The school remained on its original site till 1871 when it was amalgamated with the Male and Female Orphan Asylums, which on the transference of the Military Male Asylum to Lovedale, moved to the site of that school at the old Redoubt, Egmore. The connection of the Civil Orphan Asylums with St. Mary's parish has been maintained ever since. The terms of the amalgamation state that the chaplain of St. Mary's should be the spiritual head of the combined institution, which he still is if the Principal is not ordained: that he should be a member of the Board of Directors: that he should pay Rs. 6754 annually out of the accumulated capital fund of St. Mary's Church, and that the boys of the school should form the choir, the cost of transport being met by the Commander-in-Chief. The Civil Orphan Asylums also, as part of the terms of the gift, took over from the Military Asylum fifteen boys who could not go to Ootacamund.

The Male and Female Orphan Asylums were founded in 1807 and 1810 respectively through the influence of the Reverend Dr. Kerr of Black Town Chapel. The school was originally in North Black Town, and was supported by a number of subscribers who elected Directors from their number: they constituted the first Board of Directors of this school. The school was founded for children of European descent who were not eligible for admission to the Military Asylums. In 1815 and 1823 substantial buildings

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were erected, and the foundation stones were laid with Masonic observances. These stones are now placed in the girls' dining hall, and they bear the names of the first twenty Directors. Thus was started the connection of the school with the Freemasons. The Madras Masonic Institution still gives a substantial annual grant, and in 1940 the corner stone of the Junior House was laid with Masonic rites. The Male and Female Asylums had considerable capital including a large bequest from Mr. Gericke, a famous missionary, and from time to time received donations from the Woolley Fund, a fund given to Government for the education and maintenance of children of distressed Europeans. In return for these grants the school undertook the support of an additional thirty-six children, a number which was reduced in 1876 to thirty. Government also ruled in 1851 that two Directors should be appointed by them, and ever since the two Government Directors on the Board have been responsible to Government for the proper administration of the Woolley Fund money held by the school. By 1867 the number of children had increased to seventy-five boys and sixty-five girls and the Directors complained that the buildings in Black Town were totally inadequate. It was probably in response to this representation that Government conceived the idea of transferring the Military Male Asylum to Lovedale, there to be amalgamated with the Lawrence Asylum, Ootacamund, and handing over its site at the Old Redoubt, Egmore, to the Directors. The Old Redoubt which was on the present site of Egmore Station, was built in 1711 as an outpost of Fort St. George but had been used as a school since 1782. The move to Egmore took place in 1872. The buildings at Black Town and a portion of the site of Egmore were sold and after meeting the cost of certain alterations to buildings, the balance was invested. The school was at the same time amalgamated with St. Mary's Charity School, and thereafter the combined institutions adopted the present name, the Civil Orphan Asylums. In 1894 the Government closed the Waltair Orphan Asylum, and transferred its fifteen children to this school taking the endowment of Rs. 23,442, and paying the school Rs. 15 a month for each child.

The next important event in the history of the school was its move to the present site at Kilpauk in 1904. The Military Female Orphan Asylum had started in a house in Chintadripet presented by the Nawab of the Carnatic. In 1872 they purchased the Kilpauk site for Rs. 19,750. A house on the site had been known as Conway House, and it is interesting that people in the neighbourhood still know the school as "Conway School". In 1903 the South Indian Railway decided to rebuild and extend Egmore Station, and wanted to acquire the land on which the School stood. The Directors were proposing to purchase Church Park when the Government



JUNIOR HOUSE



SCHOOL CHAPEL

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 intervened, as they were considering the transfer of the Military Female Orphan Asylum to Lovedale. That transfer took place in the following year and the site, 380 grounds or approximately 21 acres, was handed over to the Directors of the Civil Orphan Asylums on condition that they admitted thirty girls who could not be sent to Lovedale, and that they maintained thirty extra girls in perpetuity. The Directors were able to do this by investing the sale proceeds of the Egmore site amounting to Rs. 2,03,328.

The last addition was in 1928, that of the children belonging to Mrs. Gordon's Orphan Refuge. This institution was founded by Mrs. W. A. Morehead in 1860, and was intended for European and Anglo-Indian children who were not eligible for admission either to the Civil or Military Asylums. Mrs. Morehead raised sufficient funds to purchase a building in San Thome, and in 1872 Mrs. Gordon of St. Thomas' Mount endowed the institution with Rs. 13,700 on condition that it was named after her. After Mrs. Morehead's death the Refuge was in charge of Mrs. Alice Firth until she died in 1928. The thirty girls in school were then transferred to the Civil Orphan Asylums, together with the funded capital, which after the sale of the buildings amounted to Rs. 52,400. The President and one other member of the Refuge Committee became members of the Board of Directors, and the two Gordon Orphan representatives now on the Board have the right to nominate twenty children in the school.

The present school chapel was taken over from the Military Female Asylum : it was built in 1883 and dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Various additions and improvements, in most cases with the assistance of Government, have been made to the site since it was occupied in 1904. In 1915 the Principal's bungalow and the class room block were constructed at a cost of Rs. 46,910. They were blessed by the Bishop of Madras on March 4th, and opened by His Excellency Lord Pentland on the following day. In 1936 the nave of the chapel was extended, and a new vestry added at a cost of Rs. 7,900. This extension was dedicated on February 4th 1937. Two additional class rooms were added in 1938, and in 1940 the Junior House constructed at a cost of Rs. 64,723. The Corner Stone was laid with full Masonic rites in the presence of His Excellency the Governor and the Lady Marjorie Erskine on October 8th. The Domestic Science room was reconstructed during the same year. In 1944 the Government alienated to the Directors six acres of vacant land on the north side of the compound. This will provide the extra playing ground space which would be necessitated by the construction of another house which is now being erected.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

General

We are publishing this year one consolidated statement of receipts and expenses, instead of the usual two sets of accounts, the Financial Statement in the Government pro-forma, and the Management Statement in the Government pro-forma, and the Management Statement in the Government pro-forma, and the Management Statement in the Government pro-forma. We hope that this change will give subscribers a clearer picture of our financial position. It will be seen that the year closed with a deficit of Rs. 14,278. This is a smaller figure than we anticipated in the Budget, but it is serious as it follows a deficit of Rs. 17,000 odd last year. Our heaviest item of expenditure is, as always, that of boarding, under which is included the cost of food for the children and the fuel required to cook it. There is a drop of over Rs. 3,000 compared with last year but our numbers were smaller and in spite of drastic reductions in diet we are spending almost as much as before. Miss Pearson, who is the adviser to Government on nutrition, and whom we are fortunate in having as a member of our Board of Directors, has given careful consideration to this question: she has advised us that, not only should we decline to make any further cuts in food, but some already made should be restored at the earliest possible moment. Our receipts also show a decline. Both the railways have discontinued their grants which means a loss of income of Rs. 6,000 annually. All their nominees are sons or daughters of employees who died in railway service, and the Board of Directors felt that they just could not turn these orphans out of school merely because these grants have been discontinued. The number of destitution grants sanctioned by Government was reduced by thirty-two, which means a further loss of about Rs. 6,000 annually. This is the direct outcome of the present economic position of the community. The amount of each grant is the same as hitherto, but the number of grants has to be limited to the funds available. We have been advised that we shall not get any increase in this number in the coming year. Our income from subscriptions remains stable; Rs. 5,470 this year compared with Rs. 5,409 in 1946-1947.

This situation has caused much uneasiness to the Board of Directors and the Finance Committee. This is quite definitely the last year that we can continue with these deficits, and if we cannot close the gap between income and expenditure by December 1948 we shall be driven to send children away from school, and the children of the poorest parents will have to go, not the few paying boarders that we have. So far we have not gone further than give instructions to the Principal that he is not to admit any children for the rest of this year for whom less than Rs. 25 a month is paid.

The all-in-cost monthly for each child and the cost of food only for pre-war and post-war years are as under:

	All-in-cost			Cost of food		
	Rs.	As.	Ps.	Rs.	As.	Ps.
1937-1938	38	7	18	8	7	6
1946-1947	41	12	1	23	6	5
1947-1948	39	11	7	21	12	9

These figures are revealing. The cost of food has risen far more than the all-in-cost. The reason is clear. Our numbers are considerably larger today than they were in 1937-1938, and overhead charges are relatively less. The Board of Directors regard 325 as approximately the economic strength of the school. If due to financial considerations we are forced to curtail our present strength of 250 odd, the actual expenditure would be reduced but the all-in-cost for each child would rise. Apart from its intrinsic undesirability, a reduction in numbers is not an economic proposition.

That in brief is the position. There is only one solution, namely an increase in subscriptions from the present figure of Rs. 5,500 to about Rs. 20,000 odd. It is for that reason that we issued a special appeal early this year. Up to March 31st Rs. 710-8-0 of fresh money was received. We have made our needs known to the Old Students Association, to existing subscribers, to the wider public in South India, and to friends of the school in England. Mr. F. H. Wilson has kindly promised his help in this direction, and is working through the Indian Church Aid Association. The covenanted subscription scheme is available. Those in England who can help us are asked to get in touch with him at Rothesay, 7 Radlett Park Road, Radlett, Herts. Here in India our subscribers are asked please to make our needs known to their friends, and if they can see their way to do so, to increase their own contributions. A school of this type must react quickly to the economic situation. The poor we shall have always with us, but not in the present widespread dimensions: the situation calls for a very special effort over the next three or four years. We must at all cost try to avoid the awful prospect of sending deserving children away and cancelling admissions.

Building, Replacement and Extension Fund

The year opened with a balance of Rs. 13,198-15-7, and closed with a debit balance of Rs. 27,424-9-5. This is mainly due to the fact that we have earned Government Grant of Rs. 32,000 odd which was not received before March 31st. We hope to secure payment of this early in the next financial year. To meet the temporary

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financial difficulty in the fund we have borrowed Rs. 12,000 from the Diocesan Trust Association, Rs. 1,500 from the Chapel Fund and the rest has been secured by overdraft at the Bank. Construction work has been hampered by shortage of building materials, especially cement and steel. In view of this and the current high prices we have decided to stop construction temporarily at the ceiling level of the ground floor, to which stage we have now reached. We intend to instal the minimum sanitation and electric light necessary for this. We hope to complete the building within the next two years at the outside.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

I labour under the great disadvantage of having to compile a report for a year during which I was absent on leave for nearly ten months, and although Mr. Parrie has given me all the information for which I asked, and indeed has written a part himself, I naturally cannot write with that personal contact which I have had when writing previous reports. The year too has been such a memorable one, and I cannot but feel a measure of regret that after having spent over thirty years of my life in India, I should find myself away on August 15th, 1947. History must be viewed in perspective, and the present generation will not see in full measure the significance of that day. But on any reckoning one stage of India's long history has ended, and another has been born. It is our prayer that the school, now in the 233rd year of its history, will be granted the privilege of serving the new India as we believe she has, within her restricted sphere, served the old. Political independence has brought with it far-reaching changes in all spheres of national life, and not least in that of education. On the future of Anglo-Indian education, which is our more immediate concern, it is not possible to write with any degree of certainty. The reorganisation of secondary education in Indian schools is proceeding apace: that in Anglo-Indian schools has unfortunately been largely static. The adaptation of our curriculum to meet the needs of the present age has been discussed *ad nauseam* for the last ten years: frequent references to the subject in our annual reports testify to this. We hoped that all this would come to a head with the appointment of the Barne Commission by the Government of India in 1945. Its report seems to have been put into cold storage: I believe it has never been published though advance copies were sent confidentially to the heads of schools and others. The matter demands very urgent attention, particularly in schools of this type, and it looks as if we, who were one of the first in the field, will be the last at the goal. One fact however is now clear. Whilst I believe the sound principle that

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education should be in the mother tongue will be safe-guarded, in Anglo-Indian schools as in others, we shall have to give far more attention to the second language, whether that be Hindi or the regional language. I hope parents who read this report will take heed of this, and impress on their children that they have got to treat this subject with far more respect than they have done hitherto.

Side by side with problems of curriculum are those of finance. I shall not repeat here what has been written in the Finance Committee's report. It is however necessary to say that the reduction in the number of destitute certificate grants is the outcome of economic and not political changes. No Government can be expected to anticipate accurately 18 months in advance the economic state of the country, particularly during the aftermath of a world-wide war. There has been a large increase in the number of applications for these grants, and there is not the money in the budget to meet them. We are in the throes of an economic depression, and now also a period of inflation. Our waiting list of applicants for admission is always a good thermometer: there are now about 130 names. Unless we are to shut our doors to deserving applicants the school must look to a greatly increased subscription list. There is as yet no system of compulsory elementary and secondary education in India. The community is nearly cent per cent literate, and this has been achieved by voluntary Christian agency, aided by the state. The Church has always accepted the principle that the education of her sons and daughters is her financial responsibility to the extent to which the state is unable to shoulder it. We are entitled to our share of public funds; neither more or less. What is required over and above this to maintain our standard of education has to be found by the Christian community.

There have been changes on the staff during the year. On the teaching side Mr. E. Shaw and Miss Castellás left us in February to take up work in Bishop Cotton School, Nagpur. Miss Castellás has been a great asset to the Kindergarten department: being an old girl of the school she has had a very long connection here. Mr. Shaw made himself deservedly popular. Somehow I shall always connect him with our evacuated life in Coimbatore, and not the least with our departure from Madras when he spent four weary hours of his birthday, and Mr. Fritchley an equal period, though I think this was not a birthday, loading a miscellaneous collection of school property at Central Station, a job completed only ten minutes before the departure of the train. Mr. D. Shaw had unfortunately to leave us on medical grounds in March, a great disappointment after such a good record at Meston College. In their places we have welcomed Mrs. Sheriff and Mr. Satur neither of whom are strangers to the school. Mrs. Sheriff has put in several

years as headmistress of St. Matthias School, while Mr. Satur is well known to those of us who were at Coimbatore. From him we shall value in particular a wide experience of scouting, a branch of school life which would have otherwise suffered from the departure of Mr. D. Shaw. On the boarding side we were sorry to lose the services of Miss A. Barnett.

In turning to examination results we are not able to chronicle such success as was our lot last year. Nineteen were sent up for the Middle School examination of whom three passed in the second class and six in the third : the remaining ten failed though two were promoted to Standard VIII by the Inspectress, and have since joined Doveton-Corrie School. All those who passed have also joined there except one girl who has gone to Dr. Graham's Homes at Kalimpong to take the Child's Nursing course. Two of the failures are back in Standard VII this year. These results constitute a challenge to the present Standard VII and indeed to the whole middle school. Most of the failures were in Tamil, a great disappointment to Mr. Ramanatha Iyer who has such a long experience in this subject. Children have yet to learn the importance of Tamil. Of the four who appeared for the High School examination from Doveton-Corrie three passed, one in the second class and two in the third, and one failed.

The health of the children has been good though there have been anxious times as to the repercussions of a restricted diet, imposed on us partly by the rationing of cereals and partly by financial considerations. Except for a few cases of chicken pox we have been free from the ordinary infectious diseases, but scabies has taken more than its usual toll of absence from class work, particularly in the Kindergarten classes. Some cases have shown a remarkable obstinacy in responding to treatment, but the doctor's instructions to us to eliminate rice and substitute wheat were effective in most cases.

The Reverend R. L. Watson was chaplain throughout the year until my return. He also had charge of Holy Cross Church, Perambur, and Arkonam. His ministry among us has been widely appreciated and I am sure abundantly blessed. The Bishop held a Confirmation on November 11th when the unusually large number of 42 candidates was presented. The work of preparation was done by the chaplain and Mrs. Maynard. The size of the congregation taxed the seating capacity of the Chapel to the utmost. This was the first Confirmation in the Chapel since the inauguration of the Church of South India. Miss Edmonds continued to give her valuable help with Kindergarten services on Sunday mornings. We have plans for the extension of the nave and for the erection of a side chapel, the latter made possible by the handsome donation

from Mrs. Harper to which reference was made in the last report. It has not been possible as yet to implement either of these schemes owing to scarcity of building materials and the high prevailing prices.

Building work has also been held up on the new house. The Board of Directors decided temporarily to suspend construction now that the ground floor has been completed. It is hoped to complete the building within the next two years at the outside. This decision was forced on us through the difficulty of obtaining cement and steel in the requisite quantities, also through high prices which rendered nugatory estimates which were prepared two or three years ago. The house cannot therefore at present be used for the purpose for which it was intended, namely to accommodate children between the ages of 9 and 12. We hope however to occupy it temporarily with about 40 senior boys and one member of the staff. The enclosure of the new playground, about six acres of land which was alienated to us by Government in 1944, is being put in hand immediately. Cattle roam over it at will, and until it is fenced in, we cannot get the surface fit for use. We hope the ground will be in regular use by next January.

We held our first post-war Prize Distribution on July 31st. The late Hon'ble Mr. Daniel Thomas gave away the prizes in the presence of a large group of Directors, parents and friends. The short concert contained two items of unusual interest, a Tamil play produced by Mr. Ramanatha Iyer and a short drama written and produced by Mr. D. Shaw. We have decided in future to hold a public prize distribution once in two years.

On August 15th the school assembled to hoist the flag of the New Indian Dominion. We were in fact paying allegiance to new national ideals and a new out-look. After a celebration of the Holy Eucharist we gathered at the flagstaff. In the absence of Mr. Parrie who was on a sick bed the Reverend R. L. Watson took the salute at the march past. On the next day the upper school participated in a rally of children at Doveton-Corrie School, whilst the lower school were entertained by the staff to informal sports and a treat. Our thanks are due to Mr. A. N. Subramanian, the proprietor of a shop outside the school, who supplied us with free iced drinks, a happy sign of inter-communal goodwill.

In sports and games we were handicapped through lack of a full-sized ground, and for most of the time had recourse to the small field on the girls' side. The four members of the staff mainly concerned, Mr. E. Shaw, Mr. B. Fowler, Miss Irwin, and Miss Ramsbotham managed to carry through a full programme in spite of this. The boys won the shield in the inter-school Hockey sub-

junior tournament and the girls were runners-up in the Net-ball for Division B. The Sports meet, the first since we returned from Coimbatore, was held on October 28th and was attended by some of the Directors and a large number of old boys and girls and parents. Willingdon House carried off the championship for the girls, but there was keen competition among the boys, resulting in a draw between Clive and Hardinge. Clara McCoy, an outstanding athlete, won the individual championship among the girls, and Noel Thomas that for the boys. Cricket was abandoned, partly because of the high cost of gear, and partly through lack of an adequate field.

Mr. D. Shaw continued his good work for the scouts. A week-end camp at Tambaram was followed up by ten days in the hills where they were the guests of Mr. F. H. Oakley at Wyadra, Kodai-kanal. The funds for this they earned for themselves by staging a really good concert at the Museum Theatre on September 5th. One boy Stanley Joseph, the troop leader, won the annual Ever-sleigh scout prize. With the departure of Mr. Shaw, Mr. W. J. Satur enthusiastically assumed the scout mastership. Kim, as he is affectionately known to all the children, looks forward to a year of keen scouting.

The Guides remained leaderless until late this year when we were lucky in securing the services of Mrs. Le Fevre as Guide Captain. She has other Guide duties but in her enthusiasm finds time to come here every week.

The school band continues to make progress under the guidance of Mr. Fritchley in spite of the short time at their disposal for practice. They were much sought after by the A.I.R. Madras during the Children's Hour. They performed with signal success at our Prize Distribution, at the Scouts Concert, at the Museum Theatre, at the Independence Day celebrations of the Anglo-Indian Association, and at the fete organised also by that Association. The problem of fitting band practices into the daily time table is a real one, and many calls on their services were refused through inadequate time for practice.

Two conferences were held in the school during the Christmas holidays, the first meeting of the Diocesan Council of the newly formed Madras Diocese, for which we had to accommodate about 70 people, and the annual meeting of the heads of Anglo-Indian schools, this being an All-India organisation. The school is becoming popular, perhaps too popular, as a conference centre. Whilst it is a privilege to be able to put our buildings and equipment at the disposal of others in this way, we shall have to ask any future applicants to arrange such meetings at an earlier date so as to render possible the reopening of the school at approximately the normal date.

We record with pleasure the activities of the Old Students' Association, a loyal band of old boys and girls, and especially members of the Executive Committee. The Association met twice at the school, on the last day of the first term, and on Old Students' Day, October 28th. On both occasions the attendance was good. In view of the drive for extra financial assistance the Committee met monthly. They conducted a dance in aid of the school funds, and they are planning a concert later this year. The Association meets again on Saturday October 30th to repeat their performance of running the school sports, and to hold their annual meeting. If any readers are eligible for membership, come and join: you will be warmed by enthusiasm and good fellowship.

It may seem presumptuous to refer to individuals from among so many who have helped toward the work. Mr. Parrie and I would however mention two such from outside the school. Miss Pearson has throughout the year given us constant advice in matters concerning diet. As Adviser to the Government of Madras on nutrition, she has, in addition to her wide knowledge of the subject, a first hand experience of experiments which are being made in the Presidency. Her advice has enabled the Board of Directors to make best use of the funds at its disposal. Colonel Ford Thompson is the Advisor to the Government on Child Psychology. We are deeply indebted to him for his lectures to the staff, and for his work among a special group of children.

We render our sincere thanks to our colleagues on the staff who amongst other things have rendered no small financial assistance by shouldering among themselves one teacher's work and one matron's work, for our strength has been reduced by two during the year, one on the teaching side and the other on the boarding. Financial stringency has made itself felt at all levels of school work, and in all departments, and this factor has added to our work in innumerable ways. We hope that our colleagues will accept this reference as a token of appreciation from us and the Management.

The personnel of the Board of Directors has undergone radical change during the past two years, largely though by no means entirely due to the departure of so many of the European community. We owe an incalculable amount to these people, particularly in recent years when the administrative work has been heavy. I mention by name three recent departures who have rendered us service over a long period: Sir D. N. Strathie, Colonel J. M. Skinner and Mr. F. H. Wilson. The last named is still working on our behalf by bringing our needs before our many friends who have returned to England.

This report has been composed jointly by Mr. Parrie and myself,

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and we hope our identity has been reasonably concealed. I cannot end without paying my personal tribute to his work during my absence on leave. The year has been abnormal in more ways than one, and an acting Principal must always be working under a handicap. He had not, it should be remembered, the services of a Headmaster as I have always had, and apart from the Chaplaincy the whole responsibility was his. He has rendered us great service in a period of much uncertainty and anxiety.

We acknowledge with thanks the following gifts:

Books: The Christian Literature Society for India, Holy Cross Church, Perambur; Miss Bazely, Mrs. Cook, Miss I. Edmonds, Mrs. Murphy, and the late Madras Guards.

Clothing: Miss Parry

Blanket: Mrs. Brambleby

Band Instrument: M. & S.M. Rifles

Pump: Mr. W. N. Stirling

Cakes etc.: All India Anglo-Indian Association, Madras Branch, Mr. A. N. Subramanian

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT

During the year under review April 1947 to March 1948, the largest number of cases treated in this hospital were those of fevers. 17 cases of chickenpox were treated and were kept in the isolation sheds and 49 cases of scabies were also treated.

Altogether 16 rather serious cases were admitted into the Government General Hospital—11 as in-patients and 5 as out-patients. These have recovered.

Prevalence of scabies I think was mainly due to the variegated and bad quality of rice that was available in the ration shops. I offered a suggestion to the Principal that a change of diet at least once in a day might improve the health of children and advised wheat diet. The Principal was good enough to give effect to this suggestion and soon a very appreciable improvement was noticed.

All other cases of ailments were treated in this hospital with satisfactory results.

The whole staff including the servants and all school children were revaccinated and T.A.B. and Cholera inoculation were also given.

The general health of children in the school has been satisfactory and such of those who were found illnourished were put on extra diet and cod liver oil and these improved under treatment.

MOHAMMED AUZAM
Medical Officer

STATISTICS

Number on Rolls on { 1st April 1947 169 Boys
31st March 1948 157 Girls

BOYS' SCHOOL

GIRLS' SCHOOL

Classification	Number on rolls on 1st April 1947	Admissions		Withdrawals		Number on rolls on 31st March 1948	Number on rolls on 1st April 1947	Admissions		Withdrawals		Number on rolls on 31st March 1948
		New pupils	Transferred from other classifications	Withdrawn	Transferred to other classifications			New pupils	Transferred from other classifications	Withdrawn	Transferred to other classifications	
<i>Free Boarders:</i>												
Foundation . . .	50	8	1	8	..	51	32	8	..	7	..	33
Woolley's Bequest . . .	12	..	..	2	..	10	7	..	..	..	..	7
St. Mary's Charity . . .	11	..	..	1	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gordon Orphans . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	..	..	2	..	18
Masonic . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
M. & S. M. Railway Nominees . . .	7	..	..	1	..	6	5	..	..	1	..	4
S. I. Railway Nominees . . .	3	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	1	..	..
Paying Boarders . . .	86	9	..	17	..	78	50	5	..	13	..	42
Total ..	169	17	1	29	1	157	115	13	..	24	..	104

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MANAGEMENT AND

STATEMENT SHOWING RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE

RECEIPTS	RS	A	P	RS	A	P
<i>Government Grants—</i>						
Boarding	34,589	0	0			
Teaching	10,000	0	0			
Equipment	222	0	0			
Class Books	334	0	0			
Dearness Allowance	4,269	0	0			
<i>Fees—</i>				49,414	0	0
Boarding	16,546	2	0			
Clothing	1,483	0	0			
Private Tuition	59	8	0			
<i>Interest from Endowments—</i>				18,088	10	0
Civil Orphan Asylums	20,198	6	6			
Gordon Orphan Refuge	3,074	9	0			
Rowland Maiden Prizes	202	8	0			
	28	0	0			
<i>Contributions—</i>				23,503	7	6
St. Marys	5,220	0	0			
Masonic Institution	1,800	0	0			
M. & S. M. Railway	4,800	0	0			
S. I. Railway	1,375	8	0			
Passage Fund	1,931	1	8			
Rev. E. J. M. Wyld	2,312	6	0			
Ex-Services Association	180	0	0			
<i>Subscriptions and Donations</i>				17,618	15	8
Sales				5,470	9	9
Fines				57	14	0
T. R. F. Lapsed contributions				16	4	0
Crockery replacement				75	9	8
Securities Sales proceeds				7	14	0
Excess of expenses over receipts				166	9	11
				14,278	8	5
Total ..				1,28,698	6	11

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SCHOOL ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1948

EXPENSES	RS	A	P
Salaries	36,453	7	9
Chaplain's salary	1,434	6	0
Allowances—Dearness	9,463	2	0
—Others	623	0	0
Boarding	54,433	5	1
Clothing	2,320	2	5
Equipment	42	11	9
Games	710	12	0
Class Books	5,222	1	9
Handicraft	874	15	8
Scouts and Guides	120	6	6
Library and Reading Room	211	10	3
Prizes	201	5	3
Band	174	8	0
Hospital	1,196	7	6
Conveyance	226	2	6
Teachers' Retiring Fund	658	5	0
Government Provident Fund	628	13	0
Taxes	1,784	8	10
Repairs to Buildings	819	0	0
Stationery	263	6	0
Printing	264	12	6
Postage	386	13	0
Uniform Allowance	125	0	0
Telephone	353	3	0
Electric Supply and Fittings	1,710	9	2
Repairs to furniture	273	14	9
Miscellaneous	77	2	3
Boarding House Contingencies	2,246	14	0
Interest on Overdraft	339	1	0
Bank Charges	25	8	6
Apprentices	386	4	6
Books	54	7	0
Examination Fees	240	0	0
High School Charges	1,780	10	9
Administration Charges	152	7	0
Pocket Money	448	9	0
Pension Fund	130	0	0
Staff Mess	1,040	15	0
Roze Estate	269	0	0
Special Appeal	497	10	3
Prizes	33	0	0
Total ..	1,28,698	6	11

ROZE CHILDREN'S DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1948

RECEIPTS	RS	A	P	EXPENDITURE	RS	A	P
Balance on 1st April 1947	588	0	0	Boarding fees and High School charges	269	0	0
				Balance on 31-3-48	319	0	0
Total	588	0	0	Total	588	0	0

LOANS AND ADVANCES AND DEPOSIT ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1947-48

RECEIPTS	RS	A	P	EXPENDITURE	RS	A	P
Apprentice Fund	420	0	0	Loan's advanced	1,800	0	1
Endowment fund subscription	66	0	0	Principal's Imprest	1,000	0	0
<i>Suspense Account—</i>				European Schools Improvement Association	381	10	0
Madras Guards A.F.I. pending investment	7,203	5	3	Balance on 31st March 1948	24,852	1	6
Late Mrs. Rebeiro's estate pending investment	3,500	0	0				
Dueman deposit account	2,000	0	0				
European Schools Improvement Association	130	0	0				
Interest on deposit of contractor	51	13	0				
Loan from Madras Diocesan Trust Association	12,000	0	0				
" " Chapel Fund	1,500	0	0				
Loans refunded	1,162	9	4				
Total	28,033	11	7	Total	28,033	11	7

CIVIL ORPHAN ASYLUMS, MADRAS

STATEMENT OF CHAPEL ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1948

RECEIPTS	RS	A	P	EXPENDITURE	RS	A	P
Balance on 1st April 1947	1,256	14	2	Contributions to Diocesan Fund	300	0	0
Alms	207	6	0	Bishop's Emergency Fund	2	0	0
" Lenten Offerings	151	15	0	Diocesan Board of Missions	296	7	0
<i>Free-will Offerings—</i>				Bishop Waller Memorial Fund	30	8	0
Maintenance	161	8	0	Bible Society of India and Ceylon	30	0	0
Extension	144	8	0	Friend-in-need Society	50	0	0
Bishop Waller Memorial Fund	23	8	0	S. P. C. K.	15	0	0
Thank Offerings	18	0	0	Jerusalem and the East Mission	50	0	0
Donations	17	8	0	Blind School, Palamcottah	15	0	0
Contribution for Chapel Extension	1,245	0	0	Lady Nye Provincial Welfare Fund	50	0	0
Post Office Savings Bank interest	16	4	0	Repairs to harmonium	22	0	0
				Candles	10	1	6
				Wafers	32	13	0
				Wine	211	14	9
				Palms	6	9	0
				Printing	9	0	0
				Lamp wicks	6	3	0
				Confirmation cards	6	0	0
				Glass cruet	4	8	0
				Servers Manual	6	9	0
				Music book	4	5	4
				Plate powder	1	0	0
				Miscellaneous	0	8	0
				* Loan to the School funds	1,500	0	0
				* Balance on 31st March 1948	582	0	7
				Post Office Savings Bank account	576	15	0
				Cash	5	1	7
Total	3,242	7	2	Total	3,242	7	2

* Of this balance Rs. 1,693-14-6 is earmarked for the extension of the Chapel.

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PRINCIPAL'S PASSAGE FUND ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1948

RECEIPTS	RS	A	P	EXPENDITURE	RS	A	P
Balance on 1st April 1947 in the Savings Bank a/c with the Imperial Bank of India, Madras ..	2,651	2	2	Furlough pay and expenses for Rev. E. J. M. Wyld ..	3,788	0	0
In Government Securities	1,800	0	0	Balance on 31st March 1948 Savings Bank account.	2,749	13	2
Interest on securities	71	8	0	Government securities	1,800	0	0
Interest on Savings Bank Account. ..	27	3	0				
Contribution for the year	720	0	0				
Balance due to the Madras Diocesan Trust Association as on 31-3-48	3,068	0	0				
Total ..	8,337	13	2	Total ..	8,337	13	2

BUILDING, REPLACEMENT AND EXTENSION FUND

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT FOR 1947-48

RECEIPTS	RS	A	P	EXPENDITURE	RS	A	P
Balance on 1st April 1947	13,198	15	7	Intermediate House : For construction work :			
Interim grant for Intermediate House—European Schools Improvement Association ..	25,700	0	0	Mr. K. S. Venkataraman ..	47,258	0	0
Sale of old motor	300	0	0	Gannon Dunkerley & Co. ..	8,035	7	0
Debit balance on 31st March 1948 ..	27,424	9	5	Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. ..	2,800	0	0
				Engineer's fees-part payment ..	1,500	0	0
				Supervisor's salary ..	2,250	0	0
				Bakery—Blue print plans ..			
				Repairs and replacements due to Military occupation—			
				Well pump—Binny & Co. Ltd. ..	1,400	0	0
				Mr. Doraivelu for repairs ..	2,762	0	0
				Abbas Bros.—repairs to Sergeants' quarters ..	593	2	0
Total ..	66,623	9	0	Total ..	66,623	9	0

CIVIL ORPHAN ASYLUMS, MADRAS

STATEMENT OF BAND FUND ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1948

RECEIPTS			RS	A	P	EXPENDITURE			RS	A	P
Balance on 1st April 1947	..	..	141	0	0	Purchase of band instruments	..	..	120	0	0
Subscriptions	..	..	12	0	0						
Donation	..	..	200	0	0	Balance on 31st March 1948	..	..	516	0	0
Hire of instrument	..	..	173	0	0						
Sale of instrument	..	..	110	0	0						
Total	..	..	636	0	0	Total	..	..	636	0	0

CIVIL ORPHAN ASYLUMS, MADRAS

CHRISTMAS FUND ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1948

RECEIPTS			RS	A	P	EXPENDITURE			RS	A	P
Subscriptions	..	..	517	2	0	Outings	..	..	43	4	3
Amount from Principal's Fund	..	..	180	2	6	Christmas gifts	..	..	250	3	0
						Cash presents	..	..	127	0	0
						Christmas and New Year dinner and tea	..	..	276	13	3
Total	..	..	697	4	6	Total	..	..	697	4	6

PRINCIPAL'S FUND ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS			RS	A	P	EXPENDITURE			RS	A	P
Balance on 1st April 1947	..	..	76	6	2	Outings	..	..	105	3	9
Donations	..	..	780	14	4	Pictures	..	..	225	11	0
Old Students' Association—Deposit	..	..	683	6	8	Entertainments	..	..	45	12	0
Savings Bank Interests	..	..	6	1	0	Games and books	..	..	40	11	3
Miscellaneous	..	..	60	5	3	Prizes	..	..	7	0	0
						Sweets	..	..	57	3	0
						Independence Day flags	..	..	37	8	0
						Contribution to Christmas Fund to meet the deficit	..	..	180	2	6
						Temporary advance for games articles	..	..	167	0	0
						Balance on 31st March 1948	..	..	740	13	11
Total	..	..	1,607	1	5	Total	..	..	1,607	1	5

LIST OF

Description	Loan	Amount		
		RS	A	P
<i>C. O. A. Endowments—</i>				
Conversion Loan ..	3% 1946	64,000	0	0
Government of India Bonds ..	4% 1960-70	2,25,800	0	0
" " " " ..	3% 1970-75	31,400	0	0
Madras Municipal Debentures ..	4% 1902	28,400	0	0
" " " " ..	4% 1899	13,000	0	0
" " " " ..	6% 1924-25	3,700	0	0
Government of India Bonds ..	4% 1960-70	18,050	0	0
" " " " ..	4½% 1955-60	3,600	0	0
<i>Woolley's Bequest—</i>				
Conversion Loan ..	3% 1946	68,800	0	0
<i>De Monte's Estate—</i> ..	(Interest only)			
<i>Millet's Legacy—</i>				
Conversion Loan ..	3% 1946	104	0	0
Government of India Bonds ..	4% 1960-70	6,554	0	0
<i>Irene Waller's Bequest—</i>				
Government of India Bonds ..	4% 1960-70	5,000	0	0
<i>Rowland Maiden Endowment—</i>				
Conversion Loan ..	3% 1946	8,000	0	0
<i>Mrs. Harper's Chapel Fund—</i>				
Government of India Bonds ..	4% 1960-70	8,000	0	0
<i>Prize Endowment—</i>				
Conversion Loan ..	3% 1946	1,100	0	0
<i>Meyer's Children Trust Fund—</i>				
Post Office Savings Bank a/c Kilpauk P.O. ..		121	8	0
<i>Teachers' Retiring Fund—</i>				
Government of India Bonds ..	2½% 1962	500	0	0
" " " " ..	4% 1960-70	4,600	0	0
Victory Loan ..	3% 1957	1,000	0	0
<i>Principal's Passage Fund—</i>				
Government of India Bonds ..	4% 1960-70	1,800	0	0
<i>Gordon Orphan Refuge—</i>				
Conversion Loan ..	3% 1946	10,900	0	0
Government of India Bonds ..	4% 1960-70	100	0	0
" " " " ..	4½% 1955-60	41,400	0	0
<i>Contractor Deposit—</i>				
Conversion Loan ..	3% 1946	3,000	0	0
Madras Loan ..	3% 1953-55	5,000	0	0
Total ..		5,53,800	8	0

SECURITIES

Amount of half-yearly interest	Name of Holder	Date of Interest	
		RS	A P
960 0 0	Treasurer, Charitable Endows.	16th March and 16th Sep.	
4,516 0 0	" " "	Do do	
471 0 0	" " "	16th April and 16th October	
568 0 0	" " "	16th March and 16th Sep.	
260 0 0	" " "	16th January and 16th July	
111 0 0	Imperial Bank of India	16th March and 16th Sep.	
361 0 0	" " "	Do do	
81 0 0	" " "	Do do	
1,032 0 0	Accountant-General	Do do	
63 12 0	Diocese of San Thomé	Do do	
1 8 0	Imperial Bank of India	Do do	
131 0 0	" " "	Do do	
100 0 0	" " "	Do do	
120 0 0	" " "	Do do	
160 0 0	" " "	Do do	
16 8 0	" " "	Do do	
	Principal C. O. A.		
6 14 0	Imperial Bank of India	16th May and 16th November	
92 0 0	" " "	16th March and 16th Sep.	
15 0 0	" " "	1st March and 1st September	
36 0 0	" " "	16th March and 16th Sep.	
163 8 0	" " "	Do do	
2 0 0	" " "	Do do	
931 8 0	" " "	Do do	
45 0 0	" " "	Do do	
75 0 0	" " "	16th January and 16th July	

Subscriptions and Donations received during 1947-1948

GENERAL FUNDS

	RS	A	P		RS	A	P
Adie, Miss A. ..	23	0	0	Doyle, Mr. P. W. A. ..	10	0	0
Adyar Club ..	67	0	0	Douglass, Mr. R. W. ..	25	0	0
Anglo-Indian Association, Simla Branch ..	250	0	0	Drayton, Miss ..	10	0	0
Anglo-Indian Association, Madras Branch ..	280	0	0	D'Waltz, Mrs. V. E. ..	15	0	0
Allan, Mr. R. ..	37	0	0	Edge, Miss E. ..	9	8	0
All Souls' Church, Coimbatore ..	60	6	0	Edmonds, Mr. A. J. ..	3	0	0
Aldridge, Mr. I. N. ..	5	0	0	Elphick, Mr. E. C. ..	20	0	0
Anonymous ..	22	8	0	Empson, Rev. A. H. ..	100	0	0
" ..	15	0	0	Evans, Mr. B. C. ..	5	0	0
" ..	11	8	0	Fernandez, D. ..	5	0	0
" ..	20	0	0	Fernandez, H. ..	5	0	0
Arathoon, Mr. R. ..	2	0	0	Fitzgerald, Mr. P. ..	10	0	0
Armstrong, Mr. T. G. ..	20	0	0	Firth, Mr. G. W. ..	100	0	0
Axford, Mr. T. E. ..	25	0	0	Floate, Mr. E. C. ..	15	0	0
Ballantyne, Mr. T. W. ..	5	0	0	Gaudoin, Mr. E. T. C. ..	12	0	0
Best & Company ..	50	0	0	Gabriel, Mr. W. A. ..	15	0	0
Bird, Miss J. ..	30	0	0	Governor of Madras, H. E. The ..	300	0	0
Bird, Mr. C. J. ..	5	0	0	Hardy, Miss A. B. ..	10	0	0
Bird, Mr. E. J. ..	3	0	0	Heathcote, Mr. J. ..	2	0	0
Binny & Company ..	250	0	0	Henderson, Miss B. R. ..	20	0	0
Bishop and Mrs. Hollis ..	50	0	0	Hesterlow, Mrs. F. M. ..	61	0	0
Blazey, Mr. J. ..	12	0	0	Hiscox, Mr. H. ..	5	0	0
Boldero, Miss E. ..	33	5	4	Higginson, Mr. J. R. ..	30	0	0
Brown, Mrs. M. J. ..	5	0	0	Holy Trinity Church ..	40	0	0
Brambleby, Mrs. E. ..	36	0	0	Huffton, Mr. H. W. ..	12	0	0
Burmah Shell Company Ltd. ..	100	0	0	Haliburn, Mrs. O. C. ..	5	0	0
Cashmore, Mrs. F. ..	36	0	0	Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd. ..	30	0	0
Calval, Mr. C. ..	30	0	0	Jacob, Mr. C. L. ..	10	0	0
Chase, Mr. S. ..	30	0	0	Johnson, Miss P. N. ..	31	0	0
Chatelier, Mrs. A. ..	5	0	0	Johnson, Mr. E. W. ..	6	0	0
Chelley, Mrs. L. E. ..	5	0	0	Jothimalai, Srimathi ..	25	0	0
Clerk, Mrs. G. A. ..	12	0	0	Joyce, Miss D. ..	24	0	0
Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Justice R. ..	25	0	0	Joyce, Mr. C. D. N. ..	5	0	0
Clarke, Mr. C. R. ..	30	0	0	King, Mr. A. G. ..	16	0	0
Cleure, Mrs. C. ..	5	0	0	King, Dr. Miss E. A. ..	80	0	0
Conran, Mrs. C. ..	45	0	0	Kodaikanal, St. Peter's Church ..	50	0	0
Congers, Mr. C. M. ..	5	0	0	Kolar Gold Fields, St. Michael's All Angels' Church ..	95	15	9
Cuffley, Miss N. B. ..	5	0	0	Laryanes, Dr. Mrs. ..	50	0	0
Crownshaw, Mr. C. ..	5	0	0	Lawrance, Mr. N. S. E. ..	12	0	0
Dawson, Mrs. ..	1	8	0	Lawrence, Mr. R. G. ..	5	0	0
Davis, Mr. S. G. ..	25	0	0	Leonard, Mrs. E. ..	2	0	0
D'Cruz, Mrs. P. J. ..	3	0	0	Lovacah, Mr. G. A. ..	5	0	0
D'Cruz, Mr. L. O. ..	2	0	0	Mahoney, Mr. D. P. ..	36	0	0
DeSouza, Mrs. ..	10	0	0	Martin, Mr. N. L. ..	11	0	0
Dique, Mr. G. D. ..	3	8	0	Marshall, Mr. C. H. ..	15	0	0

	RS	A	P		RS	A	P
Matthews, Mr. C. ..	2	0	0	Vepery Sunday School	40	0	0
Martin, Dr. W. S. ..	20	0	0	Vizagapatam, St. John's Church ..	120	0	0
Mainprice, Mr. C. ..	25	0	0	Watson, Rev. R. L. ..	20	0	0
Mantille, Mr. O. ..	10	0	0	Wilson, Mr. F. H. ..	50	0	0
Marcar, Mr. H. J. ..	10	0	0	Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. D. ..	20	0	0
McDermott, Mrs. E. M. ..	5	0	0	Wood, Mr. W. R. ..	20	0	0
McKertish, Mr. H. ..	20	0	0	Wonfor, Mr. H. I. ..	25	0	0
McKenzie, Mr. A. R. ..	50	0	0	Wordsworth, Mrs. E. L. ..	3	0	0
Miller, Mr. L. D. ..	30	0	0	Writer Alz ..	5	0	0
Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. ..	5	0	0	Younger, Mrs. A. for the residents of St. Thomas' Mount ..	104	0	0
Mitchell Trading Company ..	5	0	0	'Younger Memorial Public Fund,' Thorough Mr. W. Whitbread ..	75	0	0
Murray, Mr. A. J. ..	5	0	0	Total ..	5,470	9	9
Nailer, Mr. H. B. ..	12	0	0				
Nelson, Mr. C. S. ..	5	0	0				
Nuines, Mr. L. ..	5	0	0				
Nurse, Mr. D. E. ..	24	0	0				
O'Neill, Mrs. E. M. ..	25	0	0				
Parrie, Mr. C. A. ..	30	0	0				
Parry and Company, Ltd. ..	150	0	0				
Pearson, Miss D. M. ..	20	0	0				
Piggott, Mrs. J. ..	12	0	0				
Pharoah, Miss E. E. ..	10	0	0				
Raymond, Mrs. M. E. ..	24	0	0				
Ramanathaier, Mr. K. ..	5	0	0				
Race Club, Madras ..	250	0	0				
Rebeiro, Dr. Miss E. L. ..	60	0	0				
Revis, Mrs. J. ..	1	0	0				
Rouse, Mr. J. C. ..	16	0	0				
Roge, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. and family ..	100	0	0				
Rozario, Mr. F. A. ..	2	0	0				
Rozario, Mr. C. W. ..	1	0	0				
Scott, Mr. M. J. ..	1	0	0				
Scott, Mr. B. ..	4	0	0				
Siglar, Miss S. ..	5	0	0				
Simpson & Company, Ltd., Messrs. ..	20	0	0				
Shaw, Mr. A. J. ..	24	0	0				
St. Andrew's Church Sunday School ..	79	0	0				
Sterling, Mrs. F. ..	24	0	0				
Sterling, Mr. A. E. ..	261	0	0				
Stephens, Mr. G. ..	5	8	0				
Sturt, Mr. D. T. ..	1	0	0				
Stirling, Mr. W. N. ..	75	0	0				
St. Christopher's School, Burnham-on-Sea ..	28	0	0				
Skinner, Lt.-Col. J. M. ..	65	14	8				
Taylor, Mr. G. M. ..	11	0	0				
Taylor, Miss G. E. ..	30	0	0				
Thorpe, Dr. Miss H. ..	20	0	0				
Thurley, Mr. M. W. ..	5	0	0				
Thomas, Mr. F. ..	12	0	0				
Unger, Mrs. S. Ramsay ..	30	0	0				
Unger, Mr. S. Ramsay ..	305	0	0				
Unger, Mr. C. E. ..	10	0	0				

ENDOWMENT FUND

Blazey, Mr. W. ..	55	0	0
Cashmore, Mrs. W. L. ..	5	0	0
Newcastle, Mr. K. ..	6	0	0
Total ..	66	0	0

BAND FUND

Blazey, Mr. J. ..	12	0	0
Ladies' Committee, Civil Orphan Asylums ..	200	0	0
Total ..	212	0	0

CHRISTMAS FUND

Bishop of Madras and Mrs. Hollis ..	10	0	0
Bower, Mr. E. H. M. ..	15	0	0
Central Christmas Charity Committee ..	72	0	0
Clarke, Hon. Mr. Justice R. ..	10	0	0
Douglass, Mr. R. W. ..	50	0	0
England, Mr. C. J. ..	25	0	0
Greenwell, Miss ..	2	0	0
Hesterlow, Mrs. F. M. ..	10	0	0
Johnstone, Mr. C. P. ..	25	0	0
King, Dr. Miss E. A. ..	10	0	0
Lepper, Mr. A. ..	12	0	0
McKenzie, Mr. A. R. ..	15	0	0
Miller, Mr. L. D. ..	10	0	0
Nelson, Mr. C. S. ..	5	0	0
Oakley, Mr. F. H. ..	50	0	0

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	RS	A	P		RS	A	P
Roge, Mr. G. V. ..	15	0	0	Haffenden, Brigadier			
St. George's Homes,				Wilson ..	30	0	0
Ketti ..	8	0	0	Joseph, Mr. Stanley ..	2	8	0
Stirling, Mr. W. N. ..	25	0	0	Ladies' Committee, Civil			
Thorpe, Dr. Miss H. ..	10	0	0	Orphan Asylums ..	716	5	4
Thrift Shop ..	100	0	0	Symes, Mr. James ..	2	8	0
Unger, Mr. S. Ramsay	15	0	0	Total ..	780	14	4
Thompson, Mr. and							
Mrs. D. ..	13	2	0				
Watson, Rev. R. L. ..	10	0	0				
Total ..	517	2	0				

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS RECEIVED
IN 1947-1948

General Funds ..	5,470	9	9
Endowment Fund ..	66	0	0
Band Fund ..	212	0	0
Christmas Fund ..	517	2	0
Principal's Fund ..	780	14	4
Total ..	7,046	10	1

PRINCIPAL'S FUND

Bonjour, Miss N. ..	4	8	0
Fairlee, Colonel ..	25	0	0

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Sub: ⁴² Grants - Civil Orphan Asylums, Madras -
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C.No. 75863/48: From the Principal, Civil Orphan Asylums, Madras, dated
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Recorded.

2. The payment of a sum of Rs. 1200/- (Rupees
one thousand and two hundred only) to the
Civil Orphan Asylums, Madras, as the Provincial
grant for 1947-48, is sanctioned.

3. The expenditure will be met from the
appropriation under 57.C. Miscellaneous donations
for charitable purposes - D. Indian Charities and
other items controlled by the E. & P. H. Deptt. - Voted - Orphanage

2. To Principal, C.O.A., Madras.

D.P.D.
A.G. (C.O.A.)
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NOTE.

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Note:- The receipt from subscriptions and donations for the year 1947-48 is Rs. 5470-9-9. Vide p. 18 of the Annual Report. The usual grant of Rs. 1200/- may, therefore, be sanctioned in full - vide the note at p. 2 of # (T).

2. The draft order of may issue after acceptance by Finance.

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The draft order overhead may be accepted.

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