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Libraries — Public — Bharathi
Memorial Library — Ettayapuram —
Tirunelveli district — Grant for
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BHARATHI MEMORIAL TRUST

ASHRAMAM - CHURCH ROAD - MYLAPORE - MADRAS 3

Trustees

T. K. Chidambaranatha Menon
K. Balasubramania Iyer
R. Krishnamurthy



Kalki Office,
Kilpauk, Madras.
11th August 1949.

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Sub: Special grant for the Bharathiar Memorial Library at Ettayapuram for books and furniture and an annual recurring grant for Books for the same.

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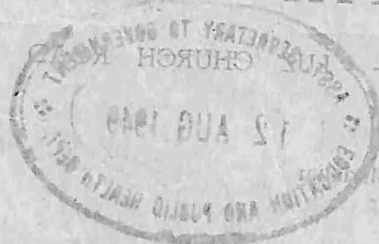
I am enclosing herewith a copy of the letter that I have addressed the District Educational Officer, Thirunelveli on the above subject.

May I commend to your special consideration my application to the District Educational Officer and request you to sanction a special grant of not less than a thousand rupees for books and another thousand rupees towards furniture expenses for the library that is attached to the Bharathi Memorial Mandapam at Ettayapuram ?

I also request you to sanction an additional annual recurring grant of Rs. 500/- for the library towards purchase of books so that year by year we are able to enrich the library that is attached to the Bharathi Mandapam, which is the memorial erected out of the voluntry contributions from thousands and thousands of the Tamil speaking people all over the country to perpetuate the memory of the Greatest National Poet of Tamil Nad.

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The Bharathi Day is celebrated every year on the
11th September at Ettayapuram. This annual festival
is organised under the auspices of the Bharathiar
Memorial Trust and Bharathi Memorial Sangham. Thousands
of Tamil loving people and devotees of Bharathiar gather
on this auspicious day at Ettayapuram to pay their
homage to the great poet.

I shall be very grateful to you if you find it
possible to sanction the grants that I have solicited
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ment before the first week of September so that I am
in a position to announce this happy news at Ettaya-
puram on the Bharathiar Day viz. 11th September 1949.

Yours faithfully,

R. Krishnamurthy

Trustee.

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ASHRAMAM - LUZ CHURCH ROAD - MYLAPORE - MADRAS 3

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Kalki Office,
Kilpauk, Madras.
1st August 1949.

The District Educationa Officer,
Thirunelveli.

Sir,

The Bharathiar Memorial Trust and the Bharathiar Memorial Sangham are Registered bodies under the Societies Registration Act 1860 (XXI of 1860).

Under the auspices of the above Trust and Sangham, a public library is being maintained at the Bharathiar Memorial Mandapam at Ettayapuram.

I request you to sanction an annual grant for purchasing books for the Bharathiar Memorial library at Ettayapuram.

I also pray that a special furniture grant may be sanctioned for the above library.

I shall be grateful for an early order on this petition.

Thanking you,

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R. Krishnamurthy

(R. Krishnamurthy,
Trustee, Bharathiar Memorial
Trust and Secretary Bharathi
Memorial Sangham.)

BHARATHI MEMORIAL TRUST

ASHRAMAM - LUX CHURCH ROAD - MYLAPORE - MADRAS 2

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Letter/Ref. No. 61598-1C₂ Edn., dated, 13-8-49.

To

Sri R. Krishnamurthy,
Trustee, Bharathiar Memorial
Trust and Secretary,
Bharathiar Memorial Sangham,
Kalki Office,
Kilpauk, Madras.

Sir,

Special grant for the
Bharathiar Memorial Library at
Ettayapuram for books and furniture
and an annual recurring grant
for books.

I am directed to
acknowledge.

Ans
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acknowledge the receipt of
your letter dated the 11th August, 1949, PP. 1-3 ante.
~~address~~ on the subject mentioned
above, ~~and~~ addressed to the
Honble the Minister for Education
and have and to state that the
question is being considered by Govt.
yours faithfully,

12/8/49.
5/12/49

12/8/49

Note.

Please see the minutes of
H. M. (E. & L.) on page 1 d. 7. The draft
overleaf is for approval. W. H. B.

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Copy to the D. P. I.
(with copy of H. 13
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Memo. No. 61598-2 C₂. Edu., dated, 14-8-49.

Libraries — Public —

Bharathiar Memorial Library at
Etayapuram, Tirunelveli District.
Request for a special grant
and a recurring grant for the
library.

PP. 4-5 d. 7.

Ref: Letter/Ref. No. 61598-1 C₂. Edu.,
dated, 13-8-49, addressed
to Bharathiar Memorial Inst.

The D. P. I. is requested
to offer his remarks ^{in writing} on the
reference. cited at a very
early date. ~~He is requested to treat the~~
~~matter as "Special."~~

To

The D. P. I.

Reminded on 14/11/49.

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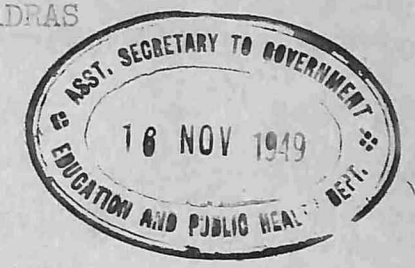
Please see the minutes
of H.M. (Edn) H.M. (E.+L.) on page 10.7.
on the petition submitted by Sri R. Kalbi
of the Kalbi Office, Madras, for a
grant to the Bharathiar Memorial
Library at Ettayapuram. It is desirable
to have the remarks of the D.P.I.
on the request of the petitioner
before proceeding to note on the case.
The draft overhead is for approval.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

FROM THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS

To The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Dept.,
Madras.



Roc.972 J/49 dated 14-11-49.

Sir,

Sub:--Libraries --Public Grants--Bharathi Memorial
Trust Library, Ettayapuram--Tirunelvely East.

Ref:--Government Memorandum 61598-2-C2 Education
dated 17-3-49 g.b. ante

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It is not usual to sanction special grants to public
libraries. Attention is invited to Government Memorandum No.
B/1547.7283 -C2/48 -3 Education dated 7-5-48, Memorandum No.38448-1-C2
Education dated 8-12-48 and Memorandum No.96549/48-2-C2
Education dated 8-3-49. 3/4-5

2. I, however, recommend the payment of an ordinary
grant of Rs.150/- payable under G.O.2001 Education dated
22-6-49 (being the maximum amount permissible under the G.O.)
as a special case, although the library has not worked for one
year on 1-9-49 as laid down in the G.O. i.e. the due date for
the submission of applications to the District Educational
Officers (the shortage being a few days only)

3. In this connection, I may state that the chief
object of the Bharathi Memorial Sangham, as seen from the
Regulations of the Sangam, is to maintain a library primarily
with a view to popularise the work of the late Poet Bharathiar.
This special object, no doubt requires special aid. But
Government have now taken over the copy right of the Poet's
works and are considering how best to use the copy right obtained
by them. This is under examination separately. Vide Govt.
Order No.2467 Edn. dated 2-3-49. Any special grant to the
Sangam for this special object may be considered when the
Government reach a decision on the question mentioned above.

Yours faithfully,

K. Sankaranarayanan

For Director of Public Instruction

Clb.15-11-49
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PP. 1-3 d. 7.
P. 8 d. 7.

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Edn. & P.H. Dept. (C2)

Libraries - Public - Bharathi Memorial Library -
Ettayapuram, Tirunelveli District - Request for
aid to the Library - Sanctioned.

From Sri R. Krishnamurthy, dated 11-8-1949, addressed
to the Hon'ble Minister for Education.
From the D.P.I., Roc No. 972 J/49, dated 14-11-49.

ORDER: Ms. 100 Edn. S/12.1.50

The Government have carefully considered the request
made in ~~his~~ letter read above and regret that they are
unable to comply with ~~his~~ request. They however, sanction
as a special case, a grant of Rs 150/- (Rupees one hundred
and fifty only) to the library for the year 1949-50, the
maximum grant admissible under G.O.No. 2001 Edn., dated
22-6-1949, to libraries maintained by private associa-
tions. The payment of the grant will be subject to the
conditions laid down in G.O.No. 3584 Edn., dated 22-11-49

The D.P.I. is requested to ~~include~~ The Bharathi
Memorial Trust Library, Ettayapuram, Tinnevely Dist.
as a library eligible for aid under the first of the

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referred to
first of the G.Os. read above.

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To
Sri R. Krishnamurthy,
Kalki Office, Kilpauk
Madras (with copies of
G.Os. at Flags 'E' & 'X')
The D.P.I.
The A.G. (thru Fin.)

E. & P.H.
C₂

PP. 121 d. No. 61598. From Sri R. Krishnamurthy, dated, 11-8-49.
d. 7. P. 8 d. 7. From the D. P. I., Rec. 972 J/49, dated, 14-11-49.

Libraries — Grants to the
Bharathi Memorial Trust Library,
Etayapuram, Tirunelveli (East) Dt.

Sri R. Krishnamurthy,
Kalki Office, Madras, in his letter
on pages 1-2 d. 7. requests the Govt.
for a special grant of Rs. 1,000/-
for books and another sum of Rs. 1,000/-
for furniture for the library
attached to the Bharathi Memorial
Mandapam at Etayapuram. He also
requests for an annual grant of
Rs. 500/- for the library for the
purchase of books every year.

P. 6 d. 7. The D. P. I. who was consulted in the
P. 8 d. 7. matter, states that it is not usual
to give special grants to public
libraries. However, he recommends

Para 2 on page 8 d. 7. the payment of ^{the maximum} an ordinary grant
of Rs. 150/- admissible to public
libraries maintained by private
associations under G.O. No. 2001. Edn.,
dated, 22-6-49. He states that
even this grant has to be sanctioned

Para 2 on page 8 d. 7. by Govt. as a special case, as the
library does not satisfy the
conditions laid down for the
payment of the grant i.e. the
library has not worked for one
year since 1-9-49 as laid down in the

(E) P. 10/1/50. No. 2001. Edn., dated, 22-6-49. Calling for
proposals for the distribution of
grants. The Director recommends
the payment of the grant

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A. above is
approved.

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Please see the order in circulation at the bottom of page 3 ante. A draft order is subd. for approval.

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Approved as G.O.M. No. 100. Edu., dated, 12-1-50.

PP. 10-11 C. 7.

With reference to the minutes of H.M.(E.&L.) at the bottom of page 3 ante, it is submitted that the amounts of grants payable to public libraries vary from year to year according to the ^{budget} provision. Thus the amounts of grants sanctioned to a library under the management of local bodies or under private managements ~~was~~ Rs 200/- in 1947-48 when the provision made for the purpose was Rs 35,000/-, Rs 300/- in 1948-49 when a provision of Rs ⁵⁴⁰⁰⁰ ~~24000~~ was made towards library grants and Rs 150/- for the year 1949-50 when a sum of Rs ⁴⁶²⁰⁰ ~~6200~~ of ~~lakh only~~ was made in the budget for the year. It will be seen therefrom that the highest amount of grant sanctioned to a library till now ~~was~~ only Rs 300/- ^{a year.} May be circulated to H.M.(E.&L.) with reference to his minute at the bottom of page 3 ante.

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