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Abstract

Govt. Press - Gas Welding plant
Purchase of - Sanctioned

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT PRESS, MADRAS.

No. 1364/Skr/Mechs. Dated 20-2-1950.

From

Janab R. Siddique,
Superintendent,
Government Press, Mint Buildings,
MADRAS.

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To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, MADRAS.

Sir,

Sub: Gas welding plant - for use in the Government Press - purchase of - sanction requested.

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The parts of Printing and Binding machines break often due to wear and tear. The parts have to be sent to the local foundries for welding after getting quotations. Considering the nature of welding, the cost is prohibitive; besides it causes delay in repairing the printing and binding machines and the consequent loss of productive hours. I therefore propose to purchase one gas welding set for the Press in the first instance.

Quotations were called for from the leading local firms and the quotation of one Messrs. Allied Industrial Distributors Ltd., Madras - Rs 820/- less 6¼% discount for one high pressure Acetylene gas generator set complete with accessories is lowest.

I request Government to accord sanction for the purchase of one gas welding set at a total cost not exceeding Rs 850/- including delivery charges, Sales tax and other incidental charges.

The expenditure will be met under "56. Stationery and Printing d. Government Presses (Madras) F. Other expenditure 6. Other charges - additions to plant and machinery.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
10 MAR 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sub: Govt. Press - Gas Welding plant - purchase of - Sanctioned.

Ref: From the S.G.P. No. 1364/Acr/Mech d 20.2.50.

Order/Ms. No. 823 Edn. d 13.3.50.

Sanction is accorded to the purchase by the S.G.P. of one gas welding set for the Govt. Press, at a total cost not exceeding Rs. 850/- (Rupees Eight hundred and fifty only) including delivery charges, Sales tax etc., from Messrs. Allied Industrial Distributors Ltd. Madras.

2. The expenditure should be met under '56 Stationery and Printing - d. Govt. Presses - F. Other expenditure 6. Other charges - additions to plant and machinery.'

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To
The Supdt. Govt. Press
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Note: In the circumstances stated by the S.G.P. at A on p. 1 CF, the proposal for the purchase of a gas welding set for the Govt. Press may be approved. The draft order is subd. for approval. Finance may see.

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The draft order may be accepted.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

M.E.S. — Smt. C.D. Kanthimathi overseas Scholar — Apptd. as Superintendent.

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No. F.4.2/S.22/47 S.II
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
NEW DELHI 3, dated the 27/X Oct.1948.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
25 OCT 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

To
The Secy. to the Govt. of Madras
Education and Public Health Department,
MADRAS

SUB:-SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS MADRAS GOVERNMENT 1947 SPONSORED SCHOLAR - ~~Mr.~~MISS. C.D. KANTHIMATI.

Pending

78531
ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
10 DEC 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the correspondence with ~~your~~/this Ministry letter/~~endorsement~~ No F.4.2/S.22/47 S.II Dated 11th Sept. 1948 on the above subject and to state that it has been brought to the notice of this Ministry that for lack of knowledge of exact requirements of the Provincial Government in regard to the courses of studies of their scholars particularly from the point of view of the posts they are expected to take up on their return, the University authorities in the U.K./U.S.A. have been experiencing difficulties in planning their work properly.

2. It is, therefore, requested that this Ministry may kindly be furnished in duplicate with following information regarding ~~Mr.~~ Miss C.D. Kanthimati to enable us to obviate these difficulties, as far as possible, and effect better coordination between his her training abroad and your actual requirements with particular reference to his her employment on his her return.

a) Details of courses of studies to be done by the scholar (details in the nature of a syllabus may kindly be furnished.

b) Details of practical training to be undergone by the scholar.

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c) Particulars of the post, including the exact duties involved, which he would be expected to take up on his return.

3. ~~Mx.~~ MISS KANTHIMATHI went abroad/~~xxxxxxxx~~ and ~~xxxxxxxx~~ is doing studies in/~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ ~~xxx~~ Nursery School Teaching.

4. An immediate reply is requested.

Yours faithfully,

for Secretary.

'HSS*

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No.F.4-2/S.22/47.S.II.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.
NEW DELHI 3, DATED THE 24th DECEMBER, 1948.

From

Dr. Tara Chand M.A., D.Phil.
Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education & Public Health Department,
Madras.

Subject:- SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS 1947 MADRAS GOVERNMENT SPONSORED SCHOLAR. MISS C.D. KANTHIMATHI.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
28 DEC 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith for the information of the Provincial Government, a copy of the Progress Report in respect of Miss C.D.Kanthimathi, a Madras Government 1947 Sponsored Scholar.

Yours faithfully,

D. Madhawi

(D. Madhawi).
for Secretary.

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REPORT.

1947—1948

Name in block capitals C. D. KANTHIMATHI.

Scholarship

Government of Madras.

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Date of commencement of scholarship.	23rd October, 1947.
Subject for which awarded	Nursery Education.
Course of study or training sanctioned and date of approval. Degree sought and date of examination.	------
University, College or Works in which scholar is pursuing his training.	Montessori Training College, Cranleigh, Surrey.
Course of study or training attended during Session 19 —19 .	Montessori Training.
All Examinations (including subjects) taken and results and date. [In the Final Examination the degree or diploma obtained should be stated, with subjects taken and honours, if any.]	
Any Prizes or other Distinctions	

FOR STUDENTS TAKING PRACTICAL TRAINING:

Name of Firm.	Period.	Nature of training.

Secretary, Education Department,
Office of the High Commissioner for India,
India House,
Aldwych,
London, W.C. 2.

Signed C. D. KANTHIMATHI

Date 1[illegible]th November, 1948.

Memo.—Report required overleaf should in all cases be obtained **before** *this report is returned.*

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University, College or Works Report on the work of the Scholar during the period under review :—

Copy of the Certificate given by the Principal:-

This is to certify that Miss C. D. Kanthimathi was a student of this college during the one year beginning in October 1947 and ending in July 1948, followed the prescribed courses to the satisfaction of the Directors and is eligible to receive the college one year certificate after completing Dr. Montessori's International Training Course to the satisfaction of the latter.

(Sgd.) C. [illegible]. CLAREMONT.

(Principal).

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(b) Proposed course of study during the year 1st October 1948 to 30th September 1949.

"Child Development" in the Institute of Education and University of London.

Miss Kanthimathi has shown satisfactory results. She is a keen hardworking scholar.

(Sgd.) J. N. KHOSLA.

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MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVT.
4 FEB 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC

NEW DELHI 3, DATED THE 1st FEBRUARY, 1949. 5

From

Dr. Tara Chand, M.A., D.Phil (Oxon)
Secretary to the Government of India.

To

Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education and Public Health Department,
Madras.

Subject:- Scholarship for Advanced studies overseas Madras Govt. sponsored scholar Miss C.D. Kanthimathi.

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Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry letter of even number dated 11th September 1948 on the above subject and to request the favour of a very early reply.

Vide [illegible]

Yours faithfully
D. Madhavi

(D. Madhavi)
for Secretary.

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Advanced Studies Overseas.
Miss C. D. Kanthimathi, '47 Scholar.

Ref. D P I's L.O. of 8. 12. 48

Memo No. 78531 C2/48 . 2 Edn of 11 2.49

The D.P.I is requested to state in what stage the matter is and when his further report may be expected. The Govt have reminded for an urgent reply.

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To
The D.P.I

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From
The Director of Public Instruction, M a d r a s.

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

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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R.C. No.7083 (C2)L1/47 dated 22nd Feb. 1949.

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S i r,

Sub: Advanced studies overseas - Miss C.D. Kanthimathi- 1947 scholar.
Ref: Government Memo No.78531 C2/48-2 Edn., dated 11-2-49.

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In continuation of draft U.O. reply dated 8-12-48, I enclose herein a copy of my D.O. letter dated 8-12-48 sent by air to Miss C.D. Kanthimathi and beg to submit that a reply is still awaited from her. I am again reminding her and on receipt of her reply, a further report will be submitted.

G. Sankaran 23/2/49.
for Director of Public Instruction.

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May lie over till
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Copy of D.O letter dated 8-12-48 from the/Joint Director of Public Instruction, Madras to Miss C.D. Kanthimathi, B.A.(Hons.), B.T. Montessori Training College, Carenswood, Carleigh, Surrey, England.

It ~~x~~ is understood from your father that you desire to go to America for further studies on the completion of the present course of studies. Please let me know whether it is a fact. If so, it is presumed that you will not accept any appointment if you are offered just after the completion of the present course of studies.

A very early reply will be appreciated.

G. Sankaran 23 2/49
for Director of Public Instruction.

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Miss C.D. Kanthimathi.

p 11 cf. From the D.P.I. No. 7083 (E2) 41/47 d 22.2.49

Memo to 78531 E2/48-3 Edn d 28.3.49

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The D.P.I is requested to state in what stage the matter is and when his further report may be expected by Govt.

To The D.P.I

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No.F.4-2/S-22/32-47.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION,
NEW DELHI 3, dated the 23 April 1949.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education and Public Health Department,
MADRAS.

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SUBJECT:-Scholarships for Advanced Studies Overseas, 1947-48
Madras Government sponsored scholar, Miss. C.D.KANTHIMATHI

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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EDUCATION AND P

Reference this Ministry letter and reminder of even number dated 22nd October 1948 and 1st February 1949 on the above subject, kindly supply immediately the required information to this Ministry.

D. Madhavi

(MRS.D.MADHAVI)
FOR SECRETARY

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Letter/Ref. No. 78531E2/49-4 Edu. d. 28/4/49.

To

The Secy. to Govt. of India,
Ministry of Edu.
New Delhi 3.

Sir,

Sub. Advanced Studies overseas _ 1947-48
Scholar - Miss C.D. Kaulhimathi.

Ref. your letter F4-2/S-22/S2 47 d. 23/4/49.

I am directed to say that the D.P.I. Madras was asked to furnish the information required by the Govt of India in their letter of even no. d 22/10/48. He has reported that he has addressed Miss Kaulhimathi in the matter and that on receipt of her reply, he would furnish the information. I am to add that Miss Kaulhimathi is likely to be employed as a Kindergarten lecturer under

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copy to the D.P.I. He is requested to furnish the information required by the Govt. of India ~~without further delay~~ very urgently

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D.O. No. 78531 E2/48-5 Edn dated 30.6.49

My dear Reddi,

Overseas Scholarships. 1947-8.
Miss C. D. Kanthimathi.

I am to invite ~~refer~~ your attention to ~~my endt~~ Letter No. 78531 E2/48-4 Edn of 28.4.49 (Copy sent to you) and to ask for an early reply as the matter has been pending for a long time.

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Yours sincerely,

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To

D. S. Reddi, Esq.,
M.A. (Oxon).
D.P.I.
Madras

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT.
19 JUL 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No.F.4-2/S.22/47-S.II.
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi 3, Dated the 15 15 July, 1949.

From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Department of Education and Public Health,
MADRAS.

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Subject:- SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS 1947-48 REPORT IN RESPECT OF PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS DEPUTATIONIST IN UNITED KINGOM

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Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith for the information of the Provincial Government, a copy of the progress report in respect of Miss C. D. Kantimati a Madras Government 1947 sponsored scholar.

Yours faithfully,

Vikram Singh 19/7
(VIKRAM SINGH)
for Secretary.

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EDN. DEPT. FORM 32C.

REPORT.

1948—1949.

Name in block capitals C. D. KANTHIMATHI. 14

Scholarship Education.

Government Madras.

Date of commencement of scholarship.	October 23rd. 1947.
Subject for which awarded	Nursery Education
Course of study or training sanctioned and date of approval. Degree sought and date of examination.	"Child Development" course
University, College or Works in which scholar is pursuing his training.	Institute of Education, London University
Course of study or training attended during Session 1948—1949.	~~Lo~~ "Child Development.
All Examinations (including subjects) taken and results and date. [In the Final Examination the degree or diploma obtained should be stated, with subjects taken and honours, if any.]	
Any Prizes or other Distinctions	

FOR STUDENTS TAKING PRACTICAL TRAINING:

Name of Firm.	Period.	Nature of training.

Secretary, Education Department,
Office of the High Commissioner for India,
India House,
Aldwych
London, W.C.2.

Signed C. D. Kanthimathi.

Date 20-6-49.

Memo.—Report required overleaf should in all cases be obtained **before** *this report is returned.*

C.F.H. 1000 6/46

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University, College or Works Report on the work of the Scholar during the period under review :—

Miss Kanthimathi has worked well during her time here.
She has shown real interest in her studies and has taken full advantage of all the facilities available for visiting schools, reading, making interesting contacts etc.
She has made helpful contributions in discussion and has got on very well with the other students.
I feel she has used her year to advantage

Joan. E. Cass
(Tutor)

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DEPARTMENTAL OBSERVATIONS.

Miss Kanthimathi's progress has been satisfactory. She is at present on a Continental study tour in Holland.

J. N. Khosla
Deputy Secretary

29th June, 1949

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ADDITIONAL SHEET.

(*a*) Course of study or training being carried out during the current vacation (1st July to 30th September 19).

"Child Development" Course

(*b*) Proposed course of study during the year 1st October 19 to 30th September 19 .

NOTE.—This form is to contain merely a statement of the proposed training, and in case it has not already been formally sanctioned by the High Commissioner, application for such sanction should be submitted **separately** through the usual channels.

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RC.No.7083-C2/C7/49.

Office of the Director of
Public Instruction,
Madras,Dated 1 Aug. 1949.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

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

Sir,

59156

Sub: Advanced Studies - Overseas scholar - Miss.C.D.Kanthimathi-appointment as Kindergarten Lecturer.

REF: i) Government Confidential letter No.12176-A-2 Education dated 7 April 1949.
ii) D.O. letter No.78531-E2-48-5 dated 30 June 1949.

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In continuation of my letter RC.No.7083-C2-L1/47 dated 22-2-49, I have the honour to report that when the question regarding the appointment of a Lecturer in Kindergarten in the Lady Willingdon Training College was considered it was thought that Miss. C.D.Kanthimathi on return from her advanced studies could be appointed. But now consequent on the removal of the subject "Primary Education" from the course of studies for the B.T. and in view of the proposals now being submitted for reorganising the staff in the Lady Willingdon Training College (with reference to Government Memorandum No.4052-A/49-1 Education dated 26-1-1949) there is no post for which Miss. C.D. Kanthimathi can be found eligible. Hence the post of Lecturer in Kindergarten may be deleted from the list of estimate of the number of candidates to be put on the approved list for recruitment by transfer to the Madras Educational Service in 1949-50, approved in you confidential letter NO.12176-A2-Education dated 7-4-1949.

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Yours faithfully,

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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Very urgent

Edn. and P.H. Dept.(A).

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TM. by post No. 59156-A-1, d/- 30.8.49

From: The Secy., E. & P.H. Dept.

To: The D.P.I.

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Ref:- Your No. 7083-C2/27/49, d/- 1.8.49.

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Please elucidate -

(1) how the removal of the subject "primary education" from the B.T. course makes Miss C.D.Kanthimathi ineligible for appt. as Kindergarten Lecturer in the L.W.T.C.;

(2) whether in the scheme of re-organization of the staff in the L.W.T.C. the post of Kindergarten Lecturer is proposed to be abolished and, if so, why;

LF.

(3) whether Miss Kanthimathi cannot be apptd. to any other existing post in the dept. ~~and~~ or, if the re-organization entails the sanction of new posts, whether she cannot be apptd. to any of the new posts;

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(4) whether the course of study in "Child Development" which Miss Kanthimathi has undergone at the Institute of Edn., London Unty., is not akin to the course ~~of study~~ in "Edl. Psyhcology", suggested ~~by you~~ in your No.8375-E3/46, d/- 12-7-48; in June-July 1949, Miss Kanthimathi was on a Continental study tour in Holland;

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(5) what post and work the Dir. had in view for ~~xxxxx~~ Miss Kanthimathi at the time of her deputation overseas and why the proper ~~of~~ course of study which would train her for the post in view had not been suggested; and

(6) how ~~the~~ Miss Kanthimathi's not being eligible for any post in the dept. would necessitate the cancellation of the estimate for recruitment by transfer sent to the Commission when Miss Kanthimathi is not a deptl. woman and when, deptl. officers ~~are~~ being only the persons ~~who will be~~ eligible for recruitment by transfer

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the purpose of the estimate was to ~~regu~~ regularize Miss C.P. Kamakshi Amma's tempy. appt. or to appt. regularly any other suitable & qualified

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Deptl. lady for the time being

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
Education and Public Health Department
Letter No.92062 E2/49-1, Education

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From

J.M. Lobo Prabhu Esq., I.C.S.,
Secretary to the Government of Madras.

To

The Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Education,
NEW DELHI-3.

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Dated, Fort St. George, the, 30th November 1949.

Sir,

Sub:-Overseas Scholarships - 1947-'8 - Miss G.D. Kanthimathi.

I am directed to state that Miss G.D. Kanthimathi has reported her arrival in India on 14-11-'49. Her address is:

20. New Street,
Chidambaram (South Arcot District)

Yours faithfully,

J.M. Lobo Prabhu,

Secretary to Government.

Copy to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
" " E. & P.H./A.

Forwarded/By order

C.P. Anjanna Chetty
SUPERINTENDENT.

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No. F.4-2/S.22/47.S.II.,
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi 3, the 23rd November 1949.

From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Department of Education and Public Health,
MADRAS.

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SUBJECT:- SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS - EMPLOYMENT FORMS IN RESPECT OF PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT SPONSORED SCHOLAR IN UNITED KINGDOM.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
26 NOV 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Sir,

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I am directed to forward herewith in duplicate for information and necessary action of the Provincial Government the Employment Form in respect of Miss C.D.Kanthimati a Madras Government 1947 sponsored scholar, received through High Commissioner for India in the United Kingdom.

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The High Commissioner for India has since reported that the scholar left for India by air on 10th November 1949. I am, therefore, to request that the exact date of her arrival and the position in regard to her employment may kindly be communicated to this Ministry in due course.

1 copy sent to D.D.I.

Yours faithfully,
Vikram Singh
(Vikram Singh)
for Secretary.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

Overseas Scholarships (Provincial) - Application for Employment of Scholars.

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N.B. - This application must be submitted (in quadruplicate) at least FOUR months before a scholar's stay abroad is to come to an end.

1. Full Name (in block letters)	C. D. KANTHIMATHI.
2. Date of birth	14-2-1924.
3. Father's Name	N. Dandapani Pillai,
4. Full address in India to which correspondence should be addressed to the scholar on his return.	20 New Street Chidambaram (S.A.Dt.) Madras.
5. (i) Subject of Scholarship	Nursery Education
(ii) Exact Branch	Montessori & Child Development
6. Year of selection	1947.
7. Name of sponsoring Province	Madras.
8. Date of commencement of scholarship (Date of arrival in the country of study).	23-10-47.
9. Date on which the course of his studies is due to terminate.	22-10-49.
10. Approximate date of return in India.	November, 49.

11. Qualifications prior to Selection.

(a) Academic (i) Degree and Post-graduate examinations only.

Name of College Institute or University attended	Examination Passed	Division obtained	year	Subjects Taken
Annamalai University	B.A. (Hons)	1st class	1946.	Economics
Madras "	B.T	III cl.	1947	History & English

(ii) Post-graduate training or research.

(iii) Published works (Give Names of the papers published if any)

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	Institution, Co., or Office where trained or employed	Post or capacity in which employed	Pay if any drawn (with scale)	Period.
(b) Practical training and industrial or professional experience gained (including apprenticeship)				21

(c) Additional qualifications not covered in (a) and (b) above	
(d) Post held at the time of selection. (a) Name of post. (b) Pay last drawn and the scale of pay. (c) Office or Government where employed. (d) Did you resign, or go on study leave terms or on extraordinary leave?	Student in Law College, Madras
12. Overseas Qualifications Acquired (a) Name of the country of study. (b) Details of the course of study covered (up-to-date)	England.

	Institution or University etc. attended	Duration From	Duration to	Subject with exact Branch	Some details of the course (if the space is not sufficient, attach a separate sheet.)	Degree, Diploma or Certificate if any obtained
(i) Academic	Montessori Training College (Private).	1947	48.	General method (unfinished)	Teaching method of montessori in general. A visit of montessori schools.	Certificate.
2.	~~Chut~~ Institute of Education. London Univ	1948	49.	Child Development!	A survey of nurseries. Not any particular [illegible]	Certificate

(ii) Practical Training.				Visit of some nurseries and kindergartens in England, Scotland, Italy, France, Holland, and Sweden.	
(iii) Educational visits and Study tours.					

(iv) Any papers published? Please give details or attach copies.	—
13. (i) Do you have any suggestions about your employment ?	
(ii) Would you prefer a (a) Administrative (b) Technical or (c) Teaching post ?	Administrative.
14. Testimonials attached (Attach at least 2 testimonials from Professors or Supervisors under whom you worked during your studies overseas & give their names and addresses).	Already one has been sent. The other will be sent later as at present the university is closed for vacation.

C. D. Kanthimathi.
Signature of Applicant.

Date 30-9-49.

P.T.O.

Telephone:
Temple Bar 8484

Education Department,
INDIA HOUSE,
ALDWYCH, W.C.2.

4th November, 1949.

Miss Kanthimathi has been in the United Kingdom for two years and has devoted this period to the study of nursery education. She has visited a large number of institutions in this country and on the continent. Her progress has been satisfactory and has earned good reports from her teachers.

(SIGNED)

J. N. KHOSLA.
DEPUTY SECRETARY EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT.

JNK/LB.

15. Tutor's Remarks.	Already sent.
16. Forwarding Report by the Indian Embassy or H.C.'s Office concerned on the Scholar's work and general conduct (if necessary any confidential report may be sent separately).	.... Signature of the forwarding authority Date........................
17. (i) Your province of domicile.	Madras.
(ii) Your place of birth.	Kumbakonam. Tanjore Dt.

N.B. Separate sheets to be attached in case space in any column is found insufficient. Please denote carefully.

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TRUE COPY.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

24th October, 1949.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Miss C. D. Kanthimathi.

This is to certify that in the Session 1948-1949 Miss C. D. Kanthimathi was a full time student of the Advanced Course for qualified teachers in this Department.

She presented a descriptive study of some English Nursery Schools and was awarded the Department's Certificate.

(Sgd.) D.E.M. Gardner, M.A.,
Head of Department.

TRUE COPY.

M iss Kanthimathi has worked well during her time here. She has shown real interest in her studies and has taken full advantage of all the facilities avilable for visiting Schools, reading, making interesting contacts, etc. She has made helpful contributions in discussion and has got on very well with the other students. I feel she has used her yeer to advantage.

(Sgd.) Joan F. Cass.

(Tutor).

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SECRETARY, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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From

Miss C.D.Kanthimathi, M.A., B.T.,
20, New Street,
Chidambaram,
South Arcot District.

To

The Hon'ble Prime Minister,
Government of Madras,
Fort St. George,
Madras.

Sir,

As per personal instructions given by your honour to my father Mr. N.Dandapani Pillai, on the 2nd instant, at Keezhamoongiladi Basic School, Chidambaram, I am sending this application.

I beg to bring to your honour's kind notice that I am a scholar sent abroad by the Government of Madras, in October, 1947, to study "Nursery Education". I have returned home on the 14th of November, 1949, after finishing my studies in the United Kingdom.

I am a Graduate of the Annamalai University and I have passed my B.A Honours (Economics) Examination held in April, 1946, in the First Class.

Thereafter I took up the Teachers' Training Course in Christopher's Training College, Madras, and passed the B.T Examination, held in March, 1947.

In 1948, I took my M.A Degree in Absentia, at the Annamalai University.

In February, 1947, when the Government of Madras invited applications from candidates wishing to go abroad on studies, I also applied for a Scholarship under the subject of "Nursery Education".

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Accordingly I was selected and sent to the United Kingdom in October, 1947, to study for two years.

In the first year, I was admitted by the India House, in the Montessori Training College, Surrey, where I completed the course. For the second year of my stay in England, I was sent to the University of London, where I finished the course of "Child Development" in the Institute of Education. As regards the practical part of my studies abroad, I have visited various Child Welfare Centres and Social Welfare Institutions, in England, Wales, Scotland, Ireland, France, Italy, Switzerland, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Norway and Sweden.

As for my other qualifications, please see the copy of the application form attached herewith dated 5-2-1947 sent for Overseas Scholarship Selection.

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I request your honour that I may be posted in the suitable department, in the city of Madras itself.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Yours faithfully,

Chidambaram,

19-12-1949.

C. D. Kanthimathi

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(True Copy).

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIPS—1947-8.

FORM OF APPLICATION.

sent in triplicate.

NOTE.—This form must be filled in by the candidate in his own handwriting and should be submitted in *triplicate* on or before 8th February 1947.

1. Name in full (in block letters). (NOTE.—Women candidates should indicate whether Miss or Mrs.)	MISS C.D. KANTHIMATHI 27
2. Permanent postal address in full to which all correspondence should be sent.	20, New Street, Chidambaram, South Arcot District.
3. (*a*) Date of birth. (*b*) Age (years completed) on 1st July 1947.	(*a*) 14-2-1924 (*b*) 23 (Twenty three)
4. Place of birth and nationality.	Kumbakonam (Tanjore Dt) British Indian
5. Nationality of your father.	British Indian
6. State your— (*a*) Religion. (*b*) Community, caste or sect. (NOTE.—If you are a member of a scheduled caste, state so specifically.)	(*a*) Hindu Saivite (*b*) Non Brahmin Vellala

7. Educational institutions attended and examinations passed (including post-graduate examinations, if any), commencing with the Matriculation or equivalent examination.

	Name of High School, College, University, etc.	Dates of entering and leaving.	Examinations passed.	Year.	Class or division.	Subjects taken.
(1)	C.S.M. Madras Girls Day High School	June 32-April 41	S.S.L.C	1941	First in rank	Physics and Physiology
(2)	Annamalai University	June 41-Mar 43	Intermediate	1943	First in University	History and Economics
(3)	do do	June 43-March 46	B.A.Hons	'46	1st class II Rank	Economics
(4)	St.Christopher's Training College	June 46	Studying B.T.Course		...	History and English
(5)						

8. Post-graduate training or research experience, if any, together with details of any published work. Reprints of such work should also be submitted. (Dates of entering and leaving a research or training institution should be given).*	Undergoing the Bachelor of Training course in St. Christopher's Training College, Vepery, Madras, for this academic year(i.e., 1946-1947)
9. Industrial or professional experience, if any, and any additional qualifications not covered in columns 7 and 8.*	Nil
10. Present occupation with salary and scale, if any. If in Government service state (*a*) nature of appointment, (*b*) whether in permanent or temporary service, and (*c*) whether entitled to study leave.	Nil
11. Whether married or not.	Not married
12. Subject (and exact branch of subject) in which training is desired. (NOTE.—(*a*) State also the serial number of the subject as given in the appendices to the advertisement. (*b*) A candidate must not offer himself for selection in more than one subject.)	(*a*) Subject "Nursery Education" (*b*) Exact branch D of Appendix I. (*c*) S. No. of subject ,,

* If the space provided is not sufficient attach a separate sheet.

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13. Have you any knowledge of French or German ?	No
14. Full name and complete address of parent or guardian (with relationship).	Father's address: N.Dandapani Pillai, 20, New Street, Chidambaram, (S.A.Dt).
15. Have you applied for a scholarship to be awarded by the Government of India in 1947-8 ? If so, state the course of study which you have proposed to take. (If you apply for a Central Scholarship subsequently, you should notify immediately.)	No
16. State whether you applied for a scholarship awarded by Madras Government in 1945-46 and/or 1946-47 ? If so, whether you were called for interview ?	No

17. Name (and status) of persons from whom you attach testimonials.—

(i) Dr. R.N.Poduval, M.A., M.Sc.,(Lond)., Ph.D.,(Lond) Professor of Economics, Annamalai University.

(ii) Dewan Bahadur C.S.Srinivasachari, M.A., Professor of History & Politics Dean Faculty of Arts, Annamalai University.

18. Give below the names of two persons who are in a position to testify from their personal knowledge of your fitness for the proposed course of study. (They must not be related to you.)—

(1) Name Dr. B.V.Narayanasami Naidu, M.A., B.Com., Ph.D., Bar-at-Law.
Status Principal, Pachaiyappa's College, Madras.
Address

(2) Name Miss Mathew, M.A., (Columbia-New York) L.T.,
Status
Address Principal, St. Christopher's Training College, Madras.

19. Any general remarks which you have to offer. (If the space below is not sufficient attach a separate sheet.)

At present I am undergoing the B.T. course at St. Christopher's Training College, Madras, and will be successfully completing the same by March, 1947. I have acquired administrative experience, training and organising capacity by having taken part in guide, school, college and other social activities including recreation, games and management of boys and girls. For further remarks refer to the attached sheet. I also wish to submit humbly that in case I am not selected for the subject of Nursery Education, i.e., D of Appendix I as noted ~~xm~~ first in column No.12 above, I may be offered in the alternative the following. (a) Subject: Educational administration with specialisation in various aspects, e.g., recreation and social activities and Juvenile employment. (b) Exact branch: D. of appendix II. (c) S.No. of subject. ...

Date 5-2-1947
Place Chidambaram

Signature of applicant. Sd. C.D.Kanthimathi.
Applicant.

Forwarding note by the authority concerned.

(Please state as definitely as possible your opinion as to the applicant's *fitness* for the proposed course of study.)

(If the space below is not sufficient, a separate sheet may be attached and an endorsement to that effect made here.)

Certitified that the candidate is a $\frac{\text{permanent}}{\text{temporary}}$ Government servant and is entitled/is not entitled for study leave.

Enclosures attached:
1. Chidambaram Sub Treasury Receipt No.2338 dated 28-1-47 for Rs. 5/-
2. Certificate of Age from Annamalai University
4. Certificate of conduct and character from Messrs M.Mathew, Principal, Trg. College, C.Nandagopal, Registrar and M.Ruthnaswami, Vice-Chancellor, Annamalai University.
3. Certificate of physical fitness from Dr. K.C.Roy, M.B., B.S., Chidambaram
5. Testimonials from 1. Dr. R.N.Poduwal, 2. Dewan Bahadur C.S.Srinivasachari.
6. Certificate of Educational qualification: B.A (Hons) Diploma of A.Universit
7. Syllabus for B.A (Hons) Examination) in Economics-passed.
. ~~xx~~ Not sent (Record of practical experience) Nil.
9. Photograph (pass-port size) recently taken at Chidambaram.
. Not sent because the applicant does not belong to the Scheduled caste.
ll the above copies were duly attested by C.K.Sivasankaran, District [illegible]
idambaram (a Gazetted Officer) on 1-2-47 and sent by registered on 5-2-47
n registered article No. 797 of the Chidambaram Post Office.

Date
Place

Signature of Authority :
Designation :

25/11

From: Shri S. Krishnamurti.

Government House,
New Delhi.
~~Viceroy's Camp,~~
~~India.~~

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PERSONAL

23rd Novr. 1949

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(translation [illegible])

Dear Sir,

— p.43 infra

The enclosed letter from Shri N. Dandapani Pillai, 20, New Street, Chidambaram regarding his daughter Shrimati C.D. Kanthimathi just returned from abroad is forwarded to you for favour of disposal.

Secy. E&G.H.

KM 20/12

Yours sincerely,

S.Krishnamurti

Private Secretary to the Governor-General

The Hon'ble
Shri K. Madhava Menon,
Minister in charge of Education, Legal,
Courts and Prisons,
Government of Madras,
Fort St. George,
Madras.

PRIVATE

N. Dandapani Pillai,
20, New St.,
Chidambaram,
D/18-11-49.

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To

H.E. the Governor-General of India.

Revered Sir,

By your blessings and help, my daughter Miss C.D.Kanthimathi, M.A.,B.T., has finished her two years course of Foreign Studies very successfully and returned to my place (Chidambaram) on 12-11-49. After taking a month's rest, she will enter upon her duties. My wife and myself are most grateful to you and tender our sincere thanks for the kind help that you ~~rendered~~ so kindly rendered to her. We leave it to you to kindly help her in finding out a decent job where she may have opportunities to serve the country.

(Sd) N. Dandapani Pillai.

Private

N. Dandapani Pillai,
20 New Street,
Chidambaram
18. 11- 49

அன்பு [illegible]
(H. E) அமைச்சருக்கு
[illegible]

[illegible] Miss C. D. Kanthimathi M.A., B.T., [illegible] 12-11-49 [illegible] 14-[illegible]

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எனது சீமை அனுபவம்

ஸ்ரீமதி
காந்திமதி
எம். ஏ., பி. டி.

நாருவது கட்டுரை

என்ன பொருத்தம் பாருங்கள்! மேல் படிப்பிற்காகச் சீமை சென்ற ஸ்ரீமதி காந்திமதியின் ரஸமான கட்டுரைகள் 'நாரத'ரில் வரத் தொடங்கி, தொண்ணூற்றென்பது வாரங்கள் கழிந்திருக்கின்றன. இவ் வாரம் வருவது நாருவது கட்டுரை. இதே வாரத்தில் ஸ்ரீமதி காந்திமதியும் தாய்நாடு வந்து சேர்ந்திருக்கிருர். இது ஒரு விசேஷப் பொருத்தமா இல்லையா? சனிக்கிழமை யன்று காலை, ஸ்ரீமதி காந்திமதி, ஒரு ஸ்பெஷல் விமானத்தில், பகவத் க்ருபையால் பத்திரமாகப் பம்பாயில் வந்திறங்கிஞராம். நல்ல மனசு செய்து, இந்தியா ஹவுஸ் அதிகாரிகள், ஒரு ஸ்பெஷல் விமானத்தில், ஐம்பத்து மூன்று பேர்களை ஏற்றி, சீக்கிரமே அனுப்பியிருக்கிருர்கள். அதிலே ஐந்து பேர் பெண்களாம். பாக்கி நாற்பத்தொன்பது பேர், மாணவர்கள். இது வியாழக்கிழமை மாலை 6-30க்கு லண்டனருகே உள்ள ஹீத்ரோ விமான நிலயத்திலிருந்து புறப்பட்டதாம். இந்தியா ஹவுஸ் அதிகாரிகள் இம்மாணவ, மாணவியரை வழி யனுப்பிஞர்களாம். இரண்டு வருடங்கள் இருந்து பழகிய ஒரு நாட்டைவிட்டுப் பிரிவது மனதிற்குக் கஷ்டமாக இருந்தாலும், தாய் நாட்டையும், பெற்ருேரையும், உற்ருரையும், உறவினரையும், நண்பர்களையும் காணப் போகின்ருேமென்ற ஆவல் அளவு கடந்திருப்பது இயற்கைதானே?

இந்த விமானம் பெல்ஜிய நாட்டு விமானம் போலிருக்கிறது. ஆகவே, லண்டனிலிருந்து பாரிஸிற்குப் போகாமல், நேரே பெல்ஜியத்தின் தலைநகரான பிரஸ்ஸல்ஸ் நகரை அடைந்ததாம்.

லண்டனைவிட்டுப் புறப்பட்ட பொழுது சீமை மணிப்படி மணி ஆறரை. இந்திய மணிப்படி மணி பதினென்று இந்நாட்களில். ஸபேனுஸ்கை மாஸ்டர் என்று பெயராம் அந்த விமானத்திற்கு. சென்னையிலிருந்து பம்பாய், டில்லி, கல்கத்தா போகும் விமானங்களில் 21 பேர்கள் தான் ஏறலாம். 53 பேர்கள் ஏறக்கூடிய விமானம் இதைப் போல் இரண்டு மடங்கு பெரிதாக இருக்குமல்லவா? நான்கு எஞ்சின் விமானம் இது. இதனுள்ளே சீட்டு, செஸ் விளையாட, நாலு பேர்கள் எதிரும், புதிருமாக அமர வசதி இருக்கின்றனவாம்.

லண்டனிலிருந்து 6-30க்குப் புறப்பட்ட விமானம் 7-50க்கு, பெல்ஜியத்தின் தலைநகரை அடைந்ததாம். அங்கிருந்து 9-30க்குப் புறப்பட்டு, மார்சேல்ஸ் நகரின் மேலாகவே பறந்து, மறுநாள் காலை 7க்கு, கிரீஸ் தேசத்தின் தலைநகரான ஏதன்ஸ் நகரில் வந்திறங்கிற்ரும். இந்தக் கிரீஸ் நாட்டை காந்திமதி பார்ப்பது இதுவே முதல் தடவை. அங்கு காலை ஆகாரத்தை முடித்துக் கொண்டு, ஒன்பது மணிக்குப் புறப்பட்டதாம். அந் நகருக்குள்ளே போக அநுமதியிருந்தும், விமான நிலயத்தை விட்டு வெளியே யாரையும் போக விடவில்லையாம். அங்கே கொரில்லாக்கள் நிரம்பி யிருக்கிருர்களே! எங்கே யிருந்தாவது 'டுப்' என்று சுட்டு விட்டால் என்ன செய்வது? ஆகவே அநுமதி தரவில்லையாம் யாருக்கும்.

காந்திமதி சீமையிலிருந்து சவாரி செய்து வந்திறங்கிய 'சபேனு' என்ற நாலு எஞ்சின் விமானம்.

வெள்ளி யன்றிரவு எட்டு மணிக்கு, பாரசீக நாட்டிலே, பாரசீக வளைகுடா அருகே உள்ள பஹ்ரீன் நகரை அடைந்ததாம். பாரசீகதேசமும் காந்திமதி பார்த்திராத தேசமே. ஆனல், இரவு வேளை. அதிகம் பார்க்க முடியவில்லையாம். பகலில் பார்த்தால் மட்டும், என்ன புரிந்து விடப் போகிறது? அவ்வளவு உயரத்திலிருந்து பார்த்தால், எல்லாமலைகளும், ஊர்களும் ஒரே மாதிரியாகவே தோன்றும். கப்பல்கள் எல்லாம் ஏதோ சிறு படகுகள் மாதிரி இருக்கும்.

பஹ்ரீனிலிருந்து ஒன்பதுக்குப்புறப்பட்டு, பம்பாயிலே சனியன்று காலை சூரியோதயத்துடன் மேற்படி விமானம் வந்திறங்கிற்ரும். காலைக் கதிரவனின் வருகை கண்டு உலகமே மகிழ்ச்சி யடைகின்றது. அன்று காலைக் கதிரவனின் வருகையும், காந்திமதி சவாரி செய்துவரும் விமானத்தின் வருகையும் சேர்ந்து, பம்பாய் விமான நிலயத்தில் படபடக்கும் உள்ளத்துடன் காத்து நின்ற ஸ்ரீ என். தண்டபாணி பிள்ளையின் மகிழ்ச்சியை பல மடங்கு அதிகரிக்கச் செய்திருக்கும் என்பதில் சந்தேகமேயில்லை.

'சுந்திரமூர்த்தி ஸ்வாமிகள் மணிமுத்தா நதியில் (விருத்தாசலத்தில்) பொன்னைப் போட்டு, திருவாரூர் குளத்தில் தேடிப்பெற்ருர். அதே போல், நான் காந்திமதியை அராபிக் கடலில் (கப்பலில் அனுப்பி விட்டு) ஆகாயத்தைப் பார்த்திருந்து, பெற்றேன்' என்று தமாஷாகச் சொன்ஞர் ஸ்ரீ தண்டபாணி பிள்ளை.

எதிர்பாராத வகையில், காந்திமதியின் தந்தையார், காந்திமதியை வரவேற்கப் பம்பாயில் இருக்க நேர்ந்தது. பம்பாயில் நடந்த, கீழ்த்திசை தத்வஞான மகாநாட்டில் கலந்து கொள்ள அவர் ஸ்ரீ கே. எம். பாலசுப்ரமண்யம் பி. ஏ., பி. எல்., லுடன் போஞர். மதுங்காவிலும், பூனவிலும் சைவமதப் பிரசங்கங்களை, கேட்போர் வியக்க, மேற்கண்ட இருவரும் செய்தனராம்.

இச்சமயம், காந்திமதியிடமிருந்து ஸ்ரீ தண்டபாணி பிள்ளைக்கு, காந்திமதி சீமையிலிருந்து புறப்படும் தேதி பற்றிய கடிதம் வந்திருக்கிறது. அப்படியே அவர் அங்கு தங்கி, தமது அருமைக் குமாரியை ஆவலோடு வரவேற்றிருக்கிருர்.

அவருக்கு வந்த கடிதம் சாதாரணக் கடிதமல்ல. திகில் மூட்டக் கூடிய கடிதம். அதைப் பார்த்துத் திடுக்கிட்டுப் போஞராம், ஸ்ரீ என். தண்டபாணி பிள்ளை. அன்று ஸ்ரீ கே. எம். பாலசுப்ரமண்யம் வெகு ஸ்வாரஸ்யமாகத் திருவாசகத்தின் அழகை எடுத்துக் கூறிக் கொண்டிருந்தாராம். அச்சமயம், பம்பாய் நண்பர் ஒருவர், ஸ்ரீ தண்டபாணி பிள்ளையிடம் சீமையிலிருந்து வந்த கடிதத்தைக் கொண்டு தந்தாராம். அதை வாசித்த ஸ்ரீ என். தண்டபாணி பிள்ளையின் கண்களில் அவரையுமறியாமல் கண்ணீர்ப் பிரவாகிக்கத் தொடங்கிற்ரும். அதைப் பார்த்த உடனே, நமக்கொரு நீண்ட பிரஸ் தந்தி கொடுத்து விட்டார் அவர். அதைப் பார்த்த நாமும்

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திகைத்துப் போனோம். அப்படிப் பட்ட சேதி அதில் அடங்கியிருந்தது.

"காந்திமதி படிப்பு முடிந்து சிமையை விட்டு, ஸ்பெஷல் விமானத்தில் வியாழனன்று புறப்படுகிறாள். சனியன்று காலை பம்பாய் அடைகிறாள். சிதம்பரம் செல்கிறாள். வாராவாரம் தான் எழுதி வந்த கட்டுரைகளில் விசேஷ சிரத்தை காட்டிய வாசகர்களுக்கு வந்தனம் தெரிவிக்கிறார். கடவுள் க்ருபையால் மற்றொரு பயங்கர விபத்திலிருந்து நான்காந் தேதி காப்பாற்றப் பட்டார். ஹோட்டலை அடையவேண்டி, தெருவைக் கடக்க நடக்கையில், சக்கரங்களின் நடுவே மாட்டிக் கொண்டார். கடவுள் செயல். முதுகிலும், தலையிலும் அடி. நல்லகாலம் உயிர் தப்பினார். வாசகர்கள் இந்தச் சந்தோஷ முடிவைக் கேட்டு மகிழ்வார்கள் என எதிர்பார்க்கிறேன்"

தண்டபாணி.

இதை, அதிலும் தந்தி ரூபத்தில் வாசித்த பொழுது, திகைப்பு ஏற்படாமலிருக்குமா?

ராபர்ட் க்ளைவ், தம்மை மும்முறை சுட்டுக் கொண்டும் தான் சாகாது தப்பியதைப் பார்த்து, 'நான் ஏதோ ஒரு பெரிய காரியத்தைச் சாதிக்க வென்று காப்பாற்றப் பட்டிருக்கிறேன் போலிருக்கிறது' என்று சொல்லிக் கொண்டாராம்.

அம்மாதிரி, ஸ்ரீமதி காந்திமதி ஏதோ ஒரு பெரிய காரியத்திற்காகவே, நான்கு தடவைகளிலும், பயங்கரமான விபத்துக்களில், சாவின் வாயிலிருந்தே பறித்துக் காக்கப் பெற்றிருக்கிறார் என்று நினைக்கிறோம். அவர் ஆரோக்ய திடகாத்திர சரீரத்துடன், நீடூழி வாழட்டும்.

நேற்று முன்தினம் அதிகாலையில் அவரை நமது பிரதிநிதிகள் சென்ட்ரலிலே சந்தித்தனர். அதைப்பற்றி அப்புறம் சொல்கிறோம். முதலில், அவர் எழுதியுள்ள இரு கடைசிக் கடிதங்களில் அடங்கியுள்ளவற்றைத் தருகிறோம்.

'கடைசியில் 10ந் தேதி புறப்படுகிறேன். எனக்குக் குஷி தாங்க முடியவில்லை. இரண்டு வருடங்களுக்குப் பிறகு திரும்பும் எனக்கு உணர்ச்சி எப்படி தலைவிரித்தாடுமென்பதைச் சொல்லவேண்டுமா? இன்னும் ஒரே ஒரு வாரம். 12ந் தேதி காலை 6-30க்கு, பம்பாயில் வந்திறங்கின அன்றே மதராஸிற்கு ரயிலேறிவிட வேண்டும்.

இன்று அம்மை குத்திக்கொண்டேன். 'இன்னும் செய்யவேண்டியது இங்கே அநேகமிருக்கிறது. நேரம் போதவில்லை. குளிரோ மிகமிக அதிகம். அலைச்சலுக்குக் குறைவில்லை. கரென்ஸி, கொடுக்கல் வாங்கல், பாங்கி விஷயம், ஸ்காலர்ஷிப், லக்கேஜ் டிக்கெட், பாஸ்போர்ட், வைத்திய சர்டிபிகேட், விமான டிக்கெட், விஸா இத்தனையையும் கிடுகிடுவென்று கவனிக்க வேண்டியிருக்கிறது. எதிர்பார்த்ததற்கும் சீக்கிரமே நான் புறப்படுவது குறித்து, எனக்குச் சொல்லமுடியாத மகிழ்ச்சி.

என்னுடைய ஆராய்ச்சிக் கட்டுரையை இங்கே லண்டன் யுனிவர்ஸிடியில் வெற்றிகரமாக ஒப்புக்கொண்டு, சர்டிபிகேட்டும் கொடுத்துவிட்டார்கள். இதுவும் ஒரு சந்தோஷச் சேதியே! மறுபடியும் இங்கே வருவோமோ, மாட்டோமோ! ஆகவே, இங்குள்ள செயின்ட்.பால்ஸ் மாதாகோவில், மியூஸியம் ஆகியவற்றை மற்றொரு முறை பார்க்கப் போகிறேன். அனைவருக்கும் எனது வந்தனங்கள்'

இக் கடிதம் எழுதினது 3-ந் தேதி. நாலாந் தேதி இரவு விபத்து நேர்ந்துவிட்டது. மறுநாள் பிரக்ஞை வந்ததும், ஒரு கடிதம் எழுதி யிருக்கிறார் அவர். அதை வாசிக்கும் பொழுது, காந்திமதியின் மனம் எப்படிப்பட்டது என்பது தெரிகிறது. அசாத்திய நிதானத்துடன், பரபரப்பின்றி எழுதி யிருக்கிறார்.

முதலில் குசலப் பிரச்னம் செய்துவிட்டு, பிறகு எழுதி யிருக்கிறார். "கடைசியாக நீங்கள் எழுதிய கடிதத்தில், 'சுகமே சிதம்பரம் வந்து சேர்ந்து, எங்கள் வயிற்றில் பால் வார்த்து, மகிழ்விப்பாய் என்றெண்ணுகிறேன். ஆகவே சுகமே விடு வந்து சேருடா கண்ணு!' என்று எழுதி யிருந்தீர்கள். அது எனக்கு அளவில்லாச் சந்தோஷத்தையும், உத்சாகத்தையும் அளித்தது.

ஆனால், மனிதன் நினைக்கின்றான்; கடவுள் மாற்றுகின்றார் அல்லவா? அது மாதிரி, எதிர்பாராத விதமாக நேற்று மறுபடியும் எனக்கு ஒரு பெரிய விபத்து! திடுக்கிடாதீர்கள். ஏறவழியப்பாவின் அருளால் மறுபடியும் நான் மயிரிழையளவில் தப்பித்துக் கொண்டேன். கவலை வேண்டாம். அடுத்த வாரம் இந் நேரம் உங்களைச் சந்திப்பேன்.

இம் முறை நேர்ந்தது கார்விபத்து. நேற்றிரவு சுமார் எட்டு மணிக்கு, ஹாஸ்டலிலிருந்து சாப்பிட வெளியே சென்றேன். ரஸ்ஸல் ஹோட்டலுக்கு நேரே, பாதசாரிகள் ரஸ்தாவைக் கடக்கும் இடத்திலே நடந்து போனேன். ஒரு கார் எனக்குப் போகவழி விட்டு நின்றது. அந்தக் காரின் முன்புறத்தைத் தாண்டி இரண்டெட்டு வைத்ததுதான் தெரியும். நின்றிருந்த காரைத் தாண்டி, எங்கிருந்தோ கனவேகமாக ஒரு கார் வந்து என்னை மோதித் தள்ளிவிட்டது. அப்புறம் என்ன நடந்ததென்றே எனக்குத் தெரியாது. நான் அந்தக் காருக்கு அடியில் கிடந்தேன். என்னை யாரோ மெதுவாகப் பிடித்து கரகரவென்று இழுத்தபோதுதான், கொஞ்சம் தெரிந்தது. சிறிது நேரத்திற்குள் ஏகக் கூட்டம் கூடிவிட்டது. அங்கெல்லாம் பாதையோரங்களில் அம்புலன்ஸ் மோட்டார் உள்ள இடத்திற்கு அவசரமாக போன் செய்ய, கண்ணாடி கேஸ்களில் பூட்டி வைத்திருக்கிறார்கள் டெலிபோனை. அதை யாரோ உடைத்து போன் செய்திருக்கிறார்கள். அம்புலன்ஸ் கார் வந்துவிட்டது.

என்னை அம்புலன்ஸ் மோட்டாரில் படுத்த படியே தூக்கி வைத்தார்கள். என்னை இடித்துத் தள்ளிய காரை ஓட்டி வந்தவர் ஒரு பெண்மணி. அவர் என் அருகிலேயே நின்று, வருத்தம் தெரிவித்து, இன்ஷூரன்ஸ் கோரும்படி யோசனை கூறினார். போலீஸாரிடமும் வாக்குமூலம் கொடுத்தாள்போலிருக்கிறது அவள்.

சமீபத்திலிருந்த ஒரு ஹோமியோபதி ஆஸ்பத்திரிக்கு தூக்கிச் சென்றார்கள். அவர் உடம்பைச் சோதனை செய்து, எக்ஸ்ரே எடுத்துக் கொண்டார். மருந்து போட்டு, தலை, உடம்பெல்லாம் கட்டுப் போட்டார். சிறிது சிறிதாகப் பிரக்ஞை வந்தது. சுற்று முற்றிலும் பார்த்துவிட்டு, 'டாக்டர்! ஆபத்தில்லையே! நான் 10ந் தேதி பறக்கலாமா?' என்று கேட்டேன்.

'அதைப்பற்றி இப்போது எதற்கு நினைவு? பார்க்கலாம்' என்றார் டாக்டர்.

நல்ல வேளையாக ஜுரம் வராததால், என்னை அம்புலன்ஸ் காரிலேயே ஏற்றி, ஹாஸ்டலில் கொண்டு சேர்த்து, ஒப்புவித்துப் போயினர்.

நேற்று முன் தினம் எழுதிய கடிதம் உங்களுக்கு அளவற்ற மகிழ்ச்சியைத் தந்திருக்கும். இதுவும் அவ்வாறே இருக்கவேண்டும். பல், கில், எலும்பு கிலும்பு, கைகால் ஊனப்படாமல் தப்பினேனே! அது கடவுள் செயல்தானே?"

ஆம்! உண்மை! எல்லாம் அவன் செயல்தான். இவ்வளவாவது பத்திரமாக வந்துசேர்ந்தாரே காந்திமதி என்றுதானிருந்தது அன்று பார்த்தபோது.

இங்கு வந்ததும், ஆனந்தவிகடன், நாரதர் அதிபர் ஸ்ரீ எஸ். எஸ். வாஸனைப் பார்த்து, அவரது ஆசியைப் பெற்றுக்கொண்டு, அடுத்த ரயிலிலேயே சிதம்பரத்திற்குப் பயணமானார்.

அவருக்குச் சிறிது ஓய்வு கொடுக்க வேண்டியது அவசியம். ஆகவே இப்போதைக்கு, இந்தச் சீமை அநுபவக் கட்டுரை ஸீரிஸை இந்த வாரத்தோடு, சுபமாக முடித்துக் கொள்கிறோம். இத்தனை காலம் தொடர்ந்து எழுதிய ஸ்ரீமதி காந்திமதிக்கு நேயர்கள் சார்பில் அன்றே நன்றி தெரிவித்து விட்டேன். அவர் ஏற்றுக் கொள்ளவில்லை. அது அவர் சுபாவம்.

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Extract from the letter No. R.C.No.1363 K2/49 dated 8th December 1949 from the Director of Public Instruction.

SUb:- Teachers' College, Saidapet and Lady Willingdon Training College, Madras - Scheme of Research in Education.

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Reply to query Nos. 1 and 2 raised in T.M. by post No. 59156-A1 Edn. dated 30-8-49.

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p.27 cf.

Nos. 1 and 2:- Consequent on the introduction of Basic Education for B.T. course in place of 'Primary Education' and creation of additional post of Assistant Lecturer in Basic Education in the Lady Willingdon Training College, Madras, the post of Lecturer in Kindergarten has become superfluous. Hence the Hon'ble Minister for Education desired that provision should be utilized for organising research in Education on a co-operative basis. Hence Miss C.D. Kanthimathi who could have been appointed in the Lady Willingdon Training College, Madras, to handle 'Primary Education', has no place now.

p.26 cf. p.27 cf.

Reply to query No.3:- In my letter R.C.No. 7083 C2-C7/49, dated 1-8-49, I have already examined the possibilities of absorbing the services of Miss C.D.Kanthimathi and reported that there is no post for which she can be appointed. In case she has to be appointed in any other existing post in this Department, she ~~has to be appoi~~ may perhaps be appointed as Superintendent in the Madras Educational Service in the Women's Branch but the juniormost woman officer in the Madras Educational Service ~~xxx~~ will be affected. The question of her appointment in the re-organisation scheme can be answered only when the post is actually created and qualifictions are laid down.

p.27 cf.

Reply to query No.4.:- The course of study in 'Child Development' which Miss Kanthimathi has undergone at the Institute of Education, London University, is not akin to the course in 'Educational Psychology' suggested in my letter No. 8375 E3/46 dated 12-7-1948

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p.27 cf.

Reply to query No. 5:- Kind attention is invited to Government confidential Memorandum No. 55453 C2/46-2 dated 2-10-1946 and my letter No Rc.No. 4368 C/45 dated 18-11-46 and it is submitted that 'Nursery Education' was the only subject for which women could apply for overseas scholarship. Miss E.Lazarus, Kindergarten Lecturer in the Lady Willingdon Training College, Madras, was due to retire from service on 8-9-47 and at that time there was no suitable candidate for appointment in the above vacancy. Hence it was thought that Miss C.D.Kanthimathi on her return from Overseas can be appointed as Lecturer in Kindergarten in the Lady Willingdon Training College. Having that in view she was asked to take 'Nursery Education' but unfortunately, according to the needs of the present educational system, the post of Kindergarten lecturer became superfluous.

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pp.27-28 cf.

Extract at (1)

Reply to query No.6:- Kind attention is also invited to para 9 of Government confidential Endt. No. 12176-A-3 Edn., dated 7-4-49, and it is submitted that the post of Lecturer in Kindergarten is marked for Miss C.D.Kanthimathi. Since proposals for conversion of the post of Lecturer in Kindergarten into a post of Lecturer in Psychology in the Madras Educational Service in the scheme of research have already been submitted to Government in my letter No. 1363 K2/49 dated 2-9-49, there is no need to recruit either Miss C.D.Kanthimathi or any other candidate. Hence in my letter R.C.No.7083-C2-C7/47 dated 1-8-49 it was requested to delete the post of Lecturer in Kindergarten from the list of estimate of the number of candidates to be put on the approved list of for recruitment by transfer to the Madras Educational Service. In this connection, it is mentioned that Miss C.P.Kamakshiamma who is now working under emergency provisions as temporary Lecturer in Kindergarten in the Lady Willingdon Training College, Madras, does not possess the qualifications prescribed in G.O.No.307 Edn., dt. 7-2-49. Hence she cannot be recruited by transfer to the above post even for the time being. There is no other departmental candidate who is technically qualified for the above post. Hence it was suggested that the post of Lecturer in Kindergarten be delted from the list of estimate of the number of candidates to be put on the approv list for recrutiment by transfer to the Madras Educational Service.

Separate file p.26 cf.

This is the reason for the deletion!

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[illegible] from the letter No. [illegible] and the Director of Public Instruction.

Sub:- Teachers' College, Saidapet [illegible] Training College, Madras - Scheme of Research in Education.

Reply to queries 1 and 2 raised in D.O. from No. 59156-A.4 Edn., dated 28-1-50.

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D.O. No. 59156-A.4 - Edn., d/- ~~28~~-1-50.

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My dear Reddi,

Appt. of Smt. C.D. Kanthimathi, overseas scholar in Edn. Dept., & abolition of posts of Kindergarten lecturers.

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Cf. 4b Ref:- Your letter No. 1363-K2/49, d/- 8-12-49 and 24.1.50

I am to ~~inform you~~ say that the Hon. Minister for Edn. desires to discuss the subject with you. He wants to know, inter alia, what the subject is that is taught now in the Trg. colleges in place of 'Kindergarden'.

Yrs. sincerely,

Despd. 31.1.

D. Sadasiva Reddi,
M.A. (Oxon),
D.P.I.

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From

Miss C.D.Kanthimathi, M.A., B.T.,
20, New Street,
Chidambaram,
South Arcot District.

SECRETARIAT, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
8 FEB 1950
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

9 FEB 1950

To

The Hon'ble Prime Minister.
Government of Madras.
Fort St. George,
Madras.

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Sir,

As per personal instructions given by your honour to my father Mr. N.Dandapani Pillai, on the 2nd instant, at Keezhamoongiladi Basic School, Chidambaram, I am sending this application.

I beg to bring to your honour's kind notice that I am a scholar sent abroad by the Government of Madras, in October, 1947, to study "Nursery Education". I have returned home on the 14th of November, 1949, after finishing my studies in the United Kingdom.

I am a Graduate of the Annamalai University and I have passed my B.A Honours (Economics) Examination held in April, 1946, in the First Class.

Thereafter I took up the Teachers' Training Course in Christopher's Training College, Madras, and passed the B.T Examination, held in March, 1947.

In 1948, I took my M.A Degree in Absentia, at the Annamalai University.

In February, 1947, when the Government of Madras invited applications from candidates wishing to go abroad on studies, I also applied for a Scholarship under the subject of "Nursery Education".

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Accordingly I was selected and sent to the United Kingdom in October 1947, to study for two years.

In the first year, I was admitted by the India House, in the Montessori Training College, Surrey, where I completed the course. For the second year of my stay in England, I was sent to the University of London, where I finished the course of "Child Development" in the Institute of Education. As regards the practical part of my studies abroad, I have visited various Child Welfare Centres and Social Welfare Institutions, in England, Wales, Scotland, Ireland, France, Italy, Switzerland Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Norway and Sweden.

As for my other qualifications, please see the copy of the application form attached herewith dated 5-2-1947 sent for Overseas Scholarship Selection.

I request your honour that I may be posted in the suitable department, in the city of Madras itself.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Yours faithfully,

Chidambaram,
19-12-1949.

C. D. Kanthimathi

D.O.
~~Memo~~ No. 59156-A-5- Edn., dt- 22/2/50. 50

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My dear Reddi,

Appt. of Smt. C.D. Kanthimathi, overseas scholar, Edn. Dept., of and abolition of posts of Kindergarten Lecturer/s.

CF. 4) Ref:- My D.O. No. 59156-A-4-Edn., dt- 28-1-50.

I am to enquire whether you have discussed the matter with the Hon. Minister for Edn.

Yrs. sincerely,
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To
Sri D. Sadasiva Reddi,
MA (Oxon),
D.P.I.

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Director of Public Instruction,

M a d r a s, 28th February 1950.

Asst. Secretary to Government, Education ... Dept. 7 FEB 1950 / 1 MAR 1950

Asst. Secretary to Government, Education ... Dept. 1 MAR 1950

My dear Prabhu,

Sub: Appointment of Srimathi C.D.Kanthimathi, Overseas scholar, Education Department and abolition of posts of Kindergarten Lecturers.

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With reference to your D.O;No.59156-A-5, Education, dated 22nd February 1950 I wish to inform you that I have discussed the matter with the Hon'ble Minister for Education and explained to him that it was not possible to absorb Srimathi C.D.Kanthimathi in the Lady Willingdon Training College.

Yours sincerely,

To

Sri J.M.Lobo Prabhu, I.C.S.,
Secretary to Government,
Education & P.H.Department,
Fort St.George, Madras.

Secretary, Edn. and P.H. Dept. Government of Madras 1 MAR 1950

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D.O. Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, 8th March 1950.

Dear Sir,

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I am herewith enclosing a copy of my letter to the Hon'ble Chief Minister regarding Srimathi C.D. Kanthimathi.

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Yours sincerely,

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The Hon'ble Sri K.Madhava Menon, B.A.,B.L., 37
Minister for Education,
Fort St.George,
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Put up proposals on the basis of this D.O. immediately. A third post is contemplated in the G.O. See X on page 4 here

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D.O.

Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, 8th March 1950.

Dear Sir,

With reference to the discussion I had with you this morning regarding the employment of Srimathi C.D. Kanthimathi in this Department I invite your attention p.4 w/fn -to letter No.73983-A-10, Education, dated 2nd February 1950 from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education & P.H.Department to the Secretary, Madras Public Service Commission, Madras wherein it has been stated that Government are considering the appointment as Superintendent of a Government sponsored scholar. The scholar referred to in the letter is presumably Srimathi C.D.Kanthimathi. If, therefore, Government pass orders on the proposals now under their consideration Srimathi C.D.Kanthimathi can be appointed as a Superintendent directly and there will be no need for her also to apply to the Public Service Commission.

Yours sincerely,

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To
The Hon'ble Sri P.S.Kumaraswamy Rajah,
Chief Minister to the Government of Madras,
Fort St.George, Madras.

Copy to the Hon'ble Minister for Education, Fort St.
George, Madras.

Copy of letter No.73983-A-10, Education, dated 2nd February 1950 from the Secretary to the Government of Madras to the Secretary, Madras Public Service Commission, Madras.

Sub: Recruitment (Direct) - Madras Educational Service -
Women's Branch - Superintendents -

Ref: Your letter No.8974-B3/49-1, dated 4th January 1950.

Proposals have since been put forward to Government for the transfer, under rule 2 (c) of the Special Rules for the Madras Educational Service, of a Kindergarten Lecturer in the Professional Section of the Service, as Superintendent in the Administrative Section of the Service, and also for the appointment as Superintendent in relaxation of the relevant rules, of a Government-sponsored scholar who has returned to India after completion of her studies abroad. If these proposals are accepted, the order of rotation of vacancies in the Superintendent's category for direct recruitment and for transfer will so change that only two vacancies will be left for direct recruitment during 1950. I am therefore to request now that the Commission will advertise only two posts of Superintendents and not three posts as specified in my letter of 16-12-49.

One of the two candidates selected will have to be appointed in the Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim Girls, Royapettah. I am to enclose copy of a communication received from the Director of Public Instruction, No.7083-C7/46 dated 29-12-49, and to request that, if the Commission has no objection, knowledge of Urdu may be considered as a preferential qualification for the candidate and that such preferential qualification may be specified in the Commission's notification advertising the post. The Special Rules for the Madras Educational Service will be amended suitably with effect from the date of the notification.

I am to add that for one of the two posts a Harijan may be selected (vide second para of para 4 of my letter of 16-12-49) and that the selection for the other post may proceed according to the new order of communal rotation, provided that the community represented by the Oversdas scholar referred to above will be regarded as having had its turn in this cycle of rotation. A separate communication in respect of the scholar will follow.

Copy of communication No.7083-C7/46 dated 29-12-49 from the Director of Public Instruction, Madras to the Secretary to Government, Education & P.H.Department.

Sub: Madras Educational Service - Recruitment (Direct) -
Superintendent of Government Hobart Secondary School for
Muslim Girls, Royapettah.

Ref: Government Confidential Endorsement No.73983-A-6.Edn.,dated
16-12-49.

Urdu is the medium of instruction in the Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim girls, Royapettah for the Forms I to VI except in respect of general and optional Mathematics of Forms IV to VI which is taught in English. Optional Chemistry is also taught in English. It is desirable that the Superintendent of the Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim girls, Royapettah should know Urdu for effective supervision of the teaching of the staff. Hence the Commission may be requested to give preference to Urdu-knowing persons while selecting candidates for the post of Superintendent, Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim Girls, Royapettah.

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Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, 8th March 1950.

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Dear Sir,

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Yours sincerely,

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To
The Hon'ble Sri P.S.Kumaraswamy Rajah,
Chief Minister to the Government of Madras,
Fort St.George, Madras.

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Copy of letter No.73983-A-10, Education, dated 2nd February 1950 from the Secretary to the Government of Madras to the Secretary, Madras Public Service Commission, Madras.

Sub: Recruitment (Direct) - Madras Educational Service - Women's Branch - Superintendents -

Ref: Your letter No.8974-B3/49-1, dated 4th January 1950.

Proposals have since been put forward to Government for the transfer, under rule 2 (c) of the Special Rules for the Madras Educational Service, of a Kindergarten Lecturer in the Professional Section of the Service, as Superintendent in the Administrative Section of the Service, and also for the appointment as Superintendent, in relaxation of the relevant rules, of a Government-sponsored scholar who has returned to India after completion of her studies abroad. If these proposals are accepted, the order of rotation of vacancies in the Superintendent's category for direct recruitment and for transfer will so change that only two vacancies will be left for direct recruitment during 1950. I am therefore to request now that the Commission will advertise only two posts of Superintendents - and not three posts as specified in my letter of 16-12-49.

One of the two candidates selected will have to be appointed in the Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim Girls, Royapettah. I am to enclose copy of a communication received from the Director of Public Instruction, No.7083-C7/46 dated 29-12-49, and to request that, if the Commission has no objection, knowledge of Urdu may be considered as a preferential qualification for the candidate and that such preferential qualification may be specified in the Commission's notification advertising the post. The Special Rules for the Madras Educational Service will be amended suitably with effect from the date of the notification.

I am to add that for one of the two posts a Harijan may be selected (vide second para of para 4 of my letter of 16-12-49) and that the selection for the other post may proceed according to the new order of communal rotation, provided that the community represented by the Overseas scholar referred to above will be regarded as having had its turn in this cycle of rotation. A separate communication in respect of the scholar will follow.

Copy of communication No.7083-C7/46 dated 29-12-49 from the Director of Public Instruction, Madras to the Secretary to Government, Education & P.H.Department.

Sub: Madras Educational Service - Recruitment (Direct) - Superintendent of Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim Girls, Royapettah.

Ref: Government Confidential Endorsement No.73983-A-6.Edn.,dated 16-12-49.

Urdu is the medium of instruction in the Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim girls, Royapettah for the Forms I to VI except in respect of general and optional Mathematics of Forms IV to VI which is taught in English. Optional Chemistry is also taught in English. It is desirable that the Superintendent of the Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim girls, Royapettah should know Urdu for effective supervision of the teaching of the staff. Hence the Commission may be requested to give preference to Urdu-knowing persons while selecting candidates for the post of Superintendent, Government Hobart Secondary School for Muslim Girls, Royapettah.

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From:-

Miss C. D. Kanthimathi M. A., B. T.
20 New street.
Chidambaram. (S. A. Dt.)

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
10 MAR 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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To
Secretary to Govt.
Public Health & Education Dept.
Fort St. George. Madras.

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Sir,

I should like to bring to your notice that I am a scholar, sent to the United Kingdom by the Government of Madras in 1947, to study "Nursery Education." After a two-year stay in England, I returned to ~~England~~ India on the 12th. of November, 1949. After coming here, I reported myself to the government duly but so far I have not received any communique and you have not even acknowledged my letter.

It is four months since I returned here and I do not know how long I have to wait still more for a gazetted post in your department. Hence I request you to inform me about my ~~future~~ job, without any delay. Or if I have to apply for a post separately, please let me know & If so, could I apply independently or through your Dept?

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Because I have waited long enough for a communique from the Govt., I now want to know my present position clearer, for I cannot be sitting at home, any longer, speculating for a suitable post indefinitely.

Therefore, kindly let me know the details in connection with my post, without delay.

Thanking you,

Yours truly,

C. D. Kanthimathi.

Chidambaram.
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I Edn. Dept.(A).

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M.E.S. - Smt. C.D.Kanthimathi, overseas scholar - Apptd. as Supdt.

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Read:- From the D.P.I., D.O. d/- 8-3-50.

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G.O.(MS.) No. 825 Edn., d/- 13-3-50

Srimati C.D.Kanthimathi, Govt.-sponsored scholar who has returned ~~from U.K.~~ to India after completing her studies abroad, is apptd. to officiate as Supdt. in the Administrative Section of the M.E.S. (Women's Branch), w.e.f. the date of taking charge.

2. The DPI is requested to give Srimati Kanthimathi ~~to~~ a suitable posting.

3. Nothing herein contained ~~shall~~ will affect the rights of the Govt. under the bond executed by Smt. Kanthimathi.

4. The A.G. is informed that the date of Smt. Kanthimathi's birth is 14-2-1924.

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To the DPI.
" S., M.P.S.C.
" A.G.
" R.B. (x)
" ~~Exxxx~~ P.W.(I.&.P.) (x)
" Pub.(CL). (x)
" G Sec.
" G. of I., Ministry of Edn., New Delhi 3.

To Smt. C.D. Kanthimathi, 20, New Street, Chidambaram.
To the S.P.D.(for pubn. in the Ft. St. G. G.) (x)

(x) para 1 only.

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~~filled by direct recruitment.~~

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II.

Letter/Ref.No. 59156 A-6 – d/- 13/3/50.

To

The Secy., M.P.S.C. (with copy of Draft I)

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Dspd F 2 S/c
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Sir,

Rect.--Direct--M.E.S.(Women's Br.)--Supdts.
Ref:- Mr. Lobo Prahbu's letter No.73983-A-10-
Edn., d/- 2-2-50.

Cf. 27-28 of L.F. II

In contn. of the letter cited, I am to forward h/w. copy of the Govt.'s Procs. No. ~~825~~ Edn., d/- 1/3/50, in which Smt. C.D.Kanthimathi has been apptd. as Supdt. in the M.E.S.(Women's Br.), and to state that as she belongs to the Non-Brahmin (Hindu) community, the first turn due to that community in the new order of communal rotation shd. be regarded to have been satisfied.

Draft I

Col. 6 at p. 39 cf.

Yrs.ffly.,

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III.

Endt.No. 59156 A-7 d/- 13/3/50.

Copy to the DPI.

2. The Dir. is informed that Smt.Kanthimathi ~~xkdx~~ has been apptd. against the vacancy which occurred consequent on the death of Smt.S.B.Israel and which stands reserved to be filled by direct recruitment.

No. 9 at F

To the DPI. Dspd 13.3.50

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C.No. 78531 C2/48- E & P.H. (C2).

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Advanced Studies Overseas - 1947 - 8 - Miss C. D. Kanthimati -

From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Edn. No.F.4-2/S.22/47.S.II dated 22-10-1948.

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For the reasons stated in their letter read above, the Govt. of India want details of theoretical and practical training and particulars of the post, including the exact duties involved, which Miss Kanthimati is expected to take up on her return. The scholar was selected in 1947-'8 for advanced studies in "Nursery Education" and is intended for absorption in the teaching personnel of Arts or Professional Colleges. At the time of selection of scholars for 1947- 48 the D.P.I. in his general remarks, stated that there was need for a number of persons to be trained as quickly as possible to provide for vacancies that were likely to arise in the various Govt. Arts Colleges and suggested that scholarships might be offered in certain subjects specified by him, including one for "Nursery Education", for ~~a~~ supplying the teaching personnel. Accordingly Miss Kanthimati was given the scholarship.

DPI's letter [illegible] 4368
[illegible] 9.10.46
G.O. 1187 Edn
9.6.47 [illegible]

2. In Nov. 1947 she commenced her studies in the Montessori Training College, Surrey, England. As the course given was not suitable to post-graduates like her she requested this Govt. for a change of subject and institution. The Director of Public Instruction who was consulted suggested that she might be asked to take a course in Educational Psychology and a Diploma in Edn. of the London University. In the meantime this Govt. received a letter from Mr. M.S. Sundaram of the Edn. Deptt., of the Office of the High Commr., to the effect, that in consultation with the scholar he had made arrangements for her to join the London University Institute of Edn. for the term commencing Oct. '48 and also for evening courses in the Montessori Training Centre in London. The

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The Govt. approved the arrangement.

3. The normal course of studies for Overseas scholars is 2 years. Miss Kanthimati completed 1 year in the Montessori Training College and may now be doing her 2nd Year in the London University Institute of Edn. On completion of that course she will have to return to India in the ordinary course. There does not seem to be any particular post reserved for her on return. However, the D.P.I. may be consulted ~~as to~~ whether he has any posts in view for her employment. ~~the post which she is likely to be offered~~ employed. With reference to her employment he may be requested to state whether she should undergo any special courses before return. He may be requested to furnish the information required by the Govt. of India in para 2 of their letter. The file may be sent U.O. to the D.P.I.

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Office of the D. P. I.,
Madras, 8th December 1948.

U.O. Reply.

Ref: Government E & P.H. Department U.O.No.78531-C2/48-1
dated 11th November 1948.

Miss C.D. Kanthimati on return from her advanced studies overseas can be appointed as Lecturer in Kindergarten in the Lady Willingdon Training College, Madras (vide my letter to Government R.C.No.2 W.B.L1/47 dated 16-4-48). But it is understood from her father that she desires to go to America for further studies. Hence it is not possible now to say whether Miss Kanthimati will take up the job as Kindergarten Lecturer in the Lady Willingdon Training College. The information required by the Govt. of India in para 2 of their letter No.F.4.2/S.22/47.S.II dated 22-10-48 cannot be furnished, until it is ascertained officially from her. I am now writing a D.O. letter to her and on receipt of her reply, a further report will be submitted.

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9.12.48

J.D.P.I.

To the Secretary to Government, Edn. & Public Health Department.

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The further report referred to by the D.P.I at "A" on p 2 ante may be awaited.

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The D.P.I may be reminded. A draft memo is submitted for approval

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Ministry of Edn,

p 17 cf E No 31294/49. From Govt. of India No. F4-2/S-22/S3-47 d 23/4/49.

Please see the notes at p. 1-2 ante. The DPI was asked to furnish the information required by GOI. in their letter at p. 1-2 CF. He has written to Miss Kanthimathi in London and is awaiting her reply. GOI. may be informed accordingly. They may also be told that she is likely to be employed as a Kindergarten Lecturer under this Govt. A draft letter is submitted.

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pp 19-20 cf [Letter No. 78531 E2/48-4 Edn d 28.6.49]

p 21 cf [D.O. No. 78531 E2/48-5 Edn d 30.6.49]

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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
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10 JUL 1949
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C. D. Kanthimathi
H. ~~A.~~B.T.
has been sent as a
Govt scholar to England
or so for Nursery Education
& is to return soon. What is
the provision you are making
for her pl

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order of appt. - (J) / cf 13 ~~remove~~

The question of appointing Miss Kanthimathi as Kindergarten Lecturer in the Lady Willingdon Training College, in place of Miss C.P. Kamakshi Amma who is now^x offg. in the post temporarily, will be taken up on the former's return to India. With refce. to the details of the studies she has undergone, the D.P.I. will also be asked whether she can be apptd. to any other post in the dept. - if she is not suitable for the Kindergarten Lecturership.

To be recd. from Govt of India

C No 78531 E2 / 48

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Attention is invited to the notes on pp 1-2 ~~of L.F.~~ Miss Kanthimathi's scholarship for two years expires in October '49. ~~There is a possibility of her going to~~

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~~to the U.S.A for further studies. The D.P.I has written to the scholar in this matter.~~

The file may be circulated to H.M. (E+L)

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H.M (E+L)

What will be the position of Kamakshi Ammal on the

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SECRETARY, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
25 JUL 1949
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Miss Kamakshi Amma will have to revert to the Subordinate Service as School Asst. But as she is a probationer in the ~~post~~ category of lecturers in History in the M.E.S., if vacancies arise in that category she can get re-apptd. There are, however, Miss L. Kalliani-kutty, her senior, and Miss M. Achaya, a direct recruit, who have to be provided with vacancies in the History unit before Miss Kamakshi Amma can be apptd. thereto.

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SECRETARY, EDN. A
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From the Pr. Secy. to the Hon. Mr., to H.M. (E. & L.), d/-23.11.49. CF 41
From Smt. C.D.Kanthimathi, d/- 19.12.49. CF 29
"Put up."
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Copy at p.46 cf.

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Smt. C.D.Kanthimathi, overseas scholar, has returned to India on 14-11-49. She was selected by Govt. to undergo higher studies abroad in "Nursery Education" and was intended, on her return to India after completing studies, for appointment in the post of Kindergarten Lecturer in the Lady Willingdon Training College in the M.E.S. She has undergone a year's advanced course in "Child Development" in the Institute of Education at London University. She also attended evening classes in the London Montessori Trg. College (private institution) and visited a large no. of institutions in England and on the continent.

2. The D.P.I. has now reported that there is no post in which Smt. Kanthimathi can be apptd. With the introduction of 'Basic Education' in lieu of 'Primary Education' in the L.W.T.C., the post of Kindergarten Lecturer has become superfluous and has been proposed by the Dir. to be converted into a post of Lecturer in Psychology to be utilized for organizing research in the college. The correspondence that has passed between this Dept. and the D.P.I. at pp.26-28 c.f. of this file and p.46 cf ~~pp.10-13 and 17-19 cf of L.F.~~ may be perused.

3. The question of finding ~~xx~~ other suitable employment for the scholar has therefore to be pursued. The G.of.I. and other Provl. Govts. may be asked whether they have any suitable position to offer Smt. Kanthimathi. But such an effort may not be quite successful. The Dir. says that if she has to be absorbed in any other existing post in the M.E.S. she may perhpas be apptd. as Supdt. of a Govt. Secy. and Trg. school for Women (Rs.230-700) but that then the juniormost officer in the M.E.S. will be affected. After spending much money over the candidate, there is no point in Govt. releasing her now from the bond executed by her. The reversion from the M.E.S. to the M.E.S.S. of the juniormost transferee officer officiating in the former service is inevitable if Smt. Kanthimathi is to be provided for. Being a I Class B.A.(Hons) in Economics and B.T., Smt. Kanthimathi is qualified for direct recruitment as Supdt. Her overseas experience will stand her in good stead in the management of a school, particularly a training institution.

7 Consultation with the M.P.S. Commission for her appt. is not necessary. Whatever rules that stand in the way of her appointment - communal rule, rule prescribing the order of rotation in which the posts shd. be filled in the Admn.Secn, etc.— may be relaxed in her favour in accordance with the general orders at "M" applicable to all overseas scholars.

28 JAN 1950

4. For orders whether Smt. Kanthimathi will be apptd. as Supdt. If so, the D.P.I. may be asked whether he considers that any initial administrative training need be given to her.

5. In April last, it was presumed that Smt. C.P. ~~Kamkk~~ Kamakshi Amma (School Asst.) who was offg. under the emergency provns. as Kindergarten Lecturer pending the return from abroad of Smt. Kanthimathi, would possess the qualfns. prescribed for the post and that therefore her tempy. appt. might be regularized subject to her vacating the post when Smt.Kanthimathi returned. On the basis of that presumption the Commission was asked to recommend the name of a candidate for appt. by transfer. — copy at p.46 c.f. — see bottom. The D.P.I. now says that neither Smt.Kamakshi Amma nor any other deptl. officer possesses the prescribed qualfns. (for appt. as kindergarten lecturer) and that therefore the estimate may be cancelled. The proposal may be accepted.

C.F. 19 of c.f.

6. May be sent to Pub.(Ser) for remarks on P. above ~~before~~ circulation to H.M.(E.&.L.) and H.Pr.

cf. C.F. 37.

[Copy of the order of relaxation will be sent to the M.P.S.C.]

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Public (Ser) Department.

The note of E & P.H. only from p. 6 ante. ~~[illegible]~~ need be perused.

'P' above :- This dept. need not object.

The file may be returned to E & P.H.

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C.S. | E.P.H.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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9 JAN 1950
CHIEF SECRETARIAT

Pub. (Ser. A)
U.O. No. 106/50

Edn. & P.H. (A)

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Notes from p.6 ante may be read.

The points for orders are:— 49

① whether Smt. C.D. Kanthimathi, overseas scholar, will be apptd. as Supdt. of a School, in the M.E.S., in relaxation of the rules; and

② whether the estimate sent to the Commission for the selection of a departmental officer for the post of Kindergarten lecturer may be cancelled for the reason given in para 5 of p.7 ante.

28 JAN 1950
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

May be cd. to H.M.(E.&L.) & H.Pr.

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H.M (E&L)

H.M.

May approve ① & ② above.

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H.M (E & L)

H. Pr

What is the subject in place of Kindergarten that is being taught now in the Training Colleges? I should like to discuss with D.P.I.

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The D.P.I. may be told that H.M. desires to discuss the matter with him. A draft D.O. is subd.

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C.F. (47) (Issued as D.O. No. 59156-A-4-Edn., d/- 28-1.50.)

On Smt. Kanthimathi's representation at p.37 C.F H.C.M. minuted on 19-12-49 that the case might be put up to him. He has now ordered, on a copy (C.F.48) of the same representation recd. by him since, ~~he has minuted "May~~ that it may be sent to the D.P.I. As the matter has already ~~xxxx~~ been considered in consultation with the D.P.I., and as H.M.(E.&L.) proposes to discuss ~~the~~ it with the Dir. personally, the file may be subd. to H.C.M. after H.M. arrives at a ~~discussion~~ decision ~~after~~ as a result of the discussion with the Dir. ~~The H.M.(E.&L.) may see now.~~ A draft D.O. asking the Dir. whether he has discussed the files with H.M., is subd.

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pp. 6-7 ante

p. 8 ante & p. 47 C.F.

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Issued as D.O.No.59156-A-5-Edn., d/- 22-2-50.) p.50 C.F.

From the D.P.I., D.O. d/- 28-2-50. C.F. 51

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The DPI says that he has discussed the matter with H.M. and has informed him that it ~~was~~ is not possible to absorb Smt. Kanthimathi in the L.W.T. College. But the suggestion made by this dept. at pp.6-7 ante is that the candidate may be apptd. as Supdt. of a Secy. or Trg. School in the M.E.S. ~~For~~ May be circd. to H.M.(E.&L.) and H.C.M. for orders on that suggestion, & on point ② at p.8 ante.

This is based on Director's suggestion on p 19 of the [illegible] file

The suggestions may be accepted and the appointment ordered.

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H.M.(E.&L.) Both has the D.P.I. suggested this [illegible] a place [illegible]

H.C.M.

(Box) C.16.

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Pl. see Secy.'s pencil remarks at M above.

In his letter at C.F.19 of L.F. (copy at C.F.46 of this file), the D.P.I. reported that in case Srimati Kanthimathi had to be apptd. in any existing post in the dept. (other than the Kindergarten Lecturers' posts), she might perhaps be apptd. as Supdt. in the M.E.S. in the Women's Branch, but that then the juniormost woman officer would be affected. This dept. pointed out that ~~that as after spending~~ when the Govt. had spent much money on the education of Smt. Kanthimathi, there was no point in her being released from her bond; that she was qualified and suitable for appt. as Superintendent of a Secy. or Training School, and also that the reversion of the juniormost of the promotee-officers to the M.E.S.S. was inevitable if Smt. Kanthimathi had to be provided for. It was also suggested that the Dir. might be asked whether he considered any administrative training to be given to the candidate preliminary to her appt. as Supdt.

p. 6 ante

para 4, p.7 ante

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Two vacancies in the Administrative Section of the Women's Branch of the M.E.S., due to be filled by direct recruitment, will occur in 1950. The ~~recommendation~~ M.P.S. Commission has been asked to advertise those vacancies. Perhaps, if it is agreed to in circn., against one of the two vacancies, Smt. Kanthimathi may be apptd. and the Commn. asked to advertise only one post. In that case, no deptl. officer can have any legitimate grievance in the matter. For orders.

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May be recircd. to H.M.(E.&L.).

P.J. 8.3.50

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[Appt. of Miss Alexander as Supdt. will be in a post that wd. be otherwise available to a transferee.]

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
11 MAR 1950
SECRETARY

H.M.(E.&L.).

The D.P.I has sent a D.O. to H.M. about this. Await that.

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P.T.O.

Education Dept. (A)

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p.52 cf. ~~cf.F~~ From the D.P.I., D.O. to H.M.(E. & L.), dated 8-3-50

Put up proposals on the basis of this D.O. immediately. A third post is contemplated in the G, O. See X on p. ~~4~~ 55 cf here.

K.M(adhava Menon),
9-3-50.

p.10 ante The main file in which the question of appointing Srimati C.D.Kanthimathi, overseas scholar, in the Edn. Dept. was dealt with, was circd. to H.M.(E. & L.) and H.C.M. on 8-3-50, along with the file about Smt. C.P.Kamakshi Amma, Kindergarten Lecturer.

p.10 ante This dept. has suggested in the main file that Smt. Kanthimathi may be apptd. as Supdt. of a Secondary or Training School after ascertaining from the Dir. whether she requires to be given any initial administrative training. As the Dir. previously pointed out that her appt. would mean the reversion of a promotee officer to the Subordinate Service, it has been suggested that she ~~might~~ may be posted against one of the ~~the two~~ direct recruit vacancies which the Commn. was asked to advertise, cf 4 in which case ~~the~~ no promotee can have any legitimate grievance. ~~It~~ Pending

w.r.t. rule 14 of (S)/24 X

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not to issue.

return of the main file from On, the D.P.I. may be asked to remark on X at p. 1 ante. A draft D.O. is subd. H.M. (E. & L.) may see.

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H.M. (E. & L.).

There is no necessity to consult the D.P.I. further as he has already recommended ~~her~~ for the the post reserved. She may be directly posted for the post reserved for her as Supdt of a Secy Training School ~~[illegible]~~ + orders may issue.

H.B.A.M.

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Orders in On at previous page.

Three drafts (including draft of an order of appt.) are subd.

No.9 at (F)

2. If the vacancy that occurred on 16-12-49 consequent on the death of Smt. S.B.Israel is also taken into account, the roster of methods of appt. for the vacancies due to arise before the end of 1950 will stand as at "F", and three posts will be available for direct recruitment. Even the proposed transfer of Smt. C.Alexander ~~'s transfer~~ from the Professional Section, Kindergarten Lecturer's post, to the Administrative Secn., as a Supdt., is ordered, it will not alter the no. of vacancies for direct recruitment (3); for, vacancy No.14 at "F" which should, as things stand now, go to a transferee, will serve as a safeguard if one of the posts is filled by Smt. Alexander and is deleted from the roster w.r.t. the last para of Special Rule 2(d) for the M.E.S.

Nos. 1,9 & 13 at (F)

(L.F. I)

Smt. Kanthimathi may be apptd. against Smt. Israel's vacancy - No.9 at "F". The two posts which the Commission has been asked to advertise may be taken to be (1) Supdt., Hobart Secy. School, Royapettah, and (2) the vacancy that will arise on Miss D.Frank's retirement. It is not necy. to ask the Commn. now to drop the selection of a candidate for one of the two posts.

Cf 27-28 of L.F. II

No.13 at (F).

As suggested at R at p.10 ante

3. As it is a direct recruit vacancy against which Smt. Kanthimathi is being apptd. and as, further, w.r.t. the last para of the letter to the Commission at p.28 C.F. of L.F.II, the Non-Brahmin (Hindu) community (to which Smt. Kanthimathi belongs) shd. be deemed to have got its turn consequent on her appt., neither the rule re: methods of appt. for post, nor the communal rules need be relaxed in her favour. No other rule requires relaxation, either.

p.39 C.F.

4. The cancellation of the request sent to the Commn. for the selection of a deptl. candidate for appt. as Kindergarten Lecturer may be done, aft

para 5, p.7 ante
para ②, p.8 ante

the Dir.'s detailed report in L.F.I is recd.

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(Issued as G.O. 825-Edn., dt. 13.3.50,
Letter 59156-A-6, dt. 13.3.50 &
Endt. 59156-A.7, dt. 13.3.50)

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Extract from the confidential letter No.12176-A-2-Edn., dt. 7-4-49, to the Secretary, Madras Public Service Commission.

Sub:- Madras Educational Service - Recruitment by transfer - Estimate of number of candidates to be appointed.

With reference to paragraph 15 of G.O. No.751-Public (Services) dated 24-3-1948, I am directed to send the following estimate of the number of candidates to be put on the approved list for recruitment by transfer to the Madras Educational Service in 1949-50:-

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WOMEN'S BRANCH

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Class: IX Category 1 Designation: Kindergarten Lecturer

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Extract from the Govt. Endorsement No.12176-A-3-Edn., dated the 7th April 1949 to the Director of Public Instruction.

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9. Kindergarten Lecturer:- The question of appointing as Kindergarten Lecturer Miss C.D.Kanthimathi overseas scholar, will no doubt have to be considered on her return to India. The rules regarding the method of appointment, the qualifications, etc. may have to be relaxed for that scholar's appointment. But, for the present, if Miss C.P.Kamakshi Amma, who has been officiating in the post under the mergency provisions, or any other candidate, is technically qualified for recruitment by transfer under G.O.No.307-Edn., dated 7-2-1949, it is only fair to make a regular appointment by that method on the express understanding that the transferee will not be continued in the post when Miss Kanthimathi is appointed. The Commission has therefore been requested to recommend the name of ~~the~~ one candidate.
