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REPORT

OF THE

MANAGING COMMITTEE

OF THE

Madras School Book

AND

Literature Society,

FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1895-96.

INSTITUTED A. D. 1820.

Madras:
PRINTED AT THE S. P. C. K. PRESS, VEPERY.
1896.

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REPORT.

THE Managing Committee of the Madras School Book and Literature Society have much pleasure in submitting to the General Body of Members a brief sketch of the work done by the Society during the year ending 31st March 1896:

2. With a view to give effect to the recommendations of the Sub-Committee appointed for the purpose with regard to the publication of a series of annotated editions of Vernacular Classics, referred to in para. 7 of last year's report, the following advertisement was printed and widely circulated among the tamil scholars of the Presidency:—

“The Madras School Book and Literature Society having resolved to bring out a series of annotated editions of Vernacular Classics, applications are invited from such scholars as are willing to undertake this work on behalf of the Society.

It is proposed to make a beginning with the following works in Tamil:—

- (a) Kambaramayana, in separate parts.
- (b) Villiputhurar Bharatam, in parts.
- (c) Bharatavenba.

The applications should be accompanied by specimens of annotations which should avoid the old method of continuous verbal commentary or word-for-word prose version of each stanza found in bazaar books, say for:—

first five stanzas in the Balakandam of the Ramayana (a) (Society's Edition).

first five stanzas of Sabhaparvam (b) (Navalar's Edition).

first five stanzas of Udyogaparvam of Bharatavenba (c).

In the case of the Bharatavenba (c) the honorarium for editing the complete text with annotation will be Rs. 10 per form of Demi Octavo paper. For annotations of works already published, the remuneration will be Rs. 20 per form, including the allowance for correction of proofs.

Proposals for the annotation of works in other Vernacular languages will be duly considered and accepted if approved by the Committee."

In response to the above advertisement, seven specimens of annotations have been received, and these are still under consideration.

3. In their last report the Committee intimated that they had under consideration communications from gentlemen offering to undertake the production of Biographies and other works, historical and literary. They have now to state that those gentlemen have been asked to submit, as samples of their work, a few pages of the books they propose to bring out to enable the Committee to form an opinion of them.

4. With regard to the preparation of the Urdu Anthology alluded to in para. 9 of last year's report, the Committee have heard from Nawab Imad-ul-Mulk Syed Hussain Belgrami, B.A., Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad, that the work is fairly progressing, and that it will be completed in a few months.

5. With a view to extend the sale of the Society's publications five vending agents have been appointed by the Committee,—two in Madras and one at each of the following stations:—Rajahmundry, Coimbatore and Madura. It is too soon to judge of the effect of

the step that has been taken, but the Committee hope that it will not fail to be attended with considerable advantage to the Society.

6. In February 1896, a communication was received from Messrs. Longmans Green & Co., enquiring whether the Society would accept an agency on their behalf for the sale of their publications. The Committee having fully considered their proposals resolved to accept the agency on the terms offered, and Longmans' excellent readers and other school books are now on sale at the Society's Dépôt at moderate prices.

7. Particulars of the Malayalam Translation Prize Fund are furnished below:—

Funds available on the 1st April, 1895, as per details on page 5 of last year's report:—

			RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.
Promissory Notes	...	...	7,000	0	0				
Cash	...	...	315	0	7		7,315	0	7
Interest for 12 months from 1st Nov. 1894 to 31st October 1895 @ 3½ p. c. per annum deducting Commission "as per letter from the Accountant-General dated 26th June, 1896...									
	...	...					244	6	2
							7,559	6	9

Funds available on the 31st March 1896:—

Promissory Notes	...	...	7,000	0	0
Cash	...	...	559	6	9
			7,559	6	9

The Malayalam prose version of Sir Walter Scott's Lady of the Lake is still in the Press.

The Story of Sakuntala in Malayalam by Mr. Pilo. Paul, which had been forwarded to Mr. M. Krishnan, B.A., of the Presidency College for opinion, was not favourably reported on; the MSS. have accordingly been returned to the Author.

8. The following is an abstract of the total transactions of the Society during the year 1895-96 :—

	Debit.			Credit.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Stock ...	19,616	11	2	20,215	4	0
Cash ...	18,804	11	8	19,116	4	11
Petty Cash ...	656	2	11	656	2	11
Publication Stores ...	975	3	0	980	1	6
Publication Account ...	22,592	1	3	19,498	4	2
Personal Account ...	392	7	9	1,264	1	4
Commission Sale Account ...	267	7	9	118	7	0
Security deposited by office establishment ...	350	0	0	350	0	0
Security deposited by Commission Agents ...	150	0	0	2,000	0	0
Loss ...	393	12	4	...	...	...
Total...	64,198	9	10	64,198	9	10

9. This net loss of Rs. 393-12-4 is due to the following accounts under Profit and Loss :—

	Debit.			Credit.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Establishment ...	3,455	5	0	...	...	...
Pensions ...	330	0	0	...	...	...
Interest on Security deposits ...	63	12	11	...	...	...
Contingencies ...	403	11	7	...	...	...
Discount allowed to Book Sellers ...	5,791	14	2	...	...	...
Miscellaneous ...	572	11	3	...	...	...
Interest on Government Securities ...	...	...	...	1,159	0	5
Gain on Stock Valuation ...	...	...	...	9,044	4	0
Commission realised on the sale of books ...	...	...	...	14	14	2
Realised by the sale of deal wood cases ...	...	...	...	5	8	0
M. S. B. and L. Society ...	...	...	...	393	12	4
Total...	10,617	6	11	10,617	6	11

10. The amount of Rs. 9,044-4-0 given as credit under "Stock Valuation" consists of the nominal value of books, printed and added to stock during the

year, over the actual cost of production as detailed below :—

NAME OF BOOK.	No. of copies added to stock.	Selling Value.			Actual cost of production.			Difference in Valuation.		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GOVERNMENT COPY- RIGHTS :—										
English-Tamil School Dictionary ...	1,000	1,500	0	0	906	1	10	593	14	2
Tamil :—										
Infant Primer ...	30000	2,812	8	0	1,694	2	0	1,118	6	0
1st Standard Reader I. ...	20000	1,875	0	0	1,087	3	1	787	12	11
2nd do do ...	20000	2,500	0	0	1,367	15	5	1,132	0	7
3rd do do ...	15000	2,343	12	0	1,246	0	6	1,097	11	6
4th do do ...	5000	781	4	0	409	6	6	380	13	6
1st Form Reader ...	3000	468	12	0	281	14	5	186	13	7
Telugu :—										
Infant Primer ...	10000	937	8	0	422	5	3	515	2	9
1st Standard Reader. ...	10000	937	8	0	329	11	0	607	13	0
2nd do do ...	10000	1,250	0	0	...	...	...	1,250	0	0
3rd do do ...	10299	1,609	3	6	921	10	9	687	8	9
4th do do ...	4500	834	6	0	508	11	3	325	10	9
1st Form do ...	3000	468	12	0	296	11	0	172	1	0
2nd do do ...	3000	468	12	0	316	3	4	152	8	8
SOCIETY'S COPY- RIGHTS :—										
Tamil :—										
Our Secondary Morals	1000	5	3	4	9	0	2	—3	12	10
Buried City ...	1000	5	3	4	9	0	2	—3	12	10
Early Training or the Story of 5 Thieves.	1000	125	0	0	64	14	2	60	1	10
Autobiography of a Rupee ...	1000	5	3	4	9	0	3	—3	12	11
Parnell's Hermit ...	1000	5	3	4	9	0	3	—3	12	11
Cymbeline ...	1000	62	8	0	36	4	0	26	4	0
Story of a Tea Kettle	1000	5	3	4	7	14	3	—2	10	11
Pleasure and Pain ...	1000	5	3	4	7	14	3	—2	10	11
Why the apple falls?	1000	5	3	4	7	14	3	—2	10	11
Flax ...	1000	5	3	4	7	14	3	—2	10	11
Five Tales for little folks ...	1000	62	8	0	56	7	0	6	1	0
Life of Lord Clive ...	1000	125	0	0	105	4	0	19	12	0
Old Deccan Days ...	100	87	8	0	88	2	0	—0	10	0
Janavinodini ...	20	10	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0
Telugu :—										
Janavinodini ...	31	15	8	0	7	12	0	7	12	0
Malayalam :—										
Johnson's Rasselas ...	300	150	0	0	223	15	10	—73	15	10
Malabar District Geo- graphy ...	1000	31	4	0	19	11	0	11	9	0
	158650	19,498	4	2	10,454	0	2	9,044	4	0

11. The following books are now in preparation:

GOVERNMENT COPYRIGHT BOOKS:—

English:—

- English-Tamil School Dictionary.
- Anglo-Tamil 3rd Reader.
- Anglo-Telugu 2nd do.
- Do. 3rd do.
- Anglo-Hindustani 4th Reader.

Tamil:—

- Tamil 1st Standard Reader, Part I.
- Do. 2nd do. do.
- Do. 1st Book of Agriculture.

Telugu:—

- Telugu Infant Primer.
- Do. 4th Reader, Part II.
- Do. 1st Book of Agriculture.
- Do. Domestic Economy.

SOCIETY'S COPYRIGHTS:—

English:—

- Fowler's Discipline.

Hindustani:—

- Madras Presidency.

Tamil:—

- Natural History, Pt. II.
- Forest Friends and Foes.

Malayalam:—

- Natural History, Pt. II.
- Lady of the Lake.

Telugu:—

- Arauyaparyam.

Canarese:—

- Natural History, Pt. II.

Urdu:—

- Anthology.

12. The amount of Rs. 572-11-3 given as debit against "Miscellaneous" includes the following items:

	RS.	A.	P.
1. Value of books issued free for Reprint ...	31	9	3
2. Value of books written off ...	128	14	6
3. Audit fee for 1894-95 ...	150	0	0
4. Purchase of Vernacular publications for gratis distribution ...	99	14	0
5. Payment made for the preparation of blocks of illustrations of certain Government Copyright Readers ...	162	5	6
Total...	572	11	3

13. The net loss of Rs. 393-12-4, which is explained by the Auditor in para. 10 of his report, has reduced the net assets of the Society from Rs. 100,985-15-10 on the 1st April 1895 to Rs. 100,592-3-6 on the 31st March 1896 as shown below:—

	Balance on 1st April 1895.		Balance on 31st March 1896.	
ASSETS.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
Government Securities ...	34,000	0 0	34,000	0 0
Furniture ...	2,404	9 10	2,404	9 10
Estimated Value of Books in Stock ...	57,763	5 8	57,164	12 10
Cash ...	3,752	14 8	3,441	5 5
Petty Cash ...	120	0 0	120	0 0
Publication Stores ...	2,053	2 8	2,048	4 2
Publication Account ...	2,906	15 0	6,000	12 1
Personal Account ...	918	3 0	46	9 5
Total...	103,919	2 10	105,226	5 9
LIABILITIES.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
Security Deposits... ..	1,600	0 0	1,600	0 0
Books on Commission Sale... ..	1,333	3 0	1,184	2 3
Security deposits by Commission Agents ...	...	...	1,850	0 0
Total...	2,933	3 0	4,634	2 3
Net Assets...	100,985	15 10	100,592	3 6

14. The accounts of the Society for the year under report were examined, and the balance of Stock of Books, Government Pro. Notes, Publication Stores and Furniture on the 31st March 1896, were verified by Mr. C. Hall, whose report is hereto appended.

15. The Rev. E. Sell, B. D., who was elected President of the Society in December 1894, left Madras in March 1895. Since then the Society has virtually been without a President. As no intimation has been received from Mr. Sell, the Committee do not know whether it is his intention to return. It is left to the General Body to decide now whether a President should be appointed, temporarily at least, in his place.

(By order of the Committee).

E. H. ELLIOT,

Secretary.

APPENDIX A.

Audit Report on the examination of the Accounts of the Society for the Official year 1895-96.

To

The Secretary,

Madras School Book & Literature Society.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No. 337 of 6th August 1895, I have the honor to report that the Stock of Books, Publication Stores and Furniture on the Society's premises on 31st March 1896 were examined by me and the Accounts of the Society for the year 1895-96 have been duly audited by me.

2. Stock taking commenced on the 1st and was completed on the 3rd April, and I found everything in order. The Accounts were sent to me gradually some days subsequently.

3. All the figures in the Sales Account were traced in the first place in the Abstract of Sales and subsequently in the Stock Accounts. These three sets of accounts are maintained separately for each month. The new reprint of Abstract of Sales and Stock Accounts is in a handy and convenient form. These books have been carefully written up.

4. Remittances made to Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co. as shewn in the Sales Account and remittance chalang, were duly verified with the Pass Book of the Firm

The cheques charged in this Book were checked with the Counterfoil of Cheques issued and the Vouchers.

5. From the fourth quarter of the year, the Society has entrusted part of its books for sale to five Agents, allowing them a Commission on actual sales of $33\frac{1}{4}$ and $13\frac{1}{4}$ per cent; the former on Government Copyright books and the latter on other publications. The Accounts Current: the Abstracts showing issues and sales of books, maintained for each Agent monthly have been examined in detail and the balances of books with them on the 31st March 1896, as shewn in their quarterly statements, has been verified. The aggregate of these balances have been checked with the balance given separately in the Stock Account for the month of March 1896. All the figures have been found correct, but there is seemingly a clerical error in the number of books with the Agent at Rajahmundry at the close of the year as given in his quarterly statement.

6. I would suggest instead of keeping the Abstracts of issues and Sales of books in its present form, that one Abstract be maintained for each month, the transactions with each Agent being kept of course separately. This will facilitate the check of one month's closing balance with the following month's opening balance.

7. The labour of the Audit has been much increased in the examination of the accounts kept for these Agencies.

8. The Monthly Cash and Personal Accounts, the half-yearly accounts rendered to parties who have left books for sale with the Society and the Annual Statements as under have been examined by me.

1. Stock Account.
2. Cash Receipts and Payments.

3. Petty Cash.
4. Publication Stores.
5. Publication Account.
6. Personal Accounts.
7. Commission Account.
8. Stock Valuation Account.

9. The Receipts and Charges of the year compared with those of the previous year are given below :—

	1895-96.			1894-95.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
RECEIPTS.						
Interest on Government Securities ...	1,159	0	5	1,417	2	2
Difference in Stock Valuation ...	9,044	4	0	16,166	2	11
Commission on sale of Books ...	14	14	2	14	7	5
Sale of dealwood cases ...	5	8	0	...	...	...
	10,223	10	7	17,597	12	6
CHARGES.						
Office Establishment ...	3,455	5	0	3,432	12	1
Pensions to do. ...	330	0	0	330	0	0
Interest on Security deposits. ...	63	12	1	64	0	0
Contingencies ...	403	11	7	394	15	7
Discount on sale of Books ...	5,791	14	2	6,369	12	9
Books distributed gratis ...	31	9	3	20	12	8
Value of books written off ...	128	14	6	4,228	15	6
Furniture do. ...	...	...	...	46	0	0
Miscellaneous ...	412	3	6	300	0	0
	10,617	6	11	15,187	4	7
Net { Gain... ..	...	...	...	2,410	7	11
{ Loss... ..	393	12	4	...	...	...

10. The transactions of the year have resulted in a loss and this is chiefly owing to the amount of interest received on Government Securities being less than in the preceding year, as also to the item of charges—Miscellaneous including payment for woodcuts. The net gain too on Stock Valuation is much less than in 1894-95.

11. The Assets and Liabilities of the Society are shown hereunder :—

	1st April 1895.			1st April 1896.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
ASSETS.						
Government Pro. Notes ...	34,000	0	0	34,000	0	0
Stock of books ...	57,763	5	8	57,164	12	10
Cash with Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co. ...	3,752	14	8	3,441	5	5
Permanent advance ...	120	0	0	120	0	0
Furniture ...	2,404	9	10	2,404	9	19
Publication Account ...	2,906	15	0	6,900	12	1
Publication Stores ...	2,053	2	8	2,048	4	2
Personal Account ...	918	3	0	46	9	5
	103,919	2	10	105,226	5	9
LIABILITIES.						
Security Deposits of Establishment ...	1,600	0	0	1,600	0	0
Do. Commission Agents ...	...	...	...	1,850	0	0
Commission Accounts ...	1,333	3	0	1,184	2	3
	2,933	3	0	4,634	2	3
Net Assets...	100,985	15	10	100,592	3	6

12. The balances of the first five accounts have been duly verified and I have satisfied myself that the balances of the remaining six have been correctly arrived at.

13. I have however to notice that there appears to have been in the course of the year an issue of 299 Copies of the Telugu 4th Standard and that there was an excess of the same No. of Copies of the Telugu 3rd Standard Readers. The selling prices of both kinds of the book being the same, this error under your directions was adjusted in the accounts for March 1896.

14. The Government Pro. Notes belonging to the Society were inspected by me at the office of Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co. There has been no alteration in respect to them since my last Report.

15. The Accounts have been well maintained. The Manager M. R. Ry. P. K. Narayanaswami Sastri afforded me every information on my references in the course of the Audit.

16. When the Audit was offered me there was no allusion in your letter to the accounts kept in connection with the Commission Agents. The Audit of these accounts has entailed upon me additional labor. May I therefore ask a reconsideration of the amount of remuneration mentioned in your letter quoted in para 1. *supra*.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

MADRAS,
15th May, 1896. }

(Sd.) C. HALL,
Auditor.

Proceedings of the Annual General Meeting of the Madras School Book and Literature Society, held at the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, on Wednesday, the 29th July 1896, at 5-30 P.M.

PRESENT.

The Hon. Mr. C. Sankaran Nair Avargal, B.A., B.L.,
(in the Chair.)

Azam Husain Sahib.

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Rao Bahadur V. Krishnamachariyar Avargal.

Muhammad Auzam Sahib, B.A.

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" Pandit S. M. Natesa Sastriyar Avargal, B.A.

" N. Raghunathachariyar Avargal, B.A.

" N. Sankunni Wariyar Avargal, B.A.

" V. T. Seshadriachariyar Avargal, B.A.

J. H. Stone, Esq., M.A.

M. R. Ry. J. M. Velu Pillai Avargal.

E. H. Elliot, Esq., B.A., Secretary.

I. Proposed by Rao Bahadur V. Krishnamachariyar and seconded by Auzam Husain Sahib that the Audited Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Managing Committee for the Official year 1895-96 be adopted.

Carried.

II. Proposed by Rao Bahadur V. Krishnamachariyar and seconded by Mr. V. T. Seshadriachariyar that Mr. Stone be elected a member of the Managing Committee.

Carried.

III. Proposed by Mr. J. M. Velu Pillai and seconded by Mr. N. Raghunathachariyar that Mr. Stuart be also elected a member of the Managing Committee.

Carried.

IV. Read the following Resolution of the Managing Committee, dated 15th July 1896 :—

“Resolved that an addition of Rs. 25 to the Auditor's fee be recommended.”

Resolved that an addition of Rs. 25 to the Auditor's fee be sanctioned.

V. Proposed by Mr. Stone and seconded by Mr. Sankunni Wariyar that Mr. C. Hall be appointed Auditor for the Official year 1896-97 and that his fee be fixed at Rs. 175.

Carried.

The Meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chairman.

Secretary.

Chairman.

(Sd.) E. H. ELLIOT, (Sd.) C. SANKARAN NAIR,

APPENDIX B.

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APPENDIX C.

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