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[Despatch Abstract.]

Recording, with remark, letter from the
D.P.I., explaining with reference to
G.O. No. 360 of 16th June 1898, certain points
in connection with the teachers' college
hostel rules

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF

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Madras, 28 July 1898.

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From

THE HONORABLE MR. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.SC., LL.D.,

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,

Madras,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Educational DEPARTMENT,

Fort St. George.

SIR,

With reference to G.O. No 360, Educational, dated 16th June 1898, I have the honour to inform you that the order seems to have in view the correspondence which took place when it was intended that the *hostel at the Teachers College* building should be erected by the Public Works Department. In point of fact, however, the building was erected departmentally under the supervision of the Public Works Department. The amount sanctioned in G.O. No 64 Educational, dated 28th January 1898, was Rs. 2350. In addition to this there was a further charge of Rs. 529-14-8. The total cost of the building has therefore been Rs. 2880. Interest on this amount at 6 per cent. comes to Rs. 173 per annum. It was understood from G.O. No 180, dated 30th March 1896 that Government would be satisfied with an interest of not less than 6 per cent. on the capital outlay. Hence rule IX which fixes the monthly rent payable to Government at Rs. 14-3-0 *per annum* ^{per annum}. This amount is payable each month in the year, ~~and~~ ^{and} as a matter of fact it has been regularly paid into the Treasury since the hostel was opened.

2. The course followed by the Committee is to divide the total charges during a month by the number of students, which gives the amount payable by each. The following are fixed items of expenditure:-

Rent

This does not make any difference.

Rs 214 30-3-98

no. of fines at 15

Manager 15-0-0
 Cooks 25-0-0
 Peon, Sweeper & Nightwatchman 6-8-0
 61-0-0

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Educational DEPARTMENT.

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SUBJECT.

Teachers' College Hostel Rules

FOR ORDERS.

Please see G.O. no. 360 Ed. dated the 16th June 1898. (flag L.)

The Govt said that, in Rule VI, the boarding fee should not be fixed with reference to the hostel "rent," and that in Rule IX the rent of the hostel should not have been fixed at Rs 15 a month.

The D.P.I. states that it was understood from G.O. no. 180 Ed & 30th March 1896 (flag O.) that Govt would be satisfied with an interest of not less than 6 per cent on the cost of the hostel building and that on this understanding the monthly rent payable to Govt has been fixed at Rs 14-8-0 per mensem. (Rs 14-8-0) seems to be a mistake; Rule IX fixes the rent at Rs 15) He states

The variable item is the cost of food-stuffs, which is fixed at the beginning of each month. The average amount paid per student since the opening of the hostel in November is Rs. 8-5-3 per mensem. Seeing that the stipends of the students range from Rs. 15 to Rs. 10 per mensem, and that few of the students have any other means of support but their stipends, I do not think the cost of the board can well be increased by raising the charge for rent. If however, Government considers that it ought to receive a higher percentage on the capital outlay, I beg to suggest that the increase be not insisted on till the present batch of students leave the college at the end of the calendar year.

3. With regard to Rule VI it will be observed that when a refund is made only 50 per cent. is refunded. This leaves more than enough to meet the rent and other permanent charges.

4. By "rent" is meant the amount, which the Committee pays to Government for the use of the building.

5. This is the first hostel started in connection with a Government College and the Committee is, therefore, feeling its way more or less. Beyond seeing that Government gets a fair return for the outlay on the building and that the hostel is properly conducted I would deprecate interference with the regulations drawn up by the Committee.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. Duncan

Director of Public Instruction.

that the rent cannot be further raised and requests that, if Govt considers that it ought to receive a higher percentage on the capital outlay, the increase may not be insisted on till the end of the calendar year. Submitted that the rent of Rs 15 may be accepted. The rent is paid by Govt Stipendiary students.

With regard to Rule VI, please see the remarks of the D.P.C in para 3 of the Current.

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Read again G.O. 360 Ed.
16-6-98

Order No. 624 of 3.10.98

Recorded with the remarks that Rule 1X of the Rules relating to the constitution and working of the Teachers' College Hostel fixes the rent at Rs 15 and not at Rs 14-8-0 as stated in the foregoing letter.

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