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No. 23. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Palghaut, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Calicut, 16th July 1872, No. 6 :—

I have the honour to report, with reference to Government Order dated 7th June 1872, No. 765, that on my last visit to Palghaut I brought the subject of the result grants before a meeting of the Commissioners, at which the Inspector and Deputy Inspector were present.

2. The result grants, to the amount of Rupees 797-8-0, as mentioned in Government Order dated 17th January 1872, No. 15, had been paid; but the Commissioners had demurred to the payment of the grant for two schools examined subsequent to the Government Order, but before its reaching the Deputy Inspector.

3. Finally, however, the Commissioners agreed to the payment of these grants as well as to such others for the past year as may be hereafter certified as having been earned.

4. The Commissioners exhibit decided unwillingness to accept the result system, and evidently their idea is that the system gives them no control whatever over the schools or over the amount payable. I have, however, suggested to the Inspector that something might be done towards bringing about more harmony in the working of these schools in the Municipality if the report of the Inspecting Schoolmasters were from time to time furnished to the Commissioners and if they had due notice of the dates on which the annual examination of each school would be held, and this he has undertaken to arrange for. There is no doubt that the Commissioners would greatly prefer to establish elementary schools under their own management; but they do not feel that they can afford to do so if they are under an unlimited liability in regard to result grants. Hitherto they have been saddled with the result grant, amounting to Rupees 359, payable to the Nurney School, which is decidedly a middle class school in everything but name. This was pointed out by the late Acting Inspector, and I understand from Mr. Garthwaite that under the recent result grant rules this school will be removed from the list of elementary schools.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, 2nd August 1872, No. 1022.

The Governor in Council will be prepared to consider any propositions which the Municipal Commissioners, after communication with the Inspector of Schools, may think fit to make with the view of establishing Municipal schools in substitution of the system of results' grants.

(True Extract.)

Acting Under Secy. to Govt.

To the President of the Municipal Commission, Palghaut.
,, Director of Public Instruction.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

Malabar Presidents Office
Calicut 16th July 1872.

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No. 6.

From,

A. MacGregor Esqr.
President of the Municipal Commission
Palghaut

To,

The Honorable R. S. Ellis C.B.
Chief Secretary to Government
Octacamund

Sir,

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2. The result Grants to the amount of Rs. 797-8-0 as mentioned in Government Order dated 17th January 1872 No. 15 had been paid, but the Commissioners had demurred to the payment of the Grant for 2 Schools examined subsequent to the Government Order, but before its reaching the Deputy Inspector.

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THE PRESIDENT OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION, *Palghaut*, &c., &c. &c.

Dated August 2nd.

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O., 2nd August 1872, No. 1022.

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Promising to consider any propositions which the Municipal Commissioners of Palghaut, after communication with the Inspector of Schools, may think fit to make with the view of establishing Municipal schools in substitution of the system of results' grants.

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I have the honor to be
Sir
your most Obdt. Servant

Alexander
President

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From
The Receiver of the
Municipal Commission
Pelham

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government.
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Date 16th July 1872

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Reporting on the Tank
Piece of Land in the
Pelham Village Belonging
to the Municipality
Dated 7th June 1872
No 765

P.O. 21st June 1872. No 766
" Chief Secretary " 15th July " No 1365

Ootacd 2nd August 1872 No 1022

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The S. M. C. will be prepared to consider any proposition which the Commissioners of the municipality may think fit to make in the matter of the purchase of the piece of land in question.

President of the Municl Commrs
Secretary & Public Instrn
Pelham

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

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To
The Presd.t Muml. Comm.rs
Valgham
Sea

Dated Augt 2
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Promising to consider any pro-positions wh. the Muml. Comm.rs of Valgham after Communi-cation with the Insp.r of Schools, may think fit to make with the view of Establishing Muml. Schools in substitution of the system of Rewards Grants.

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