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No. 56. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Bellary, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Bellary, 25th October 1872, No. 94 :—

With reference to paragraph 4 of the Proceedings of Government, Financial Department, No. 1282, dated the 26th ultimo, desiring that a special report should be submitted by the Commissioners of the Anantapore Municipality if they wish to have a Sanskrit School, I have the honour to forward one received from the Vice-President.

2. The Commissioners are evidently very desirous to have Sanskrit taught, and it is stated that townspeople share that desire.

3. Provision is made in the current year's budget for the expenditure required, partly by original grant and partly by transfer, as explained by the Vice-President.

4. I have the honour, therefore, to request that the school may be allowed a trial.

From the Vice-President of the Municipal Commission, Anantapore, to the President of the Municipal Commission, Anantapore, dated Anantapore, 22nd October 1872, No. 56.

Adverting to paragraph 4 of G. O., No. 1282, dated 26th September 1872, calling for a special report on the Sanskrit School opened by the Municipality, I have the honour to report as follows:—

That it was originally intended by the Commissioners, in August 1871, to open an Elementary Telugu and Sanskrit School besides allowing grants on results to the existing Telugu and Hindustani Pial Schools in this Municipality, but, owing to no pupils having come forward to learn Telugu, only an Elementary Sanskrit School was opened from September 1871.

2. That, in April 1872, it was again thought necessary to add two of the existing Pial Telugu Schools to the present Sanskrit School, and to this effect the Deputy Inspector of Schools of Ghooty Circle was addressed as to his opinion, whereupon the Deputy Inspector suggested that the monthly payment system to two of the said Telugu Pial Schoolmasters would be advisable ; it was accordingly concluded, and the two schools were amalgamated with the Municipal Sanskrit School from June 1872.

3. The Municipal School, as it now stands, consists of thirty-one pupils in the Sanskrit class and 119 in Telugu classes, with four teachers, viz., the first on a salary of Rupees 15, second Rupees 14, third Rupees 10, and the fourth Rupees 8.

4. Elementary Telugu is generally taught in this school by the teachers, and also elementary* Sanskrit to the highest class by the first and second teachers a few hours daily.

* Amarum, Sabdams, Samosa, Raghumamsa, and Maghams.

5. As already reported by the Deputy Inspector of Schools, and from the occasional examinations by me and Commissioners, I beg to say that fair progress has been made by the pupils both in Sanskrit and Telugu. The study of Sanskrit will not only help in Telugu, but also improve the knowledge of pupils for the future, when they go up for the several University Examinations. The Commissioners are unanimously of opinion that this language is to be taught in the Municipal School, and they earnestly request that its continuance will be approved of. I further beg to say that it is the wish of the majority of the residents of this town.

6. A sum of Rupees 520 has been allotted for the Municipal School in the current year, out of which Rupees 201-15-5 is expended up to end of September 1872, leaving a balance of Rupees 318-0-7 out of the budgetted amount. The present charges of the school is Rupees 64 monthly including pay of a sweeper, amounting to Rupees 384 for the remaining six months of this year. It, therefore, requires Rupees 65-15-5 to meet the charges throughout the year. This sum

of Rupees 65-15-5 is intended to be taken out of Rupees 200 refunded to the Municipality, being amount paid for medicines and medical charges in the past year.

7. A class under the same system is also opened for Mussulman boys, and Hindustani is taught by two teachers on salaries of Rupees 7 each. There are twenty-four pupils in this class.

8. No fee is at present exacted from the pupils, as almost all the boys, especially the Mahomedan class, are very poor.

9. Under these arrangements, I beg that the Municipal School as at present constituted be sanctioned by the Government for its continuance.

No. 57. ORDER THEREON, 15th November 1872, No. 1529.

Under the circumstances reported, the Government sanction the continuance of the Sanskrit and Telugu School established by the Anantapore Municipality on the understanding that due provision is made for elementary education in Telugu and Hindustani.

(True Extract.)

Officiating Chief Secretary.

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

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

No 57-529

From C. Brandreth Esq. 10/12
Asst. to Collector,
Anantapore &c. Commissioner

To, The Secretary
Anantapore Mun. Comm.

Dated 22nd Oct. 1872.
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Subject

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Report on the Sanskrit
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expenditure for ensuing
4 months & Estimate for
1873 & 1874

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To

THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
Bellary,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated November, 15th.

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BELLARY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

Dated 25th October 1872 No. 94

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Pay. Asst. Com. Bellary.
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To
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&c.

Dated Octr. 15.
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