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No. 128. Read the following letter from W. McQUHAE, Esq., President of the Municipal Commissions, Madura, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madura, 28th August 1874, No. 45 :—

By desire of the Municipal Commissioners I have the honor to submit, for sanction, a complete set of bye-laws which they desire to have the force of law in the town.

Bye-laws.

Every person is forbidden to do any of the following acts within the Municipal limits under a penalty not exceeding Rupees 20, to be recovered on conviction before any Magistrate :—

(1.) To slaughter cattle or clean any carcass except at such places and at such times as are prescribed for the same by the Municipal Commissioners, or to allow any carcass to remain in any place in his possession after it has begun to become putrid.

(2.) To deposit any noxious or offensive matter in any place exposed to public view, or to allow the same to remain on any land in his possession, after he is desired in writing by a Municipal Commissioner to cause the same to be removed.

(3.) To allow any well, pit, or dangerous place on land in his possession to be unenclosed by a fence of the necessary strength and height.

(4.) To use fire-arms unnecessarily or to discharge fire-works except at a distance of more than 100 yards from the nearest public place or dwelling, except at such times and on such conditions as the Municipal Commissioners may impose.

(5.) To carry on any trade, business, or occupation in such a manner as to pollute the soil, water, or atmosphere, or so as in any manner to endanger the health or safety of any person.

(6.) To allow pigs, asses, ponies, or cattle of any kind to stray in the streets, lanes, or thoroughfares, or places set apart for public use, or to convey them in droves through the streets insufficiently tended so as to cause inconvenience to passers-by.

(7.) To use tom-toms, drums, or other instruments of noise or music in the street, lanes, or thoroughfares without the written permission of the Commissioners.

(8.) To drive springless carriages on the town roads except on the sides thereof, or to drive any carriage at nights without lights except by clear moonlight, or any carriage on the wrong side of the road.

(9.) To obstruct in any manner the flow of the contents of any street-drain or house-drain leading into a street-drain.

(10.) To use for gambling or for any game purely of chance any street, lane, or thoroughfare, or any place not a private dwelling-house.

(11.) To use any public place, street, or thoroughfare for games or any other purposes causing danger or inconvenience to any person.

(12.) To keep in an uncleanly state, or in a state of disrepair, any wall, pandal, or structure adjoining any street, lane, or thoroughfare after notice in writing from a Commissioner to clean or to repair the same.

(13.) To excavate any place so as to form a receptacle for stagnant water or for the deposit of any noxious or offensive substance.

(14.) To expose for sale, except in the places set apart for that purpose by the Commissioners, meat, fish, or any article of food liable to become rapidly putrid.

(15.) To permit any place in his possession to be used as a public latrine (urinal), cart-stand, or market-place, except under a license from the Commissioners, and under such arrangements for order, health, and cleanliness as they may from time to time direct.

(16.) To use any reservoir of water for any purpose that may make it unfit for the purpose for which it is expressly set apart.

(17.) To use obscene abusive language in any place of public resort or in the hearing of any person passing along any street, lane, or thoroughfare.

(Signed) W. McQUHAE,
President.

No. 129. ORDER THEREON, 14th September 1874, No. 1558.

The proposed bye-laws are approved and confirmed with the exception of the seventeenth, no addition being necessary to the provisions of Sections 294 and 504 of the Penal Code.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commissions, Madura.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

Govt. of {1874} Madras.

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THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONS,
Madura.

Dated September, 14*th*.

Recd. Encl.

G.O., 14*th September* 1874, *No.* 1558.

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Madura Municipality.— The proposed set of bye-laws for this Municipality, approved and confirmed with the exception of the seventeenth, touching the use of obscene or abusive language, as Government consider no addition necessary to the provisions of Sections 294 and 504 of the Penal Code.

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W. McDuhae
President

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No 45 President's Office
Madura
28th August 1874.

From

W. McDuhae Esquire
President, Municipal Commission
Madura.

To

The Honorable D. F. Carmichael
Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George.

Sir,

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed. Servt.

W. McDuhae
President

Enclosure
See a letter

From
The President
Municipal Commissioners
Madura

Rec'd Chief Secretary's Office
S. O. No 1588
Fort St George
28th August 1874
No 45.

Bye. Laws.

Rec'd 1st Sept 1874

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From
The President
Municipal Commissioners
Madras

To
The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
No 1896 Fort St George

Dated 28th August
Rec'd 1st Sept 1874.

No 45.
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Submitting for sanction
a set of Bye-laws, which
the Commissioners of the
Madras Municipality wish
to have the force of Law
in the Town.

Write with

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Contemplated 11th Sept 1874 No 1558 V

The proposed Bye-laws are approved and confirmed with the exception of the 17th, no addition being necessary to the provisions of Sections 294 & 2504 of the Penal Code.

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Under Sec 294 annoyance must be caused before the acts penal and under Sec 504 there must be a likelihood of a breach of the peace. These restrictions were undoubtedly deliberately rendered on.

Mr Bax Mr Chadwin Sec 294

Govt. of {1874} Madras.

Judl.

To

The President
Munl. Commr.
Madura.

G. O. 14th Septr. 1874, No. 1558.

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Madura Municipality -

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