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Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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156-157.

Dated 19-9- 1874.

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No. 156. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th August 1874, No. 2417 :—

Read the following letter from W. S. FOSTER, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Godavery District, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cocanada, 23rd July 1874, No. 74 :—

REFERRING to the Proceedings of Government, dated 25th June 1874, No. 1,064, communicated with Board's Proceedings of 11th instant, Miscellaneous No. 4,659, I have the honor to inform you that no contribution is to be given by the inhabitants of Juggampeta for the establishment of an Elementary Vernacular School as observed by Government in the latter part of their order.

2. I said in my letter recorded in the above Proceedings that the villagers were willing to contribute Rupees 26 if a Middle Class School were to be established in their village, but that the Local Fund Board thought the establishment of an Elementary School, the whole cost of which will be charged to Local Funds, will be quite sufficient to meet the wants of the villagers.

3. I, therefore, bring the matter to the Board's notice, requesting to be informed whether the school is to be established if the villagers decline to pay any thing to the Elementary School. I do not think they should be expected to pay.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government, with reference to G. O., Financial Department, dated 25th June 1874, No. 1,064.

2. The Board think the Elementary School should be established whether the people contribute to it or not.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 157. ORDER THEREON, 19th September 1874, No. 1577.

The Government will not object to the establishment of the proposed school.

2. The Local Board should consider the propriety of requiring fees to be paid.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Accountant-General.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Govt. of {1874} Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

The BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated September, 1874.

Rec'd.

Encl.

G.O., 19th September 1874, No. 1577.

SEPTEMBER.
Nos. 156-157.

Elementary Vernacular School at Jaggampeta, Godavery District.—No objection offered to the establishment of the proposed school, but the Local Fund Board directed to consider the propriety of requiring fees to be paid.

Fin'l Department,

No. 1827.

From Secy. of the Board of Revenue

Dated 27 August 1874.

FOR ORDERS.

The school should in any case be established. I do not see reason to allow a local Board to establish an elementary school merely because they cannot induce the parents to pay fees. If the Board have the funds & desire to support it and desires it ought to be allowed

Lr to Rev. Sec. Mad. Govt. dated 28 Aug. 1874 No. 1827

to do so. Many parents cannot pay fees; and but do not want their children uneducated because of their poverty (funds being available for the purpose of doing away with it) in contrary to all recent adopted principle. In England, where who cannot pay are exempted by payment: (how it will be worked difficult to see time): and in America / Colony elementary education given is also strictly

when there is so much ridiculous as here

Gentlemen.

Clerk, I wish to call the
notice of Guardians & the Local Board.

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Copy of Mr Lin that it is out of
the question to compel the people to
an important plan like paying rates
& throw their obligations on the general
taxpayer - the Guardian has withdrawn
from his obligations - but of the ministers
& contributions.

The people have now withdrawn
their offer & contribute & of the allowed
& take the consequences - they will
assured that better [illegible]
[illegible]

No. 2,417.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 27th August 1874.

Read the following letter from W. S. FOSTER, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Godavery District, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cocanada, 23rd July 1874, No. 74 :—

REFERRING to the Proceedings of Government, dated 25th June 1874, No. 1,064, communicated with Board's Proceedings of 11th instant, Miscellaneous No. 4,653, I have the honor to inform you that no contribution is to be given by the inhabitants of Juggampeta for the establishment of an Elementary Vernacular School as observed by Government in the latter part of their order.

2. I said in my letter recorded in the above Proceedings that the villagers were willing to contribute Rupees 26 if a Middle Class School were to be established in their village, but that the Local Fund Board thought the establishment of an Elementary School, the whole cost of which will be charged to Local Funds, will be quite sufficient to meet the wants of the villagers.

3. I, therefore, bring the matter to the Board's notice, requesting to be informed whether the school is to be established if the villagers decline to pay any thing to the Elementary School. I do not think they should be expected to pay.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government, with reference to G. O., Financial Department, dated 25th June 1874, No. 1,064.

2. The Board think the Elementary School should be established whether the people contribute to it or not.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

Secretary.

To the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.

Copy to the President, Local Fund Boards, Godavery District.

Exd A. Grubert.

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Board of Revenue,

MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 27TH AUGUST 1874, No. 2,417.

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AUGUST.

No. 2,417.

School, Elementary Vernacular—at Juggampeta, in Godavery District.—Letter from President, Local Fund Boards, requesting information as to whether school is to be established if villagers decline to contribute to it, submitted for orders of Government with Revenue Board's opinion in favor of establishment of school whether villagers contribute to it or not.

I would establish the school - requiring fees to be paid by the scholars - If the villagers refuse either contribute or pay fees, the school cannot be opened - for primitive Education is not of that question. Ios.

Govt. of {1874} Madras.

Financial.

To
The Board of Revenue.

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Nos. 56. 7.

Elementary Vernacular School at Puggampeta Godavery District.

No objection offered to the Estabt. of the proposed School - but the Local Fund Board directed to consider the propriety of requiring fees to be paid if the villagers decline to contribute to the School.