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Government of Madras.

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Local Funds—Education.

No. 218. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st November 1874, No. 3347 :—

Read the following letter from Colonel R. M. MACDONALD, Acting Director of Public Instruction, Madras, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, through the Board of Revenue, dated 7th October 1874, No. 1874 :—

I have the honor to submit the following remarks with reference to the accompanying letters, Nos. 14 and 15, of the 11th and 25th September, from the President of the Local Fund Board, Coimbatore, regarding special grants from Provincial Funds for certain schools transferred from the Middle to the Lower class, under the circumstances reviewed in G.O., No. 231, of the 27th June 1874.

2. The staff of the Pulladum School was originally as follows :—

Teachers.	Grade of Certificate.	From Government.	From Manager.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
K. M. Nagoji Row ...	Matriculate	15 0 0	15 0 0	30 0 0
V. Zachariah	Approximate 4th Grade	4 0 0	8 0 0	12 0 0
Kristna Row	5th Grade	... ...	7 0 0	7 0 0
	Total ...	19 0 0	26 0 0	45 0 0

Mr. Joss asks for the following reduced grant, which may be considered as commencing from the 1st August.

Teachers.	Grade of Certificate.	From Government.	From Manager.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Kristna Row	4th Grade	9 0 0	9 0 0	18 0 0
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P. Venkataramanien ...	5th Grade	3 0 0	3 0 0	6 0 0
	Total ...	16 0 0	20 0 0	36 0 0

Period.	Expenditure		
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	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1st September 1873 to 31st January 1874	115	95	210
1st February to 31st July 1874 ...	102	102	204
1st August 1874 to 31st March 1875.	160	128	288
Total ...	377	325	702

I think that the grant may be sanctioned, and that Mr. Joss should be paid as shown in the margin for the periods between the 1st September 1873 and the 31st March 1875. It will be observed, however, that Mr. Marden considers that a grant of Rupees 13 a-month would be sufficient from the 1st August, and that up to that date Rupees 152-8-0 should be paid in arrears. This is mainly on the ground that the school is so inefficiently conducted that it only earned Rupees 67½ in a recent examina-

tion on the results system. But I am apprehensive that the school may collapse if the Head Master's salary is reduced so much as Mr. Marden proposes.

3. The Tiruparur School originally received a grant of Rupees 15 on account of a Matriculated Master. This was drawn up to the end of April 1873. In May, this teacher received his full pay of Rupees 30 from Mission Funds alone. Subsequently a teacher was engaged for eight months on Rupees 10 a-month, and another for four months on Rupees 15 a-month. As the total expenditure incurred by Mr. Joss, up to the 31st December 1873, was Rupees 170, I recommend that half that amount be paid to him. Mr. Joss wishes to re-open the school with a grant of Rupees 18-8-0, the details of which are not given; and he requires that the grant shall be guaranteed for three years. It seems very doubtful from the history of the late school whether there is much likelihood of an Anglo-Vernacular School succeeding at Tiruparur, and I think that the following establishment would be sufficient to commence with:—

Teacher.	Grade of Certificate.	From Government.	From Manager.	Total.
		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Head Master	4th Grade	9 0 0	9 0 0	18 0 0
Assistant do.	5th Grade	3 8 0	3 8 0	7 0 0
	Total ...	12 8 0	12 8 0	25 0 0

4. The Anglo-Vernacular School of Avenashy, which was not connected with the London Mission, formerly received a grant of Rupees 10 for a teacher of the 5th grade. On the withdrawal of the grant it collapsed and was succeeded by a Results school, which has received a grant of Rupees 41-15-0. This amount might, as Mr. Wedderburn suggests, be repaid to the Local Fund Board.

5. The other school referred to by Mr. Wedderburn has not been reported on by the Rev. Mr. Joss in connexion with these schools, and Mr. Wedderburn refers to it as a Girls' School, but I have no doubt that this is the mixed school at Coimbatore which forms the subject of my letter to Government, No. 1854, of the 5th instant.

Submitted for the orders of Government, with reference to G.O., Educational Department, dated 27th June 1874, No. 231.

2. Government have decided to make a special grant to the Coimbatore Local Fund Board of the sums payable on account of the schools at Avenashy, Tirpur, and Pulladum, because they have been transferred from the Middle to the Lower class, though they are Anglo-Vernacular Schools.

3. With regard to the school at Pulladum, the Director thinks Rupees 325 should be paid for the period between the 1st September 1873 and the 31st March 1875. The annual grant will be Rupees 192.

4. With regard to the school at Tirpur, which was closed on the 31st December 1873, the Director recommends a grant of Rupees 85 towards the expenditure up to that date. It is intended to re-open the school, and the grant proposed

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17th February 1875.

by the Director, if the school is opened on the scale he recommends, is Rupees 150 per annum.

5. The Avenashy Salary Grant School has collapsed, and a Results Grant School has taken its place, and received a grant of Rupees 41-15-0 from the Local Fund Board. The Director thinks this might be refunded to the Local Fund Board by Government.

6. Government do not promise distinctly to give an *annual* special grant for these schools, and the Board are not sure what is intended.

7. At all events the Board do not see why a special grant should be given to the new school at Avenashy, simply because such a grant was promised for the old school which no longer exists.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 219. ORDER THEREON, 17th February 1875, No. 353.

The grants for the current year of Rupees 325 and Rupees 85 to the Local Fund Board on account of the Pulladum and Tirpur Schools, respectively, are sanctioned; but the Government agree with the Board of Revenue in considering that the new school at Avenashy has no claim to aid from Provincial Funds.

2. Since the issue of G.O., dated 27th June 1874, No. 231, the powers of Local Fund Boards with respect to grants to Elementary Schools on the Results system have been more clearly defined in G.O., dated 7th July 1874, No. 1120, and should the Local Board be of opinion that the lower class schools in question are less deserving of aid from Local Funds than other schools of the kind they should place themselves in communication with the Educational officers in view to having them excluded from inspection.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

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

Exd. T. O'Connor.

Govt. of [1875] Madras.

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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated February, 17th.

Read.

Encl.

G.O., 17th February 1875, No. 353.

FEBRUARY.

Nos. 218-219.

Coimbatore District Local Fund.—Grants for the current year of Rupees 325 and Rupees 85 to the Local Fund Board on account of the Pulladum and Tirpur Schools, sanctioned; but that at Avenashy considered to have no claim to aid from Provincial Funds.

No. 3,347.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 21st November 1874.

Read the following letter from Colonel R. M. MACDONALD, Acting Director of Public Instruction, Madras, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, through the Board of Revenue, dated 7th October 1874, No. 1,874:—

ABSTRACT.—Submitting remarks with reference to special grants from Provincial Funds to certain schools transferred from the Middle to the Lower class under circumstances reviewed in G. O., No. 231 of 27th June 1874.

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(A true Extract.)

J Grole

Secretary.

To the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Educational Department,
with original letter from Director of Public Instruction,
with three spare copies and three original enclosures.

„ the Director of Public Instruction.

Copy to the President, Local Fund Boards, Coimbatore Circle,
with copy of letter from the Acting Director of Public Instruction.

Exd. G. A. Turton.

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Board of Revenue,

MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 21st NOVEMBER 1874, No. 3,347.

Received 25 Nov 1874

NOVEMBER.

No. 3,347.

Schools—in Coimbatore District, transferred from the Middle to the Lower class on account of which schools Government have decided to make special grants to the Coimbatore Local Fund Board.—Letter from Acting Director of Public Instruction, submitting remarks with reference to these special grants, submitted to Government, with remark that Revenue Board do not see why a special grant should be given to the new school at Avenashy simply because such a grant was promised for the old school which no longer exists.

Through the Board of Revenue.

No. 1874.

From

THE ACTING DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
Madras.

To

THE ACTING CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Fort Saint George.

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Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
MADRAS, *7th October* 1874.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

R. H. Macdonnell

Acting Director of Public Instruction.

Local Funds Branch

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These papers were submitted for orders for some time ago but having been returned without remark the following order is suggested. 29/8875-No 353

"The grants for the current year of Rs 325 and Rs 85 to the Local Fund Board on account of the Palladium and Nepur schools respectively are sanctioned, but they appear with the Bd of Revenue in considering that the school at Arcanashy has no claim to aid from Provincial funds".

Also the item of G.O. 5/27 June 1874 No 231 the power of Local Fund Boards with respect to grants to Elementary schools on the Results system has been more clearly defined in G.O. 5/7 July 1874 No 1120, and should the Local Board be of opinion that the ~~Elementary~~ Lower class schools in question are less deserving of aid from Local Funds than other

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From

The Acting Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

The Acting Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George.

Dated 7th October 1874.

Received

No. 1874.

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Submitting remarks with reference to special grants from Provincial Funds to certain schools transferred from the Middle to the Lower class under circumstances reviewed in Government Order, No. 231 of 27th June 1874.

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G. O., 17 Feb, 1875, No. 353

Nos. 218-19

Coimbatore D.L.A. - Funds for the current yr of Rs 325-0-0 & 85-0 the L.F.B. on acct of the Pullam Dam & Tirpur Shorts Sanct but that at Avanashy could have no claim to aid from Road funds