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Municipal—Education.

Read the following papers:—

No. 104. From H. SEWELL, Esq., President of the Municipal Commission, Trichinopoly, to the Honorable W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Trichinopoly, 25th November 1875, No. 144.

In continuation of my letter, No. 123, dated 13th May 1875, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of a letter from the Deputy Inspector of Schools containing a scheme for the development of elementary education in this Municipality.

2. The Commissioners have fully approved of the scheme, and have resolved to bring it into operation from the commencement of next year, as no provision has been made in the current year's budget.

From Y. AMURTHANAYAGAM, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Trichinopoly, to H. SEWELL, Esq., President of the Municipal Commission, Trichinopoly, dated 15th November 1875, No. 1083.

I have the honor to enclose herewith the accompanying scheme for the establishment of schools in the Trichinopoly Municipality on the combined system of salary and results grant as requested in your memorandum, No. 1058, of the 30th October 1875, enclosing copy of extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting held on the 26th idem.

2. There are, according to the papers forwarded to me, seventeen pial schools in the first division, twenty-five in the second, thirty-four in the third, and eleven in the fourth, making an aggregate of eighty-seven schools for the whole Municipality. But thirteen schools placed themselves under Government inspection in 1874-75 and received grants (of which only five are found entered in the Commissioner's list forwarded to me). These schools seem to be of a varied character teaching up to different standards of education, none imparting what may be called a decent sound vernacular instruction, which is so greatly urged by Government. I agree with Commissioner M.R.Ry. Puttabhiram Pillai in considering that these schools, if properly managed and superintended, will show considerable improvement, and any amount of expense incurred will not be thrown away. I propose, therefore, to utilize some of the properly-working pial schools for boys now existing as municipal schools, and to newly open others, fifteen in all, in different parts of the town. The teacher should be paid in a fixed monthly sum of Rupees 3 in addition to the fees, which should be very small—1 anna for the first, 2 annas for the second, and 3 Annas for the third, thus extending instruction to classes which have hitherto had not the opportunity of availing themselves of it. The instruction imparted is to be by means of a vernacular, and the standard is not to rise above the third class of result schools. The school is to be examined annually for grants, and the master allowed half the amount of grant issued under the grant-in-aid rules. I propose also that four girls' schools be opened, one in each of the four divisions, and the mistresses, if such could be found, to be paid each Rupees 4 per mensem, enjoying also the other advantages of the boys' schools. There need not be more than two classes in these schools with fees same as in the boys' schools.

3. An Inspecting Schoolmaster should be appointed on a salary of Rupees 20 per mensem, who should superintend and improve the schools under the direction of educational officers, furnishing periodical reports of the working of the schools to the President.

The measure, if approved and sanctioned, will involve an outlay of nearly Rupees 1,500 as shown in the margin, and the money thus spent will have been well laid out in improving the indigenous elementary schools of the Municipality. I have not, however, provided for results grant for the four girls' schools proposed, as they will be paid from Provincial Funds.

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Fifteen teachers, at Rupees 3 each	540
Four mistresses, at ,, 4 ,, ...	192
Results grants to boys' schools, at Rupees 30 each	450
Inspecting Schoolmaster, at Rupees 20	240
Total ...	1,422

Result schools also are to be maintained if other pial schoolmasters than those whom it is proposed to take over put their schools under inspection and conform, in all particulars, to the grant-in-aid rules of the department, and a sum of Rupees 200 must be set apart for this purpose.

I subjoin a list of places where the municipal schools above proposed may be opened :—

1. Varaganeri.
2. Senkolam.
3. Pondamungalam.
4. Puttur.
5. Darranallur.
6. Rock Fort.
7. Andar Street.
8. Varatharajapermaul Kovil Street.
9. Peria Kummal.
10. Beemanaickenpalaiyam.
11. Edytherunu.
12. Palakarai Cantonment.
13. Chintamani.
14. Jaffair Sahib Street.
15. Ananthapuram.

No. 722.

Referred to the Director of Public Instruction for his remarks.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
29th November 1875.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

No. 104-A. From Colonel R. M. MACDONALD, Director of Public Instruction, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 20th January 1876, No. 113.

I have the honor, in returning the accompanying letter from the President of the Trichinopoly Municipality, referred under endorsement, No. 722, of the 29th November, to submit copy of a report, No. 98, of the 15th January, from the Inspector of Schools, 4th Division.

2. I concur with Mr. Caldwell in approving of the scheme. It would, I think, be an advantage if the salary of the Inspecting Schoomaster could be fixed at Rupees 25 instead of Rupees 20.

From E. C. CALDWELL, Esq., Inspector of Schools, 4th Division, to Colonel R. M. MACDONALD, Director of Public Instruction, dated Salem, 15th January 1876, No. 98.

I have the honor, with reference to your endorsement on the accompanying letter of the President of the Trichinopoly Municipal Commission, forwarding to Government, with record of the Municipal Board's approval, a scheme for the establishment of elementary schools in the Trichinopoly Municipality, to state that the details of the scheme in question were matured by the Deputy Inspector in conference with me, and I need accordingly scarcely observe that the scheme has my general approval and concurrence.

2. The only suggestion I have to offer is that the salary of the Municipal Inspecting Schoolmaster should be fixed at Rupees 25 instead of Rupees 20, a change which, while causing

but a slight and scarcely perceptible increase of cost to the Municipal Educational Establishment, would represent a very great difference in the qualifications of the officer to be selected for the appointment.

No. 105. ORDER THEREON, 10th February 1876, No. 293.

The Governor in Council approves and sanctions the scheme including the addition to the pay of the Inspecting Schoolmaster advocated by the Inspector and Director.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

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

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

Govt. of {1876} Madras.

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To THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, &c., &c., &c.

Dated February, 10*th*.

Issued

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 10th February 1876, *No.* 293.

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Municipal—Education.—The scheme for the establishment of elementary schools in the Trichinopoly Municipality approved and sanctioned including the addition to the pay of the Inspecting Schoolmaster.

Trichinopoly 4th. C. Office
25th November 1875

No. 144

From

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The President
Municipal Commission
Trichinopoly

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To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George
Madras

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[signature]

President

No 722

Approved by the Board 1st Feb. 1875.

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Chief Secretary

Fort St George
29th Nov 1875

No 1083

Office of the Dy Inspector
of Schools Trichy Nov 15. 1875

To

The President
Trichinopoly Municipality
Trichinopoly

Sir

I have the honor to enclose herewith the accompanying scheme for the Establishment of schools in the Trichinopoly Municipality on the combined system of salary and results-grant as requested in your Memo 1068 of the 30th October 1875, enclosing copy of Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting held on the 26th Idem

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Trichy (Chmd) Dr Brooke
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I have the honor &c
Sir
your most Obed.t Sv.t
(signed) M. Annuthanayagam
Dy Inspector of Schools
Trichinopoly

(True copy)
Comp.t
P.S.

President

No 298.

Schools, 4th Division

Salem, 15th January 1876.

From

The Inspector of Schools, 13
4th Division

To

The Director of Public
Instruction, Madras.

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I have &c.
(Sd) E. C. Caldwell
Inspector of Schools
4th Div.

True Copy
W Munro
Director of Public Instruction.

Encl. Ltr. No. 196 Dec.

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Office of the Director of
Public Instruction,
MADRAS, 20th January 1875.

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From

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
Madras.

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY GOVERNMENT,
Fort Saint George.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
W Munro
Director of Public Instruction.

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From The Municipal Commissioner

The Director of Public Instruction

Madras.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort Saint George.

Dated 21st January 1876

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From the Secretary to Government Fort St. George

To the Director of Public Instruction Madras

Dated 29th February 1876

Subject Trichinopoly Municipality - Establishment of Elementary Schools

Sir

I am directed by the Hon'ble the Acting Chief Secretary to Government to forward herewith a scheme for the establishment of elementary schools in the Trichinopoly Municipality, and to request that you will favour Government with your opinion thereon.

I have the honor to be Sir Your most obedient servant

Signed A. Grant

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

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G. O., 10th February 1876, No. 293.

Nos. 104 - 105.

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