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The Governor in Council directs that the preliminary Notification required by § III - Act XXVI - 50 be published in the Fort St. George & Kistna District Gazettes. Three clear months will be allowed to the inhabitants to declare themselves for or against the extension of the Act to the Town of Cumtoor for municipal purposes.

The Magistrate will instruct the Head Assistants in charge of the Sub-Division to cause the Notification to be made known by public proclamation in the towns and also

also to open books at Gunnar, in which the inhabitants should be invited to record their assent to, or dissent from the measure. The greatest care must be taken to ensure the free expression of the public feeling on the subject, & no influence should be exercised, or inducement held out.

3. On the expiration of the three months allowed in the Notification, a report should be submitted to Govt.

4. Mr. Thornhill states that the Head Assistant had succeeded in inducing the inhabitants to avail themselves of the offer of Govt. made in their order of the 20th June '59 No. 813. Rev. Dept. There is nothing to this effect in Mr. Wilson's letter, nor is there any allusion to the Order of Govt. in the vernacular petition submitted. On referring to the Order in question, the Governor in Council observes that the offer then made by Govt. to grant from local funds a sum equal to the total contributions of the inhabitants, was intended to promote the formation of voluntary associations in towns, to which the Towns Improvement Act could not be applied, from the inhabitants withholding their consent. Any such association, representing but a section of the Town Community, & depending, on the precaribus source of voluntary subscriptions, would be in a very different position from a Municipal Committee appointed under the Act & armed with power to impose rates & enforce penalties. In fact the terms of the Order of the 20 June '59 cease to apply on the extension of the Act to the Town, but the Governor in Council will nevertheless be prepared to assign grants from any available source, whenever such aid may seem to be necessary. *

* necessary on special application being submitted.

The Magistrates of the Kistna District
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