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The Ag Collector of
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To The Collector of Tanjore

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MRRy Gurusamie Pillai Avargal. Of these Sever[illegible]ctu deny that they knew what they were signing when they put their signatures to the petition and one disowns his signature. Two others allege they went to vote for MRRy Lakshmana Naidu Garu, but, Examining their voting papers, I find they have scored out the names of all Candidates Except MRRy Gurusamie Pillai Avargal and voted for him Correctly. It is clear from these facts that the unsuccessful Candidate or his Agents have had recourse to sharp practices in getting up this petition and the objection falls to the ground.

7. As regards v^th^ ground of objection

the Deputy Collector reports at length the result of his Enquiry into the matter. I agree with him and do not Consid there is any proof that MRRy Gurusami Pillai Avargal is directly or indirectly interested in the Municipal Contract.

8. I therefore recommend that MRRy Gurusami Pillai Avargal may be Considered to be duly Elected and the notification published accordingly.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

Ag: Collector

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From

The Ag. Collector of
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To

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6. As regards the 1st objection, I made an Examination of the ballot papers and found that they were Correctly Counted and that MRRy Gurusami Pillai Avargal has Secured 134 votes against 118 Secured by the defeated Candidate. The ballot papers are all in order and the Evidence of the Polling Officer shows that the votes were recorded on due Enquiry of each voter. The names of Eleven of the voters appear in petition No. 3 although they have actually voted for MRRy Gurusami Pillai Avargal. Eight, on Enquiry, allege they voted for

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Tanjore Collector's office
Camp: Kumbakonam
3rd July 1895
Desp. 6th

No. 109/for

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT -No. 2184 M

From

Robert B. Clegg Esquire,
Acting Collector of
Tanjore

To

The Honorable Mr. J. F. Price,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal Department,
Madras

Sir,

Advertising to para 2 of my Endorsement, dated 8th May 1895 Reference on Current No. 302 (324)/Ml. of 1895, I have the honor to report on the Election of M.R.Ry. A. R. N. Gurusami Pillai Avargal for the Kâdambâdi

Rc. 862 m / 30.5.95

Ward

Ward of the Negapatam Municipality

2 M.R.Ry N. Lakshmana Naidu Garu, the defeated Candidate, presented a petition to me on 4th May 1895 objecting to the Election of M.R.Ry Gurusami Pillai Avargal on 5 grounds as set forth below:-

i. The voting papers were not properly checked and, if counted again, it would be found that he had a majority of votes;

ii. The polling rules were not duly complied with;

iii. Voters were unlawfully intimidated;

iv. Bribery was practised;

and v. The Successful Candidate has an interest in the toll-gate Contract.

3. Besides this objection petition, two other petitions

petitions in favor of the objector M.R.Ry N. Lakshmana Naidu Garu, one from ten voters of the ward similar to the objection petition referred to in para. 2 supra and the other from 125 voters alleging that a recounting of the votes would show a majority for M.R.Ry Lakshmana Naidu Garu, were received.

4. Of the 3 petitions, No. 1 and 2 were sent to the Deputy Collector in charge of the Head Assistant Collector's Division for enquiry and report. The records of his enquiry, as per list, are herewith submitted.

5. The Deputy Collector's reports deal with each one of the 5 objections after recording the evidence produced on behalf of the objector

objector and, is full and clear and I have nothing more to add to his Conclusions Except on objections No I and V.

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Negapatam Municipality

Report on the result of the elections held on Saturday the 20th April 1895 for the Negapatam South and Kadambady ward

Name of Municipality	Names of ward, if any	Date of election	Number of registered voters	Number of voters who exercised the privilege	Name of Candidates	Number of votes obtained by each	Name of Candidates duly elected	Remarks
	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	
Negapatam Municipality	Kadambady ward	20-4-95	367	257	M. R. R. A. R. N. Gurusami Pillai	134	M. R. R. A. R. N. Gurusami Pillai	
					" N. Letchmana Naidu	118		
					" K. S. Venkatrama Iyer	"		
					A. N. Ranga Iyer	"		

(True Extract)

(Signed) Frank Oliver
Chairman

For Ag Collector.

List of records sent to Government with letter dated 3rd July 1895 No $\frac{109}{Rd.}$ dated 3rd July 95

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1. Petition received on 4-5-95 presented by M.R.Ry N. Lakshmana Naidu the defeated Candidate with its 2 enclosures — 3
2. Petition received on 4-5-95 presented by P. Gurusami Pillai and 9 other voters of the Kadambadi ward with its one enclosure — 2
3. Vakalat filed by M. R. Ry K. S. Venkatarama Aiyar and M.R.Ry C. Maria Susa Pillai vakeels on behalf of M.R.Ry Lakshmana Naidugaru — 1
4. Do filed by M.R.Ry P. T. Swaminatha Sastriar Avergal and M.R.Ry C. R. Kunjithapatham Aiyar Avergal vakeels on behalf of M.R.Ry A. R. N. Gurusami Pillai Avergal — 1
5. Duplicates of summonses returned after service — 26
6. Head Assistant Collector's memo to J. Oliver Esquire and 4 other gentlemen dated 15th May 1895 — 1

7. Statement of Mr Fenton dated 17-5-95 —— 1

8. —— Do —— P. Ponnusami Pillai dated 17-5-95 — 1

9. —— Do —— M. Ponnusami Pillai — Do —— 1

10. —— Do —— Varaprasadam Pillai — Do — 1

11. —— Do —— M. R. Ry Doraisami Naidugaru — Do — 1

12 —— Do —— Veerasami Naidu —— Do —— 1

13. — Do — Uthuma Lovai Marakayar Sahib Bahadur } —— Do —— 1

14. — Do —— Ganapathi Chetti —— Do —— 1

15 — Do —— Angappan —— Do —— 1

16 —— Do —— Nainar Pillai —— Do —— 1

17 —— Do —— Agastheeswaram Pillai — Do —— 1

18 —— Do —— Gurusami Pillai —— 18 Do —— 1

19 —— Do —— Srinivasa Naidu —— Do —— 1

20 —— Do —— J. Oliver Esquire —— Do —— 1

21 —— Do —— Periathambia Pillai dated 20-5-95 — 1

22 — Do —— Swaminatha Pillai —— Do —— 1

23 — Do —— Creighton Esquire dated 21-5-95 — 1

24. Certified Copy of a petition dated 31-10-94 presented by Ponnusami Pillai to the Municipal Chairman —————— 1

25. Polling register of the Kadambadi ward dated [illegible]-95 —————— 1

26. Head Assistant Collector's report dated 7th June 1895 No $\frac{916}{Rev}$ of 1895 —————— 1

27. Head Assistant Collector's report dated 22-6-95 No $\frac{978}{Rev}$ of 1895 with its 11 enclosures as particularized below —————— 12

1. Petition presented by 125 voters of the Kadambadi ward of the Negapatam Municipality received on 4-5-95.
2. Statement of Uthandi chetti dated 21-6-95
3. Do —— Ranganatha Naikar — Do
4. Do —— Sambulinga Nadar —— Do
5. Do —— Narayanasami Naikar —— Do
6. Do —— Govinda Chetti —— Do
7. Do —— Govinda Pandaram — Do
8. Do —— Maria Pillai —— Do
9. Do —— Govinda Nadan —— Do
10. Do —— Arumugam Pillai —— Do
11. Do —— Namasivaya Pandaram —— Do

Total 66

R Venkataraman

English Head Clerk.

5th July 1895.

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NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

Collectors will decide finally on these cases only after the Election rules are revised & published.

This revision has been ordered to lie over until the Act is amended

W. 8.8.95

Seen
Thanks
9/8/95

I thought that this was not the part of the Rules but was included and delegation of powers

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER Section 10 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, 1884, the under-mentioned gentlem~~e~~an ha~~ve~~s been duly elected Municipal Councillor~~s~~ of the Municipality of Negapatam ____ :—

M. R. Ry:

A. R. A. Guruswami Pillai Avargal.

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