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Local & Munl. (1896) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 79 M

DATED 16th January 1896

[Despatch Abstract.]

Municipal Council

Ordering, with remark, that the election of certain gentlemen as members of the Bellary --- be notified.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
3822/M
FROM CURRENT NO.
THE COLLECTOR OF
BELLARY.

To

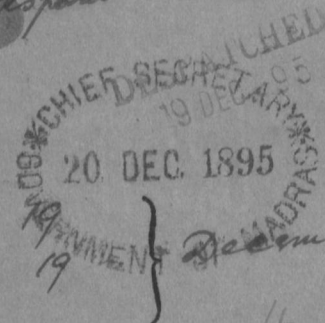
THE Chief Secretary to
Government. Local and
Municipal Departments
Madras

Despatch No. 1826

Dated

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Received



19 December 1895

Enclosures.

Abstract.

425 one copy of
Chairman's report

Submitting report on the election
of a Municipal and H. Venkata Rao
for wards nos V & VI of Bellary Municipality

C.S.
Mis.

order No. 79 dated 16-1-96

The Government agree
with the Collector in consi-
-dering that Mr. R. Ly. A. Ma-
-niah was above 25 years
of age at the time of his election.
The petition of objection will
therefore be rejected and the
usual notification published
in the Fort St. George Gazette.

V.R.
11/1/96

W.D.
F. 1. 96

11/1/96

To
The Collector of Bellary
furnished 14/1/96
21/1/96
on 17/1/96

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER Section 10 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, 1884, the under-mentioned gentlemen have been duly elected Municipal Councillors of the Municipality of Bellary—

M. R. S. Venkata Rao Esq. -
M. R. S. Muniak Esq. -

Gazette Part I. A

To
1/12/95
13th Dec 1905
R. R. R.
P. Rana Rowson
Deputy Collector
Beaucon
Sir.

In reply to your letter
no 759 of today's date I beg
to inform you that according
to my horoscope I was born
on 11th day of Ashvina Sudda
Vibhava and I have completed
my 27 years by last Ashvina
As your L^t

As your letter under reference
was received by me when I was
in the district Court I was
not able to reply at once as
required. I request you will
kindly excuse me

X
30 June 1868

13.11.95
30.6.68
13.4.27

I have the honor to be
 Sir
 Yours most obed^t serv^t
 C. Jackson

Municipal Councillors' Office
B Mary 7th December 1899

From Mr. B. D. Krishnamachari
Chairman
Municipal Council.
Bellary

To. *The Chief Secretary*
to Government

Local and Municipal Department
Madras
Through the Revenue Officer
in Charge of Division.
Bellary

I have the honor to report
 that on the 6th and 8th
 ultimo notices were published
 inviting Candidates for the 2 Vacan-
 cies in the Municipal Council of
 Bellary one in Ward no I and
 the other in Ward no I caused by
 the expiry of the three years' term
 of office of Mr. B. J. Chellapam-
 : and Pillay Auergal and
 Mr. B. C. Rama Rao Gam B.A.
 and stating that nominations
 would be received by the Chair-
 : man at the Municipal Office
 up to 5 P.M. on the 13th idem and
 elections would be held on the
 30th idem.

In accordance therewith 2
Candidates were nominated for
the

2. The following statements exhibits the names of the Candidates, their occupation &c^a.

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3. In the notices that I issued on the 2nd and 5th November 1895, informing the number of vacancies of Councillors, I stated that applications would be received up to 5 P.M. on 13th November 1895. This was fixed under rule no 17. of the election rules wherein it

is provided that the Chairman -
shall state the date within which
nominations must be submitted.
Rule 18 lays down that the nomi-
- nation must be made at least
16 days before the date of election.
As the date of election was the 30th
November, 16 days before that date
would be the 14th November.
Excluding the 14th, I stated in
my notices that the nomina-
- tions would be received up
to 13th. The nomination of
Mr. B. Rama Rao Garu B.A.
was received at 6 P.M. on the 13th
and the nominations of Mr. B.
Ghoshy Latchumou Row Garu,
Mr. B. Venguram Krishna Rao
Garu, Mr. B. Gudi Ramachandra
Garu, Mr. B. Keeratha Roothrap-
- pah Garu, and Mr. B. Achi-
- reddy Sogappah Garu, were
received at 1 P.M. on the 14th. The
question is whether they were in-
- time. According to the notice -
they are not. According to rule 18
I think they are. For 16 days
before the 30th would be the 14th
even excluding the 30th, that
is to say - that the day of election
will be the 16th day proper.
This, I think, is the ^{correct} ^{interpretation} of the rule. ^{as stated}
The

made any mistake of Calculation in fixing the day in the notices, there is nothing to prevent me from rectifying it at the time of declaring valid nominations.

I therefore held that the 5 - nominations received by me on the 14th, were in time.

4. On the 14th November 1898 Mr. B. Ramabrahm B.A. a Candidate for ward no I, withdrew his Candidature.

5. Government in their Order no 284 M. Mis, dated 9th March 1894, decided that Mr. B. Akumullah Muniath Gann who is now a Candidate for ward no II was under 25 years of age at the time of his election on the 2nd December 1893. and cancelled his election. If he is still under 25 years of age, he is disqualified for election. There is no information in the office regarding his age. I believe he is not under 25 years now. I included his name in the list of Candidates.

6. The list of Candidates for wards no I and II were published to S.C.M. on 15th Ultimo. On the 16th This was fixed at the Municipal election at the hearing and

Sections which may be raised by any person to the nomination Candidates.

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7. The Schedule of nominations of Candidates for ward no I and II were published on the 26th and 27th ultimo respectively.

8. The election for ward no I was held on 30th November last in the presence of Mr. B. Balay Singh Gann. Mr. B. Balay Singh Gann was elected Councillor for ward no II was appointed polling officer. The election for ward no I was also held on the same date at the Police Station at Bawl Bazaar and A. K. Catcha Dab, an elected Councillor for ward no II, was appointed polling officer.

9. Mr. B. Ghoolif Lutchi Row Gann, a Candidate for ward no I, withdrew his nomination on the day of election, before the poll had commenced and therefore his name has been removed from the list of Candidates in view of the results of the election. I have corrected the list of Candidates in view of the results of the election. I have corrected the list of Candidates in view of the results of the election.

made any in
in fixing the balance statement in the
there is no prescribed in G.O. no 690
from Keral and Municipal
of dated 22nd June 1888. Com:
The following full particulars re:
not regarding the elections is given
on below.

No	Name of Municipality	Name of Ward if any	Date of election	No of registered voters	No of voters who exercised the franchise	Names of Candidates	No of votes obtained by each	Names of Candidates duly elected.	Remarks
1894	Municipality	I	1894	344	106	Subbay Kolachallum Tencatta Row Gam	97	Subbay Kolachallum Tencatta Row Gam	Votes were rejected & leaving in a doubtful manner
						Brounagar Gopur Pichem Row Gam	0		
						Agia rapaxuma Kusta Row Gam	0		
						Deubargastu Goodu Row Gam	0		
						Secrathu Poothu Pichem Row Gam	2		
						Acharudiy Joozappah Row Gam	0		
	Municipality	II	1894	177	148	Subbay Kulla Municipality Row Gam	100	Subbay Kulla Municipality Row Gam	Votes were rejected & leaving in a doubtful manner
						Chokkappa Row Gam	47		
	Municipality	III	1894	80	36				Votes were rejected & leaving in a doubtful manner
	Municipality	IV	1894	246					Votes were rejected & leaving in a doubtful manner

11. From the above statement it will be observed that 3% of appou
Cent of the voters in Ward
and 83 percent in Ward
exercised the privilege of voting
There was no real competition
in ward no I. Hence the
small number of voters who
went to the poll.

12. The Competition among
the Candidates forwarded not
was very keen and Cam-
passing for votes was eagerly
carried on.

13. I superintended the election
personally and they were fairly
conducted.

14. I attended the municipal
office on the evening of the 3rd
ultimo. And in the presence of
Mr. M. Abraham, a non-
-rated Councillor and A. J.
Gatcha Sait, an elected Councillor
forwarded no II. Opened the ballot
box. and Counted the ba-
papers of ward no I. On the
evening of the same date
opened the ballot box of ward
no. I And Counted the ba-
papers in the presence of Mr.
Abraham and only 17. This

and Mr. K. Runga Row Gama
 are elected. Committee forwarded
 no. 11. The following gentlemen
 were declared to have been duly
 elected. Mr. B. K. Holachellum
 Venkata Row Gama forwarded no. 11.
 Mr. B. K. Arumulla Muniach
 Gama forwarded no. 11. There-
 fore request, the Government
 will be pleased to publish the
 names of the successful Candi-
 dates in the Fort Saint George
 Gazette as usual.

15. The ballot papers have
 been forwarded to the Collector
 of Bellary as requested in para
 31 of the election rules.

16. A list showing the maxi-
 mum strength of the Council
 and the date of appointment
 of each member is herewith
 submitted.

I have the honor to be
 Sir

Yours most obedt. Servt

M. S. Srinivasulu

11/12/98

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List of Municipal Councilors.		Date of appointment
Official Municipal Councilors.		
1	Revenue Officer in Charge of Dist. Chairman elected.	20 th February 1894.
2	Mr. B. K. Krishnaiah Chari	13 th August 1893.
Non-officials Elected.		
3	Vacant	
4	do.	
5	Mr. B. K. Runga Row Gama	23 rd April 1893
6	Mr. K. Abdul Kareem Saib	do
7	Mr. B. K. Al. Gopal Rao	7 th May 1893
8	Do. G. Krishnaiah Chari	20 th February 1894
9	Do. G. Krishnaiah Chari	do
10	Do. H. S. Babapattur	28 th November 1893
11	Do. B. G. Gopal Rao	10 th July 1894
12	Do. J. Krishnaiah Chari	do
13	Do. K. Srinivasa Row Gama	do
14	Do. G. Balayachetty Chari	do
15	Mr. A. Patcha Saib	do
16	Mr. K. Abdul Sathar Saib	do
17	Do. Mail Saib Saib	do
18	Mr. B. G. Gopal Rao	do
19	Do. G. Vadamalai Chari	10 th September 1893
20	Do. G. Balayachetty Chari	11 th June 93
Official nominated		
21	Captain H. E. Rother	15 th January 93
22	Surgeon Major J. W. Evans	3 rd April 1893
23	Mr. C. E. Plunkett	30 th July 1893
24	Mr. V. Kastur Chetty Chari	26 th June 1893

* Date of appointment as Chairman

Municipal Councilors Office
 Bellary 7th December 98

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Chairman

only 17. This should
 be no correct age at the time as it

From,
The Chairman, M.L.A.,
Bellary
To,
The Chief Secretary
to Government, L. & M. S. D.
Madras.

Dated 7th Dec 1895
Desd 9th

And
no. 5836
3060
DEPT. NO. 10 DEC. 95
SUBJECT

Submitting his report
on the Elections held on
the 30th ultimo for wards
no. 1 & 5.

1205
14 DEC. 95
BELLARY

no 215 Bellary 9th December 1895

To
The Collector of
Bellary

Objection under election rule no. 35

The humble petition of T. Chellapermal Pillay
a Candidate in the municipal election held
on the 30th November 1895 for ward no. 5 shows

1. That one Mr. A. Mooniah who obtained
a majority of votes in the election was not
qualified to be a Candidate at the time of
election as he was under 25 years of age
as will be seen from the following facts.
2. That in page 17 of the supplement to the
South Saint George Gazette dated 28th February
1888 the said Mr. A. Mooniah's age is entered
as 17 in the list of passed Candidates of the
Middle school examination held in December
1887.
3. That in the University and other exami-
nations the age entered by the Candidates is
only the age next birth day and it is also
usual with the Hindus that if one's age is
asked he always gives his age next birth-
day. From this it is evident that Mr. A.
Mooniah's age next birth day in September
1887 when he sent his application for
the examination was only 17. This should
be his correct age at the time as it

entered during the life time of his father -
apparently at his father's dictation.

4. That in December 1893 the said Mr. A. Mooniah was a Candidate in a municipal election for ward no. 8 and secured a majority of votes but on the objection petition put in by his rival Candidate Mr. P. Vadamalai order of Government was cancelled by the being under age. Mr. Wolf Murray the then Collector, enquired into the objection petition and after careful comparison of his age, with the Gazette and horoscope produced by the said Mr. A. Mooniah who deposed that he was over 25 years of age at that time only according to his horoscope arrived at the conclusion that the horoscope produced by Mr. A. Mooniah was a false one and rejected it, passing very severe remarks regarding his conduct in producing a document which was not at all a genuine one simply to secure a seat in the Municipal Council.

5. In the recent Government order No. 1403 L and M dated 27th July 1894, it is ruled that when the exact date of birth of a person is not known except the year, 30th June of the year should be taken as the date of birth for counting the age. If the age of the said Mr. A. Mooniah is calculated with reference to this G. O. his age on the 30th November 1895 was only 24 years 5 months. Hence Mr. A. Mooniah is disqualified for Councilorship on the

30th November 1895

6. That your petitioner further begs to state that the age entered in the application for examination is the only criterion by which the Candidates age qualification is determined for public service. As Municipal Councilors are public servants the G. O. referred to is applicable in the present case.

7. That your petitioner has been a Municipal Councilor and Chairman of Cool. Bazaar Sub Committee for the last 12 years and how useful he was to the Council can be ascertained from the leading Councilors. The petitioner therefore prays that the election of Mr. A. Mooniah be cancelled and the petitioner's name be recommended to the Government for being notified as an elected Councilor.

And your petitioner, as in duty bound shall ever pray.

(Sd) J. Bhella perumal Pillay
Cool. Bazaar.

(True Copy)
J. M. S. S.
For Collector

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year, was elected by a majority of votes but the election was cancelled by Government in its order N^o 284 M. Miscellaneous dated 9.3.94 on the score of underage. I perused the records connected with the matter.

I find no reason to doubt the correctness of A. Munia's age as given in his application for the Middle School Examination held in December 1887. Applications for that had to be sent in before 31st August and the age was then given as 17. It may be taken that the birthday falls in July as stated before W. Wolfe Murray. Munia then attained the age of 25 in July of this year some months before the election.

I have the honor to be

Yours most obedient Servant

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For Collector

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