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[Despatch Abstract.]

Charitable Institutions. Recording the explanation of the Dindigul Municipal Council for the delay in furnishing the Board of Revenue certain information regarding the management of 2 chatrams at Dindigul.

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Mr. Sec
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From J. W. Short Esquire
Chairman Delegate,
Municipal Council,
Dindigul.

Order No. 584 of 97 dated 31-5-99
Forwarded.

No. 37.

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SUBJECT.

Submitting explanation called for in Government endorsement No: 1117, dated 14-4-99, current No: 930 in, regarding the delay which occurred in replying to reference from the Collector of Madura concerning the management of Chattrams at Dindigul.

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Extract from the proceedings of the Dindigal Municipal Council passed at the special meeting held on the 29th April 1899 at 7.30. A.M.

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Present:—

S. W. S. Ivor Bracher Esquire I.C.S. Ex-officio Committee-President.

Messrs T. Rajagopaul Naidu garu Councillor

" K. Anantanarayana Aiyar ditto

" A. Subramania Aiyar ditto

" N. Ramaswamy Chetty ditto

" M. Arockiam Pillai ditto

" V. S. Pichai Ramiah Pantulu ditto

" S. P. Muthu Naikar ditto

" J. S. Madan Rao Pantulu ditto

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IV. (a) Read Government Endorsement No. 417 dated 14-4-99 transferring Revenue Board's No 774 dated 21-3-99 Routine, requesting to furnish to the Board without further loss of time the required information regarding the 2 Chuttrams in Dindigal and to explain

explain the great delay which has occurred in the matter.

(4) Read also Letter No. 223 / 16-4-99 from the Government Pleader, Madura furnishing Legal opinion called for in Resolution No. 3 / 27-2-99 and requesting payment of Rs 50 for his fees and annas ten for postage.

(a) The Council is not willing to incur the risk of going to law to get possession of the Chattrams but is willing to utilize the difference between fair assessment and quit rent on the inam lands towards the upkeep of the Women & Children's dispensary. If Government can give the Council undisturbed possession of the Chattrams, the Council is willing to take them under its management.

(b) Rs 50-10-0 passed from Income.

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(Signed) S. W. G. I Master

Presiding Councillor

(True Extract)

R. Muthiah Pillai

Chairman's Delegate

Dindigal, Municipal Office
No. 37, May 13th, 1899.

From

J. W. Short Esquire

Chairman-Delegate,

Municipal Council,

Dindigal.

To

The Secretary to Government

Local & Municipal Department

Fort St George

(Through the Sub-Collector and Collector of Madura.)

MUNICIPAL DEPT.

Sir,

Referring to Government Endorsement No 417, dated 14-4-99 Current No. 930 M, I have the honor to submit the following explanation called for therein in regard to the delay which has occurred in forwarding a reply to the Collector of Madura in connection with the management of 2 Chattrams at Dindigal.

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2. On 22-10-95, the Collector of Madura asked the Municipal Council of Dindigal if it was willing to take the management and superintendence of the Charitable institutions lying within the limits of the Dindigal Municipality. The Council in its Resolution No: 12 / 23-3-96 expressed its willingness to accept the proposed management of the institutions in question. The transfer of the institutions was accordingly sanctioned by Government in their order No: 1892 Mis, dated 14-10-96.

× 1. Bantu Venkatta Rau Chetty
2. Kalli Nanappa "
3. Chokkalingam Pillai "
4. Paramanandapa Iyeri Madam

3. On 16-10-97, the Sub-Collector required certain information regarding

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regarding the transfer to the Municipal Council of the Inam lands attached to two× of the Chuttrams. The Chairman before sending his reply wished to peruse certain papers referred to therein and applied for Copies thereof on 14-11-97. ×Copies of G.O. No: 4412 Mis: / 7-11-96 was accordingly furnished on 24-1-98. The Tahsildar of Dindigal was then requested on 3-2-98 to furnish the terms, title deeds and other records relating to the management of the said Chuttrams. He sent copies of some Board's Proceedings, & on 15-2-98 and said that the title deeds remained with the Hackdars who failed to produce them.

× 1. Bantu Venkatta Rau Chetty
2. Kalli Nanappa "

× Comm. L. Dept. No 18922 / 14-10-96.

4. On 28-2-98, the Municipal Council

Council passed a resolution in regard to the utilization of the Chattram funds, Copy of which was forwarded to the Sub-Collector on the 2nd March 1898.

5. On 20-4-98, the Sub-collector informed the Council that it should obtain possession of the Chattrams in question by civil suit, &c.

On 23-5-98, the Council referred the matter to a committee of 2 of its members who are also Vakils for legal opinion, and intimated this fact to the Sub-Collector the same day. On 17-6-98, the Committee before furnishing its opinion wished to perus the original and appeal judgments referred to in the Board's Proceedings No: 3635/21-10-84. The Sub-Collector was accordingly requested on 22-6-98 to favour the

the Committee with the necessary records, but he replied on 26-8-98 that the judgments in question were not forthcoming either in the Collectors, Sub-Collectors or the Taluq offices whereupon the Committee was requested on the 30th Idem to give its opinion without the papers in question.

6. On 6-10-98, the Committee after a few reminders returned the papers expressing its inability to give its opinion in the absence of the judgments referred to above.

7. On 10-10-98, the Council resolved to ask the Collector for the Copies of the judgments in question.

8. On 2-11-98, the Sub collector forwarded a few of the records required

requested by the Committee who, he thought, would be able to form an adequate opinion from the available papers and regarded the Council to send a reply within a week if possible.

9. On 3-11-99, the records received from the Sub-Collector together with the other connected papers were again sent to the Sub-Committee for its opinion.

10. On 14-2-99 the Committee after repeated reminders submitted its report which was posted to a special meeting of the Council for the 20th idem, when no quorum was formed, and the matter had to be adjourned to a meeting of the 27th. The above facts have been duly intimated to the Sub-Collector on

on the 16th and 20th February 1899.

11. At this meeting of the 27th February 1899, the Council resolved to refer the matter to the Government pleader, madura for his opinion as to the advisability of taking legal steps for obtaining possession of the Chuttrams.

12. On 6-3-99, the Government pleader wanted to peruse the papers which led up to the dismissal of the Hackdars and the order of dismissal. The Sub-Collector was on 8-3-99 requested to furnish the above papers.

13. On 13-3-99, the Sub-Collector forwarded certain records promising to send to the Government pleader direct the copies of Judgments in O.S. Nos. 22 + 23 / 1880 on the file of the Sub-Court, Madura (West). The papers received

received from the Sub-Collector were despatched to the Government pleader on the 4th Idem.

14. On 17-3-99. the Government pleader promised to send his opinion after receipt from the Sub-Collector of the copies of Judgments alluded to in the preceding paragraph.

15. On 18-4-99. the legal opinion of the Government pleader was received wherein the inadvisability of going to law for getting possession of the 2 Chuttrams was pointed out. The matter was finally discussed by the Council at its special meeting held on the 29th Idem along with the Government endorsement under reply and its decision (copy enclosed) has already

already been communicated to the Board of Revenue through the Collector of Madura in letter

No. 29
2-5-99.

16. Of the 4 charitable institutions alluded to in para 2 Supra, Barky Venkatta Row's and Kaki Narasappi's Chuttrams have been thus disposed of. What became of the other two, viz: Chockalingam Pillay's Choultry and Paramasevan Gnana Iyer's madam is not known.

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

Chairman - Delegate

By Mr
Manager

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